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## Boyce House Welcomed Home To Ranger

### A TOP-NOTCH STORY APPEARS IN APRIL ISSUE OF WORLD OIL

By DARRELL F. HOLMES, JR.

The history of West Texas oil, in which Ranger, site of one of the lustiest of oil booms, played a major part, is told in smooth reading on the pages of the current issue of World Oil, a weekly oil publication.

The story is not written about all of West Texas but just one town—Ranger. However the story of Ranger plays an important position in West Texas oil. There is another reason that natives of Ranger will enjoy the story. It was written by one of Ranger's own.

The author of the story "Ranger, Texas" is Ronald B. Pruet, local independent petroleum engineer, Ronald is a native of Ranger and a graduate of Ranger High School. He was graduated from Texas Technological College, Lubbock, in 1949 with a BS degree in petroleum engineering. He was employed with Gulf Oil Corporation's Gypsy Division for a year and a half after his graduation from college. He resigned and returned to Ranger.

The World Oil was established in 1916 as The Oil Weekly. The trade publication uses only highly specialized material which has to do with exploration, drilling, production, pipe lining operations, and management. It is an honor among oil men to get even a few lines in this publication.

Ronald Pruet had four full length pages printed in their third series of Kingdoms of Oil. His article was brought to attention by Ken Rice of the World Oil who said that the story would be of interest to men who are exclusively engaged in oil production as well as people who just like good reading.

The story traces Ranger from the lusty boom which began October 11, 1917 up to present day operations. He recalled many adventures and happenings of the day. He showed examples of the true Americans of Ranger where magnates and troubadours dress alike and are treated alike by their fellow men. He showed how the railroads tied in with Ranger in the early days and named many of the producing wells of today and of the days gone by. Pruet's story told of goings on at Cisco, Strawn, and Eastland

### Cooking School To Be Held Here

The Recreation Building in Ranger will be the scene of the Texas Electric Service Company's Reddy Kilowatt Cooking School to be held April 9th and 10th, it was announced by Al Larson manager for the company.

The school will begin at 2:00 p.m. on each of the two days. The recipes prepared at each day of the Cooking School are different, so you won't want to miss either session. Several complete meals will be prepared each day, including over meals, broiler meals, surface meals, with recipes also for the refrigerator and home freezer. These demonstrations will include suggestions of many money saving ideas.

In addition to special door prizes to be given away each day, all foods prepared during the school will be awarded to the homemakers audience.

The cookery demonstration will be given by Miss Anna Bines, home service director of the Texas Electric Service Company and nationally known home economist, cooking school lecturer and authority on the use of home electric appliances. She will be assisted by Miss Joyce Chambers, the assistant home economist of the company.

In conjunction with Cooking School the electrical appliance dealers will display the latest Refrigerators, Home Freezers, and Electric Ranges.

These electrical appliances dealers will be: White Auto Store; Ranger Furniture Exchange, Killingsworth's, Crawley and Tibbels, Hardware, Johnson's Appliance Co., Montgomery Ward and Co., Western Auto Store, Frozen Food Lacker Inc., Moffett Electric.

For Good Used Cars (Trade-In on the New One) DeSoto Motor Company, Eastland



RONALD PRUET

which tied in with oil in Ranger. He prophesied that the Ranger boom would go down in history as the Rip Van Winkle of the oil industry because of the way the boom has died and then come to life again.

His story isn't just cold facts anymore than it is a story without a spark for the contents. The story moves fast but takes time to make a person see the rip-roaring oil boom days of the twenties and to better understand the new oil play of our community. Read this story it is good.

### POLICE HEAD SOUNDS OFF

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 7 (UP)—New York police commissioner Thomas F. Murphy says state and local crime commissions should hold a convention to coordinate their fight against the underworld.

But, he said in a speech last night, the battle against interstate crime should be left to municipal authorities, with the federal government fighting interstate crime.

"I think it is necessary for the various commissions, state and city, publicly appointed or privately drafted, to get together, draft minimum working modes, and arrange to exchange information regularly," he said.

Murphy said the legislative program outlined by Sen. Estes Kefauver, D. Tenn., as chairman of the senate crime investigating committee would eliminate "further intervention in local matters" by letting state and municipal officials continue local enforcement.

"Thus no officer would be tempted to attempt the gallant, but impossible task of effectively policing the entire nation."

### RANGER JUNIOR COLLEGE GETS FULL MEMBERSHIP IN MUSIC ASSOCIATION

Dr. G. C. Boswell, who is attending the meeting of Texas Association of Colleges in San Antonio, called Friday stating that Ranger Junior College has attained full membership in the Texas Association of Music Schools. This is one of the highest honors that the college has obtained since its origin and should be received by the people of Ranger as an achievement that comes to very few colleges.

In making this honor possible credit is due Professor Fred Baumgardner and his students for their exceptional work and Dr. G. C. Boswell for his keen interest in and his untiring efforts in behalf of the music department.

The College Board of Trustees have been lenient in making it possible to get equipment and supplies in order that the college might meet requirements set forth

### "I'm Cleaning My Own Back Yard First"

AMARILLO, April 7 (UP)—Amarillo police chief A. S. Harper vowed today he planned to "clean up my own back yard" as he continued his one-man investigation of "laxity" by several officers on the midnight to 8 a.m. shift.

"I'm responsible for this department's operation 24 hours a day and I intend to see that it's run right," he said.

So far, the chief's onslaught had netted two resignations and one dismissal.

The dismissed patrolman was also convicted of theft and sentenced to 10 days in jail this week after Chief Harper met him returning with merchandise stolen from a furniture store. The convicted man's partner resigned as did night captain Bob Marshall.

Marshall's letter of resignation said "due to circumstances beyond my control, I feel it would be better for the city and myself to resign."

Harper said he also found two nighttime patrolmen who held other regular daytime jobs.

"They think they can work at another job during the day, then if they need a little sleep, they think they can catch it sometime during the night," the chief said. "It's a full time job checking these patrol-car beats."

"There has been a lot said about crime activities elsewhere, committee investigations and the like," he said. "If any member of the (state) crime investigating committee here I mean for him to find a good, clean police department."

"I'm cleaning my own back yard first," Harper said.

### Jameson Will Present Paper

AUSTIN, April 7—David Lee Jameson, University of Texas student from Ranger, will present a paper at the meeting of the Herpetologists League April 29-May 4.

The league meeting will be held in El Paso in conjunction with a convention of the Southwestern Division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Jameson, a graduate student and a teaching fellow in zoology, belongs to Lambda Chi Alpha, social fraternity and Phi Sigma, honorary biological fraternity. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jameson.

### Must Be Good Man

NEW YORK, April 9 (UP)—Fearless Fraley's facts and figures: Lou Boudreau, who became baseball's highest priced utility man when he signed with the Boston Red Sox for a salary estimated at from \$40,000 up, thinks he'll be worth that much to the crimson hose if he doesn't play a game.

Boudreau's theory is that just having him on hand will assure the victory.

### An Editorial TO THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS

By Darrell F. Holmes, Jr.

You are going to pay more and higher taxes than ever before as a result of the underhanded work of "Honest Harold" Ickes, President Truman, Tom Clark, and the Supreme Court of the United States, in the robbery of the Tidelands of Texas.

For sometime Texas and other southern newspapers have carried stories of how the submerged oil lands of Texas were literally stolen from this state and her people by the unjust power of Federal Courts.

Two days ago, this writer had the extreme pleasure of talking with State Land Commissioner Bascom Giles, who was in Ranger for the "Boyce House Day" celebration. Mr. Giles apparently shares the views of this writer on the Tidelands situation.

Mr. Giles pointed out that the people apparently don't realize what has taken place. He said:

"The people must come to realize that the Tidelands are now lost and that it will take Congressional action to get back for the state of Texas and her permanent school fund the interest which it once held in it's land. We must have offensive Congressional action."

It is going to take concerted militant action on the part of the people of Texas to recover her Tidelands. Everyone from the biggest state official to the man who digs the ditches, must get in this fight. It is your fight. Taking the Tidelands was a move which could have deprived your children of ample education.

But the people of Texas will not neglect the education of their young. Therefore we must pay more and higher taxes to replace the money taken from the school fund by the power mad Administration in Washington. The people of Texas must become aroused if they expect to regain ownership or even a small portion of the interest they rightfully own and once held in their Tidelands.

Texas has the full claim that any other state has to her submerged lands and in addition holds and "agreement of annexation". This agreement had the effect of a treaty and was a document of a "meeting of the minds of the people of two separate independent nations". Texas joined the union under the condition that she retain all tidelands.

For years this was not questioned and all money derived from these lands and the oil leases of these lands were put in a school fund. Therefore Texas has always paid smaller school taxes than any other state. She has been able to have more state supported schools and to educate more of her youth.

The Federal Government envied those lands for many years but always before knew that a treaty signed by representatives of the United States should not be broken. With the Truman administration came the "Big Grab" of a power mad Federal Government who didn't claim any right or show any right to the lands. They just took a Federal Court order and took them over.

The value of the principal involved herein is something which we must fight for. However we must not overlook the present value as the potential value which is estimated billions and billions of dollars. It must be kept foremost in the minds of the people that these lands were theirs. By owning these lands they paid less taxes. Now because of the loss of these lands taxes will definitely increase. We MUST do this to provide our children with education which the revenues from the Tidelands would have otherwise done.

The taking of the Tidelands by the Federal Government constitutes a threat and endangers the inland waters as well as other public properties such as the University of Texas lands, those of the Texas A & M College, and . . . yes . . . even your private home and other property.

Texas had over 18 million acres in the Tidelands and had collected some eight million dollars from this area. Yet, only one-sixty-fourths of the area had been offered for lease. From these figures the emense value of this property can be visualized. You can see what this means to you and to your state. The loss of this revenue will have to be made up by you as a tax payer. YOU ARE GOING TO PAY MORE TAXES.

Commissioner Giles compared the money which the Tidelands had brought in during his administration and showed where the permanent school fund had grown from 56 to 160 million dollars in a 12 year period from the Texas-ownership of her Tidelands. The University of Texas and A & M fund grew into 110 million dollars from the 27 million it was twelve years ago. Had Texas been allowed to keep her Tidelands there is no telling what we would be worth today.

Mr. Giles stated that he has "Profusional praise for the splendid work done by Texas members of Congress on this Tideland issue." He singled out Senators Johnson and Connally, Speaker Rayburn, and Congressman Fisher, as some of the men he believed would continue to fight for Texas in her crusade to regain her rightful property.

He has urged the public to continually write to friends, congressmen, and voters in other states to stress the importance of this matter. What has happened here could happen in Georgia, Virginia, Mississippi, or anywhere else. But next time it may be your farm or your automobile may be needed by the Federal Government. Lets not take this lying down. ACT!

### Singing Festival Gets Underway Saturday Night

The Eastland County Singing Convention annual festival is to begin Saturday at the high school auditorium.

Many well known quartets and singers from over the state will be present for the festival which will last through Sunday. A basket lunch will be held on the grounds Sunday. Everyone is invited to bring their own lunch and join the group on the grounds. A large crowd is expected for the affair.

### THE WEATHER

By United Press

EAST TEXAS—Fair this afternoon and tonight, a little cooler east portion tonight. Sunday fair, warmer in northwest portion in afternoon. Moderate northerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS—Fair this afternoon, tonight and Sunday. Warmer Sunday afternoon, except in Del Rio-Eagle Pass area.

Max. 73—Min. 42—Saturday's rain .36.

### RAPIST GOES TO NUT HOUSE

DALLAS, April 7 (UP)—Fred Felix Adair, mild-mannered "love burglar" whose sex attacks terrorized Dallas women for eight months, was found insane last night, only three weeks before his scheduled execution.

The handsome, 26-year-old Navy veteran was committed to a state institution for the rest of his life unless cured of insanity.

In that event he will be returned to the death house, at the state prison, a place he occupied for several months while his attorneys fought his death sentence first, on appeal then on grounds of insanity.

Last night's District Court Jury deliberated little more than an hour before reaching the insanity verdict on their second ballot. Another jury had ended in deadlock causing Adair's execution date to be moved back one month from March 29.

Adair was charged with nearly a dozen sex attacks and burglaries during his reign of terror.

He was only tried, though, for raping an attractive suburban housewife at her home as her two tiny children looked on in terror.

Adair maintained a completely indifferent attitude throughout both hearings, dozing in his chair most of the time. When last night's verdict was read he leaped from his chair and hugged his pert blonde wife who was at his side through the original trial and two sanity hearings.

Mrs. Adair cried with joy as the verdict was read.

Adair, father of a three-year-old girl, was arrested on Thanksgiving day, 1949, and that day confessed he and the much-sought "love burglar."

During his trial, Adair claimed the confession was prompted by police brutality and denied the assault.

His attorneys filed an insanity plea when a state court of Criminal Appeals upheld the original death sentence.

Among defense witnesses were two osteopaths—Donald Hazzard and John Drew—who examined Adair in the death house. They testified he was insane. State's witnesses said Adair was a schizophrenic but believed he knew right from wrong, the local test for insanity in Texas.

### Sgt. R. L. Collins Gets Good Conduct Air Force Award

Technical Sergeant Robert L. Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collins, Carbon, Texas, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal at Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas, (San Angelo, Tex.).

The award was made to T-Sgt. Collins for having conducted himself with exemplary behavior, efficiency and fidelity during the period of March 4, 1948 to March 3, 1951.

He has been stationed at Goodfellow Air Force Base, where he is steward at the Cadet Club, since April 25, 1949.

### Truman Ties MacArthur's Hands Assuring No End To 'Truman's War'

By Donald J. Gonzales United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON, April 7 (UP)—Official pressure built up today for President Truman to crack down on Gen. Douglas MacArthur's complaint against U. S. policy conduct of the Korean War.

But some influential Republican senators took the view that the administration was guilty of mishandling of policy. Several Republicans said they might introduce a resolution in the senate next week asking MacArthur to appear before Congress. Sen. Homer Ferguson, R. Mich., hinted it might be better for a senate delegation to meet with MacArthur in Tokyo.

Authoritative sources reported that the Washington-MacArthur difficulties have cast a chill over allies fighting in Korea. Fear was expressed that recurring incidents would prompt more trouble between the Allies.

The White House yesterday rebuffed MacArthur on his views that a Chinese Nationalist force should be used in the Far Eastern theatre. White House press secretary Joseph Short said there had been no change—and prob-

### Crowds Turn Out To Greet The Former Editor Of Local Paper

"Boyce House Day" was proclaimed a success today by Ranger Mayor Price Crawley who said that yesterday's Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored affair was well attended as Ranger turned out to honor Boyce House, noted Texas author and humorist.

House's latest literary achievement "Roaring Ranger" was introduced to the reading public. The book was written about the Ranger Oil Boom. House was editor of this newspaper following the rush of the boom.

### BULLETIN

A. N. Larson has announced that a very important meeting will be held at the club house of the Ranger Country Club, Tuesday, April 10. All members are urged to attend.

### Rates Good Spanking Not Safe Driver

HOUSTON, April 7 (UP)—Three-year-old Jackie Owens wouldn't qualify as a safe driver today, but he probably did qualify for a big spanking.

He accompanied his mother, Mrs. Robert L. Owens, to visit friends yesterday afternoon.

While she was inside, young Jackie climbed in the family's 1946 Oldsmobile, parked in front of the friend's home.

Accident investigator T. L. Parker said Jackie evidently switched on the ignition and pressed the starter button. The car, which was hydraulic drive, must have been in reverse gear.

The automobile started backing up, the officer said, veered across the street, jumped the curb and plowed over the lawn with increasing speed.

With a splintering crash, the car framed itself in the front picture window of the George H. Shine home. Police said the car thrust its rear end five feet inside the living room, facing the fireplace, before it stopped.

Young Jackie then crawled out unhurt.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Shine were away from home. Shine, notified of the accident at work, returned home where he estimated his damage at least \$500.

### Former Eastland Minister Dies

Rev. G. W. Parks, 84, former Baptist minister in Eastland, died Friday at his home in Roscoe.

Rev. Parks had held pastorates in a wide area of West Texas including Staff, Clyde, Gorman, Carbon and Eastland. He was pastor of the First Baptist Church of Roscoe 11 years and retired at the age of 80 while pastor of the Hermligh church.

The Texas Baptist Convention once named Rev. Parks as the outstanding rural minister of Texas. He had been ill for some time and was confined to his bed for the last four months.

Funeral services had not been completed Friday night.

Survivors include his widow; three sons, John of Abilene; Herman of Dallas and George of Roscoe; four daughters, Mrs. A. I. Skiles of Georgetown, Ky., Mrs. Ora Parker of Kingsville; Mrs. L. B. Dawson of Corpus Christi and Mrs. H. G. Griffith of Atlanta, Ga.

ably wouldn't be—in U. S. policy to keep Nationalist troops on guard on Formosa.

No one in official quarters would go so far as to say that President Truman is angry enough with MacArthur to replace him as UN commander-in-chief. But Truman last Aug. 28 ordered MacArthur to withdraw his policy statement on Formosa, and he might take similar action again to silence the general's criticism.

Administration insiders were convinced that some action would have to be taken to clear up the confusion over what the next move should be in the political arena of the Korean War. Britain and the United States already have failed to agree on a policy declaration—a situation which officials trace to MacArthur's statements.

The general yesterday blamed "political decisions beyond my authority" for failure the United States to provide arms for 400,000 unarmed South Korean reserves. MacArthur made the comment in response to a query from the magazine, Freeman, in New York.

A cute, high stepping, majorette named Cynthia Hull almost stole the show as the well directed Ranger High School Band struck a heavy pace at the railway station where local dignitaries and other friends of House were on hand to greet him. House and book publisher Joe Naylor were tendered a continuous ovation. The impressive band led the parade to the Gholson Hotel where a gigantic noon banquet honored House.

Ralph Wagner gave an unusually good report on the book, "Roaring Ranger." The world's biggest boom during the banquet. A number of persons marveled at his report and Bascom Giles, Texas Land Commissioner stated to this reporter that if he ever "Did anything that was so good that the people should know about it, I'd want that boy to give the report on it."

In the afternoon, the Arcadia Theatre was packed as House spoke briefly on "the world's greatest boom", in which he related how Ranger ignited the greatest oil development in the West.

House, local officials, and visitors later made a tour of the new Jackson Oil Pool. The day's festivities were climaxed with a dance at the Ranger Country Club.

The 36-piece Ranger High School Band was directed by R. R. Gans. He is to be commended on his fine work. The playing and parading of the band was extra special.

The official welcoming committee at the station was composed of a number of city officials and businessmen who included Allen Full, president of the Ranger Junior Chamber of Commerce, C. E. May, past president; Price Crawley, mayor; W. C. Pounds, Ranger Chief of Police; Brann Garner, "the picture show man"; Lt. H. L. Bunkley with members of the 49th Armored Battery; Rip Galloway, C. C. manager; J. E. Temple Peters, Cisco; Hall Walker, banker; W. J. Barnes, and Gilvie Hubbard, both of Houston, and Bascom Giles, Texas Land Commissioner.

The noon banquet was attended by about 140 persons. Allen Full was master of ceremonies. The Rev. Jack Dunlap, Baptist minister, delivered the invocation.

Other guests who spoke or were introduced included: House, Giles, W. J. Byron, Hubbard, Mrs. John Gholson, Mrs. S. Bradford, Brann Garner, and Hall Walker. A. N. Larson, Senior Chamber of Commerce President paid tribute to Boyce House in saying, "Boyce House has done more for Ranger and Texas than any other man." Every club and organization in town was represented at the luncheon.

Bascom Giles stated "Ranger should be proud of one of her most prominent sons Boyce House. He has many and varied accomplishments. One of the outstanding qualities of Boyce is his ability to make and prove a personal friend. It is my best judgment that Boyce has as broad and personal friendship as any man in Texas including public officials. He has traveled the state and made as many speeches and probably has as thorough knowledge of the state as any official. I have certainly enjoyed my stay here and wish to single out the Jaycees on their fine program for the day. I predict that "Roaring Ranger" will sell and prove as interesting as have numerous other books by Boyce House."

The schools turned out to allow the students to pack the Arcadia Theatre for the afternoon book review by Boyce House. Everyone seemed agreed that House has done a great deal for Ranger and Texas.

### Thugs Don't Take Peanuts

DALLAS, April 7 (UP)—Thugs prised open the back door of the Lone Star Peanut Company office today, knocked the knob on a safe and escaped with the company's weekly payroll.

Beant company officials said the loot amounted to some \$1,600 all in cash. That, they said, was not peanuts.

"ROCKET AHEAD" With Oldsmobile DeSoto Motor Company, Eastland

WASHINGTON COLUMN

Secret Service's Zeal Almost Ruins U. S.-French Relations

BY PETER EDSON  
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON—(NEA)—The U. S. Secret Service came darn near wrecking the night of the Washington visit of French President Vincent Auriol to boot. It happened at the big chateau which is the French Embassy. President Auriol gave a dinner there, in honor of President Truman.

The dinner was for 30 invited Supreme Court justices, senators and other bigwigs in the U. S. government and their wives. For afterwards, the French invited a some 1500 smaller fry. They were supposed to come at 10:30 p. m. But the Secret Service, whose job it is to protect the life of the U. S. President and the French President, too, when he's on U. S. soil, would not let any of the 1500 in until Mr. Truman and family had gone home. And they were having such a good time that they stayed late, shaking the hands of some 600 people. So, until pretty near midnight, 5000 of Washington's supposedly best people, all dolled up in white ties, tails and their best evening gowns, stood in line outside and waited to get in. Comparison to a line before a soup kitchen would be apt, if the folks hadn't been dressed up so fancy and if the free food hadn't been French pastry and champagne.

The line extended all the way down the walk along the wide, curving driveway that led to the embassy and on for another block to Connecticut Ave. Oh my! the thoughts they think and the things they said! Traffic was jammed for blocks.

THERE were a lot of diplomats from other embassies in the line, some-pipe halted, and with ribbons across their chests and medals on their lapels. They shook their heads and said seriously that this was no way to promote friendly relations between nations.

Madam Pandit, the Indian ambassador, finally gave up in disgust and started home. The line behind her moved up one step. Later she was back, however, for the word spread that diplomats—the top diplomats and their families, that is—could be admitted. So they pulled their rank and pulled out of line and crashed the gate. Nobody cheered.

Fortunately, it was a nice night. A few well-placed stars, low white fleecy clouds, magnolia trees just busting into bloom, a magnificent big silver birch silhouetted against the night sky, the bright lights from inside shining a welcome to the little batch of girls and boys in line outside. But if it had rained a few drops, you might just as well have written the North Atlantic Treaty Organization off as a bust and let the Communists have Europe.

BUT at least 1450 of the 1500 stuck it out. "This proves," as one wag remarked, "how much we really love France."

There were a few dozen curious sightseers in nice warm spectator sports coats, lined up on the other side of the street, laughing at the folk in the slow-motion conga line. Later they started roiling around the embassy lawn for closer look-sees. As one group came over the brow of a small rise of greenward, the cry went up, "Here comes the Red Cross!"

About midnight, a loud speaker started blaring out of the night, wailing the birds with, "Car for Vice President Barkley!" "Car No. 666!" And so on. Fortunately, some of those on the inside were going home, to make room for those on the outside.

So at last the line began to move. By 1 a. m., everybody was inside. Auroy was it wonderful and worth waiting for. Vive le President Auriol! Le Foreign Minister Schuman? Magnifique! Vive l'ambassadeur Henri Bonnet. Madame Auriol et Madame Bonnet—Tres belles. Vive les Paris dressmakers and vive le champagne. After a couple, nobody was mad at anybody.

But as for the U. S. Secret Service—

A Peculiar Place in Which to Choose to Live



TOO WARM FOR MINK—Mrs. E. Meri Young, White House stenographer who owns the most famous \$8500 royal pastel mink coat ever to turn up in a Senate investigation, wears a checkered cloth coat for a change as she leaves the White House followed by her husband. Mr. Young figured prominently in a Senate committee's probe of outside "influence" in granting of RFC loans.

TEXAS A&M Offer Summer Training  
COLLEGE STATION, April 7 (Sp)—For the first time in its history outside of the war period, Texas A&M College is offering first year military training during the summer session of 1951. Dr. C. Clement French, dean of the college, announced today.

This work will be available for all freshmen who enter in June 1951, for present freshmen who entered in February, 1951, and for entering transfers from junior colleges whose military course work is less advanced than their academic standing, Dean French said.

"By taking advantage of this opportunity students may advance by one semester their date of graduation and possible reserve commissioning," the dean said. "Texas A&M College, with its long history of training men for service to their country, both in military and civilian fields, recognizes its special obligation in the time of emergency," Dean French pointed out.

"As one of eight colleges in the country classed as a military college by the Department of Defense, it has a special duty to facilitate the production of qualified reserve officers through its ROTC program. Under this plan, supervised and supported by the Department of Defense, a man may take the necessary military work leading to his reserve commission while securing, at the same time, preparation in the field of his future professional activity. Any deferment in his military obligation, which may result for those enrolled in such an ROTC program is entirely under the regulation of selective service and in

Crimson Holiday  
By Jane Holsinger  
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THE STORY: Lavinia Grenable, uncompromising and hateful old hardhearted, has dominated her family for years from a wheel chair. Court, oldest of her two sons, has asked Lisa Farwell to be his bride. Lisa's father, Henry Farwell, opposes the marriage, saying that Lavinia will make Lisa miserable. In her car, thinking out her problem, Lisa is startled by Angus Kent, who became lost while hunting for the home of Tim Ellsworth. Lisa offers Angus a lift, but as they start past the Grenable place, they see Lavinia Grenable in her wheel chair roll off a terrace and into a ravine. Lisa rushes to the scene with Angus. Then Lisa sees her father on a ridge near the house, and her father hurries away. This was followed by a second strange incident.

WHILE voices clamored from the house and footsteps hurried somewhere near, a lone, motionless figure stood silently in the doorway opening from Lavinia Grenable's den onto the terrace and forever afterward Lisa Farwell thought of that particular spot as the doorway to death.

The man moved then, and Lisa saw with another sense of shock that the man was Court Grenable. "Court, what happened?" she gasped. "I... don't know," Court came out of the shadows, walking like a wooden man, stiffly, almost in a trance.

He didn't appear to recognize her or at least if he did it was unimportant at that moment. He walked slowly past her and Angus Kent, down the terrace and toward the darkening ravine where his mother had disappeared.

She stood there staring down in the pit of silence. There was something in his behavior that was more than strange, it was nearly sinister.

Lisa felt as if she were being drawn back from another world when she felt Angus put his hand on her arm. He turned her to face him.

Mrs. J. M. Stinnette, et al vs. H. C. Mauldin, et al. Motion of Appellants, Producers Investment Corporation, to submit oral argument at Eastland, Texas, Court of Civil Appeals.

Devine Girl Is Killed In Auto Accident  
NATALIA, April 7 (UP)—Joyce Howard, 16-year-old Devine, high school senior, was killed and three other persons were injured near here last night when their automobile went out of control.

Be One Of The 601  
IN SUNDAY SCHOOL AT THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TODAY!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS  
By Merrill Blosser



VIC FLINT  
By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane



ALLEY OOP  
By V. T. Hamlin



# Society-Clubs

Telephone Your Parties, Socials, Club Reports and Personals To Society Editor—Willena James Call 224 or 41-J After 5 p.m.

## Rev. Lindsey Will Conduct Services Sun.

Regularly scheduled services will be held at the Methodist Church tomorrow, April 8th. Church School will begin promptly at 9:45 with a class for all groups and ages. The attendance has taken a rather sharp incline during the month of March. The Methodists have reaped a great benefit from the slogan "March to Church in March." It should continue throughout April, May, and June. The morning service of worship will begin with the organ prelude at 10:50 a.m. Miss Mildred Balch will be at the organ. The Chancel Choir will sing the anthem: "Lo, a Voice to Heaven" by Bortniansky. The Rev. John Lindsey, Chaplain at Texas Wesleyan College, Ft. Worth will bring both messages for the day. This man preached here a few months ago, and his popularity with our people urged his return on this occasion. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 7:00 o'clock for their evening program. After the regular evening service, they will gather in the basement for a period of fun, food, and fellowship. Mr. and Mrs. Roseco Hopper will direct these youth in folk game activities.

To those who do not have a church home in Ranger, we extend a welcome to worship here with us. You will find the Methodists friendly and cordial.

## No Fair Weather Christians At Services Friday

No "fair weather Christians" were those who hated the heavy rain storm to be on time for the revival services at the First Baptist Church last night. Rain and real revivals seem to go together. With a down pour right at preaching time, cars by the dozens came and unloaded their passengers at the church.

The building was just about filled for the services. The Ranger "Bulldogs" with their coaches were present and many from the Volunteer Fire Department. We are always happy to have special guests with us, the pastor said, and "we are 100 percent for our schools and volunteer fire department."

At the close of the services, six who had previously accepted Christ as their saviour were "buried with Christ in beautiful baptism." There will be another baptismal service Sunday night at the close of the services. There have been over thirty professions of faith this week and last.

Those desiring to be baptized are urged to be present for the special service at 7:15 in the church library.

## Special Sunday School Services

Special Sunday services at the First Baptist Church has created a great interest in the membership of the church as well as in the city. With a goal of 601 for Sunday School, that really comes under the heading of "Special News".

All the departmental superintendents their officers and teachers are hard at work in an effort to really show what can be accomplished when "all the people work together."

C. B. Pruet, Sunday School superintendent is urging all of the enrolled members of the school to be present at 9:00 o'clock. He is also inviting all who do not have a church school to come and bring their family and get started this Lord's Day in Sunday School. The public is invited to attend this special day of services.

### GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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## Look Who's New



Mr. and Mrs. Richie Holman of 4838 Shady Wood Lane in Dallas announce the birth of a baby boy, John Robert Holman, born March 28th. Mrs. Holman is the former Jo Cherry of Ranger, granddaughter of Mrs. John M. Gholson.

## Mrs. Mitchell Urges All Women To Attend Meet

The WMU of the First Baptist Church will meet at Mrs. P. C. Long's residence Monday for a special program. Mrs. Lee Mitchell, president of the WMU, is urging all the women of the church to be present for this program and to enjoy the fellowship at the close of the services.

Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick will review the book, "Community Missions." This book is one of the soul stirring books that challenge the Christian heart to a loyal understanding of the great needs of the under privileged in our cities and homeland today. The ladies from the entire city are given a special invitation to this most important study.

## Training Union Expects Large Attendance Sun.

The Training Union department of the First Baptist Church, under the capable leadership of Walter Arterburn is expecting a high attendance of over 175 at the evening services at 7:00 Sunday night. The Training Union has had a steady growth under the present leadership and there is great interest being manifested in the evening services, according to the pastor. The entire membership of the church along with visitors and friends are urged to be in Training Union at 7:00 Sunday night.

## Mrs. Dupree Will Be Host to Happy Hour Club Tuesday

The Happy Hour Club will meet Tuesday for a covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. C. E. Dupree, 216 Lulu St. All members are asked to remember their "pal gifts." This meeting was previously scheduled to be held in the home of Mrs. Earl Horton but when Mrs. Horton became ill unexpectedly it was changed.

## Eastern Star Meeting Monday

The regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Monday evening at 8:00 p.m. in the Masonic Hall. All officers and members are urged to be present. Visitors are welcome.

## Time Changes: Second Baptist

Rev. Jasper Masseege has announced the following time changes at the Second Baptist Church. The Sunday evening service The Training Union will meet at 7:00 p.m. and the sermon will start at 8:00.

## New Era Club Meeting Wed.

The New Era Club will meet Wednesday at 4:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. W. W. Mitchell. Theme of the program is "Happy Childhood—Adult Strength."

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Neville of Ft. Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Packwood. Mr. and Mrs. Neville are former residents of Ranger.

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## Dr. Morgan To Install Rev. A. Lynn Robbins

Dr. Thurman Morgan, Director of Ministerial Services, Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth will be the guest speaker at the Morning Worship service at the First Christian Church this Sunday, April 8. The purpose of Dr. Morgan's visit to Ranger will be to formally install Rev. A. Lynn Robbins as the pastor of the local church. This service of installation will be included in the morning services at 11:00 a.m.

Dr. Morgan is a well-known Disciple minister of the Texas Christian churches and assumed his new position with Texas Christian University just one year ago. He will be accompanied on his visit to Ranger by his wife and daughter.

A most cordial welcome is extended to the entire community to come to the First Christian church and hear this fine Christian speaker at 11:00 a.m. this Sunday.

## Hospital News

West Texas Hospital Johnny Mac (Corky) Rexroat of Gordon underwent an appendectomy Friday afternoon. His condition is reported as satisfactory.

Mrs. Morris Newnam and daughter, Nancy Kay have been dismissed.

E. E. Reeves of Eastland has been dismissed.

Mrs. G. T. Guess and baby have been dismissed.

Mrs. R. B. Wymer was a medical patient but has been dismissed.

Mrs. A. A. Bowen has been dismissed.

Jimmy Harris of Eastland was dismissed.

Mrs. Doyle Williams of Fort Worth is a medical patient.

## Howard Gholson Has Been Ill

Howard Gholson, son of Mrs. John M. Gholson, has been ill in a Lubbock hospital, but has been returned to his home in Lubbock at 3409 22nd St. Mr. Gholson is employed by the O. P. S.

## Young People Set Social Meeting Mon.

The Young School PTA will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. with Mrs. F. R. King as the principal speaker. The 5th and 6th grades will present the program.

All members are urged to be present.

## He's Good For Another 20 Years

N. P. Young of Rt. 3, Gorman celebrated his ninety third birthday April 6th and declared that he was "feeling fine."

Those attending the celebration from Ranger were his daughter, Mrs. N. R. Box, his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dewitt Young, two granddaughters and their son, Mrs. Don Smithers and Donnie and Mrs. Weldon Crawford and Weldon Dwaine.

## Mrs. Arterburn Undergoes Major Surgery In N. M.

Mrs. E. F. Arterburn, D. C. Arterburn, Mrs. A. F. Stephens and daughter, Arline are in Albuquerque, New Mexico at the bedside of Mrs. E. L. Arterburn who underwent major surgery, Friday morning. E. F. Arterburn received a telephone call early Saturday morning in which it was reported that Mrs. Arterburn was doing "as well as could be expected."

## W.S.C.S. Begins Mission Study

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church will meet at 3:30 Monday with Mrs. Lowell Rainwater directing the Mission Study. This study will come under the Christian Social Relations chairman, Mrs. A. W. Brazda.

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## Several Guests In Perkins Home

Mrs. J. T. Windham and son, Ricky, and Miss Ann Boyd of Sweetwater, spent Thursday night in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ralph E. Perkins and family. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burden, Max and Suzanne; Mr. and Mrs. K. B. McClure, R. B. and Mary Ann of Hico were Friday night guests in the home. Mrs. E. D. Dunlap of Waco arrived Friday but returned to her home Saturday at noon.

## Sermon Topics: Church of Christ

You are invited to hear the following sermons at the Church of Christ: Morning: "By Their fruits Ye Shall Know Them."

Evening: "A Child, Its Birth, Growth and Development."

We extend to you a cordial invitation to attend all services. Miss Donna Sue McGee of Odessa is visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. McGee.

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## NEWS FROM OLDEN

Mrs. Kathy Landrath of Abilene has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. A. Norton, and father, Mr. Baakum Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Vaughn and son, of Ft. Worth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wharton, Saturday. Mrs. Wharton accompanied them to Graham Sunday to visit Mr. Vaughn's mother.

Mrs. C. J. Renfro received minor burns on her hand and arm last week.

Mrs. Carl Butler of El Dorado was in Olden on business last week.

The junior boys and girls won second place in the district volleyball tournament at Cross Plains, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parack of Eastland were visitors at the Church of Christ, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sulpiver attended church at Necessity, Sunday morning and a singing convention Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Willoughby and daughters, of Dallas, visited her mother, Mrs. Nettie Ferguson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulbright of Abilene were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Langdon visited relatives in Millsap over the weekend.

Mrs. Joe Crawford and Jody, returned to their home in Kansas last week.

Mrs. Nettie Ferguson visited her sister-in-law in Cisco, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hunt visited their children in Odessa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blackwell of Fort Hood visited his sister, Mrs. Capps, last week.

Mrs. Dick Yielding and Mrs. Gordon Woods visited in Electra last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lawrence visited their daughter-in-law in Galveston over the weekend.

Miss Mollie Green of Grayford is visiting Miss Eunice Hamilton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Holoday and family have returned to their home in Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Osleene Hogan visited one of Mr. Hogan's friends, Sunday in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawrence and family, visited in Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. U. Norton of Coleman visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding last Friday night and Saturday.



**PIPING HOT NEWS**—Here's a picture of the first practical miniature bagpipe ever made, now in mass production by a Newark, N. J., firm. It's about one-quarter the size of the Scottish instrument, and weighs only nine ounces, being made entirely of plastics. It works just like a real bagpipe, says the maker, who did not say how its music(?) compares with that of the Scottish instrument.

## Okla. College Makes Move

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 7 (UP)—Oklahoma A&M College professors who sign a non-Communist oath "grudgingly" will be fired along with those who refuse outright, a member of the College Board of Regents has said.

Board member R. T. Stuart said he has "talked to other members of the board and we have agreed on this policy."

State Rep. Bill Shibley, author of a bill to require all public employees in Oklahoma to sign such an oath, reported receiving letters from three Oklahoma A&M professors protesting the measure.

Shibley said he turned letters over to the FBI and sent copies to Stuart, but Stuart said today he had not received them.

"All we've had is rumors of protests," Stuart said, "but I'll tell you this, no teacher with Communist tendencies has any business teaching our youth. They ought to be proud to take the oath."

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## Balance Sheet Of War News

By HARRY FERGUSON  
United Press Foreign News Editor  
Balance sheet for the week between good and bad news in the hot and cold war

### GOOD NEWS

1. The United Nations advance continues in Korea. Allied troops are across the 38th Parallel in some force and have not yet encountered a major enemy strong point. There are some signs that the pressure and the probing of Allied armored patrols is delaying the start of the Communist Spring Offensive. The Red Army is being kept off balance.

2. France which seemed reluctant at first to participate in the defense of western Europe, appeared to be firmly in the Allied camp. President Vincent Auriol of France concluded an official visit to the United States during which he left no doubt that his nation would exert a maximum effort. In Paris it was announced that volunteers would be sought for a French Unit in Korea.

3. The major part of the debate over sending U.S. troops to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's Western European Army was over. The Senate approved the plan to send four American divisions, which will make a total of six in Europe, and invited the house of concurred. It is the first time in the nation's history that ground forces have been committed to an international Army in peace time.

### BAD NEWS

1. The Communist Armies in Korea are getting increasing support. Jet fighter planes have challenged the U.S. Air Force several times in the last 10 days, ending a period when out pilots commanded the skies unopposed. British Intelligence experts had a report that Russia had turned over 3,000 planes to the Chinese Communist for use in their spring offensive.

2. There is a feeling in administration circles in Washington that the nation has become complacent because of the favorable turn the fighting has taken in Korea. President Truman and House Speaker Sam Rayburn warned that America faced grave dangers and Rayburn hinted that Russia was about to take a more active part in the Korean fighting.

3. The area of agreement between Gen. Douglas MacArthur and civilian authorities on how to conduct the Korean War appears to grow smaller by the day. MacArthur was quoted this week as believing that "politicians have encroached on the realm of the soldier." Many U.N. delegates take the position MacArthur already has all the authority he needs to conduct current operations.

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### No Reason To Stay

MEXICO CITY, April 7 (UP)—Gen. Harry H. Johnson resigned as head of the U. S. Mexican campaign against foot and mouth disease today because "my services are no longer needed."  
He said the \$125,000,000 program to wipe out the cattle disease "is licked in Mexico."

### "TITLE" GIRL

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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Walter Arterburn, Training Union Director  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Choir practice ..... 6:45 p.m.  
Sunday School council 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer meeting ..... 8:00 p.m.

**SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Jasper Masague, Pastor  
Regular schedule of services)  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 A. M.  
Training Union ..... 7:00 P. M.  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00 P. M.  
Prayer Service ..... 8:15 P. M.  
A Welcome To All

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
417 Elm St.  
Garland T. Lavender, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:55 A. M.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p. m.

**ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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Mass every Sunday ..... 8:00 A. M.  
Evening Service ..... 7:30 P. M.

**ROCKY POINT PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
Rev. B. E. Diffie, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Service ..... 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Service ..... 8:00 P. M.  
Tuesday night Prayer Meeting ..... 8:00 P. M.  
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Evangelistic Service ..... 7:15 P. M.  
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Evangelist Service ..... 7:30 P. M.  
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 P. M.  
Y. P. E. Friday ..... 7:30 P. M.

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**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
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Rev. M. P. Elder  
Vesper Services ..... 4:00 p. m.



## In Daddy's Tracks



Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that family and will be shown with benedictions that democracy. In the church the ministerial and a stronger give character. Statesmen today declare that the church in these perilous times. Then we wish 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 the good. Be a regular CHURCH-GOER and a daily BIBLE READER.

There they are! We were so busy at the task of the moment that we forgot we were leaving our footprints. Every step we take leaves its mark. Eager young minds see them so clearly even when we have not noticed them ourselves. Why not let your steps lead them to church!

Ask the average boy what he expects to do to make a living. His first impulse is to do just what his father has been doing. That is somewhat modified today, when so many new opportunities are offered, to which parents are directing the attention of the growing boy. But it is surprising how many farmers' boys return to the farm, how many preachers' sons go into the ministry, and how many bankers' sons carry on in the place of their dads. Your son will follow you to church too.

Listen to the speech of your neighbor; the words he uses, his characteristic expressions, the very inflection of his voice. Then ask his son to talk about some matters in which he is interested. He is following in Daddy's tracks, even to the tone of his speech.

How important then that we walk ahead of these growing children with our feet turned in the right direction, along the best paths! Do we want our girls and boys to be interested in community welfare? Then let them follow us to the meetings where community-minded women and men are giving their best thought to helping build a good society. Do we want them to be faithful worshippers of the Living God? Then let them sit with us in the place of worship. Whether we wish it or not our children are walking "in Daddy's Tracks," just as you and I walk where our fathers walked.

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Preaching and Communion ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Young People and Men's Training Class ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Preaching ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Ladies' Bible Class, Wednesday ..... 2:00 p.m.  
Mid-week Service Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF NAZARENE**  
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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.  
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Preaching ..... 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Service ..... 7:30 p. m.  
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Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening ..... 8 p.m.

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## NEWS FROM Desdemona

Major Keith is a patient in a Gorman hospital.

Mr. W. H. Davis is a patient in a Stephenville hospital.

Matt Davis, Sr., has been a patient in a Gorman hospital.

Cagie Keith and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clements of Wright City, Texas are visiting with their father, M. J. Keith, who is ill in a Gorman hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parks of Premont visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parks, recently.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tickner visited their granddaughter, Mrs. Ray Irving in Ft. Worth and visited their daughters Mrs. Miles T. Clayton and Mrs. Baymon Warren while there.

Mr. Lem Kieth of School Hill attended services at the Methodist Church, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Tickner visited W. H. Davis in the Stephenville hospital, Friday.

### Be One Of The 601

IN SUNDAY SCHOOL AT THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TODAY!

## PLUG 'N TRIGGER

By J. FRED EDER

United Press Outdoors Consultant  
Experienced anglers everywhere know what is the best fishing weather in their particular area and know that under certain wind conditions the fishing is good or bad just as it is under certain water temperatures, water levels, etc.

In recent years more and more anglers have derived great pleasure in "booking their best fishing minutes" months in advance by the use of one of the many tables being sold for that purpose.

Some folks have been outspoken in their praise of these pre-determined fishing guides or tables.

We've wondered about these fortune telling tables for a long time—whether or not they are any more than just an interesting experiment we don't know.

Probably no one will ever know until someone discovers whether or not Mr. Bass has been consulted and understands fully that he is supposed to bite more voraciously at a certain hour on a certain day.

One thing is certain, these tables cannot forecast fishing weather conditions in advance in any certain locality.

To us, the barometer is the only accurate means of forecasting, effectively, good fishing conditions. Barometer fishing is scientific and definitely has been proven accurate and reliable. Try it on a rising barometer and see for yourself.

Incidentally, barometer can grow fish by the acre of water just as they grow beef by the acre on grassland.

At least, that is the opinion of R. E. Callender, an extension specialist in wildlife conservation at Texas A&M College.

According to Callender, from 300 to 500 pounds of fish to the acre have been produced annually in well-managed fish ponds. He adds that many more than 100,000 farm and ranch ponds in Texas—usually maintained primarily for stock water—are suitable for growing fish.

Callender points out that an acre of water has a "carrying capacity" just as an acre of grazing land. The amount of food produced in the water will depend upon the fertility of the land over which the water flows. Fertile land means a fertile pond of water.

Callender has a detailed plan for fertilizing fish ponds. It is available at all county agents' offices.

He warns, however, that a fertilization program should be completed before extremely hot weather arrives. A heavy application of fertilizer late in the season may cause the fish to suffer.

case.

The duck hunter should be a much happier nintrod this fall.

The 1951 annual inventory of North America's migratory waterfowl revealed an upward trend sufficient to about offset the decline reported in a similar inventory a year ago.

Barring unforeseen circumstances unfavorable to a good harvest in the nesting ground, more ducks should be available for hunters next season.

## Buckey Harris May Surprise American League

By LEO H. PETERSEN

United Press Sports Editor  
NEW YORK, April 7 (UP)—Buck Harris believes he may have another surprise in store for the American League.

He fooled them all last season when he brought the Washington Senators, generally assigned to the cellar in the pre-season ratings, home fifth.

He isn't thinking in terms of any pennant, but he said today: "We could easily fool them again. This is not a bad ball club and it's going to get better."

He feels there should be "a congressional investigation" if the Red Sox do not win the pennant and what the Yankees, Tigers and Indians have to be favored for first division berths.

"But if any one of them should stub their toe, we could slip into the first division," the plain and frank talking Harris said.

There will be few changes from the team he fielded at the end of last season, but one reason he looks for "considerable improvement" is the fact that he will have the services of pitchers Bob Kuzava and Gene Bearden, first baseman Mickey Vernon and second baseman Cass Michaels for the full season. Last year he didn't have Kuzava and Michaels until May 30, Vernon until June 14 and Bearden until August 2.

Kuzava (9-10) and Bearden (4-8) will be regular starters along with Sid Hudson (14-14), Sandalio Consuegra (7-8) and Conrado Marrero (6-10).

Mickey Harris (5-9) will be the No. 1 relief man with Joe Hayges (7-5); Floyd Ross (0-1); Albert Sima (4-5) Julio Moreno (1-1) and rookie Ed Davis, a 10-game winner at Charlotte last season, rounding out the staff.

Harris also would like to add an experienced catcher-like Fernin Guerra of the Red Sox. He almost had him once, but at the last minute the athletics called off the deal and sent him to the Red Sox instead.



GOOD NIGHT! THREE IRENES! — Sorting her new 'triple' nighties is quite a problem for two-year-old Bonnie Joy Tunstret, of Racine, Wis., and her sister, Connie Jean, 4. The trio—named Jean Irene, Jane Irene and Jean Irene—makes a total of seven girls in the Henry Tunstret family.

## Investigation Is Wanted In Morrow Case

AUSTIN, April 6 (UP)—The Texas Interscholastic League today asked the Southwest Basketball Officials' Association to investigate the "Johnny Morrow Case" and report its findings to the league.

Dr. Rhea Williams, league athletic director, announced yesterday that the TI's Executive Committee had exonerated Waxahachie Coach Hal L. Curry in connection with a game fight involving Morrow.

Williams said the incident occurred following a late-season basketball game between Waxahachie and Waco at which Morrow was officiating.

The TI's announcement said that "on the basis of facts available, Waxahachie officials were exonerated of charges" growing out of the fracas. Morrow was not present at the executive committee hearing.

Sherry Robertson and the veteran Mike McCormick, who is reaching the end of the baseball trial, will be first and Eddie Yost at third are the only infielders sure of their jobs. Gene Verblie, up from Atlanta where he hit only .279, is battling for one of the keystone jobs and may beat Sam Dante out of the shortstop post or Michaels out of the second base job.

"Verblie definitely will stay with us even if he does not win a regular job," Harris said. The rookie is a good glove man and a peppery pitcher of the Eddie Stanky type.

A Cuban, Guillermo Miranda another good glove man but weak hitter, will be the sixth infielder.

MILLIONAIRE CAT  
Most talked of film of many years is "Rhubarb," the hilarious story about an alley cat bequeathed ownership of a major league baseball team plus \$30,000,000. Ray Milland and Jan Sterling star in the opus with 34 cats.

## Man Gets A Job

DALLAS, April 7 (UP)—Lee E. Davis, of Dallas, has been appointed director of the consumer goods division, regional office of Price Stabilization, Regional Director Alfred L. Seeve said today.

Davis will administer price regulations on wearing apparel, furniture, household appliances, office and professional equipment and other items for Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

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