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Some folks can fib
With such agility
Their big asset's
A lie ability.

Today's guest star, J. Corbett, contributes to the program, whose content today is a most appropriate topic — "Bright Lights."

Have you ever met a fellow on the H-Way at night. With his lights all burning with blinding glare; So that you could not tell which were the left or the right, And he seemed to think that all was well and fair.

One thing this fellow does not know, As he hurries along with dazzling glare; His enter-elf is all aglow, To those that are passing him there.

They see the black shadows where he dwells, And know the entwining secrets of his veils; For he inhabits the webbing darkness of selfish wells, He can't exist in the soft mellow flood lights above.

People usually refer to him as a hog, As he dashes to and fro with a glow squirm; Others speak of him more politely as a mole, Let's not be too hard on the fellow, Just call him a worm.

REFLECTIONS
The lower lights he burns when you meet.

Girl's Father: "Young man we turn the lights off around here at 10:30. That's okay, sir. We won't be reading."

Here's a question from the walking meat shortage: What guys and gals in our audience are planning to attend the World Series up in New York City beginning on Sept. 30? We'd like to find out and pass the names of these lucky, lucky fans on to our readers. The U. S. diamond classic opens Sept. 30 in the American League Park with the first two games to be untelevised there and the next two in the N.Y. park. The last two daily, if necessary, will be played back in the AL plant. The gal can't help it if she's ugly. Her mother was frightened by her father. An election may be called over in Cisco soon on whether or not citizens of that Eastland County city want to purchase the Cisco Gas Corporation and other Hickok properties in that area at a price of \$150,000. Offer was made by Lester Clark of Breckenridge, owner of the Ilex Company. Mayor G. C. Rosenthal and Cisco City Commission plan to order city election and "let the people decide the question."

The Gorman Panthers opened District 13-B play with a 26 to 12 victory Friday night over the Carbon Wolverines at Gorman. The Panthers struck twice in the first quarter, with Max Pierce going six yards after a drive from Carbon's 32-yard line where Gorman recovered a Wolverine fumble. Later in the same period Fred Welch skirted end for 15 yards. Gorman converted after each on line plunges. Gorman's third tally was in the second, following an 85-yard drive with Welch getting the last 45 yards on a scamper through the line. Carbon got its first score in the second when Harold Hendricks took a pass from Jimmy Mangrum on Gorman's 40 and raced 60 yards to paydirt. Carbon got its second touchdown in the fourth and Harold Hendrick returning a punt 65 yards for six points. Gorman's final touchdown was made by Jim Self on an end run from 10 yards out.

A young wife was sobbing over the details of a biting quarrel she had had with her husband. "And he's left the house!"

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Bulldogs Topple C-City 28-27!

Ex-RJC President Dies Friday— DR. GROVER C. BOSWELL WILL BE BURIED AT AUSTIN SUNDAY



DR. G. C. BOSWELL
Widely Known Educator
Dies Friday in Austin of
Heart Attack

Funeral services for Dr. Grover C. Boswell, 64-year-old former resident of Ranger and ex-president of Ranger Junior College, will be held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the University Methodist church at Austin.

Rev. Edward Heinsohn, pastor of the church, will officiate and interment will be in Austin Memorial Park Cemetery under direction of Weed-Corley Funeral Home of Austin.

Dr. Boswell, who moved to Austin from Ranger early this year after resigning his post as president of Ranger Junior College, was stricken with a fatal heart attack at noon Friday. He died in an Austin hospital at 5 p.m.

Dr. Boswell was a supervisor in the veterans land department of the Texas Land Office in the state capital. He assumed his duties there in January after having submitted his resignation to the Board of Regents of Ranger Junior College in December.

Dr. Boswell came to Ranger 12 years ago from Weatherford College. He had been president of that educational institution after having served as dean of McMurry College in Abilene. He served as superintendent of the Ranger Public Schools and later devoted his full time to Ranger Junior College as its president.

Dr. Boswell's long educational career in the administrative field was begun at Megargel where he served as superintendent. He later was superintendent of schools at Ringo, Baird and McLean, prior to entering the collegiate field.

During his short residence in Austin, Dr. Boswell was a steward in the University Methodist church. He also was a member of Austin Shrine, Scottish Rite, Masonic, Oddfellows, Knights of Pythias, and Rotary clubs.

A life-long member of the Methodist church, Dr. Boswell was a steward in that church for 27 years. He was in educational work for 45 years.

He received a bachelor of arts degree from East Texas State College, Commerce; a master's degree from Simmons University (now Hardin - Simmons), an LL.D. degree from Texas Wesleyan College, Ft. Worth; and attended the University of Texas, Southern Methodist University, Southwest Texas State College in San Marcos, and Trinity University in San Antonio.

Other positions he held included: president of the Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club in Weatherford; president of the Ranger Rotary Club; past governor of the Rotarians; a life member of the Texas State Teachers Association, past president of Texas Junior College Athletic Association; former regent of Texas Southern University; past director of Texas Interscholastic League, and a member of the West Texas State Historical Association and the Texas State Historical Association.

His widow, the former Mary Murriel, is a daughter of the late Rev. W. M. Murriel, who was an Abilene Methodist minister and district superintendent of the Methodist church.

Survivors include the wife, of 1808 Forrest Trail, Austin; two daughters, Genevieve, and Mrs. Joe Frantz Jr., of Austin; one son, James Monroe Boswell of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Ray Hutchings of Olney and Mrs. Claude Sims of Jean (Young County), and one brother, Ernest Boswell, of Jean.

SCOREBOARD

District 7A
RANGER 28, Colorado City 27
EASTLAND 7, Cisco 0
Comanche 47, DeLEON 7
Early 6, BANGS 0
May 15, RISING STAR 7
DUBLIN 12, Hamilton 12 (tie)
JUNCTION 7, SANTA ANNA 0
WYLIE 25, South Taylor 13
District 13-B
STRAWN 19, Hico 13
GORMAN 26, CARBON 12
GOLDTHWAITE 46, BAIRD 6
CLYDE 13, Rule 7
WYLIE 25, SOUTH TAYLOR 13

Fair and Cool Weekend Is Due For County Area

Generally fair and somewhat cooler weather was in prospect for the Eastland County vicinity over the weekend, according to the U. S. Weather Bureau.

A cold front moved into the area early Saturday morning and was expected to keep the mercury in the mid-80s Saturday and Sunday afternoons, weather men said.

The lowest mercury readings for Saturday and Sunday nights, according to the weather bureau forecast, were scheduled for the lower 60s.

There was hope for showers, but fairly remote.

For the North Central and West Texas area, the current forecast calls for generally fair weather Saturday and Sunday. No important temperature changes.

BOOM STEADY BUT TO FADE BY NEW YEAR

Industry's expansion boom will begin to fade a little in the next three months from its present all-time peak, government agencies report.

For the full year, nevertheless, the outlays of business for new plants and equipment, as reported to the government, will reach a record total of \$27,821,000,000.

This will top 1952 by 5 per cent and continue the unbroken annual rise since 1950, the year of the Korean invasion when capital investment was \$25,605,000,000.

The forecasts, collected from industrial firms by the Commerce Department and the Securities and Exchange Commission, indicate (Continued on Page 2)

Mrs. Campbell's Funeral Rites Set for Sunday

Funeral rites for Mrs. Katie Campbell, 72-year-old Ranger resident who died in a Ranger hospital Friday afternoon at 2:30 p.m., will be held at Second Baptist Church in Ranger Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. D. D. Brian, pastor, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Young, pastor of the Assembly of God Church.

Interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery with Morris Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Campbell, who had been a resident of this area for 20 years, was born in Llano County, Texas, Jan. 29, 1881. She was a member of Second Baptist Church.

On Feb. 14, 1937 she was united in marriage with T. M. Campbell at Round Rock. Her late husband preceded her in death in 1947.

Mrs. Campbell's grandsons will act as pallbearers at the funeral rites Sunday afternoon.

Survivors include two sons, Melvin Campbell of Marathon, and Tom Campbell of Ranger; two daughters, Mrs. E. E. Krapf of Cactus, Tex., and Mrs. E. A. Ferguson of Ranger; two brothers, Elmer and Ben Mayhew of Stephenville; three half-brothers, John, Jack and Sam McCoy; two sisters, Mrs. E. E. Hunter of Santa and Mrs. Earl Froeman of Ranger; 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

LET'S HELP OUR TIMES CARRIER BOYS!

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INTRODUCING . . . THE 1953 RANGERS

It's another in a series of precision newspaper sketches of members of the promising 1953 football squad of Ranger Junior College.



ROBERT A. PHARRIS
Ace Back Big Addition
to 1953 Rangers'
Juggernaut



DALTON BLEEKER
Old "Big D" Will Aid
Plenty of Power
in RJC Wall



ROYCE MORTON
Fencer, Punter Added to
RJC's Promising '53
Grid Squad

Two backs and a lineman from Coach Joe Kerbel's powerhouse 1952 State championship Buckaroo grid machine are new additions to the 1953 squad of the Ranger Junior College Rangers.

They're Tommy Dalton Bleeker, 19-year-old tackle and end; Robert Allen Pharris, also 19, a half end fullback; and Royce Morton, 19-year-old backfielder.

The trio of '52 top high school grid aces are expected to put plenty of new pep and power into the Rangers as they go into their 1953 campaign.

Bleeker, nicknamed "Big D", was born and reared at Santa until he reached high school age. Then he moved to Breckenridge with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bleeker, who reside at 700 S. Rose in that city.

During his sparkling athletic career at Breckenridge, Bleeker lettered one year in football, two in basketball and two in baseball—an all-around athlete.

His play with the 1952 state champion Buckaroos was highly impressive.

He also is a top hand on the hardwoods, and his stellar basketball play last year won him all-district honors as a guard.

The footballing Buckaroos, as most recall, had a smashing year in 1952—won 12 and lost but one contest. They were 2-AAA champs and went on to win state.

Plecker is 6 feet 1 1/2 inches tall and weighs a hefty 295 pounds. He's green-eyed, brown-haired and plans to major in business administration.

In addition to athletic honors during his days at Breck High, Bleeker also served as vice president of the senior class.

He spent the summer in the employ of the Lone Star Gas Co. A member of First Methodist Church, Breckenridge, "Big D" has one brother, one sister.

Strawn Tops Hico, 19-13, In Grid Thriller

Coach Joe Van Breeman's 1953 Strawn High Greyhounds opened their fall grid war in a blaze of glory under the area at Strawn Friday night when they hammered out a 19-13 win over the Hico Tigers.

Strawn's T-powered 13-B machine rolled over into pay dirt in the first, third and final periods of play.

With the score tied at 13-13 and only four minutes to play in the final stanza, the Strawvites took Hico's kickoff on the 25 and unreeled a 70-yard drive, capped by a pass — Quarterback Bobby Herin to Larry Pruitt in the left flat — from the 5-yard stripe.

Pruitt missed the point, but the tie-breaking TD gave the Hounds their opening victory.

Early in the first quarter Halfback Eddie Morris hit Joe Flinn, right end, with a 35-yard TD drive to begin the night's scoring. Pruitt's kick for the point was a perfect.

Hico's Donald Ross retaliated midway in the second period. He was trapped trying to pass but broke away and capped 55 yards to score, and at halftime the Strawvites held a slim 7-6.

Shortly after the opening of the second half, Coach Van Breeman's Red & Black charges powered 43 yards down to the Hico 25. From there Halfback Morris, on a keeper, raced down the right sidelines to add Strawn's second score. Pruitt's attempted conversion failed.

A beautiful 30-yard pass flipped by Hico's Don Ross and a perfect placekick for the extra point early in the fourth knotted the non-conference contest at 13-13.

But Strawn came back, racing against the clock and scored their final on a drive highlighted by long gains by Right Half Edward Grissom and Morris.

The Hounds meet Gorman next Friday night at Gorman in a District 13-B encounter.

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RHS CREW OPENS 1953 CAMPAIGN WITH UPSET WIN OVER WOLF PACK

Coach O. C. (Stubby) Warden's roaring Ranger High Bulldogs, new potential Class A schoolboy grid powerhouse, blasted open their 1953 pigskin war explosively Friday night at Bulldog stadium in Ranger when they humbled the mighty Colorado City Wolves of District 4-AA 28 to 27, in a suspense-laden thriller.

The RHS Maroon & Whiteners got off to a slow somewhat disappointing start, trailing 7-0 at the end of the initial canto, but three lightning TDs in the second period and a final scoring barrage early in the fourth—plus four perfect extra-points by Left Half Bill Browning's gold-plated toe—gave the Warden charges a smashing upset triumph.

The Bulldogs were stunned two minutes and 15 seconds deep in the first quarter when Hollis Gaisney, a 110 lb t-built, bushy, brown-haired 142-pound right half full back to his feet with a dazzling 74-yard touchdown sprint from his own 25. Quarterback Billy Williams, C-City flinger, passed to Left End Don Flippin for the point to put the double A crew out front 5-0.

Adding insult to injury, a few plays later —after only slightly more than a minute of action had elapsed in the second go-around—Colorado City recovered a Ranger fumble on their own 4. From there Gaisney again ripped loose on a long dash—81 yards—down to the Bulldogs' 15. Then Williams again hit Flippin for an aerial TD. Frank Mackey added the point from placement.

Trailing 14-0, the RHS machine suddenly shifted from low to high gear in the thrill packed second quarter.

Taking over on their own 47, the Bulldog aerial attack was unleashed with a beauty from Quarterback Scott Forney to End Chico Mendosa paying off to the 30. A gain of six yards on two spread slashes was capped off with another pass — Forney to End Tommy Hinds — for the Rangerites' initial tally of the night. Browning expertly added the point and the fans went wilder.

They went even more rabid, however, only a few minutes later when Halfback Charlie Masseege, one of the most brilliant performers of the night, returned a Colorado City punt to the Wolves' 29. Six plays later Bill Browning knifed through left tackle to score after he and Fullback Bill Braza had pounded down to the one-yard stripe. Again his kick for the point was perfect, knotting the contest at 14-14.

Before fans had hardly seated themselves, the RHSers again were paydirt-bound. A 68-yard march, highlighted by two long sprints by Masseege, put a heavy seal down on the one. Bill Braza bulldozed over center to add TD No. 3. Browning again converted.

The Bulldogs held a 21-14 edge at halftime, but Colorado City wuffed up two more tallies in the third to jump back out front 27-21. After recovering a Ranger miscue on the 41, early in the third canto, the Wolves drove down to the 2 yard stripe and then Fullback Bud Windham smashed over center to score. Mackey's game-losing kick for the point was wide to the left. Only tricking minutes then elapsed before Gaisney intercepted a Ranger pass on his own 30 and raced 79 beautiful yards to score. Mackey's kick was good to put the Wolf pack in the lead.

Late in the third Ranger, however, initiated an 81-yard drive which was climaxed on the fourth play of the final period when Braza plunged over from the one-yard stripe. Browning's extra point boot snapped the victory.

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Mavericks Nick Cisco, 7-0!

EASTLANDERS BLAST LID OFF 1953 CAMPAIGN WITH UPSET WIN OVER LOBOES

In a thriller heavy-laden with suspense and thrills to hold an enthusiastic packed house in awe, Coach Ed Hooker's Eastland High Mavericks, District 7A title hopefuls, opened their 1953 schoolboy grid war with a 7 to 0 upset over their arch-rivals, the favored class double-A Loboes, at Maverick Field in Eastland Friday night.

Both clubs were evenly matched, and the non-conference duel was a nip-and-tucker which was goose-egged at the halftime intermission.

In the dying minutes of the 16th back to the 38. A 15-yard penalty for clipping against the Ciscoans moved the oval down to the 23, and from there Eastland's stellar-playing fullback, J. D. Hancock's left half, Marcus Gallegos, a fleet 130-pounder, gained only a yard to the 2-yarder before the Loboes kicked out of the hole.

THREE LOOP CLUBS WIN

Three District 7-A grid machines —Ranger, Eastland and Wylie of Abilene — triumphed on their 1953 season openers.

Ranger topped Colorado City of 4AA, 28-27; Eastland nicked the Cisco Loboes of District 9AA, 7-0; and Wylie topped South Taylor of District 13-B, 25 to 13.

DeLeon's Bearcats were battered by the 9AA Comanche Indians, 47-7; Bangs dropped a 0 to 6 ver-



ESTHER WILLIAMS MARILYN MONROE JANE RUSSELL PIN-UPS' FIGURES ARE OUT OF LINE—If ace pin-up girls Est...

GAME AT A GLANCE Table with columns for Eastland and Cisco, listing game statistics like First Downs, Yards Gained, etc.

MAVERICKS

(Continued from Page 1) yard stripe. But a 15-yard assessment for unnecessary roughness pushed the Red & Blackers back to the Cisco 25.

Between Us ...

(Continued from Page 1) house," she added tearfully. "Oh, I wouldn't worry too much about that," said the friend, who was familiar with their somewhat stormy married life.

Band Boosters Club to help them a spare buck or so to offer the buy those badly needed new hats and trousers. How about it, Rangerrites? ... You know, the new style record players are getting slower and slower.



BILL BROWNING Halfback's Talented Toe Paid Off as Ranger Triumphant, 28-27

Let his sturdy physique in ace fettle for the rigors of his first season of play with the Ranger Junior College Rangers. The flashy back is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pharris of Breckenridge. He's a member of the Baptist Church and has three brothers and two sisters.

The entire Maverick crew played a bang-up game. The Cisco and Eastland bands added flavor and color to the thrilling pigskin opener with a terrific halftime intermission program shared by the two musical aggregations.

For the winning Mavericks, Fullback Hanson blazed along with Jessop, Grimes, Stan Harris, Bobby Cooper and Verne Meroney.

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Texas, with about 7,000,000 population, has more miles of railroad than there are in China, with its population of 460,000,000 ... If wives knew what stenographers really think of their husbands, they wouldn't worry ... Total school enrollment over at Rising Star: 369, reports Supt. Sam Jones ... Pioneer Airlines will inaugurate service at nearby Breckenridge on Sept. 27 — four flights daily, two eastbound and two westward.

Robert A. Pharris Bouncing Bobby Pharris, tough-as-a-boot 158-pound backfield ace of the state champion Breckenridge Buckaroos, says sports are his hobby. Heavy accent, of course, on the pigskin sport. Pharris, who has a sensational season last fall, was one of Coach Joe Kerbel's famed hosses in the secondary—Pharris, Ford, Dendy and Keith. The 5 foot 6 inch backfielder plans to major in physical education during his now-begging collegiate career. He's brown-eyed, brown-haired, spent the summer working as a roughneck in the oil patches to

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ember quarter. Investment then is due to dip to \$7,042,000,000. A turning point has been predicted for months, as the result of the leveling-off of military spending and the slowing of the mobilization build-up. The drop of less than 5 per cent on the other hand, is smaller and comes later than many had expected. Its economic implications are lessened by other indicators pointing to high prosperity—such as the peace-time low in unemployment and a near-record high in industrial production. The expansion programs for the last half of this year are realistic. 1953 outlays will exceed those anticipated by business in reports submitted to the government early in the year. The new reports indicate declines in the fourth quarter for all major industries except mining and the commercial trans-

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New Heading Happily Home-- EX-BRECKENRIDGE GRIDDER ENDS FIVE YEARS AS POW

Over five years in prison camps in World War II and in Korea recently ended for Major Newton W. Lantron, 39, former Breckenridge resident and Buckaroo football player. He was freed from a Communist POW camp last week and is believed now en route to the United States.

Maj. Lantron, who has probably spent as much time as any American soldier as a POW, was in a German prison camp for 23 months in WW II and 37 months and 12 days in the Red prison.

Breckenridge Mayor P. M. Faulkner said a reception is awaiting the major should he return. His home is now in Arizona, but he still has many friends in Breckenridge.

He is a 1934 graduate of Breckenridge High School and was a tackle on the Buckaroo football team under Coach P. E. Shottwell, now co-ordinator of physical education for Abilene Schools.

Texas Electric Service Co. for about five years after graduating from school. He joined Company L of the Breckenridge National Guard in about 1935 or 1936 and was commissioned a second lieutenant in 1940. He went into service with the National Guard in WW II.

In Korea, Maj. Lantron was reported missing July 23, 1950—one day following capture of the famed Gen. Dean.

Mrs. Lantron the former Virginia Garrard, is living in Mesa, Ariz., with the couple's two children, a son, Newton Jr., 14, and a daughter, about 12.

Word was received of the former Breckenridge man's release by R. E. Lee of Breckenridge, a friend. Lee was notified by John Garrard of Borger, father of Mrs. Lantron.

While a prisoner in WW II, Maj. Lantron corresponded with Lee, who wrote as "an uncle" so that his letters would go through

Report Says Labor Force Up By 1,200

Employment in Texas factories 1,200 during July to reach a total of 438,806, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reported Thursday.

In the year since July, 1952, Texas' net gain of factory workers numbers 6,300, BLS said. Correspondingly, wages have increased as employment has grown.

Average weekly earnings of factory workers in Texas was \$70.64 in July, an increase of \$1.34 a week during the month and up \$4.44 over a year ago.

However, the trend of earnings in Texas has not advanced as sharply as the national average. A year ago, the average weekly earnings of factory workers in Texas was \$66.20, some 76c above the national average. Now the average is 87c a week below the national average of \$71.51.

Polio Cases Are Dropping Over Nation

New cases of infantile paralysis reported last week totaled 2,130, the second straight week in which the number decreased from the preceding week.

"It now appears the peak for 1953 was reached in the week ended Aug. 22," the Public Health Service said Thursday in its weekly summary.

There were 2,238 cases listed in the week ended Aug. 22 and 2,251 in a record pool year with 57,626 cases listed—saw the

peak reached in the third week of September.

In the week ended Sept. 6, 1952, there were 3,817 cases, or 44 per cent more than the 2,430 in the Sept. 5 week this year.

For 1953, there have been 29,339 cases reported through last week compared with 27,209 in the similar 1952 period.

Over the nation last week 34 deaths from poliomyelitis were reported.

Colorful Parade To Open Heart O' Texas Fair, Waco

Waco, Sept.—A gigantic and colorful parade through the Waco business district will mark the opening of the Heart O' Texas Fair. The procession will be held Saturday, Sept. 26, beginning at 11:00 a.m.

All riding clubs and bands wishing to take part are welcome. Parade Marshal Ralph Buchanan

declares, but he asks they notify him not later than Sept. 15, giving the approximate number of members, so sections can be allotted. Individual horsemen and family groups also are urged to participate.

One of the many features will be the military representation: bands, marching units and the latest types of equipment.

With the exception of the military sections, the parade will be all-Western, with baggies, wagons and strollers as well as hundreds of horses and riders.

"We hope to make this the biggest and finest parade in the history of Central Texas," said M. D. Corbin, executive vice president of the fair.

When the mammoth procession ends the exposition will officially open, with all exhibits, shows and rides in readiness for the throngs. First performance of the world's championship rodeo will be held that night. Dates of the fair are Sept. 26 through Oct. 4.

62 CASES OF POLIO REPORTED IN TEXAS

Polio incidence held steady in Texas last week with 62 cases reported to the State Health Department.

The year's total of 1,232 compared with 3,393 last year. Two counties reported their first

cases. Gaines had two patients, Wise one. Of the state's 254 counties, 159 have recorded polio this year.

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EARTH ABIDES

THE STORY: With nearly all human beings on earth dead from a deadly new disease, survivors, Ish Williams, suffers from loneliness. The survivors seem to be suffering from shock. They are day by day seen smoke rising from the chimney of a house. As he investigates, he sees lights from the house. He made the place occupied by a woman.

XI
NOW the light fell from his eyes, illuminating a path ahead of him, and Princess bounded up through the beam of light, her tail wagging in joy. The door of the house moved open wide, and against the dim light behind her, he saw a woman on her knees bawling the dog. He walked up toward her, still with the hammer clanking ridiculously but comfortably from his hand.

Then Princess, in a sudden burst of excitement, burst away and went tearing into the house. The woman leaped up with an exclamation. She screamed, half-laughed, and also dashed in. "She must have a cat!" thought Ish, and rushed after her.

But when he arrived in the living room, Princess was merely crouching around the table sniffing at the chairs, and the woman was standing erect beside a gasoline lamp sheltering it against being overturned by the excited dog.

She was above middle height, brunette, no mere girl, certainly, but a fully developed woman.

She glanced at the antics of the scampering dog and laughed, and the sound of laughter was like something remembered from Paradise long ago. She turned to him, and he saw the flash of white teeth in the dark face. Then suddenly a barrier burst within him, and he laughed joyously.

After a moment she spoke again, neither questioning nor demanding. "It's good to see someone." This time Ish replied, but he could think of nothing better than an apology for the ridiculous hammer

which still dangled from his hand. "Pardon me for bringing this thing in," he said, and he set it down on the floor upon its head with the handle sticking stiffly into the air.

"Don't worry," she said, "I understand. I went through it too—having to have something around to make you feel comfortable. Like a pocket-piece or a rabbit-foot, you remember. We're still about the same as we used to be, all of us."

HE felt, almost physically, more barriers breaking—those necessary barriers of defense, built up through the months of loneliness and desperation. He must touch another human being, and he put forward his hand in the old conventional gesture of the handshake. She took it, and doubtless she noticed his trembling, she drew him toward a chair and almost pushed him into it. As he sat down, she patted his shoulder.

"I'll get you something to eat," he did not protest, though he had just eaten heartily. But he knew that behind her quiet affirmation lay something more than any call of the body for food. There was need now for the symbolic eating together, that first common bond of human beings—the sitting at the same table, the sharing of the bread and salt.

There was no place, more in symbol than in reality, there was fresh bread. "I made it myself," she said, "but it's getting hard to find flour that's got no weevils in it." There was no butter, but honey and jam for the bread, and a bottle of red wine.

This was nothing like that time when he had sat with Milt and Ann on Riverside Drive. Now, for the first time, he talked of all those days. He showed her the little scar on his hand and the larger scars where he had slashed himself to apply the suc-

through him. In the station-wagon they drove about here and there, often crushing some rat which decided to dash across the street, just ahead of their tires.

At first Ish and Em shuffled a little at the soft squish, and looked at each other, but before long it had become so common that they thought nothing about it. The area which the rats were occupying was roughly the city, although they spread outward from the built-up area, covering somewhat larger an area than the ants had done.

What had happened, in general, was clear enough. Ish remembered some kind of statistics which declared that the number of rats in a city was generally about equal to the number of people.

"Well," he explained to Em, "you start then with, say, 1,000,000 rats."

THAT evening at home he sat down to it as a mathematical problem. With the aid of his father's encyclopedia he determined that rats had approximately one litter a month, with an average of about 10 young. That is, one month of uninterrupted breeding might have produced about a population of 10,000,000 rats in this given area. There must be some casualties, of course, and he had no way of determining just how many of the rats would live to maturity. But certainly the increase must be prodigious under the circumstances. His mathematics broke down.

If the rats only doubled each month, a conservative guess, there should be already 30,000,000, and if they increased threefold, there might be 1,000,000,000.

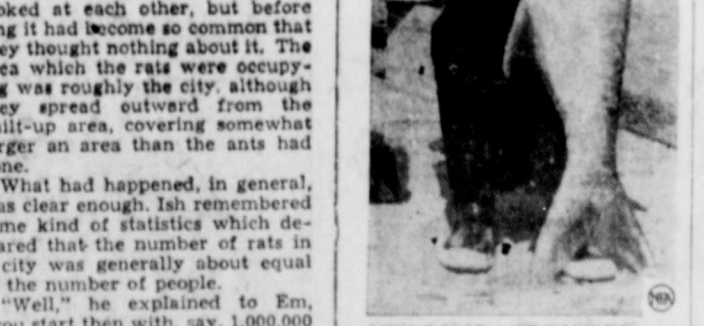
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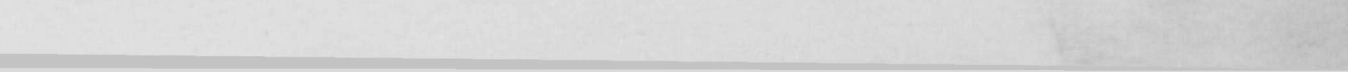
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Rev. Robbins' Sermon Is Based On Book Written 150 Years Ago

Rev. A. Lynn Robbins, pastor of the Ranger First Baptist Church, will preach a sermon this Sunday morning that is based on a book from a minister's library that dates back over 150 years. This book came into the possession of the local pastor's study from his grandfather who acquired the book about 160 years ago. The title of the sermon will be "Footprints of the Creator." This will be the sermon message for the regular 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship and Communion Service. During the service Rev. and Mrs. Robbins will present a message in song prior to the regular sermon. The Responsive Reading for the morning will be led by one of the Junior boys, Johnny Pirkle.

At the 7:00 p.m. Evening Worship Service the pastor's sermon title will be: "It is Good to Draw Near to God." Mr. Gaston Dixon of Ranger will present a special solo during this service. Attention is called to the new time for the fall and winter months. This is to enable families with school-age children to attend and still return home at an early hour. The service will be dismissed by 7:45 p.m. each Sunday night. There will be the popular period of fellowship singing and evening meditation.

Schedule of Church of Christ Is Announced

The Church of Christ at 223 Rusk Street sincerely invites every one to attend the following assemblies: Bible study classes for all ages each Sunday morning at 9:45—followed at 10:45 by assembly for worship; each Sunday evening at 7:30; each Wednesday evening at 7:30. The ladies are invited to study the Bible with us again each Wednesday morning at 10:00.

The sermon subject for this Sunday morning shall be "Hungry for What?" The sermon Sunday evening will deal with another needed explanation of simple New Testament teaching. There is nothing taught or practiced by this church that is more new than the teachings of God's word. God's word is ever new, as new as tomorrow and eternity. There is no attempt made by this church to improve upon God's word. The value of anything religious should be measured by the word of God alone. You are invited to attend the services of this church where these principles are taught and practiced.

Catholic Society Game Social Next Wednesday

The women's organization of St. Rita's Catholic Church—St. Rita's Altar Society—will sponsor a game social at the church next Wednesday evening, Sept. 16, at 7:30 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend the affair.

Doyle Don Squires, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Squires, has returned home for an indefinite visit. He is working in Costa Mesa, California and will return there at a later date.

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Hodges P-TA Has Good Attendance At Called Meet

A called meeting of the Hodges Oak Parent-Teachers Association was held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the school.

Mrs. Jasper Massogee, president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Wilson Guest was elected membership chairman and Mrs. Fred Lamb, hospitality chairman.

The group voted to buy a slide for the playground. They also voted a sum of money to be divided among the rooms for books.

It was decided to have an informal cove party for the first regular meeting of the year. Details will be announced at a later date.



PROPERLY DONE, OLD BEAN!—Francis Robert Hatlet, left, and Kurt Nielse put on a mock formal handshake after the Wimbledon finalist won their Paris match to help Denmark to the European Zone Davis Cup final. (NEA)

Many Rangerites Registered At Ranger Junior College

Included among the students who registered last week at Ranger's own Junior College are a group whose homes are in or near Ranger.

Freshman students include: Gerald Bagwell, Jimmy Cantrell, O. C. Christman, Thelma Christman, Valma Christman, Delores Cox, Beverlie Crawley, Lettie Lou Prasier, Johnny Gay, Virgie Glen, Wayne Hargrave, Lee Hill, Noel Kim, Walter Lynn Nicholson, Peggy Russell, Dorothy Steffey, Doris Vann, Bethany Waldrip and Floyd Woods.

J. M. Bush is returning after spending some time in the service.

Returning sophomores include: Jimmy Cole, Jackie Health, Eddie Polston and Betty Pounds.

AAUW To Meet Next Thursday

Members of the American Association of University Women will have their first meeting of the year at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 17, in the home of Mrs. J. P. Morris.

All members are asked to be present.

Rev. Brian To Preach Second Baptist Sunday

Rev. D. D. Brian, pastor, will bring the messages at the Second Baptist Church in Ranger Sunday.

Rev. Brian will speak at the morning services at 11 a.m. and again at the evening worship rites at 8 p.m.

"We cordially invite everyone to come and worship with us during the Sabbath," Rev. Brian said today. "We have a friendly church and you'll find a very warm and cordial welcome awaiting you in our fellowship."

Rev. Brian also reported that the recent 10-day revival which closed last Sunday was a very great and inspiring success. Many new additions to the church were secured during the revival series.

Sunday's schedule at Second Baptist opens with Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.

The church's Baptist Training Union groups meet at the church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

There's a place for young and old alike in friendly Second Baptist Church. And the latch-string is always out.

Bro. Crumley's Sermon Topics Are Announced

Schedule for the Church of Christ, located at Rusk and Mesquite:

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Worship 10:45 a.m.
Young Peoples
Training Class 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Services:
The Hour of Edification 7:30 p.m.

Max R. Crumley, evangelist of the local church, announced that the subject of the sermon Sunday morning would be "Common Delusions" and that he would speak on the theme "The New Testament Church" at the evening service.

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One of the finest spiritual fellowships exists throughout the membership of the church as they combine their efforts to help make this the "Revival for Ranger and to help win Ranger for Christ." Visitation has been made in every section of the city and country side.

High attendance in Sunday School is being brought to a finish with the enrollment of each class as their goal. A record attendance is being expected at 9:45 when the department assemblies will be ready for the spiritual feasts of the hour. Assembly programs are being prepared for all departments from the Primary through the Adults.

The preaching hour will begin at 11:00. Visitors are invited to these closing services and all other services held at the church. Non-resident Baptist and folk without

church affiliation are urged to attend these services.

Training Union meeting at 6:30 will find all the adults with a special program in the main auditorium. All other departments will meet in their regular assemblies. Special programs have been arranged for all unions.

The evening preaching hour be-

gins at 7:30. One of the best crowds will be expected Sunday evening. A baptismal service will follow the evening message. Remember, "You are always welcome at this church."

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Mrs. A. Woods Home After A Four Months Trip

Mrs. Azalea Woods has returned home after spending four months in San Diego, Calif., with her son, Melvin Woods, and in Aberdeen, Idaho, with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Nugent. She visited in twelve states and talked with people from almost every state in the union.

In Salt Lake City Mrs. Woods viewed the Mormon Cathedral and went through the salt factory. She went through the Zion National Park in Utah a number of times. She also visited Reno and Las Vegas, Nev., where she saw the largest gambling hall in the world.

Mrs. Woods crossed American Falls a number of times and went over a mile-long bridge across the Snake River, which furnishes water for nearly all of Idaho, where land sells for \$700 an acre. She also visited Pocatello and Blackfoot, Idaho, which have grown from Indian villages to large cities. Says Mrs. Woods, "I'm glad to be back in Texas."

Holy Trinity Announcements

Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 710 South Seaman, Eastland. The Rev. Arthur E. Hartwell, Rector.

September 13, 1953, the fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. Morning Service, 9:30, the Holy Eucharist. The Rector will deliver the first of a series of sermons on the "Responsibilities of Being a Christian," the text this Sunday being taken from St. Matthew 6:33, "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added to you."

Evening Service, 7:30, Vespers (Evening Prayer). The text chosen for the sermon is taken from St. Luke 9:20, "But whom say ye that I am?"

Visitors and friends are cordially invited to all services. Sunday School will meet at the same hour as the Morning Service, Mrs. Beryl Cutting, Supt.

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First Methodist Announcements

Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. at the First Methodist Church. The morning worship begins at 10:50 a.m., the sermon subject being "The Silent Partner."

The Intermediate and Senior Fellowship meets at 6:30 p.m. and the evening worship service, subject "The Youth That Followed Jesus," begins at 7:30 p.m.

At ten o'clock next Wednesday morning a most important District meeting convenes. Mrs. Vernon Deffebach, district president of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will have charge of the women's work and Dr. Leslie Seymour, district superintendent, will have charge of the district pastor's meeting. Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Petts, missionaries to Brazil, will be guest speakers. A covered dish luncheon will be served at the noon hour. A great many of our local-church members should take advantage of this opportunity and attend this important meeting.

Circle No. 1 of the W.E.C.S. meets at 2:00 p.m. Monday in the home of Mrs. W. C. Garrett. Circle No. 3 meets Monday at 3:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lee Dockery. Circle No. 2 meets at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. C. E. May Sr.

The Boy Scout and the Commission of Education meet as usual at the church on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brashier and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Thomas made the long trek to Wharton Saturday to see the Ranger play the Wharton squad.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson have returned home after spending a few days in Galveston and Lake Charles, La. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pyffe of Fort Worth.

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New Catholic Mass Schedule Is Announced

Rev. Fr. Camille Boeseman today released this new schedule of worship for St. Rita's Catholic Church in Ranger:

Beginning Sunday, Sept. 13, there'll be mass at 8 a.m., and evening devotional rites Sunday evening at 7 p.m.

Mass during weekdays will be held at 7:30 a.m.

Schedule for Eastland — First and third Sundays, mass at 9:30 a.m., and on second, fourth and fifth Sundays at 11 a.m.

For Cisco — First and third Sundays at 11 a.m. and second, fourth and fifth Sundays, mass at 9:30 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation at the three Eastland County churches: Ranger at 6 p.m., Cisco at 7 p.m. and Eastland at 8 p.m.

The public is invited to attend all services at the three churches, says Rev. Fr. Boeseman, pastor.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks to everyone for their expressions of sympathy, for all the lovely flowers, the nice food brought in, and the other kindnesses shown us at the loss of our mother, Mrs. Ida Gorley.

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The bride-elect attended Weatherford Junior College and North Texas State College where she was a member of Kappa Kappa Kappa sorority.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Texas A&M College. At the present time he is serving in the U. S. Air Force and has recently returned from a nine months tour of duty in Korea.

The couple will be married at 5 p.m., Sept. 27th, at the First Methodist Church in Springtown, with a reception at the home of the bride's parents, immediately following the ceremony.

Mrs. J. E. Matthews has just returned from Norfolk, Virginia, where she visited Lt. Jg. and Mrs. W. J. Wood and their little son, William Joseph, Jr. Mrs. Wood is the former Anne Matthews.

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Dr. Daniel Betts

Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Betts, Methodist missionaries to Brazil for the past 14 years and now in the States on furlough will be guest speakers at the all-day meeting of the Cisco District Woman's Society of Christian Service to be held at the Ranger Methodist Church, Wednesday, Sept. 16, Mrs. Vernon Deffenbach, district president of the woman's organization, states that they are the parents of John Nelson Betts who is the special missionary to Brazil supported by the churches of the Cisco District. All pastors of the district are to be present for the meeting also.

Dr. and Mrs. Betts have had wide and varied experiences in Brazil where he served as pastor, district superintendent and builder of schools, including the Passo Fundo Institute which is sponsored by the Methodist students at Texas State University. They were also closely associated with Porto Alegre College known as "Little SMU," because it was sponsored by students at Southern Methodist University.



CAN'T KEEP HIM "GROUNDED"—The Air Force's only quadruple amputee, Clarence (Red) Mosley, A/2c, of Paterson, N. J., waits behind the wheel of a specially equipped automobile at Walter Reed Hospital, in Washington, as he prepares to take a driver's test. Mosley, 22, suffered multiple wounds when shot down over Korea.

Statistics from basic data published by the Bureau of Census and the National Office of Vital Statistics show that school authorities in the 16 Southern states (and District of Columbia) must be prepared to take care of 905,790 additional children this year, and 2,104,000 more in the next seven years.

In the South—the states below Pennsylvania and the Ohio River, plus Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas—the number of children at the elementary school ages of 5 to 13 is expected to increase from 5,679,000 this year to 10,496,000 in 1960. At the high school ages, 14 to 17, the increase during this period is expected to reach 3,225,000 to 4,000,000.

All regions of the country will share in the rise of the school population to new peaks, the statistics point out. As of mid-year 1952, there were 34,775,000 children at ages 5 to 17 in the United States; by 1950 the total is expected to reach 42,844,000.

Throughout the nation as a whole, the elementary school population is expected to increase by 19 percent from 1952 to 1960, with the greatest increase—25 percent—in the West, and the lowest—15 percent—in the South. If the westward movement of

elementary school children. Even without taking into consideration any migration toward the West, by 1950 that region may expect an increase of about 29 percent in the number of children in ages 14 to 17. Increases in other regions are expected to be 24 percent in the Northeast, 29 percent in the North Central states, and 22 percent in the South.

"The problems of providing adequate school facilities and teaching staffs to meet the needs of the rapid growth of our school-age population are already with us," the statisticians concluded.

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Christian Science

The subject of the Lesson - Sermon to be read in Christian Science churches this Sunday is "Substance." The Lesson emphasizes that real substance is Spirit, not matter. Among the Bible passages to be read is one from Matthew: "Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal" (6:19,20).

The Lesson further points out that spiritual understanding dispels the false material thinking which hinders mankind's progress. Spiritward Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science says in of the

selections to be read from the Christian Science textbook: "That which material sense fails to grasp, is found to be substance, what to material sense seems substance becomes nothingness, as the sense-dream vanishes and reality appears" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, p.312).

The Golden Text is from Psalms 119:89,90: "For ever, O Lord, thy word is settled in heaven. Thy faithfulness is unto all generations: thou hast established the earth, and it abideth."

Charles Mahaffey, who has been in the Veterans' hospital in Dallas since August 19, visited with his wife and children at 1121 Young Street, Ranger, and with his father, Hugh Mahaffey, Olden, and with his sister, Mrs. Gene Rhodes and family over the holiday week end.

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