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81 Players In Ranger Golf Tourny Start Final Flights Sat.

WHAT'S...



COOKING?

By NORMAN WRIGHT

Ladies and Gentlemen, we have all gone absolutely crazy!

Members of the legislature have now voted to submit to the people of Texas a constitutional amendment that would raise their own legislative salaries from \$3,000 every two years to \$15,000 every two years, plus expenses. That is just a small, cigarette money raise of \$12,000 plus, it said, expenses, which could very well run to another \$12,000, since we didn't notice where any limit was placed on them.

As everybody knows, the lawmakers now draw \$25 a day for 120 days, or \$3,000, and they meet once every two years. Under the new plan they would draw \$7,500 a year, plus expenses, and meet every year. Thus, they would be drawing \$15,000 every two years as against \$3,000 being drawn for the same period now.

The legislature proposed that on odd numbered years they would meet for 120 days as they do now, to consider all types of legislation. On even numbered years they would meet only 60 days per year and consider only appropriation bills, taxes and emergency legislation.

A salary of \$7,500, plus expenses, is pretty good pay for 120 days work. The same \$7,500 salary, plus expenses, is still better pay for 60 days work. And it is an indisputable fact that the more these legislators meet the more it costs the people. The taxpayers can't afford to have those boys meeting every year, even if they could afford those fancy new salaries.

The legislators say the new, higher salaries would keep them honest. Now isn't that a disgrace? Suppose we were to go around here to the Commercial State Bank and ask for a job, and they were to agree to give us one at the regular, going salary, and then suppose we demanded another \$10,000 or so to keep us honest. It's exactly the same thing. We do not want people in the legislature who have to be paid to be honest.

And why should they have to be paid to be honest any more than the employees of J. C. Penney or Montgomery Ward have to be paid to be honest? A n d besides, m o n e y won't keep a person honest. There was D a v e Beck, for example, being paid some \$100,000 a year by his union, but did that keep him honest? No, he had to have another \$250,000 on the side which he is alleged to have stolen from union funds.

The legislators came out of this session with a recommended raise of \$12,000 for themselves—\$6,000 a year it figures—in raises, plus expenses. HOW MUCH DID THE OLD FOLKS GET? WHAT EVER HAPPENED TO THAT \$2 A MONTH THEY WERE SUPPOSED TO GET? How much did the insane (Continued On Page Four)

Weather Reports

Mostly cloudy and mild with scattered thunder showers Saturday afternoon, Sunday night and Sunday. High 70th days in 70s. Low Saturday night 60.

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Ranger Country Club's Annual 22nd Invitational Golf Tournament got off to a flying start Friday when 81 players had qualified before the end of the day.

Charles Coody of Stamford shot a sizzling 66 on the par 72 course to win medalist honors, and others shooting sub-par scores in the qualifying were Jim Russell of Graham and Dick Martin of Dallas, both of whom had 70s.

The big field of 81 was supposed to tee off again during the day Saturday in the final flights which will end when a new champion is crowned Sunday as Jack Cameron of Houston, defending champion, is not entered in the tournament this year. Neither is Gulna Ferguson of Breckenridge, last year's runnerup.

At least 200 people including the players, non-playing club members, their wives and visitors, attended a barbecue Friday night, after which a Calcutta pool was held.

The course was in good condition Friday although slightly wet in spots. It got another wetting Friday night when 20 rain fell in the area, and the weatherman predicted thundershowers for both Saturday and Sunday, indicating that a lot of golf playing may have to be done between showers.

For the championship flight the pairings were as follows:

- Charles Coody, Stamford, 66 vs. Paul Moseley, Lueders, 75.
- Fred Winstead, Weatherford, 74, vs. John Wylie, T.C.U., 77.
- John Teegestran, T.C.U., 77, vs. Frank Freer, Lamesa, 74.
- Floyd Pearson, Breckenridge, 79, vs. Jim Russell, Graham, 70.
- Dick Martin, Dallas, 70, vs. Boone Yarbrough, Ranger, 76.
- Russell Coffee, Weatherford, 74, vs. Jim Davis, Arlington, 78.
- Sam Turner, Weatherford, 77, vs. Bob Thresher, Arlington, 73.
- Delon Ellensburg, T.C.U., 75, vs. J. B. Phillips, Tulsa, 78.

Wycliff Chorus To Sing At First Methodist

One of the finest choral performances ever to come to Ranger will be presented Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the First Methodist Church when the Wycliff School Chorus will come here for a program.

The chorus was organized in 1954 and is under direction of Miss Beth Garrison, music teacher at Wycliff School, Fort Worth. Its membership varies from year to year as the boys and girls graduate, but several of the present members have been with the organization since its beginning.

The boys and girls of the chorus have presented several operettas including "Cinderella" and "Snow White," but have concentrated on concert type programs. Their former presentations include several concerts for the Arlington Heights Christian Church, serving as choir for the Azle Christian Church, and performing before the Providence Baptist Church, all of Fort Worth.

There are several outstanding soloists in the group including Miss Barbara Hatfield who sing the solo part in "In the Garden" and does several other special numbers. Sue Rodgers is the soloist in "The (Continued On Page Four)



BRIG. GEN. C. P. KERR Coming to Ranger

Gen. C. P. Kerr One of Visitors For Dedication

Brigadier General Clayton P. Kerr of Dallas, Commander of the 49th Armored Division of Texas National Guard, will be one of the ranking army generals to visit Ranger during the dedication ceremonies of the new \$80,000 National Guard Armory on Army Day, Saturday, May 18.

General Kerr will introduce the principal speaker on the dedication program who is Major General Albert Sidney Johnson, Commander of the 49th Armored Division, and the man who gave the \$80,000 building to Ranger.

General Kerr's career as a citizen soldier began in October 1918 when he enlisted in the 6th Texas Cavalry. He rose rapidly in the Non-Commissioned ranks, becoming regimental sergeant major of the 6th Texas Cavalry and later brigade sergeant major of the 72nd Infantry Brigade, 36th Division.

In 1921 Kerr was commissioned a second lieutenant in the cavalry, but he was not to remain in the cavalry long. In 1923 he was transferred to the infantry to organize Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 344th Infantry in Dallas.

Three years later he organized Company E, 144th Infantry and commanded the unit until 1938 when he was transferred to the regimental staff.

In 1939 Kerr was promoted to major and a year later to lieutenant colonel. With the latter promotion he was given command of the 2nd Battalion, 144th Infantry. He and his battalion were part of the 36th Division when it was mustered into Federal service in November 1940.

He was with the Division during the hard fought Italian campaign, beginning at the Salerno beachhead and carrying into Northern Italy. His decorations include the Legion of Merit with Oak Leaf Clusters, officer of the Order of the British Empire, grand commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy, commander of the Order of Saints Maurizio and Lazarus of Italy, the Italian War Cross for valor, the Italian War Cross for Merit, and Knight Commander of the Order of Malta.

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Farmers Union To Meet In Breck

The Stephens County Farmers Union will meet in the District Courtroom at Breckenridge on Tuesday evening, May 14, at 7:30 o'clock, it has been announced by Mrs. Smith, secretary of the union.

Bill Jordan of Snyder will be the speaker.

The Farmers Union is one of the oldest of all farm organizations and had its origin in Texas, having been chartered at Point, Texas, in August of 1902.

Little Leaguers To Parade As Baseball Season Opens Monday



\$80,000 GIFT to City of Ranger by Texas National Guard will be dedicated on Army Day, Saturday, May 18, with Major General Albert Sidney Johnson Commander of the 49th Armored Division and the man responsible for the building being here, delivering the dedicatory address. Impressive ceremonies have been arranged with full strength

of both Cisco and Breckenridge Howitzer Batteries taking part, together with helicopters from Mineral Wells Helicopter School. The parade and dedication program will be followed by a turkey barbecue to be held at the new Armory. All of Texas is invited. CAPPS STUDIO PRINT.

School Calendar Coming Events

- May 15: WSCS Luncheon First Methodist Church for Ranger High School Seniors and Ranger Junior College Graduates, 12-Noon
- May 17: Class Day Program, final assembly of the year for the Seniors, Auditorium, 2:45 p.m. Public invited to attend.
- May 19: Baccalaureate Services, 8:00 p.m., High School Auditorium. Father C. Boesmans, Speaker.
- May 20: Through May 22—Final Examinations.
- May 24: Sixth Grade Graduation Exercises, 10:30 a.m., High School Auditorium.
- May 24: Eighth Grade Graduation Exercises, 1:00 p.m., High School Auditorium.
- May 24: Senior Commencement, 8:00 p.m., High School Auditorium.

Ranger Lions Elect New Officers Thurs.

Dr. M. E. Jolly was elected Retiring president Ronald Pruet will also take a place on the Board of Directors, and the two hold-over members are Joe Dennis and Joe Fabry.

It was agreed that all new officers be installed at a Ladies Night meeting to be held sometime after the dismissal of school for the summer.

Ranger Lions also voted not to meet at the regular time next Thursday, May 18, at 6 p.m., at the new Armory building where they would attend dedication ceremonies and feast on barbecue afterwards.

The Lions also voted to extend an invitation to the Eastland Lions to hold their meeting in Ranger next week at the dedication of the new building, and to come as "paying guests" for the barbecue.

All Clubs In Ranger Asked To Attend Dedication Program

Officers of the National Guard in Ranger have asked that the presidents of all clubs and organizations in the city, having meetings this coming week, urge upon their memberships the desirability of meeting in a body at the new National Guard Armory to attend the dedication ceremonies on Saturday evening, May 18, and staying for the turkey barbecue afterwards.

Efforts are being made to get at least a part of the 49th Division Band here for the occasion in order to furnish certain ceremonial music that the Ranger High School Band does not know. There are certain occasions when a top commanding general needs a certain amount of traditional, ceremonial music, to accompany his activities, and this is one of those occasions.

Service Battery will present its sweetheart, Miss Jeannie Pittman of Eastland, who is a strong candidate for sweetheart of the entire 49th Division, and if she were elected to this post it would be a feather in the hat of the Ranger unit. At any rate, the officers and men here are firmly of the opinion it won't do her any harm to meet the commanding general.

Eastland is sending the colorful Eastland County Sheriff's Posse, a prize-winning organization that has won every event it has entered. It will be a great day, provided everybody in Ranger will show up and help put it over.

.20-In. Fall Here Early Saturday

Rain totaling .20 inches fell here before day Saturday morning May 11, and more thundershowers are forecast for both Saturday and Sunday. Total rain for May now stands at 4.78. Total rain since Jan. 1, as recorded at the Times is 14.05. Total since Dec. 18 is 18.55.

Parade Forms At Depot At 5:45; Marches to Park

The 1957 Little League Baseball Season gets under way in Ranger Monday with a parade down Main Street of all four Little League teams in uniform, their managers, the Ranger High School Band, and all players in the Minor League.

The parade will take off from the depot at 5:45 and march directly to Little League Park where the first game of the season will get underway at 6:30. Games scheduled Monday night are Giants vs. Yankees and Indians vs. Dodgers.

Everybody in town, of course, is invited to be there, and a good crowd usually shows up counting all the kids' parents and kin folks and friends and baseball fans in general.

Play is expected to be a little ragged in spots because the youngsters have not had a chance to work out very much with all the rain and wet grounds of the past two or three weeks, but the score board can count up to at least a hundred if anybody makes that many runs, and regardless of the lack of practice any of them have had, they are all in the same boat.

All of the team managers have now cut their squads to 15 men each, and the boys who did not make the regular squads were placed in the Minor League. Games will be scheduled throughout the season for these Minor Leaguers and they will be given an opportunity to play a lot of baseball, thus placing them in the front line to make the regular squads next year. This is a situation that always happens.

The rules state that no team can have more than 15 men, and it works a terrible hardship on the managers because they really and truly hate to cut a boy off. But the boys who are cut and placed in the Minors are almost always the front-line players on the regular squads the following year.

The Times was to have been furnished rosters of the final 15 players left on all four squads after the cuts were made, but Leonard Pounds, Little League president, and D. C. Arterburn, Player Auction Manager, were out of town and these lists were not available for publication today. They will be printed later, however. (Continued On Page Four)

Young School Noses Out Olden 36-1 Wednesday

Big bats boomed Wednesday afternoon as Young School Yellow-jackets collected 39 hits to squeak by the Olden Grammar School Hornets 36-1 in a softball game that was played on the Young School field.

Young played a total of 21 men during the game, with 16 of them getting at least one hit. Bobby Owen and Jerry Jones led the hitting with five clouts each. Superb fielding by the Yellow-jackets limited the Hornets to their lone run.

The box score follows:

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| Bobby Owen | 6 5 7 0 |
| Jerry Jones | 6 5 0 1 |
| Alfonso Vasquez | 6 2 0 1 |
| J. R. O'Shields | 6 4 0 2 |
| John May | 5 4 0 1 |
| Glenn Patton | 2 1 0 0 |
| Denny Ewing | 1 0 0 0 |
| Arthur Merritt | 5 3 5 3 |
| Butch Seymour | 4 1 0 1 |
| Timmy Hagan | 4 2 0 0 |
| Buddy Harper | 1 1 0 1 |
| Donald Gore | 0 0 0 0 |
| Joseph Tidwell | 0 0 0 0 |
| Roy McGough | 3 2 0 0 |
| Danny Robinson | 4 4 2 0 |
| L. H. Pounds | 2 1 0 1 |
| Dwight Rogers | 2 2 0 0 |
| Ray Newham | 1 0 0 0 |
| James Eaton | 0 0 0 0 |
| Arville Davis | 1 1 0 0 |
| James Stephens | 1 1 0 0 |



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Rev. Boyd Makes Announcements For 1st Methodist

Mother's Day will be observed Sunday at the First Methodist Church in a way fitting for the occasion. At the morning worship 10:50 o'clock, the pastor will speak on, Christian Motherhood. The Chancel Choir will sing the anthem, "Rest in the Lord" by Gilbert. The rite of infant baptism will be administered at the service. All parents who desire to dedicate their children through this holy rite will present them Sunday.

The Sunday school will meet at 9:45 a.m. Honor your mother by attending Sunday School and help make a high record for the year. Bible study in a class will help you in your Christian life.

The M. Y. F. meets at 4:45 p.m. for a program and refreshments. Special music by visiting singers.

The Childrens Hour is 6 p.m. with classes in special courses for all girls and boys of Kindergarten, Primary and Junior ages.

The evening worship at 7:00 o'clock will be a special service featuring a children's choir from the Wycliff School of Fort Worth. The pastor will bring the sermon. Be in your church on Mother's Day and every Sunday.

Christian Science

The true status of man, created in the perfect image and likeness of God, Spirit, will be set forth at Christian Science services Sunday in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Adam and Fallen Man."

Luke's account of one of Christ Jesus' healings will be included in the Scriptural readings (Luke 5:12, 13): "And it came to pass, when he was in a certain city, he beheld a man full of leprosy who seeing Jesus fell on his face, and besought him, saying, Lord, if thou wilt, thou canst make me clean. And he put forth his hand, and touched him, saying, I will; be thou clean. And immediately the leprosy departed from him."

From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy the following passage will be among those read (259:6-11): "The divine nature was best expressed in Christ Jesus, who threw upon mortals the truer reflection of God and lifted their lives higher than their poor thought-models would allow... thoughts which presented man as fallen, sick, sinning and dying."

ACKER CEMETERY Working Set For Friday

The Acker Cemetery working will be held Friday, May 17. Everyone is to bring work tools and a picnic lunch, according to the cemetery committee. It is urged that everyone having loved ones in the cemetery come out and help with the cleaning as the grass and weeds have grown tremendously due to the recent rains.

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The following is the weekly schedule for St. Rita's Catholic Church:

Holy Mass every Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

Evening devotions on Sundays at 7 p.m.

Study club for the high school students Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

Study club for the Junior College students Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Religion class for the grade school students at 6:30 p.m. Thursdays.

Rev. Fr. Boesmans, pastor of St. Rita's Catholic Church, is always available to give information and to explain the Catholic faith to those who want to know more about it. This information is given without any obligation whatsoever and without prejudice against any other religion.

Special Services Honoring Mothers At First Baptist

Special services honoring "Mothers" have been scheduled for the morning worship hour at the First Baptist Church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Recognition will be given to the youngest mother, and to the oldest mother, and to the mother with the most children present.

The pastor will deliver a message designed to be of value to the youth of the city, as well as to render assistance to parents who need this particular type of Bible reference as to the plan of God for man.

The Sunday School and the Training Union will be ready for the continued increase in attendance, the pastor said. "If you are not attending a Sunday school or Training Union you will find these two organizations of supreme value to the lives of all age groups."

Rev. Perkins said, "The pastor's theme for the 8 p.m. service will be 'Making the Right Choice for Life.' Pointing out that youth should keep in mind the fact they will not pass this way but once, the pastor said 'preparation is vital for a full, complete and successful life.'"

The nursery will be open for all services.

Church of God Services Set

The following is the weekly schedule of services for the Church of God, Strawn Road and First St. as announced by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Atkins.

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Mesquite & Rusk Church of Christ Announcements

Lonnie Brannan, minister of the Church of Christ, Mesquite & Rusk, extends a sincere invitation to one and all to attend the services of the Church of Christ, Sunday, the Lord's Day. At 10:45 a.m. the preacher will speak on the subject, "Hannah". The 7:30 p.m. sermon topic will be, "Customs and the Faith."

Other services in the Church calendar are as follows: Bible study, Sunday, 9:45 a.m.; Ladies Bible Class, Tuesday, 2 p.m.; Mid-week services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. A friendly welcome awaits you at all of the services of the church.

Mr. Brannan gave the following thought for the day: "Christians are those persons who believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God, and who have accepted Him as their Lord and Saviour. They have been born anew, of the water and of the Spirit. They are new creatures, saints, peculiar people, zealous of good works; Spirit-led and Spirit-filled men and women. No one is a Christian merely because he goes to church, any more than, that he is a saint because he drinks milk; God's calls are Christians, and all Christians are saints."

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First Methodist Conference Set For Thursday

The First Methodist quarterly conference will be held Thursday evening following a Family night covered dish supper at 7:00 o'clock. The entire membership of the church is invited to attend the supper and conference. Rev. Allen A. Peacock, district superintendent of the Cisco District will be in charge of the conference, at which time all officials will make reports of their organizations and committees. The nominating committee will offer the nominees for the officials for the new year and elections will be made.

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CONCRETE EVIDENCE—"Grandma Moses Loves Picasso"—that's what it says in this freshly laid San Francisco sidewalk. Newspaperboy Carl Kirby, 14, puzzles over the statement. Those who disagree will have to drive their point home with a chisel—the concrete has set.

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ELABORATE TEA—Complimenting Miss Dean Halliday, third from left, Mrs. R. M. Love (L.), and a group of hostesses entertained at the Love Home, 1709 West Crescent Drive, Saturday afternoon, April 27 with a festive gift tea. Shown before a table laid with white organdy and linen and holding an arrangement of Madonna lilies with car-

nations and foliage are Mrs. Love, (L.), Mrs. Tom Halliday of Ranger, mother of the honoree, Miss Halliday, and Mrs. O. G. Lanier, Sr., mother of the prospective bridegroom, Gilbert Lanier. The couple will speak vows June 23 in Ranger. Miss Halliday teaches in Bowie Junior High School.

Decor Features White Doves In Bridal Gift Tea Setting

Featuring blue and white decor accented with white doves throughout the beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Love, 1709 W. Crescent Drive, Odessa hostesses entertained Saturday afternoon, April 27 with a bridal gift tea honoring Miss Dean Halliday, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Halliday of Ranger and bride-elect of O. G. Lanier Jr., of Ranger.

Co-hostesses were Meses. Jimmy Wood, Joe Cross, Dallas McDovald, Frank Embury, Monroe Bueis, Bill Rogers, Jack McIntosh and J. G. Harrell. All wore tea gowns and blue and white corsages.

Guests were received by Mrs. Love, who wore a pink dress of raw silk shantung. The bride-elect wore a white silk linen sheath dress fashioned with an empire waist accented by blue satin. Her corsage was of white feathered carnations with blue tulle and ribbon centered around two white doves. Her mother, Mrs. Halliday, wore a sheath of champagne lace accented by cummerbund of champagne satin. Mrs. Lanier, mother of the future bridegroom, wore a pink lace dress over pink taffeta. All wore corsages of white carnations and blue ribbon centered around a tiny dove.

High over head on a brick wall of the foyer was a huge all white arrangement with trees, hough, blossoms and two doves perched on a nest. Ribbon streamers extended along the wall with gold letters that announced "Dean and Gilbert - June 23."

In the large den, looking out on the patio and flowering garden, guests were registered in a leather musical bride's book, a gift from the hostesses. A blue vase held white carnations. Presiding were Mrs. Walter Pruitt, sister of the future bridegroom; Miss Enola Harlin and Mrs. Edna Carroll, sister of the bride-elect.

Tea music was provided in the living room by Miss Marcia Marlow, Miss Wilma Baze and Miss Nancy Hobbs. On the piano burned white tapers in polished brass candelabra and at the base of each candle, white doves nestled in a circle of tulle and maid in the mist flowers.

In the French provincial dining room the tea table was laid with a white organdy and linen cloth. The same theme was carried out in table decor with Madonna lilies and a foundation of maid in the mist and blue tulle with white birds.

Pouring during the afternoon were Meses. Leola Martin of Ranger, Joe Cross and Monroe Bueis. Crystal service was used for serving punch, cookies and sandwiches.

After tea, guests were shown to the guest bedroom decorated in white classic provincial furniture with colors of pink and blue where the king size bed showed a spread of blue velvet and skirt with draperies in harmonizing colors of handpainted print depicting the fountains of Rome.

The boy's room is in red and grey. Gifts were displayed in the master bedroom done in turquoise and gold with French provincial bedroom suite in fruitwood. On the big double dresser stood a pitcher and wash bowl containing yellow roses. On tables covered with white cloths were displayed gifts of crystal, pottery, stainless steel and linens. Misses Jane Lightfoot and Patsy Halliday assisted in the gift room.

On the glass top, blue wrought-iron table in the dining area, pink

Women's Activities

May 13

The WSCS will meet Monday at 12 noon for a luncheon and installation of new officers. Annual reports will be given.

May 14

The 1947 Club will meet Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Myrtle George with Mrs. Morris George as hostess. Mrs. George Robinson will bring the program.

May 16

The Mary Martha Circle of the First Christian Church will meet at the church at 1:00 Thursday for their monthly covered dish luncheon.

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The closing meeting of the 1926 Club will be a coffee at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, in the home of the president, Mrs. R. L. Hamrick, with Mrs. G. B. Rush as co-hostess. Officers for the coming year will be installed at this time. All 1926 Club members are urged to be present.

May 16

The Ranger Branch of the American Association of University Women will have a dinner at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, at Ranger Hall, the college cafeteria. Music will be provided by Miss Vivian Simmons and Miss Jackie Cornelison of the college, and Mrs. James P. Morris will give a book review. Officers for the new year will be presented. AAUW members are asked to call Mrs. R. L. Hamrick to make their reservations no later than Tuesday, May 14.

Cisco District WSCS Meets In Graham

The Cisco District WSCS meeting and training day was held in the First Methodist Church in Graham Thursday, May 9, at 10 a. m.

The program was presided over by the president, Mrs. Joe Rogers of Caddo. The main theme was Christ for the Work. The opening song was "Jesus Shall Reign" and the invocation was led by Rev. R. N. Greenwald, pastor of the Graham Methodist Church. Mrs. Greenwald sang a solo. The welcome address was given by Mrs. Ware and Mrs. Joiner of Cisco read the minutes. Following the roll call, Mrs. Horany of Cisco gave the treasurer's report. Impressions of the annual conference were given by Mrs. Frank Ricketts of Olney.

Following the program the group adjourned to separate rooms for periods of instruction.

After lunch the pledge service was conducted by Mrs. Horany and memorial service conducted by Mrs. Doyle Birchfield of Cross Plains. The meeting was closed with a solo by Mrs. Coarse of Graham.

Those attending from Ranger were: Meses. A. Deffebach, A. J. Ratliff, W. J. Croager, T. D. Stewart and G. O. Strong.

Lottie Bonney and Marge Lamb.

The banquet table was beautifully decorated with yellow roses, the sorority flower, and yellow candles.

Those attending besides those mentioned were: Dorothy Crossley, Vivian Simmons, Virginia Dennis, Betty Huffman, Clara Landers, Norma Bills and Lorene Oliver.



MISS PHYLLIS KRIBBS

June Wedding Set for Miss Phyllis Kribbs and Robert Glenn Duke

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Kribbs of Odessa announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis Ann, to Robert Glenn Duke, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Duke of Terminal. Miss Kribbs is the niece of Miss Waidine Kribbs of Ranger.

The couple will exchange formal wedding vows at 7 p.m. June 22 in the sanctuary of the Highland Methodist Church in Odessa, with Dr. M. Buren Stewart, pastor, officiating.

The bride-elect is to graduate from Odessa High School in May. She is a member of the Friendship Assembly of Rainbow Girls No. 259, and was charter worthy advisor of the organization. She was a member of the senior band during her sophomore year and served as a junior usher during her junior year. She plans to enter college this fall and major in physical education.

The prospective bridegroom, a graduate of Midland High School and Odessa College, will receive his degree from Texas Western College in El Paso in June, as a member of Phi Kappa Tau fraternity and is employed as pilot with South West Air Rangers of Midland and El Paso.

VISITS MOTHER

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Mary Crabb the past few days was her daughter, Mrs. Frances Johnson of Dallas. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crabb, officiating.

VISITING FROM TULSA

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Garden Club Has Program on Iris

The Ranger Garden Club held its regular monthly meeting Thursday morning, May 9, at the Community Club House. After a short business session Mrs. Herman Boyd, a member of the program committee of the club, introduced Mrs. Bonner Darby of Weatherford. Mrs. Darby, a prominent garden club member in Weatherford, is a successful grower of iris, and she gave a very interesting and authoritative discussion of iris and iris culture. She brought many beautiful species of iris from her own garden to show. Iris, according to Mrs. Darby, is adapted to most soils, taking little care, and is well adapted to Texas climate. Accompanying Mrs. Darby was Mrs. Earl Bruce, a former Rangerite and the sister-in-law of Mrs. L. Bruce.

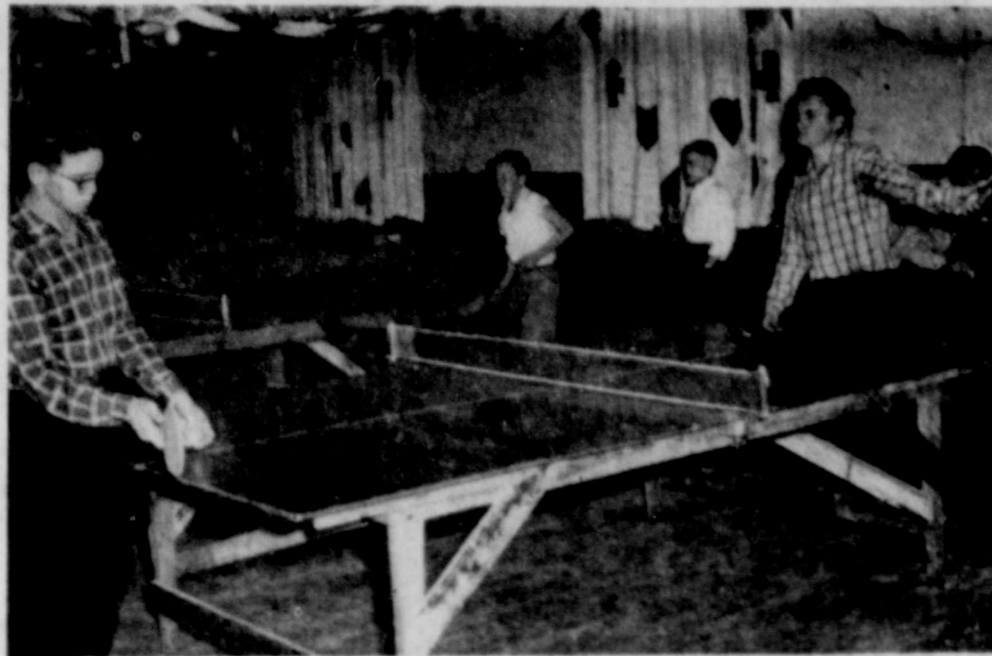
Twenty-five members were present. After the meeting Mrs. L. Bruce entertained the visitors from Weatherford with a luncheon in her home. Also attending the luncheon were Mrs. R. L. Hamrick, president of the Ranger Garden Club, and two members of the program committee, Mrs. Herman Boyd and Mrs. J. B. Craig.

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GAMES GALORE—Lee King, left, and Tommy Ford engage in a game of ping pong in Ranger's Teen Town. Other games available include shuffle board, dominoes, checkers and billiards. Starting soon, Teen Town's summer hours will be on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday nights.



TAG DANCE TIME—Frankie Landroop, David Wharton, Norma Mace and Gail Rapp, pictured from left to right, participate in a tag dance. Frankie claims Gail for this number at Ranger's Teen Town.



REFRESHMENTS ARE WELCOME—Sampling cookies around the punch bowl are from left, Jerry Bradshaw, Dean Ritchie, Alec Eakin, Melvin Anderson, Deede Nussle, Bert Young and Jill Watkins. The Teen Town Mothers Club helps out in this activity.

Teen Town Closing First Full Year of Operations

What's Cooking—

(Continued from Page One) people get, many of whom are sleeping on concrete floors? How much did the school teachers get, whom the legislators loved so dearly last Fall? How much water have they provided for the State of Texas, when some of them were going to dig a canal all the way from the Great Lakes?

ting ready to take to the airways to sell everybody something nobody wants. He is going to try to sell you on his \$72 Billion Budget, on his foreign aid giveaway, on his Federal school construction bill which would turn the schools over to the Federal government, and on his Civil Rights program.

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The students, themselves, sell memberships to Teen Town for \$1.00 per quarter, and all these dollars are kept by the Student Council to be used for whatever purpose they decide. Sometimes they spend some money on decorations and at other times on new equipment, but the youngsters have the final word on where any of their money goes.

It would be impossible to single out one small group of names among the mothers and say they were responsible for the activities of the Mothers Club, because every member works hard and long in helping the youngsters stage their various events, and all of them spend long hours in their kitchens cooking up refreshments and nicknacks, and you can be sure all of them will be appropriate for the occasion whether Valentines, Hatchets or Four Leaf Clovers.

During football season Teen Town is loaded to the rafters after each home game. Not only do the youngsters make straight for Teen Town in a body, but they take a lot of the visiting kids with them and everybody enjoys Cokes, sandwiches, cookies and a rehash of the ball game. Time has gone when school kids once tore up the town after a victory.

Recently during Ranger's clean-up campaign, Teen Town Mothers sought volunteer painters to give the building a fresh coat of paint and made a city-wide appeal for donations of shrubs to be used in a lawn beautification program, with Mrs. A. N. Larson chairman of the Teen Town lawn beautification committee, Ranger responded with enough shrubs to completely landscape the premises, and volunteers dug holes and put them out.

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exactly where to go. Not only has Teen Town given the young people of Ranger a place they can call their own, and a place in which they take a fierce amount of pride in running and maintaining in the highest tradition of good taste, but it has given the parents of Ranger children a peace of mind they have never known before.

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Waycliff Chorus—

(Continued from Page 1) Blue Tailed Fly, Michael Davis does choral readings for "Steal Away" and "Rock of Ages."

Among the most noteworthy members is Gwendolyn Ball, leader of the alto section and the ringer voted by the boys a girl as "Our Most Valuable Member."

The program repertoire includes several secular numbers such as "Seeing Nellie Home, Sweet Betty From Pike, The Blue Tailed Fly, Sixteen Tons and When Johnny Comes Marching Home."

Spiritual numbers include Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho, Steal Away, Rocks My Soul and I Gotta Robe.

Sacred numbers include For the Beauty of the Earth, Fairest Lord Jesus, O God Beneath Thy Guiding Hand, How Lovely Are the Messengers, In the Garden, Rock of Ages, Father Hear Us As We Pray and Battle Hymn of the Republic.

The public is cordially invited to attend the concert, says the Rev. R. Herman Boyd, pastor.

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Edwin E. Varner Enroute to U. S. Aboard Carrier

SIDNEY, Australia — Edwin E. Varner, aviation electrician's mate first class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Varner of 709 Tiffin road, and husband of the former Miss Pansy I. Robinson of 611 Tiffin road, all of Ranger, left Sidney, Australia, May 7 enroute to the U. S. aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Bennington.

During the two-week visit, the "big stop" of a seven-month cruise, the carrier's crew members witnessed Australia's 15th anniversary celebration of the "Battle of the Coral Sea."

"Legging homeward," the Bennington will make a short stop in Pearl Harbor, T. H., and then continue for her scheduled arrival at San Diego, Calif., May 22.

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