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# RANGER DAILY TIMES

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THE RANGER DAILY TIMES is the oldest daily newspaper in Harrison County, the first edition appearing on June 1, 1919. World news is furnished the readers through United Press daily wire service.

## Soviet Demands Again Block Austrian Treaty

Well...  
I Dunno,  
But...

Well, the egg stories are getting bigger and better. But it isn't a matter of size with a hen belonging to A. F. Stevens. The hen leans slightly to the aristocratic and evidently wants to see that her owner is proper in all respects, even to monogrammed eggs.

Mr. Stevens presented us with an egg this morning, laid by one of his hens and clear as anything right on the end is an "S". No sir, that hen ain't just no ordinary speckled hen, she's an Emily Post observing aristocrat, and we suggest monograms for the nest.

A bit of Hollywood stopped in Ranger Sunday night when Raymond Hatton and Ed Hiler, Monogram actors, stopped overnight at the Gholson Hotel.

We aren't acquainted with the gentlemen, but those what know, say Hatton is tops in the West-erns.

And to think that we slept right through their arrival and that close to celebrities, too.

Read something last night that sure struck us as being very true. Emerson was quoted as having said that "revolution is a good thing if you know what to do with it." The reply to that was "we admire Grandpa's revolution but never the one going on under our noses."

And like we've said before it takes courage and decisiveness to make the most of any reform or revolution. Goodness knows, we've got every opportunity right here in our own midst.

We have come to feel that the inability to make a quick and decisive decision is a pitiful state of affairs. The fellow that flounders in a sea of indecision is a lot more hopeless than the fellow that just doesn't care. After all inertia can sometimes hold a latent spark.

Too, it's better to make a decision and do something about it and be proved wrong than to be one of the fellows that never know what to do, and so just lets things rock—and go to pot.

You know it's a sight what people will blame on the weather. If that accumulation of elements was animated, it'd be a big fight every day, 'cause no human would take the blame for such things as get laid at the door of the weather.

If it's cold they can't get out to get "it" done. If it's hot they are afraid of a sunstroke. If it's pleasant weather, they let "it" go to fishing or take a spin over the country. So we guess that there just ain't no weather that can't be an excuse when they want it that way.

But here's one that beats 'em all. Over the wire this morning was a story about the Israeli and Arab troops throwing snowballs at each other from front-line positions.

Can you beat it! Here hasn't been but a few weeks ago that they couldn't get weapons hot enough to throw at each other and they weren't playing with each other then, either.

But like we've said before, snow does change the monotony of things, anyway. And zero weather in the Holy Land packed along a nice sized snowfall.

### City Taxes Due By February 10

City Secretary Lester Crossley called to the attention of the people of Ranger today that February 10 is the deadline for payment of city taxes without penalty.

The deadline was extended from January 31 because of the very bad weather during January and to give citizens every opportunity to pay the taxes without assessment of penalties.

Citizens are urged to take care of their city tax obligations at once.



HOFFMAN ASKS MORE FOREIGN AID

At a joint session in Washington, the House and Senate Foreign Relations committees heard foreign aid chief Paul G. Hoffman ask for help to assure the world's "peace and stability" in the form of a multi-billion dollar extension of the Marshall Plan. Left to right: Chairman Tom Connally of Senate Committee; Chairman Sol Bloom of the House group; Hoffman; Secretary of State Dean Acheson, and ECA's Roving Ambassador Averell Harriman.

### AIR FORCE PLANNING ANOTHER SPEED TEST

By Charles Cordery  
United Press Aviation Writer  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (UP)—The Air Force hopes to give the nation another spectacular display of bomber speed by flying a 100-ton flying wing non stop from Muroc, Cal., to Andrews Air Force Base, Md., it was disclosed today.

Air Force officers said it was not certain yet that the eight jet B-49 Northrop bomber would be able to make the speed dash, but officers at Muroc Air Force Base have been instructed to do so if possible.

This flight would follow yesterday's spectacular 3 hour 46 minute cross-country hop of a smaller six-jet Boeing B-47 bomber. Averaging 607.2 miles per hour over a 2,289 mile course from Moses Lake, Wash., to Andrews Field, the Stratojet easily set a new unofficial transcontinental speed record. It flew at 32,000 to 37,000 foot altitudes. It is believed capable of higher speed.

These and other futuristic planes are being assembled at nearby Andrews for an exhibition on Feb. 15 for members of the House Armed Services Committee.

Any favorable impression their feats might make on Russia in the current cold war would be welcomed by American officials but they stress the fact that these planes are not now a part of the combat air force.

There are only two B-47's flying. Ten are on order at Boeing's Wichita, Kans., plant and more are expected to be ordered soon.

Orders for 30 B-49's recently were cancelled and it is not known whether they will be reinstated. They are rated at 500-miles an hour.

Use of B-47's, which have an officially acknowledged range of 2,200 miles and a bomb load of 10 tons, in tactical units would seem to be at least a year away—probably longer.

When if ever jet bombers will have the 7,500 to 10,000-mile range of current American piston engine heavies is debated among industry experts. But it is significant.

### Curtis Sharpe Hurt In Fall

Curtis Sharpe of Ranger is in the Ranger General Hospital where he is being treated for a fracture of the left leg below the knee.

According to reports of the accident, Sharpe was working on an oil tank car at the Lone Star Tank Car Shop in Ranger, Tuesday when he lost his balance and fell from the car. Sharpe told relatives that when he realized that he had lost his balance and would fall from the car that he made an effort to jump, rather than fall head first.

Attending physicians stated that he is in a satisfactory condition. It was stated today that Sharpe was with Willard Seymour on the job last week when Seymour was burned in an explosion.

that the B-47 probably can equal World War II ranges now, with three times the speed and more bomb load.

As for commercial flights like yesterday's B-47 crossing, A United Press survey of five manufacturers and six major airlines indicates that jet airliners able to fly from San Francisco to New York in five hours are at least five years away, probably longer.

The fastest previous transcontinental flight was made by an F-80 jet fighter in 4 hours, 13 minutes, 23 seconds.

### Mitchum Waits Court Action

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 9 (UP)—Screen star Robert Mitchum goes to court today to find out if he will spend the next few months in jail for a narcotics violation.

The sleepy-eyed movie hero could be given probation on the charge and he is counting on the judge letting him off easy—with perhaps a fine and a stern lecture.

He already had reservations to fly to Mexico City Saturday with the cast of his latest film which he has been making while awaiting sentence.

Mitchum was due in court at 11 A. M. (CST) along with actress Lila Leeds and rector Robin Ford, who were arrested with the movie star in a raid on Miss Leeds' hilltop home. Arresting officers said all three were holding "reefers" when the house was raided.

The three were convicted after offering no defense to a charge of conspiracy to possess marijuana when they appeared in court last Jan. 10. Ford has since been picked up on a second narcotics charge.

### Doolittle Raiders Get Lost In Fog

GALVESTON, Tex., Feb. 9 (UP)—A trio of the famous Doolittle raiders who pinpointed Tokyo in its first air raid of the war, got fog-bound last night and couldn't locate Galveston Island.

The men, Col. E. B. Holstrom, Maj. Billy Fitzhugh and Capt. Bryan Thompson, were here to arrange for the annual reunion of Jimmy Doolittle's airmen, to be held in Galveston in April.

Out for a sight-seeing tour, they decided to take a boat up the Houston ship channel.

A heavy fog rolled in and they missed a Chamber of Commerce banquet that was to have welcomed them to Galveston.

When hanging the family wash, hang each garment straight and by its longest part to make it last longer, look better and easier to iron.

### V A Medical Care Not Available To Vet. Families

Robert D. Deputy, Itinerant Contract Representative of the Veterans Administration, wishes the following information brought to the attention of all veterans in this area.

Wives and children of veterans are not entitled to the hospital and outpatient treatment allowed the veterans themselves. This statement is made in answer to "a number of recent inquiries."

"Many wives of veterans were treated by Army and Navy doctors while their husbands were in the service," Deputy said. "Now, some of the wives erroneously believe they are entitled to treatment under veteran's laws," he added.

Only ex-service men and women, if discharged under conditions other than dishonorable, are entitled to hospital treatment under the following priority system.

- (1) Emergency cases.
- (2) Those suffering from injuries or diseases incurred in or aggravated by military service.
- (3) Those who state under oath they are unable to pay hospital charges for treatment of non-service-connected disabilities or illnesses. The veterans, if not in the emergency category, must wait until a bed becomes available.

### Country Club To Put In New Line

In a meeting of the members of the Ranger Country Club held Tuesday night at the clubhouse, it was voted to put in a new water line from the lake to the club and golf grounds.

After deciding to renovate the line, Evis Landers, president, appointed A. N. Larson, P. P. Brashler Sr., Howard Oliver, Price Crawley and M. L. King, as a committee to supervise the project.

The work will be speeded in order to take advantage of the low level of the lake.

Thirty-five members were present for the meeting and the supper which preceded it.

### People Reminded Of Senior Party

The senior class of Ranger High School again extended to the people of Ranger an invitation to attend their bingo party at the Recreation Building Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The seniors are giving the party as part of their program for raising funds for the class trip to New Orleans and promise a good time to all of those who attend.

Almost seven out of every ten farms in the United States now have electric power.

### Dallas Doctors Speakers At Medical Meet

Dr. Charles Bloss of Dallas and Dr. Paul Thomas, also of Dallas were the guest speakers Tuesday night when the Eastland-Callahan Counties Medical Society met at the Gholson Hotel in Ranger at 7:30 o'clock.

Dr. Bloss spoke on "Psycho Therapy and General Practice" and Dr. Thomas discussed "Recent Advances in Management of Heart Disease."

In a business session, Dr. R. G. Baker of Fort Worth, councillor for the 13th District of the Texas Medical Society, urged on those present the need of informing the public against socialized medicine.

Dr. E. E. Eddy of Cisco, president, presided at the meeting which was preceded by a dinner at which wives of the doctors were also guests. Following the dinner the women went to the home of Mrs. Calvin Harris for a business meeting of the Auxiliary of the Society.

Members of the society attending the meeting were, from Eastland, Doctors Cowen, Eaton, Townsend and Murdock; from Baird, Dr. Stubblefield; from Cisco, Doctors Graham, Ball, and Adley; from Gorman, Doctors Blackwell, Cole and Jackson; from Rising Star, Dr. Bradley and from Ranger, Doctors Kuykendall, Wier, Harris, Watkins and Brazda.

### Cold Front And Fog Grip Texas

By United Press  
A mild cold front brought peculiar weather conditions to Texas today with only about half the state feeling the chill and much of the remainder experiencing the worst fog of the year.

The cold front was felt in the Panhandle, South Plains and North Texas, but from Dallas southward sharply higher temperatures were reported.

It was 24 at Clarendon, 27 at Amarillo, 30 at Big Spring in the south plains area and 35 at Dallas, but at Waco it was 45. Further south, Austin reported 51, San Antonio 53, Corpus Christi and Beaumont 61 and Brownsville 66.

The fog at Houston paralyzed sea and air traffic. It was called the thickest of the year, and was blamed for a train crash in which two crewmen were hurt.

The cold front came after one of the warmest days of the year with many weather stations reporting readings in the 70s. Brownsville's 81 was yesterday's maximum. It was 73 at Fort Worth, 72 at Dallas and Abilene and 70 at Waco and Austin. However, Amarillo had a high of only 43 yesterday.

Other points besides Houston reporting dense fog this morning were Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Austin, Victoria, Beaumont, and Bryan. Beaumont had 1.26 inches of rain during the past 24 hours. The outlook was for partly cloudy weather during the next 24 hours with not much change in temperatures.

### Funeral For Former Resident Due Thursday

Funeral services for Mrs. Eddie Giles of El Paso will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Macedonia Baptist Church in Ranger. Rev. H. T. Wise of Fort Worth will officiate and interment will be in Evergreen cemetery. Morris Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

The deceased who had resided in Ranger until four years ago and is the mother of Ida Burnett of Ranger, died in El Paso Sunday, Feb. 6, 1949. She was born in Cameron, Texas, Dec. 25, 1868.

Survivors besides Mrs. Burnett of Ranger are three other daughters, Lisa House of Plano, Mary Dies of Highbank, and Edna Burk of El Paso; three sons, Tom Giles of Waco, Henry Giles of El Paso and Archie Giles of Waco.

Fallbearers will be Lonnie Baker, George Daley, Willie Walker, Sam Dunn, Norman Randall and Isiah Jenkins.

### RENEWS FIGHT FOR YUGOSLAVIA CLAIMS TO AUSTRIAN TERRITORY

#### Danish Plane Lost At Sea

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Feb. 9 (UP)—Twenty-three Spanish passengers and five Danish crewmen were missing and presumed dead today in the crash of a British-made Vickers-Viking Danish Airlines plane that plunged into the Baltic Sea near Malmo, Sweden last night.

The hunt for the plane was concentrated near the Swedish fishing village of Barsebeck, seven miles north of Malmo, where search parties reported finding wreckage believed to be from the plane.

But heavy rain and fog hampered search operations by harbor police and navy vessels in the waters of narrow arm of the Baltic touched by Sweden and Denmark.

The plane crashed shortly after 9 P. M. while preparing for an instrument landing at Kastrup Airbase here. It was en route from Madrid via Paris.

The morning newspaper Berlingske Tidende identified the passengers as a Spanish delegation en route to Copenhagen to negotiate a trade agreement and prominent Spanish businessmen bound for an industrial fair.

Airport officials said they were in radio contact with the plane at 8:56 P. M. They believed it crashed some six to 19 minutes later.

Residents of Barsebeck reported a tremendous explosion some time after eight o'clock last night.

#### Exams Announced By Civil Service

"The Civil Service Commission announced examinations for Mortgage Credit Aide, Valuation Aide, Construction Aide, and Underwriting Aide, to close March 8, 1949. Salaries range from \$2724.00 to \$2974.80 per annum, for employment in the Fort Worth area. Application forms and further information may be obtained from any Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at first and second class post offices where this announcement is posted or the Director, Fourteenth U. S. Civil Service Region, 210 South Harwood Street, Dallas 1, Texas."

"Also the Civil Service Commission announced examinations for Construction Examiner, Mortgage Credit Examiner, and Valuator, to close March 8, 1949. Salaries range from \$3727.20 to \$4479.60 per year, for employment in the Fort Worth area."

#### Life Imprisonment For Cardinal



Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty, as he appeared during the trial with his lawyer, has been sentenced by a Hungarian Peoples Court to life imprisonment for treason. The Cardinal and six co-defendants were found guilty of all charges, but the court found "extenuating circumstances" in the case of the Primate, against whom a sentence of death by hanging had been possible. (NEA Telephoto)

#### Slayer Queried In Ranger Thefts

Ranger Police today were checking with Vernon and Mineral Wells police relative to recent robberies in Ranger and which are now believed to have been committed by a young man and his middle-aged companion who are being held in connection with a slaying last week at Stephenville.

Ranger officers today were attempting to identify among the loot recovered in the possession of the two being held, items taken from robberies in Ranger homes recently. Homes recently entered and robbed were those of Ernest Shelton, Dr. P. M. Kuykendall and Mrs. Saunders Gregg.

Those held are Robert Bagwell, 17, and his uncle, Dan White, 48. White is reported to be an accomplice in the slaying of Crockett C. Ross, filling station operator at Stephenville, and which slaying Bagwell is alleged to have confessed.

Early this morning it had been reported that the youth had admitted burglaries in Ranger but substantiation of this had not been received at press time today.

The zone meeting at Stephenville Monday night took the place of the regular meeting and the club will not meet again until next Thursday.

R. V. Galloway, president of the Lions Club, today reminded the club members that there will not be a meeting of the club Thursday.

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#### THE WEATHER

East Texas — Partly cloudy, except occasional rain near the Coast and South portion this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Cooler in south portion tonight. Moderate southeast winds on the coast, becoming northerly on the upper coast tonight.

West Texas — Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Not much change in temperature.

Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today.  
Maximum ..... 48  
Minimum ..... 31  
Hour's Reading ..... 48  
Temperature the last 24 hours ending 8:00 A. M.  
Maximum ..... 73  
Minimum ..... 30



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## SOCIETY

Mrs. Carl White had as her guest over the week-end, her sister, Mrs. Minter and Mr. Minter and family of Odessa.

Mrs. R. A. Jones is in Arlington for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Audra Hausenfuss.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Myers had as their guests during the week-end, Mrs. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silver of Santo.

### Hospital News

Mrs. Mose Natz is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Sammie Summers who has been a medical patient in the

### Medical Prices Will Increase

Shortages always raises prices. The Texas Medical Association, by restricting enrollment in Texas medical schools, to barely enough to replace deaths and retirement has cut down our supply of doctors, especially in our rural areas, thereby causing a shortage and higher fees for services, while 3,000 per-med students find the gates barred against them.

This same association now plans to get control of the supply of all competitive healing professions, so they can cut off re placements in these professions and make the shortage even more acute and thus raise prices higher than today.

The Basic Science Bill (S. B. 63) is designed to give the Medical Association complete control of all branches of the healing arts and it is being pushed by unlimited funds and a high-priced lobby. If we, the people, do not write, phone or visit our senators and representatives, we will have this infamous legislation forced upon us.

This is a call for action. If you want to know the names of your legislators, phone this newspaper. Address letters to them at Capitol Station, Austin. Stop that Basic Science bill. Wire, write or phone today.

(Paid adv.)

West Texas Hospital has been dismissed.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Jennings is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. C. Buehholz of Santo who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been dismissed.

Dick Turner of Eastland has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital and has been dismissed.

Mrs. Jim Eubanks of Strawn is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Deany Reese of Eastland has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where she has been a medical patient.

H. H. Templeton of Breckenridge who has been in the West Texas Hospital for medical treatment has been dismissed.

Mrs. Ed Everett of Eastland who is a surgical patient in the West Texas Hospital is reported to be in a satisfactory condition.

C. A. Campbell has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where he had been a medical patient.

Mrs. Carrah Woods is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Young who has been in the West Texas Hospital for medical treatment has been dismissed.

Mrs. W. M. Brister and infant son have been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital.

Frank Day of Eastland who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been dismissed.

Mrs. Dorothy Penn Smith and infant son, Michael Penn Smith, were expected to be removed to their home from the West Texas Hospital.

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#### EAST

Colgate 74, Holy Cross 66.  
Boston College 63, Tampa 52.  
Dartmouth 55, Boston University 45.  
Wesleyan 51, Trinity 47.  
Rhode Island State 78, Bucknell University 42.  
Maryland 79, South Carolina 49

#### SOUTH

Concord State 69, Morris Harvey 64.  
Alabama 50, Mississippi State 45.  
Wofford 69, Catawba 63.  
Miami 68, Florida Southern 47.  
Florida 64, Lawrence Tech. 58.  
North Carolina State 82, Wake Forest 39.  
Kentucky 71, Tennessee 56.  
Virginia Poly Tech. 66, Virginia Military Inst. 53.  
Davis Elkins 90, West Virginia Wesleyan 72.  
West Liberty SC 90, California STC 79.  
Mississippi Southern 53, Centenary 49.  
Westminster College 70, Bethany College 66.  
Southwestern Louisiana Inst. 47, Loyola of South 3.

#### MIDWEST

Emporia State 71, Washburn 57.  
Notre Dame 71, Marquette 64.  
Western Reserve 63, Oberlin 59.  
Capital 61, Otterbein 43.  
Ohio Wesleyan 82, Wittenberg 56.  
Southwest Missouri State 57, Rolla Mines 35.  
Illinois Wesleyan 57, Illinois Normal 56.

Kalamazoo College 47, Hope 44  
Augustana (Ill.) 67, Knox 57.  
Indiana Central 63, Franklin 57.

Dubuque 86, William Penn 30.  
Morningside 82, Omaha 52.  
North Dakota State 62, Concordia (Minn.) 46.  
Bowling Green 57, LaSalle 45.  
Oklahoma A.M. 44, Maryville STC 28.  
Illinois Inst. Tech. 41, Chicago Teachers 37.  
St. Marys 62, St. Johns (Minn) 59.  
Ottawa 68, College of Emporia 55.

**SOUTHWEST**  
St. Edwards 51, St. Marys 49.  
Abilene Christian 70, Hardin 62.

**WEST**  
Oregon State 42, Washington State 54.  
Santa Clara 48, St. Marys 37.  
Pepperdine 64, 20th Century Fox 58.  
San Diego State 61, Occidental College 48.  
California 4, Santa Barbara 44.

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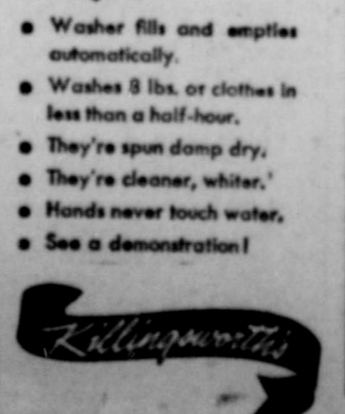
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### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



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## Rangers Outlast Indians 46-45

Jimmy Carway and Junior Arterburn lead the Ranger Junior College basketball team to a 46 to 45 win over the Hillsboro Indians Tuesday night at the Recreation building. Don Ford turned in one of his best offensive games of the year by scoring 9 points. Dale Jones and Ray Blackwell did a good job of controlling the backboards throughout the game. The Rangers played a spirited game most of the way. Wilcox turned in a fine performance for the losers by dropping 21 points through the mesh. Sam Mosley contributed 9 points to a losing cause.

Summary,  
 The Indians jumped into an early lead when Markwardt and Wilcox tossed in a couple of free throws. The Rangers came back strong with Ford making a couple of quick field goals and Arterburn adding another. Markwardt and Mosley dropped in a field goal each and then Crawley, Ford, and Arterburn added a free throw each to give the Rangers a 9 to 6 lead. Wilcox did most of the Indians scoring the first half. Ford lead the Rangers the first half with 6 points. Hillsboro lead at the half 24 to 20.

Legg started the scoring in the second half by making a nice shot from the side. Blackwell and Arterburn teamed up to give the Rangers 4 more points. Legg went in for a crisp shot and then Crawley opened up and dropped 5 points in the mesh to give the Rangers a 31 to 29 lead.

Mosley came back with a crisp shot and a free toss to give the Hillsboro team a 1 point lead. Jones dropped in a field goal and Crawley added a free throw to put the Rangers back in the lead. Wilcox came through with a pair of field goals to put the Indians back in the lead. Arterburn continued a field goal and Wilcox added another free toss. Crawley added a charity toss and Wilcox matched it to make the score 37 all.

## Snavelly To Head Coaches School

BEAUMONT, Feb. 9.—(UP)—Carl Snavelly, North Carolina's sly exponent of the single wing, will impart some of his knowledge at the annual clinic sponsored by the Texas High School Coaches Assn. Aug. 1-5.

Snavelly, announced as one of the head football instructors, also will coach the north team in the annual all-star schoolboy football game that will highlight the final day of the clinic.

Association President Joe Coleman of Odessa said the other head instructor, who will coach the Southern all-stars, has not returned his contract.

Wilcox and Mosley teamed up and added five points to put the Indians back in the lead. Milligan made two field goals to make the score Ranger 41 and Hillsboro 40. Wilcox proceeded to make a field goal and two charity tosses to put the Indians back in the lead 44 to 41. Ford, Milligan, and Arterburn continue a free throw each to tie up the ball game.

Crawley took a pass from Blackwell and went in to make a crisp shot and give the Rangers a 2 point lead with thirty seconds remaining in the game. Jack King made a free throw to make the score 46 to 45. The Rangers managed to keep possession of the ball the remaining 7 seconds of the game and win by the score of 46 to 45.

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## Feller Signs New Contract

CLEVELAND, Feb. 9 (UP)—While Bobby Feller licked his wound, a \$15,000 wound, Cleveland President Bill Veech turned to other matters today with the dire prediction that Satchel Paige would be the hardest of the Indians to sign for the 1949 season.

Feller signed a contract yesterday calling for a \$15,000 salary cut, or roughly \$67,000 for the year. A week before Manager Lou Boudreau signed for \$75,000. But Veech insisted, the 40-year old Paige will be the toughest nut to crack.

"I have always considered Paige the No. 1 problem," Sport-shirted Veech said of his venerable negro pitcher. Paige will be offered a straight contract with no attendance bonuses involved.

That's where the trouble will come in, Paige, after years of barnstorming around the country with negro teams, is very wise to the ways of percentages. And, what's more, he drew more fans into the ball park than did Feller last season.

Feller took the first pay cut of his illustrious career when he signed his contract yesterday. But he remained the highest paid pitcher in baseball. His base salary is \$40,000, the same as last year, but he has less generous attendance bonus system than he enjoyed in the 1948 season.

Jackie Robinson and Ralph Branca paced five members of the Brooklyn Dodgers back onto the roster as they signed 1949 contracts yesterday. The others were outfielder Dick Whitman, infielder Billy Cox and Pitcher John Van Cuyk.

There was no announcement as to salary terms but it was esti-

## Athletic Future At Texas A. & M. Looks Promising

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 9. (UP)—Texas A&M today looked forward to a bright future as it counted more than a dozen outstanding athletes among new enrollees for the spring semester.

Aaron Cohen, diminutive San Antonio Thomas Jefferson tennis star and state schoolboy singles champion, headed the list.

Other San Antonio Thomas Jefferson athletes who entered at A&M at mid-term were David Ylengst, Houston Reagan and Louis Belinsky, all trackmen.

Also enrolled were Gene Landrum, baseball and basketball standout at Abilene; trackmen Harry Green of S. F. Austin's crack mile relay team; baseball players Elmer Locke of Port Arthur, Charlie Smith of El Paso, and swimmers Dwight King and John David Mitchmore of Houston.

Carl Menger, for two seasons a star passer and runner at Hearne, became the sixth freshman football player to enroll at mid-term.

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## Turnbow Out In SMU-Aggie Tilt

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 9. (UP)—Forward Bill Turnbow, Texas A&M's second highest scorer, will not be in the starting lineup tomorrow night when the Aggies meet Southern Methodist in a Southwest conference basketball game tomorrow night.

Coach Mary Karow said he did not believe Turnbow, who injured an ankle in the Texas game last Saturday, would see much action against SMU or TCU Thursday night.

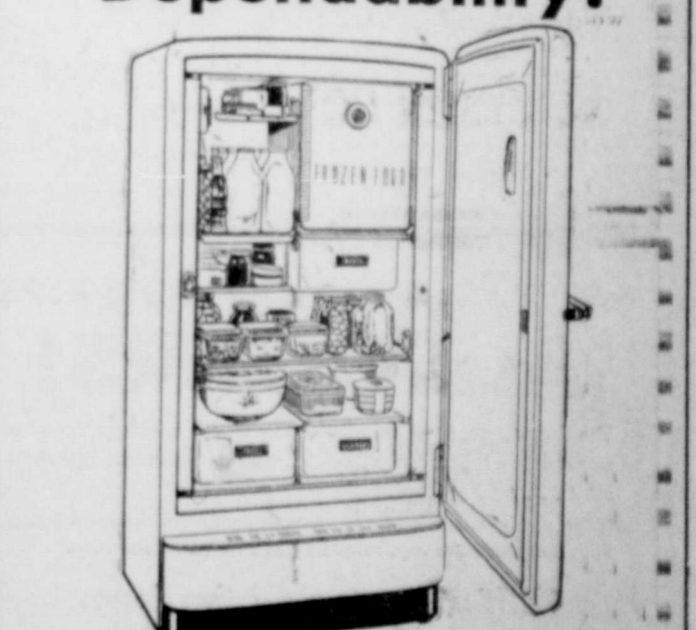
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### W. S. C. S. Meeting Held Monday P. M.

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met at the church Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Arthur Deffebach presided at the meeting and the devotional was given by Mrs. L. R. Pearson. Subject of the devotional was "The Understanding Heart."

Mrs. A. N. Larson was in charge of the program and presented Mrs. Pat Thomas who spoke on "Government By Fear."

A skit introducing the study "Units of Life" and entitled "All Ye Who Pass By" was presented. Participating in the skit were Mmes. Dean Crawley, R. B. Thomas Jr., Roscoe Hopper, B. S. Dudley Jr., Morris Newnam, James Ratliff, T. C. Weaver and Arthur Deffebach.

The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. G. C. Boswell.

Members voted to change the meeting hour to 3 o'clock and the next study will be directed by Rev. Cecil Ellis.

### First Baptist W. M. S. Has Meeting

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon for a Bible study and business meeting.

Mrs. C. B. Pruet offered the opening prayer and Mrs. J. B. Houghton, Sr. led the society in repeating the watchword for the year.

Mrs. Lee Mitchell, community missions chairman, reported on mission work done in Ranger the past two months.

It was announced at the meeting that the circle groups will meet next Monday afternoon.

The Mary Demarest Circle will meet with Mrs. T. J. Anderson; the Hazel Moon Circle in the home of Mrs. C. B. Pruet; Florence Miller Circle with Mrs. Bill Houghton; Juanita Dickson Circle in the home of Mrs. Arlie Carver.

At the meeting Monday an inspiring Bible study was given by Mrs. David C. Ham. The study was taken from the Letters of Paul to Timothy and dealt with social relations and false teachings.

Mrs. Walter Arterburn offered the closing prayer.

### Columbia Study Club Meets Tues.

The regular meeting of the Columbia Study Club was held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. E. Matthews.

Mrs. Leslie gave a review of the book on Stephen F. Foster and Mrs. L. R. Pearson, president, presided at a business session of the club.

Following the review, refreshments were served from a table centered with an arrangement of purple iris and lighted by yellow candles. Mrs. Pearson presided at

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## Medical Society Auxiliary Meets

Following a dinner with members of the Eastland-Callahan Counties Medical Society, wives of the doctors met at the home of Mrs. Calvin Harris for a business meeting and social Tuesday night.

Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall, president of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Society of which the wives are members, presided at a meeting and program. She appointed Mrs. W. P. Watkins of Ranger secretary and treasurer.

On the program Mrs. Cowen of Eastland spoke on the "Bone Bank", Mrs. Murdock of Eastland discussed "The Old Family Doctor" and Mrs. Watkins spoke on rheumatic fever.

Following the program the ladies were joined by their husbands for coffee and those attending were Drs. and Mmes. Kuykendall, Paul Thomas of Dallas, R. G. Baker of Fort Worth, Townsend, Cowen and Murdock of Eastland and Watkins and Harris of Ranger and Dr. Caton of Eastland.

Ethel Brookes Gilmore, Fred Bonner, Charles Stafford, and Gene Kelley.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank each and every one for their many kindnesses during my recent illness, and had the misfortune of getting my arm broken.

Mrs. Harry Deal

## Ranger Rebekahs Meet On Tuesday

The Ranger Rebekah Lodge No. 244 met in the Odd Fellows hall Tuesday evening with Noble Grand Mabel Southers presiding. Mrs. Ethel Wright became a member of this lodge by transfer. Mrs. Maude Millican, district deputy of Fort Worth, will be present to consolidate the Gordon and Ranger Rebekah Lodges next Tuesday evening.

Neva Dawn, Roy Dawn, Ruby Dawn, and Leona Arterburn were voted to become members by initiation and will be initiated next meeting night. One application for membership was received and will be voted upon at the next meeting.

The following were installed for this term: Treasurer—Sudie Strong. Right Supporter to Noble Grand—Laura Todd. Left Supporter to Noble Grand—Freda Rainwater. Warden—Callie Lee. Right Supporter to Vice Grand—Jessie King. Left Supporter to Vice Grand—Lillie Anderson. Reporter—Ruby Greer.

#### Personals

Mrs. Alex Roberson has returned from Bowie where she visited her son, D. A. Roberson, Mrs. Roberson and their infant baby girl.

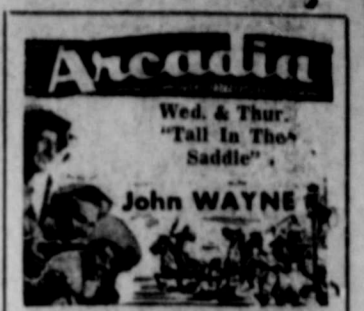
Mrs. Harry Henry has gone to Houston for a visit with relatives.

Miss Jeffie Kuykendall of Cleburne is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. May Jr. have returned from a wedding trip to New Orleans.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Higdon were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith of Fort Worth, Mrs. Audra Hausenfuss and daughter, Nan Baker, of Arlington.

Mrs. Katie White has returned from a visit in Harlingen where she was the guest of her daughter.



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