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RJC Set For Bigger And Better Year

The Music Department of Ranger Junior College, according to Dr. Grover C. Boswell, President of the institution, has increased its staff by adding another teacher, and is preparing for the most extensive year in the twenty-six year history of the school.

Miss Peggy J. Patterson, Nacoma, a graduate of TSCW and holding the Masters Degree and the Bachelors of Music will join the music staff this fall. She will make the third member to be added to the faculty since Mr. Baumgardner became head of the department two years ago.

With enrollment already ahead of that of previous years, the Music Department is gaining widespread recognition for its splendid work, its qualified faculty, and the performance level of the ensemble groups. A member in full standing with the Texas Association of Music Schools, Ranger Junior College assures its students that all of the work taken there will meet academic and musical requirements of any school in this state or in the country. The hours granted at RJC will be fully acceptable at any college or university.

Included in the faculty is Mr. Charles Kiker, prominent musician of the Southwest, and former concert artist who heads the piano and organ divisions of the department.

The annual concerto recital, with Mr. Kiker at the organ, is one of the highlights of an active musical season, and one to which the students look forward. At concerts, in recitals, or in programs, the pupils of Charles Kiker never fail to rank with the best in their field. Ranger Junior College feels fortunate, indeed, to be able to offer their students the opportunity to study with as good a master teacher as is available in any school of music. A graduate of SMU, Mr. Kiker, has studied with Van Katwig and Godofsky, and others.

Mr. Robert Gans, graduate of Hardin Simmons, with both bachelor and master degrees, and director of the local high school band is teaching sophomore theory. A former member of the Cowboy Band at HSU, he is also prominent among the dance band groups in this area. He has, in the past, been associated with numerous of the name band units. It is hoped that a small combo unit can be formed so that those desiring this type of training can have the advantage of the vast experience Mr. Gans has had, both in performances and in arranging for these units.

The addition of these three splendid teachers to Mr. Baumgardner, head of the department, will assure any music student of the best possible training in all fields. Coupled with an academic school of the first rating, with state wide reputation in athletics, speech events, etc; the Music Department of Ranger Junior College has the privilege of granting the best in music study at an outstanding college, for nominal cost to the pupil. Add to this the flavor of social activities comparative with larger institutions, and you have a school worthy of consideration.

Plant Receives Airlift Help

ZANESVILLE, O., July 24 (UP)—An airlift was ready today to provide new food supplies and men for the Philco Plant of the Ohio Power Company.

A helicopter made four trips to the suburban Zanesville plant yesterday, carrying men and food Service to Ohio Power's customers in southeastern Ohio and West Virginia continued without interruption as supervisory personnel manned the plants, picketed by the CIO International Utility Workers Union.

More than 800 employees of the company in Ohio and West Virginia walked out early Sunday to support demands for an 11-cent an hour wage increase.

Carrier Wanted

WANTED — Boys for Ranger Daily Times carrier routes at once. Apply to Mrs. Joe Dennis at the Times office.

For Good Used Cars (Trade-ins on the New Olds) Osborne Motor Company, Eastland

Gas Reserves Set At 26 More Years

AUSTIN, July 24 (UP)—Texas has natural gas reserves sufficient to last 26 years at the present rate of consumption, railroad Commission officials today.

The Commission belittled a prediction voiced recently at Houston that there might be a shortage of natural gas this winter in Texas because of heavy exports by large pipeline companies.

"Somebody is just off the beam," said Jack Baumel, Chief Engineer for the Commission. Railroad Commission Chairman Olin Culbertson agreed.

He said that a shortage in Texas is not likely "this winter, the next or the next."

However, he pointed out that he has long been in advocate of cutting back on the most of gas being shipped out of Texas, and said that continued expansion of out-of-state shipment could lead "eventually" to a shortage in Texas.

Commissioner William J. Murray, Jr., said that "there will be no shortage in Texas except in the case of extremely cold weather or interruption of pipeline service."

He said that temporary shortages might occur in severe cold weather, as a result "simply of inability to get enough in the lines to meet those peak demand periods."

In case, industrial consumers might have to cut down on their take for a day or two.

"That has been done in the past," he said.

Baumel cited figures to show the healthy position of Texas' natural gas industry.

Estimated reserves in Texas fields, Baumel said, total 102,000,000,000,000 cubic feet.

Last year, he said, production totaled 4,000,000,000,000 cubic feet.

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Rev. M. D. Mears Evangelist



Rev. Alfred Nelson Leads Singing

Olden Baptist Revival Starts On Wednesday

A revival meeting will begin at the Olden Baptist Church Wednesday, July 25, with Rev. M. D. Mears to do the preaching.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. The revival will continue through August 5.

Rev. Alfred Nelson, pastor, will lead the singing at the meeting.

Rev. Mears is a graduate of Howard Payne College and spent two years at the Southwestern Theological Seminary.

A navigator of a B-29 in the Air Force during World War I, Rev. Mears was a prisoner of war in Germany for some time.

Everyone is invited to attend all services of the meeting. Rev. Nelson said.

Drinking Texans Asked To Drink Valley Juice

WESLACO, July 24 (UP)—It's up to drinkin' Texans to drink the lower Rio Grande Valley out of its hole—preferably by the case. Citrus juice drinkers, that is.

This was the theme song today as the Texas Citrus Commission opened its month-long campaign to sell the Valley's citrus juice to home folks.

The Valley has several cases to sell—1,500,000 to be exact.

The overall advance resulted from January's bad freeze in the Valley. Oranges and grapefruit converted by frost were quickly converted into juice and canned.

Jack Drake, manager of the Citrus Commission, emphasized today that Valley juice is very good juice.

"Mother Nature hit us a hard blow," he explained. "The canner took care of the grower by quickly canning his juice. Now I figure it's up to the Texas folks to take care of the canner by buying the juice."

Two Quakes Felt In California

BERKELEY, Calif., July 24 (UP)—Two sharp earthquake shocks in the San Francisco Bay area last night caused stores of residents to ask police if an atom bomb had been dropped.

Peace Talks Resume; Red Radio Hints Refusal To UN

COPS BREAK UP TEENAGE WAR BETWEEN NORTH-SOUTH GANG

HOUSTON, July 24 (UP)—Police swooped down on two rival teenage gangs primed for battle and five of the tattooed youths were jailed today.

Special police, patrolling assigned to quell the fighting captured the youths, members of northside and southside gangs, as they lined up for their fourth major battle in less than a week.

About 15 teen-agers eager for combat scattered when three police squads rushed to the scene. Five were captured.

Two of those arrested already were under indictment for selling narcotics and scheduled for trial in September, court records disclosed.

The arrests brought to 37 the number of youths jailed since the brawl began last Friday night.

Blackjacks, shotguns, small-caliber rifles, knives, lengths of rubber hose and rope lashes were taken from the youths engaged in the cross-town feud.

Most of them were Latin-Americans tattooed with the insignia of their gangs. Those more than 17 years old were jailed on disturbance charges. Eight under 17 were turned over to Harris County Juvenile Authorities.

One of the five arrested last night carried a small notebook identifying the tattoo marks on the youth's hands with specific gangs.

All the youths have small tattoos between the thumb and forefingers on their hands, depicting stars, crosses, hearts, letters and numerals.

According to the notebook, the tattoos mark the boys as members of the "Gonzales Crew," the "Maya Gang," and others.

Police said several gangs on each side of town have banded together in the fights which began Friday when eight youths attacked three others who were listening to a jazz music radio program at a downtown studio.

Reason for the attack, the youths told police, was to "drag 'em for their shirts"—to take their knives.

Officers said all the youths carry knives and to lose one is dishonor. Taking another's knife is a mark of valor.

In the second brawl Saturday night, one boy's head was broken

Death Sentence Given Survivor

WINCHESTER, England, July 24 (UP)—Thomas McNaughton, 36, of the Royal Air Force, sought death for perpetuating his "wonderful love" for another man's wife.

He drew up a suicide pact with Mrs. Dorothy Pine. Both slashed their wrists and took overdoses of sleeping pills.

But three days later, he was found alive near her dead body. A letter found on the woman, allegedly written by McNaughton, explained:

"We—willingly pay the price before taking any chance of losing in any way this wonderful love of ours."

A court made sure yesterday that McNaughton pays the price this time. It sentenced him to death as a murderer.

British law prescribes a murder charge against any survivor of a suicide pact.

County Defense Bond Sale High

The Treasury Department's compilation on the sales of Defense Bonds for 1951 through June 30, 1951, show that Eastland County citizens have purchased \$259,887.00 in the bonds.

Eastland County's sales are higher than a number of neighboring counties.

The following figures are reported for neighboring counties: Callahan, \$18,880.00; Comanche, \$87,489.25; Palo Pinto, \$176,889.50; Shackelford, \$65,381.25; and Stephens, \$219,882.50.

Rangers Called To Investigate Swimmers Death

GALVESTON, July 24 (UP)—Texas Rangers, at the request of the Galveston County Grand Jury, will investigate the death of 16-year-old Woodrow Carl Kluge, whose body was found in 20 feet of water in Offat's Bayou July 10, 17 hours after he vanished from a swimming party.

Although admitting the possibility that the death might have been an accident, the Grand Jury yesterday said it felt "this theory leaves too many questions unanswered" and asked the Rangers for help in solving the case.

Young Kluge disappeared about 4:15 p.m. July 9. His body was dragged from the bayou at 9:30 the next day. Dr. N. D. Schofield performed an autopsy and said the boy died of a broken neck and other injuries. He said he had been dead only about four hours.

A verdict of homicide was returned by Justice of the Peace James L. McKenna on the basis of the autopsy. But Sheriff Frank L. Blagaine said he believed the death was accidental and that the youth broke his neck diving into the water.

The Grand Jury began studying the case last Tuesday and gave its report late yesterday. Its statement said in part:

"After careful consideration of all the evidence available to us we have reached the conclusion that, while there is a possibility that the boy's death was the result of an accident, we feel that this theory leaves too many questions unanswered."

"—much of the evidence points to the probability of homicide, and we have unanimously agreed that the investigation of the case should be continued with increased intensity until a conclusive answer is obtained."

The Air Forces took over the hunt of the Allied offensive effort against the Communists as ground fighting continued on only a minor scale.

The B-29s aimed their cargoes of 500 and 100-bombs at two adjacent railway marshaling yards at Sariwon, which lies almost midway between Pyongyang, the North Korean capital, and the cease-fire conference city of Kaesong.

The bombers ran into some anti-aircraft fire, but all returned safely. It is at Sariwon that the main enemy supply route in Western Korea divides, one line running directly south toward Kaesong and the other east toward the battle zone.

On the ground, UN forces on the east-central front drove the Communists from high ground southwest of Kumsong in a 3 1/2 hour battle yesterday.

The allies repulsed Communist probing attacks northwest of Yonchon on the west-central front and southwest of Kamsong on the east coast.

A UN patrol ran into Red troops southwest of the cease-fire conference city of Kaesong and withdrew after receiving 82 rounds of mortar fire.

US Hunts Way To Fireproof Cotton Fabric

WASHINGTON, July (UP)—Agriculture Department scientists are trying to find a better way to flame-proof cotton fabrics.

The department said an extensive program has been started at the Army's request. Investigations already are underway at the Southern Regional Research Laboratory at New Orleans.

Scientists are searching in particular for chemicals that can be substituted for scarce imported materials to flame-proof cotton, as well as better ways of mixing chemicals used now.

UN QUARTERS LOOK FOR REDS TO BACK DOWN ON TROOPS

By Earnest Hoherecht United Press Staff Correspondent
UN ADVANCE CAMP BELOW KAESONG, Korea, July 24 (UP)—Allied optimism over chances for a cease-fire increased tonight despite a new Red propaganda demand for withdrawal of United Nations forces from Korea.

UN quarters still looked for the Communists to back down on the demand at resumption of cease-fire negotiations in Kaesong, scheduled for 11 a.m. tomorrow (9 p. m. today EDT).

A 96-hour Communist-requested recess in the negotiations expires then. UN representatives had hoped the Reds would send word they were ready to resume before that hour, but there was no word from the enemy up until a late hour.

"The talks will start again at 11 a.m. tomorrow, I guess," UN spokesman Brig. Gen. Frank A. Allen said.

The negotiations came to a temporary halt Saturday in a de facto over the Red demand for withdrawal of UN forces as a condition of an armistice.

Chief UN representative Admiral C. Turner Joy said he was sure the Allies would agree under any circumstances to the withdrawal of UN forces as a condition of an armistice.

He said the question was not to be taken up at conference after an armistice taken effect.

It was at this point Communists asked — and granted — a four-day recess under the Allied position stand pat on their withdrawal demand, the truce talks ultimately will be broken off.

Some Allied circles believe Communist negotiators, after sullying their superiors in Yang, Peiping and possibly elsewhere, will introduce some face-saving compromise tomorrow.

The early feeling that the Communist requested postposit was a ruse to cover offensive paritions was almost gone. A source felt that if the Reds were planning some treachery, something would have happened before this.

Ground fighting along the 135-mile front continued to be on only a minor scale. UN units drove the Communists from high ground southwest of Kumsong on the east-central front and repulsed an enemy attack southwest of Kaesong on the east coast.

Services are to be held at 4:30 p.m. today with the Killingsworth Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Interment will be in the Alameda cemetery.

Funeralbearers will be Jodie Lewis L. P. Hamon, Paul Fox, R. A. Brown, Bennie Belyen, R. C. Coonce, R. P. Lewis, and Howard Williams all of Desdemona.

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THE WEATHER

By United Press

A brave little cool front edged into West Texas yesterday and last night, dropping temperatures in the Panhandle and South Plains and giving the state its first break in a week-long record July heat wave.

But the weatherman didn't expect much more in the way of heroics, because the little front didn't have much force left after encountering the overpowering weight of the Texas heat.

West Texas — partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday with scattered thunder showers. Warmer in Panhandle today.

Mr. Larson said that a Ladies night is planned for next Tuesday night instead of the regular meeting tonight.

"ROCKET AHEAD" With Oldsmobile Osborne Motor Company, Eastland

SPORTS

Recount Needed

MADISON, IND., July 24 (UP)—Perin Scott shot a clean hole-in-one at the Madison County Club Handicap Golf Tournament—but his score card showed it took him four strokes to make the hole.

Scott sliced his drive from No. 2 tee out of bounds. He decided to play a new ball from the tee and count it as a second stroke. This time the ball split the 165-yard fairway and plopped into the cup for birdie two.

But while walking to the green Scott stumbled over his first ball. Tournament officials ruled he had to play it and he ended up with a bogey four.

US Tennis Champs To Meet Mexico

NEW YORK, July 24 (UP)—Herbie Flam of Beverly Hills, Cal., was the only repeater selected today for the United States Tennis squad which will play Mexico in the second round of American Zone Davis Cup play.

Named along with Flam for the Mexican Series at Rye, N. Y., Aug. 3-5, were U.S. Singles Champion Art Larsen of San Leandro, Cal., and Vic Seixas of Philadelphia.

Dropped were Dick Savitt of Orange, N. J., who scored two victories against Japan in the opening round, Tony Trabert of Cincinnati, who teamed with Trabert in a doubles win. Selection of new singles players had been expected, but not dropping the unbeaten Trabert-Taibert doubles.

Flam and Larsen were expected to play singles matches against Mexico, with Seixas teaming with one of them in doubles.

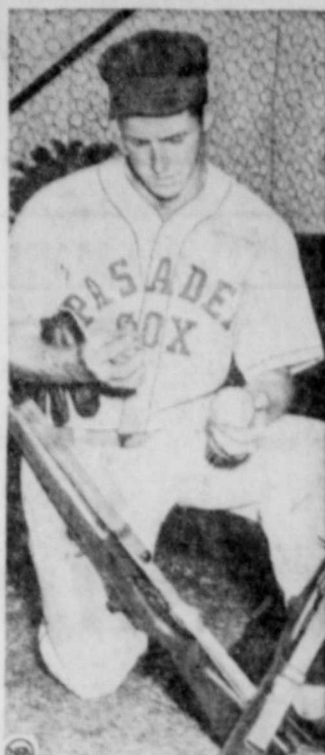
Cats First Sacker Sold To St. Louis

FORT WORTH, July 24 (UP)—Ben Taylor, slugger first baseman of the Fort Worth Cats of the Texas League, was sold today to the St. Louis Browns.

John Reeves, president of the Texas League Cats, said Fort Worth would get in return an undisclosed sum of cash and two players—Joe Lutz, first baseman of the Texas League San Antonio club, and John Bero, Browns infielder. San Antonio is a St. Louis farm club.

Taylor, batting .288 and with 61 runs batted in and 11 homers this season, will join St. Louis in Philadelphia in time for tomorrow's game. Lutz was due to join Fort Worth in time for its game tonight here with Shreveport.

Lili St. Cyr, after tease-stripping before 15 sharp-eyed policemen: "I'm afraid to move my fingers and take off my gloves."



NO GAME—Dick Pedrotti considered the weight of a hand grenade and a baseball at Fort MacArthur, Calif., where the third baseman and Pasadena City College's Western States Conference champions engaged in basic training. His military work completed, young Pedrotti reported to the Red Sox' San Jose farm club. The Boston organization paid him \$75,000 for signing. (NEA)

KILLER'S PACE

BY JULIUS LONG

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THE STORY: Star Williams tricks a jury into acquitting Rose Bidault on a murder charge, but his stunt is exposed and he faces punishment unless he can prove his trick was a last resort to save an innocent client. Star sends Mr. Jim Marshall, his lawyer, back to question Rose and I find her murdered and a local tough boy, Red Lattimore, searching her apartment. In a gun duel I shoot Red in self-defense. Police don't hold me after I tell my story.

MERICA eyed me with cold doubt. "That money-and watch in LaGrange's pocket? I figure you planted them there. LaGrange had quite a record. He was a high-priced triggerman from way back. He worked with some of the best snk mobs in the country. Being a str couldn't have broken him own to second-story work for snuts. Whatever reason he had crowling in the Bidault house, wasn't to cop 50 bucks and a sch."

shook my head. "Supposing lounge was big time? He didn't be above picking up a change on the side would

most said there wasn't much besides the \$50 in LaGrange's pockets. I think I redd a little.

rica snickered. "A trigger-like LaGrange stabbing a ing girl with a pair of scis-

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lar Williams said softly: ere's no 'maybe' about Jim not ing Rose Bidault. She meant erything to me alive, and Jim's te is pretty much wrapped up ith mine. You know Andy Taner's already fled against me for tampering with the state's evi- dence in the Bidault case. My only

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Fliers Start Air Tour

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., July 24 (UP) More than 100 Arkansas fliers start their 19th Annual Air Tour Aug. 10 bound for Galveston, Tex. they paid to reach the Texas resort city late in the afternoon and return to Little Rock Aug. 12.

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Di Maggio Back In Yank Lineup

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United Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK, July 24 (UP)—Joe DiMaggio returns to the Lineup for the first time in two weeks when the Yankees meet the Indians today in a resumption of the tense American League pennant fight.

The Yankees protect a tiny .002 lead as they and the Red Sox begin a home stand while the western contenders, the White Sox and the Indians, begin barnstorming. The White Sox, sporting a shaken-up lineup, play the Red Sox in Boston while the Indians and Yanks vie here in three games. Then Friday the clubs swap opponents. The Yanks play the White Sox and the Indians play the Red Sox.

The Yanks left home two weeks ago with the league lead. They returned with the lead, but in between was a harrowing seasaw. The club started the tour with three losses to Boston, and after them DiMaggio left the lineup, partly because of a leg injury and partly because of poor hitting. The Yanks lost only five more games and won eight after the beanstown bashing to wind up eight and eight on the road.

DiMaggio still must show some hitting after he crashes the lineup. Hits .261 batting average doesn't go with his reputation.

The White Sox finished a woe-filled home stand with a record of 10 defeats in 14 games, and so decided on a shakeup before going at the Red Sox tonight. Bert Haas plays first, Oreste Minozzi plays third, Don Lenhardt left field and Al Zarilla right field under the new plan.

The fifth place Tigers play the Senators in the only other American League game scheduled tonight, while the Dodgers carried their eight and a half game National League lead into Chicago to start a western tour. The Gants are at Pittsburgh, the Phils at St. Louis and the Braves at Cincinnati in other National League games.

There was only one game played in the majors last night—but that was enough. It took 32 hits and 10 pitchers for the Braves to outlast the Pirates, 15 to 14, in the highest scoring clash of the season.

Bombers Leave Randolph AFB For Practice

RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, July 24 (UP)—A stream of 11 B-29 Superfortresses left today for a simulated "bombing" run over seven southwestern cities to mark the beginning of a new era for this base, the world's largest pilot training center.

The B-29's will be manned by combat crew trainees and their instructors.

The planes left here starting at 8 a.m. to drop practice bombs on the Matagorda island target area before starting the parade which will go into Louisiana and Oklahoma and return.

The first bomber in the flight, commanded by Capt. William J. Palmer of Fort Worth, Tex., scheduled over Houston at approximately noon. The remaining planes will "hit" a Houston industrial target with imaginary bombs to 13 minute intervals.

The four-engine sky giants then were to "bomb" Alexandria, La., about 1 p.m.; Shreve-

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port, La., about 1:40 p.m.; Texarkana, about 3:30 p.m., and Waco, Tex., about 4:20 p.m.

Palmer's plane will return here approximately nine and one-half hours after the takeoff.

The demonstration of pinpoint bombing technique climaxed ceremonies connected with the transition of Randolph Air Force Base from a basic training center to a program of preparing B-29 combat crews.

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BROWNWOOD, July 24 (UP)—It's been so hot in Texas lately that even the swimming pools have needed icing.

Swimmers at camp Bow's complained the hot sun had sent the pools' water to a steamy level.

This week end the city ice company loaded 9,000 pounds of ice in two trucks and, after crushing it, dumped both loads in the pools.

The water, as high as 87 degrees, dropped to 80 degrees in 15 minutes. Swimmers were elated by the cooling off. Divers, however, were temporarily stymied by the floating scraps of ice.

Detroit Is 250 Years Old Today

DETROIT, July 24 (UP)—Detroit, the arsenal of democracy during World War II, celebrated its 250th birthday today, amid the rumblings of industry again busy arming the free world.

Secretary of State Dean Acheson makes a major foreign policy speech tonight at a birthday dinner at the new veterans memorial building, but the birthday festival reaches its climax Saturday with a five-hour parade and address from the city hall steps by president Truman.

On July 24, 1701 the French Explorer Antoine De La Motte Cadillac, landed on the shore of a narrow river and founded what was to become the nation's fifth

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Society-Clubs

Ranger Young People At Methodist Camp

A group of young people from Ranger left on Monday morning for a week of camping activities at Glen Rose, sponsored by the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist church.

There will be some 200 youth attending the camp, representing the churches from all over the conference. These young people will enjoy Christian fellowship, sharing experiences, swimming, questing, worship recreation eating growing up together etc... all of which go into a well rounded life.

Those from Ranger attending the camp at Glen Lake this week are the following: Deanna Fulley Betty Lou Hagaman, Florence Ashcraft, Pat Williams, Carolyn Burke, Frank Johnson, Bill Brada, John Boyd Rush, Bobby Justice and Scott Forney.

Methodist Men's Club To Meet

At their regular June meeting, the men of the Methodist Church voted to change their "Men's Fellowship" to "Methodist Men's Club." The first meeting of the group under their new name will be held in the basement of the church on Wednesday evening, July 25 with the usual dinner, program, and fellowship. The dinner will be prepared and served by members of the W.S.C.S.

The financing of these monthly dinners has been taken care of through the general church budget, so all you are asked to do is just come and eat your fill and enjoy the evening with your friends. The ladies are preparing for 50-let's don't disappoint them. You may feel free to invite guests, but please let it be known so that necessary preparations can be made for them, states an official for the group.

Royal Neighbors To Have Birthday Party

The Royal Neighbors of American No. 9059 met Monday night at 8 o'clock in the Terrell Building with Orsela Laura Todd presiding.

Talks were made for the good of the order and sick reports were given. It was decided that after lodge meeting next Monday night, July 30, that a birthday party would be held for the following members: Audie Lunus, Lulla Brown and Inez Shook. Homemade ice cream and cake will be served. Mrs. Myrtle Carter, West Texas State Supervisor of Abilene will be invited to attend.

It was also decided to have a "come as you are" breakfast this Thursday morning, July 26 in the home of Miss Tilly Hicks. Every member is urged to attend all of these meetings.

Those present were Calla Lee, Caradell Dupree, Edna Huffman, Tilly Hicks, Ellen Jones, Leona Arterburn, Josephine Strickland, Isetta Smith, Carrie Henry, Bir-

Six Men To Become Deacons Approved

In special conference Sunday morning, the First Baptist Church voted to set aside six men to be ordained as deacons. There will be a special training period for both these new men and those who are now serving as deacons. After the period of instruction a date will be set and the public will be invited to attend this ordination service.

The following men have been set aside: G. B. Rush, Allen Smith, Walter Arterburn, Bob Lester, A. Kirk, and Lewis Thomas. It has always been the practice among Baptist to follow the scriptural plan of church organization. In the first century the apostles said, "look ye out among you seven men of god honest report, full of the Holy spirit and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business." The office of the deacon is one of honor and responsibility, honor because of the confidence the church has in the man, and responsibility because he becomes a servant of the church. The deacon has no authority save as is invested in him by the church. The sixth chapter of The Acts of the Apostles tells of the responsibility of the church, the need for deacons, and the method of securing same. The third chapter of First Timothy tells of the spiritual qualifications of a deacon. All men, who are Christians, should so live as to be spiritually and morally worthy of being ordained as a deacon. The responsibility of a deacon to his church is greater because "he has been called out for special service." A Baptist Church is supposed to be a theocracy as well as a democracy, states the pastor of this church.

Mrs. Dyer Returns From Reunion Monday

Mrs. Emma Dyer of 1101 Young Street has returned to her home after attending a two day reunion of her husband's family known as the Dyer's get-together.

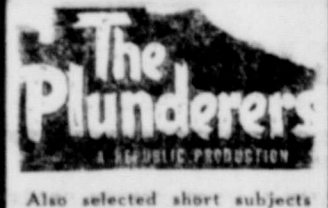
The reunion was held at Fort Belnap located in Young County. It was begun in 1851 and has been continued for one hundred years. About forty members of the family were present. On Saturday night the group enjoyed a movie and Sunday morning worship services were held in the Fort Belnap chapel.

Mrs. Dyer reports that they had a grand time and lots of good things to eat including watermelon.

tie Shipman, Laura Todd, Opal Kelley, Eleanor Horton and Maudie Ellis.

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Ladies Club To Meet Thursday

The Long Star Ladies Club will hold their regular meeting Thursday July 26 at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Pfc. Buddy Eubanks Home On Leave

Pfc. John Edward (Buddy) Eubank, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eubank, 619 W. Main Street is home on a fifteen day leave. Buddy is in the air force and is connected with Headquarters and Headquarters Hq. 128th Air Base, Group Trux Field, Madison, Wisconsin. He flew to Fort Worth Saturday night where his parents met him to bring him home.

Buddy is a graduate of the Ranger High School, attended Ranger Junior College and Texas Tech three years before enlisting in the service.

Charles Masseege has gone to Artesia, New Mexico for an extended visit with his aunt, Mrs. W. G. Hanson.

Columnist Shirley Eder: "Dagmar is the luckiest girl in show business. And now she has Winchell rooting for her. Imagine how far she would get if she had talent."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to all of our friends who so sympathetically stood by us during the recent illness and death of our mother, Mrs. O. K. Robinson.

We especially are grateful to Dr. P. M. Kuykendall and the nursing staff at the West Texas Clinic for their fine care of our loved one.

May the Lord bless each of you in our sincere prayer and wish. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brimberry Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murphy Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stafford Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Robinson

Personals

Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Langston have as their guest their granddaughters Mary Ellen and Margaret Rhoades for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russell of Henderson, who have been here for several days visiting friends and relatives returned to their home yesterday. Mrs. Russell's mother, Mrs. May Rodgers accompanied them home.

Arthur Crabtree of New Jersey, is here for an extended visit with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Crabtree and sister, Faye.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burleson of Midland, were week end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson and family left today for a vacation at Lake Texoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton and son, Charles, Mrs. E. H. Hickman and children, E. H., Jr., Beatrice and Patsy Ann and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Edwards attended a birthday dinner in Breckenridge at the park Sunday.

Mrs. Happy Harrison 430 Pine Street, left today for Pennsylvania Hospital in Fort Worth, where Mr. Harrison will undergo major surgery. Mr. Harrison's condition is reported as very serious.

Mrs. E. T. Eubank has returned from Waco where she has been at the bed side of her mother, Mrs. J. L. Pippin who is seriously ill. Mrs. Pippin's condition has not improved but Mrs. Eubank came home to be with her son, Buddy while he was on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hillis of Ft. Worth were the guests of Mrs. Hillis' mother Monday, Mrs. L. E. Wolfe.

Mrs. C. B. Minter and daughter Kathrine of Odessa are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

'The Thing' Goes To Kodiak, Alaska

KODIAK, Alaska, July 24 (UP) — "The Thing" has returned!

It was 30 feet long, had hand-like feet, no head, the tail of a whale, "feet" 45 inches long, "flukes" 72 inches across. And, oh yes, it was mammal covered with yellow-brown fur.

Shuyak Island fishermen found it washed up on the beach near Point Banks, 60 miles north of here.

The fishermen called in several persons to view their find. Melton Crawford, editor of the Kodiak Mirror, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Kim Clark, all of Kodiak, said they had seen—well, whatever it was.

Final identification was placed in the hands of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service in Seattle, Wash., where its photographs and measurements were sent.

Three Year Old Killed By Truck

HOUSTON, July 24 (UP) — Three-year-old Alfred J. Brumek was killed yesterday afternoon when he backed into the street and into the right rear fender of a pickup truck.

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The accident happened in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Ford, Jr., at whose home young Brumek had gone to attend a birthday party for the Ford's 3-year-old daughter.

Police said the little boy backed from in front of a parked car and into the truck, driven by David Chestnut, 49.

Chestnut said he didn't see the boy, but stopped when he felt something hit his truck. He carried the boy to his home and summoned an ambulance. Young Brumek was pronounced dead on arrival at a hospital.

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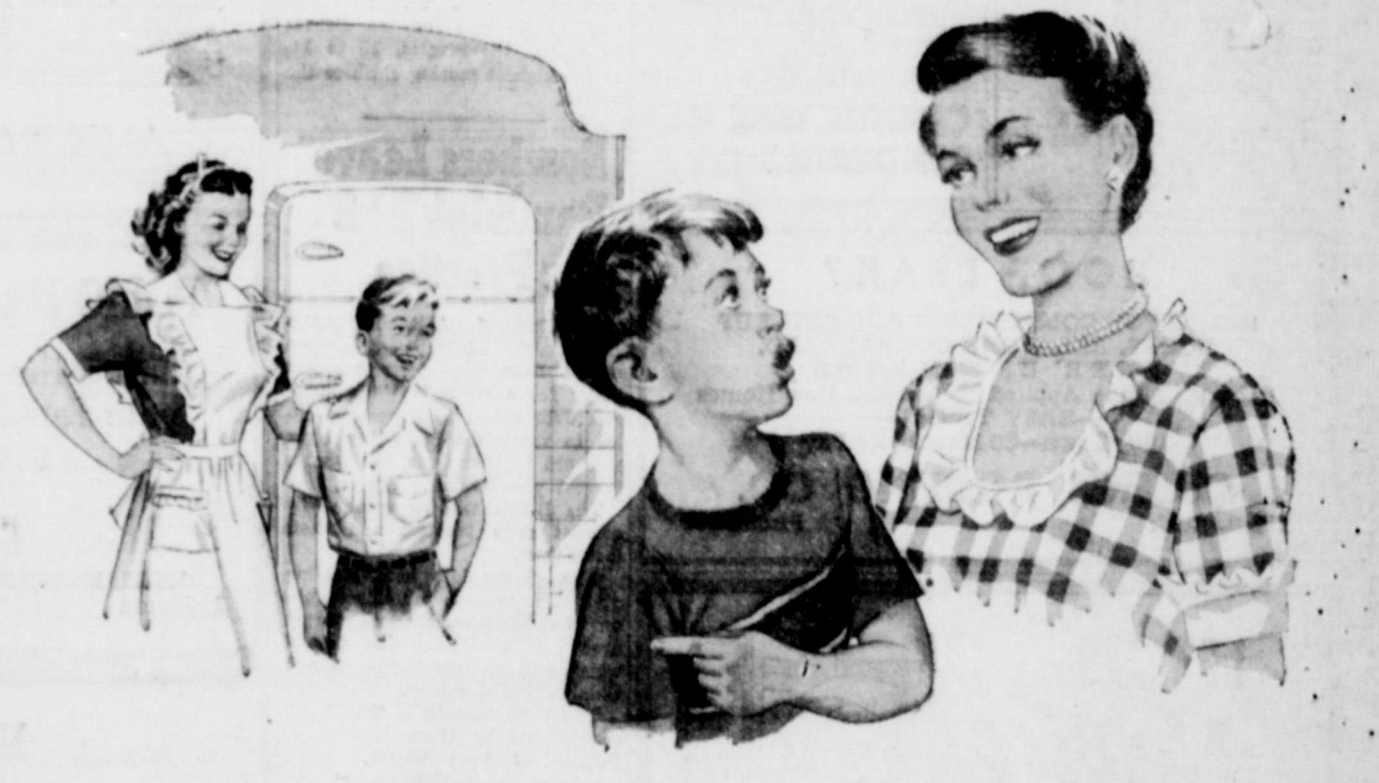
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