

# RANGER DAILY TIMES

West Texas Clear to partly cloudy through Sunday. Not much change in temperatures.

34TH YEAR

RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY, JULY 27, 1952

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## Eastland County Election Returns

SEEN OR HEARD

As you read this most of you probably know who has done what in local politics. We of your local press will be home sound asleep recuperating from our night of putting the paper "to bed", as you split or sat close by your radio listening for statewide election returns.

All the office force worked their usual hours Saturday and then returned at eight p.m. or before to start the actual process of getting out a paper. One operator, Robert Chesney, worked all day putting out local copy and what wire news he could. At eight the remainder of the mechanical department came to work. They are operators, Duaine Dennis and Paul Bullock; composers, "Pete" Cogburn and Rex Earnest; and pressman-steriotyper H. C. "Hack" Berry and his assistant; and the one who mails out the paper, Johnny Robinson.

And last but not least the paper boys—Jackie Neeley, Don Deffenbach, John Perkins, Jackie Rawls, James Simmons, Bill Creager, Dan Dixon, Jimmy Needham, and Clifford Estes—who will rise early Sunday morning to bring you your paper, which everyone should have by 8 a.m. at the latest.

Let this edition of the Times be our condolence to those who failed to win or enter the run-off; our congratulations to the winners.

A very large and fast talking politician was addressing a group of prospective voters in a rooming house to them the many fruits and benefits they would reap under his administration. The crowd was very attentive, absorbing all that was said by the candidate.

In the background two little girls of less than school age were watching and listening. One of them said to the other: "I thought grownups didn't believe in Santa Claus."

"So is politics and a chicken in every pot."

Those of you who enjoyed watching the returns being posted on the bulletin board near the city hall can express your appreciation to "Rip" Galloway of the Chamber of Commerce and the City of Ranger.

Through their efforts and our cooperation in giving them returns as they came in you were afforded this quick reporting of election results in the county.

I am sure that everyone hopes that the most able and most qualified candidate wins in each election. As we want our governmental affairs run efficiently and honestly. And anyone in public office not conforming to those concepts should be exposed to the limit.

The members of the Ranger police department are hard at work on a "whodunit" involving the police department.

All resources at the command of the department are being utilized to find out who slipped in and stacked their office furniture while they were out.

Their first suspect was of all persons—the writer—and after getting from them a version of the third degree I was allowed to retain my freedom. Had we thought of it before whoever perpetrated this dastardly deed we might have been guilty, but we didn't.

The two next logical suspects are one Texas State Highway Patrolman, we won't mention any names but his initials are Terry Barrett, and one cow chasing Texas Ranger, "Cockey" Yeager.

These two gentlemen, the Ranger officers believe, may have had a part in "stacking their office furniture right under their noses."

Any information leading to apprehension of the committers of this beastly crime to the furniture and self respect of the police department will be gladly accepted by them.

CORRECTION

Through an error in composing the story on the Merritt Boys in Friday's paper Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Houghton were not credited with the correct amount. In the report they were credited with giving \$100; it should have read: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Houghton—\$70.00.

## Stevenson - Sparkman Chosen Democratic Party Nominees

### Sparkman Named By Acclamation

By Lyle C. Wilson  
CONVENTION HALL, July 26 (UP)—Adlai E. Stevenson accepted the Democratic presidential nomination Saturday and tired delegates wrapped up their party's national convention in a final session called to make Sen. John J. Sparkman the Illinois governor's running mate.

Stevenson picked the 52-year-old Alabama as the vice-presidential nominee at a near-dawn huddle with President Truman and other party leaders.

The President, who had backed Stevenson for the top spot, was delighted by the addition of Sparkman to the ticket.

The last session of the 31st Democratic national convention started at 10:58 a.m., CST, less than 12 hour after Stevenson was proclaimed unanimously the party's choice for the White House.

Was Russell Backer  
Sparkman was put in nomination by Sen. Lister Hill of Alabama who described his colleague as the "guardian of small business" in the Senate and an "acclaimed hero" in the struggle of free nations for collective security.

Sparkman, who had supported Sen. Richard B. Russell of Georgia for the presidential nomination, said he felt it a good thing to have a southerner on the ticket.

Sparkman's selection did not become firm until the dawn hours Saturday—only a short time before the convention was to meet.

The Alabama Democrat said he did not know whether there would be any opposition to his nomination on the floor.

Earlier, there had been indications that some determined backers of Sen. Estes Kefauver—an other prominent contender for the spot—might make a floor fight to throw the nomination to the Tennessee Democrat.

Has Moved Up in World  
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He was a member of the Student Army Training Corps during World War I and began practicing law in Huntsville in 1923. He was elected to the House in 1936 and served there continuously until 1946, when he was elected to the Senate to fill the unexpired term of the late Sen. John H. Bankhead, D-Ala.

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TRUMAN IN CHICAGO—President and Mrs. Harry S. Truman are presented with gold Democratic convention badges by Frank E. McKinney, right, national Democratic chairman, as they arrive in Chicago to appear at the convention. (NEA Telephoto).

### TRUMAN PLEDGES SUPPORT OF STEVENSON; BESS VERY HAPPY

By Merriman Smith  
CHICAGO, July 26 (UP)—President Truman peered into the smoky glare of the spotlights early Saturday and proclaimed wistfully, "the end of an era" as he gave to the Democratic party its new leader and presidential nominee.

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### Stevenson Won On 3rd Ballot

By JOSEPH L. MYLER  
CONVENTION HALL, July 26—The solemn little guy in the blue suit looked out at the thousands of men and women before him, and in Saturday's small hours told them "I accept your nomination—and your program."

With those seven words Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois told the 1,632 delegates to the waning 31st Democratic national convention what they had been wanting to hear.

They responded with a tremendous wave of cheers, taking to their hearts the man who never wanted the honor they had given him and still doubted they had given it to the right man.

And when finally, he said that "in the staggering task you have assigned me, I shall always try to do justly and to love mercy and walk humbly with my God."

The delegates who had just nominated him for the presidency let loose and gave him their devotion without stint.

Expect Hard Work  
Stevenson told those thousands of men and women out front that there is nothing but work—"hard implacable work"—ahead for "all of us." This is the Twentieth Century, he said, "the bloodiest, most turbulent age of the Christian era."

"Let's face it," he said, "let's talk sense to the American people. Let's tell them the truth, that there are no gains without pains, that this is the eve of great decisions."

In a way it was a strange speech of acceptance. The short, slim little governor was introduced to the convention by President Truman at 2:15 a.m., and Mr. Truman presented him as a man "who would not make any deals with anybody," a man who stood where he did only because there had been "a real honest to goodness draft."

Stevenson stood quietly while the President spoke. He smiled, but it was a solemn sort of smile. His eyes glistened as the cheers came and the bedlam broke loose. Before stepping to the microphone he took a deep, deep breath.

"Could Have Picked Better"  
If he was nervous, the nervousness soon wore off, and in a moment he was telling the leaders and rank and file members of his party that "just winning this election" is not the important thing.

The delegates sat at their hands when they heard that. But he went on to say he had never wanted the presidency "because the burdens of that office stagger" (Continued on Page 2)

OPS Ceilings Being Removed On Many Items

FORT WORTH—The Office of Price Stabilization has followed the dictate of Congress and removed ceiling prices from canned and frozen fruits and vegetables, according to an announcement made by the Fort Worth District OPS office.

But as important to the pocketbook as these foods are, housewives still have ceiling price protection for the great majority of food items when they go to grocery stores to do their shopping, the OPS said.

About 80 cents out of every dollar the housewife spends for food will go to buy a food product which has a ceiling price, stated the Agency.

Ceiling prices remain intact on such necessities of life as meat and meat products; bread, cake, cookies and other bakery products; milk, butter and cheese; cereals; coffee, tea and cocoa; oil and a long list of other important foods which housewives regularly buy in grocery stores.

While ceilings have been removed from frozen fruits and vegetables, there are still ceiling prices on frozen, meat items, as well as canned meats, canned fish and the like.

OPS ceiling prices on food, the agency states, will continue to do the job of checking inflation.

Returns at 1:45 a.m. Sunday morning from all but four Eastland County precincts show some pre-election forecasts to be wrong with supposed underdogs coming up and getting in the runoff with the stronger pre-election candidates.

In hardly any of the county races were decided majorities evident from the nearly complete returns, and unless drastic trends are turned in from the outstanding precincts there will be run-offs in nearly all races.

Precinct completely out or partially turned in are Eastland Court House (Partially) East Chico (out) and West Chico (partial) totaling approximately 2776 votes still to be counted.

Eastland County reports at 1:45 a.m.:  
For Governor  
Allan Shivers, 2810; Billy E. Beard, 599; Walter McKay, 493; Traylor, 280.

Mayor Crawley Will Welcome Highway Guests  
Mayor Price Crawley will welcome the officers and directors of the Highway 80 Association to Ranger Tuesday night as they gather for their monthly meeting.

The officials of the association for the preservation and betterment of Highway 80 will be honored at a barbecue at the Country Club at 7:00 o'clock Tuesday evening and will then return to the Chamber of Commerce office for their business meeting.

Dr. Calvin Harris, Chamber of Commerce president, will also be among those at the barbecue to welcome this entourage of highway boosters from Shreveport, La. through to El Paso.

A local group of musicians known as the "Music Makers" will entertain the barbecue goers. The "Music Makers" are a string band made up of local musicians.

Ranger Eagles To Play Hornets From Eastland  
Baseball comes to Ranger Monday night at eight o'clock when the Ranger "Eagles" play the Eastland "Hornets" a return engagement on the local field. One other game resulted in a Ranger win, 7-4.

Joe Angel is manager of the Eagles and will start Jim Littlefield catching; Jerry Wharton pitching; Benny Robinson at first; Junior Angel at second; Jerry Hinds at short; Jerry Cantrell at third; Dickie Getts in left field; Paul Mendoza in center; and David Wharton in right field Monday evening.

This will be only the second game for the fifteen years and under Ranger team. Their only previous game was with Eastland. Admission free.

Ernest H. Hereford  
Ernest H. Hereford, governor of the District 185, will make his annual visit to the Ranger Rotary Club Wednesday, August 6. He will confer with President Morris Newham and other Ranger club officers on Rotary administration and service activities.

Dr. Hereford, who is president of Arlington State College, is one of 207 district governors who are supervising the activities of 7,600 Rotary Clubs in 85 counties throughout the world. Total Rotary membership is now estimated at 366,000.

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Greek Seaman Killed When Ships Collide

NANAIMO, B. C., July 26 (UPI)—Two Greek seamen were killed early Saturday when the Greek freighter Triton and the S. S. Baranoff of the Alaska Steamship Line collided two miles east of Entrance Island, just outside the Nanaimo harbor.

Marine officials said the Baranoff, rammed the Triton which was leaving the harbor with a load of iron ore for Japan. The Baranoff was passing on a regular coastal trip. The weather was clear when the collision occurred at 1:30 a.m.

The Triton was hit almost amidships, opening a deep hole in her bow. The engine room filled with water, but she did not sink. The Baranoff was reported only slightly damaged.

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FOR SALE: Shetland ponies for sale. Homer Squires, 514 North Marston, Ranger, Texas.

FOR SALE: 1947 Chevrolet, good running condition. Call 681-W1.

FOR SALE: Table-top gas range, \$37.50, Frigidaire, \$65.00, four iron cots, \$2.50. Inquire at Crawley's warehouse.

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FOR RENT: Two and four room furnished or unfurnished apartments. Phone 521. If no answer call 315. Joseph's Fireproof Apartments.

FOR RENT: Apartment, 214 Cherry.

APARTMENT for rent. Park Place Apartments. Call 266 or 495 after 5 p.m.

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HELP WANTED: Wanted experienced lady for alterations and repairing department. Must be good on repairing and able to handle all alterations. Modern Dry Cleaners, Eastland, Texas. Phone 182.

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### RANGER DRIVE-IN HAS TECHNICOLOR DRAMA



Newcomers Constance Smith and Jeffrey Hunter get their first big starring opportunities by sharing top billing with Richard Widmark in Twentieth Century-Fox's thrilling Technicolor drama, "Red Skies of Montana," now at the Ranger Drive-In.

### Time To Eat Out of Doors



Campers are discovering the great advantages of nonfat dry milk for their outings. It is milk with only the fat and water removed, and it has excellent keeping qualities as long as the package is opened and reclosed properly. Likewise, nonfat dry milk has convenience for a handy one-pound package, available at the grocery, contains the equivalent of five quarts of fluid nonfat milk at only about nine cents a quart. It offers high quality protein, riboflavin, calcium and lactose.

For a camping trip or outdoor eating try cheeseburger specials. For extra nutrition and flavor add three tablespoons of nonfat dry milk to one pound of ground raw beef and freeze. Then carry to the camping site in an insulated bag so that by the time you arrive upon the scene, it will have thawed sufficiently for preparation.

**Cheeseburger Specials**  
(Makes 8 meat cakes)  
2 tablespoons Starline nonfat dry milk  
1 pound ground raw beef  
1/2 pound process cheese food, cut into 8 slices  
salt and pepper

Blend together Starline nonfat dry milk powder and ground beef. Divide mixture into 16 portions; press each portion into a flat cake 3 inches in diameter between two pieces of waxed paper. Place a cheese slice between two meat cakes and seal by pinching edges together. Generously sprinkle heavy frying pan with salt; heat. Place meat cakes on salt and sprinkle with pepper. Brown on both sides. Serve hot on heated or toasted buns with sliced tomatoes, ketchup or relish.

### More Money For Pensioners Is Plan Of Shivers

AUSTIN, July 26—Pension payments for the needy aged have increased 23 per cent during the Allan Shivers administration as Governor, and the number receiving this assistance has increased 9 per cent, a member of the State Board of Public Welfare revealed Wednesday.

J. Byron Saunders, an attorney from Tyler serving his second year on the board, reported Wednesday as of July 1, 1952, there were 219,289 persons receiving \$7,379,262 per month in pensions. As of January 1, 1948, there were 209,941 citizens receiving \$6,052,455 per month.

In other words, there are 18,348 more persons on the pension rolls in 1952 than in 1948, and the total payments are \$1,326,807 more each month.

Saunders said that grossly misleading statements concerning the Texas public welfare program by those opposing Governor Shivers had prompted his report.

As for the future, Saunders said, "Governor Shivers knows that the grants to the needy are not adequate to meet today's living costs, and he will again support an amendment to the (State) constitution to remove the ceiling on welfare spending."

IN 1901, when an amendment to lift the limit was submitted to the people, Governor Shivers promised the people of Texas that if it passed he would immediately call a special session of the Legislature to put the higher pensions into effect. The people did not approve the amendment.

Saunders added that a congressional appropriation will increase pension payments by \$5 per month, starting October 1. He said, "This will apply to every person on the pension rolls. It likewise means that the ceiling on individual pensions will be raised from \$50 to \$55 a month. No old person will need to ask for the increase. It will be in the October check."



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### Sparkman—

(Continued From Page 1)  
the imagination. Its "potential for good or evil—mothers exultation and converts vanity to prayer."  
"Both GOP Parties Alive"  
But, he told the delegates, "Now that you have made your decision I will fight to win that office with all my heart and soul." And "with your help," he said, "I have no doubt that we will win."

Those Democrats loved that, and they gave him the highest office a people can give and "I could not be more proud."

But the speech wasn't all solemn. What he said about Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and the Republican party delighted the delegates and made them roar with laughter.

He said he sympathized with people who fear the Democrats' long rule will hurt the two-party system. Certainly, he said, the Republican party "looked brutally alive here a couple of weeks ago." "And," he added, "I mean both Republican parties."

### Fresh Chinese Troops Attack 2nd Division

By ROBERT UDICK  
SEOUL, Korea, July 26—Heavily-armed Communists from a fresh Chinese army raided U. S. Second Division troops on the central front Friday in a bold attempt to seize prisoners and American weapons, it was revealed Saturday.

The Red soldiers tried in three separate assaults to overrun American and French positions with battalion-sized attacks.

All of the assaults were driven back by United Nations artillery barrages and the deadly machine-gun and rifle fire of UN infantrymen.

Chinese Communists, picked from the freshly-supplied army, were assigned to battle UN positions guarding the Chorwon gateway to South Korea.

The three Red battalions—about 600 men each—were equipped with submachine guns to give them extraordinary attacking power.

The Fifth Air Force, meanwhile, announced that eight Allied war planes were lost in the past seven days to Communist ground fire and other unspecified causes.

Allied losses included two F-50 shooting stars, one F-84 Thunderjet, a propeller-driven F41 Mustang, a B-26 light bomber, all to Red ground fire, and one P-86 Sabrejet, one B26 and a Marine Corsair to unknown causes.

UN claims for the week included three damaged MIG-15 jet fighters 115 Communist troop casualties, as well as important enemy troop and supply bunkers, gun positions and bridges.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE EVERY SUNDAY



Here's the first picture of the Army's newest and most advanced medium tank—the long-secret Patton 48. It has just been officially unveiled and officially christened by Mrs. George S. Patton, Jr., at the Chrysler Delaware tank plant at Newark, Del. Most striking characteristics of the 45- to-50-ton monster are its low silhouette and new design, featuring elliptical-shaped hull and turret.

### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Merrill Blosser



### VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane



### ALLEY OOP

By V. T. Hamlin



SOCIETY

W.S.C.S. Circles To Meet Monday

The Woman's Society of Christian Services of the First Methodist Church will meet at 3:30 p.m. Monday, July 28, in circles as listed below:

The Miriam Walker Circle in the home of Mrs. C. E. May, Sr. The Stella Stafford Circle in the home of Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, with Mrs. Roy Jameson as co-hostess.

Members and prospective members of the circles are as follows: Lela Cooper Circle: Mrs. Price Crawley, leader, Misses A. W. Brazda, J. F. Killingsworth, S. B. Baker Morris Newnam, Shelby Parnell, R. E. Johnson, Arthur Deffenbach, Will Wilson, Bob White, Carroll Boon, T. A. Tunc James Townzen, B. A. Tunnell, Lanely, A. E. Crawley, J. W. Harmon, H. C. Croom, J. L. Turner, Earl Brown, J. E. Matthews, Frank Deaton, Fred Hummel, E. H. Mills, George Wright, Max Ohr, Alton Redwine, T. C. Weaver, H. O. Woods, Jr., L. A. Hinds, N. E. Huffman, Chas. Mahaffey, H. G. Ramsey, and Misses Beulah Harrison and Mary Kohler.

Miriam Walker Circle: Mrs. M. L. King, leader, Misses Lee Dochery, Calvin Harris, C. E. May, Sr., Vernon Deffenbach, R. B. Patterson, R. S. Balch, Lillian Wolfe, Roscoe Hopper, G. O. Strong.

W. F. Creager, W. J. Van Bieder, W. A. Robinson, Paul Rogers, J. D. Drennan, James Lennaman, G. C. Boswell, Fat Thomas, Shell, B. M. Galloway, Gaston Dixon, S. E. Reynolds, Bruce Walker, John Gholson, R. V. Galloway, J. T. Killingsworth, Tom Stewart, J. J. Kelly, Boone Yarbrough, R. G. Sawyer, John Finto, Harlan Phil-

lips, C. J. Ownby, Laura Melton, Lee Graham, Tom Wolfe, F. S. Pearsall, Nolan Butler and John New.

Stella Stafford Circle: Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall, leader, Misses J. S. McDowell, A. J. Ratliff, W. W. Paschall, W. H. Clarke, E. S. Dudley, Jr., R. L. Willis, W. C. Garrett, J. W. Ratliff, Chas. Ashcraft, W. C. Harris, Lowell Rainwater, S. M. McAnelly, E. P. Mills, George Williams, Dean Crawley, Glen Hammer, Dan Collins, M. H. Hagaman, J. A. Bates, L. R. Cozby, Fred Baumgardner, Roy Aggers, T. L. Thompson, C. W. Alworth, R. C. Cravey, M. P. Williams, Bill Williams, Fabian, E. L. McMillan, Mike Herrington, C. E. May, Jr., Willis Clarke, Fred Bonner, James Sanders, Otis Anderson, Roy Jameson, T. K. Hardy, and C. S. Entler.

Business Woman's Circle: Mrs. J. A. Johnson, leader, Misses W. M. Brown, Delbert Cappa, Pete Cogburn, C. K. Davis, Leslie Hagaman, Carl Heinlin, Chas. Hammei, Roy Lyons, A. H. Powell, D. E. Pulley, H. O. Woods, Sr., Jess Weaver, J. K. Dorris, Ira Wolford, Walter Daniels, Ray McHenry, Helen Boen, Virginia Rayfield, Miriam Redding, Linda Forney, Eva K. Milmo, Reba Rawls, Chas. Hamilton, W. C. Whittle, Dee Anderson, T. C. Wylie, Roy Crawley, Garland Lavender, Eva Bott, and Misses Ruthley, Ted Bott, and Misses Ruth Hightower, Mildred Balch, Eva Mills, Norma Mills, and Kathleen Earnest.

Mrs. Pat Mosley Shower Honoree

Mrs. Pat Mosley was the honoree of a pink and blue shower given in the home of Mrs. O. G. Lanier from 7:30 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. Thursday.

Mrs. Lanier and Mrs. Mosley greeted the guests as they arrived. The pink and blue theme was carried out in the room and table decorations.

The table was laid with a hand crocheted cloth, over pink. The centerpiece was composed of a stork, standing over a miniature bassinet, which contained a tiny doll, and an arrangement of pink gladioli.

The refreshment plate, which were of a pink wreath pattern, contained blue mint cups of pink mints, white cake squares, topped with pink icing, and ice tea.

The lovely assortment of gifts was displayed on the dining table and in a baby bed.

The co-hostesses were Mrs. Harless Gardnhire, Mrs. J. H. Greer, Mrs. Tommy Fox and Mrs. Raymond Long.

Eastern Star To Meet

Order of the Eastern Star will meet at 8 p.m. Monday, July 28, in the Masonic Hall. Visitors are welcome.

Mrs. D. Joseph is in Houston, visiting Dr. and Mrs. Ray Ammen, who have a new baby girl, born Thursday. Mrs. Ammen is a daughter of the Josephs.

Miss Jane Stovall, Norman Durham Take Vows Saturday In Muleshoe Methodist Church

Impressive rites were performed in the First Methodist Church of Muleshoe Saturday morning, July 26th, at 9:30 o'clock, to unite in marriage Miss Jane Harriet Stovall of Muleshoe and Mr. Norman Nevill Durham of Eastland.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swann Stovall of Muleshoe and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Durham of Eastland.

Rev. Ronald Hubbard, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Snyder, Texas officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Artistic groupings of Cathedral tapers provided illumination for the nuptial scene, while fountain arrangements of white gladioli and carnations accented the fern background. An arch, flanked by seven branch candelabra, framed the white satin-covered prie-Dieu. The double aisles were marked with tapers and white satin bows.

Miss Gwyneth Bigham, organist played the pre-nuptial music and also accompanied Mrs. Pat Bobo of Muleshoe, who sang, "At Dawning" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Miss Helen Stovall, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Mrs. Gerald K. Hornung, of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Joan Rambyn Coita of Ft. Worth, cousin of the groom, were bridesmaids. The attendants wore identical ballerina length gowns of mist blue embroidered organdy, fashioned with fitted bodices, full skirts, and fitted organza stoles. They wore short white fabric gloves and their headpieces were circlets of mist blue organdy and stephanotis. They carried heart shaped bouquets of blue carnations and white maline, tied with white satin ribbon.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was gowned in a ballerina length crystal white embroidered organdy, fashioned with a fitted bodice and full skirt. The gown was designed with decolletage neckline and cap sleeves. Her shoulder length veil of illusion fell from a Juliet cap of illusion trimmed with satin and seed pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of white carnations, centered with a white orchid.

Mr. Gerald Terry Watson of Fort Arthur, served the groom as best man, and the ushers were H. Shelton Jennings, Austin and William E. Jordan of Austin.

A reception was given following the ceremony in the Fellowship Hall of the church. The bride's table was laid with a cut-work cloth over blue taffeta. A three branched candelabra provided the background for the double heart wedding cake. Appointments were of silver.

The house party at the reception included Mrs. H. L. Blackburn, Mrs. J. J. Buxkemper, Mrs. B. L. St. Clair, and Mrs. Bob Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Durham will spend their honeymoon in Colorado. For travel, the bride wore a navy shantung suit. Her hat was white starched lace trimmed with seed pearls and rhinestones, worn with a nose veil. Her corsage was a white orchid.

They will reside in Austin, while Mr. Durham completes his study toward a Ph. D. in bacteriology and biochemistry. Mrs. Durham attended Texas Technological College and is a graduate of the University of Texas. Her husband attended North Texas State College, where he received BS and MS degrees, and at present attends the University of Texas.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Durham, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Willoughby, Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. Worth Durham, Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy Morgan, Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rambin, Fort Worth; Mrs. Joan Rambin Coita, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Jerome J. Buxkemper, Colorado City; Mr. Shelton Jennings,



Mrs. Norman N. Durham



Miss Pattie J. Thomas

Engagement Of Miss Thomas And Dr. Powell Told

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Pattie Jean Thomas of Galveston to Dr. William J. Powell of San Francisco, California. Miss Thomas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Thomas of Utopia, and Dr. Powell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Powell of Ranger.

The bride-elect is employed as Staff Psychologist for Dr. Titus Harris at John Sealy Hospital in Galveston.

The future bridegroom is Surgery Resident at John Sealy Hospital, Galveston, but is at present in the Air Force and stationed at Parks Air Base near San Francisco, California.



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Alvin Thames Honored With Farewell Party

Alvin Thames was the honoree at a farewell party given in the home of his mother, Mrs. R. B. Needham, Thursday evening.

The following guests were present:

Mrs. Ralph Veal, Mrs. Calvin Ainsworth and baby, Mr. and Mrs. E. Willingham, Douglas Willingham, Kenneth and Mary Lou Foreman, Mrs. Jack Veal, Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Land and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Burl McGraw, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spindle and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Needham and family, Mrs. Bill McGee and Billie, Mrs. Ruby Huekalby and family, Anita Gibson, John McMann, Mrs. Melba Richie and son, Dean. Alvin, who has been employed by the Ranger Furniture Exchange is going into the armed services Monday.

Methodists Will Have Caravan For Youth In August

Caravan Week will be held August 2 through 8, at the First Methodist Church in Ranger.

There will be six days of worship, study and recreation, under the joint sponsorship of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, and a visiting Youth Caravan. This caravan consists of a counselor, Miss Dixie Davidson of Brownwood, and four young women, Phyllis Tate of Tallapoosa, Alabama, Rachel Wall of Lafayette, Kentucky, Julia Stark of Houston, and Louella Rice of Guntersville, Alabama.

All young people between the ages of 12 and 23, and any interested adults are invited to meet with this caravan each evening, beginning August 2, at the First Methodist Church.

W.S.C.S. Members Are To Bring V.B.S. Articles

All W.S.C.S. members are requested to bring the following items to their circle meetings, Monday, to be donated to an Indian Vacation Bible School in Oklahoma:

Drawing paper, construction paper, crayons, small scissors, paste and rulers.

Melba, Lanita and Bill Creager are visiting Mrs. Creager's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Moore in Seminole.

V.F.W. Members Given Barbecue

The V.F.W. members were hosts at a chicken barbecue for their families, Thursday evening at the A.F.W. Hall.

After recreation, participated in by the group, barbecue, potato salad, pickles, olives, onions and cold drinks were served by the men.

Tentative plans were made for a watermelon supper.

James Davis, formerly of Ranger, who lives in California, was a guest.

All men who are eligible for membership, are encouraged to become a member. Also, all members are urged to make a special effort to make this a growing post.

The next regular meeting will be held August 14.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Jasper Masseege, children and her mother, Mrs. Lindsey, are to spend several days with Chaplain Masseege, who is stationed at Camp Polk, La.

Mrs. D. A. Weems and children

Lola and Paul are leaving Thursday for a two week visit with Mrs. Weems' mother, Mrs. Merl Karl, who lives in West Salem, Ill.

Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Jameson and Roy Allen of Austin are visiting this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jameson, prior to their moving to Forest Grove, Oregon. Dr. Jameson has taken a position in Pacific University.

Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Davis have been visiting this week with Mrs. Davis' grandmother, Mrs. T. L. Bush. Sgt. Davis is in the Air Force, stationed at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

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At times people are awakened to things they didn't know had developed. In government many things have developed without the knowledge of most of us. Had the majority been aware they were developing, they would have been stopped long ago. The reason they could develop is that most of us weren't interested in maintaining vigilance which is the price of good government. As a result, where is real confidence in government today? It doesn't exist. A growing disregard of the standard set up in our constitution—governmental error combined with vastly changing world ideologies directly opposite to the ideals of human freedom—has resulted in the imposition of burdens almost too heavy to bear.

This same indifference has affected most of us religiously. It has affected our concept of God which governs the life we live. The life we live determines the moral and spiritual value of all that is real in our day. It is evident that confidence in religion has diminished alarmingly. Some thing is at fault.

Undeniable, then, there must be in all things a proven standard by which these things may be measured and evaluated. In the field of religion there is such a standard. Because so few know much about the Bible (the word of God and the only infallible religious standard) religious developments have run amuck in almost every conceivable manner. Religious disillusionment, frustration, and even atheism results.

By the open and proper use of God's book, the Bible, religious error shall be exposed in these articles from week to week. The church of Christ is happy to have public scrutiny of the things it teaches. Public investigation and discussion is invited. Look for this column again next week.

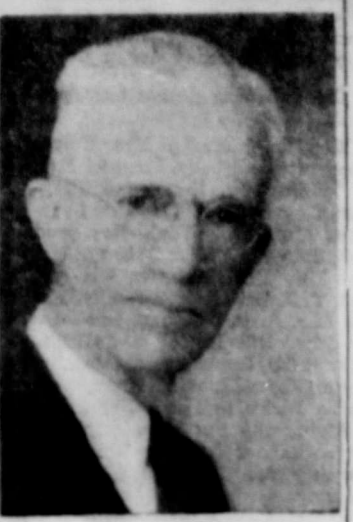
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**CHURCH NEWS**



Dr. William H. Coleman

**First Baptist Announcements**

Sunday services at the First Baptist Church will take on a new hue with the record attendance for the month of July in the history of the church, according to records available.

Each class and department has a goal, and great efforts are being made to reach these on Sunday.

The choir under the direction of Bruce Harris, in the absence of Mr. Bullock, will furnish the music. The choir will assemble as usual in the Young People's department and then proceed to the choir.

The pastor will be in the pulpit for the morning services and will discuss "The Great Election" the results of the ballot cast, the cause for the ballot being cast in that direction, and the ability of the "Elected" to fulfill the promises of election. Election promises and can they be carried out.

The attendance at the preaching hour has been increasing during the past several months, and a record attendance is expected at the morning hour. The Refrigerated Air conditioning unit is working perfectly and is thematically controlled. The correct temperature is maintained in the auditorium and an enjoyable and healthful worship period can be enjoyed in comfort.

The spiritual comforts offered by the church are those undiluted teachings of Jesus in connection with both the Old and New Testaments to aid strength and beauty to the prophecies of God. The Bible, Holy Spirit filled is the basis for these truths and comforts.

Not only has the church seen fit to teach the Bible in all its truths, but to provide for the physical comforts of those who attend. Each class room and department is air conditioned, cool, and comfortable.

The department for the baby, the Nursery and Beginner departments are fitted Germicidal lamps for further protection.

The evening services begin with Training Union at 7:00, with each of the departments meeting with their planned programs and then still further divisions into Unions.

There are Four Unions in the Adult departments, two in each of the following: The Young People, the Intermediates, Juniors, Primary, Beginner, and Nursery departments.

The preaching service will be given over to the United Texas Drys, with Rev. H. T. Arnold, of San Angelo having charge of the services. A cordial invitation is extended to all the citizens of Ranger to attend this important service.

You are always welcome at all our services. The pastor said.

**First Baptist Training Union Tells Schedule**

The Training Union Department of the First Baptist Church will meet Monday evening at 7:00 p.m. for their regular monthly planning meeting.



Rev. Claude Harris

**Claude Harris To Lead Revival At New Hope 3**

Rev. Claude Harris will be the evangelist for the ten day revival at New Hope No. 3 Baptist Church.

Services will begin Friday evening, August 10.

Prayer services will begin each evening at 7:45 p.m., and the worship services will begin at 8:00 p.m. Beginning Monday morning, August 11, the morning services will be at 10:00.

Bro. Harris, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Mineral Wells, is known throughout the state as an evangelist and pastor. He loves the Lord and His work. He has led revivals in Necessity, Caddo, and Harmony Churches. Bro. and Mrs. Harris are both

Magazine. At 7:45 there will be departmental meetings with the directors in charge: Adults, R. V. Robinson; Young People's Mrs. Arlie Carver; Intermediates, Mrs. J. B. Houghton, Sr.; Juniors, Miss Annice Looke; Primary, Mrs. Albert Keonig; Beginners, Mrs. Corvis Beck.

At the close of each departmental meeting the Unions will meet and plan their programs for the month of August. Plans will also be made for the "Back Yard Study Course" that will be August 24-25.

At the close of the meeting reports will be given in a general assembly, and an old fashioned ice cream supper will be served to the group, plenty of freezers will be ready to open.

The Training Union Planning meetings are for all members of the department and visitors who care to attend.

**First Christian Sunday Services**

Sermon Topics for Sunday at First Christian Church

At the 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship and Communion service in the Ranger, First Christian Church, Rev. A. Lynn Robbins, pastor of the local church, will use as the sermon theme: "Christ—The Self Offered Lamb." This service is built around the centrality of the observance of the ordinance of

formerly of Necessity. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend this series of services.

Holy Communion and is designed so that each individual participant will receive a share of Christ's blessings from the mutual worship.

At 8:00 p.m. the Evening Service will feature a sermon by the pastor on the theme: "Eyes That Do Not See." In this service there will be the popular period of fellowship singing and evening meditations in addition to the pastor's sermon.

In addition to the regular church services, the Church School will meet promptly at 9:45 a.m. under the direction of Mr. Lawrence Bryan and Mrs. Geneva Robbins. This school features classes for all ages with capable teachers in each department. Also

the Christian Youth Fellowship will meet at the church at 7:00 p.m. with Mrs. B. G. Prikle in charge.

"You are extended a hearty welcome to these and all services at the First Christian church this Sunday." We are a small, friendly church in your community and we shall do our utmost to help you receive inspiration from the services. We are not perfect; but we are trying to be better and your presence will be the deciding factor. Remember to attend the church of your choice this Lord's Day," pastor Robbins said.

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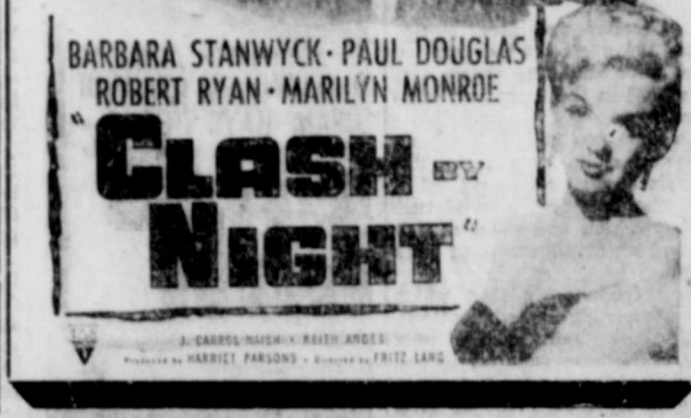
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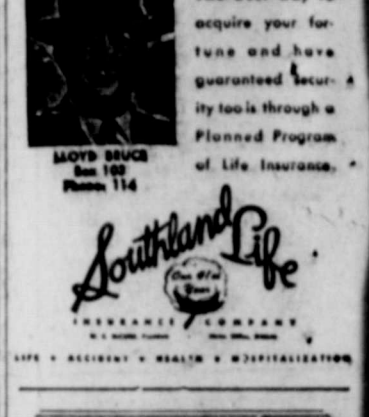
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