

IT'LL BE JUST THIS CLOSE SATURDAY as A&M left, and Willie Blackmon will be entered as well as Harold Davis and Horace Grant in the race. This will be the final event of the meet Saturday night in Austin.

## Jeff Burroughs Hopes To Be Ranger Slugger

Jeff Burroughs is only 22 years old, but he's already spent part of the last three seasons in the Major Leagues. In 87 big league games, Burroughs had corked six home runs, giving some indication that he may indeed be the power-hitter the Rangers felt he would be.

In this, his fourth season, Burroughs is really beginning to live up to the organization's confidence. Before the season ever started, manager Whitey Herzog stated flatly, "Jeff Burroughs is my starting right-fielder." Playing every day, and playing with the manifest confidence of his manager, Burroughs has stroked six home runs in the first 27 games, doubling his major league career home run total. At this pace he could hit 36 home runs this season and drive in 96 runs.

According to the young distance-belter, "Playing every day makes all the difference in the world. You feel more confident, you know the pitchers better, and your timing stays sharp. Whitey told me I was his right-fielder, and I'm just trying to show him he made a wise choice."

Another of the bright spots in the Rangers' batting order has been none other than Ken Suarez — who almost hung it up during the off-season. It was only the addition of Whitey Herzog that convinced Suarez to re-consider. Ken opened the season as the Rangers' defensive specialist, handling the hard-throwing, sometimes wild pitchers. His bat would be considered somewhat of a liability, but his defensive abilities would make up for it.

But things haven't quite fit into that pattern for Suarez or the Rangers. When regular catcher Dick Billings broke his thumb on a foul tip, Suarez moved in as the full-time catcher. And the man whose bat was his weakness has responded with a .325 average, including three doubles and a home run. His defense has been as solid as ever and Ranger fans have responded to the little guy, (he's 5' 9"), with open enthusiasm.

Following the conclusion of the present homestand on May 17, the Rangers take to the road for nine games in 11 days. On May 18 Texas opens a three-game, weekend series with California. After an open day, the Rangers head north to Oakland for a two-game series. A travel day follows as Herzog's crew jets from the west coast to the east, opening a four-day Friday-Saturday-Sunday-Monday series with the New York Yankees that concludes the road trip.

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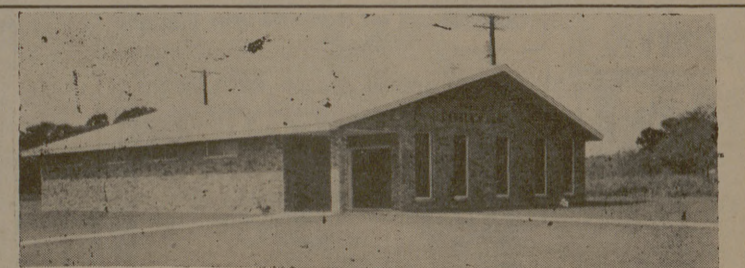
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### "Unavoidable Realities"

There are many things in life to which men never have to face up. One may escape personal responsibility by shifting it to others. He may avoid things unpleasant or continually delay difficult decisions. But there are some things in life and the next which we cannot change, transfer, delay, or escape. They are unavoidable realities.

We cannot change the sobering fact that God is aware of all things, good and bad, and cannot be deceived. "The eyes of the Lord are in every place, beholding the evil and the good" (Prov. 15:3). "All things are naked and opened unto the eyes of him with whom we have to do" (Heb. 4:13). "Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap" (Gal. 6:7).

We cannot avoid being either for the Lord or against him. We cannot stand on the sideline being non-committed and neutral. "Not to decide is to decide." "He that is not with me is against me" (Matt. 12:30). "Thou are neither cold nor hot . . . because thou are lukewarm . . . I will spue thee out of my mouth" (Rev. 3:15, 16). There are only two roads open to us, and no middle road of neutrality (Matt. 7:13, 14).

We cannot transfer personal responsibility for sin to someone else. Each must give account of himself. "The soul that sinneth, it shall die. The son shall not bear the iniquity of the father, neither shall the father bear the iniquity of the son; the righteousness of the righteous shall be upon him, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon him" (Ezek. 18:20). "So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God" (Rom. 14:12).

We cannot escape the fact that every responsible person is in need of salvation, and that the only way to obtain it is through obedience to the gospel of Christ. There is no substitute. "It is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth" (Rom. 1:16). "The Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven . . . taking vengeance of them . . . that obey not the gospel" (II Thes. 1:7, 8). Compare Mark 16:15, 16 and Acts 2:38.

To be continued.

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Scriptures selected by the American Bible Society

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Samuel	Romans	Romans	Romans	Galatians	Galatians	Hebrews
1:8-28	3:21-31	4:1-9	5:1-11	8:1-11	3:6-25	10:1-17

### CALENDAR OF CHURCH SERVICES

#### CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

26th East and Coulter, Bryan  
8:30 A.M.—Priesthood meeting  
10:30 A.M.—Sunday School  
8:00 P.M.—Sacrament Meeting

#### FAITH CHURCH UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

9:15 A.M.—Sunday School  
10:30 A.M.—Morning Worship  
7:30 P.M.—Evening Service

#### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Homestead & Ennis  
9:45 A.M.—Sunday School  
10:30 A.M.—Morning Worship  
8:00 P.M.—Young People

#### UNITARIAN FELLOWSHIP

305 Old Highway 6, South  
10:00 A.M.—Sunday Service  
7:00 P.M.—Adult Service  
305 Old College Road South

#### A&M PRESBYTERIAN

7:30 A.M.—Sun. Breakfast - Stu. Ctr.  
9:45 A.M.—Church School  
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship  
8:00 P.M.—Sun. Single Stu. Fellowship  
7:15 P.M.—Wed. Student Fellowship  
6:45 A.M.—Fri. Communion Service  
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#### UNIVERSITY LUTHERAN

Hubert Beck, Pastor  
9:30 A.M.—Bible Class  
10:45 A.M.—Divine Worship  
6:00 P.M.—Worship Celebration  
7:30 P.M.—Wednesday, Discussion Group

#### A&M METHODIST

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School  
10:45 A.M.—Morning Worship  
5:30 P.M.—Campus & Career Class  
5:30 & 6:00 P.M.—MYF Meetings

#### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School  
10:45 A.M.—Morning Worship  
6:30 P.M.—Young People's Service  
7:00 P.M.—Preaching Service

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

9:30 A.M.—Sunday School  
11:00 A.M.—Sunday Service  
12:30-3:30 P.M.—Tues. Reading Rm.  
7:00-8:00 P.M.—Wed., Reading Room  
8:00 P.M.—Wed. Evening Worship

#### FIRST BAPTIST

9:30 AM—Sunday School  
10:45 AM Morning Worship  
6:10 PM—Training Union  
7:20 PM—Evening Worship  
6:45 PM—Choir Practice & Teachers' meetings (Wednesday)  
7:45 PM—Midweek Services (Wed.)

#### SECOND BAPTIST

710 Eisenhower  
9:45 A.M.—Sunday School  
11:00 A.M.—Church Service  
6:30 P.M.—Training Union  
7:30 P.M.—Church Service

#### OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN

8:30 & 10:45 A.M.—The Church at Worship  
9:30 A.M.—Bible Classes For All  
Holy Communion—1st Sun. Ea. Mo.

#### CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

3205 Lakeview  
9:45 A.M.—Bible School  
10:45 A.M.—Morning Worship  
6:00 P.M.—Youth Hour  
7:00 P.M.—Evening Worship

#### ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC

Sunday Mass—9, 11 A.M. & 7 P.M. (Folk Mass)  
Weekday Masses—5:15 P.M.  
Saturday Mass—6 P.M.  
Holy Day Masses—5:15, 7 P.M. & 12:15  
Confessions—Saturday 5-6, 6:45-7:15

#### A&M CHURCH OF CHRIST

8:00 & 10:00 A.M. Worship  
9:00 A.M.—Bible Study  
5:15 P.M.—Young People's Class  
8:00 P.M.—Worship  
7:15 P.M.—Aggie Class  
9:30 A.M.—Tues. Ladies Bible Class  
7:15 P.M.—Wednesday - Bible Study

#### COLLEGE HEIGHTS ASSEMBLY OF GOD

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School  
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship  
6:30 P.M.—Young People's Service  
7:30 P.M.—Evening Worship

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Chaplain, James Moore

#### SUNDAY SERVICES:

8:00 A.M.—Holy Communion  
9:30 A.M.—Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sundays  
Morning Prayer (2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays)  
7:00 P.M.—Youth Choir  
8:00 P.M.—Evening Prayer

#### GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH

2505 S. College Ave., Bryan  
An Independent Bible Church  
9:45 A.M.—Sunday School  
10:30 A.M.—Morning Worship  
7:00 P.M.—Prayer and Bible Study

#### SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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9:30 A.M.—Sabbath School (Saturday)  
11:00 A.M.—Worship Service  
7:30 P.M.—Prayer Meeting (Tuesday)



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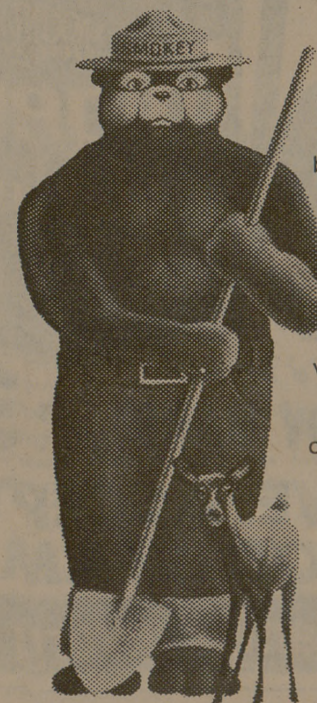
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