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MRS. L. K. PARR WINS LIVING ROOM CONTEST

Mrs. L. K. Parr, of the Spring Hill community, representing the home demonstration club of that section, was winner in the class A division of the Living Room Improvement Contest, which started December 1st and closed April 15. It was announced Wednesday by Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, county home demonstration agent.

In class B, Mrs. Owen Aycock, also of the Spring Hill club, won first prize.

These two women competed with others all over Runnels county, and as a result of their wins they will represent the county in the district contest to be held in June.

The winners have been awarded free trips to the Texas A. & M. College short course to be held at College Station during the last week in July and the first week in August. The Ballinger and Winters chambers of commerce gave these trips.

Mrs. Parr's living room work cost her less than \$25, her expense being \$24.40. Mrs. Aycock's expense was slightly above the \$25 mark, which put her in class B, she expending \$25.77.

Honorable mention was given to Mrs. Roy L. Roper, of Norton, in the class A division; and to Mrs. Edward Allison, of Spring Hill, in class B; and to Mrs. N. S. Wright, of Miles, in class B. These women all finished strong in the contest.

Mrs. B. C. Kirk and Miss Fannie Wilmeth, of Ballinger, were judges in the contest.

Following are letters from each of the winning contestants, told in their own words, detailing the labor and expense of the competition:

Mrs. Parr's Letter

"I will first tell you how my room was at first. I looked at it and thought my, it will be a great undertaking to enter the contest and do what I will have to do, but I did it.

"The room had a bed, an old time square piano, many, many years old—takes almost a room for one of them. The room was so dark I know when the judges came and scored first time they thought I had a hopeless task on my hands.

"But unlike the fairies who just wave a wand and change all, I had some real labor ahead of me to even make it look nice. When I was a girl the best room was a parlor—no one was ever allowed in. It was kept dark, shades drawn down all the time and really the housewife would hate to see the minister coming for she would have to open it and let a little ray of light in and it might fade the heavy Brussels carpet.

"But oh, what a difference today in homes; a real living room, where the family can all enter any time, rest, enjoy music, games, radio; just real 'home, sweet home.' But I must go on and tell of a far different room that I started with.

"I am 58 years old, but still love the carpenter work. I had some lumber, boxes, a window and paper. I got some more lumber, had a hand saw, hack saw, plane, one or two pocket knives, so went to work. I have made 10 pieces of furniture for the room: a davenport, one nice large rocking chair, straight chair, end table, library table, nice long flower stand, a beautiful magazine stand. (I have some orders for some magazine stands like mine.) I made over a bookcase and writing desk combined. Have double windows on front side, one on end. I had to take it out twice before I got it to suit me. Stuck a nail in my foot but had to keep working as time was growing short. Several times I thought I would tell Mrs. Hollingsworth, our home demonstration agent, I would just withdraw, for I had so much to do, but I kept bravely on, doing all this work and at-

tending to all outside work—cows, chickens, turkeys, etc.

"I have good strong springs in the chairs and davenport, and the upholstery is pretty brown velour, a nice rug on the floor, edge varnished, wood-work painted ivory, papers with pretty paper, nice new shades, pretty draperies at windows, took a small straight chair enameled it pink to match and padded it with pretty cushions for the writing desk or victrola.

"We have the room well lighted at night, equal to electric light. I varnished all furniture, sandpapering it first. All is made good and substantial, not the kind that will come to pieces with use.

"I worked day and night to get this completed, but one has to see it, to know how pretty it is.

"The long library table and end table match was difficult to put in shape.

"I never had a lesson on carpentry in my life.

"I also made and framed my pictures in the room.

"The foot stool is made out of an old round piano stool, the top covered with velour. I have pretty cushions on the davenport.

"When I look at the room it does not seem possible I did all this work myself, but I have neighbors who know I did it. I have a room that anyone would be proud to have.

"We have the best home demonstration agent there is in Mrs. Hollingsworth. I am proud to have won and thank the judges.

"The room is heated with a good coal heater.

"It took quite a bit of planning to keep under the amount of \$25."

Mrs. Aycock's Letter

"As our home demonstration agent put on the living room program, telling how we might brighten our rooms, and also win a nice prize, I entered the contest.

"My room was old and very much in need of paint and paper. The furniture looked as if a coat of varnish would help its looks too. Suitable pictures I had not one. The drapery was old and the shades too dark. The wood-work was a dark oak.

"First I removed the varnish from the floors and furniture, giving them a coat of dark stain, finishing with a clear varnish. The woodwork I painted in ivory. My doors were finished in mahogany. I added an attractive fuel container, magazine rack and a fern table. I painted these tulip red for the bright spots in the room. Ceiling and walls I papered. I used ivory shades and glass curtains with fringe valance and tie backs to match. I bought one picture and framed three calendars. I made four bright pillows from old materials.

"When everything was finished and I stepped back to view the room all the hard tasks were forgotten for I have a cozy room."

CONCHO COUNTY FARM IS SOLD FOR \$30,000

SAN ANGELO, April 21.—The sale of his 660-acre Concho River farm, 16 miles south of Ballinger, to T. R. Setser, for a consideration of \$30,000 has been made here by Tom Posey, of Brownwood. The farm is highly improved, and is considered one of the most valuable farm properties in that section, being highly productive. Of the 500 acres in cultivation, 300 acres will be planted to cotton while the remainder will be planted to grain and grain sorghums, Mr. Posey stated.

Fred W. Greber, president of the West Texas Telephone Company, of Brownwood, and R. P. Canady, connected with the same company, were in Ballinger Tuesday morning looking after business.

tion in Runnels county.

The affair was sponsored by the Retail Merchants Association of Miles, which also acts as the chamber of commerce.

The meeting was opened by the invocation, led by Rev. J. M. Riddle, Baptist preacher of Winters.

Paul J. Brown, cashier of the County Food Bank of Miles, read a paper.

LOCAL MEN TO OPEN DRUG STORE IN SAN ANGELO

John A. Weeks and R. W. Earnshaw of this city will open a new drug store in San Angelo as soon as the new Hilton Hotel is completed, it was announced here at Wednesday by Mr. Weeks.

"We have obtained the drug and confectionery rights of the new hotel," Mr. Weeks stated, "and will open the most modern drug store in all of West Texas. We will try to make it even better than our store in the Abilene Hilton, which we opened last September after an expenditure of between \$15,000 and \$20,000."

Mr. Weeks stated that the new San Angelo store would occupy a corner space, similar to that in Abilene. The Abilene has been claimed to be one of the most modern in the entire Southwest.

The new Hilton Hotel in San Angelo will be 14 stories from the ground and is said to be planned as one of the most modern in West Texas. Mr. Weeks said his drug store would have to be modern to be in keeping with the hotel.

A manager for the store has not been obtained, Mr. Weeks said, but announced that two or three men from the Ballinger store would be transferred to the San Angelo business.

Plans for the new hotel are now in the hands of an architect and will be turned over to contractors for bids by May 1st. It is expected that the hostelry will be completed some time during September, 1928.

48 ATTEND MEN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS AT PALACE

Forty-eight men were present at the Palace Theatre Sunday school class Sunday morning when Roy L. Hill, local attorney, taught a splendid lesson on "Christ in the Home."

Miss Carmen Demmer, of the young ladies' class of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, was presented in a violin solo, and Buell T. Cardwell, of Big Spring, was presented in a vocal number.

DODSONVILLE, Texas—Construction of a new gin is well underway here, replacing one destroyed by fire during the past season.

talks pledging support to the Miles citizens in boosting their city and the entire community.

Those present from Ballinger were: W. C. McCarver, president of the local chamber of commerce; J. D. Motley, secretary of the same organization; G. Ridders, manager of the Runnels County Co-operative Creamery; and L. Cohen, fire chief. Commercial organizations and newspapers of San Angelo were also represented.

Two enjoyable readings were given, one by little Miss Dorothy Bates and the other by little Miss Brown.

The "Pa and Ma" Orchestra of Miles furnished the music for this occasion. Members of the orchestra are: W. R. Hunton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weatherby, Mrs. W. T. McKee, and Miss Cecil Bishop. Miss Bishop, instructor of music at the Miles high school, also rendered two violin solos, with Miss Minnie Thiele accompanying at the piano.

This banquet was the first affair of the kind for the Miles R. M. A. but it was so successful and interesting that others will be held annually.

take part with one at Coleman to be judged by State Senator Walter Woodward.

The winner of the district meet will go to the state meet and the winner of that contest will go to the national meet to be held in Washington.

In San Angelo last week at the district interscholastic league meet, Runnels county students won three of the four first places in essay writing, in which nine counties had participants.

In the class A schools, Fay Stagner, Ballinger, won first place; in class B schools, Hanna Lea Childress, Miles, scored first, in ward schools, Ruth Gallamore San Angelo, won first; and in rural schools, Carrie Witter Blanton, scored first.

Runnels county students did rather well in a number of contests, including essay writing, despite the fact that they did not win first in total points at the district meet.

J. L. Hunt, of Miles, announced Saturday in The Ledger as a candidate for district clerk of Runnels county, was in Ballinger Saturday, looking after business and soliciting votes. Mr. Hunt

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has lived in Miles for about eight years, being in the lumber business there for about five years. Some three years ago he was gassed, in the West Texas oil fields, but is recovering his health now. With Mr. Hunt's announcement there are three candidates for this office, Miss Georgia Singletary, E. Hoyt Smith, and Mr. Hunt.

PASTOR KILLS RATTLE SNAKE NEAR CREWS

W. Lawson Brown, pastor of the Ballinger Nazarene Church, killed a large rattlesnake near Crews Saturday morning while in that section of the county.

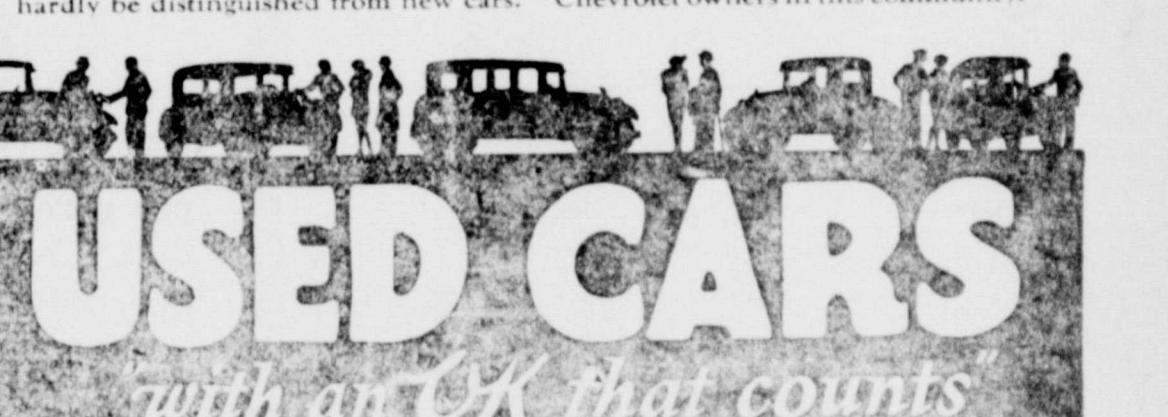
Rev. Brown was driving down the road when he observed a snake lying out to one side, sunning. He thought it looked like a rattler and he drove back to the spot and killed the reptile. It was between 3 and 4 feet long.

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Car Thieves Arrested In Stolen Car

also Sunday school Sunday morning.

Frank Barnett, of Yoakum, Texas, is visiting Sam Woods and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Brevard left Thursday for San Antonio, where they will visit relatives.

Miss Edna Woods, of Winters, spent Saturday night at the home of her uncle, Eldo McMillan, of this community.

Miss Alice Foreman spent the week-end with Miss Floy Drake, of the Hagan community.

Fowler No. 1 oil well has ceased drilling on account of salt water. They are down about 1800 feet. They will again drill when the water is eased off.

Mr. and Mrs. Lornie Elkins visited Nick Ward and family of Ballinger Saturday and Sunday.

Charlie and Ernest Tungett and families attended the singing convention at Wilmett Sunday.

Curtis Jones, of Ballinger visited Charlie Tungett and family Monday.

The Blanton and Hagan outside boys played baseball Monday at Blanton. The score ended in favor of Hagan, 7-21.

"REPORTER."

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HAGAN NEWS

Everyone is rejoicing over the pretty weather after bad weather the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Nunn, of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wood and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Turner.

Miss Ola Dee Murphy spent last week with her sister in Abilene.

Lois Wood spent the week-end with Laura Sparks.

Vera and Velma Taylor enjoyed the company of one of their Ballinger friends Friday night.

We are very sorry to report that Fred Flanagan is very ill with pneumonia.

Miss Alice Foreman, of Blanton, spent Saturday night with Miss Floy Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Aldridge, of Ballinger, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cope, of Ballinger, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Foreman.

Mrs. Harper gave a big dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. Harper's birthday, and all the children were present but Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allison.

Margaret Crimm spent Sunday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Crimm.

Elmer Patton attended a party Friday night at Barnett, and when he returned home he found his spare casing missing.

"REPORTER."

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HERRING TOPICS

The farmers of this community are getting ready to plant gardens, maize and corn over on account of the freeze this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Kerby and Mrs. Kerby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark visited relatives and friends in this community this week-end.

Miss Opal Duggar spent Sunday with Miss Ozella Avent.

Most all of the adults of this community gathered at the home of J. P. Brevard Friday night. The social was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Kerby and Mr. and Mrs. Clark. Music was furnished by Mr. Rosford on an accordion.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosford visited Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Alleorn Sunday.

Miss Benice Hale spent Sunday with Misses Ley and Thora Brevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Todd and

Most every home in the neighborhood have one or more of the family ill, as the result of vaccination for small-pox. Although no one else has taken it up to the present time, some of the school children have been real sick with high fever. Grown-ups, too, have suffered.

F. Gressett and family motored to Winters Sunday to hear Rev. Anderson, of Houston, preach. He is helping Rev. Johnson conduct a revival at the new Holiness Church which was built this winter, and dedicated Sunday. Jim Gressett and wife will be there this week to assist in the song service. Most of the people here have heard Mr. and Mrs. Gressett sing and no doubt will be interested to know they will have the opportunity to hear them this week. They have sung quite a bit over the radio in California and other places as well.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pickle and baby, J. D. and Evelyn Tullus went to Menard Sunday, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cox, Mrs. Milton Clayton and Mrs. W. T. Hill attended conference at Crews Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rampy visited relatives at Wilmett Sunday.

Jack Brookshire is ill at his home on the Evans Ranch.

Mrs. Jess Stagner has gone to Rotan, to be at the bedside of her mother, who was suddenly stricken with paralysis.

Jewel and Jess Rackley have returned from New Mexico after a short stay with their sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brookshire visited relatives at Norton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Clark, of Ballinger, were among the Sunday callers at Benoit.

W. T. Hill and J. E. Rives were

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Later the Bobcats took the ball down the field on end-runs but the locals held them on the 7-yard line until the whistle blew.

Stars for the Bearcats were Coker, Parish, Beck and Arthur in the backfield, while Reese, Smith, Middleton, and Lusk played hard in the line. For San Angelo, Baker, captain; Roberts and Grimes played a good game.

The starting line-ups: Ballinger—ends, Parish and Robison; tackles, Lusk and Smith; guards, Daugherty and Reese; center, Middleton (c); quarter, Beck; halves, Arthur and James Parish; full, Coker. San Angelo—ends, Smith and Roberts; tackles, Walker and Jennings; guards, Allen and Allison; center, Grimes; quarter, Russell; halves, Baker and O'Bannon; full, Hamberlin.

Officials: Tuck, (Austin) referee; Wooten, (Simmons) umpire; Brady, head linesman and Penn (Howard Payne) time-keeper.

Miss Evelyn Shepherd spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shepherd.

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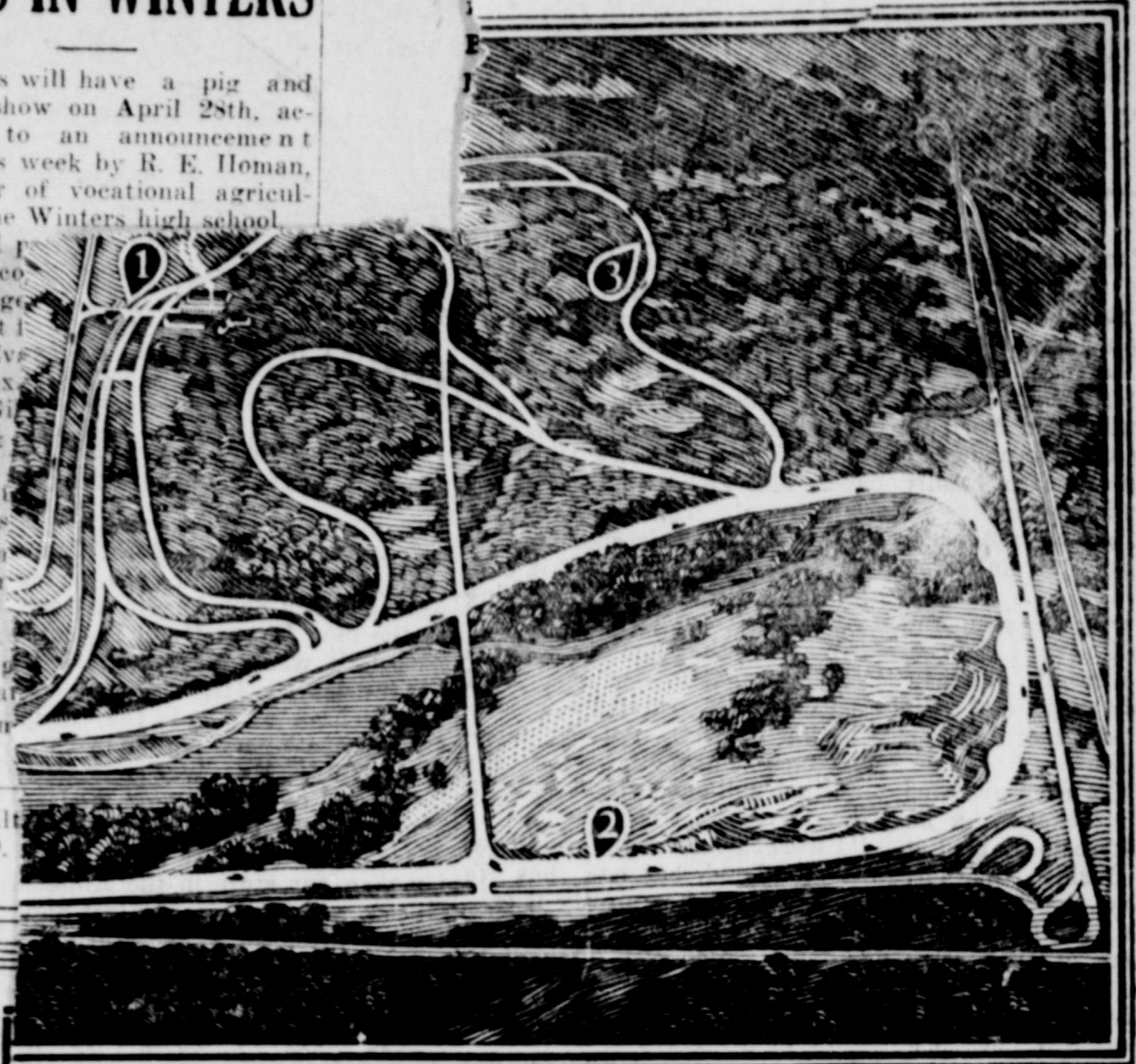
SHOW AT 28 IN WINTERS

Winters will have a pig and poultry show on April 28th, according to an announcement made this week by R. E. Homan, instructor of vocational agriculture in the Winters high school.

A good parade, accompanied by a large band, will be present. C. M. Eves of the Texas Garden Club, Clayton & Clayton, and other prominent citizens have promised to give short talks.

Mr. Homan is interested in the development of the county and they can help. Mr. Homan says.

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Call for Republican County Convention of Runnels County, Texas
May 8, 1928

Ballinger, Texas, April 19, 1928
To the Republican Voters of Runnels County, Texas:

Pursuant to law, in compliance with instructions of the Republican Party, in compliance of and for the State of Texas, including the call for the Republican State Convention of May 22, 1928, and by instruction of the Republican Executive Committee of Runnels County, a delegated convention of the Republican voters of Runnels County is hereby called to meet in the city of Ballinger, in said County, at 3 p. m. on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1928, at the following described location: Court House.

The purposes of this convention are:

(1) To elect the number of delegates and alternate delegates to the Republican State Convention to be held in Dallas, Texas, May 22, 1928, (which convention elects the delegates and alternate delegates to the Republican National Convention of 1928), to which this county is entitled under the terms of the Call for said State Convention.

(2) To transact such other business as may properly come before said County Convention.

Each voting precinct shall be entitled in the convention hereby called to one (1) delegate and one (1) alternate for each twenty-five (25) votes, or major fraction thereof, cast in said precinct for the Republican candidate for elector for President and Vice-President of the United States who received the largest vote cast for any such elector, in said precinct.

Doctor Found Women and Children Sick More Often than Men

As a family doctor at Monticello, Illinois, the whole human body, not any small part of it, was Dr. Caldwell's practice. More than half his "calls" were on women, children and babies. They are the ones most often sick. But their illnesses were usually of a minor nature—colds, fevers, headaches, biliousness—and all of them required first a thorough evacuation. They were constipated.

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The preparation immediately had as great a success in the drug stores as it previously had in Dr. Caldwell's private practice. Now, the third generation is using it. Mothers are giving it to their children who were given it by their mothers. Every second of the working day someone somewhere is going into a drug store to buy it. Millions of bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are being used a year.

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inct, in the general election of November 4, 1924, PROVIDED, that each precinct in which a legal precinct convention is held on the first Saturday in May, 1928, shall be entitled to at least one (1) delegate and one (1) alternate in the county convention.

Precinct conventions will be held in each precinct of this County at 2 p. m. on May 5, 1928. Notice of the place for each such precinct convention shall be given by the duly elected or appointed Republican precinct chairman who holds a certificate of appointment, signed by the Republican County Chairman of this County, and said precinct chairman shall be presiding officer at said precinct convention. No one except qualified voters living within the precinct in which the said precinct convention is held will be permitted to participate therein. If practicable, the official list of poll tax payers and holders of certificates of exemption for each precinct shall be used to determine the qualification of persons offering to participate.

All citizens who are qualified voters, as aforesaid, regardless of past political affiliations, who believe in the principles of the Republican party and who will support its nominees in good faith are eligible and cordially invited to participate in the Republican precinct conventions.

A. F. BROCK, Chairman.
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Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors who have been so kind to us during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Julia Brown. We know we live among the best people in the world and your acts of kindness, your thoughtful deeds, and your words of sympathy have done much to lighten our load of sorrow. Words cannot express our feeling of love for you and our friends are far more to us than riches.

Especially do we want to mention Mrs. Pearl Marshall, Mrs. Sam Manuel, Mrs. E. F. Brooks and Mrs. Floy Burson, who so patiently nursed her and whose friendship meant so much to her in her last days.

May God bless you all in our earnest prayer.

R. S. Bowden and Family.
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Miss Katherine Penn has returned from Coleman, where she had been visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cardwell and Buell T. Cardwell, of Big Spring, spent the week-end in Ballinger with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Black.



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Miles Merchants Start Program for Community

Citizens of the Miles community started out on a new era Friday night with a banquet attended by about 125 Miles business and professional men and farmers, together with visitors from San Angelo and Ballinger. The banquet was declared to be one of the most successful ever held by a commercial organization in Runnels county.

The affair was sponsored by the Retail Merchants Association of Miles, which also acts as the chamber of commerce.

The meeting was opened by the invocation, led by Rev. J. M. Riddle, Baptist preacher of Winters.

Paul J. Brown, cashier of the Guaranty Fund Bank of Miles, was toastmaster and introduced each speaker in a very unique manner.

The address of welcome was delivered by Rev. W. L. Rogers, Baptist pastor of Miles.

A number of farmers of the Miles section heard talks of visitors from Ballinger and San Angelo, who pledged the support of the business men of the two cities in helping Miles to develop a better city.

T. B. Dillingham, a recent addition to Miles' citizenship, made an interesting talk on live at home and trade at home. He also told of the new building program Miles has underway.

C. S. Coleman, Miles hardware merchant, told of what Miles sold, of what the farmers raised in the way of poultry, dairy pro-

ducts, livestock and other agricultural products and how the crops were disposed of.

Joe Thiele, Jr., of Fort Worth, recently of Miles, returned for the annual banquet. He said he had faith in Miles and its citizens and believed that the city would grow much in the next ten years.

Each of the visitors made short talks pledging support to the Miles citizens in boosting their city and the entire community.

Those present from Ballinger were: W. C. McCarver, president of the local chamber of commerce; J. D. Motley, secretary of the same organization; G. Ridders, manager of the Runnels County Co-operative Creamery; and L. Cohen, fire chief. Commercial organizations and newspapers of San Angelo were also represented.

Two enjoyable readings were given, one by little Miss Dorothy Bates and the other by little Miss Brown.

The "Pa and Ma" Orchestra of Miles furnished the music for this occasion. Members of the orchestra are: W. R. Hunton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weatherby, Mrs. W. T. McKee, and Miss Cecil Bishop. Miss Bishop, instructor of music at the Miles high school, also rendered two violin solos, with Miss Minnie Thiele accompanying at the piano.

This banquet was the first affair of the kind for the Miles R. M. A. but it was so successful and interesting that others will be held annually.

ROWENA GIRL TO COLEMAN DIST. MEET

Miss Lastelle Matejowsky, of Rowena high school, will go to Coleman to the district declamation contest, it was announced here this week. Miss Matejowsky won in the local contests and will take part with other contestants at Coleman to be judged by State Senator Walter Woodward.

The winner of the district meet will go to the state meet and the winner of that contest will go to the national meet to be held in Washington.

In San Angelo last week at the district interscholastic league meet, Runnels county students won three of the four first places in essay writing, in which nine counties had participants.

In the class A schools, Fay Stagner, Ballinger, won first place; in class B schools, Hannu Lea Childress, Miles, scored first; in ward schools, Ruth Gallamore, San Angelo, won first; and in rural schools, Carrie Witter Blanton, scored first.

Runnels county students did rather well in a number of contests, including essay writing, despite the fact that they did not win first in total points at the district meet.

J. L. Hunt, of Miles, announced Saturday in The Ledger as a candidate for district clerk of Runnels county, was in Ballinger Saturday, looking after business and soliciting votes. Mr. Hunt

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has lived in Miles for about eight years, being in the lumber business there for about five years. Some three years ago he was gassed, in the West Texas oil fields, but is recovering his health now. With Mr. Hunt's announcement there are three candidates for this office, Miss Georgia Singletary, E. Hoyt Smith, and Mr. Hunt.

PASTOR KILLS RATTLE-SNAKE NEAR CREWS

W. Lawson Brown, pastor of the Ballinger Nazarene Church, killed a large rattlesnake near Crews Saturday morning while in that section of the county.

Rev. Brown was driving down the road when he observed a snake lying out to one side, sunning. He thought it looked like a rattler and he drove back to the spot and killed the reptile. It was between 3 and 4 feet long.

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HAGAN NEWS

The farmers are very busy planting cotton and maize this pretty weather.

The singing Sunday night was well attended and everyone enjoyed the good music.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner are the proud parents of a baby boy who arrived Thursday. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Miss Esther Wood and Charlie Nunnally spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sparks.

The young folks enjoyed a B. Y. P. U. social Saturday night at Mr. Farmer's with Jack Stinebaugh as entertainer.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wood and family spent Sunday with Frank Wood and family, of Drasco.

James Midgley, of Talpa, spent Saturday night with Carl King.

We are very glad to report that Fred Flanagan is still improving.

The young folks shivered Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farmer and all reported a good time.

Miss Lena Foreman spent last week with Miss Iva Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Nunn are rejoicing over a baby girl who arrived Sunday morning. Mother and baby are doing fine.

"REPORTER."

CREWS NEWS

Bro. Pierce filled his regular appointment in the Baptist Church Saturday morning, Saturday night and Sunday morning.

The play, "Handsome Is as Handsome Does," was presented by the Senior class of Crews high school, Thursday night. The play was a great success.

Vernon Mitchell, of Ballinger, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Irven Phipps.

Rev. Hooper, Methodist pastor of Ballinger, preached the benediction sermon to the graduating class here Sunday night. The stage was decorated with pink and white crepe paper, and pink and white roses. The motto, "Progressing Upward," was made of large pink and white letters on a background of bright green. A large crowd was present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Traylor, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Madison, Mrs. W. E. Traylor, Misses Mildred Madison, Thelma and Neoma Cox, Pinkie King, and Silva Lucas all ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Traylor, Vernon Mitchell and Clayton Davis, of Ballinger; Irven, Wilma and Alma Phipps were guests in the J. W. Berry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. Quincey Traylor have been visiting relatives at Goldthwaite, Texas, a part of the past week.

Miss Pauline Innes spent Sunday with Miss Bonnie Mae Clark. Miss Thelma Cox spent Monday night with Miss Wilma Phipps.

Mrs. J. I. Mercer and children of Talpa, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Mrs. Mercer's sister, Mrs. J. G. Phipps.

Mrs. Mercer and children spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Mercer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walden.

Miss Bonnie Mae Clark spent Tuesday night with Miss Wilma Phipps.

Miss Jessie Lee Brown spent Monday night with Miss Bonnie Mae Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Phipps attended church at Mud Creek Sunday morning and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Breward.

A number of the Crews people attended singing at Mud Creek Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Biggs, of Dublin, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Roark.

SOUTH BALLINGEE NEWS

Miss Bennie Fry, of Hamhurst, has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Milton Harris.

Charles Midgley is at home for a few days from the plains, where he is with a utility company.

Mrs. Earl Evans and two children, of Abilene, came down Monday to visit I. W. Evans and family, while en route to Robert Lee to visit her parents.

Mrs. V. A. Gentry and two children, of Dallas, returned home Wednesday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leach, and baby, and sister, Eleanor Leach visited Mrs. Leach's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chick, at Eldorado Friday afternoon and returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Milam, of Winters, visited Mr. Milam's sister, Mrs. R. E. Brown, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Midgley and Mrs. Leach's sister visited in San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McMillan have moved in the field vacated by Mr. Matlock.

Mrs. Gadherry is improving slowly.

Mrs. Eddie McMillan and baby have the flu. We hope them a speedy recovery.

"REPORTER."

BARNETT NEWS

Everyone had a wonderful time at the "tacky" party at the M. H. Nelson home on Friday night of last week. The prizes for the tackiest went to Marv Froot and Douglas Strickland.

We are glad to see Miss Bertha Newsome home from Happy, where she has been spending the past several weeks.

Mrs. Doshia Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. Foy Adkins, of Ranger, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Word and family. J. W. Lee, who had been visiting here for several days, accompanied them home.

Only a small crowd was present at Sunday school Sunday morning, but the singing in the afternoon was well attended. We were glad to have with us, Mr. Tucker, of Hatchel.

A very large crowd was present at the party at Roy Nelson's Saturday night. Everyone enjoyed themselves immensely in spite of the sandstorm.

Barley Vinson left for Big Spring Sunday.

Bro. Young preached a good sermon Sunday afternoon. We were glad to have both he and Bro. Hooper with us.

A community orchestra is being organized in Barnett.

"REPORTER."

MANN NEWS

There will be a pie-supper at the school house Friday night. Everybody is invited to come.

Rev. Quillen was a welcome visitor at Mann last week.

We are sorry that Mrs. J. A. Henderson is still ill.

The Mann people are invited to go to Poe Sunday for a Fifth Sunday meeting. There will be preaching, singing and dinner on the ground.

The farmers are very busy plowing and planting.

Remember, folks, be on time for Sunday school Sunday so we can go to Poe.

"REPORTER."

BLANTON NEWS

Our community is very sad this week, due to the death of Aaron Hamilton, who passed away Thursday morning, after suffering several days with pneumonia. Mr. Hamilton is survived by his wife and two children, his father

brothers and sisters, to all of and mother, and a number of whom we extend our greatest sympathy and heartfelt wishes.

Miss Mae Foreman and Charlie Nunnally visited Miss Bonnie Cope, of Miller, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Woods, of San Angelo, visited Mr. Woods' father, S. T. Woods, of this community.

Miss Maude James spent Saturday night with Miss Eula Fowler. Miss Elva Foreman spent the week-end with Miss Lillian McMillan, of Ballinger.

Claude Odum, Herbert and Edgar Foreman, Bill Shephard, Floyd Woods and Leonard Best visited George Fowler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Witter and family and Pauline Malone visited relatives at Miles Sunday.

Some of the young people enjoyed a dance at the Kurtz home Saturday night.

Miss Alice Foreman spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cope, of Ballinger.

We are sorry to report that Willard Reese has been on the sick list this week.

"REPORTER."

BLEEDING GUMS: The sight of sore gums is sickening. Reliable dentists report the successful use of Loto's Pyorrhea Remedy on their very worst cases. If you will get a bottle and use as directed druggists will refund money if it fails. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

BIG SINGING AT WALL NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 29

The Ten Green County Singing Convention, which was to have been held April 8, was snowed under. The convention will be held next Sunday, April 29.

We hope to have a fine day, fine singing, and also a fine dinner, which will consist of ham, baked beef, peas and chicken with baked dinner.

Quarters from several places are expected to be there. If you wish to sing with us, or hear us sing, come to Wall next Sunday.

Bill Stumm, Wall, president; Mrs. J. W. Seak, Barrett, secretary and treasurer.



Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sykes are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born to them early Monday morning. Both mother and son are doing fine in the Halley & Love Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Nunn, of Valley Creek, are the parents of a fine girl born to them Sunday.

Mother and daughter are reported to be resting very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Turner are the parents of a 11 1/2 pound boy born to them Thursday of this week. Both mother and son are reported to be resting very well.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lovely, on April 18, a 12-pound boy, who was christened Franklin Truett.

NEW OIL FIRM ORGANIZED HERE

Robert B. Summers, formerly of Tulsa, has been named president; H. E. (Harry) Cannon, drilling contractor, of Tulsa, secretary-treasurer; and R. L. Rollins, rig contractor, of Eastland county, vice-president of a new oil organization here for the purpose of operating in and developing the oil industry in Runnels county. It was learned Wednesday morning.

The company has been capitalized for \$60,000 and a charter is to be applied for within the near future, it was announced.

This company will take over the Summers well and interests, north of the city. Drilling operations were resumed Wednesday at a depth of 785 feet after being closed down for a month due to lack of water for boiler and for drilling. Rains the last two week-ends brought a supply of fresh water for the tank near the well. The well is on the J. S. Reese land, block 36, of the Day Land & Cattle Company survey, about a mile and a quarter from the Vacuum-Flanagan No. 1.

The company, it is understood, is considering a number of drilling blocks in this county.

All three of the officers are experienced in oil development and production, each having had many years of work in Southwestern fields. Mr. Summers has spent many years in Texas, Oklahoma and South American fields. Mr. Cannon has been a driller in the major Texas and Oklahoma fields. He became acquainted in Ballinger when he was the con-

tractor on the Red Bank Oil Company's No. 1-W. W. Fowler, south of Ballinger, several months ago. Mr. Rollins is from Eastland county and is numbered among the "old school" of drillers and rig building contractors.

Officers are being fitted up on Eighth Street in the building between the Ideal Bakery and Cameron's Garage.

THE WIDE-AWAKE CLUB

The Wide-Awake Club of Barnett community met with Mrs. C. H. Howell on Thursday of last week. The house was called to order by the president, Mrs. Roy Nelson.

In the short business session a discussion of several matters was made, after which button-hole working was done.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. M. H. Nelson, on our regular meeting day which will be May 3rd.

—Club Reporter.

J. E. PACE JR. BUYS FIRST WHIPPET SIX

J. B. Pace, Jr., principal of the Senior high school, has purchased the first Whippet six of the new series to be delivered in Ballinger. The sale was made Monday afternoon by A. B. Middleton, salesman for the Sykes Motor Co. The new sixes were received in Ballinger last week and the formal showing was held Friday.

Even if assured of nothing else, Chicago gangsters of high degree apparently can count on gorgeous funerals—Des Moines Tribune-Capital.



Specials for Saturday

Fruits and Vegetables	At Our Market	LIPTON TEA
BANANAS, Golden Fruit, per dozen 25c	PORK ROAST, lb. 17c	Half-Pound 45c
LEMONS, large size, per dozen 31c	PORK STEAKS, lb. 17c	Hot Days Call for Ice Tea
LETTUCE, Hard Crisp Heads, each 6 1/2c	PORK CHOPS, lb. 17c	Country Made SYRUP, No. 10 88c
GREEN BEANS, a new lot from Valley, per lb. 12 1/2c	PORK SAUSAGE, lb. 17c	No. 1 TOMATOES 5c (Limit 12 Cans)
NEW POTATOES, lb. 6c	BACON, 4 to 6 lbs., Swift's Premium, by the strip, per lb. 31c	PORK & BEANS, Campbell's, Armour's or Van Camp's, can 7c (Limit 12 Cans)
BLACK-EYED PEAS, they are fresh, per lb. 20c	FRESH CAT-FISH, lb. 40c	COFFEE, Pecan Valley, 3 lbs. \$1.57
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BLACY-EYED PEAS, for planting, lb. **7c**

If Mrs. Elmer Barnhill will call at our store Saturday we will present her with a 12-pound sack of White Crest Flour Free.

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Our Garden Spot is always fresh and if the sun gets too warm for the nice bargains that we grow in this garden, we have plenty of Frigidaire equipment to keep them fresh for you.

Beginning this week we are going to give you a special or two for each day of the week. We are not going to tell you what these specials are through the paper each day, but when you come to the store look for the BIG BLUE TAGS—these will be the specials for the day. Remember, every day will have one or more of these blue tag specials for you—don't guess, but come and see what they are and buy them as you are going to save money by doing so.

We have been growing these specials in our Helpy-Selfy Garden and they are so hot, that we are going to put asbestos paper under them to keep them from burning holes in the floor and shelves.

Also start saving your cash register receipts as these are worth money to you from now on, save them all and when you have twenty-five dollars worth of these receipts bring them in and see what you get—you'll be surprised.

We make our own prices, and they are prices that are within your reach. You didn't have prices like these before HELPHY-SELFY came.

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SUNKIST SARDINES 15-oz. Size 13c	LARD Swift's Jewel 8 lbs. \$1.23 4 lbs. 63c	CREAMARY Marshmallows Big Package 6c	PALMOLIVE SOAP 3 Bars 22c	CATSUP 14-oz. Bottle 21c	P. & G. SOAP 10 Bars 39c
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1-lb. SUGAR FREE with 3-lb. Can of PLESANT CUP COFFEE \$1.57
RED HOT 1 pkg. Macaroni 1 pkg. Noodles 2 pkgs. Spaghetta 20c
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SPINACHE, Home Grown, per lb.	4½c
ARIZONA LETUCE, Iceberg, 4 for	25c
WINESAP APPLES, per dozen	34c
ORANGES, per dozen	32c
BANANAS, per lb.	6½c
GREEN BEANS, 2 lbs.	25c
CELERY, Bleached and Crisp, per stock	18c
ONIONS AND RADISHES, per bunch	7½c
STRAWBERIES, per box	19c

Market Specials

DRY SALT PLATE, Fine for Boiling, per lb.	13c
SLICED BACON, Northern Sugar Cured per lb.	29c
SKINNED HAMS, per lb.	23c
PICNIC HAMS, per lb.	17c
PORK SAUSAGE, per lb.	19c
ROLL or CHUCK ROAST, per lb.	22c
BRISKET ROAST, per lb.	19c
VEAL ROLL ROAST, per lb.	22c
BABY BEEF STEAK, per lb.	28c
VEAL LOAF MEAT, per lb.	20c
BOILED HAM, per lb.	42c
LONGHORN CHEESE, per lb.	34c

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SPECIAL

There are several misspelled words in this full page ad, and will be each week from now on.

Read the whole ad and on Saturday morning bring the list if misspelled words to this store with you. To the first five ladies bringing in the complete list of misspelled words and buying One Dollar's worth of Groceries we are going to give them one dozen bananas Free.

Watch each week's paper for this, and try and win the prizes, which will be something different each week.

You must have a complete list of the misspelled words to win a Prize.

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Your protection against inferior substitutes is the word "California," which always appears on the carton of genuine California Fig Syrup.

BOARD ELECTS '28 TEACHERS

Members of the school board met Friday night at the offices of the board and re-elected H. C. Lyon superintendent for two years, starting at the end of his present contract. This is the first time that a superintendent has ever been given a two-year contract here.

There were a few minor changes in the faculty of the schools, Dr. E. C. Baskin, vice-chairman of the board, who presided in the absence of C. A. Dose, chairman, stated Saturday morning.

Practically the entire old faculty was re-elected for another year, but the list of teachers will not be published until they have all accepted the places.

AUTOMOBILE WASHES OFF CAUSEWAY; NONE HURT

An automobile was washed off the small causeway at Willow Creek between Miles and San Angelo last Friday night when the water of the stream rose around the car with such force that it was carried down stream. No one was injured or drowned in the accident, according to a telephone message from the San Angelo Standard Saturday.

The Standard reported that the North Concho River was on a rise and that towns northwest of San Angelo reported good rains.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. King have returned from San Antonio, where they had been visiting relatives and friends and attending the State Furniture Dealers' Association meeting.

LESSON No. 19

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SCOTT'S EMULSION

CANDIDATE FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR VISITS IN CITY

W. A. (Billie) Smith, of San Saba, a lifetime newspaper man and candidate for lieutenant governor of Texas with the full endorsement of the Texas Press Association at its mid-winter meeting held at Dallas, spent Friday night and Saturday morning here while en route home from the 41st district Rotary conference held this week at Lubbock.

"We raced the rain from northwestern Runnels county into Ballinger and won," Mr. Smith said Saturday morning.

Mr. Smith is fairly well known here by several pioneers of this section, some moving here from San Saba county where Mr. Smith has lived for some time. He visited these friends Saturday and made new ones.

The candidate is pledged to the court reform program as outlined by the Texas Press Association. He is a former president of the association, former county judge of San Saba county, and for the past 15 years has been chairman of the San Saba county Democratic executive committee. He is well known in newspaper circles and has many friends scattered over the Southwest.

Mr. Smith left about noon on his return to San Saba.

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The above prices are prepaid and 100 per cent live delivery guaranteed. Orders must be booked in advance with a 20 per cent deposit. The above are our best grade chicks. Write—

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J. L. HUNT ANNOUNCES FOR DISTRICT CLERK

To the Voters of Runnels County: I take this method of announcing myself as candidate for the office of District Clerk of Runnels County. I have been a resident of Miles and Runnels county for the past eight years, and as to my qualifications I refer you to any man or firm in Miles.

I will try to see every voter in the county before election. But should I fail to see you I ask that you consider this a solicitation of your vote and influence. And if you see fit to honor me with the office I promise to make you a kind, courteous and efficient officer.

Thanking each of you for your careful consideration and support, I am,

Very truly yours,
J. L. HUNT.
21-d&w
(Political Adv.)

BALLINGER GIRL IN SIMMONS U. 28 CLASS

ABILENE, April 20.—One hundred and twenty-four seniors will be graduates from Simmons University this year. This largest class in the history of the school represents all parts of Texas, and the states of Louisiana, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Fifty towns are represented in the class. Zemma Street, of Ballinger, is a member of the class.

WEST TEXANS PLANNING TRIP TO FT. WORTH

J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce and also secretary of the Heart of Texas Secretaries, has returned from Brownwood where he attended a meeting of the secretaries, called expressly for the purpose of making preliminary plans for attending the annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention to be held at Fort Worth on June 18, 19 and 20.

Mr. Motley said a meeting would be held at Brownwood on May 3rd to complete the arrangements and prepare a program for the Heart of Texas towns, to be presented at the convention. It is planned that bands and delegations from Ballinger, Brady, San Angelo, San Saba, Coleman, Menard, Mason, Junction and other points in this section concentrate at Brownwood and leave from there on a special train which is to originate at San Angelo.

Letters are being mailed out from the local office to the many secretaries in the Heart of Texas district and it is hoped that a large crowd will go to Ft. Worth for the big celebration.

TWO BALLINGER GIRLS IN BAYLOR SOCIETIES

BELTON, April 20.—Seventeen Baylor College girls have been recently initiated by the two literary societies which sponsor much of the social and cultural life on the campus.

Royal Academia Literary Society announces the initiation of six members: Mary Leckie, Ruston, La.; Frances Floyd, Sour Lake; Charlotte Reed, Hillsboro; Hortense Holt, Ballinger; Thelma Robuek, Hubbard; and Elizabeth Caston, Leonard.

Historical-Phila Literary Society announces the initiation of eleven: Mildred Brevard, Ballinger; Alys Elizabeth Baggett, Galveston; Virginia Clumppite, Houston; Bonnie Eddins, Quamab; Elizabeth Edwards, Athens; Ione Gardner, Tuleta; Evelyn Mitchell, Barry; Elena Muirhead, Pernambuco, Brazil; Miladie Syptak, Bryan; Ella Turner, Chillicothe; and Jessie Wall, Lake Providence, La.

SEVERAL LOCAL WOMEN TO ABILENE MEETING

Several Ballinger women attended the meeting of the sixth district Texas Federation of Women's Clubs held at Abilene Friday, where luncheons, business sessions, dinners, receptions and other gatherings were held. The day was crowded with features.

Speakers of prominence from all sections of the sixth district were present and some excellent talks were made.

Those attending the meeting from Ballinger were: Mrs. F. C. Miller, Mrs. Jas. A. Wear, Mrs. C. P. Shepherd, Mrs. Warren McCullough, Miss Fannie Wilmeth, Mrs. W. L. Brown and Mrs. Alvin O. Rue.

Ledger advertising pays.

Growing Children

sometimes require a tonic as do their elders *

GIVE your child the right chance to develop, and you will not regret it in later years.

Many children become under-nourished due to lack of appetite. Keep the appetite keen. Food nourishes the body and makes it grow.

Also watch Nature's warning for changes in the system. Skin troubles—pimples, boils and that sallow complexion—all foretell a body weakness.

In such cases, S.S.S. is the proper tonic. It improves the appetite; helps Nature build rich, red blood cells—those vitalizing elements in the blood that build and sustain the body.

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* The physical welfare of the child is being given more attention by school authorities. Failure to keep up with class work and absence from school is probably due to a nervousness and rundown condition that may be largely attributed to a deficiency in red blood cells.

S.S.S. Restores the Appetite Builds Sturdy Health

RAIN BOOSTS RUNNELS CROPS

Rain Friday night aided the crops in this territory quite a bit according to estimates of its value Saturday. The fall here was about half an inch, while in the northern part of the county it was heavier.

The Colorado River was on a small rise early Saturday morning. It was reported that the Ballinger Country Club lake received a fresh supply of water.

Hail fell in several sections but no serious damage had been reported at noon today.

Following is the report compiled by the West Texas Telephone Company early Saturday:

- Ballinger 33
- Benoit 50
- Blackwell, none
- Bradshaw, none
- Brady, none
- Bronte, light shower
- Brownwood, good shower
- Coleman 58
- Concho, none
- Crews, shower
- Eden, none
- Ft. Chadbourne, light shower
- Hatchel 50
- Leady, none
- Maverick 150
- Menard, none
- Miles 50
- Millersville, none
- Norton 50
- Olfen 75
- Ovalo, none
- Paint Rock, none
- Pony 100
- Rowena 75
- San Angelo, none
- Santa Anna 50
- Stacy, none
- Talpa 33
- Wimeth, none
- Wingate, none
- Winters 50

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General Practice
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Glasses Properly Fitted
Office F. & M. Bank Bldg.

MENARD—The Bevans, Menard's new four-story hotel, will be opened to the public formally May 3rd.

\$875
COUPE F.O.B. DETROIT

for **DODGE BROTHERS** NEW STANDARD SIX

4-Door Sedan	\$895
Cabriolet	\$945
DeLuxe Sedan	\$970
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Here is the fastest car under a thousand dollars! • With the fastest acceleration of any car under a thousand dollars! • And the greatest flexibility! And the greatest motor! And the finest four-wheel brakes! • Built to supply tremendous power safely and dependably.

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ALSO THE VICTORY SIX \$1065 TO \$1175 AND THE SENIOR SIX \$1075 TO \$1175

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THEY WEAR LONGER

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Ballinger, Texas

Buck BRAND WORK CLOTHES
FIT AND WEAR

SOLD BY **THE HUB**
BALLINGER, TEXAS.

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And Need Your Cream

RUNNELS COUNTY CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY
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TIRE PRICES ARE STEADY

Tire dealers and the public should not be deceived into believing that recent declining market prices on rubber should immediately be reflected in lower tire prices. Many factors are responsible for this drop in crude rubber prices, important among them, of course, being the British withdrawal of the Stevenson Restriction Act which will cease to operate next November. However, tire manufacturers as a whole have already purchased rubber sufficient to take care of their requirements for approximately four months. This purchase of rubber, largely through the rubber pool organized by American manufacturers to stabilize rubber prices and protect the consuming public, was one of the reasons and a very important one, responsible for the British withdrawal of the Stevenson act. This naturally means that the consuming tire public of America is greatly indebted to American tire manufacturers for their successful effort to break the British strangle hold on this important raw material. It is hardly reasonable, on top of all this, for the public to expect tire manufacturers to reduce tire prices on the basis of daily reports of prevailing market prices on rubber.

There will not be a tire price decline for some time to come. This is the unanimous opinion of men on the inside and with first hand information concerning all facts that have bearing on the situation. Harvey Firestone, for one, has come out with the flat statement that there can be no price decline for at least four months. That would keep prices up until August—and, of course, there is little likelihood of manufacturers allowing a price decline right at the height of the consumer tire buying season. Anyway, it is practically a certainty that there will be no price decline for a number of months and the dealer who puts off buying and pushing sales right now is cutting his own throat.

The tire manufacturers have already done the public a good turn in forcing down the price of rubber which, naturally, if nothing unforeseen happens to increase the price of crude rubber, may eventually bring down the price of tires when the rubber already purchased has been consumed. Obviously, a decline in prices can hardly come before four months at least. Whether or not a price decline can come after four months depends entirely on developments between now and then. No one should be greatly surprised if a price decline did not come during 1928 at all. Some have even ventured that the pendulum of crude rubber prices will soon rebound and carry with it a tendency toward higher tire prices than we have now.

Tire prices are fifty per cent lower than in 1914, while prices of more than 400 basic commodities have increased 150 per cent during the past fourteen years. This means that it takes only half as many dollars to buy tires today, but that in the case of more than 400 other commodities, it takes on the average of two and one-half as many dollars to buy them today.

That tire manufacturers have been able to make this possible is evidence of the high point of efficiency attained by the industry as a whole.

400 acres Patented Land, 16 mile-railroad, school one mile; no improvements, 75 per cent tillable; good grass, shallow water. For quick sale \$5.00 per acre cash. 160 acre Relinquishment thrown in Free. With plenty wood and post timber. Fish and wild game near. E. B. Laughter, Portales, New Mexico. 27-1tw

Tom Penn, a student of Howard Payne College, has returned to his school at Brownwood after spending the week-end here with his father, W. C. Penn. Mr. Penn, who has been quite ill for several days, was able to be down town the latter part of last week for a short while.

Be wise and advertise.

CREASY SENDS FILER TO INDIA

R. B. Creasy, of the Creasy Rotary Filer Co., announced Thursday morning that he had shipped a gin saw filer to a cotton gin at Karachi, India, a distance of some 14,000 or 15,000 miles from Ballinger. Karachi is on the eastern coast of India, situated in a considerable cotton producing district.

Mr. Creasy has shipped a number of his filers out of the United States, some of them going to Turkey, Brazil, Mexico and other countries.

"Some time ago we had several orders from Russian gins," Mr. Creasy declared, "but the conditions of that country became so bad that the ginners there could secure no financial backing and so all orders were cancelled.

"I believe that in time we will work up a good business in foreign countries as many of them are beginning to raise quite a bit of cotton. In India the cotton industry is reported to be growing at a rapid pace. Our filers keep the gin saws in practically new condition and foreign ginners want some kind of a machine so they will not have to wait for parts from the States."

This is the first machine the local factory has shipped to India.

Sheep or Cattle Ranches

25,000 acres Patented land, 25,000 Leased land. Close to railroad, fenced and cross fenced, 4 wells water 10 feet. Running water. Fine grass. Large hay meadow. Headquarters 1 mile station. New modern 7 room house with Bath, hot and cold water, nicely furnished. Nice shade trees. Bunk houses close, walks from one to the other. Water piped to house. Bunk houses, all over yard and to corrals. Plenty sheds and corrals. Platform scales. Dipping vat. Two other sets of improvements. Price on Patented land \$8.00 per acre with Federal loan of \$1.00 per acre. Lease thrown in, paid up for one year. A first class Ranch. Some terms given. E. B. LAUGHTER, Portales, New Mexico. 27-1tw

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barrow and daughter, Miss Ollie Mae, have returned from San Antonio, where they had been visiting relatives.

Jack Holt returned Sunday from Dallas where he had been taking Masonic work during the past week.

Miss Ruth Holliday, who is attending Simmons University at Abilene, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Holliday.

Mrs. Troy Simpson and daughter, Miss Mary Virginia, are visiting Mrs. Simpson's parents in Abilene for a few days.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For Congress, 17th District: R. Q. LEE, T. P. PERKINS
For Sheriff: R. E. (EARL) McWILLIAMS, CALVIN ROBERTSON
For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN, ED. J. O'KELLY
For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD, SID CASKEY
For District Clerk: MISS GEORGIA SINGLETARY, E. HOYT SMITH, J. L. HUNT
For Treasurer: MRS. JENNIE KIRK
For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMER
For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD, ROY L. HILL
For County Clerk: MISS IMA McKOWN, T. F. BRIDWELL, C. A. WOMACK
For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE
For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1: C. H. WILLINGHAM
For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1: O. R. JONAS
For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1: R. J. DEENS
For Commissioner Prec. No. 2: D. W. YEAGER
For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4: R. A. PERRY, HENRY GOETZ, E. A. KORNEGAY

Local Auto Agencies To Get New Locations

Two local automobile agencies, the Sykes Motor Company, distributors of Willys-Knight and Whippet cars; and the Home Motor Company, distributors of Dodge Bros. cars and trucks, will move into new homes within the next two or three weeks, it was announced Friday morning.

The Sykes Motor Company has leased the new building on West Hutchings Avenue and will move into this structure in the near future, it was announced Friday by O. C. Sykes, manager of the firm. This building is one of the most modern in the city. It was erected at a cost of about \$17,000 by Mrs. Lulu Noyes and her daughter, Mrs. D. C. Middleton. It has steel beams with no columns, modern and elaborate show rooms, and a large space in the rear for repair work.

The Home Motor Company, a new concern, composed of local people, will occupy the Talbot building now occupied by the Sykes Motor Company.

This firm was recently organized and took over the Dodge sales and service here. The stockholders are all local people and the business will be managed by a local man. This firm will move from the Love building on Seventh Street to the West Hutchings Avenue location on May 1st. It was announced Friday that a directors' meeting would be held before the first of May when officers would be elected.

SCHOOL CENSUS SHOWS INCREASE

Ballinger's scholastic population for 1928 shows an increase of 22 students over the 1927 census, it was announced Friday by A. F. Brock, secretary of the Ballinger Independent District board of trustees.

Following are the 1927 and 1928 scholastic census figures: 1928 scholastics—1023 Whites, 916 Colored, 107 Residing south of Colorado River, 76 1927 scholastics—1001 Whites, 901 Colored, 100 Residing south of the Colorado River, 82

LYON PURCHASES HOME ON 8TH ST.

H. C. Lyon, superintendent of the city schools, who was recently re-elected as superintendent for a period of two years, has purchased the C. D. Middleton home at 804 Eighth Street, it was learned Tuesday morning. The purchase price was not announced.

Mr. Middleton will build a new home after he gives up his place on June 1st.

Mrs. Iona Culwell and baby, Juanita Ruth, left Wednesday morning for Groesbeck, where they will visit Rev. and Mrs. S. I. Culwell.

WINTERS—Winters will hold a pig and poultry show April 28

POLICE GUARD ANGELO BANKS

SAN ANGELO, April 20.—Every bank in San Angelo was under police guard Thursday night. Police officials and bankers would not say whether the posting of officers in the banks was merely a precautionary measure or whether it was to forestall some robbery of which they had had warning.

Officers assigned to the various banks spent the night in them and it was said that the guard would be continued indefinitely for twenty-four hours a day.

Office buildings above banks were locked at the close of business hours Thursday evening and tenants in the buildings were supplied with keys to the outside doors. Ordinarily the outside doors to the buildings are left unlocked.

FORMER BALLINGER MAN DIES IN HOUSTON

M. C. Braden, formerly of this city died at Houston Tuesday afternoon, according to a telegram received here by J. F. Lusk, secretary of the W. O. W. Lodge. He was 66 years of age.

Mr. Braden had been living in Houston for several years. He was formerly in the contracting business in Ballinger, and was well known here. Deceased became a member of the Woodmen of the World in 1908.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been learned here.

FOUR "DODOS" IN COUNTRY CLUB

There are four members of the "dodo" club in the membership of the Ballinger Country Club, it was learned Thursday from J. Whit Patterson, chairman of the golf committee.

These are: Mr. Patterson, who holed out on No. 5, the 96-yard hole, he being the first to make a hole-in-one; Dr. J. G. Douglass, also for No. 5; C. L. Baker, for the No. 9; and C. P. Shepherd, for No. 5.

A former citizen of Ballinger, Judge J. Harvey Baugh, now of Austin, was in the city visiting last summer and he made the No. 9 hole in one. Judge Baugh is the only out-of-town man to hold this record on the local course.

Golf is the most popular sport among the club members and each afternoon one may see many foursomes playing. Most of the local golfers are practicing for the annual tournament to be held here on July 4th.

Mr. Patterson said that plans would be started for this tournament some time in the early part of June.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

H. L. Fine and Miss Peggy Groves.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

FOR SALE—1 1-2 horsepower Gas Engine. Bargain if sold now. See Holt Oil Co. 27-3w-2td

FOR SALE—One team heavy horses, good for hauling gravel. Phone 463. 20-6td 1tw.

FOR SALE—Jersey milk cows, all thoroughbreds, fresh in milk, within next two weeks. W. C. McCarver. 18-2tw-sat-2d

FOR SALE—17 3-4 acres in South Ballinger, near school; 11 acres in cultivation. Improved. See or write J. P. Bishop, Route A, Ballinger. 6-4tw.*

FOR SALE—Big boll Rowden Cotton Seed, \$1 per bushel. Mrs. W. P. Jones on Bronte road. Phone Rural 5305. 13-3tw

ENNIS OFFICER DIES IN BED

ENNIS, April 24.—J. H. Merritt, constable for 16 years here, was found dead in his bed this morning.

Heart failure was blamed for his death.

D. C. Middleton, Jr., has returned from Dallas, where he had been taking Masonic work.

PALACE THEATRE advertisement for 'Whispering Sage' by William Fox. Includes showtimes (Friday and Saturday) and a small illustration of a man and woman.

QUEEN THEATRE advertisement for 'Bullet Marks' by Leo Maloney. Includes showtimes (Friday and Saturday) and a description of the film as a 'red-blooded slice of Western action'.

Large advertisement for Harold Lloyd's 'Speedy' at the Palace Theatre. Features a caricature of Harold Lloyd and lists showtimes (Monday and Tuesday).

Be wise and advertise.

Masonic work.

ICYBALL

The Mechanical Ice Man



For Homes Interested in Cutting Ice Bills—Farms, Camps, Road-Side Stands and Places Remote from an Ice Supply

Food decays!

Expose it to moisture and air and the decaying process starts.

Decay begins the moment the steer is killed—the chicken dressed—the milk drawn from the cow—the fruit plucked from the living vine.

Retard decay and we safeguard the healthfulness of food.

Cold retards it.

Freezing alone will stop it.

Ice is cold. Ice extracts the heat from foods and the air around it.

But the heat turns the ice to water. As the ice melts, diminishing in size, its heat extracting power wanes.

Temperatures in ice boxes soon climb above the DANGER LINE even though ice remains in the box.

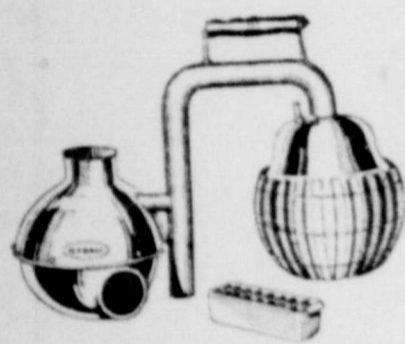
Constant COLD—forsafety!

Cold that melts a way—DANGER!

It once cost a lot of money to buy enough ice to keep your ice box cold CONSTANTLY.

NOW there is a wonderful new invention that makes it possible to keep an ice box cold all the time at practically no cost.

THIS IS THE ICYBALL COOLING UNIT



Makes your own ice!

The new Crosley ICYBALL! Operates for 2c a day!

Two cents a day to preserve your foods, protect your health and allow you all the luxury of ice.

It sounds too good to be true!

The ICYBALL is a simple device that makes ice by cooking one end of it once a day. It keeps the ice box constantly COLD for 24 hours or longer.

The cost of heating the ICYBALL in Cincinnati is average. —with coal oil—slightly under 2c —with gas—1 1/2c.



With this device you make your own refrigeration with no expense or effort other than heating the unit for about an hour and a quarter.

This keeps your ice box COLD—your food pure and healthful—makes ice cubes and freezes desserts.

One tray may be used to make ice cubes, which will freeze in three to four hours.

The tray of ice cubes can then be placed on the bottom of the cabinet under the Cold Ball and another tray can be used to freeze desserts or salads.

The ICYBALL can be used anywhere. In the city home, on the farm, in the summer cottage or

the cost of keeping the food cold as compared with the cost of ice, but it eliminates the bother of getting the ice, the muddy tracks of the ice man and the nuisance of emptying the drip pan.

It also effects a saving from eight to twenty cents a day in the average home.

In the country, it is a God-send. It permits several days' supply of meat to be purchased and kept fresh and wholesome.

No electricity is necessary. It may be used in any place where there is a regulated source of heat. This makes it valuable for the most remote places.

The ICYBALL requires no service. There are no moving parts. There is nothing to get out of order. It is unnecessary to replace the liquid with which the ICYBALL is charged.

It has been proven a success. This is the second year in actual home service. It has been thoroughly tried and tested. It is made and guaranteed by a manufacturer who has built more pieces of radio receiving apparatus than any other concern in the world.

The ICYBALL is new. We presume that you have never seen one. Let us explain what it is and how it works.

You will note that there are two large balls with a peculiarly bent tube connecting them. The ball on the right with the fins we call the Hot Ball. The other ball on the left with the hole in it is the Cold Ball. The Hot Ball outside—the Cold Ball is inside of the box keeping it cold. The two balls with their connecting piece of tubing are tightly sealed so that the liquid contained inside cannot evaporate even after years of use.

Operation of the ICYBALL is simple. After filling the steam dome with soft cold water and then draining the unit it is ready to be heated to make it function. This consists of placing the Hot Ball on the fire with the Cold Ball submerged in a tub of water. (This tub, by the way, is included with each ICYBALL unit at no additional cost.)

When this heating process has gone on long enough (after about an hour and ten minutes to an hour and a half), a small whistle on the dome of the Hot Ball blows, attracting your attention, in case you are engaged elsewhere, notifying you that the heating process is complete. This dome is in no way connected with the inside chamber of the ICYBALL. It is a separate chamber filled only with water.

Lift the unit off the fire, submerge the Hot Ball for a few minutes in the tub of water. This cools the Hot Ball and replenishes the water supply in the steam dome.

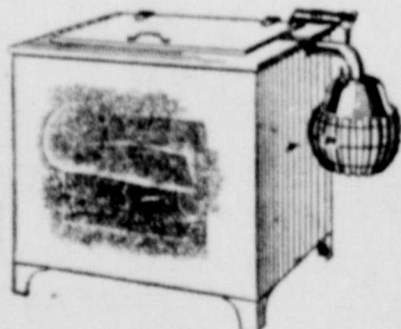
The refrigerating liquid in the Cold Ball begins to evaporate and passes slowly back into the Hot Ball. The evaporation of the liquid chills the Cold Ball in a few minutes to a temperature of about zero.

Now place the unit in the cabinet.

Complete chilling of the Cold Ball takes place quickly, the chilling process having been started by submerging the Hot Ball in the water.

Now let us analyze how much labor it has taken to prepare the unit to keep the cabinet cold from twenty-four to thirty-six hours.

First, lifting the unit off the cabinet, allowing it to drain for a moment or two, and putting it on the fire requires from three to four minutes.



You then go about your business until the whistle blows.

Then lift the unit off the fire and submerge the Hot Ball under water for about five minutes and put it back in the cabinet.

In all it has required your attention for from five to eight minutes.

The weight of the unit is about thirty-five pounds or approximately the same as a bucket of water.

After replacing the unit in the cabinet and before closing the lid fill the ice tray with water, dessert or salad to be frozen and place it in the cylindrical opening

refrigerating unit (and always just before reheating it), drain all the refrigerating liquid from the Cold Ball back into the Hot Ball.

There are no moving parts!

The ICYBALL includes ice tray and galvanized cooling tub packed carefully for shipment.

The cabinets designed especially for the ICYBALL are finished in beautiful enamel and are carefully insulated. They have two wire shelves for food and a capacity of more than four cubic feet of food space. This food storage space is greater than that of the ordinary 75 lb. capacity ice box.

The ICYBALL cabinet is an all steel model.

A double size cabinet for holding four five-gallon cream cans is made for farm use.

Either one is very efficient, well insulated holder of cold.

Sold by the following Dealers

Ballinger Electric Co.

Fred Machotka, Rowena P. S. Garrett, Winters H. H. Ratchford, Paint Rock

Irrigated land near Portales, N. M. 10 acres just out of city limits. In cultivation. 5 room bungalow house, painted brown, garage, small chicken house. Well with hand pump. Red sandy loam. Irrigation well 4 inch pump no engine. Rents for \$250.00 year. Price \$3,000.00 for quick sale. Rent goes with place if sold by first of June, 1928. E. B. Laughter, Portales, New Mexico 27-17w

Harold Dunn, of Artesia, N. M., is here visiting friends and relatives for a few days.

Rev. Summers, of Abilene, who was visiting his brother, preached at the Hopewell Baptist Church Wednesday night. Quite a number were present and all enjoyed the sermon very much.

Rev. Tierce filled his regular appointment at the Hopewell Church Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Quite a number attended the services.

The singing at the Hopewell Church Sunday afternoon was well attended and some good singing was reported. Everyone is invited next 4th afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Alta Brevard spent the week-end with her uncle, Grady Miller, of Coleman.

Grady Miller, of Coleman, visited home folks of this community Thursday night.

Miss Thora Brevard and Miss Bernice Hale were guests of Miss Ozella Avent Sunday.

Jim Summers was the guest of Eldon Avent Sunday.

Ray Lowe, of Pleasant Valley, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Marvin and Noel Hale, of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Alleorn visited Mrs. Alleorn's parents at Santa Anna Sunday.

We are sorry to report Mrs. A. S. Alleorn on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mulinax, of Valera, spent Sunday with Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mulinax, of Glen Cove, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bragg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phippos and W. A. Hale visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brevard Sunday.

Mr. Clyde and Miss Eula Summers were the guests of Miss Opal Duggar Sunday.

The W. A. W. Girls had a social at the W. A. Hale home Saturday night which was enjoyed by all.

Miss Thora Brevard spent Saturday night with Miss Bernice Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brevard visited their grandmother, Mrs. Morton, of Glen Cove, Sunday.

320 acres Patented Land, 16 miles railroad, school one mile, fenced 3 and 4 wire. 60 acres cultivation. 2 room rock house. Well good water. Sheds and corrals. Good grass. For quick sale \$5.50 per acre cash. 480 acre Relinquishment thrown in Free with plenty wood and posts. Fish and wild game near.

E. B. LAUGHTER, Portales, New Mexico. 27-17w

BENOIT NEWS

Farmers are very busy this week replanting their maize and corn after the recent cold spell. Some crops were nipped to the ground by the heavy frost that covered this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoffmann again.

named at this writing.

Several from this community are contemplating attending the entertainment at Talpa Thursday night, which is given for the benefit of the new parsonage.

Mrs. Mae Shipp was gladly surprised Tuesday afternoon when her son, O. D., from Arizona, suddenly put in his appearance at the school-room at this place, where Mrs. Shipp teaches.

Mrs. L. B. Rampy and L. B. Jr., motored to Wilmeth Tuesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Frank Hoffman's callers Wednesday were Mesdames J. A. Greenwood, Andy Spreen, Ethel Keith, Ed Rackley and W. T. Hill, coming to pay their respects to the new baby.

The small-pox scare is all over; and the ones who were vaccinated are up and going again.

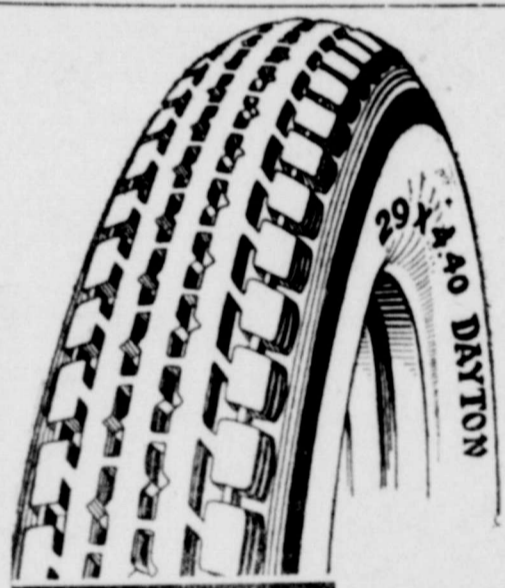
Kazmeier's Best Grade Baby Chicks, from 200 to 240 egg hens, blood tested for White Diarrhoea, shipped any Tuesday in May, prepaid, satisfaction and 100% live delivery guaranteed. White Leghorns at 14.00 per one hundred or \$65.00 for five hundred. Write F. W. Kazmeier, Bryan, Texas. 27-31w

Mr. and Mrs. George Dankworth and son left Wednesday for California where they will spend a greater part of the summer. Mr. Dankworth said they would return here late in the summer and make this their home

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DEATHS

Mrs. Sue Farris
Mrs. Sue Farris, 71 years 2 months 10 days, died at the home of her son, Lottie Farris, 1001 Twelfth Street, at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. She had been ill and confined to her bed for some time and had been making her home with Mr. Farris for about four years.

Deceased is survived by the one son, Lottie Farris.
Funeral services were held from the home Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with Rev. J. H. McClain, pastor of the Ballinger Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were: Bun Morgan, Shannon McWilliams, D. Oliver, Nichols Cotton, George Mathis and W. E. Middleton.
Higginbotham Bros. & Co. undertakers prepared the body for burial and were in charge at the grave.

Mrs. Ellen Berry
Mrs. Ellen Berry, 65 years of age, died at her home on Eleventh Street at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Death was due to heart trouble, from which she had been suffering for some time.

She is survived by her husband, a daughter at Paint Rock, a son in Abilene and a son in San Angelo.

Funeral services were held at the grave in Evergreen Cemetery at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.
Higginbotham Bros. & Co. undertakers prepared the body for burial and were in charge at the grave.

Aaron Hamilton
Aaron Hamilton, 24, died at the family home, 9 miles north of Ballinger in the New Home community, Thursday morning at 6 o'clock, following an illness of several days. Death was due to pneumonia.

Deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hamilton, of New Home, formerly of this city.
He is survived by his wife, two children, his parents and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home. Interment was made in Greenleaf Cemetery.

King-Holt Co., local undertakers, prepared the body for burial and were in charge at the grave.

Three sisters, Mrs. Dollie Sharp and Mrs. Rosie Ashton, of Ballinger; Mrs. Maude Killingsworth, of Temple; and four brothers, W. E. Hamilton, Ballinger; P. H. Hamilton, Dallas; H. L. Hamilton, Norton; and Clarence Hamilton, Abilene; survive.

Henry J. Averett
Henry J. Averett, 69 years of age, died about 6 o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of Fines Clayton, near Talpa, where he was employed.

Mr. Averett had made his home in this section for about 40 years. He was unmarried.

He had been employed by Mr. Clayton for some time and was in the habit of arising early every morning, going out and feeding the stock and milking cows. Wednesday morning he failed to arise and instead of going to his room to see what was the matter, as he supposed Mr. Averett was over-sleeping, Mr. Clayton went out and did his work and then came back to awaken Mr. Averett for breakfast. The man was found dead in his bed.

A physician declared death was due to heart failure.

He is survived by two sisters in San Angelo, one sister in Sweetwater, and a brother in Oklahoma.

Funeral services were held at the Glen Cove cemetery with Rev. B. B. Edmiston, Methodist pastor at Talpa, officiating. Interment was made in Glen Cove cemetery with Higginbotham Bros. & Co. undertakers in charge.

Grandma Brown
Mrs. Julia Brown, 85 years of age, known in the Maverick community among her friends and neighbors as Grandma Brown, died recently at the home of her son, R. S. Bowden, near Maverick. She was born on October 27, 1843. She had been a resident of Runtels county for 20 years.
Funeral services were to be held Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Methodist Church at Bronte.

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WESTERN JAILS CURB RIGHTS OF PRISON AUTHORS

LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 23.—Should inmates of California prisons be allowed to write for publication in the great world without?

Or should they be restrained from all literary endeavor on the grounds that such a restriction is part of the penalty for their crimes?

Lively discussion of these questions was aroused in Los Angeles as a result of the action of the California prison board in ordering a halt on all writing by prisoners for publication on the grounds that the board is "running prisons and not literary bureaus."

Los Angeles writers declared works of English literature might never have been written if prisoners were not allowed to write. They cite these instances:

Daniel DeFoe wrote "Robinson Crusoe" in prison.

John Bunyan wrote "Pilgrim's Progress" in prison at Bedford, England, during the seventeenth century.

Oscar Wilde wrote "Ballad of Reading Gaol," a poem of a prison experience, and "De Profundis," while a prisoner.

O. Henry, one of the great writers of the present age, was in prison and some of his masterful letters to his daughter during the period of his imprisonment remain a part of his contributions to literature.

Sir Walter Raleigh wrote a complete history of the world in prison.

Francois Villon, the immortal "Vagabond Poet," wrote most of his great poems in prison.

And Francis Scott Key wrote the United States national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner," while in a prison cell.

Eugene Biscailus, under-sheriff of Los Angeles county, was one of those most emphatic in his opinion that the state prison board is right in curtailing the literary endeavors of the men in prison cells.

"After all," he said, "our penitentiaries are penitentiaries. Criminals are sent there to pay their debt to society. They are no longer citizens."

Arrayed against Biscailus' opinion, however, is that of Jim Tully, lobo-novelist of note and writer on prison reform, who said:

"The prison board's ruling, as I interpret it, is one of the most drastic ever imposed on a semi-civilized community. One would have to return to the dark ages to find anything to compare with it. I can see justice of imprisoning man for his transgressions for the protection of society, but no one has the right to imprison his soul."

Frank Dewar, chief jailer at the Los Angeles county jail said:

"I have put a stop to all writing in the Los Angeles county jail and expect to keep a stop on it. We give every prisoner his full jail rights, but treat him as a criminal and not as the victim of circumstances."

Ray Long, president and editor in chief of the International Magazine Company, declared he recently read a manuscript sent to him by a noted California convict author and that the article was well written, but had been rejected because "it would not be good taste to publish many of the manuscripts offered by prison authors."

Monta Bell, film director and author, said he was not in favor of convicts being restrained entirely from writing, but thought it was improper to allow them to write articles criticizing prison administration.

"If Daniel DeFoe had not been allowed to write while in prison we would not have had his immortal 'Robinson Crusoe,' a story which often is termed 'the father of English fiction.'"

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Miss Irene Martin spent the week-end in Brownwood with relatives.

J. B. Pace, Jr., has returned from Dallas, where he took Masonic work.

LOCAL TALENT HEARD ON AIR

Local talent was heard on the air from KGFI, San Angelo, Monday night between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock. The program was very good, according to those who heard it, but only a few have reported being able to pick up the San Angelo station Monday night, due to the interference which prevailed.

Those who went to San Angelo Monday night reported a very pleasant trip and that they were treated royally by Claude Wilde, manager of the San Angelo Board of City Development and other San Angelo citizens.

SAN ANGELO, April 24.—Headed by W. C. McCarver, president of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, E. E. King, vice-president; and J. D. Motley, secretary, a delegation from Ballinger, comprising some of the best talent that has been heard here, took charge of the radio station KGFI studio Monday evening from 9 to 10 o'clock, during the Board of City Development hour.

A short talk was made about Ballinger, the resources of that community and the important developments that have been achieved there in recent months by Mr. Motley, who invited listeners in to visit the city and gain first-hand information about what he described as "the most resourceful section of Texas."

The Ballinger Choral Club, of which Miss Jimmie Winters is director, supplied some good program features, with piano accompaniment by Miss Marguerite Parish. Members of the club included: Misses Elizabeth Doss, Doty Sims, Ollie Mae Barrow, Lucille Sledge, Geneva Allen, Kathleen Holloway, Alida Maceune, Opal McWilliams, Eva Ruth Forgy, Ollie Jean Cordill, Evelyn Brewer, Halley Duke, Cleta Vee Gill and Claudia Smith.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce Quartet, composed of R. W. Earnshaw, Troy Simpson, M. H. Boynton and A. R. Jones, contributed much to the program.

Several numbers were given by the Hawaiians, J. C. Bauman, J. D. Motley, Lynn Bigler and Steve Hale showing something of native ability at wringing the most tantalizing harmony from the strings. Bauman, who is right-handed in everything except playing his guitar, just recently secured an especially built instrument from the D. E. Moody Music

House of Ballinger, which was designed for a left-handed artist.

The Saxophone Sextet, directed by Ernest Moody, and composed of Robert Lusk, W. A. Nance, Jr., Henry Moody, Horace Gustavus and J. M. Moore, offered radio fans something of unusual entertainment in several numbers.

This was one of a series of programs, given each Monday evening during the Board of City Development hour and sponsored by that organization, and just how much the people of San Angelo, Ballinger and other places in this section enjoyed the program was indicated by the numerous telephone calls received at the studio during the hour.

SANDEFER AND HUNT COMING

Dr. J. D. Sandefer, president of Simmons University, and Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McJury College, both of Abilene, will deliver addresses at the commencement exercises of the Ballinger high school in May, it was announced Tuesday morning by H. C. Lyon, superintendent of the city schools.

There will be something doing every day during the last five days of school in which students of the local schools will take part and the Seniors will be honored.

The schedule is as follows:

Thursday evening, May 17, recital, pupils of Miss Louise Doss.

Friday evening, May 18, pageant, "Texas Under Six Flags," by grammar school pupils.

Sunday, May 20, sermon, Dr. Sandefer.

Monday evening, May 21, senior play, "It Happened in June."

Tuesday, May 22, graduating exercises, with address by Dr. Hunt.

LOCAL GIRL WINS FIRST IN DISTRICT VIOLIN PLAY

Miss Carmen Demmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Demmer of this city, a student in the Senior high school, won first place in the violin contest in the district meet held at San Angelo last week.

Miss Demmer won over contestants from nine other counties in this district. She was presented with a gold medal by the district Interscholastic League committee.

Roy Reeder has returned from San Antonio, where he had been looking after business.

MAY STOP ALL PUBLIC MEETS

Dr. E. R. Walker, city health officer, said Tuesday morning that unless the citizens of Ballinger co-operated with local physicians and health officers in efforts to curb the spread of small pox that public gatherings would be prohibited.

"I want all the citizens of Ballinger to co-operate and assist in every way possible in curbing the spread of small pox," Dr. Walker said. "Several cases have run along, supposedly being chicken pox, and such cases are dangerous."

Dr. Walker said the spread of small pox could be stopped if the citizens would only take an interest in their health and report all skin eruptions to the city health authorities.

There are claimed to be several cases of the disease in the city now and others may develop unless school children are vaccinated, it was pointed out.

Next year the pupils will have to show a certificate of vaccination before they are allowed to attend school, it was stated, and

now was declared to be a good time to commence the preparedness program as several cases have been reported to the city health department and are under quarantine and others may not have been reported.

13 NOW "BOARD" AT COUNTY JAIL

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams announced Monday morning that he had thirteen boarders in the county strong-house.

There are six white men, three negroes and four Mexicans now calling the county jail home.

Mrs. B. H. Ward and son, B. H. Jr., have returned from San Antonio, where they had been visiting relatives.

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CHILDREN'S UNIONS—Friday, Saturday and Monday, 2 pairs for **\$1**

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EVERETT'S S. C. SHIRTING—Solid blue and stripes, regular 20c quality, Friday, Saturday and Monday 7 yards for **\$1**

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BABY DRESSES—Made of beautiful Prints, sizes 1 to 6, very daintily made, some with hand embroidery, Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1**

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