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Farmers to Hear Report Of Washington Delegates

Community meetings have been arranged in Runnels county for next week for the purpose of hearing reports from the delegates to the farmers' conference at Washington and to explain the plan for taking Bankhead applications from Runnels county cotton growers. It is hoped that the community committees will make a special effort to get every farmer in their respective sections to attend the nearest meeting. At each meeting there will be at least two outside speakers who are thoroughly posted on the Bankhead act.

T. J. McCaughan, of Norton, has returned from Washington, where he attended all the sessions of the conference. Mr. McCaughan has also been assisting in the county agent's office here for some time and is familiar with every phase of the AAA regulations. He will probably be asked to explain the details at the community meetings.

Letters have been mailed this week to all community committees and officers asking them to aid in getting the meeting dates before the farmers and to insist on full attendance from each neighborhood. The following dates have been announced:

- Monday, 8 p. m.—Norton and Maverick
- Tuesday, 8 p. m.—Crews and Content
- Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Rowena and Miles
- Thursday, 8 p. m.—Wingate and Wilmeth
- Friday, 8 p. m.—Winters
- Saturday, 2 p. m.—Ballinger, district court room.

RUNNELS GOLFERS WILL MEET PHILIPICO SUNDAY

The Runnels county golf team will go to Santa Anna Sunday afternoon to meet the Philipico team, of Rising Star, Cross Plains and Pioneer. Arrangements were made for the teams to meet on the Santa Anna course in order to save a long drive from here.

At the same time the Santa Anna and Coleman teams will play on the Coleman course. Sunday week the Runnels county players will journey to Brady to meet the team of that city in their first match.

Officials of the Runnels county club are trying to line up at least 30 players to go to Santa Anna Sunday as it will require that many to furnish competition for all the opponents.

ELDERS AND DEACONS WILL BE INSTALLED AT SERVICE SUNDAY

Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Rev. W. H. F. Moore, pastor, will ordain and install the elders and deacons elected by the congregation of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church at a recent meeting. The elders are Roy Hill, Carl Black and Sam Malone; the deacons, Miss Eva Lilly and Jones Taylor.

At the evening service Rev. Moore will preach on the subject of prayer. This is a preparatory sermon to the revival which will commence at this church Wednesday evening.

Be wise and advertise.

One Criminal Case Tried in District Court Third Week

The grand jury for the spring term of 119th district court here resumed work Monday morning and after two days' deliberations returned 10 more indictments. This brings the total for this term to 30 true bills and the members were dismissed subject to recall by District Judge O. L. Parish.

The grand jury completed probing all cases submitted to it Tuesday and should any others come up before the end of the present term of court the body will reconvene to consider them.

Criminal cases are scheduled for next week, the Paul McNeill trial being set for Monday. McNeill is charged with robbery, alleged to have been committed in the lobby of the Central Hotel here several months ago. Petty Sessions have been appointed by the court as defense counsel.

Two more weeks remain in this term of court and a petit jury venire has been summoned for each Monday morning.

Earl White, who was charged with violation of liquor laws, was acquitted by a jury which was out from 5:30 p. m. Wednesday until 11 a. m. Thursday deciding the case.

There will be no more jury trials this week, the jurors for this week having been dismissed Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. The only other cases which may be heard this week are non-jury, according to Judge Parish.

The jury in the case of the state of Texas vs. C. F. McDonald, of Abilene, charged with murder in connection with the death of J. F. Forrest here on May 17, 1934, in an automobile collision, rendered a verdict of not guilty 35 minutes after summation by counsel was finished. The accident which took the life of Forrest occurred near the Colorado River bridge on highway 30 when the car driven by McDonald moving east collided with the Forrest car.

Arguments in the case ended at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon and the jury reported back to the court before 5.

A petit jury venire reported for duty Monday morning but was excused until Wednesday morning when it was found there were no cases ready for trial. One criminal case was set for Wednesday and the jury panel will be here most of the remainder of the week.

The grand jury was reconvened to take up unfinished work in connection with this term of 119th district court. A number of charges are pending for further investigation in addition to the 20 indictments returned the first week of court here.

A number of cases have been set for trial the fourth week of this term and most of the week will probably be devoted to jury cases.

The following venire of 36 men has been summoned to do petit jury duty next week: J. R. Lusk, Ballinger; Gus Reomere, Rowena; W. E. McNun, Miles; Wesley Reese,

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Wheat Growers of County Will Hold Meeting Here

Wheat farmers in Runnels county will have opportunity to discuss the wheat referendum of May 25, at a county-wide meeting to be held at the court house in Ballinger, Saturday, May 25, according to County Agent Elmo V. Cook. James A. Broadstreet, chairman of the county wheat production control association, will be in charge of arrangements.

The new wheat program will be similar to that now in effect, but will be modified to avoid conflicts with the provisions of the corn-hog, cotton and other contracts.

Under the new four-year program planned, 1936 through 1939, a check-up will be made at the end of two years to balance the books. Any farmer who has signed a contract may drop out at the end of this two-year period if he is dissatisfied with the results of the program.

The latest proposal enables 25

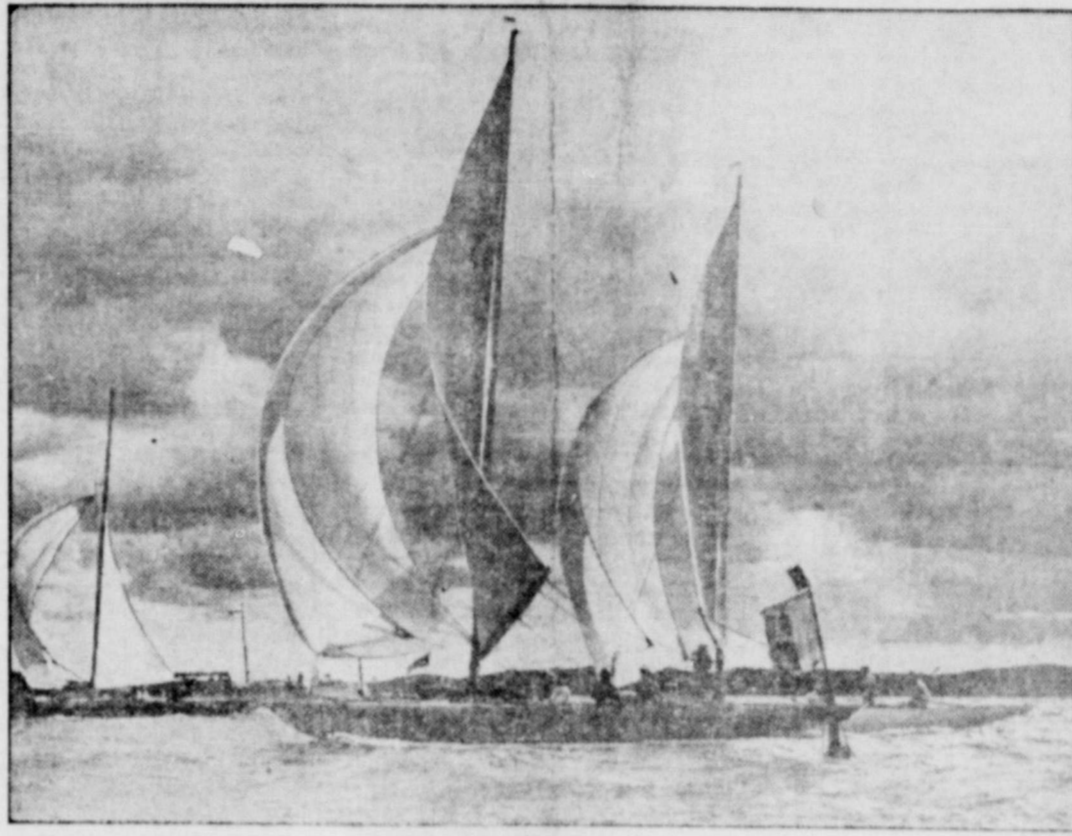
per cent of the farmers in any area to petition for discontinuance of the program at the end of any year. Also, more leeway will be given local wheat committees in deciding allotments.

"It has been planned," John R. Edmonds, special wheat compliance agent for Texas from College Station, explained, "that these meetings will enable every farmer to learn the terms of the new contracts and to understand that he has the right to vote whether he is a contract signer or not, as long as he has a base acreage."

"Growers will have ample opportunity to discuss all the various phases of the wheat situation and the outlook for the future, as well as proposals for the new program, before the actual vote is taken," Mr. Broadstreet announced. After the meeting all qualified wheat raisers will be given ballots and allowed to vote.

DOWNPOUR IN AREA SWELLS STREAMS

Painted Ship on Painted Ocean? No, It's Real!



Choppy surf, stormy clouds, and billowing sails all combine to produce what seems a striking marine painting. Instead of an ocean scene in oil, however, this is really a photograph taken during the yacht races for the Cabbitt Cup between Bermudian and American entries. The yacht in the foreground is the American Challenge.

Boy Scouts of This District To Hold Encampment Here

School Suit is Decided In Favor of Talpa District

Work at Pumping Plant Completed; Dam Strengthened

A city survey made May 1 revealed 7 vacant houses and apartments and 19 places occupied without water connections. It has been reported that apartments are easier to obtain, but rent houses are still going at a premium and are hard to find under any condition.

City crews completed work at the pumping plant and on the emergency spillway the first of the week just before heavy rains fell. That portion of the rip-rap that was threatened by the last high water was finished Monday, and includes a new concrete core. The work was completed just in time as Elm Creek began rising Tuesday afternoon.

Improvements finished at the pumping plant include a new roof, additional wiring, and repairs. One of the intake pipes in the city reservoir has been unstopped and the other is about one-third open. Plans are being made to use tackle to lift the suction lines so they can deliver the capacity load after floods which deposit silt in the lake.

After 48 years of wedded life, Mrs. Mathias M. Shelton, of Lamar, Mo., sued her husband for divorce on grounds of desertion.

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The Runnels county school board lost its case at Austin in which the Coleman county school board sought to have land in the Crews district, which was formerly in the Herring district, transferred to the Talpa district.

Members of the Crews district board accompanied County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff to Austin last week for a hearing before State Superintendent L. A. Woods. Mr. Woods heard the evidence on both sides and rendered a decision Wednesday in favor of the Coleman board, which will give the land in question to the Talpa district.

An election was held on October 14, 1933, for the consolidation of the Herring district in Runnels county with the Talpa district in Coleman county. The vote in the Herring district, No. 37, was 21 against and 4 for, while in the Talpa district the vote was 50 for and none against.

On November 23, 1933, the Run-

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"Notary Public" Chain Letter Fad Stopped by Officers

The "notary public" chain letter fad came to an abrupt end here Thursday morning when two arrests were made and Sheriff W. A. Holt took charge of all letters, files, money and other materials at an office being operated in a local cafe. The new chain letter scheme got underway here Wednesday afternoon and was going good Thursday morning when the sheriff armed with warrants took the promoters in hand. Their clients as suddenly lost their "get-rich-quick" aspirations.

Shortly after noon Thursday C. H. Poyner and F. M. Mahler, of San Angelo, entered pleas of guilty in county court to selling lottery tickets and were fined a total of \$32.80 in each case. No other complaints have been filed but investigations are underway by the county attorney.

Since the popularity of the dime chain letter waned a number of other chain letter plans have made their appearance in Ballinger, however none have created the sensation of the "notary public" letter introduced here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griggs, of Los Angeles, are spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Blasdel. Mr. Griggs is a sister of Mrs. Blasdel. Mr. and Mrs. Griggs are en route home from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where they had been visiting.

John Young, of San Angelo, attended to business in Ballinger the first of the week.

Calling Cards printed on short notice. Phone 27, we do the rest.

The drought is over county for the time check-up Wednesday showing precipitation Wednesday averaging inches. The official Ballinger short range Wednesday was for day inches. Five and had been reported before the down and morning.

The Colorado Creek attracted people Wednesday as the highest marks on the river were reached. At noon Wednesday was 22 feet above normal. The general all-way city.

Indications of the river were seen in the morning seven horses and numerous cattle and sheep were counted on the raging stream.

Smaller creeks in the county reached flood stage and many fields resembled lakes. Some damage was reported but it was not general. At Ballinger and a short distance to the south a fell for a few minutes Tuesday afternoon. Heavy hail was reported at Drasco which may be replanting of some crops.

To the west 1.50 inches was reported at Garden City but some points had got scarcely any Wednesday noon.

Coleman, Santa Anna, M. Norton, Winters, Bronte, Chadbourne, Robert Lee and number of other points in the section received more than inches.

J. M. Gentry, of Enid, Okla., member of the state his mission, is the first born in Grant county.

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rt Spill Dies Friday at Killeen; Many at Funeral

Albert Spill, pioneer of Runnels county and prominent business man of Winters, died last Friday at Killeen from a heart attack. The news came as a distinct shock to his many friends in this section where he was honored and esteemed by all who knew him for more than 40 years.

Decedent was the senior member of Spill Brothers Furniture Company and Spill Brothers Funeral Home and in his business associations was noted for his dealings.

Mr. Spill came to Runnels county decades ago and was for a ranch hand on the old more ranch in this county. His associates built up a and his efficient business in the years that followed. It was said that he was born to make more people than any other county. He was and received the social contacts he sently he was in tend a Masonic and was the center he took part on greeted many he had not seen for

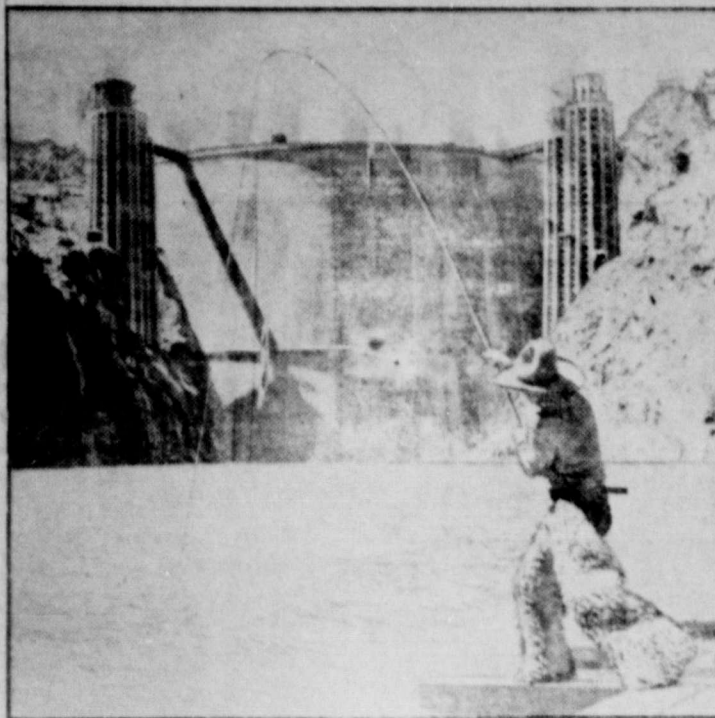
left home Thursday to Killeen for burial and while there sustained the fatal heart attack. The body was taken to Winters Thursday night and held until Sunday when funeral services were held at the First Presbyterian Church. The pastor, Rev. J. W. Joiner officiated, assisted by other Winters ministers. Rev. W. T. Hamor, Rev. J. W. Sharbutt, Rev. C. N. Roth and Rev. L. R. Mickey.

The church was filled to capacity and a throng estimated at more than 2,000 stood on the outside during the rites. The longest service ever seen in Winters followed the remains to Fairview cemetery where interment was made.

Survivors include the widow; a son, Merrick, a student in the University of Texas; a daughter, Adred Singleton; three brothers and four sisters. Mrs. L. Affler, of Ballinger, is a sister of

Laughter, of Abilene, a friend, had charge of arrangements and was J. L. Warren of the general Home, and C. of the Jennings, the latter two of other funeral directors were: Herbert Ostertag, of Abilene; of Tuscola; M. A. and J. B. Hough. here: J. W. Cope- uson, W. Gard-

Evicting Fish From New Home



The fish in Boulder Lake must think it's a queer creature. First he creates a new home for them by damming the Colorado river, and then he pulls them from it via use and hook. But this cowboy disciple of Isak Walton is too busy going after the funny ones to reflect how ridiculous it all is, and to think that where he is fishing was, a few weeks back, just a dry river bed.

Rollicking Theme in Romance Of 'Roberta,' Musical Sensation

When an American college dance band leader and his all-American football star pal get stranded in Paris they set hearts of the mademoiselles twitter and the feet of the Parisians atripping.

It happens in "Roberta," the RKO-Radio musical romance which stars Irene Dunne, Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers. Based on the sensational stage hit of the same name, the picture speeds through a gay tuneful way, with Miss Dunne singing a number of beautiful song hits, and Astaire and Miss Rogers dancing as they never have danced before, even in "The Gay Divorcee." Fred and Ginger also do some sing-

princess of Russia who serves as the manager of an exclusive Paris style salon. Miss Rogers plays an American girl who has "acquired" an accent, a phoney title, and a reputation as the best night club entertainer in Paris.

Jerome Kern, king of musical comedy composers, wrote the music for the picture, adding several new hits to the cream of his songs from the stage production.

The picture's supporting cast includes, among others, Helen Westley, Victory Verconi, Claire Dodd, Luis Alberni, Ferdinand Munier and Adrian Rooley.

"Roberta" is scheduled to be seen at the Palace Theatre in a special midnight preview Saturday night, and regular showings Sunday and Monday.

Hazards Galore in "West of the Pecos." Starring Richard Dix, Martha Sleeper Opposite.

Manufactured thrills—the kind that go into the making of a motion picture—can be just as potent as the spontaneous variety. Take, for instance, the river-fording sequence in "West of the Pecos," in which Richard Dix cars for RKO-Radio, with Martha Sleeper opposite.

The straggler that doubles for the Pecos River of Texas is in the California mountains not far from Hollywood. For the purposes of the picture, it was necessary to show the river being forded by a covered wagon train, a herd of cattle, and cowboys on horseback.

Director Philip Rosen felt he had photographed plenty of thrills when he showed the cattle, horses, mules and men swimming in the swirling waters. But when the mules of the lead wagon became snarled in the harness and started

to drown, the cattle were swept by panic, and the wagons overturned, there was more excitement and danger than he expected.

Cowboys, property men, electricians and grips stripped off their clothes and dived into the icy waters in an effort to free the draft animals from their harness, and struggled until exhausted to save the maddened beasts.

Although only fifteen feet from the shore, it was more than an hour before the last of the train's livestock had been brought to safety. Sore muscles and exhaustion were the lot of many of the rescuers, among them Dix himself.

Others in the cast are: George Cooper, Sleep 'n' Eat, Louise Beavers, Fred Kohler, Pat Collins, Maria Alba, Russell Simpson and Maurice Black.

"West of the Pecos" will be the special attraction at the Palace tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday.

"The Right to Live," Daring Drama of Triangular Love, Booked at Palace Theatre

"The Right to Live," a Warner Bros. picture which is scheduled as the feature attraction at the Palace Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, deals with a most daring and unusual theme in which a beautiful young woman is confronted by the problem of whether she has the right to live her own life, to love and be happy, or to remain with her hopelessly crippled husband.

In the picture the girls falls in love with her husband's brother, after the husband has been crippled by a terrific airplane crash, and is torn between her desire for love and the gaieties of life and her feeling of duty toward the man she married.

The story, based on the "Sacred Flame," by Somerset Maugham, author of "The Painted Veil" and "Of Human Bondage," is filled with intense emotional situations between the secret lovers and a startling dramatic climax in which the wife is accused of murdering her bedridden husband.

Josephine Hutchinson, who only recently made her bow on the screen in "Happiness Ahead," but who has long been famous for her work with Eva La Gallienne in the Civic Repertory Theatre, heads the all-star cast in the role of the beautiful young wife.

Colin Clive is the husband and the brother is played by George Brent.

Peggy Wood, the musical comedy star; Henrietta Crossman, famous on both stage and screen; C. Aubrey Smith and Leo G. Carroll are prominent in the support.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tinsley and Mr. Tinsley's father, L. C. Tinsley, went to Brady Sunday to meet Mrs. L. C. Tinsley, who had been visiting in San Saba.

Be wise and advertise.

Arrangements Being Made for Graduation Of Seventh Graders

County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff is completing arrangements for the county-wide graduation exercises for seventh grade pupils at the First Methodist Church here Sunday, May 26. He announced Tuesday that Miss Edgar Ellen Wilson, second assistant state superintendent, would be here for this occasion for a short talk and perhaps would be asked to present the diplomas.

A feature of the service will be a chorus of 50 or more singers, members of public school music classes of the rural schools. Teachers were given a list of the songs to be rendered at this service and have been rehearsing the pupils for several weeks. They will assemble at the church promptly at 2:30 p. m. on May 26 and hold a brief rehearsal together under a director before singing the numbers for the graduation exercises.

The principal speaker of the afternoon will be Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, dean of Howard Payne College, Brownwood.

The more than 200 graduates will assemble at 2:30 p. m. in the basement of the church to be registered and assigned positions for the march to receive the diplomas. At the conclusion of the program the graduates will file past the pulpit and receive diplomas showing they have satisfactorily finished seven grades in the rural schools.

Mr. Grindstaff stated that some 20 schools of the county would close this week and that final instructions regarding the graduation program had been mailed in a circular letter to teachers.

All seating space in the church will be made available for the graduation service and many parents and patrons from all sections of the county are expected to be present.

SENIORS ON ROTARY CLUB PROGRAM

The Ballinger Rotary Club honored graduates of the local high school at its luncheon Tuesday noon. O. L. Parish had charge of this program and introduced four members of the '35 senior class.

Miss Laura Edith Miller told the Rotarians about the changes in the type of graduation programs in recent years and showed very clearly why these changes were necessary and beneficial.

Miss Frances Lewis presented a sketch on members of the senior class, revealing their different traits, while Miss Bobbie Avey foretold their future in a paper purportedly written some six or seven years after graduation. John Pearce related how it feels to graduate.

O. C. Sykes spoke on the Plainview conference of the 41st district which he attended the past week-end and gave some of the high points of the program.

R. A. Cramer, of Winters, visited friends in Ballinger Sunday.

Albert Fryar was a business visitor in Brownwood last Friday.

Palace

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IN SOCIETY

Shakespeare Club Meets
The Shakespeare Club met in the home of Mrs. C. R. Stephens with Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. H. C. Lyon as hostesses. The home was beautifully decorated in spring flowers.

Mrs. J. G. Douglass, who was the delegate to the district meeting of the Federated Clubs in Alpine, gave a very interesting report on the convention. Mrs. Douglass announced that the Ballinger Shakespeare Club had received first prize in the district for the best musical program which had been given during the year. At the conclusion of the report the club gave a vote of appreciation to the program committee and the music committee for the efficient work they have done during the year, and to Mrs. Douglass for her splendid report.

The club voted to join the inter-county federation which holds quarterly meetings in the Cactus Hotel at San Angelo.

The hostesses served brick cream and angel food cake which carried out the club colors of gold and white.

Those present were: Mmes. Horace Murphy, E. C. Baskin, J. G. Douglass, Alex McGregor, Orland Sims, Wade, George Vaughn, J. A. Schnable, Jack Nixon, Jr., Warren McCullough, C. P. Shepherd, E. W. Stansley, A. B. Stobaugh, Simeon Cottelle, B. C. Kirk, E. D. Walker, Forgy, F. C. Miller, J. Y. Pearce, Misses Wynis Greer, Genevieve Green, Lucile Williamson, Margaret New and the hostesses.

Annual Faculty Picnic in Park
The annual faculty frolic was a picnic held Monday evening in the pretty nook at the city park.

An appetizing supper menu of bacon and eggs, potato chips, pickles, cookies, iced tea and banner tubs, was served at one long table.

Mary Ruth Reese is Honor Guest
Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Reese were hosts last Wednesday evening to compliment Miss Mary Ruth Reese, a high school senior, with a prettily appointed dinner in their home on Sixth Street followed by a dance at the country club with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McGregor sharing duties as hosts.

Four or five tables were appointed in the class colors in the reception rooms which had been arranged and decorated to represent a night club scene. Single pink tapers centered the Madeira laid tables and summer girl tallies marked places. Between the four courses tap dancing and piano numbers were given by Gloria McGregor, Evelyn and Dorothy Teague. Favors were corsages fashioned of pink roses and blue corn flowers.

Mrs. Jim Flynt, Jr., Mrs. W. E. Harvey, Mrs. Max Wilson, Misses Katherine Wilson and Rosemary Lasater assisted in serving.

Included for the dinner were: Misses Reese, Laura Edith Miller, Marguerite Crimm, Mickey Bishop, Frances Lewis, Helen Thomson, Belya Watson, Bobbie Johnson, Elva Sykes, Eleanor Williams and Tom Gregg, Vestus Pruitt, David Crockett, Francis Wilson, Edgar Hutcherson, Jones Parrish, Max Wilson, Wylie Stobaugh, J. W. Little and Denmon White.

Additional guests for the dance were: Misses Katherine Scales, Teddye Wardlaw, Jessie Rose Wallace, Juanita Faris, Sue Barnett, Jewel Fulton, Billie Teague, Paty Boler and Elsie Motley, and Clarence Winans, Ulmer Newman.

Leonard Scales, W. L. McMillan, Sidney Hale, Raymond White, Lucius Evans, Robert Adams, Louis Ruhmann, Jerry Green and John Pearce.

Dance in Miller Home
Mrs. Victor Miller gave a dance last Thursday evening for her daughter, Laura Edith, who is a member of the 1935 graduation class of the Ballinger high school.

The spacious Miller home on Sixth Street was the scene of the affair. Punch was served throughout the evening and a plate containing chicken salad, cheese cake, bread and butter sandwiches, olives, and cookies was passed at 10:30.

The guest list follows: Mickey Bishop, Elva Sykes, Sue Barnett, Helen Thomson, Frances Lewis, Kathryn Scales, Rosemary Lasater and Max Wilson, Ray Fleetwood, John Pearce, Ralph Kettler of Rowena, Edgar Hutcherson, Lonnie Cooper, Tom Gregg, Denmon White, Jones Parrish, Ulmer Newman, J. W. Little, Vestus Pruitt, August Lehman and Harold Rogers of Christoval, and Charles James Granville of Austin.

Birthday Party in Park
Bobbie Allen's fourth birthday anniversary was given due recognition last Monday when his mother, Mrs. R. W. Allen, was assisted by Mrs. Dewey Womack in giving a party at the city park.

Candy and toy wrist watches were favors and the birthday cake iced in pink and white with pink candles was cut and served with ice cream.

Guests besides the honoree were: Dorothy Ann Holliday, Marilyn Sommer, Nedra Glenn McCreedy, Cynthia Tuckey, Melva Jean Read, Bobbie Marie and John Hoff, Hoyt Smith, Martha Saunders, Dorothy Daugherty, Brooksie Ann Rhoden, John Lee Womack, Bobby Dickinson, Bonnie Davis and Latham Wynew Ryan.

Mrs. Hartman is Hostess to Class
Members of the Workers' Class of the Methodist Sunday school were guests of Mrs. U. E. Hartman on Tuesday afternoon in her lovely home on Broadway.

Informal entertainment gave a pleasant diversion for the afternoon hours.

A plate containing angel and devil's food cake was served with strawberry ice cream to: Mmes. A. Schnable of Shawnee, Okla., C. P. Shepherd, John Weeks, W. F. Mason, R. W. Bruce, John Currie, Ed O'Kelly, Corda Simmons, John Loveless, H. C. Lyon, W. E. Midgley, W. A. Francis, J. M. Garlington, and E. C. Baskin.

Mrs. W. A. Nance and Miss Maggie Herring assisted the hostess.

Woodys are Hosts to Club
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woody were hosts to their bridge club in their attractive home Tuesday evening.

A Spanish theme was featured in game and table appointments in the refreshment plate and in prizes won by Mrs. Leslie Baker, Dr. Chas. Cheatham and Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGregor.

Guests were: Messrs. and Mmes. Ross Murchison, Cheatham, McGregor, Giesecke, Jack Nixon, Jr., George Kirk, Baker, and Mr. Homer Carsey.

Baptist W. M. S. Entertains Y. W. A.
Members of the Y. W. A. of the Baptist church were guests of honor at a picnic supper given in

the church basement Tuesday evening by the Woman's Missionary Society.

Places were found at one long table and the delicious picnic menu was served by Mmes. E. P. Canady, A. S. Love, R. E. White, Elmer Shepperd, E. P. Talbott, R. T. Williams, Ralph McShan, W. E. Harvey, and Ernest Moody to: Mrs. J. H. McClain, Misses Helen Compton, Verda Bell Allen, Lucy Deen Harber, Lucy Scarborough, Vhelma Parrish, Zemina Street, Margaret New, Lucile Williamson, Sara Elkins, Ethel Kemp, Eleanor Williams, Elva Sykes, Isabel Wink, Oleta Crouch, Marie Thomas, Opal Burton and Mary Elizabeth Trully.

Pep Squad Entertains Senior Members

Senior members of the 1934-35 pep squad of the Ballinger high school were entertained with an enjoyable sunrise breakfast in the city park Thursday morning.

Mrs. Sara Elkins sponsored the affair for which freshmen, sophomores and junior members were hostesses.

Picnic Supper for Sewing Club
Members of an afternoon sewing club together with husbands and friends as guests enjoyed a picnic supper at the second crossing on Elm Creek Monday evening.

Present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Levy Lee, Billy Cordill, J. G. Tuckey, Horace Sessions, C. C. Sessions, Neil McAlpine, W. C. Rhoden, Miss Frances Trail and H. J. Zappe.

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EXHIBITION SOFT BALL GAME TO BE PLAYED HERE SUNDAY

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The game will be played at 4 near Wilson's public house.

The game is in league race form and the winning consists in opening of the season. The game has a line-up of young players in regular baseball.

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Ann Dvorak, film actress, enjoys this game of having her two spaniels retrieve the ball. But the dogs seem to think the idea's all well, or maybe they hate to leave the side of their charming mistress.

Ranking Members Of '35 Senior Class To Get Scholarships

The final check-up on senior grades for a four-year average was completed Tuesday morning and the three highest ranking students announced. First place went to Miss Laura Edith Miller, second to Miss Bobbie Avey, and third place to Elliott Kemp. A scholarship will be awarded Miss Miller for the highest four-year average for girls and one to Elliott Kemp for the highest four-year average for boys.

Several years ago the school discontinued the practice of specifying honor students as valedictorian and salutatorian. The highest ranking pupils are now chosen annually for the purpose of awarding college scholarships.

Seniors finished their school work Monday and this week has been taken up with programs, checking in books, and other activities connected with commencement.

Dr. A. S. Love has returned from a trip to Pearland, where he has farm interests.

A bee's average load of nectar weighs about half as much as the bee itself.

38 Are Baptized By Rev. Wilson; To Start Revival

Last Sunday was without doubt the greatest day in the history of the Old Fashion Baptist Church, of which Rev. Gilbert W. Wilson is pastor. The church worships each Sunday in American Legion Hall. It is only two months old, and has 150 members.

Sunday morning the pastor brought a message on mother, using as his text Exodus 2:9. "And Pharaoh's daughter said unto her, take this child away and nurse it for me and I will give thee thy wages; and the woman took the child and nursed it." Following the message there were several conversions, reclamations, and additions to the church.

In the afternoon the pastor baptized thirty-eight candidates in Elm Creek while a great crowd gathered on the bank and witnessed the scene. The congregation and pastor of this church believe in evangelism and missions to the end of the earth, and they will hold revival meetings in all the towns and rural communities near Ballinger this summer.

A tent meeting will be held in Ballinger beginning next Sunday night. Sunday morning services will be held in the Legion Hall as usual, and in the big tent Sunday night. The evangelist announces as his subject for Sunday evening, "To Your Tents, O Israel," using as his text I Kings 12:16. Charles E. Sparks will have charge of the singing. The location of the tent will be announced over radio station KOKL, San Angelo, Sunday morning, at which time the Wilson brothers will bring gospel messages. The gospel truck will run every night during the revival for the benefit of those who do not have conveyance to the services. It will go anywhere in the city limits, the pastor said. A cordial invitation is extended to all churches and pastors to help in this meeting, and a special invitation is extended to the unaved.

Rev. Wilson will preach at the Spring Hill school house next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Card of Thanks
We wish to acknowledge your thoughtfulness and sympathy expressed during the illness and death of our father and grandfather, J. C. Jones.

The Children and Grandchildren
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Revival Announced By Presbyterians Beginning May 22

Rev. W. H. F. Moore, pastor, announced Wednesday the beginning of a revival at the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church next Wednesday evening, May 22. Services will be held each evening except Saturday at 8 o'clock and on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

The women of the church will arrange to hold prayer meetings each afternoon, the time and place to be announced later.

Rev. Moore will do the preaching for the revival and Carl Hill will lead the singing. Rev. Moore announced the following subjects: May 22—"Pitfalls of the Un-

May 23—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
May 24—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
May 25—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
May 26—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
May 27—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
May 28—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
May 29—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
May 30—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
May 31—"Is it possible to be a Christian?"
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June 2, 11 a. m.
June 2, 8 p. m.
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list this week. We hope she will soon recover.

TRIBUTIONS
 Mr. and Mrs. Mead McShan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hedrick Shelburne and son, and Mrs. W. F. McShan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richardson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fox and family, of Abilene, visited in the Pat Fox home over the week-end.

Miss Louise Johnson spent Sunday with Miss Wanda Davison.

Mrs. Weldon Doherty visited Miss Artelia Benfer Tuesday.

Miss Mattie Cape, of Concho, spent Tuesday night with Miss Juanis Nunley.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cotton and children visited in the Davison home Sunday afternoon.

Both Sunday schools were well attended Sunday. Rev. Leggett, of Rock, made a very interesting address on Mother's Day Sunday.

A large crowd from this community attended the baccalaureate at the Ballinger Baptist church Sunday night.

A Mother's Day dinner was enjoyed by the following in the J. M. Nunley home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Greenhill, Sr. and sons, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nunley and family, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Nunley, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Nunley and sons, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Greenhill, Jr., and daughter, of Concho, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Johnson and son, Miss Artelia Benfer, and Mrs. J. B. Johnson and son, of Bronie.

The dining room was decorated with pink roses and fern. A beautifully frosted angel food cake containing the wording "Our Mothers," made a very attractive centerpiece for the table. A great variety of good eats was enjoyed by all.

Sophomore News
 (Who's Who in the Sophomore Class)

Prettiest complexions—Lillian Mae McShan, Troy Ransberger, Mattie Cape; (they drink rain water).

Best history student—Jack Turner.

Largest girl—Maurine Batts.

Quietest in science class—Doris Fox.

Smallest ears—Eddie Lewis.

Best musician—Mattie Cape.

Most dignified—Marion Mapes.

Most athletic—Ona Liverman.

Best imitator—Henry Travis (you could have seen him imitating girls who were in the style of the week).

Most lovable—Colmenza Phillips.
 Largest boy—"Runt" Phillips.
 Best athlete—"Pete" Greenhill.

Freshman News
 (Who's Who in the Freshman Class)

Best grin—Oran Bigby (it's a sheep grin).

Most dignified—Bill Mapes.

Largest girl—Agnes Waldrop.

Best singer—Anne Knoff.

Who writes the most letters—Louise McShan.

Most lovable—Juanis Nunley.

Prettiest girl—Faye Batts (at least Eddie thinks so).

Largest feet—J. C. Johnson.

Largest nose—Wanda Davison.

Best musician—R. D. Crockett.

Most athletic—Jewell Chapman.

Best all-around student—J. B. Yancey.

CREWS CHATTER

Splendid showers fell intermittently Tuesday. One shower was preceded by a hail storm though to what extent the damage was, if any, the writer has been unable to learn at present.

The local teachers sponsored a fine Mother's Day program at the Methodist church Sunday morning. A large crowd was present.

The Tri-County Singing Convention met at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon. The house was filled to overflowing. A large number of singers from various places attended. A change was made by the singers present for the county convention scheduled to meet at Crews in October, to meet the second Sunday in July and hold three meetings a year instead of two.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Iden, of Midland, visited relatives here Sunday.

A number of Crews citizens attended Albert Spill's funeral at Winters Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Burford, of Lawn, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Williamson were among those who attended the singing from Ballinger Sunday.

Mrs. Edgar Jayroe is reported improving from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McBeth and family, of Sweetwater, visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Wood has been ill for the past few days but is improving at present.

Edwin Young has returned from Santa Anna, where he has been employed for some time past.

W. F. Clark is reported ill.

(Received Too Late for Publication Last Week)

The week-end was severely cold for the season of the year, but the nice showers falling Friday night and Saturday were highly appreciated.

Cotton is being planted now at full speed. Some farmers have cotton up, and considerable uneasiness was felt for the tender plants during the week-end.

Some of the small grain crops are looking promising, while others in the same vicinity haven't been able to scarcely survive the very dry weather during most of the winter and early spring.

It is reported that the school teachers are preparing a splendid Mother's Day program for next Sunday, May 12, to be rendered at the Methodist church.

Miss Cleo Elms is reported improving from a recent severe illness.

Reynold Bradley is reported ill at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. H. A. Bradley, of Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mathis and family visited relatives at Ballinger Monday.

Mrs. Edgar Jayroe has been ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lucas, Mrs. R. T. Lucas and Miss Cleo Elms were visitors at Merkel Monday.

Mrs. Pink King was ill the previous week but is improving at the present.

School will close Friday, May 17. Teachers and pupils are very busy. Some nice programs and two plays are scheduled before the closing date.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King and family visited Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Beck, of Winters, Sunday.

The Tri-County Singing Convention will meet here at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, May 12. A large crowd is expected. All are cordially invited.

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Ellis Parts Men Crush Ramblers

The Ellis Parts (San Angelo) team handed the Ballinger Ramblers a walloping at San Angelo Sunday afternoon. The garagemen downed the Ramblers 8 to 5 in a scheduled Concho Basin League game. This was a fast game, being played in 1 hour and 45 minutes, the Ballingerites taking the lead in the sixth inning and the parts men coming from behind to win in the succeeding frames.

Each club fielded well, making a few bubbles each, none of which were serious enough to cost runs. The San Angeloans outthrew the locals 9 to 6.

Harry Corbett, Ballinger moundsman, pitched a fair game, allowing nine hits, but keeping these well scattered.

The hits for the Ramblers in last Sunday's game were fairly evenly divided, only one player, Williams, getting more than one safe blow. Williams slammed two safe ones. Four of the others each got a hit, but the scoring punch was not there.

Unless the Rams win from the Miles Giants at Miles next Sunday they will have a firm hold on the bottom rung of the ladder.

Following is the box score of last Sunday's tilt:

Ballinger--	AB	R	H	A	O	E
Marsh, 3b	4	1	0	2	1	0
Schuhmann, ss	4	0	1	1	3	1
White, 2b	4	1	0	4	3	1
Perry, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Partridge, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Williams, lf	4	1	2	0	0	1
Underwood, c	4	1	1	3	1	0
Turner, 1b	3	0	1	1	0	0
Corbett, p	3	1	1	0	4	1
Totals	33	5	6	24	12	4

Ellis Parts--	AB	R	H	A	O	E
Jobe, 1b	3	2	2	5	2	1
Koon, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
McCollough, lf-2b	4	0	1	3	2	0
Schnarr, c	4	1	1	6	0	0
Welch, ss-p	3	0	1	1	5	0
Jones, 3b	4	2	1	4	0	0
McKinney, 2b-ss	4	1	1	4	1	1
Taylor, cf	3	1	0	2	0	1
Tate, p-rf	4	1	2	0	1	0
Duke, p-lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	8	9	27	11	3

Runs batted in, Jobe 2, Tate 2, Jones 1, Taylor 1, Duke 1, McCollough 1, Perry 2, Turner 2, White 1. Bases on balls, off Tate 6, off Welch 1, off Corbett 4. Hit by pitched ball, White by Welch. Hits off pitcher, off Tate 2 in 4th inning, off Duke 3 in 1st inning, off Welch 1 in 4th inning, off Corbett 0. Struck out, by Tate 3, by Welch 1, by Corbett 3. Double plays, McKinney to McCollough to Jobe, Welch unassisted to Jones. Two-base hits, Schnarr, Welch, Jones. Three-base hit, Jobe. Left on bases, Ellis Parts 5, Ramblers 3. Winning pitcher, Welch. Earned runs, Ellis Parts 4, Ramblers 2.

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BELGIANS' NEW QUEEN SETS STYLES FOR DRESS

BRUSSELS, May 15.—The new queen of the Belgians, like all Swedish princesses, dresses extraordinarily well. She is slim and handsome and her elegant appearance at evening functions has made even cinema audiences in Brussels dress-conscious at night. Princess Astrid was from the first days of her marriage a frequent opera-goer and visitor to the various entertainment halls of the Beaux Arts galleries.

The queen is also a home-maker par excellence. The trades for the "home beautiful" have had many a filip from her influence in Belgium, the native lace industry has taken on a fresh lease of life owing to her enthusiasm, and she has been responsible for new and gay designs in Belgian modern furniture and household pottery.

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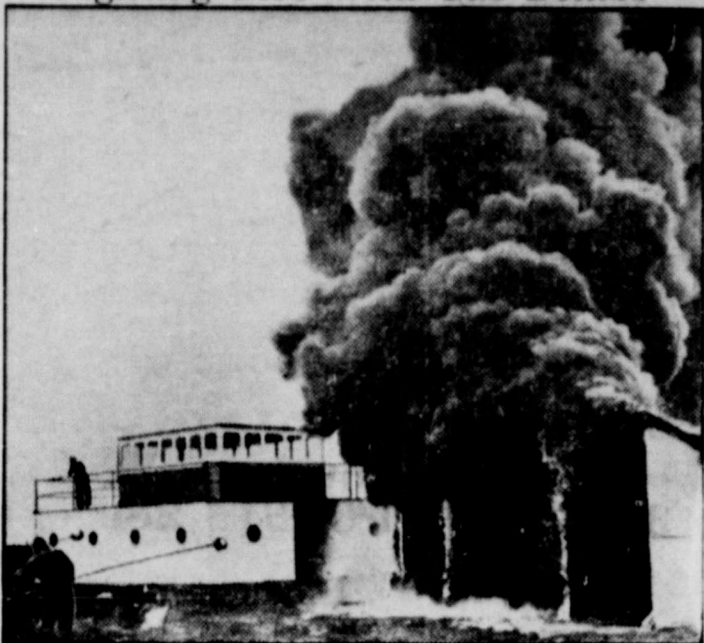
CARRARA, Italy, May 15.—While exploring pits in a cave near Carrara, men recently found an underground river 1,500 feet below the surface and a mile from the cave entrance, while remains of prehistoric animals were discovered not far away.

CONSTRUCTION UP IN SYDNEY

SYDNEY, N. S. W., May 15.—Building construction in Sydney is sixty per cent above that of a year ago.

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Playing with fire to good purpose, the man shown at left is about to hurl a bomb into the blazing structure. The resulting explosion produces a gas blanket that quickly smothers flames. Demonstration of these bombs, invented especially to combat fires caused by aerial torpedoes during wartime, was held at Vincennes, France.

Ballinger Friends To Attend Dinner For Judge W. R. Ely

Ballinger will be represented by a large delegation at Abilene Saturday evening for the West Texas appreciation dinner for Hon. W. R. Ely, former member of the state Partridge, rf. The exact number of Ballingerites to attend has not been learned but approximately 15 reservations have been made and several local citizens are to be guests of the committee.

Members of both local service clubs and the chamber of commerce will attend the dinner to be held at the Wooten Hotel in honor of the Abilene man who served for six years on the commission and was instrumental in securing much highway improvement in this section of the state.

The Runnels county road program was constructed coincident with Judge Ely's term of office and every Runnels county delegation that ever went to Austin received a courteous hearing from him. He was interested in getting all West Texas highways completed and gave special attention to closing small gaps in important routes.

One of his last acts which was of importance to this area was the designation of the Ballinger-Bronte highway and while in this city attending district court last week he drove over the section on which work is being done and was delighted with the prospects for finishing this road. He commented on the way the highway enters town and complimented those who had to do with the route selected.

STREET CAVES IN

HYTE, Eng., May 15.—While excavations were being made in Dental Street here for a new store the entire street caved in, leaving a hole twenty feet deep. A horse and wagon had a narrow escape. The collapse caused the water main to burst and the neighborhood was flooded.

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McCarver Elected To Local Faculty As Assistant Coach

The Ballinger school board elected Clarence ("Nig") McCarver assistant football coach and mathematics instructor for the new junior high school Monday evening. Mr. McCarver will succeed George Stowe as assistant coach. Mr. Stowe having been elected principal of the junior high school.

Mr. McCarver is one of the best known football men in the Southwest. Besides having had a brilliant playing career he has had coaching experience, only recently resigning as assistant to Frank Bridges, at Texas Military Academy, Terrell, to come here and attend to business interests. He is a graduate of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, and holds an M. A. degree from George Washington University, Washington, D. C.

The board also elected Miss Lillian Knowles to teach the fifth grade. The addition to the school system this year will require two more teachers and Mr. McCarver and Miss Knowles will fill these positions.

Mrs. C. C. Sessions and Mrs. George Gollightly were elected substitute teachers to succeed Miss Louise Wardlaw and Miss Claudia Compton who have obtained positions in other schools.

CHANNEL ROUTE LIGHTED

PARIS, May 15.—The airway stretching 225 miles between London and Paris has just been illuminated for night flying. There are fourteen flashing beacons giving an identical signal in Morse code, and seven neon fog-piercing beacons. Many marine lighthouses have had their lights altered so that they project guides for both airmen and seamen.

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SCHOOL NEWS

By Laura Edith Miller

Wednesday morning the members of the Literary Club for next year met to elect officers. Forty new members were accepted, and the following officers were elected: President, Gilbert Behrend; vice-president, Selma Morton; secretary-treasurer, Annie Davis; critic, Margie Holstead; parliamentarian, Melvin Pullin. A resolution was passed to express our gratitude to Miss Greer for her work in organizing the club, and to Miss Williamson for her work in connection with it this year. Laura Edith Miller, the retiring president, presided at the election.

"Parties, parties, everywhere And not a night to sleep!" Several students feel like the "Ancient Mariner" did, at least they have a right to.

Friday morning Mr. Lyon gave a talk in chapel. He spoke of morals and energy and dependability. The students should find his talk helpful.

Monday Dr. E. W. McLaurin conducted the last chapel program of the year. He spoke of indifference and lack of ambition. Mr. Self gave some announcements regarding the close of school. He expressed appreciation to the pastors of Ballinger for their weekly programs, which are interesting as well as instructive.

Next year there will be only three grades in high school, so perhaps the seniors will be missed after all.

Don't forget the graduation

exercises Friday, and we hope you enjoyed the Class Day program last night.

Graduation is both a glad and a sad occasion, but it is inevitable. We will miss our school and our friends, but we hope for a successful future. We wish to thank all the school patrons and friends for their courtesy and cooperation, and to offer especial thanks to those who have chaperoned our school functions and helped with them.

"Goodbye, thanks, and best wishes!" For myself may I say that I have enjoyed bringing you this column and I hope it has entertained you and helped you to understand our school and its aims. Thanks to the management of The Ledger for their courtesy and for the fun of writing for the paper.

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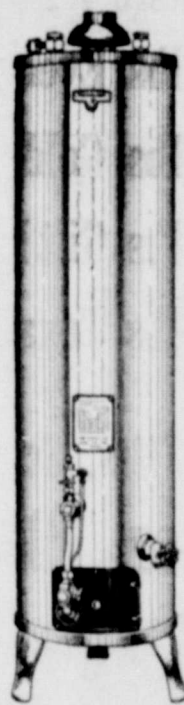
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FAKE "HOMELESS POOR" DENOUNCED IN ENGLAND

LONDON, May 15.—Warning against the false "homeless poor" is sounded in the final report of the Church Assembly Committee of England, which was appointed recently to investigate the care of the destitute poor.

"Many of the apparently homeless poor are in reality cadgers, frequenters of race courses, hangers-on and abettors in vice and crime," the report says. "To speak of them as 'poor' is merely to refer to their appearance, for this life of sin and adventure is very often successful and well paid."

After describing the agencies working for the benefit of "the real 'homeless poor,'" the committee suggests that it would be useful for the assembly to place on record its opinion that indi-

vidual attempts homeless poor s

SENTENCE

PEKIN, April punishment fit to have been the by the Chinese in ment at Nanking Prof. Hsiao Chie Arrested during Chinese communis the professor was held in jail u he repented. His "repentance" took the form of an agreement to write a weekly article against communism.

County Superintendent E. Grindstaff attended to school business at Austin the past week end.

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16 Calves Being Fed By Runnels Boys For Spring Shows

A check-up this week revealed that there are 16 calves being fed for exhibition purposes by Runnels county boys. Two or three others may begin feeding calves this week if suitable animals can be found in this county and necessary arrangements made.

Three of those feeding calves are vocational agriculture students and the remainder are 4-H club members. A number of visits were made recently to nearby counties to look over herds of cattle and select animals which would meet the requirements.

County Agent Elmo V. Cook stated Monday that he was well pleased with the response to this movement and believed some calves would be developed this year that would win prizes in the hardest competition next spring. Only three calves were fattened here for exhibition last year and these were shown in the San Angelo fat stock show.

Boys who have bought calves and are now feeding are: Billy Hays and Ralph Koenig, Bethel; Erwin Halfmann, Olfen; Sam Routh, Parks Kemp, Elliott Kemp, Wagner Byler, Ballinger, Garland Hoffman, Benoit; Charles Patton, Neil Stewart and Neal Fagan, Norton; Claude Smith, Content; William Cole, Winters; and the VA boys, Leroy Coats and Lafon, Content.

A show will be arranged here next spring before other fat stock shows in which the calves are to be entered are held.

CONDITIONAL PARDON GIVEN 'BOSS' GREEN REVOKED BY ALLRED

H. O. ("Boss") Green, of Winters, who was convicted in January, 1934, for violation of the Dean law and was given two years in the penitentiary and was later given a conditional pardon by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson in August, 1934, has had his conditional pardon revoked.

Green was arrested by Sheriff W. A. Holt this week upon order of Governor James V. Allred after District Attorney W. A. Stroman and Sheriff W. A. Holt made a statement to the fact that Green is under recent indictment for possession of liquor.

Green is in the Runnels county jail here, awaiting the penitentiary transfer agent who will take him to Huntsville to serve his sentence.

Radio Preacher To Speak on Street Here Saturday

Rev. J. A. Lovell, who conducts the Old Time Religion Church of the Air at Dublin and preaches three times daily over station KEPL, will deliver a sermon on the street here Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. This widely-known West Texas evangelist will bring his loud speaking equipment so he can address a large audience and citizens of this section are invited to be present at the above hour to hear his message.

Rev. Lovell has been broadcasting religious services for the past two years and prior to that was well known as a preacher in this part of Texas. Many Runnels county people listen to his radio sermons regularly and are expected to come here Saturday to see and hear him in person. The evangelist is an excellent speaker.

Several months ago Rev. Lovell visited Ballinger one Saturday afternoon and spoke to a large congregation in the business district. He makes trips and uses his loud speaking apparatus regularly so that he can give his messages to as many people as possible.

HAGAN HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

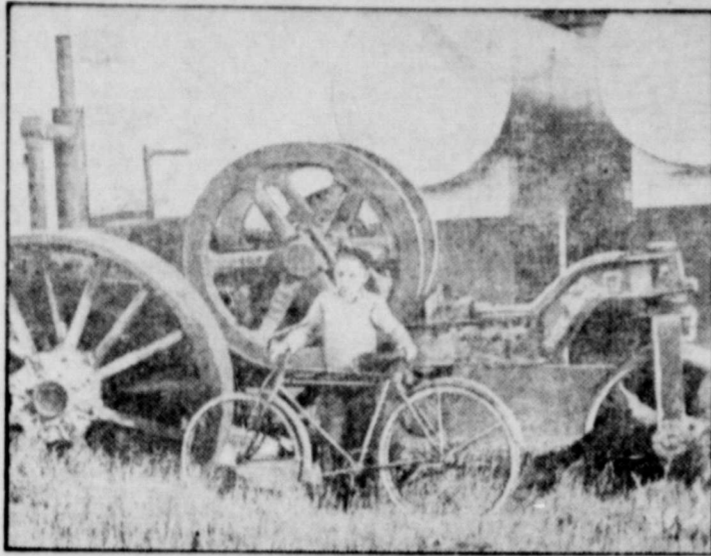
At the meeting of the Hagan home demonstration club on May 19 in the home of Mrs. Len Minchew, Mrs. George Killam, of Ballinger, explained the necessity and functions of parliamentary rules in the home demonstration clubs. The importance of a thorough knowledge of these rules to a short course delegate was stressed by Mrs. Killam.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Earl Patterson on Wednesday, May 23. Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, county home demonstration agent, requests each member to bring a needle and thread.

Ten members and two visitors were present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kloven, of Bovina, were here Friday for a visit with Mrs. Kloven's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parrish. They all attended the funeral of Mrs. Parrish's father, J. C. Jones, at Brownwood Saturday. Mrs. Kloven will be remembered her as Miss Vhelma Parrish.

Swaps Steamroller for Bike



Donald Johnston, above, 11-year-old Albany, Ore., had, could show David Harum a few things about trading. Donald wanted a bike badly. Seeing a steamroller that had stood idle for years, Donald approached the owner, who gave it to him. In a second-hand store, Donald found the bicycle he wanted, and got it in exchange for the steamroller.

Baccalaureate Services Attended by Large Crowd

The auditorium of the Ballinger Baptist Church was filled to capacity Sunday evening for the baccalaureate service, the first program of commencement week for the Ballinger high school. The 59 members of the senior class who will receive diplomas tomorrow (Friday) evening marched to the reserved section wearing caps and gowns.

A massed choir from the various churches of the city rendered an anthem and Jack McKay sang a solo. Mrs. L. Schermerhorn was at the organ console for accompaniments and to play the professional.

The speaker of the evening was Dr. Don H. Morris, of Abilene Christian College, who talked to the class about the completion of

their school work and pointed the better way to live. He used as a text "She has done what she could," and contrasted this with Judas selling his Lord and himself for thirty pieces of silver. "You will either do what you can or you will sell yourself," the speaker asserted.

Supt. H. C. Lyon announced the programs for the remainder of commencement week and invited the public to attend all of them. He took the opportunity to thank citizens of this district for their cooperation during the term just ending and to express appreciation to those assisting in the baccalaureate service.

Rev. E. W. McLaurin, Rev. J. H. McClain and Scott H. Mack assisted in presentation of the program Sunday evening.

NEWS OF BOY SCOUT TROOP NO. 30

By Paul Trimmier, Jr. Scribe

Last Saturday Mr. Sessions took us on a hike. We went to the second crossing. We all had a good swim and several passed swimming merit badges. We had supper after the swim and then ran some races. After the races we couldn't find anything else to do and were on the point of going, when someone suggested exploring an old house; one of the oldest in Runnels county. We explored the house which was falling to pieces pretty badly and found it had once been a good house for its time.

Dr. Stasney was not able to be at our last meeting and we all missed him a lot. Mr. Sykes visited us at our meeting and we were very glad to have him with us. We wish other people would visit us and see what we are doing. At our next meeting we are going to make bow drills and have some contests to see who can make a fire the quickest.

SINGERS WILL MEET AT MILES SUNDAY

The Runnels County Singing Association will meet at Miles Sunday afternoon for an old time song fest. Singers are expected from Ballinger, Winters, San Angelo, Abilene, Coleman, Brady, Rowena, Bronte, Robert Lee, Veribest and Harriet.

A big crowd is expected and the general public is invited. The place is the Miles Baptist Church at the usual hour.

Many Eskimo igloos are built of wood or stone instead of ice; the former are more permanent winter quarters and are built to withstand severe temperatures.

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Statistics Show Slight Decrease In Cancer Deaths

LONDON, May 15.—The first statistical evidence that cancer is beginning to be conquered by radium and other modern methods of treatment appears in the report of vital statistics for England and Wales in 1933, just issued by the registrar general.

On the face of the figures cancer has increased instead of decreasing, the combined English and Welsh death rate from cancer in 1933 being 153 deaths per 100,000 population, against only 151 in 1932. It is necessary, however, to make a correction for the increasing number of old and middle aged persons in the community.

Cancer is a disease which especially attacks elderly people. In an army or any other population composed entirely of young people the death rate from cancer is negligible. Among old or middle aged people the deaths from cancer are much more numerous than in the average population. British figures for the numbers of persons of different ages in the community show that the percentage of elderly persons slowly is increasing.

Accordingly, the statisticians of the registrar general's office have computed what the 1933 death rate from cancer would have been for a population of the same age composition as that which existed in 1932. On this basis they find that the cancer deaths decreased slightly, presumably as a result of the active campaign against cancer waged in England during the past few years by the health ministry, the medical profession and many private agencies.

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Many Ex-Students Of Ballinger High Here for Banquet

The first alumni banquet for the Ballinger public schools will be held this (Thursday) evening at the Central Hotel. For several weeks interest has been keen in this affair and a number of former students who live elsewhere arrived here today to attend the get-together celebration.

A group of students who completed the course here before diplomas were issued will be given diplomas in a special presentation.

Harry Lynn will be toastmaster, announcing the numbers. The invocation will be said by Fred Walter King, graduate of the local high school four years ago, who will receive his degree at Howard Payne College this spring. In the introduction of former students the year of their graduation will be given. Bobbie Avey, a member of the 1935 class, will be heard in a reading. Mrs. F. H. Turbeville, of Gainesville, will offer a toast to the class of today. This will be followed by a vocal solo by Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr.

A portion of the program will be devoted to reminiscences with John A. Weeks, class of 1893; Lewis J. Wardlaw, class of 1898; Mrs. A. McGregor, class of 1911; Bailey Mack, class of 1918; and W. A. Nance, Jr., class of 1931, making brief talks.

A violin solo by Herbert Pres-

ton, a talk and presentation of diplomas by Supt. H. C. Lyon, the organization of the association, and a song led by Miss Edith Miller will conclude the program.

The committee in charge of the sale of plates stated Tuesday that the capacity of the dining room was about reached and sales would stop Wednesday. Plates are being prepared for 285.

The decorations committee promises a surprise in its part of the program but would divulge none of the details.

MYSTERY HOUSE SALE REVEALS SPY STORY

GLASGOW, May 15.—Sale of Tom-Na-Monachan, mystery house of Scotland, near Pitlochrie, has resulted in the piecing together of data which has furnished an amazing spy story.

The mansion was purchased by a rich Turk, Iskandar, shortly before the World War. In the course of business a Mr. Blank, of Glasgow, called. Iskandar seemed interested to know that Mr. Blank spoke French and promised to send him to Paris to take a position. The Turk changed his mind, but said he had a house in Paris and asked Blank to call there any time. The war broke out and Blank was in Paris. He called at the Turk's house and found gendarmes in charge. Iskandar had been murdered.

Tom-Na-Monachan was raided and was found to be the courier of the pacifist literature circulating throughout Scotland and England.

COOMBES RETURNS FROM WEST TEXAS CHAMBER CONVENTION

Charlie Coombes returned Thursday morning from Plainview, where he attended the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention. Mr. Coombes, a director of the regional organization, was the only person from here attending the convention.

Mr. Coombes reported a great crowd present and all hotels, rooming houses and eating places jammed. There are 14 bands to furnish the street entertainment and noise and Mr. Coombes said it resembled the old days of the W. T. C. C. conventions.

Amarillo was named the next convention city and Ray Nichols, Vernon publisher, was elected president for the ensuing year. Brownwood, a contender for the next convention, withdrew just before the balloting began, leaving Amarillo and Wichita Falls in the race.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for their kindness, words of sympathy and floral offering during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. J. W. Powell
Mr. and Mrs. James Wear
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Miss Mary Elizabeth Truly has returned home to spend the summer after attending the Southwestern Theological Seminary at Fort Worth the past term.

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Blackeye Peas Fine to Snap or Shell	2 lbs. 7c	Round Steak
Okra Small, Tender	1 lb. 13c	Seven Steak
Airway Coffee The fastest selling package coffee west of the Mississippi River	Lb. 17c 3 lbs. 49c	Fresh Liver
Chlorox For Bleaching	Pt. Bottle 10c	Fresh Brains
Flour Harvest Blossom	48 lb. Sack \$1.69	Chuck Roast
Milk Max-4-mum	3 Sm. Cans 10c	Stew Meat
Pickles Sour or Dill	3 7-oz. Jars 25c	Sliced Bacon
Bread A-Y Sliced	4 lb. Loaves 25c	
		Rosemary Grape Juice
		Pint 14c
		Quart 27c
		Cloth Sack 25 lbs. \$1.25
		Favorite Matches 6 Boxes 21c
		Steamboat Syrup No. 10 Pail 49c
		Libby's Peaches No. 2 1/2 Can 19c
		Field Corn 3 No. 2 Cans 29c

Man Has Drag With Fierce Pet



If it's news when a man bites a dog, it's likewise news when a man has a lion for breakfast. Here, after quelling his fierce appetite, a tawny pet accepts a puff from his master's maternal cigar. The gentleman, a German visiting in Paris, undoubtedly believes that his jocular cronies lends atmosphere to his den.

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OUR ADDRESS RECENTLY?

Subscribers are notified by the publisher of any change in address furnished by the postoffice. Besides, there is always the probability that your paper will be delayed or fail to reach you altogether if you do not give immediate notification when you move.

The period starts next week at the high schools as well as a large number of schools close.

General rains in this part of the county have practically assured a grain crop and started one of the county's largest feed crops.

Tuesday morning fell and gave the first observation of the season here.

Nineteen business houses at Miles have signed an agreement to close at 7 p. m. daily except Saturday until September 1.

The Brady Chamber of Commerce and the Brady Garden Club are sponsoring a contest for beautifying the city.

Lightning struck two buildings in Menard last week. A barn owned by F. Luck was burned to the ground and the residence of J. W. Nixon was slightly damaged.

County Flower Fort Mason entries by and others in the various rooms of the club annual affair was so successful.

27 and 28 are the dates set for the annual celebration at Sonora this year. This event, sponsored by civic clubs, the chamber of commerce and other local organizations, will be in the form of a rodeo.

DANIEL Board, 2-31

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BLACK-DRAUGHT

Just One Thing After Another

WHERE'S THAT OL' DICTIONARY WE USED TO HAVE?

I WON'T BE HOME FOR DINNER

HEY! THERE'S A PIECE MISSING OUTA THIS JIG SAW PUZZLE!

CHAIN DIME LETTERS

WEST TEXAS NEWS NOTES

Nineteen business houses at Miles have signed an agreement to close at 7 p. m. daily except Saturday until September 1.

The old guardhouse at Fort Stockton has been purchased by business men and civic organizations for the Boy Scouts of the town.

Wool and mohair activity at Eden has been mounting recently. Last week James L. Daniels reported 175,000 pounds of new wool and 45,000 pounds of 1935 mohair were stored in his warehouse.

Miss Willie Dell Houston, of the Paint Rock high school, won first place and the beautiful loving cup at the state meet at Austin last week in girls' singles tennis.

Joe Ostertag left Tuesday morning for San Antonio to attend the state undertakers' convention. Mr. Ostertag, a licensed embalmer, has been attending these meetings for many years.

Native seedweed is coming into use again in Germany as an upholstery and mattress material.

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BLACK-DRAUGHT

safer driving in the limits of that city. Stickers being affixed to automobiles and trucks by the owners state "I will observe traffic regulations."

A QUICK WAY TO BETTER PAY

The most important objective in any educational program is the ability to earn a good living. For in this modern age when there are so many things that require a substantial income, such as a car, good clothes, pleasant vacations, and facilities for entertaining friends, money has become more than ever a symbol of success.

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A new booklet, "Planning Your Future," describes today's inspiring opportunities in business and a proven method of securing good starting positions for graduates.

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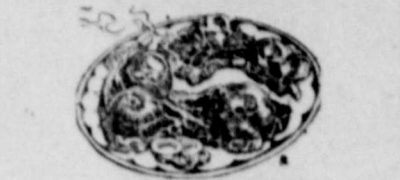
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Menus of the Day



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Swiss, blend and smooth, Roquefort pungent and challenging, Camembert soft and luscious—serve them as appetizers before dinner or as a piquant dessert with wafers.



Waffles Win
Breakfast or luncheon—waffles win! Mix and sift 1 1/2 cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoons salt, 2 tablespoons sugar, add 1 cup milk, gradually, then 2 egg yolks and 2 tablespoons melted fat. Fold in 2 stiffly beaten egg whites. Cook in wellgreased waffle iron.



Spring Salad Plate
Serve crisp, inviting spring vegetables on an assorted salad plate for appetite teasers. Sliced tomatoes, radishes and cucumbers, or spring onions, avocado and celery curls.

H. G. Agnew left Sunday for points in Oklahoma to attend to business.

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What makes the food decay in the bowels? Well, when we eat too much, our little liver can't digest it. What is the little liver? It is the most vital digestive juice in our body. Unless 2 parts of it are flowing from our liver into our bowels every day, our movements get hard and constipated and 1/2 of our food decays in our 25 feet of bowels. This decay sends poison all over our body every six minutes.

When our friends smell our bad breath (but we don't) and we feel like a whipped animal, don't see a throatwash or take a laxative. Get at the cause. Take Carter's Little Liver Pills which gently start the flow of your liver juice. But if something has offered you, don't buy it, for it may be a saloon (mercury) pill, which harms your liver and sends the poison in many people. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name and get what you ask for—35¢ @1914, C.M.C.

FRED KING TO GET DEGREE AT HOWARD PAYNE COLLEGE
BROWNWOOD, May 15.—Fred King, of Ballinger, will receive his A. B. degree from Howard Payne College at commencement exercises to be held at the college on May 22. Forty-eight students will get degrees from the college at that time this being one of the largest graduating classes at the college in the past several years.

ANCIENT POTTERY FOUND
CAIRO, May 15.—Fragments of pottery at least 2,500 years old and many other important discoveries have just been reported by the Wellcome archaeological research expedition, which has been seeking relics of Old Testament history in Palestine. The expedition will continue its excavations for some time.

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Junior High School Foundation Started; Gridiron is Sodded

Construction was started this week on the junior high school building in West End. Dirt was broken last week and masons started the foundation this week. Most of the material has been moved from South Ballinger, where the old ward building is being razed. Much of the timber and all the stone is to be used in the new building. Wrecking of the south ward building is about completed and practically all the material has been salvaged.

In addition to the necessary number of class rooms the new junior high school will have an auditorium and a large study hall to accommodate students in the sixth seventh and eighth grades. Pupils who are to enter the junior high school next fall will register this week and select their courses so that confusion will be avoided at the beginning of the fall term.

Work on the new building will go forward rapidly as soon as the present term ends. Alex Yarnell, the contractor, is employing a large crew to accelerate the work.

Improvement of the new athletic field is about finished. The gridiron was planted in grass seed last week and a caretaker will water it during the summer to have it ready for use next fall when the training season begins. A system of water pipes has been laid so the entire plot may be irrigated at one time. When the grass is up a few inches it will be mowed so it will spread faster and provide a good turf.

Steel gates were swung at the entrances last week and very little else remains to be done unless seats are erected later in the summer.

LOST FAT

Fooled Gossipers

Mrs. J. R. McCausland, of Pittsburgh writes: "I took off 8 lbs. in two weeks with Kruschen. I ate as usual and feel fine." You, too, can safely reduce as Mrs. McCausland did if you'll only have a mind of your own. Pay no attention to gossipers who wouldn't want to see you the slender woman you can be if you'll only take a half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a cup of hot water every morning. (Tastes fine with juice of half lemon added).

Kruschen is SAFE—it's a health treatment and when your body abounds with Kruschen fitness—excess fat leaves. Jar lasts 4 weeks and costs but a trifle—any drug store. Weeks Drug Store sells lots of it.

L. E. Bair left for Dallas Tuesday morning to accompany Mrs. Bair home. Mrs. Bair had been visiting there several days.

Miss Emma Jean Jones visited her mother, Mrs. Henry Jones, Mother's Day. Miss Jones is attending school at Abilene.

J. E. Gentry has returned from a visit at Shreveport, Louisiana, and Tyler.

U. S. Will Protect Bears in Alaska

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Plans for the management and perpetuation of the famous brown bear of Admiralty Island, Alaska, have been announced by the United States department of agriculture.

The plans, worked up cooperatively by the forest service, the biological survey and the Alaska game commission, seek primarily to coordinate the management of the bear population with a well-rounded use and enjoyment of other commercial, recreational and scenic resources of the island.

Principal features of the bear management plan includes the following:

Areas needed for protection of the bear will be closed to hunting. Closed areas will be extended or replaced by others as changing conditions warrant. In general, closed areas will include general recreation areas, areas with outstanding heavy stocking of bear in the spring when the cubs are small, small, heavily stocked areas easily accessible where bears can be observed by naturalists, photographers and the general public and lands in the vicinity of logging camps, trollers' camps and other centers of seasonal occupancy where closure may be advisable to assist in controlling causal or illegal killing.

Limited bear hunting may be permitted, subject to bag limits and to closure for entire seasons or parts of seasons to prevent jeopardizing the bear population. Permitted yearly kill will never be allowed to exceed the yearly net increase.

A system of trails, portages, shelter cabins, and observation blinds will be constructed for the benefit of naturalists and recreationists. Some of these already have been completed, with the aid of CCC workers.

An attempt will be made to increase the bear population if further studies show that this will not result in overstocking.

Under existing game laws, shooting from power boats, or the use of dogs in taking game animals is not allowed, and the sale of pelts is prohibited. A resident may kill a brown or grizzly bear when necessary to protect persons or property.

Admiralty Island is especially adapted to the management of the bear in coordination with other resources, according to the forest service. The location of its commercially valuable timber and salmon streams and canneries near tidewater leaves a vast interior region of nearly 700,000 acres into which there is no necessity for wood workers to penetrate.

This interior region of muskeg, scrub timber, and alder and willow thickets is preferred by the bears at certain seasons of the year. Admiralty Island, with a total area of 1,065,000 acres, is a part of the Tongass Natural Forest, one of the two great national forests of Alaska, and the largest in the national forest system.

The Alaska brown bear, for which Admiralty Island is famous, is one of the largest bears of the world. Specimens weighing 1,600 pounds have been noted. Five species of large bear have been

Laying Strato Balloon Anchors



Embedded in concrete, the steel rods shown projecting from the pit will soon hold a strato balloon in leash, pending its ascent into the stratosphere. In the Black Hills near Rapid City, S. D., workmen are busy with preparations for the newest attempt, to take place within a few weeks.

differentiated on Admiralty Island by Dr. C. Hart Merriam, first chief of the biological survey and a noted authority on these animals.

The animals spend about five months of the year in hibernation, during which period the cubs are born. They spend most of the summer season in the higher country of the interior, except for frequent excursions to the streams during the salmon spawning season. The estimated bear population of Admiralty Island in 1932 was 900 animals.

Be wise and advertise.

59 Seniors Will Get Diplomas at Exercises

The graduation exercises at the high school auditorium tomorrow (Friday) evening will close the 1934-35 term of the Ballinger public schools, 59 seniors receiving diplomas at that time. The entire week has been filled with commencement programs and the students have had busy times, finishing the year's study, taking final tests, checking in books and registering for next year. Teachers have been working overtime on report cards and final records which will be turned in this week.

Superintendent H. C. Lyon and Principal H. B. Self will have several days' work next week concluding the business of the school year. Most of the teachers will be released Friday afternoon, however, and those who do not reside here will leave this week-end

for their homes.

The faculty is complete unless there are resignations during the summer. The board will have considerable other business to attend to during the summer in regard to the construction program and the necessary repairs on the several buildings.

Following is the order of the graduation exercises tomorrow evening:

- Invocation—Rev. W. H. F. Moore
- Violin solo—Miss Katherine Todd
- Class address—Rev. J. W. Stephens, San Angelo
- Certification of graduates—Principal H. B. Self
- Presentation of diplomas—Superintendent H. C. Lyon
- Song, "Texas, My Texas"—class of 1935
- Benediction—Rev. Lee Whipple.

Nice Balance Shown In City Statement At End of Month

The city of Ballinger had a cash balance on April 30 of \$43,389.04. Collections for the month were good but tax payments going into the general fund were much lighter than in previous months. Water collections for April totalled \$1,425.35, sanitary service brought in \$186.47, and \$128.63 went to the general fund.

The last statement showed that the city had secured \$5,500 more of its own securities for the water utilities account by purchasing fire equipment warrants. This makes a total of \$23,450 of its own warrants and bonds held by the

municipality.

At the end of the month cash in the city depository totalled \$19,-835.88; securities held in the city depository, \$23,450; and cash in the city hall vault, \$112.16.

The general fund had a balance of \$5,354.64, the water account was \$7,170.41, and the sanitary account \$265.76. The remainder is in sinking funds on several outstanding bond issues.

Water department collections are increasing now as irrigation of yards is commenced and within a short time the consumption will more than double.

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SUGAR CANE yields molasses for solvents, antifreeze and shock absorber fluids.

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TURPENTINE is used in paints, adhesives and solvents.

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Wool goes into upholstery, floor coverings, lubricants and anti-rust preparations.

LEATHER goes into upholstery—and in addition, glues are made from cow hide, and from cow's milk... Other parts of cattle, through other processes, yield stearic acid, greases, glycerine (for shock absorbers and body enamel) and soap chips (used in washing machined parts and bodies before painting).

HOGS furnish lard oil, oleic acid and brush bristles.

GOAT'S HAIR (Mohair) goes into upholstery.

BEEWAX goes into electrical imbedding compounds.

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. 309 Ninth Street. Phone 416. 1t

We have gin run cottonseed suitable for planting West Texas. Cottonoll Co. 16-2t

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 1006 Eighth Street. 16-1f

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WANT TO TRADE—Five room, well finished house in Abilene for similar house in Ballinger that's clear. George Gollightly, at 234. 9-3t

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FOR SALE—Plenty of nice Tomato and Pepper plants. Several varieties. Our prices are right. Whitaker Brothers, Ballinger. 25-tf

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Bad Odor in Jute May be Replaced By Sweet Scents

CALCUTTA, India, May 15.—The largest project yet undertaken in the new profession of smell engineering has been authorized by the Jute Industries Association, in cooperation with the Indian government. Jute is an Indian fiber plant somewhat like flax and cotton but inferior to both in the strength and flexibility of its fibers, although jute fibers often are of unusual length, sometimes as much as ten to fifteen feet.

Large quantities of jute cloths and yarns once were used in making sacks for grain, cloth for wrapping meat during shipment, various kinds of matting and carpet and similar materials. During recent years all of these uses have fallen off greatly because of the disagreeable smell of all commercial kinds of jute, a smell familiar in the United States as that of the cheaper varieties of burlap bags.

In the large industry of wrapping meat for refrigerated shipment from Australia and South America to Europe or the United States, the jute fabrics have been replaced almost altogether by much more expensive cotton cloths, entirely because this peculiar smell tends to taint the meat.

The jute association now has decided to call in a smell engineer, Dr. S. G. Barker, of the Woolen Research Association in England, has been called to India to see what can be done. One idea which will be tried is use of the new dressing oils containing chemically active atoms and called "ionized oils," which already have proved useful in odorless dressing of wool.

The unusually active atoms in these ionized oils apparently combine chemically with some of the bad-smelling materials in the fibers and convert these into odorless ones.

Boy Scouts—

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afternoon of the opening day. This will be followed by the evening meal and assembly around a huge bonfire in the heart of the city.

Committees were appointed to perfect details of the encampment. J. D. Motley will attend to preparation of the barbecue to be served at noon on the last day and also direct publicity. He will be assisted by K. V. Northington, H. W. Lynn and J. A. Killough. Chester Cherry and Lee Moreland will head the parade committee with Joe Simmons and Ross Murchison acting as judges to select the best troop. J. A. Schnable is camp director and in charge of the program, and A. W. Wiesepepe will take care of the equipment.

Word was received Tuesday morning that the Bronte Band would be here for the parade opening the encampment, accompanying 30 Scouts of that town. Robert Lee Scouts and Paint Rock Scouts will attend. The following program has been scheduled:

Friday, May 24
Check to see that all tents placed—Ross Murchison
Tents in camp—staff conference
Assign tents
Assign cooking fires by patrols
Camp inspection
Announcements
5:30—Cooking by patrols
6—Supper
7—Retreat, Paul Trimmer, Jr.
8—Campfire—assembly by bugler. Song, "The Eyes of Texas"
8:05—Inspection of troops—J. A. Schnable
8:15—Court of Honor, Rev. E. W. McLaurin. Candle ceremony—oath law
Tenderfoot—Robert Lee, Bronte and Paint Rock—Rev. McLaurin
Second class—H. W. Lynn
First class—Robert Bruce
Merit badges—K. V. Northington
8:45—Troop songs, yells and stunts
9—Introduction of district committee—O. L. Parish
9:10—Concho valley council commissioner, Dr. Hybee presenting: Training certificates
Troop charters, credentials
Camp Louis Farr, national jamboree, etc.
9:20—Boy Scouts of America yell
9:25—Closing ceremony—Scoutmaster's benediction
10—Taps.

Saturday, May 25
6:30 a. m.—Reveille
7—Cook breakfast
7:30—Breakfast
8:30—Camp inspection, equipment
8:45—Staff meeting, headquarters tent
9—Rally by troops
12—Barbecue. Awards to winners
1 p. m.—Camp dismissed.

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DEATHS

Mrs. Hettie E. Hendryx
Mrs. Hettie E. Hendryx died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Strebeck, 902 Fourteenth Street, Thursday afternoon. She left a son and a daughter who were born earlier in the day and the twin children are both reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Hendryx came to Ballinger with her parents 7 years ago. She attended the Ballinger schools and was a member of the 1931 graduation class. She belonged to the Ballinger Baptist Church and had been active in young people's activities for several years.

Survivors include the husband, two children, the parents; three brothers, Arden, B. M., Jr., and Harold Strebeck; and a number of other relatives. J. W. Hendryx and four sons, of Lubbock, were here for the funeral.

Funeral services were held from the Ballinger Baptist Church Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. J. H. McClain officiating, assisted by Rev. E. W. McLaurin. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were: J. L. Lett, Elzie Cox, Elwood Wilson, Joe Baxter, Noel Skaggs and J. V. Smith. Honorary pallbearers were: Sid Jones, L. B. Rudder, A. L. Spann, Jack Carroll, L. L. Williams, Enoch Johnson, S. L. Furgason, Dick Embry, O. C. Boswell. Flower girls were classmates in the 1931 graduating class of the Ballinger high school.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Callie Dalton
Mrs. Callie Dalton, 65, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Baird, near Runnels, Saturday at 6:30 p. m. She had been making home here for some time and had been in ill health. Last week she went to the Baird home to spend a few days, thinking the change would be good for her.

Survivors include a brother, C. D. Petty, of Ballinger, and a sister, Mrs. Willie Powers, of Hallettsville. Funeral services were held at the tabernacle in the Runnels cemetery Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. C. S. Moad, pastor of the Church of God, officiating.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

J. C. Jones
J. C. Jones, 80, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Muriel Lankford, in Brownwood last Thursday. He had been in ill health for some time and spent last winter in Ballinger where he could be near relatives and a physician.

Decedent settled in Concho county near Paint Rock 35 years ago and kept his home there ever since.

Funeral services were held at the Paint Rock Baptist church Friday afternoon, Rev. J. W. Sailors officiating, assisted by Rev. J. H. McClain. Interment was made in the Paint Rock cemetery beside his wife who preceded him in death six years.

Survivors are: Mrs. T. J. Parrish, Ballinger; J. S. Jones, Ballinger; Mrs. Lankford, Brownwood; Willie Croon Jones, Paint Rock; seven grandchildren and six great grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. W. W. Embry, of Ballinger.

Pallbearers were grandsons: Hugh Parrish, Hubert Parrish, Jones Parrish, James Parrish, Dick Embry and A. C. Kloven. King-Holt Company funeral directors were in charge of arrangements.

Co-ed (at baseball game): "Oh, look, we have a man on every base!"
Another Co-ed: "That's nothing, so has the other side."

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CHURCHES

First Presbyterian Church
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11 o'clock, morning worship.
8 o'clock, evening worship.
If you do not worship elsewhere, you are cordially welcome at all of our services.
E. W. McLaurin, Pastor

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Carl Black, superintendent.
11 a. m., morning service.
7:15 p. m., senior Endeavor.
8 p. m., Wednesday, prayer 8 o'clock, evening worship.
meeting, followed by choir practice.
W. H. F. MOORE, Pastor

Church of the Nazarene
(Ninth Street and Harris Avenue)
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., M. D. Freeman, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. by Dr. W. D. McGraw.
Junior Band at 6 p. m.
N. Y. P. S. at 7 p. m.
8 p. m., preaching by pastor.
Evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting at 8 p. m., Wednesday.
W. M. S. each Thursday at 2:30 p. m.
R. E. CUMMINS, Pastor

Ballinger Baptist Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, E. E. King, superintendent.
11 a. m., preaching by pastor.
6:30 p. m., B. T. S. meeting, Ernest Moody, director.
8 p. m., preaching by pastor.
7:30 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting.
8 p. m., Wednesday, choir practice, R. E. White, director.
J. H. McClain, Pastor

Church of Christ
(Eighth Street, Bonnal Avenue)
Classes.
Bible school meets at 9:45 a. m. with competent teachers for all.
Preaching at 11 a. m. Communion following sermon.
Ladies' Bible class meets in the church building Monday at 4 p. m.
Prayer meeting and young people's service at 7:45 p. m., Wednesday.
The public is invited to attend any and all these services.
HARVEY CHILDRESS, Minister

First Christian Church
(Broadway and Murrell)
9:45 a. m., Bible school. A class for every age. We are never too old to learn something new from the Bible.
11 a. m., worship and communion service.
8 o'clock, evening worship.
LEE WHIPPLE, Minister

Old Fashion Baptist Church
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
The Sunday morning service will be held in the American Legion Hall, and Sunday night's service will be in the tent. The subject of the message Sunday night will be "To your tents, O Israel," I Kings 12:16.
GILBERT W. WILSON, Pastor

Church of God
(Corner of Sixth and Strong)
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., S. H. Skelton, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.
Preaching at 8 p. m. by pastor.
Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
Woman's Missionary Society each Thursday.
W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor

First Methodist Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Sam Behringer, superintendent.
11 a. m., morning worship.
6 p. m., vesper service.
A cordial welcome awaits you at all our services.
W. H. VANDERPOOL, Pastor

Notice by Publication of Final Account
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County—Greeting:

C. R. Stephens, Administrator of the Estate of Hattie V. Day, Deceased, having filed in your County Court on May 15, 1935, his final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Hattie V. Day, Deceased, numbered 1293 on the Probate Docket of Runnels County, together with an application to be discharged from said administration.

You are hereby commanded, that by one publication of this Writ for ten days before the return day hereof, to-wit, May 27, 1935, in a newspaper printed in the County of Runnels, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday, the 27th day of May, 1935, in the County Court of Runnels County, Texas, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Ballinger, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1935, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in the town of Ballinger, Texas, this 15th day of May, A. D. 1935.
(Seal)

W. W. CHASTAIN,
Clerk, County Court, Runnels County.
A true copy, I certify.
W. A. HOLT,
Sheriff, Runnels County.
By Winona Jones, Deputy Sheriff. 16-1t

Card of Thanks
We wish to express deep appreciation to our friends who were so kind and thoughtful of us in the recent sorrow which took our loved one. Especially do we desire to mention the members of the Modern Woodmen who made every effort to relieve us of all responsibility and to share in our sorrow.

J. W. Hendryx
Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Strebeck
Paul Brown, of San Angelo, transacted business in Ballinger Thursday.
Mark your eggs and butter with Rubber Stamps. Ballinger Printing Co.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Carsey are entertaining a fine baby boy who arrived Monday morning at the Halley & Love Sanitarium. Mrs. Carsey and son are both doing nicely and Homer is rejoicing over a recruit for the Ballinger Band. When interviewed the director said he would start the young man on a bass horn as soon as possible.

GALBRAITH TO MIDLAND WITH BARROW COMPANY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galbraith left Thursday for Midland, where Mr. Galbraith has accepted a position with the Barrow Furniture Company as manager of the merchandising department. He was formerly with this firm at Abilene for several years.

For the past three years Mr. Galbraith has been connected with the King-Holt Furniture and Undertaking Company, in the furniture department.

READ the WANT ADS

T. L. DUKE, FORMER BALLINGER CITIZEN, BURIED AT WINTERS

T. L. Duke, 29, San Angelo real estate dealer, formerly of Ballinger, died at his home at 4:30 Tuesday morning from a self-inflicted pistol wound. Funeral services were held at Winters this (Thursday) afternoon with interment to follow in Fairview Cemetery.

Decedent had been making home at San Angelo for the past ten years but before that resided here. He is survived by his widow, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Duke, of Ballinger, and seven brothers and six sisters.

Rites were held at the Robert Massie funeral home before the body was taken to Winters, Rev. Raymond Wilson, pastor of the Angelo Heights Baptist Church, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo V. Cook and T. N. Wynn, vocational agriculture teacher at Winters, will go to Balmorea tomorrow (Friday) to attend the annual feeder demonstration at the experiment station there. They will return here Saturday after the conclusion of the annual affair.

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