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Junk Dealer Held For Brutal Murder Of Man at Bronte

H. H. Hess, 25-year-old junk dealer, of San Angelo, was being held in jail this (Thursday) morning charged with the murder of Samuel Solon Bobbitt, war veteran, who was beaten to death Wednesday morning with the detached barrel of a rifle at Bronte.

Bobbitt's body was found about 200 feet from the Ben Gilbert restaurant by the Bronte night watchman, Fuel Sims, the battered head resting on an inner tube and a pillow soaked with blood.

Hess was arrested near Anson, almost 100 miles from the scene of the crime. At the time of his arrest he was hitch-hiking on the highway with his children.

Hess, his mother, Mrs. Ada Hess; her daughter, Miss Lura Zell Hess; and the three small children of the alleged slayer, and Bobbitt drove into Bronte late Tuesday night, asked where to find a camp site, and parked their car where they were directed.

According to the 13-year-old daughter of Mrs. Ada Hess, Bobbitt and Hess were laughing and talking when she went to sleep and later when she awakened and called for the children, they were gone, and so was her brother, H. H. Hess.

Mrs. Hess then went to Bobbitt and found him badly beaten. She found Mr. Sims walking his beat and asked him if he was an officer, but did not accept him as such until he showed her his gun. She told the watchman a man had been beaten to death. Mr. Sims arrested the woman and called H. M. Robinson, justice of the peace, who rendered a verdict of death at the hands of unknown persons.

FLEETWOOD TRANSFERRED TO WINK HUMBLE STATION

Ray Fleetwood, telegraph operator at the Humble pipe line station 14 miles east of Ballinger, was transferred this week to Wink. He is being replaced by J. E. Pitzer, who was transferred here from the Fambrough station.

New Call is Issued For CCC Recruits; Age Limit Lowered

Miss Sarah Knox, case worker in charge, of the Runnels county board of relief and development, announced this week that a new call for applicants for CCC camps has been made. The quota for Runnels county is nine white boys and one negro. It is thought this number will be recruited easily.

Rural rehabilitation families are each eligible to send a member and many of them over the country are doing this in order to pay off their government loans with the \$25 per month which the young men receive as pay in camp. The age limit has been lowered a little for this call. Single men or boys between the ages of 16 and 28, inclusive, are eligible for enlistment.

Miss Knox pointed out that educational advantages in the camps are being improved considerably. Various trades are being taught along with the regular curriculum. Typing, shorthand, electrical engineering, and various trades are being taught by experienced instructors. Heretofore the lack of specialized training has been an objectionable feature for some who would like to join the CCC, and did not do so because they wished to continue their education along specialized lines.

Applications must be received in the office here not later than Saturday of this week. In case more than the quota are qualified it may be possible to send them if some of the other counties in the district fail to fill their quotas.

Alfred Luckett and family, of San Angelo, visited his mother, Mrs. H. M. Luckett, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Howard Parker, of Cleburne, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shepherd, for a few days.

QUORUM LACKING AT MEETING OF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

The Runnels county board of education met Monday, October 14, in the office of the county superintendent. No official business was transacted as there was not a quorum present, but a hearing was granted the Wingate board of trustees on a petition asking a change in routing for the school bus operated in that district. This will be acted on at the next meeting of the county board the second Monday in November.

Grindstaff to Head Red Cross Roll Call in Runnels County

The Runnels county chapter of the American Red Cross is making plans for the annual roll call which will begin Armistice Day, November 11, and continue until Thanksgiving Day, November 23. During this period the workers will endeavor to obtain 900 members in this county at \$1 per year for each membership.

E. C. Grindstaff has been appointed roll call chairman and will have charge of the solicitation campaign. He will direct an educational program before the opening date of the roll call and train solicitors for making the canvass.

In Ballinger a house-to-house drive will be conducted and all downtown employees given an opportunity to take memberships before solicitation commences in the residential sections. It is pointed out that women as well as men are wanted for members in the organization.

When the roll call is concluded half the money will be kept by the local treasurer and the other half remitted to national headquarters.

The Red Cross has extended its work this year and plans to make home safety a major division of its program. This deals with accident hazards and how to correct them. This phase of the program will be stressed by every chapter in the United States.

H. S. Yeager, of Dallas, has returned home after attending to business here several days.

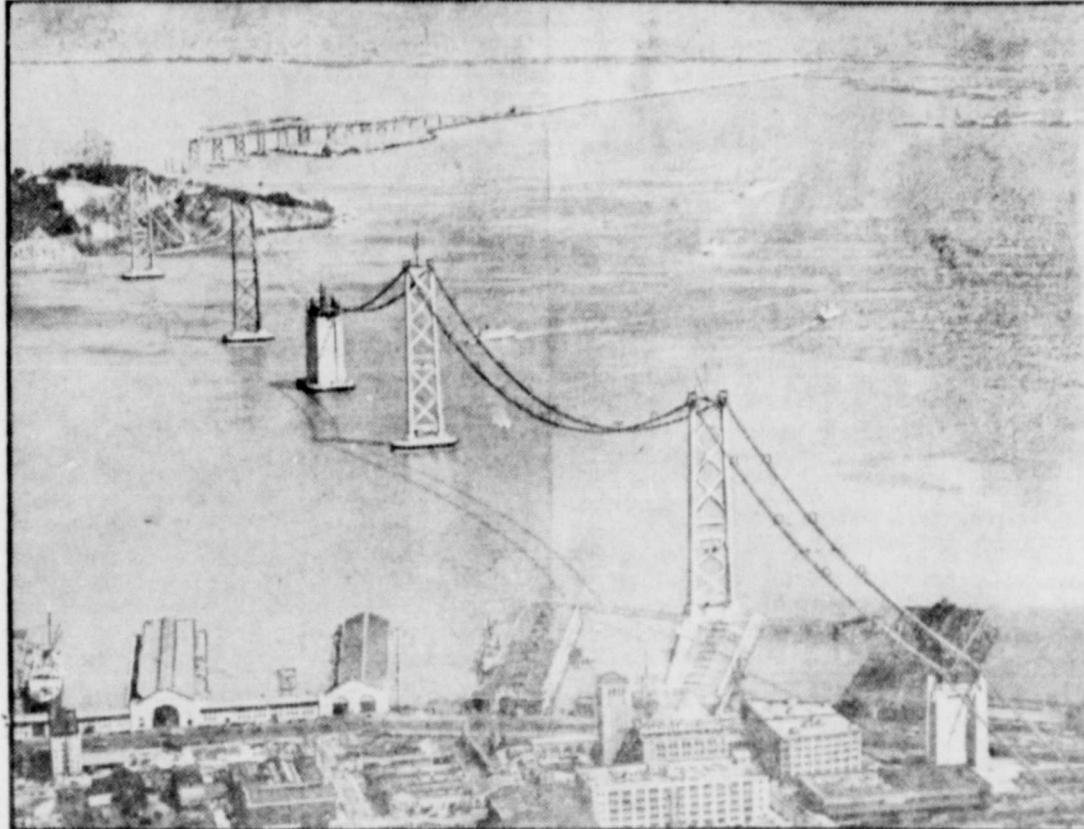
Wheat Growers May Apply for Contracts Beginning Monday

Applications for new 1936-39 wheat allotments contracts will be taken from Runnels county farmers in the county agent's office at Ballinger during the week of October 21-26. All wheat growers are being mailed notices and urged to call and investigate their opportunities under the new contract.

The base years for the wheat contracts are 1930, 1931, and 1932, and any farm where wheat was harvested in 1932 and where this grain has been grown since is eligible to be put under contract.

Growers who intend to make application for contracts should bring with them figures showing wheat acreages planted for the three years mentioned above and the number of bushels harvested. It will also be to their advantage to bring a list of grain dealers who bought their wheat during these years.

San Francisco-Oakland Bridge Nears Completion



Two-thirds of the 4 1/2-mile San Francisco-Oakland bridge, as revealed in the above scene, is completed. Looking from the San Francisco shore of the bay we see catwalks and cable extending to the central anchorage. Another suspension span will be swung from this anchorage to the island. When the bridge is completed, it will cost \$77,500,000.

1935 County Fair Successful; Other Premiums Announced

1,276 Bales Ginned in Runnels County; Seed Price is Good

Ginnings in Runnels county to October 1 totalled 1,276 bales as compared with 15,436 bales on the same date in 1934. Cotton continued to move slowly this week and pickers are staying up with the open bolls in the fields.

Pickers are still plentiful in this section, the prevailing price remaining at 50 cents per hundred pounds. Street market quotations on 1935 cotton today were from 10.90 to 11.25 cents a pound.

Cottonseed is selling in this territory at \$35 per ton. Returns from the seed are taking care of the ginning and picking and heavy runs are reported at the mills in Ballinger and Winters. Practically all gingers are buying seed this season.

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING AT TALPA COMPLETED

The new Talpa high school building has been completed and the formal opening will be held next Monday evening. Supt. Glenn Mitchell invites citizens of Ballinger to visit the school on this occasion and inspect the new plant. A program has been arranged and the patrons and students of the district will assemble for the occasion.

The new building will be used by the higher grades and the old building will be used for the lower grades.

Mrs. John F. Currie spent the past week-end with friends at Temple.

Officials of the Runnels County Fair Association made their first check-up of receipts of the 1935 fair Tuesday afternoon and announced that they expected to be able to take care of all operating expenses, pay lease, insurance and interest accumulated from other years when no fair was held, pay all premiums, and show a profit. No exact statement can be published at this time but the executive committee will meet this week-end with committee chairman who had to do with finances and prepare a statement.

J. D. Motley, secretary-manager of the fair association, said that between \$400 and \$500 was added to the fair plant in improvements prior to the opening of the exposition and that there was a large amount of salvage in materials which would have a part in determining how much was cleared. The extra labor, rodeo purses, baby show premiums and a number of other expenses have already been settled. Current bills are being collected and will be paid at once and later checks for the unpaid premiums will be issued.

Officials of the association expressed appreciation to the large number of committee men and women who gave much time to help make the 1935 fair a success.

Following is an additional list of winners in the various departments of the 1935 fair:

TEXTILE DIVISION

- Cut Work Scarf—Mrs. W. A. Hinton, first; Mrs. R. P. Taylor, second
- Pillow Slips—Mrs. Oscar Pearson, second
- Baby Caps—Mrs. Joe Kvapil, first and second
- Embroidered Scarf—Mrs. Etta Burrows, second
- Crocheted Centerpiece—Mrs. E. A. Sommer, first; Mrs. H. F. Linderman, second
- Crocheted Scarf—Mrs. H. F. Linderman, first and second
- Crocheted Lunch Cloth—Mrs. Delbert Vancil, second
- Crochet Specimens—Mrs. John Schertz, first; Mrs. R. B. Osborn, second
- Hardanger—Mrs. T. V. Allen, first and second
- White Embroidered Pillow Slips—Miss Frances Trail, first; Mrs. Mack Setzer, second
- Colored Embroidered Pillow Slips—Selma Hoffmann, first; Mrs. Hugh Parrish, second
- Crocheted Baby Socks—Mrs. J. G. Douglas, second
- Embroidered Baby Socks—Mrs. M. G. Justice, second

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OVER \$6,000 RECEIVED MONDAY AS PART OF SCHOOL ALLOTMENT

County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff announced Tuesday that over \$6,000 was received Monday from the state board of education to make the first payment on the apportionment for 1935-36 for the common schools of Runnels county.

The apportionment this year is \$17.50 per capita, \$1 more than granted in recent years. The next payment probably will be received in December.

Teachers to Elect Officers at First Meeting of Year

The first meeting of the new school year of the Runnels County Teachers' Association will be held in Ballinger Saturday morning. President E. D. Stringer, superintendent of the Winters school, called the meeting and announced the program, which is to begin at 9 o'clock.

An important part of the meeting will be the business session at the close of the scheduled program, at which time officers for another year will be elected, sectional leaders for the high school, intermediate and primary sections named, and officers for the county interscholastic league elected.

All teachers from both independent and common school districts of the county are expected to attend the meeting here Saturday.

The following program was announced by President Stringer:

- 9:00 a. m.—"The United Plan," Mrs. Irene Trapp, Howard Payne College, Brownwood
- 9:40 a. m.—"Texas Centennial," Dr. Rupert Richardson, Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene
- 10:20 a. m.—Sectional sessions for organization
- 10:35 a. m.—"Introducing Our Pupils to Social Realities," Dr. R. A. Collins, head of the department of education, Hardin-Simmons University
- 11:15 a. m.—Business session.

J. A. Killough and family returned Wednesday evening from a short visit in Temple. While Mr. Killough was gone E. W. H. Clary of the J. C. Penney store at Coleman, was here to assist in the local Penney store.

Federal Man is Here To Launch Campaign Against Prairie Dogs

J. E. Boog-Scott, United States biological survey representative, was in Ballinger Monday to make preliminary arrangements with County Agent Elmo V. Cook for a prairie dog extermination campaign in Runnels county.

Boog-Scott, who has been with the biological survey for several years, recently was transferred from the Lubbock district to the San Angelo district. His new area comprises 30 counties, and Runnels county is very fortunate, it was asserted, to have him here at this time, when prairie dogs are the easiest to kill.

A form letter is being mailed to farmers and ranchmen of the county telling them the methods of exterminating these pests and asking their cooperation in the drive. It was stated that unless all landowners cooperate in the movement it will be useless as the pests will simply move from one "town" and build another.

The method to be used here is to put poisoned grain in the infested places and follow up with carbon-disulphide ("high-life"). It costs only 5 cents a pound to poison the grain and this amount will be enough to treat two acres of ground.

Boog-Scott was here only a short time but will return as soon as replies are received from the landowners stating that they will join in the drive.

REPLACEMENT CERTIFICATES RECEIVED FOR 844 BALES

Thomas B. Hill, assistant in cotton adjustment for Runnels county, stated Tuesday that 634 replacement certificates had been received and were ready for the farmers who had sent their old certificates in for new ones.

The replacement tickets received this week represent 405,693 pounds of lint cotton or a little over 844 bales, each weighing 478 pounds. The bales are figured at 478 pounds which represents the bale after the tags, etc., are deducted.

W. O. Wallace went to Menard Monday to attend to business in the West Texas Utilities Company office there.

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SPORTS

Bearcats Conquer Goldthwaite Lads By 7 to 0 Score

The Bearcats meet their first strong competition this week when the Santa Anna team comes for a game at 3:30 tomorrow (Friday) afternoon. The Mountaineers are considered to be one of the toughest aggregations in the district this year.

The Bearcats are suffering again from injuries. Ten men on the squad failed to make their courses this week and are out on that account. At least two others will be out on account of injuries and the team will have little reserve strength left for the conference tilt tomorrow.

Captain McMillan did about three-fourths of the ball carrying and an equal share of the defense in the game with the Goldthwaite Bears last week. This is too much for one player and regardless of his ability, one up his strength before a game is finished.

An order was placed last week for equipment for the junior high school football team. Suits, slacks, coats and headgear were ordered and the team will be ready to play games to the end of the week.

Attendance has been far below normal for home games this year. School authorities hope that the attendance will be better tomorrow. The game will begin promptly at 7:30 p. m. Admission (10c) adults and 5c cents and children will enter for 25 cents. The band and pep squad will be on the job to give plenty of noise.

Last week the Brady team looked as the big contender for district honors. The Bulldogs turned back the heavy Santa Anna team with three regulars out of the game. Coachers are beginning to spot the Brady team as among the strongest in the district this season.

The Winters Buzzards also continue to show strength and handed the Bangs Dragons a wallop. The Buzzards are big and powerful and are developing fast.

The Coleman Bluecats could not handle the San Saba club and took a 5 to 0 defeat Friday evening. The Bluecats outplayed their opponents as far as fire, power and penetrations were concerned but did not have the punch to score.

W. O. Wallace went to San Angelo Monday evening to attend a safety meeting held by the West Texas Utilities Company.

Time, Tubes and Batteries at Freeman's.

Rev. W. E. Vanderpool left for Brownwood Monday to assist in church work there this week.

The Ballinger Bearcats remained in the undefeated column Friday afternoon by defeating the Goldthwaite Eagles 7 to 0. The return of Captain McMillan to the Ballinger line-up added the necessary punch to hand the visitors a defeat.

A small crowd witnessed the game and the school lost money on the game. The first appearance of the Sadler virus during the fall is thought to be the cause of the reduced attendance.

In the second quarter the Bearcats took possession of the ball on their own 40-yard line and end runs and line plunges by Shelly and McMillan carried it down the field to within striking distance. The goal the match was featured by a 27-yard pass, Shelly to McMillan, and with the ball on the 100-yard line, McMillan tackled for one yard and Shelly went through the line for the remaining four and the touchdown. McMillan placed kicked for the extra point and the scoring for the day was over.

The Bearcats outplayed the Eagles on offense all through the game. The locals stacked up 5 first downs to the Eagles 3 and penetrated the 20-yard zone 4 times to the Eagles 1. The yardage from scrimmage gave the Bearcats 173 and the visitors 41.

The Santa Anna Mountaineers will be here tomorrow (Friday) at 3:30 for a conference game on the high school field. The Santa Anna team, rated as one of the best teams in the district this year, is heavy and has a fine passing offense. The Ballinger coaches have been pushing their crippled team as fast as possible this week in order to have the boys in condition to meet the invaders tomorrow. Hale has been out of the game for the past two weeks with an injured shoulder and Chapman went out last Friday afternoon with a badly injured elbow and will probably be out of the line-up for several weeks.

The starting line-up in last Friday's tilt was:

Ballinger	Pen.	Goldthwaite
Thorp	center	Sales
Beler	right guard	Duggitt
Wisepage	right tackle	Miles
West	right end	McKenzie
Chapman	left guard	McKenzie
Reese	left tackle	Luma
Hall	left end	Weather
Shelly	quarterback	Davis
Korvick	right halfback	Osilla

Farm Wife Rates Political Fame



Assessment of her name for the U. S. P. presidency in 1936 is the latest honor accorded Mrs. George E. Sonoma, above, Wesson farmer's wife whose strong "grass roots" speech was late ranked for the political highlight. A prominent county business woman proposed Mrs. Sonoma for the coming year's post.

Thomas left halfback Harvey Johnson

MAVERICK COUPLE GIVEN SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party was held Sunday in the home of A. W. Hardy of Maverick, honoring Mrs. Hardy and Baker Hardy on their 6th birthday. Mrs. Bert Fletcher assisted in the hospitality.

Mixed bouquets of fall flowers were used to decorate the rooms for the occasion.

At noon dinner was served to 30 relatives and friends. Those present were Jim, Albert, John, and Coon Lancaster, four brothers of Mrs. Hardy of Brownwood, Roy, Terry, and Barney Hardy, Messrs. Ina, Grace and Ethel Hardy, Edna, Jimmy and Jeff Harris, Orva, Shirley Jean and Betty Joe Fletcher, Ruth and Ruby Hardy, all of Maverick, Mr. and Mrs. Baylis Fletcher, Curtis and Howard J. D. Reeves, Ina Ruth and Onelia Reeves, Dumont, and Weidon Lancaster, Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schnable went to Abson Monday to attend the funeral of A. B. Ely, grandfather of Mrs. Schnable. Mr. Ely died at Abson Sunday evening at 7 o'clock and was buried at Merkel Monday afternoon following funeral rites at Abson.

Trench Silo Users Increase in County

John Book, of the Miles section, has just completed a trench silo and filled it with feed. The silo, 4 feet deep, 4 feet wide and 75 feet long, is an experiment by Mr. Book.

Edward Schwertner, also of the Miles community plans to begin digging a trench silo within a few days and will fill it with feed at odd times this fall.

George Killam and George Kemp, both of Ballinger, are believed to have been the first to construct and use trench silos in this county. Last year Mr. Killam filled a trench silo and this was the second of its kind put to use in the county.

Mr. Kemp feeds silage to his dairy herd and other farm animals and says that it is an excellent way of keeping up production in his milk cows. Last year he used two types of silos, a trench and a pit. Since his herd of cattle is of sufficient size to justify the expense he has waited the pit silo with rock and is making the construction permanent.

The trench silo should not be confused with the old type upright silo, which proved a failure in Runnels county about 15 years ago because of the expense involved, necessity of a large herd to prevent spoilage and the short life of the silo due to rotting unless built of concrete.

A number of concrete silos were built in this county at one time and many are standing but are not being used. They were expensive to build and fill. They required a cutter blower and engine power to fill. It was necessary to remove several inches of silage each day when they were opened to prevent spoilage, and this quantity of feed required a large herd to eat it.

Air must be excluded from feed-stall to make silage. The trench silo offers the cheapest and most practical way of doing this. A trench is dug 7 to 10 feet wide, 2 to 3 feet deep with sloping sides, and as long as necessary to accommodate the expected feed crop. The feed for silage is cut just after the grain gets too hard to crush between the finger rolls, is cut up fine in a feed mill or ensilage cutter, or put in the trench as whole stalks. When whole stalks are used the binds should be cut and the bundles laid lengthwise of the trench. It is very necessary to pack the feed while filling the silo and to add as much water as possible. The sides of the silo should be wet before filling.

Every encouragement is being given the farmers through the county agent's office to build trench or pit silos and take care of much of the surplus feed in this manner.

All Tires and Batteries guaranteed at Freeman's. 1-17

LETT FAMILY ASSEMBLES FOR FIRST TIME IN 7 YEARS

Mrs. A. J. Lett, Sr., and son, A. J. Lett, Jr., of Rule, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cane, of Winters, Sunday. It was the occasion for other relatives to assemble for the first time in seven years. M. F. Lett, of Hatchel; Mrs. C. W. Williams, of Winters; and Mrs. I. D. Thompson, of Ballinger, were among relatives present for the day.

A. J. Lett, Sr., could not be present. He is 78 years of age and operates a farm near Hatchel, doing all his own work. Mrs. Lett, 75, also is very active, doing all her own house work.

There are five children living and one dead. During the afternoon many friends called at the home for a social chat and to visit Mr. Cane, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holiday, of Longview, visited friends and relatives here over the week-end.

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Two weeks have passed since our last letter to The Ledger, yet it seems as yesterday. Time with its irresistible power moves on. As we look back to our boyhood days there have been many wonderful changes made. Science in its different branches has made immense progress. We used to travel in the ox cart and make just a few miles a day; now we sometimes travel with the speed of the wind.

With the bull-tongue and double shovel we used to plow an acre a day by hard work; now we crank her up and plow the whole field almost by noon; step on the starter and visit our friends in adjoining counties and get back home in time for supper. We sometimes wonder if we have made as much progress in our social and religious life. We can remember when children respected their parents; when women wore more clothes than they wear today; when men loved their own wives instead of the other fellow's wife and when Christian men and women were known by their daily work and conversation, yet we are glad we are living today out in the great open spaces of West Texas, among the best and biggest-hearted people in the world.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cox had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Brookshier visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brookshier Sunday evening.

The many friends of S. T. Williams will be glad to know that after a serious operation at the Ballinger hospital several weeks ago he is gradually improving.

Those attending church at Talpa Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Clayton, Mrs. Cora Clayton and B. J., and Mrs. Claud Brookshier and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hill and Miss Dolores Lane attended the Coleman county singing convention at Coleman Sunday. Quartets from San Angelo, Winters and different parts of Coleman county rendered some very fine music. The feature of the Sunday singing was by a representative of the Baxter Music House of Dallas, who was joined by a thousand voices as they sang over and over again that grand old hymn, "Rock of ages, cleft for me; let me hide myself in Thee."

Miss Lurlene Brookshier visited Miss Cleo Hoffman Friday night. They returned to their work in Ballinger early Saturday morning.

R. L. Boothe and wife, of Blanton, passed through Benoit Thursday evening on their return from a business trip to Comanche county.

Mrs. C. M. Gibson visited Mrs. W. T. Hill Thursday.

Most of the citizens attended the county fair last week and were well pleased with the exhibits and complimented the entertainment committee especially.

Mrs. Oscar Parker visited her mother, Mrs. Ida Lewis, Monday morning.

C. M. Gibson is driving a brand new Dodge.

BARNETT BELL RINGERS

There was good attendance at Sunday school Sunday. We invite everyone to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyree and son visited friends in Bronte Sunday.

Mrs. W. B. Thompson spent the week-end with Mrs. Otis Harber, of Ballinger.

There will be a pie supper Friday, October 25, at the Barnett school house. The money will be used to buy chairs for the school. We cordially invite everyone from other communities to attend.

The new curtains for the stage will be up by Friday. The Barnett community wants to thank everyone who helped in giving the curtain.

and family Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hynson, of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyree, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patterson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyree and son.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Minshew, of Hagan, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Howell and little daughter, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Jones visited their son, Mack Jones, and family, of Eagle Branch, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Wiley and son visited Mrs. Oscar Pascal and family, of Mann, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Ashton visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyree Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parrish and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norman Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. W. Pascal spent the past week with Mrs. Oscar Pascal and family, of Mann.

A. N. Wiley left Tuesday on a business trip to Ralls, New Mexico.

Miss Mae Dell Woods spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ellis and family.

Mrs. B. Bryan and children, of Norton, are spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Newsum.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Forgy went to Bronte Sunday.

Mrs. Pat Tyree and Miss Minnie Lea Camp were dinner guests of Misses Thresa and Clemmie Lee Laxton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Camp and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Buna Camp.

There are several on the sick list this week. Among these are Miss Dot Norman, Hazel Lou Bennett, and Royce Joe Camp.

Miss Mildred Sides, who is teaching school at Eola, spent the week-end with home folks.

Recent Bride Honored
Misses Minnie Lea Camp and Thresa and Clemmie Lee Laxton were hostesses at a surprise shower given in honor of Mrs. E. C. Feeler Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Camp.

Guests registered as they entered, writing their favorite recipes in a book, which was later given the honoree.

Fall flowers were used to decorate the rooms, where an afternoon of old time visiting was enjoyed. Later a game of fortune telling was played, which revealed to the bride the table filled with many beautiful gifts.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cakes were served.

Those present were: Mmes. E. C. Feeler, J. B. Dorsey, Allen Patterson, Clayton Branham, R. L. Sides, A. W. Tyree, Leonard Laxton, Roy Tyree, J. L. Carroll, Will Tyree, Buna Camp, Dave Forgy, Pat Tyree, D. C. Camp, Halley Gibson, and the hostesses.

Those sending in gifts were: Mmes. Lee Evans, S. W. Burks, Cecil Dixon, E. A. Norman, J. M. Laxton, and Misses Zelma Lee Evans and Hollis Camp.

NORTH NORTON NEWS

Cotton picking is in full sway at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Murphy and family were visitors at the Runnels County Fair Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bryan and family, of Wilmeth, were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Eubank Sunday.

The community was made sad by the death of Alton C. Bryan Tuesday. Mr. Bryan, better known as Bee Bryan, was 31 years old. He had lived in this community since childhood and had many relatives and friends who mourn his going. He is survived by his wife, two children, Alton, Jr., and Neita Faye; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bryan; three brothers, Harvey and Lawrence, of this community; and Alfred, of Winters; two sisters, Mrs. Kirby Robinson, of this community; and Mrs. Raymond Cantrell, of Winters. A host of other relatives also survive. Services were held at the Norton school auditorium by J. N. Cowan, of Robstown, and interment was made in the Norton cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nix and family were shopping in Ballinger and attending the fair Friday and Saturday.

Miss Daisy Ruth Sebastian visited home folk at Miles over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryan attended services at the Norton Church of Christ and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hambricht Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Patterson and Mrs. Joe Bennett, of Ballinger, attended the funeral of Bee Bryan Wednesday.

Willie Bryan was a guest in the home of Douglas Bryan, of Wilmeth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bryan and children and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bryan were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hutton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ownie Louder, of Miles, were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Martin and family were fair visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Turner attended the fair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bearden, and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Underwood were shopping in Ballinger Friday and while there attended the Runnels County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Overman, Mrs. Sam Little, and Mrs. F. Y. Little and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Doug Overman, of the Wilmeth section, Sunday.

Mrs. Jess Drake, of Pumphrey, attended the funeral of Bee Bryan Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Cosper and Mrs. Bill Poe and mother, Mrs. Pool, of Ballinger, attended the Bryan funeral Wednesday.

Mrs. Lucy Denton and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Denton and family attended the Runnels County Fair Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harl McKowen, of Oak Creek, attended the funeral of Bee Bryan Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Murphy were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lawler Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Isbell and Mrs. Jack Isbell attended the Runnels County Fair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Wilson and family attended the fair at Ballinger Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Murphy attended the fair at Ballinger Friday.

Miss Gladys Snellgrove attended the fair Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Craig and Mr. Baker, of Winters, attended the funeral of Bee Bryan Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cone Robinson, of Benoit, attended the Bryan funeral Wednesday.

Miss Louise Johnson, of Winters, was a visitor over the week-end in the home of Miss Zaela Mae Wilson.

Brother J. N. Cowan returned to his home at Robstown Thursday after conducting funeral services Wednesday for Bee Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bryan attended the Runnels County Fair Friday.

HARMONY HERALDS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eubanks and family, of Prairieville, are visiting in the home of Horace Eubanks.

Miss Ruth England was a guest of Miss Mary England, of Content, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Billups were business visitors in San Angelo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Green were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Wood, of Winters, Sunday.

Even the Forests Have Panhandlers



If a squirrel is "nutty" enough to approach a man and beg for a meal, it's pretty sure to get it. Here, in Glacier National Park, a ground squirrel shares a nut with a CCC worker.

Little Paul, twin son of Mrs. Mary Cooper, who was critically ill for a time last week, is about well again.

Little Miss Hildegarde Kurtz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kurtz, became seriously ill the first of last week and was carried to the Sealy hospital, where she underwent an operation. Although very sick for a few days, she is improving rapidly and was able to be returned to her home Tuesday.

A. D. Talley, formerly of Crews, and his son, Walter Talley, and wife, all of San Antonio, were dinner guests in the home of J. E. Talley and wife Monday. Walter Talley's son, wife, and baby, of Sweetwater, also were guests in the Talley home Monday.

Other rural correspondence on page seven

PATTERSON SELLS 160 ACRES OF VALLEY CREEK FARM LAND

J. C. Smith and H. C. Killough, of Holland, spent the past week-end here, visiting relatives and friends and inspecting land in this county.

A deal was closed Monday in which Mr. Smith purchased 160 acres of land on Valley Creek from J. A. Patterson. Most of the tract is in cultivation. As soon as the title is approved Mr. Smith intends to move here and make this home.

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5 Charter Members Of Ballinger O.E.S. Honored in Rites

The Order of Eastern Star at its regular monthly meeting Monday evening conferred the honor of life membership on five members. These are charter members of the local chapter which was formed in 1905 and for the past thirty years have maintained their membership without lapse.

Those to receive honors Monday evening were: Mrs. Emma Nash, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Pearce, J. McGregor and Mrs. E. M. Eubank. Most of them have served in practically all the offices of the chapter and have given instructions to many of the present members of the organization.

The Ballinger chapter meets on the second Monday night of each month and has a large and working membership. Officers this year are: Miss Loyce Fowler, worthy matron; Paul Petty, worthy patron; Mrs. C. G. Jennings, associate matron; Jim Duncan, associate patron; J. Whit Patterson, treasurer; Mrs. Paul Petty, secretary; Mrs. Charles Bailey, conductress; Mrs. T. A. Rape, associate conductress; Miss Agnes Glover, chaplain; Miss Cathleen Connelly, marshal; Mrs. E. A. Saunders, organist; the five star points, Miss Marie Norwood, Miss Pauline Morley, Mrs. Jim Duncan, Mrs. O. R. O'Neill, and Miss Ada Allen; Mrs. A. Gustavus, warder; and J. A. Reese, sentinel.

UTILITIES COMPANY BUILDING BEING REDECORATED, PAINTED

The West Texas Utilities Company employed a crew of painters and interior decorators on its office building on Eighth Street this week. The interior of the building will be refinished and the exterior repainted.

W. O. Wallace, district manager, stated that indirect lighting would be installed in front of the building and in the offices. Specialists were here Tuesday studying the building and checking up on the present wiring for the indirect lights.

R. A. Wall, of San Angelo, was here Tuesday, assisting in the better lighting campaign being conducted by the West Texas Utilities Co.

Rev. and Mrs. Matthew Lynn, of Coleman, were here Friday, visiting relatives and attending the fair.

Calling Cards on short notice Ballinger Printing Co. Phone 27.

El Paso Woman Bears Out Fact Texas Has Been Under 7 Flags

AUSTIN, October 16.—Many anches, as told me by my grand- persons who are interested in the mother and mother when I was a Indian lore of Texas were appar- small child. My grandmother, Mrs. ently much attracted by the Della Fletcher Roysdon, and my statement made by Mrs. Mary mother, Mrs. M. A. Roysdon Jordan Atkinson of Austin in an Mousseir, lived in Shreveport, article which was based on Louisiana.

"One day, as the reminiscence University of Texas library, that the Comanche tribe had its own flag, during the period that it Cynthia Ann Parker who had ruled over a good part of what is now the domain of Texas, and that this being true, the present state and former province has been under seven flags instead of six.

"I was not told about any insignia or decoration on the flag—only that it was red, and carried by the front horse-Comanches' flag. One of these is a man, on a stick quite a little from Montana Street, El Paso. It reads, 'Indians came in yelling and riding in part.'"

"I am much interested and wish to confirm, or rather, to tell you square that night. I wish I were about the red flag of the Com- able to tell more."



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BALLINGER SCHOOL NEWS
By Genevieve King

The chapel program Friday was planned to represent a pep meeting. The pep leaders, Juanita Paris and Wanda Lane, with a number of pep squad girls, and football boys were on the program. The pep squad quartette, Juanita Paris, Jewel Fulton, Eula May Clark, and Lois B. Evans, sang a medley of popular songs. Wilma Selpp was the piano accompanist. Waldine Schlake gave two piano numbers. The whole assembly sang "The Eyes of Ballinger," after which Coach Wright made a short football talk. Buddy Fryar was presented to the assembly as mascot of the pep squad for 1935-36.

The students of Ballinger high enjoyed the holiday Friday afternoon. Besides the fair attractions there was the second conference football game of the season. The Ballinger Bearcats defeated the Goldthwaite Eagles by a score of 7-0. We are looking forward to the game with Santa Anna, on October 18, here. The pep squad girls gave a spectacular drill formation during the half. Red pom-poms on walking races, which the girls carried, added a colorful aspect to the performance.

Reverend McLaurin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, gave the devotional address Monday morning. His talk on "War Experiences" was very interesting as well as educational and appropriate.

The seventh period Spanish club, "La Mano Lista," was organized last Wednesday, October 3. The following officers were elected: Melvin Pullin, president; Elizabeth Fowler, vice-president; Annde Davis, reporter; and Genevieve King, secretary. Jewel Fulton is the song leader. Purple and gold were chosen for colors, and scholar buttons and martingales were chosen as the flowers.

The program committee consists of Margaret Burk and Margie Mac Holstead. Gilbert Belvud and Seima Morton make up the social committee.

"La Mano Lista" will meet every third Monday. The first meeting is set for October 21.

"Los Amigos," the club of the third period Spanish class was organized last Tuesday, October 4. The officers elected were: president, Mary Jacques; vice-president, Luther Reese; and reporter, Rosemary Lasater. The song leader is Eula May Clark. The program committee consists of Lois B. Evans and Marie Ashton. The committee for entertainment is composed of Raymond Green and Eula May Clark.

The colors selected are gold and black, with the yellow rose as club flower. "Los Amigos" will meet every third Friday, beginning October 18.

The Junior High School Parent-Teacher Association and the Senior High School Parent-Teacher Association sponsored an illustrated lecture Tuesday night, October 15, on "Lighting as a Health Subject." It was given by Mr. Ralph St. Johns, of Abilene. The purpose of the lecture was to show the value of good lighting and the harmful effects of improper lighting. Students who take home economics and special health lectures were urged to be present by the instructor, Miss Parker.

Senior Highlights

The purpose of "Senior Highlights" is to acquaint the students with the activities and interests of those who will not be in school here after this year. During the school term each senior will be given a write-up in this column.

Douglas Barnett has been attending Ballinger high school for the past three years. He lives seven miles out the Country Club road in the Hagan school district. So far Douglas has not entered any clubs or taken an active part in sports, but this year he intends to take part in both.

Lois Batts attended school at Bethel for the school terms 1932-33 and 1933-34. She attended Ballinger high last year. At Bethel she was a member of the home economics club for two years. She represented the Bethel school in essay writing, volley ball, and tennis in the county meet. Lois was a member of the 4-H club for one year and attended the short course at A. & M. College. She played the violin in a Ballinger orchestra for two years. She was a member of a Spanish club last year, and is now a member of the pep squad.

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A present from the president's mother, Mrs. James Roosevelt, this little house will provide a lot of fun for "Dolls" and "Dolls" club, her grandchildren. It was erected on the Roosevelt estate at Hyde Park, N. Y.

TALPA SCHOOL NEWS
By Mary Fisher

The Talpa Owls and the Bronco Longhorns met on the Bronco football field Saturday and engaged in an exciting conference game. The Owls scored in the first of the second quarter when Coleman Parker caught a short pass and went over for a touchdown. This was Talpa's only touchdown for the game and the first for the season. The team started with a determined fight and was still fighting when the last whistle blew. J. P. Thompson and Roy Foreman did outstanding defensive playing while Coleman Parker, Benn Jefferies and Emmitt Brannan were outstanding ground gainers. The other players were not just figures on the field—they all did excellent playing.

Bronco scored later in the game to tie the score.

The pep squad elected LaVerne Cook and Pearl Lopez as leaders. LaVerne is a freshman and Pearl is a sophomore. The leaders' costumes are gold sweaters and navy blue skirts. The sweaters have five-inch navy blue "T's" and "P's" in three-inch letters on the front. The rest of the pep squad sweaters are navy blue with gold lettering. They are by far the prettiest suits that the Talpa pep squad has ever had.

A certain Mr. H. Morrison, of Crews, seems to be quite interested in Talpa or someone in Talpa.

This is examination week. We wonder how many hundreds will be made.

We will move to the new school building next Monday. It is finished and furnished except a few desks.

Advanced arithmetic students are working on a practical problem. They plan to build a bath-house near the rear of the new building. The students are to figure the cost of the building and draw sketches of it. It will be built of rock from R. B. McCune's place. It is to be 20 by 20 feet with the walls 8 feet high. The students and Mr. Mitchell will do the work.

Miss Stubbough plans to start basketball in a few days. There

will be about 18 or 20 girls out for basketball and prospects are that the team will be stronger this year than it was last year. Last year was the first year in some time that Talpa had had a basketball team.

Benn Jefferies' football team, composed of substitutes of the first team and a few grammar school students, has defeated Mr. Head's grammar school team several times.

Several students are absent. Most of them are picking cotton.

The high school girls met with Miss Toombs Monday afternoon and organized a glee club. Marjorie Morton was elected president and Maurine Bradley secretary. The costumes will probably be white satin dresses.

The football team will play Rockwood at Talpa or will go to Mertton this week-end.

Coach Head has made some changes in his football line-up. Ira Grounds is playing center and J. P. Thompson is playing in the backfield.

We thought J. T. Bushong had left Talpa to attend school at Valera but we were mistaken for he started to school here Monday.

RUNNELS COUNTY CLUB WOMEN WILL EXHIBIT REDSPREADS AT SHOW

A number of Runnels county home demonstration club members are preparing to enter the district Redspread show to be held at San Angelo November 8 to 12. Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent, will visit a number of the clubs in a few days and secure the entries from each. She stated this week that entries from any home demonstration club member would be judged in the show and that associate club members could exhibit but their spreads would not be judged.

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Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness, John B. Rayburn, Clerk of the District Court of Runnels County, Texas. Given under my Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office, in Ballinger, Texas, this the first day of October, A. D. 1935. JOHN B. RAYBURN, Clerk, District Court, Runnels County, Texas. 3-10-17-24

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house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said L. M. Hinkle and J. J. Hinkle so inherited by them and each of them from each said M. E. Hinkle, deceased, and L. A. Hinkle, deceased. Dated at Ballinger, Texas, this the 10th day of October, A. D. 1935. W. A. HOLT, Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas. 10-17-24

ANGLE OF CHAIN STORE TAX EXPLAINED BY WRITER An editorial written by Gordon Cook in the March issue of the Voluntary and Cooperative Groups Magazine, deals with the proposed chain store tax being considered in many states, and at present before the Texas legislature. Cook points out in the editorial that many retailers believe they would be helped by such a tax, but calls attention to the fact that a western court has decided that the chain store tax in that particular state included voluntary and cooperative groups. Continuing Mr. Cook says: "Every sponsor and every retail member of a group is playing with dynamite when he gives any support to any measure tending to tax any part of the food distributive field. This country is so much in need of taxes that the spy-glass and the magnifying-glass are being used by the states and the federal government in an effort to find more things to tax. One of the finest targets in this country are the voluntary and cooperative groups now that they are larger than the corporate chains both in number of outlets and in dollar volume. As we see it, it is the job of everyone interested in our field to aggressively oppose any impost of any kind directed at the corporate chains or any other distributor of food products. If you do not agree with this position, we are sure you will when the outlets of your group are taxed just as the outlets of a corporate chain are taxed, and that day will positively come. "Keep taxes off your own outlets by helping to keep them off the corporate chain and all other grocery outlets. Men interested in grocery groups should not give one minute or one thought to schemes that undermine other distributors. There is nothing constructive in trying to limit the other fellow because invariably it will result in limiting yourself. Give your thought and your time to constructive effort in building up your own organization. The less thought and time given to trying to tear down the chains, the more thought and time you will have available to sell more groceries and make more money for yourself. Whatever you are in business for is the thing to give your time and thought to. Are you in business to tax the chains, or are you in business to sell more groceries?"

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Head-on Crash Kills Livestock



Train crews miraculously escaped with minor injuries when two trains crashed recently in the stockyards at Toronto, Canada. Hundreds of sheep and other livestock were mangled in the crash. The force of the collision is indicated by the way the two locomotives are jammed together.

Hemorrhagic Septicemia Is a Contagious Disease

By J. M. Williams V. A. Instructor, Winters High School Hemorrhagic septicemia is a dangerously infectious disease affecting cattle, horses, sheep, and swine. Poultry is also susceptible to the disease. The disease occurs in practically all countries and is the cause of heavy losses of livestock and poultry in this region. Its attack is much more prevalent in the late fall, winter, and early spring. The disease occurs in forms, and the symptoms vary depending on the form. In the acute form, symptoms develop suddenly, animals run like mad, appear intoxicated, stagger, collapse and die. Just before and a short time after death, blood escapes from the nostrils. In the less acute form, the usual symptoms are a sudden increase in temperature (104 to 107 degrees F.), fast pulse, muscular trembling, eyes red and watering, intoxication, etc. Colic may develop, blood escape from the nose, and the urine may be bloody. In the intestinal form of the disease, bloody diarrhea is present; the eyes may be red or yellowish in color. The tongue may be swollen and saliva may dribble from the mouth. The form affecting the lungs causes difficult breathing, dry painful cough, clear or reddish-colored discharge from the nose, and arched back. In another form of the disease, swellings are noticed on the head and neck, especially in the region of the throat and dewlap. Swellings of the legs with hot painful enlargements of the joints is not uncommon. Symptoms are so numerous and varied that a diagnosis of the disease is sometimes difficult. The disease is sometimes confused with anthrax. In anthrax the spleen is greatly enlarged, soft and dark, while in septicemia it appears normal. In poultry the symptoms are yellowish colored droppings followed with a brownish or greenish colored diarrhea. Birds are droopy, feverish and sleepy. Sometimes the head is turned backward, resting in the feathers about the wing. The comb and wattles may be dark bluish red or black. In very acute cases, death occurs before any symptoms are noticed. Birds may be dead under the roosts or they may fall while feeding or moving about, and die in a short time. As this disease is very fatal in its attack and spreads rapidly both in livestock and poultry, every effort should be taken to prevent it. The only treatment for the disease is through use of hemorrhagic septicemia vaccine. Animals suffering from the acute form usually die before the vaccine can be administered but in other forms death is slower and the vaccine may have time to counteract the dreaded germ. The vaccine is a sure preventative against septicemia. Five c. c. is the dose for well animals and is injected under the skin. Ten c. c. is the dose for affected animals and should be repeated every 48 hours until recovery. Chickens in infected

Lady Took Cardui When Weak, Nervous

"I can't say enough for Cardui if I talked all day," enthusiastically writes Mrs. L. H. Caldwell, of Statesville, N. C. "I have used Cardui at intervals for twenty-five years," she adds. "My trouble in the beginning was weakness and nervousness. I read of Cardui in a newspaper and decided right then to try it. It seemed before I had taken half a bottle of Cardui I was stronger and was soon up and around." Thousands of women testify Cardui benefited them. If it does not benefit YOU, consult a physician.

flocks should receive 2 c. c. of the vaccine and turkeys 4 c. c. The common dosage for uninfected chickens and turkeys is 1 and 2 c. c. Investigate thoroughly a sudden death in livestock or poultry and if the symptoms seem to suggest hemorrhagic septicemia, vaccinate immediately.

We meet prices.—Freeman's. 8-LT

COMMISSIONERS' COURT IN SESSION HERE MONDAY

The Runnels county commissioners' court was in session here Monday. Bills for the past month were audited and ordered paid and the treasurer's report was examined and approved. The court received the information that the county must furnish supervision for all WPA projects and was requested to have several good foremen to take charge of jobs when they are finally approved and work orders issued. To date no order has been given on any WPA project in this county but several have been approved at Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Fatteson made a business and pleasure trip to Gail, their former home, over the week-end.

Complete Abstracts to Land in Runnels County GUARANTY TITLE CO. Ballinger, Texas. Office in Farmers & Merchants State Bank Building

TEXACO logo with a star and the text "Gas and Oils GREENWOOD Service Station".

Large advertisement for cars: "They are Here New 1936 Dodge The Beauty Winner for 1936 New 1936 Plymouth".

These new model cars are now on display at our show rooms and we invite you to come and see them. Both cars present a new beauty in appearance, new mechanical features that makes them better and models that will suit every customer.

Advertisement for Dodge: "The New Dodge is an improved car over the 1935 model and is the 1936 beauty winner. The interior finishings and upholstery is worth seeing in the new car and we will be glad to show you and demonstrate the many new mechanical improvements."

Advertisement for Plymouth: "The New Plymouth gives perfection in a low price car. Included in the new Plymouth features are acceleration, flexibility in traffic, positive braking, riding comfort on all kinds of roads, ease of control, safety under all conditions, power and speed. Outside and inside, it is one of the most attractive cars for 1936."

Advertisement for Sykes Motor Co.: "It Will be Our Pleasure to Show You These Cars and Give You a Demonstration Sykes Motor Co."

Advertisement for tires: "EASY PAYMENTS ON STAR TIRES NO CARRYING CHARGE Hicks Rubber Co."

Advertisement for chiropractor: "If any segment of the Spine is in an abnormal position (subluxation) pressure is produced on the nerve trunks at that point and disease develops. The Chiropractor relieves the subluxation and health resumes. J. E. SMITH, D. C. Chiropractor—Masseur Office Second Floor F. & M. Bank Building Ballinger, Texas"

AN ORDINANCE
An Ordinance Regulating Itinerant Vendors or Itinerant Merchants, Defining Same, Providing a License Fee and Conditions for Them to Operate in the City of Ballinger, Texas, Providing for Penalties for Violation, Repealing All Ordinances in Conflict Therewith.

Be it Ordained by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas:

SECTION I. This entire ordinance shall be deemed an exercise of the police power of the State of Texas, and of the City of Ballinger, Texas, and for the public safety, comfort, convenience, and protection of the City and citizens of Ballinger, Texas, and all its provisions shall be construed for the accomplishment of that purpose.

SECTION II. That no person, firm or corporation shall engage in the business of itinerant vendor in the City of Ballinger, Texas, without first having obtained a license from the Assessor and Collector of Taxes as hereinafter provided. That the words "Itinerant Vendor" shall be construed to mean and include all persons, firms or corporations, both principal and agent, who engage in a temporary or transient business in the City of Ballinger, Texas, selling goods, wares, or merchandise, and who for the purpose of carrying on such business hires, leases or occupies any room, building or structure or premises for the exhibition or sale of such goods, wares or merchandise, and the person, firm or corporation, so engaged shall not be relieved of the provisions of this ordinance by reason of being associated temporarily with any local dealer, trader or merchant or auctioneer by conducting such temporary or transient business in connection with or as a part of the business of any local dealer, trader, merchant or auctioneer. That the provision of this ordinance shall not apply to sales made to dealers by commercial travelers or selling agents in the usual course of business, nor to bona fide sale of goods, wares, or merchandise by samples for future delivery nor hawkers on the streets, nor to food peddlers, nor to peddlers from vehicles.

SECTION III. That any person, firm or corporation desiring to engage in the business of itinerant vendor as herein defined may obtain a license therefor from the Assessor and Collector of Taxes of the City of Ballinger, Texas, upon paying to said Assessor and Collector of Taxes a license fee in the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) and executing a bond to the City of Ballinger in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) with two or more good and sufficient sureties thereon, one of whom shall be an approved Surety company doing business in the State of Texas, acceptable to the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, and said bond shall be conditioned for the faithful observance of the Charter and ordinances of the City of Ballinger, Texas. That permission to conduct the business of itinerant vendor under said license shall terminate one month after the issuance of said license unless the person, firm or corporation securing the same shall pay to the Assessor and Collector of Taxes the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for each additional month he desires to continue in the business of itinerant vendor.

SECTION IV. That any person, firm or corporation, or any officer, agent or employee thereof, who shall engage in the business of itinerant vendor as herein defined without having secured a license for that purpose as herein provided, or who, having secured such license shall thereafter fail to pay the sum required therein shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine of not more than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) and each and every day that any such person, firm or corporation shall engage in such business without such license shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION V. Any itinerant merchant who shall pay the license fee as prescribed in this ordinance and who shall continue in business for a period of one year, establishing the fact that he is a permanent merchant, and shall have paid property tax on his goods, wares and merchandise, the amount of the license fee collected under this ordinance shall be refunded to him.

SECTION VI. If any part of this ordinance should for any reason be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the balance or remaining portion of said ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION VII. The fact that there is now no adequate provision or ordinance controlling itinerant merchants makes it an imperative public necessity that this ordinance be in full force and effect after its passage, and it is so done.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 18th day of October, A. D. 1935.

ESTES M. LYNN, Mayor.

(Seal) K. V. NORTHINGTON, Secretary.

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Wood's Sentence Affirmed by Court Criminal Appeals

Stanley Wood, of Talpa, was granted the right to accept a ten-year sentence in the state penitentiary by the court of criminal appeals Wednesday in one of the most unusual cases ever heard by that body.

The higher court ordered the setting aside of a trial court order by Judge E. J. Miller, in which Wood had been granted a new trial. The decision of the appeals court affirmed the original jury sentence against Wood and he will accept the sentence.

The defendant was convicted of the murder of Fred Brown, of Talpa, the ten-year sentence being given by a jury in the 35th judicial district court at Brownwood. The case had been transferred there on a change of venue from Coleman. At the close of the trial Wood's attorneys made the usual routine application for a new trial, and were surprised when the district attorney concurred and the court granted the motion. Defense counsel then attempted to withdraw the application but were refused and appealed to the higher court to set aside the order.

Louis Reis, 19-year-old Talpa youth, was tried for the same offense in the 35th district court at Coleman and was sentenced to 21 years in the penitentiary. Reis repudiated parts of his statements made to officers when arrested, and said in the trial that he was present in the dark lane near Talpa on the night the killing occurred, but did not take part in it. Wood claimed self-defense in his trial at Brownwood.

DICKEY INJURED WHEN HORSE FALLS ON LEG

Frank Dickey is using a pair of crutches this week as the result of an injury received at the last performance of the rodeo during the Hannibal County Fair last week. Mr. Dickey was driving some wild cows up to the pens when one ran under his horse, causing a spill in which Mr. Dickey's left leg was caught under the horse.

Read the ads—save money.

1936 Model Cars Are Being Shown By Local Dealers

Several 1936 model cars made their appearance in local show rooms this week and are attracting keen interest among motorists. Other manufacturers will put new models on exhibition in the near future.

The Sykes Motor Company is showing several 1936 model Dodges, which has adopted the slogan, "The 1936 Beauty Winner." Announcements of these cars list numerous improvements and refinements but the general appearance is much like the 1935 models. This firm also unloaded a carload of new Plymouths this week and these are displayed at the show rooms on Hutchings Avenue. The Plymouth also has new features, this season which will be of interest to automobile drivers.

The Barnett Auto Company is showing the 1936 Buick and Pontiac at its show rooms. Both cars are attractive in appearance and a number of mechanical innovations are announced. The 1936 model Chevrolet is scheduled for exhibition November 2 and the Patrick Chevrolet Company will have cars on display on that date. No advance information has been released by General Motors regarding changes in this popular motor vehicle.

The Harwell Motor Company, local Ford agency, will display the 1936 V-8 Ford here next Saturday. So far every new model shown in Ballinger has the front door opening from the rear of the front seat. This is a change for a number of automobiles.

L. O. F. LODGE TO MEET WEDNESDAY EVENING

All members of the Ballinger L. O. F. Lodge are requested to attend a meeting at the hall Wednesday evening at 7:30. A candidate from Winters will be here for initiation.

The degree team of the Ballinger lodge went to Winters last Tuesday evening to assist in floor work.

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It is all so simple, too! That tired, run-down, exhausted feeling quite often is due to lack of a sufficiency of these precious red-blood-cells. Just build up these oxygen-carrying cells and the whole body takes on new life... food is really turned into energy and strength... you can't help but feel and look better.

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Thrilling sets that can span oceans and continents... as low as **\$34.95**

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We have a model to suit everyone... and prices for everyone.

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Metal tubes are proclaimed by radio technicians as the greatest innovation in radio reception since the loudspeaker.

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Ballinger, Kellogg's Famous Cereals

Corn Flakes, Pep Rice Krispies 3 Full Pkgs. 25c

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Sardines American 2 Flat Tins 8c
 Seminole Tissue Full 1,000 Sheets Roll 5c
 Comet Spaghetti or Macaroni Full 7-oz. Cartons 3 for 13c

Phillips Pork and Beans 4 Cans 19c
 Assorted Soups Can 5c
Nile Peaches 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 25c
 Castle Haven Early June Peas 3 No. 2 Cans 25c
 Nu Pack Tomatoes 4 Small Cans 19c
 Texas Cut Green Beans 2 No. 2 Cans 15c

Amour's Veribest 2 12-oz. Jars 25c
STEAMBOAT Syrup Gallon 49c

SunGraz Pond Potted Meat 3 Cans 10c
 Vienna Sausage 5c

Big 1c Sale 3 Pkgs. 17c
 1 Chocolate Pudding 1c
 4 Pkgs. 18c

Gold Medal Oats 3 lb. Pkg. 18c
 Cup and Saucer Bowl Tumbler Dinner Plate
Premium Pkg. 23c

Bright and Early Texas' Fastest Selling Coffee
 1 lb. 20c 3 lbs. 59c

Ovaltine Swiss Health Drink Large 57c Small 31c

Raisins 4 lb. pk. 29c 2 lb. pk. 16c
 P. & G. Soap 5 Bars 21c
 Camel Lye 2 Cans 13c
 Plumite 20c For Stopped Drains
 Sunbright Cleanser 2 for 9c

CAMEL CIGARETTES 50 Cigarettes Flat carton 35c
 Dill Pickles Gallon 45c

F. & P. California Spinach 2 No. 2 Cans 19c 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 23c
 Pickles Sours or Dills 2-25-oz. Jars 27c
CAMAY 3 bars 14c
Mrs. Schlorer's Spread-Over Qt. 25c

PIGGLY WIGGLY GARDEN

Oregon Celery per stalk 10c
 Spinach Giant Leaf 2 lbs. 15c
 Delicious Apples Lunch Size doz. 19c
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 1c each Sunkist Limes Red Ball Oranges Jonathan Apples 1c each

Finer Quality--Better Values AT YOUR PIGGLY WIGGLY MARKET

SLICED BACON - - lb. 29c
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 Just Arrived--Fresh Shipment of
SAUER KRAUT - - lb. 8c
WEINERS large or small lb. 15c
CERVELAT - - - - lb. 23c

WATCH OUR WINDOWS FOR OTHER BARGAINS

Rural

BETHEL BEAMS

People are busy, picking cotton all over the community.

Misses Iola Clayton and Elsie Gilkerson spent Friday night in the Clayton home at Talpa.

School was dismissed Friday at noon and the busses took the school children to the fair and circus.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sides, of San Angelo, spent Saturday with Mrs. J. M. Nunley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnson, of Fort Worth, who have been visiting relatives here the past two weeks, are visiting at Concho this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Johnson, of Bronte, visited relatives in this community Friday night and Saturday.

Miss Melba Tullos spent Friday night with Miss Dorothy Davison.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryle Owens, of near Sweetwater, spent the weekend with Mrs. Owens' mother, Mrs. J. D. Tullos.

Sunday will be Church Day at the Methodist church. Everyone is invited to attend each service.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McMurray, of Millersview, spent Saturday night with B. F. McMurray.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. McMurray and son spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Concho.

Sophomore Club

The Bethel Sophomore Club met Monday for the regular meeting. As the president and vice-president were absent, Bill Mapes was elected president for the time. Secretary Troy Ransbarber resigned and Johnnie Faye Batts was elected a secretary.

The following program was read by the program chairman: Reading, Johnnie Faye Batts.

Talk, "Good Citizenship Toward the Flag," Mrs. Shuttlesworth.

Song, Juanita Nunley.

Joke, J. B. Yanney.

The president announced the club adjourned.

CREWS CHATTER

(Received Too Late for Publication Last Week)

School opened with a nice program Monday morning. Supt. Gassiot in a few well chosen words opened the program. County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff and Rev. Morton, pastor of the Methodist church, addressed the pupils in an interesting and inspiring manner. Mrs. C. L. King entertained with a piano solo.

Mrs. J. G. Phipps and Miss Alma Phipps sang a duet. Naomi Berry and Winnie Pearl Martin gave readings. One hundred and seventy pupils were enrolled. The number will be much larger, a little later.

Cotton picking is progressing more slowly than we can remember in our community, due to so much late cotton and the weather being unfavorable at the beginning of the season.

C. W. Schwartz is reported seriously ill.

Miss Estelle Baldwin, of Winters, was a week-end guest of Mrs. Mozelle Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. Key O'Neal attended the singing at Oak Grove Sunday.

Miss Alma Phipps entertained a few friends with a birthday luncheon Sunday. Those present were: Mrs. Mozelle Allison, Miss Bonnie Mae Clark, Miss Estelle Baldwin, of Winters, J. Edmond Dial, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King.

Mr. Herring, of Talpa, was trans-

LETTERS to the Editor

The Grading System for the Ballinger Schools This Year

School people have tried for many years to devise a system of measurement for determining native ability, achievement, and ultimate accomplishment in school work.

Many of them have found it is an impossible undertaking to measure such things in terms of exact per cent. The type of test given, the difficulty of the test, the degree of completeness of perfect answers to questions, the attitude of the teacher in strictness of grading, the ability of the student to comprehend the import of questions because of the vocabulary of the teacher, the temporary health or mental state of the student at the time of the test, the previous experiences, background and opportunity of the student, the community and home environment, and many other factors too numerous to mention are elements that preclude any exact definite measurement of the child's power to accomplish, or his rate of accomplishment, or his general proficiency along any line. Only the test of experience and application after leaving school can determine such things more exactly.

The bane of every teacher's experience in the past has been the honest attempt to measure students exactly in terms of per cent, only to find that students of practically equal ability, sometimes had slight variations in their percentages which to the teacher had no special significance but to the student and his parents was an occasion of much rejoicing and a balm to their false pride. It causes neighborhood gossip, comparisons, complaints, and criticism of the teacher who has done her very best with an imperfect scale.

The stimulus to A students because of having gotten an A is out of proportion to the discouragement to students who do not make an A. The present system is designed to give the home a general and not a specific idea of the student's school work and to discourage the unholy practice of students and patrons flaunting the high grades in the face of those less fortunate.

There will always be superior people and superior students. Our acting business in our community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Cope, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cope, of Sterling City, were guests of the men's aunt, Mrs. Edgar Jayroe, and family, recently.

leaders will unquestionably come from the superior class, but in a democracy like ours it should be understood, that there is a place of service for those not rated as superior and the fact that they are not, should not operate to their embarrassment or lack of honor for having done their best. Any system of grading that is not too dogmatic and that does not embarrass is better for the group as a whole.

Education, schooling, knowledge, passing, A student, etc. are still very general and not well defined terms. They have different meanings to different people. Many of the great successes of the present and of the past were graded low in school, by their teachers, by a system that never was a measure. Likewise many people who were rated as superior in school are unable to make a living and the necessary social adjustments to secure happiness.

A satisfactory student is one who is working up to the maximum of his native ability (sometimes acquired ability), who is passing the minimum of work required in the subject, whose school attitude is right, who shows; by his recitation, his formal tests, his daily practice, and his power of application; that he is getting hold of the true learning products of attitudes, skills, and abilities. No score card can be devised that will make fine distinctions between students as to all of the elements of successful school work, hence the term satisfactory.

Following is the scale and its meaning:

S means Satisfactory. N means Need of Improvement.

B—Passing and working up to capacity.

N—Not passing but working up to capacity.

N—Not passing and not working up to capacity.

N—Passing but not working up to capacity.

It will be seen that N can have three meanings. Such meanings can be learned by the student or the patron by asking the teacher. Such a conference is needed when a student gets an N.

Students in each class will be given a rank of 1, 2, 3, or 4. Rank one is between 90% and 100%.

Rank two is between 80% and 90%.

Rank three is between 70% and 80%.

Rank four is below 70% and failure. Students will be given a grade on their permanent records according to their rank and certificate of their work to colleges made on the same basis. The rank of a student in any particular class will appear at the end of each term in the form of an index number with the grade of S or N.

Those interested in knowing who constitute the superior group may learn it twice each school year. It is hoped that the present system

Boston Barkers



Ah, aren't they cute! There will be many such exclamations over these quintuplet Boston bull pups to be displayed at a California dog show. Connie Holland, showing taking the small Bostonians to breakfast, is as pretty as the pups are cute.

will discourage false pride and embarrassing comparisons. It will enable the teacher to be more practical and honest in his efforts to convey the progress of the student to the home.

It will readily be observed that this plan of grading is based as much upon the contact and association of the teacher with the pupil as it is upon the formal written or oral test of the meaningless fact gathering ability of the student which in times past has been called education.

H. C. LYON, Supt.

COUNTY P. T. A. COUNCIL WILL MEET SATURDAY

The county council of Parent-Teacher associations will meet in the city hall here Saturday afternoon at 2:30. A program has been arranged but was not announced in time for publication.

Mrs. Hull, of Miles, is president of the group, and Mrs. Jansen, also of Miles, is secretary.

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Presbyterians Will Hold Two Special Services Next Week

Rev. W. H. F. Moore, pastor of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, announced Wednesday that a special service will be held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock for the 27 members received in the church since he began his pastorate here June 27, 1934.

Rev. Moore will speak on "The Characteristics of a Good Church Member." The public is cordially invited to attend this special service.

Tuesday night at 7:30 another special event is planned at this church. This educational and entertainment feature will be in the form of a motion picture show.

The subject to be treated concerns national missions. The local church has sponsored two or three motion picture shows of this character previously and in every instance they have been most successful. It is anticipated that this one will be equally as well received.

The picture is in three reels and

requires about 40 minutes to present. The first reel shows flashes of the world's greatest cities. Scenes from New York include air views from the Empire State building, Washington bridge, historic landmarks, and other interesting spots in the metropolis.

The second reel shows the great section of New York which houses the wealth of the city and the direct opposite, the poverty stricken settlements. The third reel shows the church and its work in the various tenement districts; in Chinatown, Little Bohemia, the Italian colony, Harlem, and Little Hungary.

The entire picture is proclaimed by those who have seen it as very interesting and educational from several standpoints.

A free will offering will be taken at the close of the service.

Revising the sport of sailing outrigger canoes, Hawaiians have brought back into use hulls, some 60 to 70 years old, carved from the trunk of a single tree and have added sails.

Denman White, who is attending Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, visited his parents here over the week-end.

Dan Emmett, composer of the long-popular southern song, "Dixie," trouped with the old Al G. Fields minstrel show when he was well past 80.

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Many WPA projects have been approved for Runnels county but no work has been started and prospects are not so bright for any soon. While the amount of money estimated for the approved jobs in this county is large there are many requirements for the political subdivisions to meet, including supervision of the jobs.

The fall term of 119th district court will open here in less than a month and jury venues have been summoned for the five weeks. The docket is not expected to be very heavy as only a few new cases have been filed by the district clerk. The work of the grand jury the first week of the term will determine the time consumed on criminal cases.

The ginning season is well under way in Runnels county. The crop, as late as in 1919, may extend the season through the rest of this year and there probably will be some picking after January 1. The price of cottonseed is helping the farmer, in some instances practically paying for the ginning and picking. A number of schools have closed for several weeks to permit pupils to help gather the crop and many Mexican pickers will help speed the movement.

New model automobiles are beginning to make their appearance. So far every new car shown has safety features. A few years ago the manufacturers stressed speed but with the mounting number of accidents and the alarming increase in deaths and injuries caused from wrecks, the 1936 models are being made as safe as possible. This is an excellent move for everything possible should be done to reduce crashes. The manufacturers have only a minor share of this responsibility, however. Drivers have the big obligation. The careless or reckless driver, the beginner, and the road hog will continue to take their toll of human life as long as they are permitted to take the wheel.

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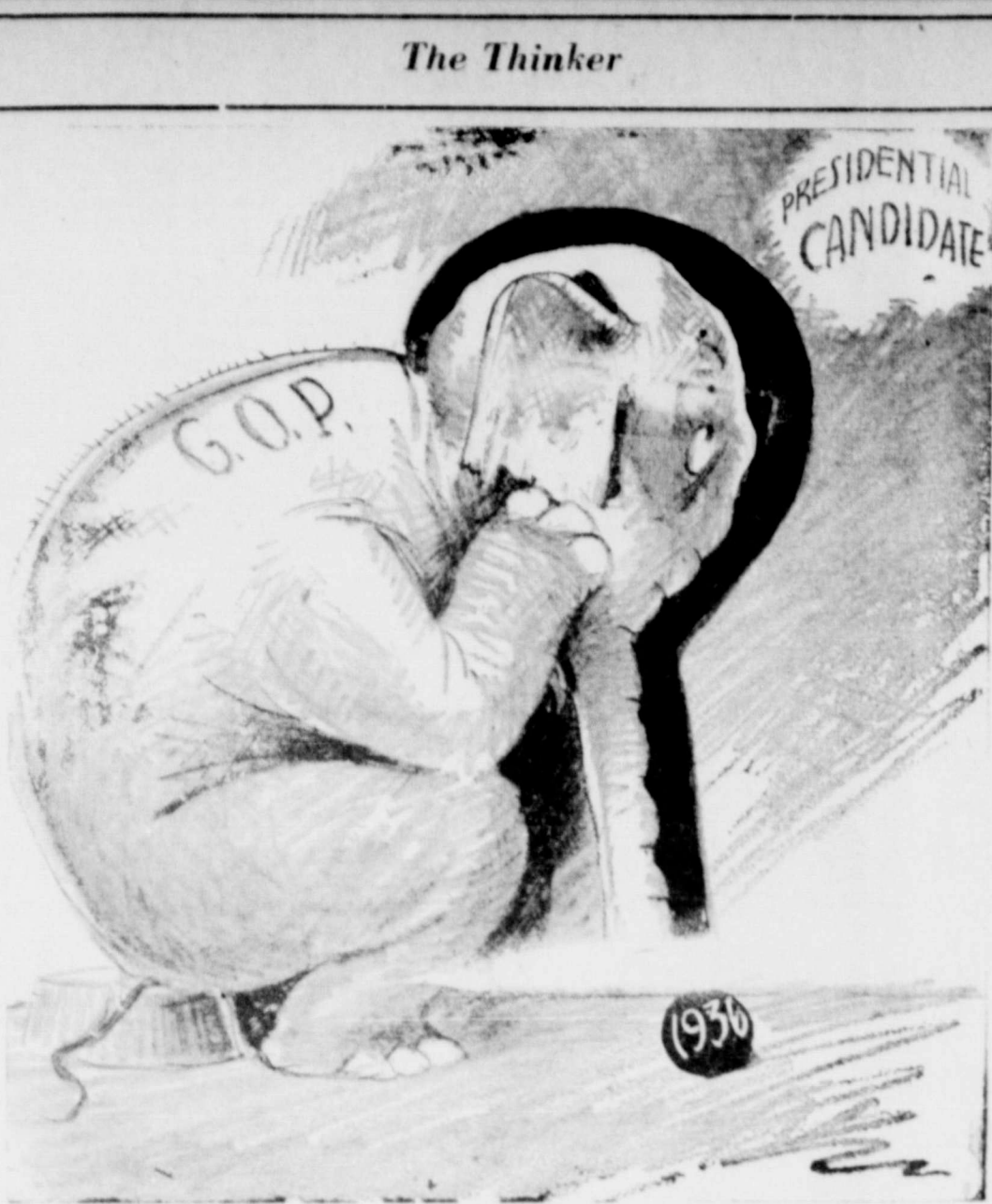
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WEST TEXAS NEWS NOTES

The Melvin Hotel was struck by lightning during an electrical storm last week. The building caught fire and a large hole was burned in the roof. The chimney was struck and soot thrown all over the interior. An electric light switch was blown off and the wall paper around it stripped from the walls. No other damage was reported.

Out of the approved allotment of \$2,057,297 for the state for WPA work, McCulloch county will receive \$33,794 for four projects. Included are two lateral roads, the Reehelle gymnasium and the community garden project. The allotment is divided as follows: community garden, \$13,200; lateral roads, \$36,230; gymnasium for Reehelle school, \$4,354.

Brown county citizens celebrated in a "big way" Tuesday of this week. The occasion was the meeting of pioneer residents of Brown county. Many who registered had been in the county over 60 years. It was the largest celebration of the kind ever held at Brownwood. The Brownwood Bulletin published one of the most interesting and complete historical outlines ever issued in West Texas. In contained information obtained from residents of the county since 1838, date of the first settlement, and other information never before printed.

W. I. Morgan, resident of Coleman county since 1863, won the old settlers' loving cup awarded last week at the Coleman county tree fair, having lived in Coleman county the longest time of any person registered. Mr. Morgan was born on Jim Ned Creek in Coleman county in 1863 and has made that county home ever since.

Wind and rain did considerable damage at Miles last week. The high winds overturned outbuildings.

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HENDERSON—With a cash expenditure of only 10 cents for nails, Hazel Phillips, yard improvement demonstrator for the Shilo 4-H club in Rusk county, underpinned her home. Five inch pine boards were made by her father from timber on their place. Hazel herself nailed the strips around the house.

Since this underpinning has kept the chickens and dogs from running under the house, it has been possible for Hazel to start a foundation planting. A temporary planting of zinnias and other annuals were made. These are to be replaced this winter with native shrubs so that the planting will be permanent.

ALICE—It took \$2.63 worth of labor for Eleanor McLaugherty, 11 year old 4-H club girl in Jim Wells county, to produce 300 pounds of tomatoes from 100 plants. Eleanor transplanted the plants from a hotbed to her garden and valued the fruit she harvested at \$12.

Besides her tomatoes, Eleanor planted 1,350 feet of row space from which she gathered 300 pounds of vegetables with a value of \$15. Among these vegetables were Irish potatoes which she stored for later use.

GEORGETOWN—Storage for her products was made by Mrs. J. L. Perry, Williamson county pantry demonstrator, by removing the shelves from an old fashioned safe and replacing them at a distance of 11 inches apart. The inside of the pantry was painted a light color and the outside varnished. Mrs. Perry has a total of 471 containers of 29 varieties of food valued at \$264.66.

The farm produced a surplus of cane this year, and 100 gallons of syrup were made in the syrup mill on the farm. Some of this will be used at home and some will be sold.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank neighbors and friends who were so kind and thoughtful of us during the recent illness and at the death of our loved one, Alton Bryan. We especially thank those who sent the beautiful floral offerings.
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October 19. The exhibit will come from the herd of Frank Jordan, of Art Jordan's young son will exhibit a calf, the pick of his father's herd, that has been on feed since January.

Cornerstone laying ceremonies for the new native stone gymnasium at Junction will be held Saturday afternoon, October 19. The main address will be made by Dr. W. P. Dickey. All merchants have been asked to close their doors during the ceremonies. The new structure, 100 by 70 feet in size, will seat 400 people comfortably. The total cost of the building to date approximates \$4,250. Contractors estimate the value of the building at about \$15,000.

An extensive terracing campaign has been started in Comanche county by the CCC camp at Dublin. The camp boys will terrace farms within a 20-mile radius of Dublin. This will include many farms in Comanche county within two miles of the county-site limits.

J. T. Hammett, last year's winner of the Philpeco Country Club annual golf tournament, repeated the feat this year by defeating W. A. Wright 3 and 2. Hammett, No. 1 player of the Philpeco club, has won four major championships and consolations in two others this year.

Sutton county stockmen have made arrangements for the employment of a special ranger to protect ranch property in the county. It will be the duty of the officer to keep a close watch for stolen property, especially dead wool, livestock and wood. He will also enforce game laws. The salary of the special ranger will be paid by all the ranchers of the county, each of them contributing a small amount monthly.

Through the press of the state Port Stockton and Pecos county will be advertised to Centennial visitors. A campaign was launched last week by an advertising firm employed by the city of Port Stockton and Pecos county to publicize the region to such an extent that visitors to the state celebration, in 1938 will want to see the wonders of the Pecos while in Texas.

Mason county Herefords will be presented this year for the first time at the Kansas City Royal Livestock Show, which opens

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MATTRESS SCHOOL TO BE HELD AT NORTH NORTON

Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent, will conduct a mattress school Monday, October 21, in the home of Mrs. Ira McNeill at North Norton. This will be the third school of the kind conducted in this county and others may be announced at a later date by Miss Tankersley.

Names have been drawn for those who are each to receive enough free cotton to make a mattress. Those who will receive this cotton are Mrs. McNeill, of the North Norton club; Mrs. A. D. Dudley, Oak Creek club; Mrs. Jim Eoff, Victory club; Miss Eleanor Adams, Dale club; Miss Ruth Bailey, Hatchel club; and the bedroom demonstrator for the Content club.

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Baby Cap—Mrs. Bertie Haynes, second
 Crocheted Baby Cap—Mrs. J. G. Douglass, second
 Baby Dress—Mrs. Beas Webb, first; Mrs. M. G. Justice, second
 Knitted Booties—Mrs. G. M. Vaughn, first; Mrs. M. C. Smith, second
 Baby Slip—Mrs. M. G. Justice, second
 Carriage Robe—Mrs. M. G. Justice, second
 Buttonholes—Mrs. Tom Crockett, third
 Child's Embroidery—Vida Ruth Halstead, second
 Drawn Thread Handkerchiefs—Mrs. J. D. McNutt, first
 Collection of any kind of Handkerchiefs—Mrs. J. M. Pyburn, first; Mrs. Ewald Straach, second
 Point Lace Handkerchief—Mrs. G. M. Vaughn, first
 Novelty—Mrs. Frank Pumphrey, first and second
 Dressed Doll—Gloria McGregor, first; Evelyn Teague, second
 Feather Stitched Garment—Mrs. Ewald Straach, second
 Collection of Flour Sack Garments—Mrs. Tom Crockett, second
 Kitchen Apron—Mrs. H. F. Linderman, first and second
 Boudoir Pillow—Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, first; Mrs. Ewald Straach, second
 Fancy Bag—Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, second
 Patched Garment—Mrs. Ewald Straach, second
 Cut Work Lunch Set—Miss Frances Trail, first and second

Cut Work—Mrs. J. D. McNutt, first; Mrs. Mack Setser, second
 Towels, Hand Made—Miss Frances Trail, first and second
 Buffet Set—Mrs. Delbert Vancil, first; Mrs. W. E. Midgley, second
 Embroidered Scarf—Mrs. Delbert Vancil, first; Mrs. W. E. Coley, second
 Embroidered Centerpiece—Mrs. H. F. Linderman, first; Mrs. W. E. Coley, second
 Sheet and Pillow Cases—Mrs. S. M. Jonas, second
 Colored Embroidered Centerpiece—Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, first; Mrs. H. F. Linderman, second
 Tea Set—Mrs. Delbert Vancil, first; Mrs. W. E. Midgley, second
 Knitted Gloves—Mrs. A. H. Wiesepape, second
 Knitted Lace on Article—Mrs. John Dean, second
 Tatted Collar—Mrs. H. F. Linderman, first; Mrs. M. G. Justice, second
 Tatted Centerpiece—Mrs. H. F. Linderman, first; Mrs. Bertie Haynes, second
 Tatted Pillow Cases—Mrs. Delbert Vancil, first; Mrs. M. G. Justice, second
 Tatted Specimen—Mrs. Delbert Vancil, first; Mrs. M. G. Justice, second
 Tatted Towel—Mrs. W. E. Midgley, first; Mrs. M. G. Justice, second
 Tatted Yoke—Mrs. J. D. McNutt, first; Mrs. R. L. Justice, second
 Quilted Robe—Helen Schulz, second
 Crochet Bedspread—Mrs. Ross Smith, first; Mrs. D. B. Smith, second
 Embroidered Bedspread—Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, first; Mrs. M. M. Anderson, second

Afghan—Mrs. W. P. Gardner, first; Mrs. Frank Pumphrey, second
 Hooked Rugs—Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, first; Mrs. W. P. Gardner, second
 Fancy Bedspreads—Ruby Faltsek, first; Mrs. Oscar Pearson, second
 Normandy Bedspreads—Mrs. A. O. Bartlett, second
 Rug—Mrs. Wilma Jonas, second
 Appliqued Quilts—Mrs. J. M. Pyburn, first; Mrs. Eschar, second
 Embroidered Quilt—Mrs. Wilma Jonas, second
 Novelty Quilt—Mrs. Sidney Dietz, first; Mrs. Henry Dixon, second
 Pleeced Quilts—Mrs. L. C. Hill, first; Mrs. T. P. Brown, second
 Jumper Suit—Mrs. Ewald Straach, second
 Handmade Waist—Mrs. John Schertz, second
 Child's Dress—Mrs. Ewald Straach, second
 Wash Suit for Boy—Mrs. Sam Dunlap, second
 Made-Over Garment—Mrs. Irwin Stephenson, second
 Wool Suit—Mrs. Sam Dunlap, second
 Crocheted Dress—Mrs. G. W. Taylor, second
 Knitted Dress—Miss Virginia Holman, second
 Child's Quilt—Mrs. Ernest Moody, second
 Crochet Ends—Mrs. Delbert Vancil, first; Mrs. J. D. McNutt, second
 Embroidered Scarf—Selma Halfmann, first; Mrs. Delbert Vancil, second
 Vanity Set—Mrs. S. M. Jones, first; Mrs. J. D. McNutt, second
 Cross Stitch—Mrs. H. F. Linder-

man, first; Mrs. Ewald Straach, second
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 Begonia—Mrs. John Dean, first; Mrs. G. M. Vaughn, second
 Bouquet Roses, any variety—Mrs. Troy Simpson, first; Mrs. Lucy Townsend, second; Mrs. R. E. Lane, third
 Rosebuds, any variety—Mrs. R. E. White, first; Mrs. Chester Cherry, second
 Pink Roses—Mrs. Troy Simpson, first; Mrs. Aug. Vogelsang, second;

Miss Cathleen Connelly, third
 Pink Rosebuds—Miss Cathleen Connelly, first; Mrs. W. C. Rhoden, second; Mrs. Troy Simpson, third
 White Rosebuds—Mrs. Aug. Vogelsang, second
 Red Roses—Mrs. R. A. Dickinson, first; Mrs. Troy Simpson, second; Mrs. J. A. Weeks, third
 Red Rosebuds—Mrs. Troy Simpson, first; Mrs. R. A. Dickinson, second
 Yellow Roses—Mrs. M. C. Smith, second
 Yellow Rosebuds—Mrs. E. A. Saunders, first; Mrs. Chester Cherry, second; Mrs. G. P. Holman, third
 American Beauty Roses—Mrs. Aug. Vogelsang, first; Mrs. G. P. Holman, second and third
 American Beauty Rosebuds—Miss Lillian McMillan, second
 Artistic Bouquet—Mrs. A. McGregor, first and second; Mrs. Jas. A. Wear, third
 Bouquet of Zinnias—Mrs. Oscar Pearson, first; Mrs. C. B. McCready, second; Mrs. R. E. Lane, third
 Bunch of Dahlias—Mrs. Jas. A. Wear, first; Mrs. J. B. Moore, second; Mrs. Oscar Pearson, third
 Variety of Dahlias—Mrs. J. B. Moore, first; Mrs. Oscar Pearson, second; Mrs. W. S. Middlebrook, third

Baby Show
 One of the features of the Saturday afternoon program at the Runnels County Fair was the baby show held in the center building. Seats were provided in half the building for the tots and their mothers and spectators were given the other half. The entire space was filled long before the judging began and the audience remained until the final awards were made.
 There was 37 boys, 36 girls and one set of twins registered in the show. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nunnally, of San Angelo, and Mrs. Kirk Gregory, of Stamford, judged the babies on appearance only.
 Tommie Ervin Atwell, 9-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Atwell, of Miles, was given first place in the boys' division, and James Monroe Harris, 9-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Harris, of Maverick, won second place.
 Martha Jeanne Dean, 21-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dean, of Ballinger, route 2, took the blue ribbon among the girl entries, and Goida Walaske Avent, 14-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Avent, of No. 15, as awarded second prize.
 Robert and Fred Holliday, one-year-old twins of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holliday, of Ballinger, were

the blue ribbon winners in the twin division.
Trustees Set Date for Budget Hearing
 The Board of Trustees of the Ballinger Independent School District in session Monday p. m., set Monday, October 28, as a date for a public hearing on the 1935-36 budget.
 The proposed budget has already been prepared by the board and at the public hearing all interested in the expenditure of school funds are invited to attend this hearing and inspect the figures included therein.
 H. G. STOKES, Secretary,
 Board of Trustees
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MILES RURAL MAIL ROUTE EXTENDED THROUGH AREA
 An extension of rural route No. 1 out of Miles was announced this week by the postoffice department. The route will be extended to Lowake, Concho county, in order to give better mail service to residents of that section.
 The mail truck leaves Miles at 9:15 a. m. and arrives at Lowake at 11:30 a. m. H. W. Bigler is the carrier.
 See Freeman's for Batteries. 8-17

If Price is Important You'll be Interested in These
Smart Fall Clothes

Single and Double Breasted
 Sport Backs
 Smart Patterns
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 At Attractive Prices

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\$19.95

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They are really fine suits at the price

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New Fall Hats

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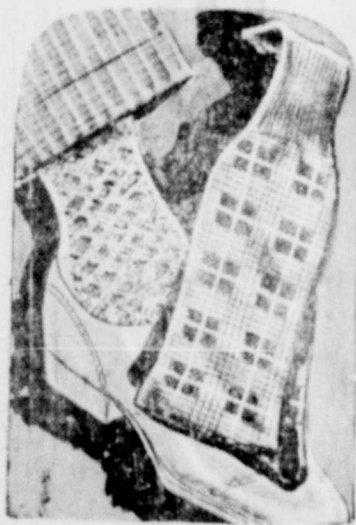


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New Arrivals for Fall Days

Dresses for street wear in plain and printed crepes and the best fall shades.
\$5.95 and \$9.95
 Sport dresses in novelty weaves, the very popular two-piece style.
\$3.95 and \$5.95
 Plain sports coats in red, marine blue and brown.
\$5.95
 Coats, plain and fur trimmed, solid colors and tweeds.
\$9.95 to \$29.75
 Lounging robes and pajamas, velveteen, corduroy and flannel.
\$4.95 and \$5.95
 Negliges in pastel shades, lace trimmed and tailored styles.
\$2.95 and \$5.95



New turbans and hats with brims, red, brown, black, navy and wine.
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Specials from Our Dry Goods Department



Printed Silks
 Printed silks that will dazzle your eye, 40 inches wide and they are here in stripes, plaids and figured, the yard.
79c

Woolens
 The new woolens are here in checks, plaids and solid colors, the yard.
\$1 to \$2.19

Flat Crepes
 All colors in stock, 39 inches wide and pure thread silk, the yard.
69c

Ginghams
 Good quality gingham, 32 inches wide, special the yard.
10c

Suiting
 New fall suiting, 32 inches wide, all weights, all colors in plaids, stripes and figured designs, the yard.
25c to 39c

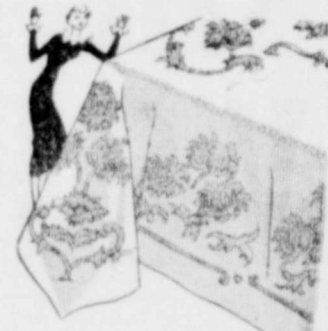
Prints
 Superb prints, in fancies and solids, the yard.
19c

Prints
 Good quality vat dyed prints, 32 inches wide, big assortment of patterns, the yard.
15c

Sheeting
 44 inch bleached sheeting, special the yard.
10c

Outing
 Good grade outing, light and dark colors, the yard.
15c

Blankets
 Heavy cotton blankets, size 66x76, in plaids of pink, blue and orchid, special the pair.
\$1.49



Imported Linen
 Breakfast, Luncheon and Bridge Sets

Varied coloring in plaids and hand blocked linens.
 Size 51x67—6 napkins
 Size 52x52—5 napkins
 Size 36x36—4 napkins
 Priced from
39c to \$1.95
 Madera Napkins
6 for \$1.29

Towels
 Bordered Turkish towels, 16x32 size, good weight, each.
12 1/2c

Oil Cloth
 45 inch oil cloth, fancies and solids, the yard.
19c

Domestic
 Good quality brown domestic, 36 inches wide, the yard.
6 1/2c

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The Price is the Thing

Texas

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Ballinger, Texas

Shirley Temple Twinkles In Tuneful Film at Palace

Said to be the happiest picture of Shirley Temple's career, "Curly Top," comes to the Palace Theatre for a special midnight matinee Saturday night and showings on Sunday and Monday. The performances Monday will be continuous.

In "Curly Top," a charming story of a little girl who captures the heart of a lonely bachelor and makes both their dreams come true, Shirley has two new songs to sing and several new and intricate dance routines for audience approval.

In this Fox Film comedy-drama, John Boles is cast as a bachelor who adopts Shirley and her big sister, Rochelle Hudson. He generously takes them from the drab and dreary atmosphere of an orphanage to the sunny summer surroundings of a palatial home in Southampton. There the romance of Boles and Rochelle Hudson flourishes under the childish guidance of little Shirley, who sings, dances and laughs her way into their hearts.

Shirley is really happy in this picture, for she has the opportunity of displaying her full talents when she sings "Animal Crackers in My Soup," and "When I Grow Up."

Shirley is not the only one to sing in this joyful film. John Boles sings "It's All So New to Me," and "Curly Top," while Miss Hudson surprises by singing for the first time, "The Simple Things in Life."

Romance and Thrills Pack Fox Comedy-Drama Featuring Edmund Lowe

Edmund Lowe is off to a new peak of popularity as a result of his performance in "Black Sheep," to be shown at the Palace tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday. He portrays a new character—a removed from any type he has yet done.

In Fox Film's latest comedy-drama, "Black Sheep," which has received great ovations wherever it has played, Edmund Lowe plays the part of a professional ship gambler who is returning to New York on the second-class deck because the cards and the horses wouldn't behave abroad.

The drama concerns a girl's gallant struggle to rise from the mire of poverty and social oblivion in a small midwestern town, where wealth is the yardstick of success. The heroine of the story is an



SHIRLEY TEMPLE'S new Fox picture, "Curly Top," spills over with sunny song and dance.

adventurous, Adrienne Ames, from a desperate move involving the life of a young playboy, Tom Brown, who wouldn't play her game.

The story zips merrily along in a fast comedy vein with the underlying drama coming more and more frequently to the surface.

The romance between Edmund Lowe and Claire Trevor is one of the most refreshing ever seen on the screen and has been well received everywhere.

"Black Sheep" was directed by Allan Dwan. Among the favorites in the supporting cast are Tom Brown, Eugene Pallette, Herbert Mundin and Ford Sterling.

Hepburn Has Big Role in Booth Tarkington Story, "Alice Adams"

Striking characterizations highlight "Alice Adams," the Booth Tarkington story that won the Pulitzer prize in 1922, now brought to the screen by RKO-Radio and to be shown at the Palace Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

The drama concerns a girl's gallant struggle to rise from the mire of poverty and social oblivion in a small midwestern town, where wealth is the yardstick of success. The heroine of the story is an

appealing combination of fineness, pretense, romance and courage. Katharine Hepburn is starred in this brilliant role, which parallels the appeal of her characterization in "Morning Glory."

Contrasting pictures of the homes of the wealthy and the "middle class," which flourish side by side in Alice Adams' home town, are vividly drawn in the film. Fred Stone, noted stage star, plays the plodding, unambitious father. A nagging, disillusioned, but still ambitious mother is portrayed by Ann Shoemaker. The shiftless, cynical young brother is capably handled by Frank Albertson. The handsome lover, who is the epitome of all Alice's dreams of an ideal man, is played by Fred MacMurray. Evelyn Venable plays Miss Hepburn's society girl rival.

Misses Maunette Allaman and Alma Ryan are visiting friends in Brownwood this week.

The merchant who advertises wants your business.

HARWELL INSPECTS 1936 FORD AT DALLAS MEETING

R. L. Harwell returned Tuesday night from Dallas, where he had been to attend a meeting of Texas Ford dealers and see the new V-8 Ford for 1936. Mr. Harwell was delighted with the appearance of the new car and was assured that he would get one Saturday for exhibition here.

The Ford V-8 for 1936 will have a number of improvements, both in the mechanical parts and in the body and interior. The Ford company will manufacture 13 body types which will be furnished all dealers. Elsewhere in this issue of The Ledger is an announcement of the new automobile, listing features which are new on the 1936 model.

Rev. E. W. McLaurin left Thursday for Austin to attend a meeting of Presbyterian ministers.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

Ford V-8 Streamlining Steps Ahead



THE IMPROVED streamlining of the front end of the Ford V-8 for 1936 is well illustrated by this camera shot. Note the burn set into the fender apron behind a chromium grille and the way the graceful contour of the fender is carried to the edge of the new radiator grille. A glimpse of the new hood louvers is caught behind the headlamp. The V-8 insignia on the prow of the car is of new design.

Lighting Expert Presents Program For P.-T. A. Group

The first night meeting of the Ballinger High School Parent-Teacher Association was held Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the high school auditorium with a large number present. Mrs. Carroll Bell, president, presided and called for reports from all committees.

R. R. St. John, West Texas Utilities Company lighting expert, presented an illustrated lecture on better sight for health. After a short talk explaining the effect of light on the eyesight, a four-reel talking picture made by the General Electric Company was shown.

The picture, dealing with the illumination of homes, business offices and schools to help people keep their normal eyesight, showed both the good and bad effects of lighting.

At noon Tuesday St. John addressed the Ballinger Rotary Club on the same subject. He cited figures to show that human eyesight is rapidly failing and that at the age of 40 half the population has impaired vision which needs correcting.

The West Texas Utilities Company is conducting a campaign to educate people to the danger of using their eyes under improper conditions.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN ATTEND JOINT MEETING

A number of Ballinger women attended the district conference of the Brownwood Presbyterian at San Angelo Tuesday. Many from this section assembled for this meeting which was climaxed by the presentation of a group from the Mexican school at Taft during the afternoon.

Members of the First Presbyterian Church of Ballinger who attended were: Mrs. Harry Lynn, Mrs. C. R. Stephens, Mrs. J. C. Sturges, Jr., Mrs. Q. V. Miller, Mrs. A. McGregor, Mrs. G. P. Holman, Mrs. R. L. Harwell, Mrs. G. M. Vaughn, Mrs. John Stitt, Mrs. J. M. Pyburn, Mrs. E. A. Saunders, and Miss Edie Belle Walker.

Herbert Sledge has accepted a position with the Sykes Motor Co. and will help sell 1936 Dodge and Plymouth cars.

CREWS SCHOOL NEWS

Our second week of class work has been completed and we are all well pleased with school life this year. The enthusiasm of the students is much better this year than ever before.

Last week the various classes met and organized for the year. The following officers were elected: Senior Class—President, Carlos Lollar; vice-president, Evelyn Payne; secretary and reporter, Lorena Bradley. Social committee—Doretta Schwartz and Boyd Grissom. The class discussed the purchasing of class rings.

Junior Class—President, Opal Grissom; vice-president, Sam Faubion; secretary and reporter, Lella Mae Berry. This class decided to purchase class pins and hold monthly social meetings.

Sophomore Class—President, Earl Brown; vice-president, Elvin Mathis; secretary, Joslin Stacy; reporter, Norine Rainwater.

Freshman Class—President, Naomi Berry; vice-president, Viola Grissom; secretary, Lucille Curbo; reporter, Elen Gerheart. There are nineteen freshmen enrolled at the present and many more are expected.

The Crews high school boys have decided not to play football this year as many of them were not able to work out in the afternoons. They expect to have an excellent basketball club, however, which will be able to compete with any high school club.

WOMEN OF ZOAR EVANGELICAL CHURCH TO SPONSOR ALL-DAY GET-TOGETHER OCTOBER 26

The women of Zoar Evangelical Church at Rowena will sponsor an all-day get-together at O. D. H. S. Hall, Rowena, Saturday, October 26. At noon dinner will be served and at 3 p. m. supper will be served. A small charge will be made for the meals.

There will be an auction sale in the afternoon and other attractions of interest. All the proceeds will go to the church. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend this annual affair.

Mrs. W. C. Rhoden is spending the week in Merkel with her parents.

Tires on easy payments at Freeman's.

PALACE THEATRE

"Where Happiness Costs So Little"
Friday and Saturday



EDMUND LOWE
CLAIRE TREVOR
TOM BROWN
EUGENE PALLETTE
Produced by Sam M. Wurtzel

also
Paramount Varieties

Popeye—The Sailor
"For Better or Worse"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
October 22 and 23



Both Tarkington's best-loved heroines
ALICE ADAMS
with Fred MacMurray, Fred Stone, Evelyn Venable

Plus:
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"The Home of the Best Westerns"

Friday and Saturday
OFF TO THE RESCUE
Goes King of the Cowboys



John Wayne
PARADISE CANYON
and
"A Nose for News"
Comedy

Plus Serial—
"Phantom Empire"
Monday and Tuesday



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THE NEW 1936 V-8 FORD

Will Be Shown
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

At Our Show Rooms

You are invited to see this new car and inspect it. Improvements over the 1935 car makes it a leader in the low priced field.

Outstanding New Features

- 1 New front-end design, with more complete streamlining, giving a longer hood line and appearance of greater length. Fenders redesigned front and rear. Horns carried in front fenders behind grills.
- 2 Appointments of more luxurious interior designed in artistic modern motif. Interior hardware instrument board and moldings of mahogany pyroxylin finish in de luxe cars.
- 3 Quiet helical gears, formerly used in second and high speed, now standard in all speeds, forward and reverse.
- 4 New type welded one piece wheels with 12 1/2 inch hub caps, wheels each nearly 50 pounds lighter.
- 5 New body insulation for silent operation.
- 6 Easier steering with 17 to 1 ratio; straight roller bearings added to steering sector shaft. Steering effort reduced 25%.
- 7 Electric fuel gauge, ammeter temperature indicator, speedometer with trip mileage indicator, are standard on all cars. Electric oil gage on de luxe cars.
- 8 Increased cooling capacity for exceptional operating conditions.

13 Body Types for 1936

Harwell Motor Co.

Ballinger, Texas

PALACE THEATRE

Saturday Midnight Preview
Sunday and Monday
Continuous Showing Monday

October 19, 20 and 21

Matinee Starts 1:45 p. m.

SHIRLEY, SING FOR US!
DANCE FOR US, TOO!

You set us humming with your two songs that capture the spirit of happiness!
You set our feet tapping with your three gay dances!

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Curly Top

A FOX PICTURE WITH
JOHN BOLES
ROCHELLE HUDSON
JANE DARWELL
Produced by WINFIELD SHEEHAN

Added Featurette
Late Paramount News
"Spinning Mice"
Technicolor Cartoon

Coming Sunday and Monday
October 27 and 28

MICK POWELL
in
BROADWAY
in
Gondolier
LATEST NATIONAL PICTURE

Five Jury Lists Announced For 119th District Court

The jury list for the fall term of 119th district court here was announced Monday morning and Sheriff W. A. Holt is notifying all those included on the venires to appear here on the dates for their service. The first week 18 men will report for grand jury duty and on November 18 and 25 and December 2 and 9, thirty-six men will report each week for petit jury service.

Judge O. L. Parish will be here to conduct the five weeks' term which opens on November 11, Armistice Day.

Following are those drawn on the jury lists for the fall term:

Grand Jury Venire

- Joe Baker, Winters
- W. E. Hickman, Winters
- C. M. Gooch, Wingate
- John T. Curry, Winters
- S. D. Childers, Miles
- C. W. Curry, Miles
- E. Shepperd, Ballinger
- H. W. Lynn, Ballinger
- W. E. Middleton, Ballinger
- J. Black, Marie
- Claude Lee, Maverick
- E. J. Cervenka, Rowena
- Willie Stephens, Ballinger
- W. L. Alcorn, Talpa
- P. R. Dietz, Talpa
- J. W. Batts, Rowena

Petit Jury Venire, Second Week

- Thomas Eagan, Jr., Ballinger
- Jones Taylor, Ballinger
- Sam Malone, Ballinger
- E. C. Hollinsworth, Winters
- Elo Michaelis, Wingate
- H. Clark, Miles
- A. W. Graves, Miles
- Harry Paschal, Ballinger
- Alex Yarnell, Ballinger
- E. E. Adams, Miles
- S. B. Dietz, Talpa, Rt. 2
- Luther Walden, Ballinger
- J. M. Hipp, Miles
- Evert Witter, Ballinger
- Bert Fletcher, Maverick
- B. N. Wilke, Ballinger
- Frank Johnson, Winters
- J. Earl Rogers, Winters
- G. H. Coleman, Miles
- T. L. Hatler, Winters
- F. Gallas, Miles
- E. D. Barton, Miles
- James Skinner, Ballinger
- F. H. Cameron, Ballinger
- Carl Henslee, Winters
- T. G. Flick, Winters
- E. D. Farmer, Miles
- S. M. Wyatt, Winters
- J. T. Wiley, Ballinger
- W. J. Fowler, Ballinger
- Fred Young, Winters
- C. E. Sullivan, Winters
- Tom Forgey, Ballinger
- E. C. Pape, Ballinger
- W. H. Cole, Winters
- Clyde Busch, Ballinger

Petit Jury Venire, Third Week

- W. O. Wallace, Ballinger
- H. G. Havenhill, Winters Rt. 2
- Gus Beckman, Miles
- W. E. Reeves, Miles
- Joe Beck, Ballinger
- J. Frank Scott, Miles
- Jim Eoff, Winters Rt. 3
- C. G. Meeks, Winters
- R. E. White, Ballinger
- J. A. Nunn, Ballinger
- J. T. Routh, Ballinger
- V. L. McShan, Ballinger
- C. W. Bradley, Winters Rt. 3
- Ernest Moody, Ballinger
- I. D. Little, Ballinger
- F. L. Bates, Novice Rt. 1
- Geo. Cotter, Ballinger
- M. L. Northington, Ballinger
- Albert Spill, Winters
- C. W. McAden, Ballinger
- Owen Bragg, Talpa
- Dan Dorner, Ballinger
- R. L. Booth, Ballinger
- B. M. Batts, Ballinger
- J. W. Wood, Talpa Rt. 2
- H. C. Wood, Ballinger
- O. C. Sykes, Ballinger
- Fred Prusser, Winters Rt. 2
- R. M. Albrighton, Miles
- A. Krauss, Winters
- G. F. Allen, Ballinger
- J. S. Flannagan, Ballinger
- John Carlisle, Winters
- T. M. Ferguson, Wingate
- J. W. Roach, Miles
- J. A. Morrison, Talpa Rt. 2

Petit Jury Venire, Fourth Week

- J. H. Parrish, Ballinger
- Leon Hallman, Winters
- G. E. Gordon, Miles
- Dan Fischer, Ballinger
- Edgar U. Hartman, Rowena
- Rollins Campbell, Ballinger
- H. D. Craig, Miles
- J. H. Mosley, Winters
- Tom Caudle, Ballinger
- H. F. Lehman, Winters Rt. 2
- P. A. Pullin, Ballinger
- J. L. Cooper, Ballinger
- O. F. Louder, Miles
- M. B. Wardlaw, Ballinger
- Light Hoover, Winters

Equine Style Note—Rubber Shoes



New York milk-wagon horses are sporting something new in the line of equine footwear. A milkman displays one of the rubber shoes which are expected to aid in Gotham's noise-abatement campaign.

ADDING MACHINE PAPER

100 Rolls	\$3.50
50 Rolls	4.50
25 Rolls	2.50
12 Rolls	1.35
6 Rolls	.75
2 Rolls	.25

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The sponges of Key West have a yearly value of about \$300,000.

29 Carnival Workers Pay Fines After Raid is Made

City and county officers assisted by several state officers made a wholesale clean-up of the carnival lot here Saturday afternoon, arresting 37 men and women connected with the Siebrand Shows. All those arrested were held in the county jail overnight and their cases heard in justice and city courts Sunday morning.

Nineteen fines for vagrancy and one for overloading were imposed in justice court, while nine were fined for vagrancy in city court. Those tried in justice court were fined \$14.50 each and the municipal court cases drew a total of \$1270 each. All paid off with the exception of three who are being held in jail.

The raid on concession stands operators and "come-on" men resulted from numerous complaints, that "gyp" gaming devices were being operated on the carnival grounds and several people reported heavy losses. One girl show was closed and the operator and women fined.

Those fined in justice court were: George Clark, Roy Stephens, E. Cline, Billy Fisher, Jimmy Collins, Paul Pesicka, Otto Bridgeman, Billy Rosen, George Jack Lynch, Charles Johnson, Malcolm Lewis, Orion McNeely, Jack Moore, Harry E. Satterfield, Scott Boyd, T. E. Shaddox, Mike Sharp, Clyde Browner, Frank LeValle, Joe Reed. Those fined in city court were: Joe Florest, Rosa Florest, Peggy Dugan, Tony Germano, Charles Bailey, Charles Bell, Leo Akina, Frank Rose, Robert Day.

Two women connected with the carnival were arrested at Rowena Friday after they had taken \$6 from a resident of that town.

When they were brought here they entered pleas of guilty on vagrancy charges. Rosa Stanley was fined \$17.20 and Baby Stanley was fined \$14.50.

Henry Gerhart, of the Crews section, was held up here Friday afternoon as he got out of his automobile on Hutchings Avenue. Mr. Gerhart parked his car across the street from the Sam Behringer grocery and as he was locking the door a man approached him and stuck a gun in his side. Mr. Gerhart was commanded to turn over his bill-fold and after receiving it the highjacker took \$6 in currency from it, threw some silver on the pavement, and lost himself in the crowd. Mr. Gerhart was here Sunday to try to identify the hold-up man from the line-up in the county jail but failed to do so.

All concessions on the midway with the exception of the bingo booth and a couple of doll racks were closed Saturday night.

WHY GET UP NIGHTS?

This 25c Bladder Laxative Free. If it fails to flush out impurities and excess acids which cause the irregularity that wakes you up. Get Buchu, juniper oil, etc., in little green tablets called Baskets, the bladder laxative. Works on the bladder similar to castor oil on the bowels. Poorly acting bladder can cause scanty flow, frequent desire, burning or backache. In four days if not pleased any druggist will refund your 25c. City Drug Store.

C. L. West, of Miles, attended to business in Ballinger Monday.

Corn-Hog Growers To Vote Whether Plan is Continued

A referendum has been called for Runnels county hog and corn growers for Saturday, October 20, at which time those interested will vote whether the corn-hog adjustment program will be continued. Any person who raised corn or hogs this year will be eligible to vote in this referendum. One voting box will be open in the county at the court house in Ballinger, with Lon Muncy, chairman of the Runnels county committee, in charge.

Those who desire may request the county agent's office for a ballot and it will be mailed to them and can be returned by mail. All ballots must be in the voting box at the time the polls close on October 26, however.

This program has been in effect in Runnels county for the past two years and practically all growers of hogs and corn have signed adjustment contracts. The result of the referendum will determine if the program will continue in the county.

Ballots have been prepared and may be obtained any time between now and the date set for the voting.

BOY BURNED AT SACRIFICE

NAGPUR, India, Oct. 16.—To propitiate their god after successive failures of crops five men flung Bhima, a youth, into a fire as a human sacrifice. Two of the men, Adku and Tima, has been sentenced to death, the three others to life imprisonment.

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You can get Genuine Bayer Aspirin at any drug store—simply by asking for it by its full name, BAYER ASPIRIN. Make it a point to do this—and see that you get what you want.

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BIG DANCE Saturday Night

Dancers are invited to attend the big dance each Saturday night 1 1/2 miles south of Crews on the L. B. Gibbs place. Large platform to accommodate any number of dancers. Music furnished by the Glen Cove and Coleman Stringed Band, formerly playing for the Tip Top Club in Winters.

A big candy breaking is a feature at each Saturday night dance. 17-11-

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Municipalities have made great progress in stamping out typhoid fever, smallpox, diphtheria and other communicable diseases that once demanded their grim death toll. But America's Public Health Enemy Number One, the common cold germ, still rages rampant as a constant threat to the health and safety of our loved ones. Frequently "common colds" pave the way for such serious illnesses as pneumonia, bronchitis, influenza, tuberculosis and other serious respiratory diseases that result in so many deaths each winter.

Any sudden change in temperature as you go from a warm room into a cold one disturbs the heat-regulating apparatus of the body and makes it susceptible to the vicious attacks of "cold germs."

Your health and that of your family is your most valuable possession. Guard it this winter with proper ventilation and adequate heat in every room in the house. COMMUNITY NATURAL GAS COMPANY.

Tune in each Thursday night at 6:45, WFAA-WBAP, beginning October 17, for vital facts to help you guard your family against Public Health Enemy No. 1



America's Public Health Enemy Number One, the common cold germ, is marshalling his forces for winter!

Before Baby Comes

Turn the months of waiting into ease and comfort

YOU can now avoid unnecessary pain and after regrets by preparing your body for that dear baby's coming. A massage medium and skin lubricant, called Mother's Friend, helps to relieve and prevent skin tightness, abdominal tissue breaks, dry skin, itchy breasts after delivery wrinkles. Mother's Friend refreshes and tones the skin, tissues and muscles. It makes them supple, pliant and elastic. It is scientific in composition—composed of essential oils and highly beneficial ingredients—easily absorbed—pure and safe. Quickly absorbed, delightful to use. Highly praised by users, doctors and nurses. Time-tested for over 60 years. Millions of bottles sold. Try it tonight. Just ask any druggist for Mother's Friend. Bradfield Co., Atlanta, Ga.

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THIEVES ESCAPE WITH HAM AFTER SLAUGHTERING HOG Ballinger officers were called on this week to arrest a pair of thieves who cut a ham from a hog at the Lottie W. Farris slaughter pen, one mile west of town. The theft occurred about 2 o'clock Tuesday morning. Squeals of the hog attracted the attention of a man who lives nearby. He rushed to the pen and found that a 200-pound hog had been knocked in the head and a ham cut from the animal. The thieves were fleeing across a cotton field when the neighbor arrived.

Officers arrived about half an hour later and tracked the thieves, who were afoot, to the Santa Fe right-of-way, where the trail was lost. An iron pipe was used to kill the big animal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Patterson and small son, of Big Spring, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chastain.

Mrs. Kirk Gregory returned to her home at Stamford Saturday after visiting relatives here several days.

DEATHS

Mrs. A. P. Serratt Mrs. A. P. Serratt, 48, died at the family home at 11:30 a. m. Monday, October 14, as the result of a heart ailment. The body was removed to the King-Holt Funeral Home for preparation and remained there until 2:30 Tuesday afternoon when it was carried to the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church for the final rites. Services were conducted by Rev. W. H. F. Moore, pastor.

Survivors include the husband, three daughters, Leta, Lena, and Fay, one son, Merton, her mother, Mrs. J. B. McKnight, Snyder, two brothers, Cliff McKnight, Snyder, and Raymond McKnight, Herneleigh.

Decedent was an active member of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church. Born in Hill county, she moved to this county 22 years ago and made this home ever since.

Pallbearers were: William Ashton, Jack Ashton, H. F. Demmer, W. J. Fowler, Sam Malone, and Carl Black.

Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

King-Holt Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. W. R. McDonald Mrs. W. R. McDonald, 75, died at her home, 1005 Strong Avenue, Monday at 4:30 p. m., following long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald came to Runtels county 30 years ago from Henderson county. For many years Mr. McDonald was a successful farmer and only recently moved to Ballinger to make home after retiring from active work. Mrs. McDonald was an active member of the Church of Christ since moving here.

Survivors include the husband, three sons, J. H. McDonald, Ballinger; John R. McDonald, Arizona; and Charles R. McDonald, Aspermont, five daughters, Mrs. J. J. Burnie, Sherwood; Mrs. Ida Franklin, Glen Rose; Mrs. J. W. Barnett, Midland; Mrs. Lee Moreland, Ballinger; and Mrs. A. H. Moreland, New Mexico. Thirty grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held at the Jennings Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Harvey Childress, minister of the Eighth Street Church of Christ, officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Towner Dickinson, George McMillan, Jess Jones, K. V. Northington, E. Sheppard, and Willie Stephens.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

J. W. Jones J. W. Jones, 78, died at his home in Hillcrest addition Sunday afternoon at 12:15 after serious illness for the past five months.

Mr. Jones moved to Runtels county with his family in 1906 and for 20 years operated a farm in this county. He gave up this work in 1921 and moved to Ballinger, where he made home ever since. He was a member of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church for many years.

Besides the widow survivors are three sons, E. W. Jones, Miles; E. E. Jones, Ballinger; J. S. Jones, Texas; two daughters, Mrs. J. W. Cooper, Dallas; and Mrs. R. H. Bagley, West Indies. Other survivors include a brother and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church Monday at 2 p. m. Rev. W. H. F. Moore officiating.

Active pallbearers were: Ross Black, A. B. Legate, O. K. Morgan, Carl Black, Tom Caudie, H. F. Demmer. Honorary pallbearers were: C. L. West, W. A. Taylor, R. L. Harwell, Oscar Harber, R. F. Meaders, Lock Williams, Sam Malone, Ben Smith, Will Dooze, S. P. Hathaway, Dee Oliver, E. V. Bateman, Gerald Black, B. C. Kirk, Neal Nutt, B. B. Westbrook, C. L. Hightower, A. F. Brock.

for a visit with children. She had been at Maverick with a son until two weeks ago when she became ill and was brought to Ballinger to be near a physician.

For several days she had been critically ill, pneumonia developing Monday. Nine of her children, all but one of those living, were here Wednesday for the funeral service.

The surviving children are: Oliver Creed, Peery Tunnell, Clarendon, R. P. Tunnell, Ballinger, Ross Tunnell, Dallas; Thurman Tunnell, Maverick; Miss Nancy Creed, Ballinger; Mrs. H. M. Smith, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Paul Middleton, Fort Worth; Mrs. Ernest Koontz, Ballinger; and Mrs. Jeffrey, Olney. Also surviving are sixteen grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Vanderpool officiating. Mrs. Tunnell had been a member of the Methodist church for more than 50 years.

The body was taken overland this (Thursday) morning to Bridgeport, where interment is to be made this afternoon in the family burial plot.

Higginbotham Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Ceselio Rodriguez Ceselio Rodriguez, 51, died at his home, 9 miles south of Ballinger on the Paint Rock highway, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Surviving relatives include the widow and two children.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday at 1 p. m. Rev. G. A. Boeckman officiating. Interment was made in the Mexican cemetery.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Local Methodists To Hold All-Day Old Time Services The congregation of the First Methodist Church of Ballinger has planned an all-day program for Sunday, October 27, which will include dinner at the church at noon. It will be home-coming and roll call day and a special effort is being put forth to have the entire membership in the services of the day.

It will be just a week before the annual conference convenes and the year's work will be completed by that time. The old time all-day service with a basket dinner at noon was suggested last week and women of the church voted Monday afternoon to lend their full support to the occasion and guarantee plenty of food for the meal.

The program will begin in the Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. when it is expected that the attendance will be double the normal. Rev. W. H. Vanderpool, pastor, will deliver a special sermon at the 11 o'clock hour and the choir will render special music. In the afternoon the roll call service will follow the dinner and late in the afternoon the singers of the church will present a twilight service of songs and other features.

The complete program will be arranged this week and announced at the services next Sunday.

Dan Woodroof was here from Abilene Wednesday, attending to business and visiting his father, G. O. Woodroof.

Read the ads—save money.

SOCIETY

Clubs Give Tea in Williams Home The Ballinger Shakespeare Club and the Ballinger Music Club were sponsors for a tea given Wednesday afternoon in the beautiful R. T. Williams home on Broadway.

The colors of the two clubs, gold and white and pink and green, were combined in the appointments for the affair. In the living room, roses, dahlias and marigolds stressed the white and gold, while masses of pink roses and dahlias graced the music and dining rooms.

The 140 guests who called in two groups were welcomed by Mrs. Williams, who presented the formal line composed of the officers of the two clubs. They were: Mmes. H. C. Lyon, W. B. Halley, Leonard Stallings, Horace Murphy, W. A. Green, J. G. Douglass, C. R. Stephens, Alex. McGregor, Troy Simpson, Misses Margaret New and Carmen Demmer.

Mrs. E. C. Baskin directed callers into the dining room.

The long tea table was laid in Normandy lace and centered with a large silver bowl filled with pink radiance roses and buds. Pink tapers burned in three-branched silver candelabra and silver compotes held pink and green rose mints.

Mrs. C. P. Shepherd and Mrs. Arthur Giesecke poured tea from silver services. Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., Miss Luella Williamson, Miss Wynis Greer, Mrs. W. H. Vanderpool, and Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw passed the plate which contained as a favor, marigolds.

Mrs. Orland Sims of Paint Rock, sang as vocal numbers "The Peasant Dance" and Brahms' "Lullaby." Mrs. Halley played her accompaniments. "The Juggler" by Severn and "Souvenir" by Drda were given as violin solos by Paul Trimmer, Jr., with Mrs. Alex. McGregor, accompanist. Mrs. J. A. Schnable read "The Water-Mill."

Miss Genevieve Green, junior club sponsor from the Shakespeare Club, explained the purpose and plan of organizing a junior woman's club.

Those desiring membership registered in a book presided over by Mrs. L. Schermerhorn. Sixty-five were enrolled.

Mrs. Schnable will assist Miss Green as sponsor from the Music Club.

Sixth District Federation of Music Clubs to Meet in San Angelo The sixth district convention, Texas Federation of Music Clubs will meet in San Angelo Friday and Saturday, October 25 and 26. Esther Johnson, internationally famous pianist, will be heard in concert Thursday evening at the municipal auditorium. She is called the greatest woman pianist living today and is being presented by the Philharmonic Society.

S. S. Class Entertains New Members The P. E. P. Class of the Methodist young people's department entertained on Monday evening in honor of the new class of girls promoted from the intermediate department with a Mexican supper given in the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Vanderpool on Tenth Street.

Red roses centered the dining room table and three quartet tables which were laid in red checked cloths where serenita place cards were used. Mary Simpson and Marion Grace Vanderpool, dressed as Spanish girls greeted

guests and served the tables. Toasts were given by Merna Sue Clark and Halley Holwegler. Present were: Misses Belva Watson, Mary Ruth Reese, Sid Reese, Katharine Bell, Kathryn Scales, Lula Mae and Merna Sue Clark, Jodie Laraine and Lolita Morrison, Holwegler, Rosemary Lasater, Annie Davis, Camille Behringer, Molinda Brown, Esther Eckerman, Ina Jean McKown, Margaret Louise Jones, Bettie Sue Barnett, Margaret Bean, Jennie V. Tunnell, Lucille Stokes and Lucille Hooks.

Circle in All-Day Quilting Methodist No. 1 Missionary Society circle members spent an enjoyable day on Wednesday at the church in an all-day quilting.

At the noon hour a picnic spread was provided by members who could not quilt.

In attendance were: Mmes. R. A. Dickinson, Viola Allison, John Weeks, W. W. Chastain, W. B. Woody, West, Corrie Simmons, Ed Page, Hamp Byler, Hugh Campbell, A. T. Campbell, H. C. Lyon, Audice Reese, Allen, J. M. Skinner, Etta Burroughs, W. A. Nance, J. A. Younger, Ed O'Kelly, Sam Behringer, Misses Alice Morgan, Mary Brian Woody and Bobbie Allen.

Dessert Luncheon for Triple-Four Mrs. Claude Stone was hostess at a prettily appointed dessert luncheon on Wednesday for members of the Triple Four Club and a few added friends.

Pink roses were artistically

arranged with agetatum to center the dining room table where Mrs. C. P. Shepherd and Mrs. J. G. Douglass presided. Plates containing chocolate ice box pudding had decorations of roses in the same shades.

Included were: Mmes. J. A. Schnable, T. W. Agnew, E. W. Stasney, Leslie Baker, M. S. Pat-Herman Giesecke, Jr., R. L. Harwell, R. W. Earnshaw, Harry Lynn, L. R. Tigner, J. B. Stripplin, K. V. rick, F. M. Pearce, J. C. Richards, Northington, Ross Murchison, Alex. McGregor, W. B. Woody, Leonard Stallings, O. R. O'Neill, Douglass, Shepherd, and Troy Simpson.

Bachelor Dinner Honors H. J. Zappe A bachelor dinner was given in honor of H. J. Zappe Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. J. Zappe on Sixth Street, by Oscar Zappe, of Pampa.

The five-course dinner was served at the dining room table, which was centered with a large bowl of bachelor buttons. An original toast, "To the Prospective Groom," was given by A. McGregor, another was "My Brother—a Sport and a Pal," by Oscar Zappe; and the honor guest responded with a toast, "The Bride-to-be."

The guest list included: Mr. McGregor, K. V. Northington, J. C. Sturges, Jr., W. B. Woody, Neil McAlpine, Rethal O'Kelly, Towner Dickinson, Albert Afflerbach, and Dr. C. F. Bailey.

Mrs. Zappe was assisted in serving

by her daughter, Mrs. Albert Afflerbach, of Winters.

Club Compliments Miss Trail The Afternoon Sewing Club complimented Miss Frances Trail on Wednesday evening with a surprise party at the home of Mrs. Neil McAlpine on Ninth Street. Lovely fall roses were used to decorate rooms where three bridge tables were in play.

Low score award went to Miss Trail, who also received a set of crystal goblets from the club.

A salad course was served with punch to the following guests: Misses Trail, Louise Batts, and Maggie Herring; Mmes. W. C. Rhoden, C. C. Sessions, J. G. Tuckey, Levy Lee, Billie Cordill, Horace Sessions, E. C. Grindstaff, J. C. Sturges, Jr., R. T. Trail and J. W. McCall.

Card of Thanks We wish to express our gratitude to the many friends for their helpful assistance and the beautiful floral offering at the time of our recent sorrow in the loss of our dear wife and mother. May the Lord bless and care for you.

A. P. Serratt, family, and relatives. 11-*

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Maddox, of Lubbock, came in Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Maddox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Padgett.

W. A. Nance, Jr., of Midland, visited relatives here Sunday.

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