

# THE BALLINGER LEDGER

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## Red Cross Roll Call Commenced in Ballinger

Red Cross roll call solicitors received instructions and supplies Wednesday morning, launching the drive to obtain 300 members for the organization in Ballinger. The campaign will be conducted by the Lions and Rotary clubs in the business district, each club agreeing to furnish teams to make the downtown canvass.

W. O. Wallace, local roll call chairman, stated that workers would be on the streets the remainder of this week seeking members, and that as each person signed up, he would receive a membership card and Red Cross button. Firms in which every employee becomes a member will receive a 100% banner to be placed on their front door.

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## Over 1,500 Attend Armistice Dinner At Rowena Sunday

Citizens of Rowena staged their annual Armistice celebration Sunday. It was held Sunday as many people could not have been present Monday. The festivities started in the morning and at noon between 1,500 and 2,000 guests were served dinner at O. D. H. S. Hall.

The dinner was typical of the splendid meals always served at public gatherings in Rowena. There was plenty of chicken, turkey, sausage, and all the trimmings. Serving began about 11:30 a. m. and was finished about 2:30 p. m.

After the dinner various booths afforded entertainment until the big auction sale in which several bales of cotton and other merchandise were auctioned to the highest bidder.

Many Ballingerites attended the celebration but only a few of the names could be learned, as follows: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Killough, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Zappe, Mrs. A. J. Zappe, Mr. and Mrs. Rothal.

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## 15,618 Bales of '35 Cotton Crop Ginned In County to Nov. 1

Runnels county gins had turned out 15,618 bales to November 1, as shown by the official report released Wednesday by the federal department of commerce through the Runnels county reporting agent, A. J. H. Borders. Total ginnings to the same date in 1934 were 19,624 bales.

Local cotton men believe the recent heavy frosts will make bolls open faster and within a few days picking will speed up in most sections of the county. Gins are operating steadily as the weather permitted picking to be resumed after the rains of last week.

Farmers are very busy at this time with several pressing jobs on hands. Many have started sowing grain and are operating drills full time, most of them planting idle land in oats and wheat.

Frosted feed will need attention at once and should be stored in some way within the next ten days. There is a large acreage of this feed which was about mature when frost came. Some row binders have been operating for the past ten days, cutting kafir, red top cane and other grain sorghums.

Unofficial estimates now on this county's cotton production are generally around 35,000 bales, a considerable decline from forecasts of a month ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forgy and son, James, of Brownwood, visited relatives here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemmie Davis and family attended the Methodist Central Texas conference at Brownwood Sunday.

## Will Launch Christmas Programs on December 6

Committees appointed last week to look after the Christmas decorations and programs here during December were in session Wednesday afternoon to set dates for the events and commence work. Business firms of Ballinger will be called upon to unite in one of the biggest series of programs of its kind ever offered here.

The perfected plans call for the formal opening of the Christmas show windows at 7 o'clock Friday evening, December 6. For two days before opening the windows they will be closed by shades or paper and not opened until the hour set for the public to view them and three judges to inspect and grade them. A slight change was made in the rules—scoring of windows will be on two points only, Christmas spirit and arrangement. Windows will be grouped in two classes, A and B, according to size, and cash awards will be given for the first, second and third in each class.

On Saturday, December 14, Santa

## Grand Jury Begins Probe of Crime as District Court Opens

The fall term of the 119th district court opened Monday morning and as soon as twelve men were accepted for grand jury service court adjourned in order to celebrate Armistice Day.

District Judge O. L. Parish, who received a severe injury when he fell at Coleman Friday, was able to preside at court Monday morning, although still suffering with a wrenched side.

Those accepted for duty on the grand jury are: E. Sheppard, foreman; S. D. Childers, clerk; Joe Baker, W. E. Hickman, C. M. Gooch, John T. Curry, C. W. Curry, W. E. Middleton, E. J. Cervenka, Willie Stephens, W. L. Alcorn and P. R. Dietz. Bailiffs named to assist the grand jury are: Carl Wilson, Gus Nunn and L. L. Williams.

A number of attorneys were in court Tuesday morning to confer with Judge Parish and arrange cases to be heard by the court this week.

Next Monday morning at 10 o'clock the first petit jury venire for the term will appear. Those summoned are: Thomas Eagan, Jr., Ballinger; Jones Taylor, Ballinger; Sam Malone, Ballinger; E. C. Hollingsworth, Winters; E. 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; Everett Witter, Ballinger; Bert Fletcher, Maverick; B. N. Wilke, Ballinger; Frank Johnson, Winters; J. Early 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 Forgy, Ballinger; E. C. Pape, Ballinger; W. H. Cole, Winters; Clyde Busch, Ballinger.

## Helena Undaunted by Earthquakes



Undaunted by new earthquakes which swelled to more than 700 the number of tremors which have shaken the city since Oct. 12, taking several lives and immense toll of property, residents of Helena, Mont., have launched the task of rebuilding numerous wrecked structures, such as those shown above. When the smokestack crashed down on the brewery shown at top, two men were killed. In the pioneer building shown below, a quake ripped away almost half the side wall.

## 20c Market Here Brings Many Turkeys to Dealers

### 7 Truck Operators Make Bonds Here After Arraignment

Cam Murray, J. W. White and P. J. Connolly, of the state railroad commission, were in Ballinger Wednesday checking up on violations of motor vehicle regulations. Several truck drivers were arrested and brought before Justice of the Peace B. W. Pilcher. All of the men made bond to appear December 5, and will fight their cases.

Those arrested for motor law violations which were principally for allegedly operating a truck without a railroad commission permit or with an expired permit were: D. M. Williams, Moody Sikes, H. D. James, O. J. Skipper, Coll Woods, A. S. Sanders, and Jess Pyles.

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Ballinger poultry dealers were swamped with turkeys Tuesday when a price of 20 cents was announced. Many producers who intended to sell their turkeys later in the week rushed them here Tuesday night to take advantage of the unexpected advance in the market and most produce houses remained open until midnight to accept birds.

Dressing plants are running full tilt and turkeys will be dressed, chilled and shipped in refrigerator cars to eastern markets for Thanksgiving dinners.

The quality of the general run of turkeys is better this year, practically all the birds classing as No. 1's. Production in the county this year will show a decline over that of previous years, however.

Dr. J. G. Douglass relates an incident of how turkey raising helps on the average farm. Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clifton, operating one of his farms in the county,

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## Higginbotham Lumber Yard Destroyed by Fire

One of the biggest fires here in several years broke out Sunday night about 10:30 at the vacant Higginbotham Brothers lumber yard. It is believed the fire originated in feed stored in the upper loft of the south section of the yard. The fire quickly spread and was well underway before the fire department got into action.

According to R. T. Williams, manager of the local Higginbotham store, the loss sustained by this firm will be between \$5,000 and \$6,000. The Gregory spring shop, in the southwest corner of the block, was completely gutted and the loss will probably total \$750.

When the fire company arrived the flames had spread over 150 or 200 feet of the lumber yard and was not put under control for an hour and a half. It took the firemen approximately 6 1/2 hours to extinguish the fire. Some trouble was experienced in getting all the volunteer firemen out to the fire as the drive belt operating the siren broke after sounding for only a few seconds. Many of the firemen did not hear the alarm and had to be notified by telephone. Very little damage was done to adjacent property. A small cow shed behind the lumber yard was destroyed, but the A. B. & W. Motor Lines office was not

damaged. Smoke fogged into the Patrick Chevrolet Co. building and all cars were moved outside but no actual damage is reported.

### COUNTY SINGERS TO MEET AT WILMETH SUNDAY

The Runnels County Singing Association convention will be held next Sunday at Wilmeth, according to the secretary, H. W. Bigler, of Miles. This meeting was postponed from last week because of inclement weather. Singers are invited to attend the all-day meeting and bring their friends.

Bob Fulkerson, of Winters, was in town Monday to attend the Ballinger-Brady football game.

Mrs. A. R. Jones, Mrs. Z. A. Snell and Horace McKay spent the week-end in Lubbock, visiting relatives and friends.

B. L. Malone, of Brady, was here Monday to attend the football game and visit friends.

### \$250.00 Reward

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**BALLINGER SCHOOL NEWS**  
By Genevieve King

An Armistice program was given by the students of the Ballinger high school Friday morning in chapel. The program was as follows:

"The Meaning of Armistice" Melvin Pullin  
War music band members  
"How the World War was Different from Other Wars" Rosemary Lassater  
Reading Ruth Smith  
Tableau "Spirit of 1918" Elizabeth Fowler, W. L. McMillan, Luther Reese, Frank Barnes, Louis Ruhmann, J. C. Chapman  
"America in the World War" Raymond Green  
War tunes assembly  
Pantomime "In Flanders Field" Elizabeth Fowler, Dorothy Lynn, Gladys Lee, Morgan, Gladys Kemp, Winnie Lee Jones, Jessie Rose Wallace, Frances Gustava  
"America" assembly  
Silent tribute to soldiers of World War

"Los Amigos," the club of the third period Spanish class, met last Thursday, November 7. The constitution was read by Wilma Sepp and its adoption was voted on by the club members. The program was opened by two Spanish songs sung by the club. Following this, a one-act play, entitled "Una Comedia," was given. The characters were as follows:

Hena Gladys Morgan  
Pedro Luther Reese  
Genovera Teddy Wardlaw  
Rafael Adam Lehnert  
Marie Ashton gave the third chapter of a continued story, "Las Primeras Lecturas." Gordon Brookshier contributed a song for the club song contest. The critic's report by Miss Meyer completed the program.

The Ballinger Bears tied the Brady Bulldogs in the game Monday with a score of 13-13. The cold weather kept the boys from doing their best. San Saba is the next rival on our schedule, and we shall meet them Friday. These next two games are the ones that really matter to the Bears and to the students and the football fans.

"La Mano Lista," the club of the seventh period Spanish class, met Tuesday afternoon, November 12. After Jewel Fulton led the club in singing Spanish songs, Irene Dierschke gave the names of Spanish-speaking countries. Dorothea Fowler told the story of San Sebastian. A contest was sponsored by the club for the best club song written by one of its members. Dorothea and Elizabeth Fowler, Margie Mae Holstead and Margaret Burk all contributed songs worthy of note. Miss Meyer also wrote a song. The one written by Margaret Burk and Miss Meyer were judged the best by the club. Following the program, refreshments were served by Gladys Kemp, chairman of the entertainment committee.

**Senior Highlights**

Ross Campbell lives at Hatch. He attended Hatch school for his first two years in high school. He represented Hatch in the track events in the county meet one year and won second place in relay. He won second in spelling in county meet. Ross went to district meet in essay writing and won second place there. He started to Ballinger high school in 1934. He was a member of the Spanish club, "Adelante" in 1934-35, and served as president of the club.

June Chase lives at Chubb. She attended the Cancho school the first two years that she was in high school. She took part in baseball and volleyball there, and was an active worker in Sunday school and N. Y. P. U. She started to Ballinger high school in her junior year, 1934-35.

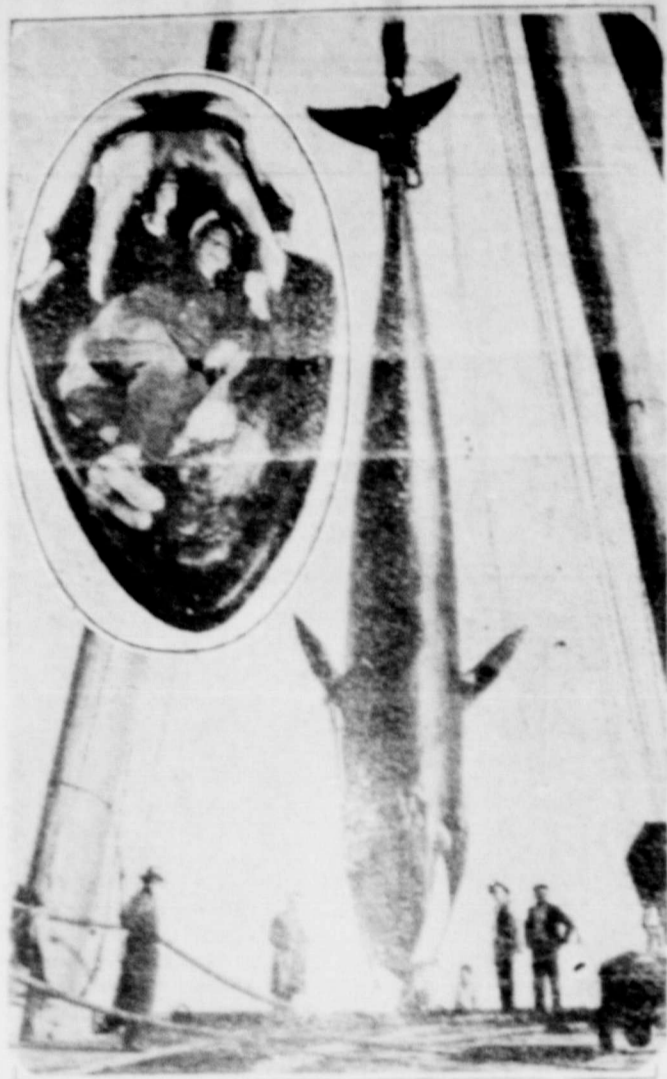
Annie Davis lives at 906 Broadway. She has been attending Ballinger high school for the past three years. She was a member of the Literary Club in 1934-35 and served as Vice-president of the organization. Annie was a member of the pep squad in 1934-35, and is again a member this year. She is at present also a member of the Spanish club, "La Mano Lista."

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**Whale to be Exhibited in Ballinger**



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The exhibit is on a specially constructed all-steel railroad car over 100 feet long, and will be placed on a siding near the Santa Fe freight depot for exhibition next Tuesday, November 19.

Everywhere that this exhibit car has appeared, it has created a wide community interest because of its educational value to the younger element, who can see at first hand what their parents in most instances have not been able to witness during their lives.

Captain David Barnett, veteran whaling commander, will appear here personally with the exhibit, and is "skipper" in charge of a crew of thirty men that accompany the whale. They explain the modern and old time methods of whaling.

The exhibit will be open from noon until 9 p. m.

**Diarrhea Declared Common Ailment Among Livestock**

By J. A. Williams

Diarrhea is the most rapid passage of food material and liquids through the bowels. According to the common term for this condition, it is nature's method of ridding the system of irritating substances. Incomplete clearing of food from the or irregular teeth, or from greatly feeding is a common cause. Incomplete, unwholesome food, intestinal worms, and bacterial infection may also cause scour.

In calves it is often caused by feeding milk containing a high percentage of butterfat, by feeding milk from dirty containers, allowing too long a period between feeds, irregular nursing and exposure to damp or cold, by weaning too early, by feeding sour milk or milk substitutes, and by sucking of diseased udders.

The bowel discharges are frequent, thin, watery, and foul smelling. Affected calves may

**Duck Season Will Open November 20 With Bag Limit 10**

The duck season will open in this zone November 20 and continue for 30 days, closing December 19. J. P. Flynn, state game warden, has received many instructions regarding the duck season, indicating strict enforcement of this section of the game laws. A number of changes have been made, including the opening date of the season and reducing the shooting period to one month.

Any person hunting ducks must obtain a federal stamp from his postmaster or be subject to a heavy fine by the federal authorities. State game wardens have been told to keep a close watch for these stamps and report anyone caught hunting without one. The new regulation permits only three shells in a gun and requires that an attachment be put on all pump and automatic guns limiting the magazine to this number of shells.

Another part of the law this year which will greatly affect hunters in this section is that making it unlawful to hunt after 4 p. m. The legal hours are from sunrise until 4 p. m.

The bag limit is 10 ducks and no person may have more than that number in his possession at one time, whether in his hunting bag or at home in the refrigerator. Many ducks have arrived in this part of the state in the past two weeks and lakes and streams will provide good shooting for some time after the season opens.

**Olfenites Prepare For Thanksgiving Dinner, Program**

Citizens of the Olfen community, as in years past, will celebrate Thanksgiving Day, by staging their annual bazaar for the benefit of their church. An invitation is being broadcast the public to take Thanksgiving dinner in Olfen and enjoy the hospitality of the Olfen people. The entertainment program will continue throughout the day and provide amusement for old and young.

The housewives of the parish will prepare their famous dinner, consisting of turkey, chicken, sausage, and all the trimmings that are required for a real Thanksgiving feast. The women will also be in charge of the fancy stand and fish pond. The men will operate refreshment stands and others that provide amusements.

The auction sale of donated cotton and merchandise given by business men of Ballinger, Rowena and Paint Rock will begin at 2 p. m. Alphonse Strube is to be

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"I knew it," moaned the patient. "You've struck my back collar button."

Mandy: "Yes, sah, doctor. I done fears Ah has an infernal injury. I jes' slipped on a banana peel an'—"

Doctor: "You mean internal injury, Mandy, not infernal. Infernal means the lower regions."

Mandy: "Well, dat's it doctor—internal."

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the auctioneer. The price of the dinner will be 40c for adults and 25c for children. Serving will begin at 11:30 a. m. and continue until everyone has been waited on.

Circulars are being distributed in this section to advertise the occasion.

**SKIN GAME ARTIST WORKS DALLAS CLERK**

A young woman walked into a Dallas department store recently, looking over a new shipment of fur coats, found one that suited her taste and asked how much. The clerk told her \$500, and she said she would take it.

She reached into her purse and brought out a \$1,000 bill which she offered in payment. The startled clerk told her that he would have to get an o. k. from

the bank on the bill. When he made a note of the serial number, she left in a huff, saying that she would not want the coat if he didn't trust her.

For curiosity, the clerk called the bank, found that the bill was all right and became quite sick at having missed the sale. An hour later the lady returned and said she would take the coat in spite of the treatment she had received at the store. A \$1,000 bill was given in payment. The customer left and the clerk was quite happy that he had recalled a lost customer. But he became sicker than before when he learned that the second bill was phoney.

Three persons in Japan were not expected to observe the 1935 census. They are the emperor, the empress and empress dowager.

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Resources	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$80,317.73
Loans secured by real estate	2,386.35
Securities of U. S. any State or political subdivision thereof	1,441.42
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping	3,575.00
Banking House	12,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,564.94
Real estate owned, other than banking house	4,456.80
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	25,251.36
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	2,424.50
Other Resources:	
Profit and loss	9.28
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$139,927.36</b>
Liabilities	
Capital Stock	\$5,000.00
Income Debentures Sold	25,000.00
Total Capital Structure	\$50,000.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	74,454.38
Time certificates of deposit	1,850.00
Customers' bonds deposited for safe keeping	3,575.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$139,927.36</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF RUNNELS,  
We, E. F. Batts, as President, and T. B. Saunders, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
E. F. BATTIS, President  
T. B. SAUNDERS, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November, A. D. 1935.  
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# Rural

### CREWS CHATTER

After another enforced rest, farmers are glad to get back in the field. Feed is being cut, grain being sowed and cotton picking resumed.

J. G. Phipps and C. E. Branham left Tuesday morning for Corsicana to attend the Baptist Missionary State Association meeting.

W. H. Pape is reported ill. Forrest Davis is in Dallas at the bedside of his brother, Otis Davis, who is reported seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. W. Wood entertained Tuesday evening of the previous week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Branham. A number of nice gifts were presented the young couple. Sandwiches, cake, and hot chocolate were served.

Mrs. Caldwell, of Muskogee, Oklahoma, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Wilkerson, and family. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charley Caldwell, who returned home after a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McBeth and family visited relatives here Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Blackmon and family, Mrs. J. T. Lucas and Miss Ruth were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Traylor, of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth and Mr. and Mrs. Key O'Neal attended the singing convention at Novice Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis and daughter, Mrs. Mozelle Allison, returned Monday of the previous week from Norman, Oklahoma, after a three weeks' visit with their daughter, Mrs. Jim Smith, and family.

Mrs. Sid Dietz spent a few days recently in the home of her sister, Mrs. Carl Baldwin, and family, of Winters. Mrs. Baldwin and little daughter were seriously injured in a recent car wreck but are reported doing fairly well at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Galloway, of Stacy, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jayroe.

Friends here extend sympathy to Bob Lewis and Mrs. W. F. Clark and families, and other bereaved ones, in the loss of their mother and grandmother Thursday of the previous week.

Bart Walden, of East Texas, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walden, recently.

E. L. King's grocery store was broken into and robbed of approximately fifty dollars' worth of groceries Sunday night. No arrests have been made yet.

Leonard Wilkerson and daughter, Miss Dorintha, and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Caldwell motored over to San Angelo Sunday afternoon.

Wallace Traylor returned Sunday from Palo county, where he had been for the past two weeks.

### NORTH NORTON NEWS

Mrs. Doug Overman and Mrs. Curtis Dyce, of Wilmeth, were visitors in the A. K. Murphy, Jr., home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniels, of Drasco, were visitors in the A. W. Nix home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson, of Drasco, were visitors in the Ira McNeill home Sunday.

Mrs. Mann, of Norton, was a visitor in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Boyd Murphy, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Bryan and children, of Wingate, visited in

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bryan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nix were visitors in Ballinger Monday.

Feed cutting is being rushed by the farmers since the freeze Sunday and Monday nights.

There seems to be a shortage of cotton pickers at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bryan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isbell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Huck Desmore, of Maverick, were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Smith.

Bill Smith, of Midland, is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Smith.

Misses Daisy Ruth Sebastian and Maxine Crockett were shopping in Ballinger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ensor, of Wilmeth, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lawler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryan visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hutton, Jr., Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Little and Mrs. F. Y. Little and daughter visited in the Doug Overman home at Wilmeth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Robinson transacted business in Ballinger Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bryan and R. H. Bryan transacted business in Ballinger Friday.

Mrs. F. E. Lawler and daughter, Hazel, were guests in the Dave Underwood home Tuesday.

### BENOIT BEATS

Old Man Winter accompanied by Jack Frost was an unwelcome visitor in our country Monday and Tuesday. While the cold killed the late feed and all late gardens, it will have a tendency to hasten the opening of cotton if it was not matured.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Ebsner, of Dallas, came up Tuesday and will leave Wednesday morning with their father, S. T. Williams, for Albany. Mr. Williams has been seriously ill for several weeks at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cleff Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Green were guests in the O. C. Cox home Sunday evening.

James M. Clayton was carried to the Scott & White Sanitarium at Temple one day last week. His many friends will be glad to know that he is doing very well and hope he will be able to come home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hoffman and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rampy were visitors in the W. T. Hill home Sunday.

The many friends of Rev. E. C. Morton will be glad to know that he has been returned to Talpa for another year. Bro. Morton is a fine man and a good preacher. Henry Moody and wife were visitors in the C. M. Gibson home over the week-end.

Milton Gibson and wife were visiting their sister, Mrs. Ethel Martin, of Brownwood, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clack and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cole Sunday.

Joe Muller took advantage of the norther Monday and killed a big fat hog and yours truly is thinking very seriously of taking dinner with Joe next Sunday.

### MANN MISCELLANY

Mr. and Mrs. Egin Davidson and Phil visited the L. B. Hensleys Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Harden, Tuff and Lewis, Jake Henderson and Luther Smith sat till bedtime in the Hensley home Wednesday night.

Catherine Pearl Smith spent

the week-end and over Armistice Day at home.

Grannie Hamner and Mrs. O. K. Paschal and children visited Mrs. Wiley in Ballinger Sunday.

The Community Club met Friday night with a good crowd present, carried out the program and elected Leland McWilliams, secretary, and Miss Rampy, assistant secretary and treasurer. After the program and business meeting the social hour was spent quite pleasantly as old and young enthusiastically "pre-formed" again the first speech, poem or song they ever gave. Cookies and hot chocolate were served.

J. A. Sneed made a business trip to Wilmeth Monday.

The people of our community are well pleased that Bro. Call will be the Methodist pastor for another conference year. He preaches here at 10 o'clock the first and third Sunday mornings.

First school at both places is 11 o'clock. We invite everyone to attend one of our Sunday schools.

Mrs. Mason went home Friday afternoon for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bryan, Jack Duncan and Jr. and M. T. Hensley made a short visit with Buck Hensley and family Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Waldrop carried a truck load of fans to the football game at Divide Saturday.

The Community Club is sponsoring a sock supper to be given Wednesday night, November 27. Everyone is invited to come and bring a filled pair of socks or money to purchase a pair.

Everyone is trying to get his cotton picked these pretty days. Row binders are in demand also.

Mrs. Mason spent Tuesday night in town. Miss Rampy spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

### Other rural correspondence on page seven

### Use Plastic Surgery to Revamp Felons' Faces

Philadelphia.—Plastic surgery is used now at the Eastern penitentiary to "make over" faces of some of the inmates on the theory a nose is just as important to a convict's welfare as a good job—once he is out of prison.

It was started when Dr. Michael M. Wolfe, a friend of Warden Horriert ("Hard Boiled") Smith, declared prisoners were taught trades and occupations for future life, but that those with battered faces, twisted noses or disfiguring scars were handicapped from the start.

Doctor Wolfe for the last year attempted the transformation of some of the toughest faces in the rogues gallery gratis.

"Camera-eyed" detectives, who in the past have made it their business to remember convicts, in the future may be fooled by the made-over faces.

### Four Mascots Given Free License Tags

Washington.—"Al," "Matt," "Bert" and "Jack Rags" are just plain dogs, but as far as the district government is concerned they rate high in canine circles. So high, in fact, that they were issued new tags without cost.

"Al" is the brown and white bull mascot of No. 8 Engine company. "Matt" is official watchman at the street cleaning department stables.

"Bert," an English shepherd, is mascot of No. 22 Engine company, while "Jack Rags" plays around the garbage transfer station.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carroll spent Sunday with Mr. Carroll's brother at Richland Springs.

Mrs. Otis Jacob was operated on for appendicitis at the Halley & Love Sanitarium Tuesday night.

She is reported to be improving and is expected to be able to leave the hospital soon.

Miss Florence Smith is in the Halley & Love Sanitarium in a very critical condition. An infection which developed early this week was the cause of grave alarm this (Thursday) morning

### SHUT OFF SALE OF GUNS TO GANGSTERS

#### Thompson Arm to Be Confined to Military Use.

Washington.—Taught a lesson by the hundreds of gangster killings in the past six years, lawmakers throughout the country are considering ways and means of removing sub-machine guns from the underworld.

The first move in this direction has been taken by the single concern manufacturing the gun. Sale of the weapon has been forbidden except for military purposes.

But the damage has been done. The gangsters have the gun—hundreds of them—and only time and unremitting vigilance on the part of police officers will serve to clean this potential source of sudden death from the hands of the lawbreakers.

Brig. Gen. John T. Thompson is horrified at the use to which his invention has been put. Placed on the market in 1921, the guns almost immediately began to reach the underworld. More and more of the guns were diverted from the legitimate trade channels into this quarter, as the gangsters began to realize that here was a gun vastly superior to the automatic pistol and other old weapons.

For ten years there was no supervision over the sale of the guns. When occasion arose, as it usually did after a gangland killing, of checking the ownership of a gun the quest always ended at the dealer who sold it. In most cases fictitious names were given by persons who bought the guns.

Fake Concern Bought Guns. Not all of the guns, however, were acquired by gangsters through purchase from dealers. Thompson sub-machine guns have had a habit of disappearing from the hands of the police, bank and industrial guards, and other legitimate possessors and turning up with gangsters behind them.

That is why the manufacturers have stopped selling to such persons. In one case a fake company was organized specifically by gangland to obtain the guns in various lots. It operated for several months before authorities discovered what was going on.

The gangsters obtained the guns "by hook or by crook." If one state made rigid regulations for the sale of all guns—as a number have in the past few years—the gangsters moved to an adjoining state, bought all they wanted there, and smuggled them across the border.

One of the first incidents calling attention to the use to which Thompson's invention was being placed was a mail truck robbery in Elizabeth, N. J., in October, 1926. Eight gangsters, armed with sub-machine guns, drove up to a mail truck and, without warning, turned one gun full on the truck. With another they laid a protective barrage across the street intersection, driving the populace to cover.

The guards in the truck didn't have a chance. One was killed, and three fell wounded. The bandits fled, abandoning one gun as they departed with about \$100,000 of Uncle Sam's money which they obtained from the truck.

In the same month—in Chicago—

came the Hynde Weiss murder. A gang leader and foe of Al Capone, he was shot down on the steps of a cathedral where he had taken refuge. The killers fired from an upper window of an apartment across the street, and Weiss fell dead with 12 slugs in his body.

Gun Called "Lawn Mower." In such ways has the Thompson sub-machine gun been put to use. Gangsters call it a "lawn mower," an apt name.

After the Weiss killing there followed a string of machine gun murders and holdups too numerous to mention. The "tigers" were biting in the underworld jungle. There is every evidence that such weapons were and are an essential part of every efficient gangster's equipment.

The infamous St. Valentine's day massacre in Chicago, when seven of "Bugs" Moran's gang were lined up against a wall and "mowed" down, brought to light many more facts concerning the machine-gun warfare among the cliques of the underworld.

A twenty-three-year-old girl, cruising on a pleasure yacht at Waukegan, Ill., a short time ago was shot when a machine gun splintered from the shore, sending her to the deck and imperiling the lives of 13 other persons.

No one knows who did it. No one knows why. It was just another "tiger" loose in the jungle of the underworld.

### 67 "Betties" Fail in Claims to \$2,000 Estate

Detroit, Mich.—Because none of the 67 "Betties" who claimed the estate left by Thomas F. Sheehan could prove their claims, the estate, amounting to \$2,000, went to Mary Margaret Gilner, a distant relative living at Martin's Ferry, Ohio. The Ohio girl, a seventeen-year-old orphan, had never even heard of Sheehan, who left a note, on his death, bequeathing his money to "Betty."

### Federal Prisoners Farm 900 Acre Tract of Land

Lewisburg, Pa.—Two carloads of farming machinery arrived at the new northeastern federal penitentiary for use on the 900-acre farming tract connected with the governmental penal reservation. The machinery included tractors, plows, and other equipment.



NEW MULTIPLE PLATE Gould Batteries give you 6 to 18 EXTRA PLATES!

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### SHERIFF HOLT RETURNS ALLEGED AUTO THIEF

Sheriff W. A. Holt returned Tuesday morning from San Antonio where he went Monday to return a Mexican wanted in this county on an automobile theft charge. The man, Franklin Martinez, is charged with the theft of a model A Ford from A. W. Pustka, of Rowena, last Saturday night. He was arrested by

San Antonio officers and Sheriff Holt notified.

The Mexican is being held in jail here without bond and will be haled before the grand jury in session this week.

Mrs. Minnie Mayhew and Miss Eloise Jones visited friends at Brownwood over the week-end.

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The greatest part of the service we render is to the living. It is they who are the sufferers, and it is for their comfort that our organization—its facilities and equipment have been developed.

## STATEMENT of Condition

### THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER

November 1, 1935

#### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$262,874.66
Overdrafts	549.54
Banking House	37,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	7,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	4,500.00
Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. (Paid \$1,240.62)	1.00
RESERVE:	
U. S. Treasury Obligation	\$ 28,300.00
Bonds and Warrants	57,125.00
Bills of Exchange	37,110.63
CASH AND EXCHANGE	389,968.09 512,503.72
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	68,932.29
DEPOSITS	656,496.63
825,428.92	

We carry no state, county or municipal interest bearing deposits.

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Past, Present and Future.  
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Volunteer Firemen In Annual Meeting: 100 Guests Present

The annual meeting of the Ballinger fire department was held Friday evening at the central station with all members and their families, members of the advisory board, and a number of invited guests present.

C. B. Rose acted as hostmaster for the occasion and highlights on the program included an address by J. J. Moseley, and the annual report by Chief Chester Cherry.

Out-of-town visitors included John Skelton, F. E. Powell, and Ollie Floyd and their families, of Junction. Each visiting fireman spoke briefly at the conclusion of the program, extending greetings from Junction and complimenting the Ballinger department.

In the annual report Mr. Cherry mentioned 134 newly elected and appointed officers and the standing committee. Mr. Rose is the new president. Ollie Hamilton, vice-president; D. D. Power, secretary-treasurer; Ray W. E. Doss, chaplain; Jim Bush, Jr., janitor; George Lee Morgan, speaker; and Dr. F. M. Shaw, physician. Dr. Shaw was elected department physician for the 1935 year and has been elected chaplain for the 1935 year. Dr. Shaw was presented with a service button by Chief Cherry.

Mr. Cherry was elected chief, Jim Bush, first assistant, George Hamilton, second assistant, George Hamilton, third assistant, Mr. Power, driver of truck No. 1 and mechanic, O. K. Morgan, driver of truck No. 2 and K. E. Reed, driver of truck No. 3, mechanical truck.

Members of the advisory board are: E. M. Lynn, mayor; George F. Nelson, city commissioner; Henry Jones, E. L. Harwell, E. G. Brown, Neal Watt, Scott H. Mark, Jack Bush, J. E. Jones, C. C. Nelson, and Joe Geringer. Noting members after the meeting were: Tom Casella, L. L. Sorenson, J. W. Lynn, E. F. Balle and C. E. Stone.

Committee appointments were as follows: Finance, C. C. Nelson, E. G. Brown, Earl Schramm; refreshments, Mrs. Thomas Dickinson, Mrs. Kate Cox, Mrs. Ollie Hamilton, Mrs. Ernest Miller, Mrs. J. D. Moseley, entertainment, Mr. Moseley, Mr. Rudd, Mrs. Maudie Morgan, social, Mrs. D. G. Power, Mrs. Chester Cherry, publicity, Mr. Power.

Captain of the department was pumper, Mr. Power; hose, Mr. Bush; engine, Mr. Hamilton; fire pit, Mr. Barker; ladder, E. A. Miller; chemical, E. E. Avery; gas mask, Elsie Cox; tools, Marvin Clark; ventilation, Lee McMillan; instructions training, Mr. Cherry; fire prevention, J. L. Marshall. Chief Cherry announced that the team to take in Ballinger was 14:17.75. Losses for the preceding year were \$2,260.

Time on day payments at Fireman's.

Firemen.

You are invited to call at my shop and see the new Delta City Soap. It is the best soap on the market. It does not irritate the skin. It does not dry. It is perfect for all hands and all uses and uses. Perfectly adaptable. Proving the life of your skin. These are the only methods which do not irritate the skin. Call and see the work I am doing for you.

J. F. DODD, Ballinger, Texas.

G. G. Woodford spent the weekend in Abilene, making his way to Dan Woodford.

Miss Kathryn Alford and Miss Taylor returned to school at Camp Monday after passing midterms with several days.

Use only one level teaspoonful to a cup of flour for most recipes. Efficient and Economical KC BAKING POWDER. Same price today as 45 years ago. 25 cents for 15c. Manufactured by Baking Powder Specialists who make nothing but Baking Powder. MILLIONS OF POUNDS HAVE BEEN USED BY OUR GOVERNMENT.

Janet Gaynor Leading Woman In "The Farmer Takes a Wife"

Continuation marched westward over the turbulent Erie waterway in four-mile-an-hour boats and strong men hunched out an engine and held the love of beautiful women with their steady gaze.

That is the glamorous atmosphere of the picture "The Farmer Takes a Wife," which opens at the Palace Theatre. The picture will also be shown at the Palace Monday.

When the leader line story of Janet Gaynor and Henry Fonda, the stars of the film, all of the excitement, humor, romance and heart-drama of this seven-to-be-longest-episode picture.

Miss Gaynor is a girl of the Erie waterway, fascinated by the life of a boy who works on the canal. Her dream is to marry a rich man to buy the farm he has always wanted.

Although these two realize that there is the fundamental difference between them, they cannot help being drawn together by love.

As a splendid, well-told drama, "The Farmer Takes a Wife" is a picture that will give the audience a real sense of the life of the Erie waterway.

The direction is by Victor Fleming.

Barbara Stanwyck Costing in "Red Salute"

"Following an absence of six weeks, during which she took a well-earned rest, Barbara Stanwyck returns to the screen in a new picture, "Red Salute," to be presented at the Palace Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

"Red Salute" is no longer under the shadow of the shadow, and in the future will show her new starring vehicle. The film will be much more interesting to work for than the opportunity to play dramatic roles.

An opportunity of this nature was offered her by producers Harry M. Green and Edward Small in "Red Salute," and she readily accepted the assignment. Instead of her familiar young romantic roles, Barbara gives a light, breezy, romantic comedy part.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richardson were among those who attended the annual Methodist conference at Greenwood Sunday.

PALACE THEATRE "Where Happiness Costs So Little" SUNDAY and MONDAY AT THE CROSSROADS OF A NATION IN THE MAKING On the Screen JANET GAYNOR and HENRY FONDA The FARMER TAKES a WIFE On the Stage Local "Farmer" Will "Take a Wife" Monday Night A real wedding with everyone invited to witness it. Immediately after the first show a Ballinger couple will be married on the stage. Added Feature: Late Paramount News HIGHLIGHTS



"The Farmer Takes a Wife" opens at the Palace Theatre. The picture will also be shown at the Palace Monday.

Dr. Van Allen, a temperance evangelist, got with a fair for business purposes. She is quick-witted, clever, and a good woman. As Robert's friend, in the role of a young girl, she is a good girl. She is a good girl. She is a good girl.

Barbara Stanwyck, Gordon Jones and Paul Stanton head the supporting cast of this interesting comedy. "Red Salute" is released through United Artists.

When Coughs Hang On--Worry

Don't feel with every coughing convulsion. Get help at once and you'll cough and hang on. You'll cough and hang on. You'll cough and hang on.



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Souvenirs for A.E.F. Veterans Keep Paris Legion Post on Jump

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Although the World War ended about seventeen years ago, A. E. F. veterans now resident in the United States will cherish the memory of their service in France, judging by the requests for souvenirs which come to Paris Post, American Legion.

These souvenirs range from war medals to battle pins, from commemorative whistles to "sacred soil" from an American battle sector. From "42 and 4" war pins to French flags used during the war. Indeed, the most substantial relic furnished during 1935 was a valuable "memento of the war," which served to transport soldiers during the historic battle of September, 1918. The relic is now on its way to Portland, Oregon, where it will become the property of the Grande Vitesse and the Forty and Eight Society, an American Legion affiliate.

When this request arrived, James L. McCann, "grand chef de gare" of the Station de France, appointed a committee to examine the relic certificate of this relic, to ascertain its authenticity and then arrange for its transportation to Oregon.

During the war, the A. E. F. trouper received his memento primarily to express his disgust with the "memento" provided by the "42 and 4" railroad cars, but now through some strange link in the veteran's psychology, he seeks back with willingness and affection toward these same relic cars.

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Typewriter paper at Ledger office.

PALACE Where Happiness Costs So Little FRIDAY-SATURDAY HOWARD HUGHES SCARFACE

Plus: Edger Kennedy in "In Love at 40" Easy Aces

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY Nov. 13 and 14

ADVENTURE CALLS! Here's the year's greatest action picture... BARBARA STANWYCK RED SALUTE ROBERT YOUNG

Talking Pictures For Blind People Boon to Afflicted

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Talking books and talking machines for the blind are made possible by the invention of a war-blinded writer. At present talking books are made for the blind in gramophone records. But by means of the "litraphone," as the new appliance is called, a reading of a full-length novel can be recorded on about 300 feet of film and projected so that the voice of the reader may continue with a minimum of interruption. This is achieved by the application of sound-on-film principles.

But where the film of the cinema theatre is projected at the rate of ninety feet per minute, that of the "litraphone" will pass through its sound projector at just over twenty-two feet per minute.

Alled with this slow-motion projection is a system of multi-track recording by means of which twenty sound-tracks run to and fro along the 300-foot length of film. In this way something like 10,000 feet of sound-track can be packed into 300 feet of standard-sized film.

Examiner Practice Here

I have returned to Ballinger after an absence of five months and will resume the practice of chiropractic at my office on the second floor of the Deane building. All of my old friends and patients are invited to come to see me.

DR. NETTIE MONTGOMERY 34-12

Mr. Madson spent the week-end at Camp, visiting his son, Robert, Mr. Madson. The football game will be held in a between Camp and Ranger, Wednesday night. It will be played at 7:30 Friday.

We meet again—Fremont's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Truay went to Greenwood Monday to accompany Miss Mary Elizabeth Truay and Bobbie Taylor back to Howard Payne College, where they are students this year.

Mr. Donald Sage spent Sunday and Monday in Cleburne.

Read the ads—save money.

QUEEN 10c 20c "The Home of the Best Westerns" Friday and Saturday

Bob STEELE The RIDER of the LAW

Added Comedy "Wig Wag" Plus Serial—"Phantom Empire"

Monday and Tuesday

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Thrilling drama—glorious romance—in a dangerous corner of big city life! also Young Romantic "Moon Over Manhattan"

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**Sheriff's Sale**

STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Runnels:

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bell County on the 5th day of November, 1935, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of H. C. Glenn, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, a private corporation, versus C. G. Smith, Winnie Smith, E. A. Shepperd, No. 21,617, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in December, A. D. 1935, it being the 3rd day of said month, before the Court House door of said Runnels County, in the town of Ballinger, the following described property, to-wit:

All of Lots 4 and 5, Block 2, of Vancell's Addition to the town of Winters, Runnels County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated.

Levied on as the property of C. G. Smith and Winnie Smith to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1,097.16 in favor of H. C. Glenn, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, a private corporation, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of November, 1935.

W. A. HOLT,  
Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas  
7-14-21

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All of Lot 1, Block 1, Vancell's Addition to the town of Winters, Runnels County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated.

Levied on as the property of E. D. Rhea to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1,100.48 in favor of H. C. Glenn, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, a private corporation, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of November, 1935.

W. A. HOLT,  
Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas  
7-14-21

The will of a New Jersey woman left \$250 to her dog, and not one cent to her spouse. The husband has brought suit to break the will, probably claiming that having led a dog's life since marriage he is entitled to an even break with the pooch.

Approximately 2,000 acres of farn land in Texas county, Oklahoma, has been contracted for terracing projects.

**SPORTS**

The Bearcats are being called on to do the "iron man" trick this week! Their 13-13 tie with Brady Monday was plenty of work for one week, and with only three day's rest they must meet the headliners of the district, the San Saba Armadillos.

The population of San Saba is expected to move in here Friday to support its club which is in sight of the district crown. A win for the Armadillos will give them the championship and the right to meet their bi-district opponents the week after Thanksgiving in the race that will lead to a regional championship.

San Saba people here Monday afternoon indicated that several hundred from there will accompany the team to Ballinger Friday, including the entire high school pep squad. The game will be called promptly at 3 p. m.

Fans get a big kick in figuring the "ifs" of the championship chase. "If" the local lads defeat the Armadillos and the Winters Blizzards the Bearcats will be champions. "If" they defeat the San Sabans and tie the Blizzards, it will leave a tie between the three teams. "If" Ballinger wins Friday and loses to Winters it will give the Blizzards the crown.

Fans saw next to the impossible happen Monday afternoon. McMillan resorted to passing and heaved 9 of them to big Malish, Bearcat left end, and the lanky lad took eight of them for completed passes. He grabbed them high in the air, off his shoe strings from among as many as three opponents, but he always grabbed them and gave the best display of the passing game ever seen by the 1,000 spectators. McMillan did his share in throwing the passes which were perfectly timed and like a bullet.

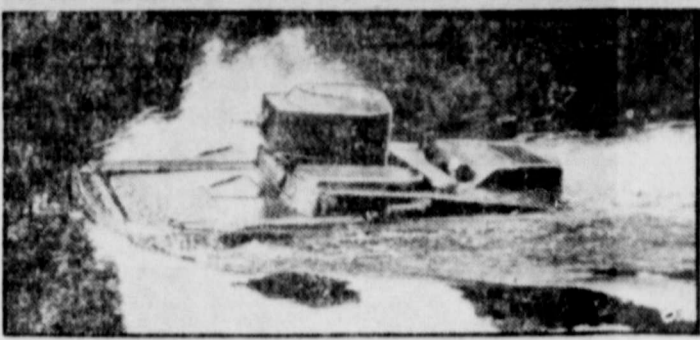
The Bearcat defense was still weak Monday and on offense their interference and blocking was pitiful. McMillan and Koronek flashed in carrying the ball at times, but gained their ground without any blocking support.

Williams, fleet-foot San Saba halfback, is credited with being the fastest and shiftest man in the district. No club has stopped him from ripping off long gains off tackle and around end this season. This record is enough to warn the local lads that they have a full afternoon's work ahead of them.

Winters will be represented by many people here Friday and every one will be pulling for the Bearcats. If the Bearcats lose, it also means they are out of the race.

**"MY SKIN WAS FULL OF PIMPLES AND BLIMISHES"**  
Says Verna Schiepp. "Since using Adlerika the pimples are gone. My skin is smooth and glows with health." Adlerika washes BOTH bowels, rids you of poisons that cause a bad complexion. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co., In Rowena at Shiller's Pharmacy.

**War Tanks Have Gone Amphibian**



The powerful, lumbering tank of World War days has evolved into a speedier, more efficient, and manueverable war machine, as revealed above. Like huge metal rhinoceroses, modern Soviet amphibian tanks are shown above fording a stream and emerging from the water.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lynn, of this city, and T. S. Lankford, of Abilene, went to Fort Worth Sunday to attend the funeral of J. J. Sweet, who died there suddenly Saturday from a heart attack.

Mrs. Sweet will be remembered in Ballinger as Miss Maud Saunders, a cousin of Mrs. Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Corbett returned Monday from Shawnee, Oklahoma, after a week-end visit with friends.

Mrs. Viola Allison left Tuesday for Denton to be at the bedside of a niece who is critically ill.

A. O. Strother, of Winters, was here Tuesday to attend to legal business in 119th district court.

**1,000 See Ballinger, Brady Teams Battle to 13-13 Tie**

A crowd of 1,000 people braved the first blizzard of the winter to see the Ballinger-Brady football game Monday. The stinging cold affected the scoring to some extent but spectators saw a thrilling finish that left the two high school teams in a 13-13 tie.

The Bulldogs gained almost at will in their running attack but the passing combination of McMillan to Malish was too much for the invaders and kept the Ballinger team in the running. During the game nine passes were thrown to Malish and the big fellow took eight of them successfully to make practically all the first downs for the Bearcats and one that tied the score in the closing minutes of play. All the credit was not due Malish, however, as McMillan threw the pigskin like a bullet straight into the big fellow's arms.

The visitors piled up 14 first downs to the locals' 8 but the yardage was more even due to the long passes by the Bearcats. The eight passes caught by Malish totalled 100 yards gained.

The Bearcats drew first blood after working the ball to the Bulldogs' 6-yard stripe. McMillan crashing through the center of the line for the touchdown. His kick was good for the extra point. The Bulldogs came back quickly to tie the score with a series of running plays.

In the third quarter the visitors took the lead when they completed a long pass across the goal line. A local rally came the last few minutes of the game

when the Bearcats recovered a fumble on the 20-yard line. McMillan took the ball and waited until Malish was in the open behind the goal line and threw a fast one to him which was good for the tying score. The try for point failed and the game soon ended.

The San Saba Armadillos, leading team in the district, will be here Friday afternoon at 3:30 for a game with the Bearcats. This game will have a direct bearing on the title, and should the Armadillos defeat the Ballinger team they will be the undisputed champions of district 18-B. While the Winters Blizzards held the San Sabans to a scoreless tie they have easily defeated all other teams in the district.

Tires, Tubes and Batteries at Freeman's 8-11

**IDAHO MAN SPEAKS BEFORE ROTARY CLUB**

Dick Wells, Rotary international speaker from Idaho, attended a meeting of the Ballinger Rotary Club Tuesday and for 45 minutes held the members to perfect attention as he talked on the doctrine of the Rotary clubs of the world.

Fellowship, fair dealing, citizenship and good will were the divisions of his address representing club service, vocational service, community service and international service. Mr. Wells is traveling all over the nation delivering this message and his

visit here was declared one of the most enjoyable occasions since the organization of the club.

Members of the Runnels county grand jury were guests of the club Tuesday as well as a number of Abilene and San Angelo Rotarians.

Denman White, student of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, spent Sunday and Monday here with his parents.

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The warm air throughout the home during winter should be just as pure and contain just as much oxygen as the fresh, pure air of summer. Rooms that are poorly ventilated, even though sufficiently warm for comfort, can be injurious to health. Stale or stagnant air is depressing, and fails to produce the pleasant and stimulating effect of pure air in motion. . . . No matter what kind of fuel you use to heat your home during winter, it is important to have proper ventilation and circulation of pure air. This is especially important if the flame from the fuel comes in contact with the air you breathe. The reason is simple.

*Fuel does not burn unless mixed with oxygen. Prove this to yourself by the simple test of dropping a lighted match into a bottle. Place your hand on top of the bottle and you will note that the match stick will NOT continue to burn after the oxygen inside the bottle has been used up by the burning fuel. Likewise, the oxygen content of the air inside your home is gradually reduced by the occupants of the household through the processes of breathing and by the fuel burning in your heating equipment.*

Without proper ventilation the air becomes stale. Sooner or later the tender air passages of the body become inflamed, leaving them an easy prey to vicious attacks of "colds" and serious respiratory diseases. Guard your health this winter with proper ventilation as well as adequate heat in every room in your home.

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Deer Season Opens	Nov. 16
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**Campaign Suite**



The man in the portrait is a prominent figure in the political arena. He is known for his leadership and dedication to public service. His campaign suite is a testament to his commitment to the people.

**Woman's Bureau**



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**Ballinger Hunters  
Will Leave Friday  
For Deer Regions**

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Mustard  
Qt. 11c  
Table Salt  
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Honey Gal. 89c  
Raisins 4 lbs. 25c  
Salad Dressing qt. 25c  
Cocoa 2 lb. 19c  
Pork & Beans 1/2 Can 19c  
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Macaroni or Spaghetti 3 1/2 lb. 14c  
Pork & Beans 1/2 Can 19c  
Gold Medal Oats 42-oz. Round Pkg. 19c  
23c

Uncle Sam Gallon 49c  
Fresno Fruit Syrup 49c  
N' Man Gallon 49c

Blue Cross Milk 1/2 Gallon 11c  
WILE PEACHES 2 No. 2 Cans 25c  
Dole Pineapple 2 Cans 11c  
Keellogg's 3 for 25c  
Pickles 2 1/2 lb. 27c  
Union Standard 6 1/2 lb. 45c  
Mackerel 2 1/2 lb. 15c  
Prunes 5 lbs. 25c  
Sardines 3 Cans 12c

No. 1 Sugar Corn 3 Cans 25c  
Early June Peas 3 Cans 25c  
LAMP CHIMNEYS 2 for 17c

1 lb. 25c  
Bright and Early 1 lb. 25c  
5 Bars 14c

Catsup 2-4-oz. Jar 25c  
Vanilla Extract 4-oz. 10c  
Texas Spinach 3 lb. 1 Can 25c  
Sugar 1 lb. 15c  
Cream Meal 20 lbs. 45c  
Asparagus Tips 1 Pk. 15c  
Tomato Juice 2 No. 2 Cans 15c

Special 20c  
Baths for 27c  
Jelly 28c

**Garden Specials**  
Cabbage 1 lb. 11c  
Tomatoes Bushel 35c  
Grapefruit 6 for 17c  
Apples Peck 25c  
1c APPLES 1c ORANGES 1c

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Roast, chuck cut, lb. 10c  
Weiners, large or small, lb. 15c  
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**LIGHTS & WAIVER  
of NEW YORK**

I just ran across a picture of Ed Norwood, on the porch of his home at Lyme, Conn. That solves one mystery. Others may have known where Ed had taken himself, but I didn't. For years Mr. Norwood traveled ahead of a circus. In New York the circus used to catch up with him. Then I used to get him to fix things so that Roland Young, the actor and artist, could get into Madison Square garden between performances and draw the elephants. Roland Young always was fascinated by elephants and clowns. When Ed Norwood was not doing his stuff for the show, he was writing essays on all sorts of subjects. He used to let me read them, and they were well worth reading. Beautiful, imaginative things they were. Later he wrote circus stories for children. They tell me he still does, although his latest literary labors have to do with biographies.

Lyme is a literary and artistic colony. Norma Terris and her husband live there, as do Wilbur Daniel Steele, and Adrienne Morrison Bennett Pinker. Mrs. Pinker is the mother of Constance Bennett. Mrs. Sidney Drew was the aunt of Norma Terris, which makes the latter some relation to the Barrymores. Lionel, Ethel and John Barrymore, all to appear in the movie "Rasputin," certainly should make that an interesting film. I can't remember that they have been together in a performance since "The Jest."

A New Yorker was in the office of a highly prominent executive and when the latter told his secretary to get the White House on the telephone, became considerably excited. He thought he was going to be in on a bit of unwritten history. When the executive was connected with the Executive mansion, he got the President's secretary on the wire. That was a bit of a disappointment to the visitor, who had expected to overhear a conversation with the President himself, but he still kept his ears cocked.

"Tell me," he heard the executive ask, "shall I wear a black or a white tie at that dinner tomorrow night?"

Martin Johnson told me the other night that the real secret of photographing wild animals was to know their habits and how they would react to a given stimulus. For example, he said he now knew so much more concerning gorillas than he did when he first went after them that he was convinced he could take his next pictures of them from much closer. Both the Johnsons have learned to fly a plane and both of them enjoy being pilots. They probably will make use of a plane on their next trip to Africa.

In their speeches at their "public appearances," Osa Johnson has her speech pretty well rehearsed and makes her points as cleverly as an actress or an orator. Martin Johnson never knows what he is going to say until he says it. If he can find a customer in one of the front rows whose looks he likes, he talks to him. If the customer shows interest, Mr. Johnson extends his speech. Otherwise, he cuts it short.

The oddity of the present economic situation is shown by the fact that a man who was one of the architects who worked on one of New York's big railroad stations now is one of those behind the information desk in that same terminal. And he thinks he is lucky to have the job.

Frank Case overheard an actor at the Lambs club say that he had been having a dreadful time getting a passport. "I finally," he said, "had to dig up a congressman."

"Well, old chap," said his companion, "no one will thank you for that."

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**8 Moving Vans for One Family Proves a Joke**

Pasadena, Calif.—Mrs. E. D. Downey had ample facilities for moving but no place to move. Eight large moving vans backed to the curb in front of her residence recently while a dozen drivers and helpers wrangled angrily on the front lawn. Each member of the mob insisted his company had been hired to move the Downey furniture. Police began a search for a practical joker who ordered every transfer company in the city to have a van in front of the Downey home at 8:30 in the morning.

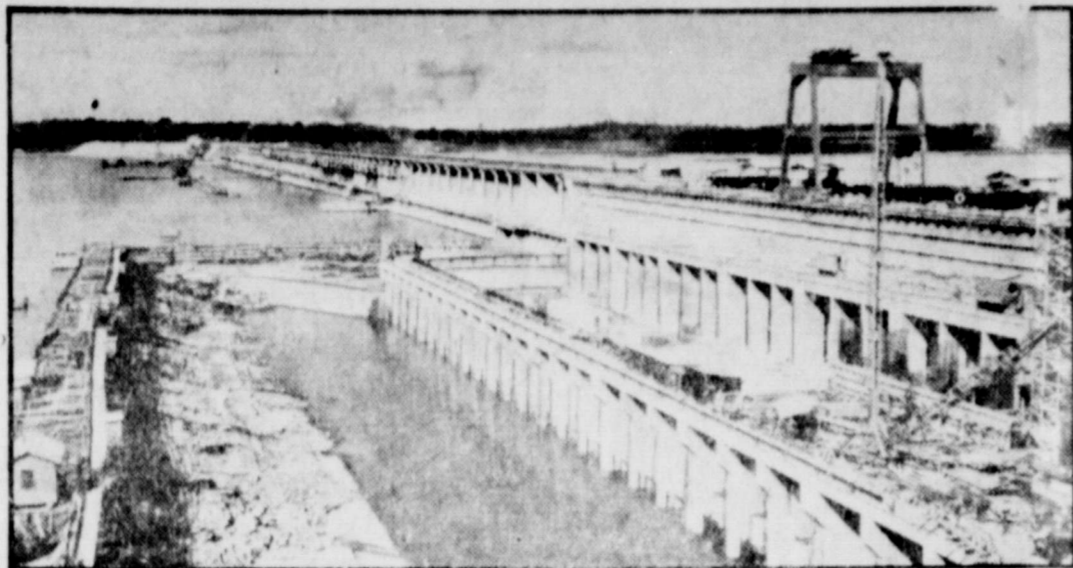
**Couples Separate to Keep on Pay Roll**

Washington.—To avoid being "separated" from the government pay rolls, some couples in government service have undertaken fictitious separations in the family. In this way, they had hoped to avoid operation of the economy act which held that man and wife could not both be employed in departments where personnel curtailments were under way. The civil service, finding out about this evasion of the act, ruled that separations must be genuine if the parties are to maintain that they are not married and hence not subject to the economy provisions.

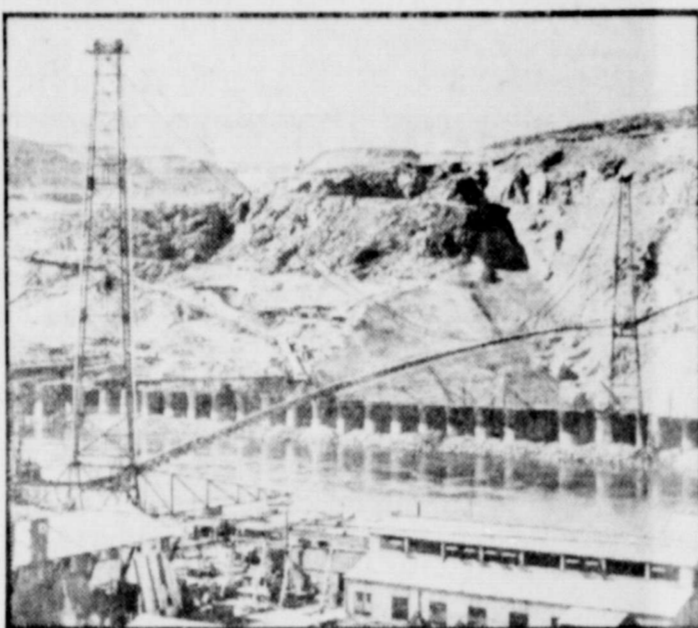
Mrs. Laura Pearson, of Sparta, Tennessee, is here for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pearson. Mrs. Pearson resided in Ballinger in 1892 and 1893.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott and daughter, Billy, of San Angelo, and Miss Ray Good, of Pie Town, New Mexico, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bykes Sunday.

**Federal Dams Progress in South and Northwest**



In the northwest and the south, as these scenes reveal, federal dam construction heads toward completion at a rapid pace. Sixteen miles upstream from Wilson dam, a barrier—Wheeler dam—has been thrown across the Tennessee river, as pictured above. The last cofferdam has been erected, blocking off the mile-wide stream, and the powerhouse, shown in foreground above, is nearing completion. Across the Columbia river, on the site of the Grand Coulee dam, as shown at right, the central span of a suspension bridge, three-quarters of a mile long, has already been erected. To fill the gigantic dam, sand and gravel will be carried via belt across the river at this point from the east bank of the stream to the mixing plant shown in the foreground, where concrete will be prepared to pour into the Grand Coulee dam.



**Rural**

**BETHEL BEAMS**

Rev. Gilliland, of Wingate, the new pastor of the Methodist church, visited in the homes of a number in this community Monday. The regular Methodist day will now be the fourth Sunday, instead of the third Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crockett and family attended the funeral of J. A. Terry at San Angelo Monday. Mr. Terry and Mr. Crockett were cousins and spent their boyhood days together in Lampasas.

Misses Thelma and Mable Bigby spent last week visiting friends at San Angelo.

Jess Crockett, of Lampasas, is visiting in the home of relatives here and at Norton this week.

The Bethel home demonstration club met November 7 with Mrs. Robert Wood. Eighteen members and two visitors were present.

Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent, gave an outline of making out yearly reports. Each club member is to turn in her report at the next club meeting. One of the members was given a shower of useful gifts. After looking over Mrs. Wood's yard, who is first year yard demonstrator, the group went to Mrs. Claude Simmons' and visited her yard, and also was served popcorn balls. From there they went to Mrs. W. A. Hall's, 3-year yard demonstrator, back by Mrs. Lewis Loika's, yard cooperater. A very pleasant visit was enjoyed at each stop.

The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Tom Crockett, November 21, with the fall group entertaining.

**MRS. DOUGLASS' BROTHER DIES AT CLEBURNE**

Word was received last week of the death of Meredith Hart, of Cleburne, a brother of Mrs. J. G. Douglass, of this city. Mr. Hart apparently died of a heart attack. It was stated. He was well known here as he had visited in Ballinger on several occasions.

Save money on groceries, read the ads.

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**Local Couple Will Be Wed on Stage Of Local Theatre**

W. D. Scales, manager of the Palace Theatre, announces an unusual event to take place on the stage of the theatre Monday night at the regular showing of "The Farmer Takes a Wife." A local man and a local girl will be married on the stage immediately following the first performance, about 8:45. The couple to be wed will be awarded a beautiful bedroom suite purchased from a Ballinger furniture dealer.

Many applications were received from persons who would have liked to have been the lucky pair, but the couple has already been selected and the ceremony will be performed by a local minister. No advance in prices will be made for this special event.

**MANY ISLES IN VIRGIN GROUP**

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 13.—There are thirty to forty islands in the Virgin group. Properly speaking, St. Thomas and St. John are included in the archipelago, but the term has long been confined to the British islands of Tortola, Virgin Gorda, Anegua and Norman Island. In early times they were the resort of pirates and buccanniers, whose occupancy is perpetuated in such names as Rum Island, Dead Man's Chest and Dutchman's Cap.

Mrs. A. A. Dunn, of Houston, is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. M. King.

Mrs. E. Shepperd was called Tuesday to the bedside of a relative who is seriously ill at Waco.

Read the ads—save money.

**Weak Response is Given Rogers' Fund By Local Citizens**

To date there have been only a few donations to the Will Rogers memorial fund in Ballinger. The banks have received a small amount of money and \$2 has been left at The Ledger to go to this national movement.

Posters were received here this week and are being put up in show windows as a further reminder that everyone is invited to participate in the movement. The campaign must be closed in a few days and the county committees seek donations of any size, but the money must be paid in at once.

This newspaper and the three Ballinger banks will continue to accept donations.

Contributions to this cause in other West Texas cities have reached sizeable proportions. Numerous local citizens have signified intentions to give but the time is getting short and if contributions are made they must be made immediately.

The local committee is composed of H. C. Lyon, Chester Cherry, and Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly. Karl Read is county chairman and every principal in the common school districts has been requested to aid in the campaign.

Mrs. Joe Simmons was reported to be slightly improved Wednesday afternoon, although still in a serious condition. She is in Shannon Memorial Hospital, San Angelo, where she has been for the past month.

Jack Hamilton and Clyde Harville transacted business at Snyder today.

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**Will Launch—**

(Continued from page 1)

only points in judging. Yards will be judged Saturday night, December 21, and a cash prize of \$5 paid for the best decoration in any yard or in a front window of the residence. Home owners are urged to enter this competition without solicitation and any type of Yuletide display will be acceptable.

The finance committee, which begins its drive next Tuesday morning at 9:30, will ask local business managers to each contribute a small sum to take care of the expenses of these programs. Soon after the window and decoration committee will canvass the business district and the women's committee will visit each store to list baby parade entries.

Street decorations by the committee will be limited to the erection of a huge Christmas tree at the intersection of Eighth Street and Hutchings Avenue and overhead embellishments there. Individual merchants will look after decorations on the street in front of their stores.

**American Legion Players to Give Benefit Show Soon**

The American Legion players, after a three years' vacation, will enter the show business again and are to be presented by the Ballinger High School Parent-Teacher Association the latter part of November in a new comedy, "A Dollar Down."

The play deals with modern family life in the days of depression and many humorous situations arise that make it one of the most interesting and comical productions ever offered by this popular group of entertainers.

Harry Lyon, R. W. Earnshaw, Neil McAlpine, Mrs. J. A. Schnable, Mrs. Jack Rudd, Mrs. H. T. Forson and others will have the principal roles in the play, and high class between-act vaudeville will be presented. The cast will also conduct a candy sale fashioned after the usual tent show kind in which patrons buying the home-made confection will participate in prizes. A stage

setting will be built for this act and a specially written skit will take place during the sale of the sacks.

All receipts derived from the production and candy sale will go to the P-T. A. and patrons are assured of a snappy evening's entertainment.

**J. C. PENNEY STORE ADDS DEPARTMENT FOR THE CHILDREN**

J. A. Killough, manager of the J. C. Penney Co. store here, announced Thursday that a new department was being added to the Ballinger store for the holiday season. This new department is for the kiddies, he said, and will be called "Toyland."

Toys for children of all ages will be displayed and all the kiddies of this section are invited to visit "Toyland."

George Kerley and Mrs. Malcolm Morgan will be in charge of the new department.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ryan attended the funeral of a niece at Santa Anna Sunday.

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- Shelled Pecans ..... lb. 33c
- Ready to Eat
- Soft Shell ..... 2 lbs. 25c
- Emerald Walnuts ..... lb. 22c
- Fancy Brazils ..... lb. 19c

- Sugar Powdered or Brown ..... 2 lbs. 15c
- Cocoanut Sweetened ..... lb. 19c
- Salad Dressing ..... Qt. Jar 25c
- Pumpkin Stokely's No. 2 ..... 2 Cans 19c

- Citron Peel ..... lb. 35c
- Lemon Peel ..... lb. 35c
- Candied Cherries ..... 1/2 lb. 28c
- Candied Pineapple ..... 1/2 lb. 23c

**Pinto BEANS**  
**10 lbs. 45c**

**Kellogg's P E P**  
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- Ruby Catsup 14-oz. bottle ..... 10c
- Our Mother's Cocoa lb. can ..... 9c
- Salt Large 24-oz. pkg. ..... 5c
- Swansdown Cake Flour Large pkg. ..... 29c
- A-Y Bread pound loaf ..... 8c

- Cranberries ..... lb. 22c
- Sunkist LEMONS ..... doz. 18c
- Silver seal ORANGES ..... doz. 25c
- Fancy Delicious APPLES ..... doz. 29c
- Rutabaga Turnips ..... lb. 4c

- Steamboat Syrup ..... 5 lb. Pail 29c
- Max-i-mum Flour ..... 24 lb. Sack \$1.09
- Harvest Blossom Flour ..... 48 lb. Sack \$1.85

- Flakewhite Compound ..... 8 lb. Crt. \$1.05
- Beechnut Macaroni ..... 2 lbs. 29c
- Tall Can Hominy ..... Can 5c

**Herring keg \$1.29**

**Steak Tender and Juicy 2 lbs. 25c**

**Bacon Sliced in our market 1b. 29c**

**Oysters pint 25c**

**Roast Short Rib 1b. 10c**

**Cheese Full Cream 1b. 19c**

**SAFEGWAY STORES**

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Under the new postal laws newspapers and periodicals must pay postage due for notices of any change in addresses furnished by the postoffice. Besides, there is always the probability that your paper will be delayed or fail to reach you altogether if you do not give immediate notification when you move.  
The best plan for all concerned is send the change of address in advance.

It is only a short time before office seekers will begin making their formal announcements. Next year is expected to bring a heated political campaign and this is just a reminder to the citizen that he must arm himself with a poll tax receipt to be eligible to participate in the elections. The office of the county tax collector is ready to receive tax payments and issue receipts. With interest already established for a torrid political campaign next summer poll tax payments in Burness county should be the greatest in several years.

The city ordinance which prohibits doing business in Ballinger for a few months and then moving out before tax paying time has already been put to use. The city commission has been called on already to pass on a number of propositions which clearly violated the new regulation and when orders were issued for a deposit of \$200 and the posting of a bond, the new enterprises were taken elsewhere. City officials here have had numerous requests for copies of this ordinance, indicating similar action in other West Texas cities. Some have already passed ordinances of this nature and will protect their regular merchants from "fly-by-night" competition.

Ballinger business men are planning to make this city the most attractive Christmas shopping center in Texas during December. Committees are busy planning to dress the city up in every conceivable manner. Streets, stores and show windows will be ablaze with color and prizes are to be posted for the best decorated yards in the residential sections. Santa Claus will be here to greet the children of the county and the famous baby parade will be presented as the concluding feature of the series of programs on Christmas eve. In this work the committeemen urge the hearty cooperation of every local citizen. Such an undertaking calls for many workers and without the cooperation of everyone the campaign will fall short of what it is intended to accomplish. This will require money and the finance committee must meet with a generous response in order to conduct this special campaign.

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William Dickson, of Dallas, is visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. Drew Dickson.

Miss Bernice Simmons visited her sister, Mrs. Virgil Reed, of Andrews, Sunday and Armistice Day.

Mr and Mrs. Tom Caudle visited relatives and friends at Winters Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. R. E. George and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker spent the week-end at Breckenridge, visiting Mr. George's father. They also witnessed the Breckenridge-Abilene football game Monday afternoon.

G. P. Teague and Dick Teague spent the week-end in Cement and Ardmore, Oklahoma, visiting relatives.

Those Coal Bin Blues



WEST TEXAS NEWS  
NOTES

The Brownwood high school will have a stadium of its own in about four or five months according to a recent announcement. Final approval to build a concrete stadium and athletic field at a total cost of \$22,426.49 has been given by WPA authorities. Federal funds appropriated for the project total \$11,317. The stadium will have a seating capacity of 2,500.

For the fourth consecutive year a Mason county club boy has been awarded the Armour & Co. free trip to the boys 4-H club congress at Chicago, December 1 to 7, for having the best beef cattle feeding demonstration in the state. James Grote is the boy who won the honors this year. He is a brother of the boy who won the trip year before last.

A sweet potato weighing nine pounds was exhibited at Comanche last week by G. N. Brown. The potato, measuring 21 inches in circumference and 16 inches from tip to tip, was raised on the T. C. Johnson farm in the Amity community.

The highest price for wool paid a Texas grower during the current season went to a Menard ranchman last week when James Branford sold 20,000 pounds of the last spring clip for 35 cents a pound. Other wool sales at Menard last week brought 25 1/2 and 27 1/2 cents a pound.

The Fort Stockton Lion's Club is sponsor for the erection of a centennial marker for old Fort Stockton. The club was advised last week that an allocation of \$200 had been made, but the committee in charge of arrangements felt that this was entirely too small a sum to condition such an historical place. Further funds will be secured from the federal government to supplement the Texas centennial commission's appropriation, it is believed.

At a meeting of the Texas Butter, Egg and Poultry Association at Brady last week the principal talk was made by Mayor T. Miller, of Austin, produce dealer. He told the convention that excessive rains in Texas caused a high death rate among baby turkeys and a short crop should be expected this year. Although high prices are probable a guard against extremely high prices will be made so that metropolitan markets will not slow up their buying for the holiday season. Miller predicted 1,200 cars of tur-

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those passed in other West Texas towns recently and under it any person desiring to go into business in the town will be required to put up a bond and pay a monthly tax of \$10 for the first year of operation. After the first year the taxes and bond will be refunded the owner of the business. This ordinance will replace one which has been in effect for several years, but was deemed unconstitutional.

The Coleman county relief cannery will be reopened at an early date it was announced last week. As soon as enough produce is registered for canning the crew of 15 women will commence work. It is hoped that the plant will turn out between 1,200 and 1,500 cans per day during the busy season.

Another boy from central West Texas who will attend the Chicago Livestock Show is Lewis Patterson, 4-H club member of McCulloch county. He was awarded a trip to the Chicago exposition by the Santa Fe railroad. Each year 16 trips are awarded by the Santa Fe and for the past five years a McCulloch county club boy has been one of the winners.

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**FRANKLIN**—Spare time spent in cleaning out underbrush and deadening trees on his native pasture has proved quite profitable to L. L. Neyland, of Robertson county, according to V. L. Sandlin, county agricultural agent. Neyland owned considerable land that was considered waste land, being so thin and badly eroded that it took around 25 acres to carry one cow. Four years ago, he started working on the land in his spare time. The results were so noticeable that he employed cheap labor to finish the job at a cost of \$1.50 per acre, which included scattering Bermuda grass on practically barren spots.

The increased growth of the grass has stopped most of the erosion and the pasture is now carrying one cow to five acres and is steadily improving.

**MORTON**—Corn put in a trench silo by R. W. O'Neal, of Cochran county, would have netted him about \$3 per acre for the dry corn if sold at market prices, while in the trench silo he is getting two and one-half tons of green feed which he values at \$4 per ton, according to his report to G. R. Schumann, county agricultural agent. O'Neal estimated that the corn that was put in the silo would have made about five bushels of ear corn to the acre when harvested dry. The corn was cut up by an ensilage cutter.

**GONZALES**—One of the largest pecan crops since 1926 is reported by Gonzales county producers, according to J. M. Saunders, county agricultural agent. Producers expect to harvest enough additional pecans from cleared bottoms to pay for the clearing of the lands. These pecans have been lost heretofore because of the excessive undergrowth.

Aside from the pecan crop which is to be harvested, several hundred acres of this land which has been a total loss to the producer until the undergrowth was cleared is being seeded to Italian rye grass and should furnish an abundance of winter grazing.

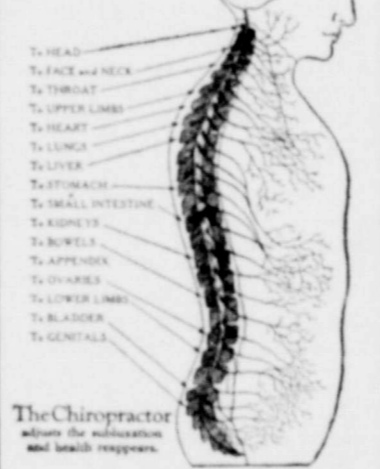
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Joel Maasle left Saturday night for Galveston to attend the state convention of Piggly Wiggly managers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holbrook spent the week-end at Three Rivers, visiting the former's parents.

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**ON TEXAS FARMS**  
By Minnie Fisher Cunningham  
Extension Service Editor

In Randall county, 22,235 quarts of canned foods valued at \$4,730 have been added to the pantries of 120 home demonstration club women during the last canning season. \$2,072.62 worth of dried or cured products, cheese and lard have been added.

Mrs. W. T. Spires, a Kieberg county home demonstration club member, finds that asparagus is a practical vegetable to grow in the South Texas home garden. It produces with little attention, and is a valuable green vegetable at seasons when there is not much else in the garden. Mrs. Spires' plants came from seed and are now four years old; she cuts sprouts in the fall after rains as well as in the spring.

Following the trench silo demonstration arranged and given by A. R. Bateman and E. R. Eudaly, there is an unusual interest among the farmers of Palmer county. Ten silos have been dug and filled. That many more are now under construction.

One hundred and forty-three rural yards have been sodded to Bermuda grass in Hill county this

year as a result of the extension landscaping program.

A production of 60 bushels of corn per acre and 200 bushels of potatoes per acre is the result of crop rotation in which cowpeas and alfalfa have played an important part on the farm of L. G. Gossett, who lives in the Burr community in Wharton county. In discussing his farm operations with the county agricultural agent, Mr. Gossett stated that he had never raised any cotton and that he had not known that there was depression on.

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District Attorney W. A. Stroman is here this week to assist the grand jury and prepare for the prosecution of a number of cases scheduled for trial in 119th district court next week.

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## Instructor Says Few Realize Evils from Defects of Feet

BALTIMORE, Nov. 13.—"Foot Hygiene" was the subject of a talk given recently by Dr. E. David Weinberg, instructor, orthopedic surgery, Johns Hopkins medical school. The address was delivered under the auspices of the Baltimore city health department and the medical and chirological faculty of Maryland.

Dr. Weinberg said: "Until the horse is stolen one rarely locks the barn; similarly, until the feet give trouble we often fail to appreciate the wonderful mechanism of support with which nature has provided us.

Probably no one ailment can cause so much discomfort, pain and misery than do the various defects of the feet," Dr. Weinberg pointed out. "How prevalent such abnormalities are can best be clarified by just a few statistics. In a study made among children in one of our American cities it was found that two per cent of the boys and eight per cent of the girls had what was classified as 'bad feet.' In another city of this country, in a similar study, the proportions were even higher: fourteen per cent of the boys and eighteen per cent of the girls had some defect of the foot.

"During the World War sixty-two per cent of the men examined for service by the draft board were found to have serious foot trouble and more recently a survey conducted in one of our large universities revealed that nine out of every ten students had what is known as 'splay feet,' that is the foot turned too far outward. Foot troubles, besides causing nervousness, fatigue and misery are a serious economic loss.

"Why do the feet, that are such finely coordinated human organs, sometimes fail in their job of

carrying us through life as they should? By no means do ill-fitting and too high or too low-heeled shoes or badly fitted stockings, poor posture, improper habits of walking and injuries of different kinds cause all the varied forms of foot troubles," Dr. Weinberg emphasized. "Our cement sidewalks, our asphalt streets and our hardwood floors are largely responsible for the calluses, the corns, the collapsed arches and the ingrown toe nails and rigid toes that make miserable the lives of so many people. It has been said that if the Indian guide who walks many miles in the North Woods day after day were to transfer his activities to our concrete and asphalt highways he would be incapacitated in a day or two.

"But since modern civilization requires that we wear shoes and since the concrete and asphalt highways and hardwood floors are with us to stay, let us turn our attention to the subject of foot hygiene and see what we can do to ward off the deformities and other foot defects that are so largely preventable.

"First of all we must consider the feet as organs of the human body just as much as are the heart, the lungs and the stomach. The feet should be given routine, definite care. Like all external parts of the body they should be bathed once each day with water and a non-irritating variety of soap. If the feet are tired dust them, in addition, with a small quantity of boric acid powder and massage them with cold cream, cocoa butter or some such ointment for a few minutes morning and evening, if you possibly can," Dr. Weinberg suggested.

"Well-fitted stockings are very important. They should neither be

too long nor too short for the feet. If they are too long they wrinkle and cause undue pressure at various points and give rise to irritating areas. If they are too short they disturb the position of the toes and alter the shape of the foot.

"Shoes should preferably have a round toe with a medium width shank. Evidence seems to indicate that the high cut shoe is preferable to the low one. The inner side of the sole of the shoe should be patterned on a straight line and the heel should be neither too high nor too low. Either extreme of heel is bad for both the feet and the spine."

Further discussing the routine care of the feet, Dr. Weinberg pointed out that "if it is at all possible change your shoes once during the day and make an effort not to wear the same shoes two days in succession. Such a procedure serves a double purpose; it helps relieve the strain on the feet and it aids in retaining the shape of the shoe. See that shoes are equipped with rubber heels; they minimize the shocks to feet, legs and spine. As a rule it is advisable to resort to the use of metal arch supports only after consultation with your physician.

"Frequently patients recovering from an infectious disease walk about their room or the house in bedroom slippers. Such a practice is to be avoided. The supporting structures of the foot, as a result of the toxin or poison in the system of the convalescent, are relaxed and at this time, particularly, the tendons, muscles and ligaments of the foot need the support of a shoe.

"Most of the fatigue and nervousness that plague the human race are the result of poor foot hygiene. If unfortunately you should develop a defect of the foot, no matter how slight, go to your physician. Excessive flat foot in its early stage—especially if accompanied by pain—is often curable. And also keep in mind that weak

## Natives Aid in Italian Advance



On both the northern and eastern fronts, Eritrean and Somali tribesmen are proving invaluable in helping the Italian troops quell Ethiopian resistance. Here natives are pictured on guard in Adigrat, shortly before the capture by the northern army of Aduwa and Aksum, and the advance on Makale. Italian soldiers are pictured in the background.

## Tips of Seaweed Tested As New Youth Elixir

LONDON, November 13.—A new rejuvenator made from tender tips of certain kinds of seaweed has

been put on the market in England for human use, after a four-year trial on hundreds of animals in the London zoo.

Captive animals seldom are so strong and healthy as animals in a wild state and medical officers of zoos always are testing special vitamin diets, ray lamps and other means of keeping their charges in

better condition. First tried with fishes in the London aquarium, the new seaweed preparation was given later to nearly all the birds, reptiles and other animals. General improvement in health and spirits is said to have been the rule.

Sickness became rarer, the coats of furred animals became thick and sleek, old animals seemed to be younger. On the idea that what is good for captive animals should aid human beings crowded together in cities, the tips of seaweed now are dried, powdered and made up in tablets to be taken with human food. The theory is that the iodine and perhaps other materials in the seaweed act as stimulants to the glands, especially to the thyroid gland in the neck.

PRIMARY P.-T. A PLANS YULETIDE TEA SOON

The Ballinger Primary Parent-Teacher Association's regular monthly meeting was held Wednesday afternoon. A program was given by pupils of the second grade on the subject of "The First Thanksgiving." Fifty-one were present.

Mrs. Ernest Moody, Mrs. C. R. Stone and Mrs. W. H. F. Moore spoke on the study subject, "Management of Children in the Home," and these talks were followed by a round table discussion.

The organization voted to sponsor a Yuletide tea at the home of Mrs. Tom Agnew in Wilke Terrace. The exact date will be announced as soon as the committee can perfect details. Receipts from the tea will be used to provide Christmas trees in both the primary buildings.

SOUTH BALLINGER CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1936

The South Ballinger home demonstration club met last week and elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows: Mrs. B. M. Batts, president; Mrs. George McMillan, vice-president; Mrs. Ed Farley, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. J. C. Reese, reporter.

Plans were discussed for financing the year book but no definite conclusion was reached.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Joe Thomas Tuesday, October 19.

R. E. Bruce and daughter, Dorothy, spent the week-end at Arlington with relatives. Mrs. Bruce and baby, who had been visiting there for the past ten days, returned home with them Monday.

Walter Atwell, of Albany spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Atwell.

Joe Baker, of Winters, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. White Sunday.

Elbert Stubbfield, of Port Arthur, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Chief of Police Lee Moreland returned Monday from Lamesa, where he spent the week-end with relatives.

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**First Presbyterian Church**  
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7 p. m., evening worship.  
If you do not worship elsewhere, you are cordially welcome at all of our services.  
E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor

**Ballinger Baptist Church**  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, E. E. King, superintendent.  
11 a. m., preaching by pastor.  
6:30 p. m., B. T. U. meeting.  
Ernest Moody, director.  
7:30 p. m., preaching by pastor.  
7:30 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting.  
A welcome to all who will worship with us.  
J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor

**Eighth Street Presbyterian Church**  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Carl Black, superintendent.  
11 a. m., morning service.  
8:15 p. m., senior Endeavor.  
8:15 p. m., junior society.  
7:00 p. m., evening service.  
7:00 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting, followed by choir practice.  
W. H. F. MOORE, Pastor

**Church of God**  
(Corner of Sixth and Strong)  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., S. H. Skeelton, superintendent.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor.  
Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.  
Preaching at 3 p. m. by pastor.  
Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.  
Woman's Missionary Society each Thursday.  
W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor

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Preaching at 11 a. m. Communion following sermon.  
Ladies' Bible class meets in the church building Monday at 4 p. m.  
Prayer meeting and young people's service at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday.  
The public is invited to attend any and all these services.  
HARVEY CHILDRESS, Minister

**First Christian Church**  
(Broadway and Murrell)  
9:45 a. m., Bible school.  
11 a. m., preaching and communion service.  
7:30 p. m., worship conducted by pastor.  
We enter an invitation to the public to attend all these services.  
WALLACE JONES, Pastor

**First Methodist Church**  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Sam Behringer, superintendent.  
11 a. m., worship conducted by pastor.  
7:30 p. m., worship conducted by pastor.  
A cordial welcome awaits you at all our services.  
W. E. FISHER, Pastor

**Church of the Nazarene**  
(Ninth Street and Harris Avenue)  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., M. D. Freeman, superintendent.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor.  
Junior Band at 8 p. m.  
N. Y. P. B. at 7 p. m.  
7:30 p. m., preaching by pastor.  
Prayer meeting at 7 p. m., Wednesday.  
W. M. S. each Thursday at 2:30 p. m.  
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**DAVID JOSEPH WEDS WICHITA FALLS GIRL**

The following item in the Abilene Reporter will be of interest to local friends of David Joseph, of Wink, former Ballinger citizen: "Rabbi Raphael Gold, of Dallas, officiated for the rites here Sunday evening in which Miss Hilda Rose Bergelovsky, of Wichita Falls, and David Joseph, of Wink, took their marriage vows."

"The wedding was held at 8 o'clock, in the crystal ballroom at the Hilton Hotel, where relatives of the couple from both Wink and Wichita Falls were assembled. Chrysanthemums and pink roses were decorations for the room. "The bride, who was given in marriage by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bergelovsky, wore a brown velvet suit, with white satin blouse and white galaxy hat. Her bouquet was of pink rosebuds. The bridegroom's sister, Miss Pearl Joseph, was maid of honor. "The bridegroom, who was given in marriage by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Joseph, had as his best man, Harry Goltz, of Abilene."

"Following the service a wedding dinner was served at a flower-bedecked table. A decorated wedding cake was a centerpiece. "Mr. and Mrs. Joseph left Abilene last night for a trip to San Antonio, after which they will be at home in Wink."

## SOCIETY.

### Shower for Recent Bride

Mrs. Wix Currie, Jr. and Mrs. Raymond McShan were hostesses last Friday evening to compliment Mrs. M. D. Barnett, who before her marriage September 1 was Miss Eloise Smith.

Chrysanthemums and daisies were used to decorate the attractive home of Mrs. Ralph McShan on Sixth Street while other appointments stressed the bridal theme. Following the games of bridge, guests wrote favorite recipes and bits of advice to the bride.

A chicken salad course was served with punch by the hostesses and Mrs. McShan.

A shower of gifts went to the honoree.

The marriage was solemnized in the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jacob on Broadway with the Rev. E. W. McLaurin officiating. Mrs. Barnett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Smith and has lived in Ballinger ten years. She is a graduate of the Ballinger high school with the 1932 class. The groom is the elder son of Mrs. M. D. Barnett and has lived his whole life here. He is employed in the Red & White Grocery and the couple are at home with the bride's parents.

Guests included at the Friday affair were: Misses M. D. Barnett, Jr., D. R. Smith, M. D. Barnett, Taylor, M. I. Rayburn, Karl Read, H. G. Agnew, Horace Atripp, Olean Adams, J. E. Brewer, R. W. Bruce, J. G. Douglass, John Hollingsworth, Joe Cartledge, Otis Jacob, O. K. Jacob, Everett Jacob, Wallace Davis, Floyd Smith, Harris Mullins, Hart Phillips, W. F. Phillips of Winters, E. S. Cox, T. J. Gregory, H. E. Fulcher, Nile Broyles, R. G. Erwin, W. A. Forgey, Jack Jobe, E. J. Handley, Delbert Harolson of San Angelo, T. R. Burnette, W. L. McMillan, Hamp Byler, Davis Sims, J. L. Neal, W. E. Midgley, John Rayburn, L. C. Daugherty, Misses Dorothy Nell Johnson of Winters, Helen Thomson, Emma Jean Jones, Sue Barnett, Gene Gressett, Oleta Crouch, Bernice Simmons, Samantha McElroy, Elsie Motley, Cathleen Connelly, Belva Watson and Theima Midgley.

S. S. Classes in Grindstaff Home

The Volunteer Class of the Baptist Sunday school entertained members of the class of boys of which Mr. E. C. Grindstaff is teacher in the Wilke Terrace home of the Grindstaffs Tuesday evening. Mrs. Grindstaff is teacher of the girls' class.

Following games refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served. Turkey favors accompanied the plate.

Guests were: Misses Zona Baker, Gladys Lee Morgan, Annie Lee Winton, Carleen and Evelyn McAden, Lois Batts, Frances Gustava, Margie Mae Halstead, Jewel Fulton, Cathleen Connelly, Messrs. France Jones, Howard

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## Tests Indicate Country Children Better Thinkers

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—A short time ago statisticians of a New York life insurance company reported that country people live on the average about five years longer than city people. Now comes a new British investigation to suggest why this is true, a test comparing mental and bodily abilities of country and city children and conducted by the national institute of psychology.

City children were found to be better with their tongues than country children, but the country children had both better minds and better bodies. This probably explains why city children usually get better intelligence scores than country children, when both groups are rated by the so-called intelligence tests now much used in schools.

Most of these intelligence tests depend on good knowledge of words, either in writing or speaking. The new British investigation indicates that this knowledge of words averages high among city children, but much lower among country children, presumably because the city children have so many more opportunities for speaking and listening. The country children were found, however, to be notably superior both in ability to use their muscles well and accurately and in real reasoning ability, when this was tested in ways not depending too much on knowledge of words.

City children talk better; country children think and act better. Since death by either accident or disease seldom can be warded off by talk but often can be by capable thinking or acting it is not unnatural that average country lives last longer.

### BALLINGER MUSIC CLUB WILL PRESENT CANTATA

The Ballinger Music Club has commenced rehearsals on a Thanksgiving cantata which will be presented at the Ballinger Baptist Church on the evening of December 1. Members of the club will take parts in the offering and tenors and basses selected from the town will be added to make up the chorus of more than 30 voices. Mrs. L. Schermerhorn will play the accompaniment. Mrs. O. L. Sims, of Paint Rock, will direct the chorus in the concert. She is thoroughly acquainted with the musical score.

A more detailed announcement will be made later, listing the soloists and the complete membership of the chorus.

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## 1935 Year of Plenty for U. S. Farmers, Nation-Wide Survey Reveals



Abundant crops and good prices once more bring a smile to the face of the American farmer, a recent survey reveals.

HAPPY days evidently are here again for the American farmer. A nation-wide survey of crop prospects tells a glad story of abundant crops and swelling farm incomes.

Editor & Publisher, newspaper trade magazine, recently invited U. S. farm editors to reveal the general outlook in their sections. Here, summed up, is the cheery news.

In the northeast, milk prices to farmers are 100 per cent above the depression level. In certain areas, the apple crop is 50 to 100 per cent above 1934. Poultry outlook is best in years.

Minnesota expects a 1935 cash income of more than \$300,000,000. Wheat crop cut by rust 45 per cent, but hays, rye, barley, and other crops have almost doubled. Hogs were \$2.50 a hundredweight in January, 1934, and \$11.25 in August, 1935. For the first six months of this year, Minnesota's farm income has been \$122,000,000—a 30 per cent gain.

Iowa sees a half-billion-dollar farm income—the biggest since 1930! Hog market booming; corn gains 55 per cent over 1934.

Central Illinois has a satisfactory corn crop; by crop largest since 1927, and apples will stack up higher than since 1931.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Simpson spent the week-end at Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Northington and family spent Armistice Day in San Angelo.

Peaches going nicely, also grain forage; and corn, wheat, oats, and barley total bushelage is double that of 1934.

Ohio's cherry, peach and grape yield is reported to be a bumper one. Vegetable farmers have a ready market for a good yield.

Wisconsin's grain, tobacco, fruit, berries, and eggs are all better than hoped. Milk prices are excellent, with many outlets. Income of \$300,000,000 compares with depression low of \$189,000,000.

North Dakota reports 44 million bushels of wheat despite handicaps. Flax, rye, potatoes, sugar beets very strong. North Dakotans predict billion-dollar income. They have fed to spare, need animals to eat it.

South Dakota has 30 million bushels of durum wheat, only 2 per cent below the 10-year average. Forage crops unequalled in 25 years. Corn hat-high.

Nebraska stockmen are grinning. Beef and hogs through Omaha stockyards brought \$162,000,000 this year, \$150,000,000 in 1934. Machinery

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schnable returned Monday night from Shawnee, Oklahoma, where they spent Armistice Day with Mr. Schnable's parents.

A farm bought at \$130 an acre sold the next day for \$175.

And 20 words tell Kansas' story: Wheat up 8 cents a bushel; corn, 7 cents; cattle \$3 cwt.; hogs, \$5; lambs, 75 cents; eggs, 10 cents dozen.

In the south, Kentucky tobacco at \$13,000,000 is 5 per cent better. Distillers scrambling for Kentucky corn. Missouri "emergency" crops proving a boon. Texas has largest feed crop in history. Oklahoma poultry going big; citrus satisfactory. Spinach, cabbage, and sweet corn prospects great. Weevil damage lighter.

Montana's irrigation projects are zooming land, crop values. A \$64,000,000 income will mean a 42 per cent gain over 1934. Stockmen reach for an addition at \$10,000,000.

Wheat yield high; oats sometimes double. Colorado's livestock brings 25 per cent more than 1934 so far. Forage, pasture conditions best in years.

In the Pacific northwest, the wheat yield is up 10 per cent; peas going fine. Apple quality high, and soft fruit generally going at higher prices.

And California expects a \$425,000,000 1935 farm income. Citrus, avocado, wine, walnut industries are prospering; old-time prices loom. Deciduous fruit reported best in years.

Coach H. J. Loecklear and practically the entire San Saba football team were in Ballinger Monday to watch the local team play the Brady Bulldogs.

## Professor Thinks Doctors for Aged Soon Necessary

EDINBURGH, Scotland, Nov. 13.—A change in the make-up of the medical profession to replace many of the present baby specialists with a new kind of specialist able to help people live more comfortably in old age was forecast by Prof. A. J. Clark, of the University of Edinburgh, in a recent address to graduates of the university's school of medicine.

Statistics of births, deaths and ages of living persons show that there is going on in all civilized countries a fundamental change in human population. Fewer children are being born. Families are smaller. Old people live to greater average ages. The percentages of older people in the population are increasing. Effects of these changes on life insurance forecasts, figures, demands for adult and children's clothing and other matters of business and sociology already are well known.

Prof. Clark expects corresponding changes in demand for different kinds of doctors. The medical profession now has specialists in eyes, ears, stomachs, bones and many others, but no recognized specialists in old age. Presumably this is because old age has been rare, most people dying of something else before they were really old.

Prof. Clark does not see the duty of the coming old age specialists as trying to keep old people alive indefinitely. Instead, their work will be to keep patients of eighty or ninety active, healthy and happy during their later years. Meanwhile, the smaller number of children may lessen demand for baby specialists, although Prof. Clark believes that this may be offset in part by the fact that modern parents with only one or two babies may be able to take better care of them.

Lee Collins, of Coleman, witnessed the Brady-Ballinger football game Armistice Day.

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**TALPA SCHOOL NEWS**  
By Mary Fuller

Several mornings last week the school buses were late. The roads were all very muddy and were almost impassable. However, the buses made all their runs.

Mr. Mitchell made a talk Friday in regard to the recreational period in the afternoon. The students are to be in the gym of the study hall.

Lake View came to Talpa Saturday and that team and the Talpa team played one of the fairest and cleanest games that has ever been played on the Talpa field. Lake View was quick to learn our team's weak point and made good of this knowledge. The teams were almost equally matched and the game ended 7-7. Emmitt Branscum, Roy Foreman and Lowell Maxwell were out of this game. We hope that they will all three be back in the next game which is to be played at Miles. Probably the most exciting moment of the game was when Bunn Jefferies caught a punt and made several yards by side-stepping. Talpa's starting line-up played the entire game but Lake View did some substituting. The starting line-up for Talpa was: J. P. Thompson, Bunn Jefferies, Coleman Parker, Russell Bennett, Adreil Fischer, Girvin Norris, Ira Grounds, Winston Brown, Ewing Fuller, Dixie Mercer and James King.

Several students have been helping J. P. Thompson and Leroy Pearce in the library. It is not opened yet but will probably open one day this week.

"Mose and Hambones" was presented in the high school auditorium Monday night, November 4. Donnie Mae Broyles was given a manicure set for selling the most tickets.

The choral club met last week and practiced several songs.

Marjorie Morton is assisting Pearl Lopez now as pep leader. LaVerne Cook has been ill and can not assist Pearl for a week or two.

The high school students are to put on a carnival in the near future and some high school girls is to be crowned queen. Each class elected a girl to run for queen and for each candidate to enter the class must pay twenty-five cents. Those elected were: senior, Maurine Bradley; junior, Marjorie Morton; sophomore, Carrie Herring; freshman, Marjorie Mayes Beck; and seventh grade, Joine Herring. Five boxes will be placed in the school building and five will be placed in town. It will cost one cent for ten votes.

The teachers are to present the play, "Beads on a String," Thursday night in the high school auditorium. A small admission will be charged.

The Boy Scouts gave a very interesting program in chapel Monday morning. Garrett Nalley is scoutmaster and he made an interesting talk. The Scouts are: Johnnie Loyd Broyles, J. T. Thompson, Floyd Broyles, Lamar Watkins, Darrell Tate, Hale Bennett, Ira Grounds, Lowell Maxwell, Russell Bennett, Donald Kilgore, Lawton Brevard and Carlton Terry. There are other Scouts but they were not on the program.

Next Monday morning the juniors are to put on a program.

Rev. Lewis Stuckey, pastor of the Bronte Baptist church, was a business visitor in Ballinger Saturday following his return from the state Baptist convention at Houston.

Don Smith, Clarence Winans, Walter Crockett, David Crockett and J. E. Gilliam attended the Texas Tech-Arizona State football game at Lubbock Armistice Day.

Mrs. Drew Dickson attended the football game at Big Spring Monday.

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**Control of Plant  
Shapes Described  
By Noted Botanist**

CARMEI, Calif., Nov. 13.—Control of plant shapes by chemicals circulating inside them like the gland chemicals which make human dwarfs or giants, Apollos or misshapen individuals, is described by the distinguished American botanist, Dr. D. T. MacDougal, in a recent note in the Pacific Weekly.

Chemicals from the human pituitary gland inside the skull produce dwarf or giant human beings, chemicals from the adrenal glands help to control muscular vigor and development, those from the parathyroid gland are necessary for straight and strong bones.

To add to other known kinships between plants and animals, Dr. MacDougal recognizes at least two plant materials which resemble these human gland chemicals. One of these, called auxin, is believed to be responsible for growth of the stems, leaves and other upper parts of plants, as well as for the annual awakening in the spring of trees or other plants which do not grow during the winter. The other plant gland chemical, called rhizocaine, is believed to influence the growth and development of plant roots. If a solution of auxin is painted on one side of a plant stem the plant will bend over, due to excess growth on this side.

Plants which grow naturally in bent or twisted forms may owe their shapes to similar but accidental differences in the supply of this growth chemical.

**WINTERS F. F. A. CHAPTER  
INITIATES "GREENHANDS"**

Twenty-two first year vocational agriculture boys of the Winters high school were initiated as "greenhands" at the regular F. F. A. meeting. The degree consisted of a solemn ceremony administered by the officers of the chapter. The candidates, blindfolded and wearing a "greenhand" insignia over the heart, were ushered around the chapter room to the several officers receiving advice on how to become active workers in the Future Farmer chapter and more efficient and scientific farmers. All of the first year boys were initiated.

The following are now full fledged "greenhands": Erskine Davis, Ellis Lee, Rufus Williams, Charles Wearden, Eugene Hope, Robert Parramore, Frederick Stephens, Earl Cooper, Gerald Proctor, Merle Proctor, Walter Onken, Cecil Vinson, Wilburn Phelps, R. Q. Marks, Cecil Wood, C. L. Mullins, Weldon Mills, Virgil McDaniel, Leland Mills, Frank Brown, Willis Davis, and Franz Beltz.

Miss Vernie Downing, cashier in the Community Gas Company district office here, visited friends at Brady Monday.

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**POLAND MAY CUT FARES**

WARSAW, Nov. 13.—The League of Tourist Promotion in Poland is working on a project of passenger fare reduction, which will approximate fifty per cent for foreign tourist groups of ten persons and more, and thirty-three per cent for groups of five traveling to and from various health resorts.

Typewriter paper at Ledger office.

**Frosted Feed Should  
Go in Trench Silos,  
Farm Agent Advises**

Runnels county had its first killing frost Monday night, the mercury falling to 27 degrees and Tuesday morning everything was covered with white. Farmers in Ballinger Tuesday morning said they thought no harm was done cotton and that the frost would make bolls open faster.

County Agent Elmo V. Cook sounded a warning to farmers to take care of their frosted feed by putting it in trench silos at once. He said the frosted feed would make good silage, but that it should be handled within the next two weeks if possible.

Indications are that more than 800 tons of feed will be placed in trench and pit silos in Runnels county this year. To date the following reports have been filed with the county agent: C. W. Colburn, 40 tons; Albert Schwertner, 42 tons; R. I. Collingsworth, 69 tons; J. D. Smith Jr., 65 tons; Ben Eggemeyer, 61 tons; George Killam, 60 tons; and G. E. Kemp, approximately 500 tons when all silos are filled. Mr. Cook stated that information had been received that G. A. Gully was building a large silo which he planned to fill within a few days.

Speaking in regard to the frosted feed now in the fields, Mr. Cook said "the ideal time for putting this feed in silos will be about one week from the date it was killed by the frost."

The Japanese census of 1930 gave that empire a population of 90,000,000, an increase of almost 7,000,000 over the previous count.

**Vanderpool is Moved  
To Coleman Church;  
Fisher Comes Here**

The Ballinger Methodist church got a change in pastors at the meeting of the Central Texas conference which closed at Brownwood Sunday afternoon. Rev. W. H. Vanderpool, who has been here for the past two years, was sent to the Coleman church, and Rev. W. E. Fisher comes to Ballinger from the Denver Heights Church, San Antonio.

The change at this time came as a complete surprise to the local congregation, who had petitioned the conference for the return of Rev. Vanderpool.

During the two years here Rev. Vanderpool and wife have been very successful in religious work and also are popular with the citizenship outside of their own denomination. The pastor's report for the local church at the annual conference was "paid in full" in addition to a great deal of activity.

Rev. and Mrs. Fisher will arrive in Ballinger this week in time for the regular services next Sunday. Rev. Fisher has been in the Methodist ministry for many years and has an excellent record of work accomplished at various points in the state.

Rev. Vanderpool and family will move to Coleman some time this week.

The "ionosphere" surrounding the earth, which reflects radio signals, has been pushed out to a distance of 450 miles by latest discoveries.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

**A Giant Squash**



If this vegetable were to drop on anyone, there would probably be a great big squash. Anyway, this giant specimen weighing 165 pounds created much excitement about Seattle, Wash., where big squashes abound. It was estimated this huge exhibit would supply Billings for 350 pies.

A college professor and his wife were entertaining at dinner a few weeks ago. In the midst of the gayety at the table a child's voice was heard coming from the floor above.

"Mother!"

"What is it, Alice?" she asked.

"There's only clean towels in the bathroom. Shall I start one?"

Rev. E. W. McLaurin was called to Elysian Fields this week to the bedside of his father, who is critically ill. A message received from Rev. McLaurin Wednesday stated that his father was some better and that Mrs. McLaurin was recovering from ptomaine poisoning.

**Pioneer Celebrates  
Eightieth Birthday**

Richard Turner, of Norton, celebrated his eightieth birthday November 7. A big, delicious turkey was served. The guests were entertained by picture taking and games of forty-two in the afternoon. Supper was served buffet style.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Manie Turner and family, Malvin Turner, Mrs. Malcolm Williams of Dallas, Miss Margaret K. Turner of Itasca, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Manor Turner and family, Chiles W. Mabel and Bonnie B. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Turner, of Norton; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Carter and family, Troy Miles and Jarred Glen, J. G. Miles and Clay Miles, of Wingate; Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Turner, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Turner, Jr., Ed Turner, Mrs. W. E. Gullely and daughters, Lena and Jessie Gullely, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner and family, Barbara, Jean and Clara Lee, of Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turner were married December 25, 1880. They moved from Itasca to Norton in 1907. They are the parents of one daughter, Mrs. Orla Simpson, of Tahoka, and four sons, Joe Turner, Raymondville; Thomas Turner and Manor Turner, Norton; and Monroe Turner, Wingate.

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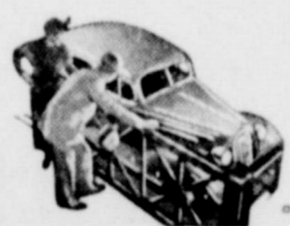


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**FOR SALE**—217.14 acres, three miles on Ballinger highway, at \$30 per acre, or 112 acres at \$25 per acre. A. S. Pape. 14-11

### 20c Market—

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raised a small flock of turkeys besides other poultry this year. Dr. Douglass said the turkeys were raised without any additional expense, and Tuesday night the Cliftons marketed approximately \$100 worth of birds, kept some for home consumption and a few that had been reserved for individual customers.

Pete Thompson spent the weekend and Armistice Day at Slaton and Lubbock.

## Last Rites Are Held For Mrs. Tom Ward

Mrs. Tom Ward, 74, died in Shannon Memorial Hospital, San Angelo, Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock after serious illness of several weeks' duration. She had been in the hospital for about a month and for the last few days before her death had been reported in an improved condition.

Two weeks ago her children were called to her bedside when it became known that her condition was very critical. She improved soon afterward and hope was expressed for recovery.

Mrs. Ward came to Ballinger with her husband 34 years ago and made home here ever since. Mr. Ward died in September, 1913, after engaging in the hardware business here for many years.

Funeral services were held at St. Mary's Church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. H. Janvier officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Nine children survive. Sons are L. H. Ward, Austin, R. H. and Bernie Ward, Corpus Christi, T. A. Ward, San Francisco, and W. B. Ward, Ballinger. Daughters are Mrs. G. A. Beaumont, San Antonio; Mrs. G. B. Brannon, Dallas; Mrs. Katie Wray Gregg and Miss Adda Ward, Ballinger. Also surviving are nine grandchildren, two great grandchildren, and three sisters, Mrs. R. A. Hall, San Angelo; Miss Franc Baker, Austin; and Mrs. Blanche Couch, Oklahoma City, a brother, T. A. Baker, Safford, Arizona, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Mae W. Holman, San Saba, who attended the funeral Wednesday.

Palbearers were: Arthur Gleeske, E. G. Erwin, C. L. Baker, George Holman, H. J. Zappe and R. W. DeMott.

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

## DEATHS

### Albert J. Ruhmann

Albert J. Ruhmann, 60, died in his room on Hutchings Avenue, Saturday morning at 4 o'clock after only two days' illness. Mr. Ruhmann had been making home in Ballinger for the past ten years and was engaged in the painting trade.

Survivors include his father, two brothers and a sister, all of Schulenburg; four nephews, J. P. Bill, Turner and Louis Ruhmann, of Ballinger.

The body was shipped to La Orange Saturday night. Funeral services were held there Monday afternoon.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

### Mrs. Liza Jane Wamble

Funeral services for Mrs. Liza Jane Wamble, 75, were held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church of Paint Rock. Rev. J. W. Balder and Rev. J. W. Liggett officiating.

Mrs. Wamble had made home at Paint Rock since 1903, coming to Concho county from Tennessee in 1881.

Survivors include three sons, John Wamble, Carlshad, N. M.; W. E. Wamble, Norton; and Luther Wamble, Paint Rock; three daughters, Mrs. Artie Smith, Houston; Mrs. Ellen King, Seminole, Oklahoma; and Mrs. May Bennett, Sonora.

Thirty-six grandchildren and 32 great grandchildren also survive. Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

### Mrs. N. D. Wood

Mrs. N. D. Wood died at her home in South Ballinger Friday at 4 p. m. after lingering illness. She had been making home here with her family for the past two years and had been ill most of that time.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Jennings Funeral Home, Rev. Gilbert Wilson officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors include the husband, two daughters, Ruby and Mildred Wood; a brother, and three half-sisters. Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

### WHITAKER BROS. EMPLOYEES ATTEND MEETING AT ANGELO

The entire force of the local Whitaker Brothers store attended a special meeting of company employees at San Angelo Wednesday night.

The main speaker of the evening was Jay Barnard, factory representative of the John Deere Plow Works. His lecture was on disc and tiller plows.

Forty-five employees of the company were present for this special meeting and school of instruction.

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## Hurricane Leaves Trail of Ruin



Tremendous force of the hurricane which swept up from the tropics, cut a devastating swath across southern Florida, and reaped a toll of five lives and more than \$2,000,000 damage, is portrayed vividly in the top picture, taken at the height of the storm, palm trees lining the shore at Miami bow low before the fury of the winds. Below, the wreckage of numerous buildings which littered the city after the storm had passed on testifies to the terrible fury of the gale.

## VALUABLE METALS FOUND IN OREGON

### Method of Extraction Problem for Inventors.

Method, Ore.—Billions of dollars worth of complex metals lie in the ground of southern Oregon—but the master key for their extraction is lacking.

"Southern Oregon has more rare metals than any other district in the world, besides large quantities of the commonly used commercial metals, but they are all mixed together," declared one expert.

These rare metals sell from \$10 to \$25 an ounce. The mining of them remains as a challenge to the metallurgical world. They are so mixed with each other and with baser metals that their full value never has been properly appreciated.

But it is agreed among mining authorities familiar with the region that the chemist, or metallurgist, who devises a process of separating the precious metals not only will build himself a great fortune, but will cause Oregon to become the most important mineral producing state of the West, or hemisphere—or perhaps of the world.

Millions of dollars in placer gold already has been taken from southern Oregon soil and millions more will be taken. A vast project financed by eastern capitalists and calling for development of the rich Mount Emily and Grave creek deposits on a 50 year basis was recently launched.

Large quantities of gold have been taken from "pockets" or from oxidized free milling ores. But as soon as these ores went below the oxidized zone complex sulphides were encountered and were rejected as too complex or refractory to treat.

The experts declare that southern Oregon holds vast deposits which compound together chrome-iron, gold, platinum, palladium, iridium, osmium, ruthenium, tantalum and other rare metals. Ores that ran from 10 to 20 pounds of tantalum a ton have been reported.

## J. A. Greenwood, 69, To be Buried Today

Funeral services for J. A. Greenwood, 69, who died at his home five miles east of Ballinger at 11:30 Wednesday morning, are to be held this (Thursday) afternoon at 3 o'clock at the King-Holt Funeral Home, Rev. W. H. F. Moore, pastor of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Mr. Greenwood was a resident of Runnels county for over 33 years and was well known all over this section.

Survivors include the widow and seven children, Mrs. Andy Spreen, Benoit, Clinton Greenwood, California; Leslie, Milton, and Elmer Greenwood, Ballinger; Mrs. Frank Hoffman, Benoit; and Mrs. Clint Whitley, Ballinger; nine grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Fred Cole, Blanton; and one brother, Dan Greenwood, Sandia.

Palbearers are: Lynn Stokes, A. C. Herring, E. O. Lange, H. T. Linderman, Sam Malone and H. F. Demmer.

Interment will be made in Evergreen Cemetery. King-Holt Funeral Home undertakers are in charge of arrangements.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks to friends who were so kind during the recent illness and at the death of our mother, Mrs. Tom Ward. We deeply appreciate everything done for our comfort and the many expressions of sympathy.

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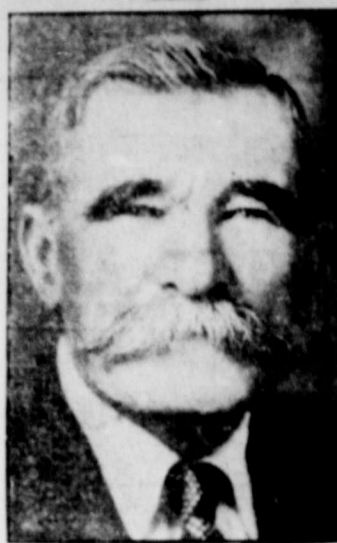
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## Lowake Pioneer Called by Death



Julius H. Brosig

J. H. Brosig, 73, West Texas pioneer, died at his home near Lowake Thursday at 1:25 a. m. after lingering illness of a year's duration.

Decedent was among the early settlers in this part of the state, moving to Fort Concho in the days when Indians roamed the plains. Several years later he bought large tracts of land in Concho county and moved there to operate ranches before fences were known in this section. He drove cattle to market over the old trails which led into Kansas and for more than 30 years had been living at the old home place.

A funeral service will be held at the family home Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock and immediately following the body will be taken to San Angelo and another service held at the Robert Massie Funeral Home at 3 o'clock. Interment will be made in Fairmount Cemetery, San Angelo.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Nellie Brosig; four sons, Emmitt Brosig, Paint Rock; Joe Brosig, Breckenridge; Roy and Julius, Jr., Brosig, Lowake; four daughters, Mrs. Adolph Hartman, Lowake; Mrs. Howard Martin, Ballinger; Mrs. D. J. Goetz, Winters; and Mrs. Bob Justice, Ballinger; three brothers, Theo and Charley Brosig, Eagle Lake; and a sister, Mrs. W. M. Goller, Peters, Texas.

Active pallbearers are: C. A. Doose, Otto Lizzo, A. C. Krigel, Ed Cervenka, J. W. Johnson, Jr., and J. D. Bledsoe. Honorary pallbearers are: Horace Murphy, Marta Reed, J. W. Bailey, D. E. Sims, J. A. Wade, Roy Higginbotham, Otto Krigel, C. O. Harris, W. A. Hennig, Henry Rhodemund, L. O. Nimitz, M. B. Pulliam, Bob Hewitt, R. S. Low, J. H. Helwig, August Voelkel, Forrest Rungie, W. A. Schumann, J. H. Herndon, Richard Mesecke and others.

## Over 1,500

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O'Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rubin, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scales, C. A. Doose, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chastain.

Ross Prescott and Tom Kornegay, of Santa Anna, attended the Ballinger-Brady football game here Monday.

Oberburgmeister Martin, of Nurnberg, Germany, has threatened reckless drivers with concentration camp sentences.

There are, it is estimated, 10,000 pecan trees on the lots of more than 3,000 homes in San Angelo.

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