

BALLINGER SCHOOL NEWS

By Genevieve King

A novel "chuck wagon" program was arranged by Miss Williamson for the chapel period Friday morning. The program was made up as follows: "Roll Along Prairie Moon," sung by Elizabeth Fowler, Margie Holstead, Eula May Clark, and Faye Serratt; "A Prairie Schooner," a reading, given by Pauline Morris; "Home on the Range," by the "Chuck-Wagon Gang," a reading, by Ruth Smith; "A Cowboy's Dream," sung by the "Gang"; a tap dance by Jack Connelly; an "Old Timer's" story by Carroll Corder; and "The Old Chisholm Trail" by the "Gang." Other members of the "Chuck-Wagon Gang" included: Jack Fry, Douglas Barnett, Sidney Hale, Lloyd Jenkins, Dale Cook, Raymond White, Runnels Smith, Gilbert Behrend, Wilbourn Batts and Gordon Brookshier.

The Texas Centennial Club of the third period history class met on Friday, April 3, at the class period. The following program, centering around points of interest in San Antonio, was presented: "The Alamo," by Mairich Allen; "San Jose Mission," by Louis Ruhmann; "A Short History of San Antonio," by Nellie Mae Midgley; and "Randolph Field," by Floyd Patterson. The program committee for the next meeting consists of Geraldine Hennig, Addie Beth Wood, and Margaret Clark.

The Centennial Club program of the fourth period class was composed of the following numbers: "Lawrence Sullivan Ross," by Wilma Seipp; "When the Work's All Done This Fall," sung by Margie Mae Holstead, Fay Serratt, and Eula May Clark; "Cedar Oil," by Carroll Corder; "The Story of Texas," a reading, by Jack Carroll, and "Texas Our Texas," and "Beautiful Texas" sung by members of the club. The program committee for the next meeting is composed of Anna Lee Wiginton, Carroll Corder, and Ike Mapes.

In the sixth period history class, the Texas Centennial Club program was made up of the following parts: "History of Runnels County," by Luther Reese; "Life of C. A. Doose," by Gordon Brookshier; "How Miles, Harriet, and Rowena Got Their Names," by Gilbert Behrend; "History of Hatchel," by Doyle Condra, and "Rancho Grande," sung by the club members.

Mr. Lyman Cooley, of the National Broadcasting Company, presented a moving picture show, "Texas on Parade," at 3 o'clock last Friday afternoon. The pictures of historic places of interest were explained in detail by Mr. Cooley as the show progressed. Part of the proceeds went to the senior Centennial fund.

The Longhorn Club met on Friday, April 3. The members presented the following program: "The Long, Long Ago," by Alma Drennan; "The Blue Bonnets of Texas," by Geraldine Ransberger; "Some Facts About Indians," by Lucille Turner; "The Apronfalls of Gunpowder," by Willie Mae McMillan; "Tell Me About Ben Milam," by Luther Woods; "Texas," by Evelyn McAden; "Moonlight on the Alamo," a

reading by Virginia Mae McShan; and "Captain McCullum," by Lolita Morrison. The program committee for the next meeting, appointed by the president, is as follows: Gladys Spann, chairman; Hester Boone, and Lorena Nunn.

Rev. C. Y. Doasey, who is holding a revival meeting in the Ballinger Baptist Church, gave a devotional address last Monday on the subject, "Six Ways to Tell Right from Wrong." Mr. Roland Leath, an evangelistic singer, also assisting in the services at the Baptist church, played selections on the piano, and sang the hymn, "When They Ring Those Golden Bells."

The junior class entertained the seniors last Friday night with a "barn" party. Seniors met at the high school and were taken for a hay ride by the juniors. Then all met in one group at Fair Park, where a museum of practical jokes and fortune telling was arranged. The refreshments were served in the form of a box supper, with Mr. Harry Lynn and Mr. J. D. Motley as auctioneers. After refreshments, ring games were played in the open air. A large number of juniors and seniors, Miss Elizabeth Parker, junior sponsor, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Motley enjoyed the occasion.

The members of the sophomore class had a hobo party at the city park Friday night. Guests came dressed as hoboes. Out-of-door games were played. Refreshments were served in paper bags to carry out the hobo style of hand-outs. Mrs. C. J. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Reese were chaperones for the affair.

Senior Highlights
Jack Stubbs lives at Bethel. He has attended Ballinger high school for the past three years. While a freshman, he attended Bethel high school. Jack was a member of the Spanish Club for two years, and he is at present a member of the third period Texas Centennial Club. He has taken an active part in sports, playing basketball and entering track events.

Anna Lee Wiginton lives at 103 North Eleventh Street. She went to Brownwood high school for the terms 1932-33 and 1933-34. For the past two terms she has attended Ballinger high school. Anna Lee has been a member of the Camp Fire Girls, the Home Economics Club, the Dramatic Club and the Literary Club. She was in the pep squad in 1934-35 and 1935. Anna Lee was a member of the cast of Ballinger's one-act play cast this year.

WEEKS DRUG STORE HERE EMPLOYS PHARMACIST

Raymond C. Evans, of Aspermont, has accepted a position with the Weeks Drug Store here and is moving to Ballinger this week. Mr. Evans, a graduate pharmacist, had been employed at Aspermont until he accepted the position here.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans will occupy the Stobaugh house on Eleventh Street.

Mrs. H. Ford Taylor returned Sunday from Natchez, Mississippi, where she had been for the past two weeks, visiting relatives and attending the Garden Pilgrimage.

Everett Cooper is able to be up after a serious attack of flu.

What Housewives Saw After Floods



A mess—that's what the owners of this home found when flood waters receded enough for them to return. Swift-flowing and muddy water had reached the ceiling of the room, as the complete disorder indicates. This picture was taken in Sharpshooter, Pa. Thousands of housewives faced similar clean-up tasks throughout the northeastern section of the country.

JAPANESE FARMER SUES GOVERNMENT

TSUKUI, Japan, April 8.—Swindled by a village postmaster out of \$1,200, Fukutaro Yagi, a farmer aged 81, has sued the Japanese government through its communications minister. The loss represents two-thirds of the aged man's life savings.

In 1932, he had over \$1,800 on deposit at the village postoffice. The postmaster, Tanezo Kajiwara, is alleged to have induced Yagi to invest \$1,200 in government bonds, then transferred their ownership to a friend, using Yagi's seal which was kept at the post-

office. Kajiwara and the friend are said to have sold the bonds and disappeared.

Refused restitution by the minister of communications, Yagi has brought the suit under Article 715 of the civil code which provides that the state is responsible for the actions of officials in service.

Football Roster

Mother: "Now say your prayers, sonny, and go to sleep."
Little Dicky (a football enthusiast): "God bless ma, God bless pa, God bless me—rah! rah! rah!"

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Grant is Sought By School Board For Lights, Seats

Members of the Ballinger school board have renewed their efforts to secure PWA assistance to erect bleachers and install lights at the high school athletic field.

The application before the PWA board has been changed to seek only a grant of 45 per cent of the \$7,000 which the contractors estimate the complete job will cost. Information was received from the Fort Worth office that the board was approving grants where the remainder of the project could be financed in some other way, and as soon as this information was received the local application was changed, asking for the grant only and agreeing to finish the job in case aid was given.

Members of the board are anxious to make these improvements before next fall because of the favorable schedule of home games for the 1936 season. Practically all league games will be played in Ballinger this year and it is possible to have 8 or 9 at home, counting the exhibition tilts at the beginning of the season.

The field already has one of the best turfs possible and all that remains to be done is seating the two sides lines and installing the lights.

The Letter of the Law

It is still illegal in England to make a mince pie, smoke a cigarette in the street, play billiards Sunday, or have a Christmas dinner of more than three courses. These and many other examples of obsolete laws on the books were mentioned at a law society conference which recommended steps to bring old legislation up to date.

Typewriter ribbons at Ledger office.

Spring Football Training Started By Local Coaches

Spring football training for Ballinger high school players started Tuesday afternoon with a good looking squad working for berths on the team next fall. Equipment was issued to 21 boys by Coaches Felton Wright and Paul Gibbs Monday afternoon.

Coach Wright stated that he expected to train the candidates for the 1936 team for about five weeks, giving them the fundamentals of the game and developing kicking, passing and receiving. He will also locate as many good prospects as possible and determine what positions they will fill best.

The 19-year rule reduced the number of prospective players and will keep several letter men of last year's team off the squad. This rule also cut the reserve strength considerably and will cause the coaches some worry in filling places that are left vacant.

Two letter men, Holt and West, will be out for ends next season. Both played in a majority of the games last year and their additional weight and speed and a year's experience will give the Bearcats a good pair of wings. The most promising new candidate for the team is May, a

husky chap who looks good for either a line position or a place in the backfield. Wiesepape is the only old player for a tackle position and the other tackle and both guard positions must be filled later with new material. In the backfield are Sheffy and Ashenhurst, two letter men who will be ready to go when the whistle blows. Barnett, a backfielder on the junior high school team last season, is out for the team and looks like a regular.

There are some seven or eight boys riding buses here that will be unable to report for spring training but who will be out for the team next fall. These youths have no way to get home after practice in the afternoon but arrangements will be made as soon as school opens next September for their transportation.

The coaches are fairly confident over the outlook, but declare that it will be a big job to develop as many new players as will be needed for a winning team.

RUNNELS CEMETERY GROUP TO WORK ON APRIL 14

All persons interested in the maintenance of the Runnels cemetery are requested to assemble there on April 14. Each person will bring tools to work with and the group will clean up the lots, cut the weeds and attend to everything that needs to be done.

This is an annual meeting and each year a large group reports for work on the grounds.

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GO TO CHURCH EASTER

First Christian Church
The Easter sunrise service at the First Christian Church will begin promptly at 5:45 a. m. Sunday.

The theme for this service will be "Gardens." 1. The Garden of Eden, which brought sin into the world and necessitated the coming of the Savior. 2. The Garden of Gethsemane, of suffering and submission. 3. The Garden of Joseph of Arimathea, grief and despair, the prelude to triumph.

The altar of the church will be decorated as a garden and the program will consist of scripture, prayer, hymns, pantomime and dialogue in an arrangement by Mrs. Wallace Jones.

The program:
Prelude—"The Beautiful Garden of Prayer"

PART I
"The Garden of Eden—the World"
Scripture: Gen. 1-1; 2:4-10; 15-17
Hymn, "The Beauty of the Earth"—choir in distance
Scripture Gen. 3:13-19
Prayer—For courage to overcome sin

PART II
"The Garden of Gethsemane"
"The Suffering." Rev. Wallace Jones
Hymn, "Tis Midnight"—hidden choir
Pantomime, "In the Garden"
Prayer—For the willingness to submit our wills to the will of the Father

Solo, "Calvary," Mrs. W. O. Wallace
Hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee."
White robed choir enters auditorium from distance, representing, in imagination, the little group of sorrowing disciples bearing the body of Christ to the tomb.

PART III
"The Garden of Joseph of Arimathea"
Scripture: John 20: 3-8; 4:2; Mark 16: 1, 2, 9
Hymn, "Christ Arose," first two stanzas
Dialogue, "The Women at the Tomb"

Hymn, "Christ Arose," chorus, and third stanza
Benediction.
Postlude—Audience will please leave auditorium reverently and quietly.

Decoration committee: Miss Florence Westbrook, Mrs. Jack Rudd and Mrs. E. M. Eubank
Pianist, Miss Iola Clayton
Choir director, Mrs. W. O. Wallace
Pantomiming, Minnie Edith Jones
Women at the Tomb: Mary, mother of James the Less, Mrs. Horace Murphy; Salome, Mrs. Joe Atwell; Mary Magdalene, Mrs. C. F. Bailey; Angel, Miss Cathleen Connelly; Voice of Jesus, Rev. Jones.

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
Several special services have

been planned for the different ages of the membership of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church Sunday. The young people will have an outdoor service and breakfast in city park at 5:30 Sunday morning. A special program has been arranged for this gathering and all the young people are invited to attend.

At the Sunday school hour the children will render a special Easter program in the different departments.

Rev. W. H. F. Moore, pastor, will observe Easter in the theme of his sermon at 11 o'clock. The choir will render special music in keeping with the occasion and the sermon will convey the following general thoughts: 1. "The Certainty of the Resurrection," 2. "The Character of the Risen Christ," and 3. "The Nature of Our Own Resurrection."

Tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 4 o'clock the children of the church will have an Easter egg hunt at city park.

The annual revival at this church will begin Sunday, April 19. Rev. Moore will preach the first day and on Monday, April 20, Dr. Charles W. Estes will arrive to preach the remainder of the campaign, April 20-May 3. The public is invited to attend all the services.

First Methodist Church
The revival in progress at the First Methodist Church will reach its climax Sunday morning when a large group of members will be received into the membership. The special series of pre-Easter services will end Sunday night.

At 11 a. m. the pastor, Rev. Homer Vanderpool, will preach on "Daybreak on a Darksome Road," observing the Easter theme. The choir will render special music and a group of members will take the church voss.

At the closing service of the meeting the sermon subject will be "Supposing Him the Gardener."

The membership is working for a record breaking attendance at the Sunday school, and has set the goal at 350 for Easter day. Easter will be the general theme of all the devotional programs in the various church school departments.

Ballinger Baptist Church
The revival at the Ballinger Baptist Church will end Sunday night after two weeks' highly successful work. Fifty-one additions have already been received into the church and others are expected before the closing service.

The pastor, Rev. J. H. McClain, announced that a baptismal service would be held Friday night at the close of the regular preaching hour and a large group of candidates will be taken into the church at that time.

Evangelist C. Y. Dossey has announced his subjects for the

A 10-Gallon Hat for a Brown Derby



A fair exchange is no robbery—Al Smith gets a 10-gallon hat for his famous brown derby. The trade was made with Irene Caldwell, "Bluebonnet Girl" of the Texas

last day of the revival, as follows: Sunday morning, "The Threefold Secret of the Great Life of Moses," Sunday evening, "The Last Call."

The evening services commence at 7:30 with a B. T. U. meeting preceding at 8:30. Morning services for week days begin at 10 o'clock, and for Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

No special emphasis will be placed on Easter next Sunday, all effort being centered in the revival. Rev. McClain stated that attendance and interest were much better this week, the Tuesday night congregation ranking as one of the largest since the beginning of the campaign.

Roland Leath is in charge of the music at all services and with the large chorus is presenting some excellent programs. Besides being a vocalist of unusual ability he is a fine piano player and often adds to the programs by playing solos.

First Presbyterian Church
The Easter observance at the First Presbyterian Church will be held Sunday morning at 11. The choir will render special music and Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor, will deliver his Easter message to the congregation.

Sunday school will be held at the usual hour with all depart-

ments having devotional programs appropriate to the season. The regular evening service will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

BETHEL 4-H GIRLS CLUB

Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent, met with the Bethel 4-H Club Thursday, April 2.

During the business session a nomination was made for a new sponsor. Miss Mary Nunley was elected.

Miss Tankersley showed the girls how to make tufted cushions and bedspreads. Most of the girls have begun their garden and bedroom work and hope to complete all the goals. The meeting adjourned and the next meeting will be held April 23, with the sponsor presiding.

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Trustees for School Districts Elected; Two Candidates Tie

Henry Doss and J. A. Killough were elected trustees of the Ballinger independent school district in the election here Saturday. Mr. Doss led the ticket with 152 votes, Mr. Killough received 147, Rothal O'Kelly 90, and Dr. C. W. Cheatham 87.

Mr. Doss has been a member of the board for the past four years and was reelected for a six-year term. Mr. Killough is a new member of the board, taking the place formerly held by H. G. Stokes.

Three members of the county board of education were reelected in the elections Saturday. E. F. King was named to the place he has held for several years as trustee-at-large; Paul Petty was elected in precinct No. 1, and C. H. Ray in precinct No. 3. All three men were members of the board last year and with the two holdovers will make up the new board.

Practically all the rural school districts which held elections have reported. One district named a woman as trustee and another woman was already a holdover. This makes two women and one man now serving in the Millar district. Mrs. Alta Stokes was elected Saturday to serve with Mrs. Don Jackson and H. A. Lange.

In the Blanton district the two men in the race received an equal number of votes. Willard Reese and J. L. Cooper tied for the place and another election will be held to decide who will serve.

Other results were as follows: Runnels—Frank Smith, Maverick—W. L. Caudle, Bethel—W. L. Lampe, Vernon Webb and W. D. Dize, Hagan—Austin Williams, Barnett—G. T. Gibson, Bell—R. J. Kellemsayer, North Norton—T. E. Martin, Marie—W. G. Hurt, Pumphrey—Emmett Brooks, Independence—R. A. Hall, J. C. Hall and J. D. Smith, Cochran—William Hord, Mazeland—King Barker, Oak Creek—Homer Phillips, Baldwin—O. V. Cooper, Victory—Ross Williams, Spring Hill—Ernest Aycock, Greenwald—John Chvojka, Red Bank—A. J. Schniers, Brookshier—F. D. Pierce, Olfen—A. Gerngross, Drasco—C. F. Bahlman, Franklin—A. D. Drury, Hatchel—W. O. Richardson, Poe—John W. Henry, Mann—J. A. Henderson, Eagle Branch—J. E. Davidson, Sweet Home—John Simecek.

Specimens of the spotted lion are being sought in Kenya.

BETHEL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Bethel home demonstration club met April 2 in the home of Mrs. Lyle Curry with fifteen members and one visitor present.

Preparing soil for flower beds, and the different types of flowers were discussed.

Ways of financing the county council were discussed and it was voted that each member donate a dozen eggs or the price of a dozen to be turned in at the next regular meeting.

As this is Centennial Year, the

name of the gift packages has been changed to bluebonnets (Texas state flower) instead of capsules.

The next regular meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Ed Cline, April 16, with a program, "Know Your State," arranged by a special committee.

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First Presbyterian Church
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school.
 11 a. m., morning worship.
 7:30 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., revival service, Evan-
 gelist C. Y. Dossey, preaching.
 8:30 p. m., B. T. U. meeting.
 Ernest Moody, director.
 7:30 revival service.
 A welcome to all who will wor-
 ship with us.
 J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Carl
 Black, superintendent.
 11 a. m., morning service.
 8:45 p. m., senior Endeavor.
 8:45 p. m., junior society.
 7:30 p. m., evening service.
 7:30 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.
 El. Skelton, superintendent.
 Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor.
 Young people's meeting at 7 p.
 m.
 Preaching at 8 p. m. by pastor.
 Prayer meeting each Wednesday
 evening at 8 o'clock.
 Woman's Missionary Society
 each Thursday.
 W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor

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 munion following sermon.
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 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 com-
 munion service.
 7:30 o'clock evening service.
 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., preaching by pastor.
 7:30 p. m., preaching by pastor.
 7:15 p. m., Wednesday, prayer
 meeting.
 A cordial welcome awaits you at
 all-our services.
 HOMER VANDERPOOL, 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. S. at 7 p. m.
 Preaching by pastor at 7:30 p.
 m.
 Prayer meeting at 7 p. m.
 Wednesday.
 W. M. S. each Thursday at 7:30
 p. m.
 JOE TYSON, Pastor

Old Fashioned Baptist Church
 Rev. B. A. Whitten, of Pennsyl-
 vania, preaching.
 Friday, April 19, at 8 p. m. a
 newly organized Young People's
 Society will hold its first meeting.
 Miss Winona Jones will be the
 leader.
 Sunday:
 10 a. m., Bible school for all the
 family.
 11 a. m., church service with
 special Easter sermon, "The
 Greatest Miracle in History."
 7:45 p. m., evening gospel ser-
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 special sermon for young people
 of today, "Christ's Challenge to

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 (Political Advertisement) 9-11

CHRISTIANS OBSERVE WEEK OF PRAYER
 Members of the Missionary Society of the First Christian Church held a prayer service in the church auditorium Monday afternoon, observing their week of prayer.
 Mrs. Charles F. Bailey was leader for the afternoon and after the devotional she presented a group of interesting numbers.
 Mrs. W. O. Wallace and Mrs. Jack Rudd were heard in a beautiful duet, appropriate for the occasion. Mrs. W. B. Halley read a paper on "Famous Bells Over the World," and Mrs. Bailey closed the program with a musical reading, "The Legend of the Twilight Bells."
 Following the program a social hour was observed with fifteen members of the San Angelo society as guests of the local unit. The Ballinger women will return the call tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, meeting with the San Angelo society for its program observing prayer week.
 Convict (reading newspaper): "Here's justice for yer! A football player breaks two men's jaws and another man's leg and is de lion of de hour, while I gets ten years for only stunnin' an old guy wid a blackjack"

TO THE VOTERS OF JUSTICE PRECINCT
 No. 1, Runnels county:
 I herewith submit my candidacy to the Voters of Justice Precinct No. 1 of Runnels county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July, next.
 I have been a citizen of Runnels county for 30 years and have paid taxes here during that period so I am and have been a tax payer as well as a "tax eater."
 In all walks of life I have tried to do my duty as a citizen, never shirking the "rough spots" as they arose, which fact I believe my neighbors and friends will verify.
 During my tenure of office as Justice of the Peace I have tried to mete out justice to all parties coming before me without fear or favor and in so doing, I have, perhaps, made some enemies, but any man in the performance of his public duties—if he meets the issues squarely—will encounter this result.
 While the office does not pay any great sum, yet its revenues afford me sustenance for myself and family, for all of which I am very grateful.
 Whatever else may be said in the way of criticism of my public acts, I think that it can not be truthfully said that I have not "been on the job" early and late and in handling the difficult duties that arise in the performance of various acts of Justice of the Peace, I have tried to show that consideration and courtesy to the public to which it is entitled.
 If the voters of Justice Precinct No. 1 will again honor me with

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PIG LIVER lb. 14c
BACON Squares No. 1 sugar cured lb. 19c
Assorted Lunch Meats lb. 20c

Fruits - Vegetables

Carrizo Carrots 3 Full Bunches 5c
Strawberries 3 pints 23c
 Fresh White and Yellow
Squash 2 lbs. 15c
English Walnuts lb. 16c
Select Almonds lb. 23c
Brazil Nuts lb. 20c
 Assortment of
 Green Beans, English Peas,
 Turnips and Tops, Radishes
 Celery and Fresh Tomatoes.
Fresh Pineapple each 20c

Old Flag Symbolized Defeat so Germany Adopts Swastika

WASHINGTON, April 8.—One of the most important flag changes since the World War took place recently when the swastika banner was made the official national flag of Germany.

The new German flag, according to the National Geographic Society, is a black swastika in a circle of white on a field of red. It replaces the black, white and red tricolor which was first flown in 1867 as the flag of the North German Confederation. Its colors combine the red and white of the Hanseatic League, and the black and white of Prussia.

These remain the official colors of the Reich, red and white supposedly standing for commercial prosperity, and black and white (part of the Hohenzollern arms) for military strength.

The German empire kept the tri-color as a merchant flag and introduced the imperial flags with the famous black eagle. After the World War, when Germany became a republic, black, red and gold were made the federal colors. The old black, white and red merchant flag was still used, but with the new colors in the upper inside corner. As for the imperial black eagle, he was deprived of his crown, his sceptre and his orb, given red legs and a red beak instead, and flown as the bird of the Reich.

When Adolph Hitler came into power in 1933 things were changed again, the geographic society recalled. The red, black and gold flag reminded him of Germany's defeat, so he abolished it and decreed the black, white and red tri-color Germany's national flag.

He also ordered that the swastika banner of the Nazi party should always be flown beside the tri-color, saying that "these flags unite the glorious past of the German Reich with the vigor and rebirth of the German race. Let them fly together as a symbol of the power of the state and the internal unity of all national sections of the German people!"

Now the tri-color is gone and the emblem of the Nazi party is supreme in Germany.

The swastika, or hooked cross, has been used as design and symbol since prehistoric times. It appears on Celtic stones in Britain, in Buddhist inscriptions, in the ruins of Troy and in the monasteries of Tibet. In the German

Physician Thinks Diabetes Increase Caused by Diet

LONDON, April 8.—A warning against too strict application of the idea of many experts on diet that sugar, starch and other carbohydrates make trouble for human digestion and should be avoided has been issued by a British medical man, Dr. H. P. Himsforth. It is that people who eat no starches or sugars may get diabetes if they happen to be at all susceptible to that disease.

Sugars and other carbohydrates are among the chief foods that make people fat. Most of the "slimming" diets followed by fashionable young women contain very little carbohydrates. Carbohydrates also are avoided by many persons suffering from fermentative indigestion. At the same time all civilized countries report alarming increases in the amount of diabetes. Many experts have suspected that this increase is related in some way to diet, perhaps to average eating of more or richer foods.

Dr. Himsforth went further and questioned a number of diabetes patients concerning the kinds of food they had been accustomed to eat before the diabetes appeared. The average of these replies showed considerable excesses of fats and a notable lack of sugar and other carbohydrates as compared with the habitual diets of normal persons without diabetes. He concludes that eating too much fat or too little sugar may have something to do with the diabetes rise.

Diabetes is a disease in which sugar is not used properly by the body because of shortage of the chemical called insulin, produced by one of the body's glands. Perhaps a shortage of carbohydrates in the habitual diet may give this gland too little exercise so that it gradually forgets how to make insulin at all.

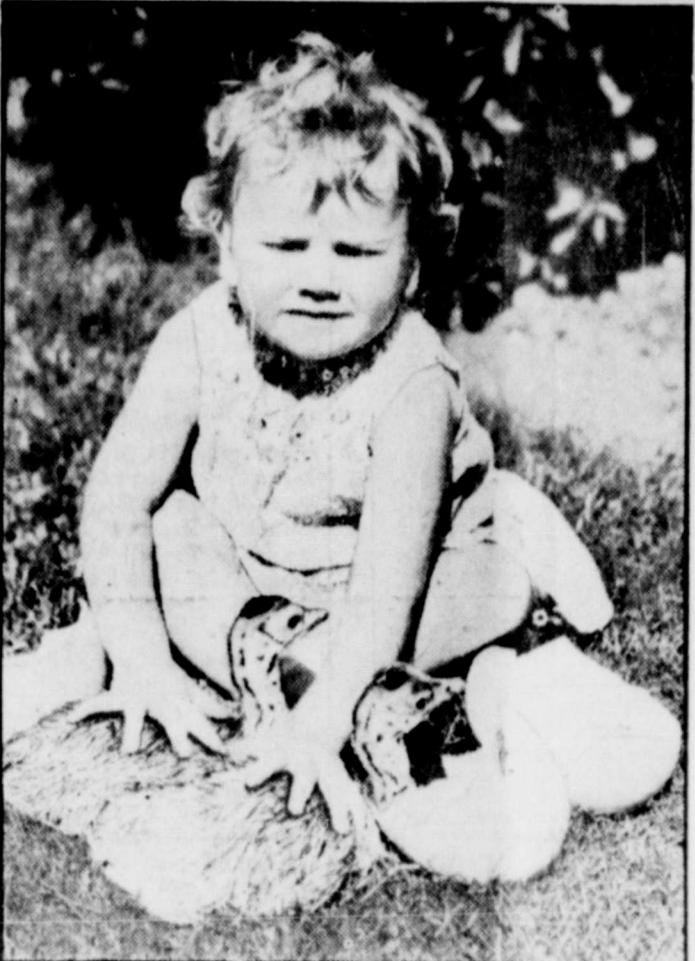
Dr. George Nearsta was called to San Antonio Monday night on account of illness of relatives.

Across the Back Fence
A Boy: "Say! What kind of dogs are those?"

Another Boy: "Well, one uv em's a rat terrier and the other's mine."

swastika the arms are bent to the right at right angles to the cross.

No Easter Bunny Brought These



Easter eggs—the good-to-eat kind, anyway—are highly fun, and the hunt for them is much fun. But when you run across two such as were found by little Marilyn Brown of Los Angeles—well, it's mighty perplexing, as Marilyn's puzzled expression indicates. No sooner had this young searcher found the oversized eggs than she stepped a couple of baby ostriches. Marilyn, incidentally, had wandered into the Los Angeles Zoo on her hunt.

The Semi-Annual Letter

Dear Son,
I do hope you will come for the Christmas holidays. Mother and I have arranged everything so that we will be ready to receive you. All the cars are going to be overhauled and painted during the vacation so that you will not be able to wreck them. Your brother's bank has been emptied and the money deposited in the bank where you cannot get it. My ties, shirts, socks, gloves, tax, etc., have been placed in a strong trunk, for which I have the only key. My cigars and cigarettes will not be available as I am also locking them in a humidor. I hope you will come to see us. I know that I shall enjoy your visit very much.
Love,
Dad.

\$100,000 IS ESTATE OF SLOVENIA BEGGAR

SCMBER, Slovenia, April 8.—Among the rolling rags which composed the bed of a beggar, was found \$60 in gold coins. Neighbors thought that this was his sole possession. The man, Mihailo Korish, died in a miserable hole in a sand bank which was his "home," but when the police inquired into his affairs they found that not only did he possess \$60 in cash, but that his bank balance was \$100,000.
Many years ago he had inherited a small fortune, but he was believed to have squandered it all. Many people in the town who disclaimed all relationship with Mihailo in his lifetime are now trying to claim kinship with the dead beggar.

Natives in Smaira believe that earthquakes occur because an insect bothers the bull that holds the earth on its horns.

Four-year-old Leslie Bowers, of Lowestoft, England, weighs 135 pounds.

Save At..... Sam FRIDAY Sp

Here's Meat

I have bought enough grain feed and will feature only this grain have not been on pasture but a meat tender. Just as good as if

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Sam Jackson a thoroughly married dorky was approached by a life insurance agent.
"Better let me write you a policy Sam," the agent suggested.
"No, sah," declared Sam emphatically. "Ah ain't any too safe at home as it is!"
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Streets and Parks Improved by City Crews in March

The city operated street machinery 22 days last month conditioning dirt streets and in opening one block of new street in the negro section south of the Abilene & Southern right-of-way. Caliche was spread on the west end of Eighth Street.

The city furnished patrons a total of 5,723,000 gallons of water in March. Collections during the month in this department totaled \$1,416.05. The city water department laid water lines for the park on highway No. 23 near the Halley & Love Sanitarium so the plants and flowers can be taken care of this summer.

All new shrubs have been set out in the park and water lines run to irrigate them. A number of new flower beds have been built and curbed and 30 flowering shrubs, 25 evergreen and 35 rose

bushes have been planted. One pecan tree has been replaced and all trees and shrubs are being tended by the keeper.

Two PWA projects in the city are employing full crews and making good progress. The gutters on Harris Avenue in front of the senior high school campus have been finished on one block and work started on the second block. The drainage ditch is completed past Thirteenth Street and additional excavations made.

TOWNSEND CLUB TO MEET HERE MONDAY EVENING

A meeting of members of the Townsend Old Age Revolving Pension Club will be held in the district court room at the court house here Monday evening at 8 o'clock. This is an important meeting and all members are requested to be present. Delegates will be elected to the congressional district convention which will convene at San Angelo April 16.

We meet prices—Freeman's.

This story will interest many Men and Women

Not long ago I was like some friends I have... low in spirits... run-down... out of sorts... tired... and looked terrible. I knew I had no serious organic trouble as I reasoned sensibly... as my experience has since proven... that work, worry, colds and whatnot had just worn me down.



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"I have used Dr. Miles Nervine in liquid form and find it the best medicine for the nerves I have ever used." Christine Lantz, Middleton, Tennessee

"Whenever I am overworked and feel restless I take one or two Nervine Tablets just before I retire. In the morning when I awake I feel like a new person and can go about my work as usual. Dr. Miles Nervine Tablets quiet your nerves, relax you up and are the simplest, most convenient tablets to take I have ever found." Miss Clara C. Brown, St. James, Miss.

Before using your Nervine... was very nervous and irritable. Since I have started to take it I feel so much better that my family notice the difference. I still take it from time to time and the good result is wonderful." J. H. Bolding, 1927 21th Ave., Rock Island, Ill.

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FOR SALE—Bagley Cotton Seed, 90c per bushel, Aug. Vogelbaum, Ballinger, Texas.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment and rooms, spacious, close in, cool, home like and reasonably priced.

For Sale
Popular priced Automobile Agency in banner farming county in West Central Texas.

FOR SALE—McGee Earlham and Gulf State Tomato Plants, J. C. Reese, South Ballinger.

FOR SALE—Good Jersey cows, See Paul Beard, 808 Twelfth Street.

WANTED—Salesman, Apply Maytag office, next door to City Cleaners.

FOR RENT—A new five room house, also three room furnished apartment, 302 Twelfth Street.

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FOR SALE—Mesquite wood \$1.50 cord, first year Bagley cottonseed \$1.00 bushel, Ben Liverman, Mapes farm, 5 miles southeast of Pony.

FOR SALE—Seed Maize in head, Raised 15 consecutive years in Rannels county without disease.

FOR SALE—Cheap Several used Electric Refrigerators, Ballinger Electric Co., Phone 7.

FOR SALE—3 1/2 weeks old White Leghorn Roosters & each, H. L. Stock, Otten.

FOR SALE—Pure Mebane Cotton Seed \$1 per bushel, Ballinger Mebane Cotton Seed Association, see Frank Kemp at gin near oil mill.

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DEATHS

Mrs. Florence Tekell
Mrs. Florence Tekell, 51, died in the Santa Anna hospital Saturday night at 11:40 following surgery there some two weeks before.

In 1901 she was married to N. C. Tekell, who preceded her in death in 1926. There are nine surviving children to this union.

The surviving children are Mrs. Evelyn Wright, Overton; Mrs. Edna Stewart, Purdon; Mrs. Maurine Wade Whigate, N. C. Tekell, Milford; C. D. Tekell, Norton; O. O. Tekell, Abilene; Alie Robert and Bertie Tekell, of Norton.

Funeral services were held at the Winters Baptist church Monday afternoon at 1:30. Rev. J. P. Miller, pastor of the Norton Baptist Church, and Rev. J. B. Steele, formerly Baptist pastor at Norton, officiating. Interment was made in Fairview Cemetery, Winters.

Flower girls were: Mildred Murphey, Jewel Mann, Joyce Green and the primary Roper, Ada Patton, Margaret Allen, Phyllis Roper, Ella Madine, Jennings and Mary Dell Murphey.

Funeral services for Mrs. Tabitha Clark, 87, died just before noon Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Shadie Coffey, of Orient.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the graveside in the Glen Cove cemetery, Rev. M. C. Golden officiating. Spill Bros. undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Decedent, the daughter of William and Lucindy McCulloch, was married to W. A. Clark in 1886. He preceded her in death 15 years ago.

Mrs. Clark was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church, being converted to that faith at the age of 21. Before moving to Rannels county in 1897 the family resided in Smith and Lampasas counties.

The remains were conveyed from the Coffey home Sunday after a brief service to the old family home near Glen Cove, now occupied by a granddaughter, Mrs. Tom Bevard.

Surviving children are: Mrs. S. H. Miller, Tampa; Mrs. T. L. Gray, Lorman; Mrs. Ida Lewis, Bennet; Mrs. Coffey, Orient; and B. F. Clark, Houston.

of New Lake



Mountain sheep found himself waters of Mead Lake behind of wasteland mountain range, then placed on the newly-created in cross-breeding.

I will endeavor to give same loyalty and service in future, as I have tried to give the past.

I fall to see your personally Murphey, Jewell Mann, Joyce Green now and the primary Roper, Ada Patton, Margaret Allen, Phyllis Roper, Ella Madine, Jennings and Mary Dell Murphey.

Mr. Powers was born in Brown county but was reared in Rannels county, spending most of his life in the Norton community until 1927 when he accepted employment on the Moser ranch.

Survivors include the widow, and five children, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Powers, of Hatchel; five brothers and nine sisters.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Robert Singleton
Robert Singleton, 36, died at the family home here Monday morning at 4 o'clock after illness of two years duration.

Survivors include the widow and five children, two boys and three girls.

Decedent was a member of the Four Square Gospel Church and was an active worker until his health failed.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Jennings Funeral Home, Rev. W. S. Hancock officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery. Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Herbert Peoples, of Abilene, attended to business in Ballinger this week.

Girl in Texas



Horsewoman, Miss Young will exhibit several of her finest mounts at the Texas Centennial Exposition, \$25,000,000 World's Fair opening in Dallas June 5.

Funeral services for the infant of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Skelton were held at the graveside in Evergreen Cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Survivors include the parents and three sisters, Mary Orenda, 11; Vera Lorenz, 10; and Dorsey Janice, 7, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Waldrop.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

CADDO CLUB HAS PROGRAM ON "X-RAY" AT MEETING IN NEW QUARTERS TUESDAY

Regular meeting of the Caddo Club was held Tuesday evening in the organization's recently acquired club rooms in Masonic Hall.

Following the business session games were enjoyed on the ping-pong tables and billiard tables.

It was voted in the business session to have a ladies' night once a month in the recreation room.

Herbert Peoples, of Abilene, attended to business in Ballinger this week.

FANNIE HURST'S "IMITATION OF LIFE" BOOKED AT RITZ

"Imitation of Life," starring Claudette Colbert and Warren William, based on the story by Fannie Hurst which has been compared in popularity to the author's famous "Back Street" of a few years ago, will be shown at the Ritz Theatre next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

According to Manager H. Ford Taylor this is one of the best pictures he has booked here to date. Although finished late in 1934, the manager believed it to be so outstanding that he booked it for its first showing in Ballinger at this time.

The supporting cast includes Rochelle Hudson, Ned Sparks, Henry Armetta, Alan Hale and Baby Jane.

MYSTERY OF BURUSHUS TRIBE TO BE STUDIED

BALITTE, Northwest India, April 8.—On a romantic quest to the mysterious tribe of the Burushus, believed to be descended from Alexander the Great, a man and his wife have arrived at Balitte, capital of Hunza.

One of the main problems Mr. and Mrs. D. L. R. Lorimer, of England, will study is the origin of the Burushaski language.

Alexander is still the hero of countless legends and epics of the district. The favorite name for boys is Iskander, Greek influence are obviously present in their local lore and their dances.

GERMANS LOSE TOY TRADE

BERLIN, April 8.—The formerly prosperous toy industry of Germany has suffered a severe decline in recent years.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rhoden are entertaining a young son at their new Sixth Street home.

Miss Georgia Singletary and Mrs. E. O. Keaton, of Abilene, spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

CABBIES WANT ARMS

SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 8.—Sydney taxi drivers will seek permission of the police to carry arms for their own protection.

New Vitamin Found, Lack of Which May Stop Blood Clotting

LONDON, April 8.—Failure of some people's blood to clot properly so that they bleed easily and dangerously, resembling the hereditary bleeder's disease called hemophilia, may be due to lack of a new vitamin, provisionally christened vitamin K, according to letters to the scientific periodical "Nature" from two research workers at the Biochemical Institute of the University of Copenhagen, Dr. H. Dam and Dr. F. Schonheyder.

The trouble first was observed in young chicks fed on diets lacking the supposed new vitamin. Adding to the food of the sick chicks very small amounts of hemp seed, kale, tomatoes and certain other vegetables cures the bleeding disease at once.

In many of its properties vitamin K seems much like vitamin E, so-called sex vitamin necessary for animal reproduction and which is found chiefly in the oily germs of wheat seeds, but since the new vitamin K seems not to exist in these wheat germs while the vitamin E apparently exists only in tiny quantities in the chief source of vitamin K in hog liver, the Danish investigators believe that the two vitamins cannot be the same.

SHOW IN TROUBLE WHEN ONE EXHIBIT EATS OTHER

ESHOWE, South Africa, April 8.—One exhibit ate another exhibit at the annual agricultural show at Eshowe, and complications ensued.

The participants in the drama were a cat belonging to a well-known Eshowe man and a toothsome jam sandwich cake in the home industries section.

Puss, who comprised the entire entry in the cat section of the show, was put on exhibition in a pen classified for judging as a dog and placed on view in the poultry wing. She sat with her face to the wall all day.

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The Great American Home



WEST TEXAS NEWS NOTES

In the Concho county inter-scholastic league meet last week Edon took the championship with a total of 361 points. Paint Rock scored 187 points for second place...

The Moore Hotel at Coleman has been leased by the county for office space for some of its officers. Some of the offices have been moved already and others will be moved shortly...

Mrs. Earl Bell, of Rising Star, is not a "fugitive from a chain letter gang," as so many people were a short time ago. She belongs to a family that has kept a chain letter going for over 50 years...

Several hundred Mexican school children gathered in Fort Stockton the past week-end for their first annual field-track and literary meet. Ten Mexican schools were represented in the events...

SHANGHAI'S RICKSHAW MEN NOW MUST BE LICENSED

SHANGHAI, April 3.—Licensing of pullers of public rickshaws in the international settlement of Shanghai has just been completed with 37,000 men possessing the right to ply their peripatetic trade...

The licensing began in the autumn of 1935. It had been expected that more than the maximum of 40,000 pullers would try to be licensed during the period set aside for the procedure...

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Runkles, of San Angelo, visited in the W. W. Chas. in home Sunday.

This time it was the mathematics professor. It was 2 a. m. and the professor was groaning and writhing in agony. "Dear, dear," called his faithful partner of the years, "wake up, wake up! What on earth is the matter?" He came to. A cold sweat was on his brow. "Ah! Ah!" he said. "What a horrible nightmare! I dreamed our little Tommy was a minus sign under the radical and I couldn't get him out."

See Freeman's for Batteries.

available. The tennis season for Menardites was officially opened last week at a meeting of the Menard Tennis Association. The club is planning a series of city tournaments for the summer and voted to open a special membership for juniors...



HENDERSON—Eighty-three cuttings were rooted. 15 trees were put out, three kinds of vines were used for screening, and 11 varieties of flowers were grown by Mrs. A. R. Slaughter, 1935 yard improvement demonstrator for the New London home demonstration club of Rusk county...

WHARTON—Discarded storage space in the bed room of Elvira Martinez, bed room demonstrator of the Pierce 4-H club in Wharton county, has been transformed into a convenient clothes closet for only 50 cents...

By adding a six inch board, the 18-inch closet was made large enough to hang the clothes as they should be. The 45 inches of wasted space in the upper part of the closet was made usable for storing by adding a partition and building a door. A rod was added and a shoe rack was built.

Until her closet was remodeled, Elvira hung her clothes in another corner of the room with a curtain around them.

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TENNIS TEAMS CRIPPLED BY SICKNESS OF PLAYERS

Ballinger tennis players, who were so successful in the county inter-scholastic meet, are not overly optimistic regarding their chances of winning in the district meet at San Angelo. In the county meet one player was hurt and another is down with influenza...

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ON TEXAS FARMS By Minnie Fisher Cunningham Extension Service Editor

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Mexican people. El Paso conducted six demonstrations particularly for these women and girls and reached 200 individuals. In Brooks county, the home demonstration agent gave a mattress making demonstration to 15 Mexican women, and club members gave help in the proper methods of canning corn and tomatoes. Hidalgo county, through its expansion group, gave seven demonstrations to 150 Mexican women on canning tomato juice.

In addition to the help given non-club members in canning and drying, curing and storing of fruits, vegetables, and meats, Texas home demonstration club women and 4-H club girls dried, cured and stored 110,112.097 pounds of fruits, vegetables, and meats valued at \$1,057,615.56. They also canned 11,144.144 quarts of fruits, vegetables and meats valued at \$2,568,602.18.

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No. 1 Actress Takes Vacation



Here is Betty Davis, recently selected as the film actress who gave the best performance of 1935, waving to a large crowd of admirers as she arrived in New York for a short vacation. Mrs. Davis soon will return to Hollywood for a new picture.

Ballinger Club Women in Abilene
The twenty-first annual conference of the Sixth District of Texas Federated Clubs was held in Abilene this week, the convention closing Wednesday. Mrs. Orland Sims, of Paint Rock, and Mrs. F. C. Miller represented the Ballinger Shakespeare Club, and Mrs. H. G. Agnew and Mrs. George Gohlighly were delegates from the Junior Woman's Club.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. H. C. Lyon, president of the Shakespeare Club, was on the program at the dinner given in the crystal ballroom at the Hilton Hotel. She gave greetings from the Ballinger club to the Abilene Shakespeare Club, the oldest federated club in Texas. Mrs. E. C. Baskin, Mrs. C. P. Shepherd and Miss Genevieve Green were also present.

On Monday evening the four units of Abilene's Junior Women's Club were hostesses to out-of-town guests at an elaborate dinner given at the Hilton.

Going from Ballinger besides the delegates were: Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff, Mrs. W. H. F. Moore, Miss Pauline Morley, Miss Zemina Street, Miss Green and Miss Vhelma Parrish.

Seventh Grade Girls Have Party
On last Friday evening the Home Room Club of Junior High School, composed of seventh grade girls, enjoyed a party at the Ballinger Country Club planned by their sponsor, Mrs. Minnie Mayhew.

An informal program consisting of song and tap numbers was followed by group games.

Banner tubs and cookies were served to the 40 girls present.

Mrs. A. D. Smith, Mrs. S. M. Jones, Mrs. L. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Simpson were also present.

Mrs. Pearce is Hostess to Luncheon Club

Mrs. Frank Pearce was hostess to her Dessert Luncheon Club last Friday, entertaining in her home on Eighth Street.

Tulips were used for table and room decorations. Contract games followed the dessert course of chocolate pie, sugared and spiced pecans and coffee.

Present were: Mmes. J. Y. Pearce, Bruce Creasy, Victor Miller, Estes Lynn, Ralph Erwin, George Holman, Paul Trimmer, K. V. Northington and Harry Lynn.

Primary Department Has Easter Party

Mary Brian Woody and Mary Belle Richards entertained the primary department of the Methodist church school last Friday afternoon with an Easter party in the church basement.

An hour of games was followed by an Easter egg hunt under the direction of Mmes. Joe Morrison, E. E. Avey, Sam Behringer, J. M. Jones, George Kirk and W. B. Woody.

About twenty children were present.

Jack Nixon Surprised With Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Jack Nixon entertained Sunday with a surprise birthday dinner for Mr. Nixon in the family home on Sixth Street. The table was laid for eleven members of the family.

Those enjoying the occasion were the honoree; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nixon, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Myles Nixon and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., Rex, and Maurice Nixon, and Mrs. Nixon.

Baptist Women to San Angelo

A group of women from the Ballinger Baptist Church were in San Angelo Tuesday for the twenty-seventh annual meeting of

Sabatini's "Captain Blood" Comes to the Palace Sunday

Rafael Sabatini's famous and colorful story of romance and adventure, "Captain Blood," which Cosmopolitan Productions has filmed on a gigantic scale, comes to the Palace Theatre Sunday and Monday next as a First National release.

This thrilling tale of seventeenth century sea pirates is said to be one of the most elaborate and pretentious productions in screen history. Tremendous settings were designed by master builders.

These include great sailing vessels of the period, massive in size and full-battered, which had to be specially built, complete in every detail; parts of a village in England; most of the old city of Port Royal, in the West Indies, destroyed by earthquake; King James II's palace; a governor's mansion; and costumes to suit everyone from king to slave.

Playing the title role of "Captain Blood" is Errol Flynn, a handsome and dashing young Irishman, who was recruited from the London stage. The feminine lead is played by Olivia de Havilland, the beautiful young girl who was skyrocketed to fame when chosen for a leading role in "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

The picture has a tremendous cast with more than forty principals and several thousand bit players and extras. Among the leading players are several stars in their own right, including Lionel Atwill, Basil Rathbone, Ross Alexander, Guy Kibbee, Henry Stephenson, Robert Barrat, Hobart Cavanaugh, David Torrence, J. Carroll Naish.

Kay Francis in "I Found Stella Parish" Coming to the Palace

Kay Francis, supported by a talented cast, comes to the Palace Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, April 14-15, in the First National production, "I Found Stella Parish."

The film is based on a powerful drama by John Monk Saunders. Miss Francis has the intensely emotional role of a woman who topples from the heights of success to the depths of despair.

Fighting to hide a terrible page in her life in order to protect her six-year-old daughter from scandal, she is betrayed by the man she has come to love, and started her on the downward path in her profession.

Separated from her child whom she has placed in hiding with a faithful retainer, her love turned

to bitter hatred, she is torn by a terrific emotional stress that eats into her heart and makes her life a horrible nightmare.

The battle of the young journalist, the man who had published the story of her life after having won her confidence, to bring back her success and make up for the injustice he had done her, leads to an astounding and intensely dramatic climax.

Ian Hunter, the English stage and film star, has the role of the journalist, with Paul Lukas playing the part of the actress' theatrical manager and suitor at the time she had attained the pinnacle of success. The clever child actress, Sybil Jason, is seen as Miss Francis' daughter. Barton MacLane is the blackmailing husband.

Others in the cast include Walter Kingsford, Harry Beresford, Joseph Sawyer, Eddie Acuff, Jessie Ralph and Robert Strange.

JOE BUZZE'S ORCHESTRA IS BOOKED FOR APRIL 28 AT BALLINGER CLUB HALL

Joe Buzze and his orchestra have been engaged for a dance Tuesday, April 28, at the Ballinger Club, over the Manhattan Cafe. Buzze's orchestra is well known throughout the United States and this year has as a featured attraction Miss Betty Wharton, radio and stage singer.

Buzze has previously had engagements in Fort Worth, Houston, Dallas, and other leading Texas cities, where he has always been well received, besides numerous engagements in the northern states.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank everyone for the many expressions of love and sympathy extended at the death of Lee Roy Powers, husband, father, son, and brother. The beautiful flowers, the lovely meals and the kindness of friends will never be forgotten. May God bless each of you.

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TALPA SCHOOL NEWS
By Mary Fuller

Mr. Cole presented sweaters to seven girls and the coach in chapel Tuesday morning. These seven girls were the ones to letter in basketball this year. The sweaters are gold, coat sweaters, with blue and gold "T's." We are very proud of our sweaters and wish to thank all those who helped us in any way. We appreciate the backing that was given us by outsiders as well as by the school children. We are satisfied with our season for we only lost a few games and won third in the county. Out of the seven who received sweaters three are seniors, two sophomores, one a junior and one a freshman. Those to letter were: Captain Earon Ruth Monroe, Inez Huey, Ethel Martin, Mary Fuller, Melba Marrs, Carrie Herring and Maurine Bradley. Miss Stobaugh also received a sweater.

Several students are playing soft ball now. Those who aren't playing soft ball are playing tennis or working out for football.

Last Sunday the top was blown from our gymnasium by the wind. A few weeks ago a little twister hit the northwest corner and blew the roof up. But this time the entire roof was blown off on the ground.

Our valley ball team won the interscholastic league meet in valley ball here last Saturday. This is the first year for Talpa to win this title.

We are beginning to tell what our trophy cases are for. This year we have added two large trophies, one for tennis and one for valley ball. We hope to add more each year.

This week is examination week. This is the last exam before the final so everybody better dig.

Several students are planning to go to the district meet at Brownwood next week-end. Those who plan to go are: Bunn Jeffries, Emmitt Branscum, Coleman Parker, Ted Bradford, Lawton Breward, Ruth Beaver and Juanita Martin. We are expecting them to bring home some first places.

The six boys who lettered in basketball were given silver baskets and were crowned "T's" Tuesday morning. Those who lettered were: Captain James King, Bunn Jeffries, Emmitt Branscum, Roy Foreman, Coleman Parker and Ira Grounds. Coach Head was also given a basketball. From these six boys only Jeffries and Grounds will be back next year. The other four are seniors. The boys, as well as the girls, made talks.

There is to be a beauty contest in Coleman soon and each school is to enter a contestant from each class in high school. We will be at least one short for they must be more than five feet, six inches tall and over fifteen, and there is no freshman that tall and only one senior. That senior is sure to win for she's none other than—I'll let you guess.

Two senior girls took a thrilling ride Thursday night. Girls, where

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Six Governors to Preview Exposition



Six southern governors will have a "preview" of the Texas Centennial Exposition, some time this month. Above, Exposition Ranger-ette Ruby Reagan is shown in Monroe, La., as she left after delivering Delta Airline's invitation for Gov. James A. Noe, shown with her, to ride the "Governor's Special" Delta plane from Charleston, S. C., to Dallas, where the \$25,000,000 Exposition opens June 6. Other governors to receive invitations are Bibb Graves, of Alabama; Olin D. Johnson, of South Carolina; Eugene Talmadge, of Georgia; U. L. White, of Mississippi; James V. Alfred, of Texas, and Gov. Noe.

day of December, A. D. 1932, in favor of E. M. Overshiner and against Billie McCasland, in the case of E. M. Overshiner, plaintiff, against Billie McCasland, defendant, No. 8036 in said court. I did on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1936, at 11:00 o'clock a. m. levy upon the following described tract of land situated in the County of Runnels, State of Texas, as the property of Billie McCasland, to-wit: the undivided interest of Billie McCasland in and to land in Runnels County, Texas, being 60 acres of land, being a part of the J. W. Gannaway tract out of the John Early Survey No. 448, about 27 miles northwest from the town of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, near the town of Wingate, Runnels County, Texas, being same land sold Billie McCasland and wife and Don McCasland and wife by deed dated November 27, 1929, and recorded in Volume 150, page 18, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas; and on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1936, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the said Billie McCasland in and to said property so levied upon.

W. A. HOLT,
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**Baker is Elected
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David Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baker of Ballinger, has been elected to the highest national scholastic honor possible, that of Phi Beta Kappa, along with twenty-four students of the University of Texas.

Mr. Baker has been in the university for the past three years and this year is attending the medical branch of the university at Galveston, beginning a course that will not be finished until three more years. In the Ballinger high school young Baker led his classes and graduated with high honors. Since entering the university he has continued to make grades that kept him listed among the foremost and on numerous occasions has been accorded special honors for his scholastic attainments.

Only the top 10 per cent of any graduating class may be elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa and these must have at least an equal number of A's and B's. Three members of the 1936 class had nothing but A grades and Dr. Arnold Romberg said that except for the fact that the 10 per cent rule restricted the number, others in the class might have been given the honor of membership. Those elected were: Robert Will Amsler, David Mercer Baker, Richard Henry Ballinger, Francis Virginia Barrett, Bernice Pales-

tine Bryant, Edna Coy, LeRoy Gilbert Denman, Donald Sheppard De Remer, Frances Louise Eastland, Malcolm Eugene Eonis, Edna Louise Fagg, Wickliffe Wathen Fisher, Lewis Howard Grimes, Charles Harbison Herndon, Alan James Lomax, Gall McDavitt, Mrs. Easton Jeanne McNab, Mrs. Helen Duggan Nolen, Jean Carolyn Nussbaum, Oscar Emanuel Sanden, Anna Marie Stigler, Josephine Van Zandt, Robert Lee Wallace, Jr., Mary Virginia Woodward.

Report

Someone reported that a minister in a rage went to a meeting, which his wife attended against his will, dragged her from the hall and forced her to go home with him.

In the columns of the local paper the minister made this admirable defense: "In the first place, I never attempted to influence my wife in her views, nor her choice of a meeting. In the second place, my wife did not attend the meeting in question. In the third place, I did not go to the meeting myself. In the fourth place, upon diligent inquiry, I am informed that no such meeting was held. Finally, I never had a wife. The report is probably not true."

Teacher: "Who were the three wise men?"

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Amsterdam is City Of Dikes, Dams, Industry and Art

AMSTERDAM, April 8.—When Holland's most famous scholar, Erasmus, visited Amsterdam he poked fun at its citizens by saying that they lived in the tree tops like birds. As a matter of fact, Amsterdam is a city on stilts, for the land on which it was founded is so marshy and soft that every house must be built on piles, sunk as deep as fifty feet in the ground.

Much of the land around it lies fifteen feet below sea level, and as one voyages along the North Sea canal leading to the city, Hollanders proudly point out the network of canals, sluices, dikes and dams which interlace throughout the countryside. In case of an invasion, they explain, the whole district could be flooded in about two days, and they tell skeptics that this desperate defense has already been used twice in the history of the nation.

A great seaport, Amsterdam is most famed for its diamond-cutting industry. Each year the country sends about \$25,000,000 worth of diamonds to the United States alone, and thousands of people are employed in the industry. Visitors are allowed in many of the large works, but the most fascinating sight is in certain cafes of the district. There dealers come to bargain, heaping tiny piles of the stones in front of them and turning them over with the nail of the little finger, which they allow to grow very long for this purpose.

Like most cities of Holland, Amsterdam has its network of canals, but these no longer are the important thoroughfares they once were. The traffic of today takes to the streets beside them and in spite of the fact that no railing edges the water, accidents are rare. When they do occur, there is a special company with elaborate machinery, which specializes in pulling horses, carriages, automobiles and the like from the water.

Amsterdam also is a city of famous paintings. The Ryks Museum contains masterpieces of all the great painters of Holland. This year it is celebrating its fiftieth anniversary with a special exhibition of Rembrandts, and American travelers may see on its walls paintings from American collections which they may never see at home.

If one's interests are outdoors rather than in, Amsterdam has an impressive zoological garden, with a special pool for native wading birds, a gloomy ruin kept especially for its owls and a large collection of animals. Its proudest possession is, however, the school of herring in its aquarium. It is said, for these fish have never lived in captivity elsewhere in the world.

Amsterdam is an excellent center for excursions into other parts of Holland. Only short journeys separate it from Volendam and Marken, where everyone goes to see the quaint costumes worn by the fishermen; from Edam, famous for its cheeses; and from Zaandam, the capital of windmill land.

There are literally hundreds of windmills in the district about Zaandam, and they are used for everything, from sawing wood, pumping water, and making paper to cutting up tobacco. The town, a gay one with red-roofed houses, is famed not only for its windmills but also for its green paint, the brightest in all Holland.

Hundreds of travelers may visit Zaandam each year, but never will they make its citizens understand its real attraction. To the residents its only "sight" is a hut south of the dam, the cottage in which Peter the Great lived when he came to Holland to study ship-building, and this they are always eager to point out.

The teacher was trying to impress upon his pupils the distinction accorded Francis Scott Key.

"Why is he so famous?" asked the teacher.

"I guess because he knew all four verses of the Star-Spangled Banner," was the reply.

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People who have taken Black-Draught naturally are enthusiastic about it because of the refreshing relief it has brought them. No wonder they urge others to try it! ... Mrs. Joe G. Roberts, of Portersville, Ala., writes: "A friend recommended Black-Draught to me a long time ago, and it has proved its worth to me. Black-Draught is good for constipation. I find that taking Black-Draught prevents the bilious headaches which I used to have." ... A purely vegetable medicine for the relief of

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Cowboy Rides to Convention



Here is A. L. ("Yelp an") Yowell, old-time Sixes Ranch cowboy, as he left Dallas to ride to the Democratic National Convention June 23. Outfitted by the Texas Centennial Exposition, which opens in Dallas June 6, "Yelp an" expects to reach Philadelphia, riding the route "General Democracy," the entire 1555 miles in time for the June 23 opening session of the convention.

CHILD PRODUCER SCORES AT ERIVAN

ERIVAN, Armenia, April 8.—Theatre goers who received special invitations to the premiere of a new play produced by one Susan Aivandian, were greatly amazed to discover that Susan was a theatrical expert of 12, and that the oldest actor in the play boasted of 14 summers.

The gifted youngsters, who organized their own company and developed a repertory of both classical drama and new works by contemporary Armenian playwrights, have been given funds and their own theatre.

Susan, their leading producer, has been awarded a trip to Moscow to study the theatres of the Soviet capital. When she learned of the award her first words were: "Will you please telegraph to Stanislavski and Nemirovich-Danchenko and ask them not to leave Moscow before I get there? I'd like to have their advice about some things."

Evalde, Texas, is the headquarters for investigations by Australian government representatives seeking insects to combat the cocklebur in their country.

CELLOPHANE PROVES ALLY IN JAPAN'S BEDBUG WAR

KOBE, Japan, April 8.—Japan has a war on bedbugs and cellophane is being introduced as a defense measure. It is reported that because of the insects, nightly attacks on the inmates of many factory dormitories, the health and business efficiency of the workers are seriously impaired.

Tsunasaku Fujita, employed by a large spinning company, has invented a barrier consisting of cellophane paper to put around a bed. Cardboard boxes lined with cellophane are placed close to it, so that the bugs, slipping from the barrier may fall into the boxes, to remain captive until properly dealt with next morning.

Fujita has been asked by the Perfect Factory Owners' Society to lecture on his invention before an assembly of representatives of factories, police stations, dormitories and others.

Production of boots and shoes in Canada during the first half of 1935 was 10,864,340. This was an increase of 15 per cent over the previous year and the largest for any similar period in Canadian footwear history.

New Texas Almanac Just Off the Press

The book of 100,000 facts—the 1936 edition of the Texas Almanac—is just off the press. It is the largest volume in the history of this publication—a total of 512 pages, on better grade of paper and more profusely illustrated. The 1936 book, although designated as the "Centennial edition" and compiled in tribute to the grand celebrations in Texas this year, misses only twenty-one years of reaching its own centennial year, having first been issued in 1857 by the Galveston News, the parent organization of the Dallas News, its present publishers.

While much new material of historical nature is included in the new issue, none of the chapters that has made the Texas Almanac the standard reference book of Texas in the past has been omitted. The names of several thousand individuals appear in its pages.

Features of the current issue include an extensive description of the Texas Centennial, including celebrations at Dallas and other points in the state, an outline of the history of Texas from its beginnings to the present, an illustrated chapter on the wild flowers of Texas, lists of the different kinds of trees and wild animals found in Texas, extensive lists of historic old towns, a text of the state constitution with all its amendments and brief account of submission of all adopted amendments since adoption of the constitution, and the new farm census figures of 1935. There is much of interest for the coming political campaign, including the current poll tax payments by counties. All figures on state, county and city bonded debt are brought up to date. There are several chapters devoted to points of interest for the Centennial tourist in Texas, and a new map made in four colors especially for this edition of the Texas Almanac, entitled "Texas for Tourists," is folded between the leaves of each volume.

There are more than 100,000 facts about the history, natural resources, crops, livestock, industries, commerce, transportation, finance, government, politics, education, cultural institutions, and other phases of Texas economic, political and social development.

The Texas Almanac, always in demand by business and professional men and women and students in the Lone Star State, will be more in demand this year than ever before. Texas history

is more glamorous and richly appealing on the state's 100th birthday. Thousands of out-of-state visitors and newcomers will find this birthday edition particularly acceptable. No individual or organization is so thoroughly equipped to present in book form a compendium of Texas data. Facts and figures come from all parts of the state to find, in well edited form, their niche in this widely demanded handbook on Texas—its past, present and future.

Tires on easy payments at Freeman's

LOCAL FIREMEN ANSWER CALL TO MIKA FARM

The Ballinger fire department answered a call to the Mika farm, 10 miles up the Colorado River, Sunday afternoon about 1 o'clock. A stack of feed had caught fire in some way and was endangering the farm home and several barns nearby.

A strong west wind was blowing the flames and burning feed near the buildings and the firemen used chemicals to protect the structures. The blaze was not under complete control for some time. Altogether the firemen were at the scene of the fire for about three hours. No damage was done to the buildings, the only loss being the large stack of feed.

Tuesday morning the department received a check from the owner of the feed, in appreciation of the service rendered Sunday afternoon.

O: "What was the explosion on Si's farm?"

K: "He fed his chickens some 'day-or-bust' feed and one of them was a rooster."

Dallas Boosters To Visit Ballinger Monday, April 13

The 35th annual tour of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, bringing 64 business and professional men and 28 entertainers, will arrive in Ballinger at 2:35 p. m. Monday, April 13, and remain here for one hour.

The group will present an excellent program on the streets over a loudspeaker system. Alexander Keese, program director of station WFAA, will be master of ceremonies and will announce the Bumble Bees, leading male trio of the Southwest. Russell Koch, feature xylophone player of the Early Birds, Jules V. Allen, head man of the Road Runners, and singer par excellence of western songs; other members of the Early Bird Band, including Jimmy Jeffries, and a street band.

The group hopes to meet as many Ballinger citizens as possible while here and business men are especially invited to hear the

excellent program. The "Dallasites are making a long swing through West Texas on this excursion and will visit many towns in this part of the state.

Ownership "Say ours," stormed Mrs. McNorter. "I'm tired of hearing you talk about 'my house,' and 'my car,' and 'my daughter.' It gets my goat."

The next morning, McNorter arose in his usual rough frame of mind and spent some minutes rummaging about the room. Finally his wife turned over in bed and yelled at him, "What are you looking for?" "Our pants," answered McNorter sourly.

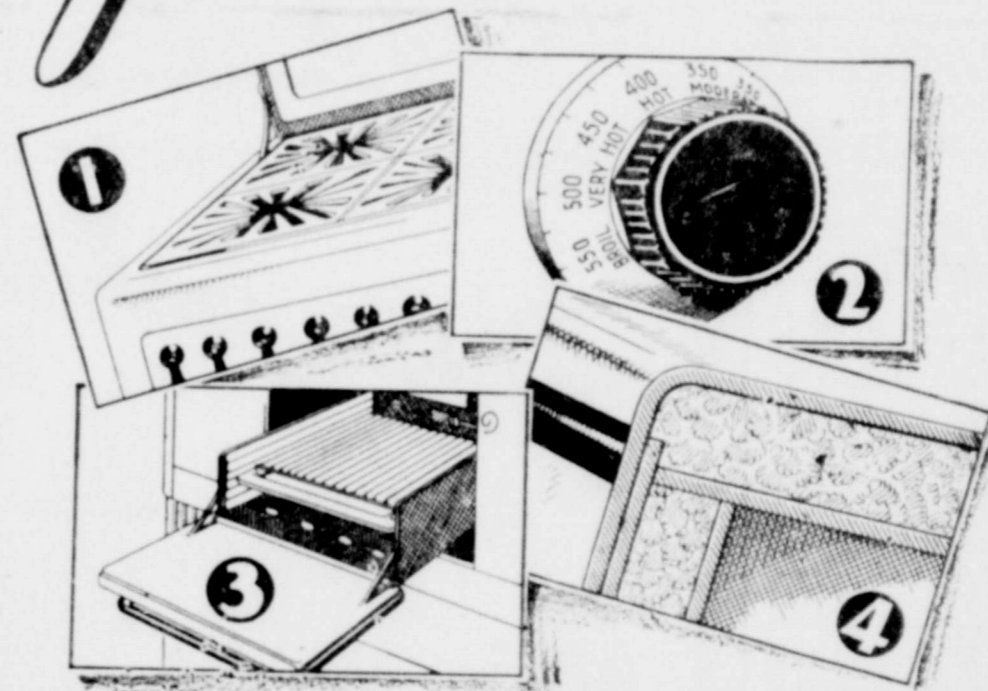
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Ability of Metal Coins to Halt Seed Growth Explained

PARIS, April 8.—The mysterious ability of disks of metal, like copper or silver coins, to stop the growth of bacteria or the sprouting of seeds put close to them, even when the metal does not touch the cultures of seeds or bacteria, is explained by a theory proposed to the French Academy of Sciences by M. Georges Nadson and Madame Catherine Stern.

The secret seems to be invisible rays given off when the metal disks are hit by stray radium rays. These new rays then damage the nearby living seeds or micro-organisms. For several years this mysterious effect of metals has puzzled French biologists. In other countries the experiments often have been ridiculed as false chiefly because it seemed impossible to explain them, but French workers have persisted.

Placing disks of metals at different as iron, aluminum, lead and gold short distances from living cultures, in the dark and with no possible direct contact, the rates of growth or sprouting have been reduced by as much as seventy per cent. Many fantastic theories have been suggested, including the mystical one that the metal disks somehow or other were "alive" and fought with other kinds of life nearby. Such fantasies now are dispelled by the simple physical explanation of rays.

In any laboratory or anywhere else there always are a few stray atoms of radium or other radioactive elements. Some are in the air. These continually send out feeble radium rays. These rays are absorbed by metals, especially gold or lead. This causes the metals to send out other kinds of rays, known for years from experiments with bits of metal exposed to more powerful radium rays. It is these secondary rays which now are blamed for the mysterious "action-at-a-distance."

Miss Laura Edith Miller, of the University of Texas, will spend the Easter vacation period in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Miller. She will arrive today (Thursday) with Mrs. O. R. Lasater and Miss Shirley Ratchford, of Paint Rock, who have been in Austin since the first of the week. Miss Miller will have as her guest, Miss Doris Scou, of Clifton, also a university student.

Mrs. W. C. McCarver returned home Wednesday after a visit of several days in Dallas.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

Ocean Monarch in Miniature



This model of the trans-Atlantic liner, Reg. liner, replica of an ocean vessel in miniature, is an exhibition of the new design by the designer, Miss Virginia Lincoln, a shown exhibiting the model, which seems almost capable of making a sea voyage itself.

LOST MONEY FOUND WOVEN IN EAGLE'S NEST

KROTTENMUEHL, South Bavaria, April 8.—Swooping down from the Bavarian Alps, an eagle recently robbed a peasant of all his summer savings and lined his nest with currency.

The victim, Martin Schupfle, had hidden ninety marks (\$36) in his wastebasket. During the night the eagle carried them away in his beak. Schupfle climbed to the eave and recovered sixty marks in paper which the thief had been woven into the nest. Twenty marks in coins, however, could not be found.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams returned Wednesday afternoon from Waco, where they had been visiting their daughter, Miss Eleanor, student in Baylor University, who has been ill.

HARBOR TO BE IMPROVED

SANTO DOMINGO, April 8.—Santo Domingo will spend \$2,500,000 in harbor improvements.

Tires, Tubes and Batteries at Freeman's.

COLEMAN SINGERS WILL MEET SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Coleman County Singing Association convention will be held at the South Coleman Baptist Church in Coleman Sunday afternoon. Many noted singers, including one of the best known Stamps quartets, have promised

to be present. All singers in Coleman and adjoining counties are cordially invited to attend and special groups will be given places on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim B. Matlock and family, of Abilene, have moved here to make home.

COTTON GROWERS ASSN. ASKS EVERY MEMBER TO CAST HIS BALLOT

The West Texas Cotton Growers' Association has requested every member who receives a ballot card to vote for either G. Y. Lee, of Eden, or J. T. Moreland, of Rannels county.

Heretofore, about one-fourth of the members have voted but it is hoped that each one who received a ballot will vote this time.

Friends of Mr. Moreland, the Rannels county nominee, have been active in his behalf and it is thought he will receive a majority of the votes in this county.

Roy Higginbotham, of Concho county, attended to business in Ballinger Tuesday.

Marshall Witt, who ranches down the river, transacted business in Ballinger Tuesday.

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MOORS MEAN HALFBREEDS

TUNIS, April 8.—The name of the Moors originated among the Arabs and signifies a halfbreed.

Rufus J. Wheeler, of Abilene, transacted business in Ballinger Thursday.

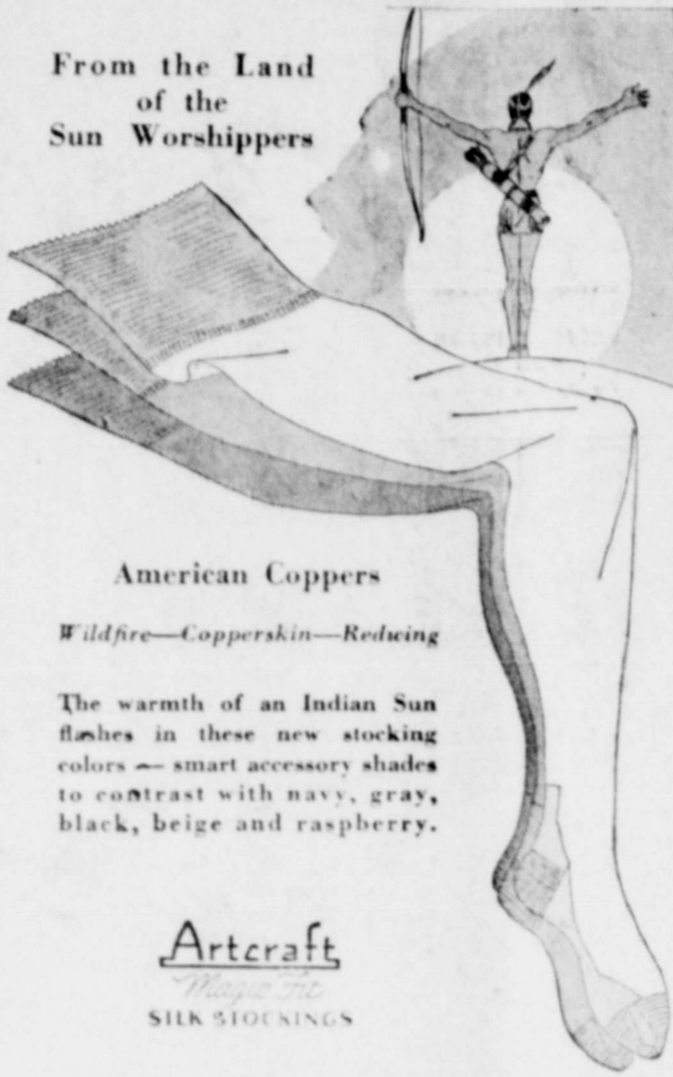
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Lb. 10c

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Sliced Bacon lb. 25c

Pork Sausage lb. 13c

Roast Beef Pot lb. 14c

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Bulk Compound 2 lbs. 25c

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