State 4-H Club Leader Talks to Boys of County

noon brought together all 4-H club officers and adult leaders of the county to confer with J. W. Potts, assistant state club agent. Twentyone were present at the meeting to hear the A. & M. College extension service leader and to take club activities.

County Agent John A. Barton were previously named announced Thursday that 158 Interest is fair in the election demonstrations accepted.

boys and their parents and to Regular voting hours will be by the parents of the real pur- may sign affidavits if lost. poses of the club program.

Club program for the remainder se that members will have parts tion after serving a three-year boy an opportunity for self-

Mr. Potts complimented the club boys on their recent sheep feeding Tom Agnew, Roy L. Hill and W.

A check-up was made at the meeting Thursday of the number of projects signed by individual boys in the various clubs. The following tabulations resulted:

Cotton, 12 Maize, 21 Corn. 4 Swine, 62 Beef calves, 10 Dairy calves, 8 Sheep, 24 Chickens, 20

Turkeys, 2 Wildlife demonstrations, 10. county, at: Hatchel, Crews, Content, Bethel, Blanton, Mazeland,

Mr. Barton stated that any boy in the county was eligible to join the drive. become a 4-H club member and accept a demonstration for the year. If there is not a club in the community the boy can be assigned to a nearby club or carried unassigned. It requires five boys Tarleton College, Stephenville, her efficiency. to form a club in any community. spent the week-end here.

A meeting held at the court house here last Thursday after- 4 Men Seek 2 Places On School Board; **Election Saturday**

School trustee elections for all part in a general discussion of districts in Runnels county will be held Saturday. Common school At the beginning of the year a districts have been supplied with goal of 140 club members was set tickets, tally sheets and other by the leaders in this county and supplies and election managers

have already been signed and 173 in the Ballinger independent district where four men have Leaders and club officers voted announced for two places. The in the meeting here to hold some voting box will be located at the type of program for the boys and school board office on Hutchings their fathers as soon as possible. Avenue, adjoining The Ledger This is being done to develop a office, and C. R. Stephens has closer relationship between the been apointed election manager.

increase activities in club work by observed and those casting ballots creating a better understanding will need their poll tax receipts or

One man on the ticket has served on the board heretofore. of the year will be changed slightly Henry Doss is standing for reelecon every program. The purpose term. He has been chairman of is to develop more leadership the grounds and building comamong the clubbers and give each mittee and many improvements have been made during his term of office.

The three new candidates are D. Scales. Agnew was announced cause of other civic work which able at the commodity rooms. demands much of his time. Last Mrs. Kathryn McCollom, area and Palace theatres, was filed.

RABBIT DRIVE ANNOUNCED

Citizens of the Harmony com- were topics emphasized. munity have announced an all-day These methods will be used in each month total \$990. rabbit drive on April 4. The all WPA sewing rooms in teaching hunters will meet at the Harmony certified workers. Classes will be have rendered splendid service in fare board. There are eleven clubs in the school house at 8 o'clock and will arranged in A, B, C and D groups start soon after that hour. Dinner and supervisors will teach continue in the afternoon. Everyone type of work will be taught each Miss Loretta Wallace. who likes to hunt is invited to worker until she is qualified to do

'Stork Special' Wins Close Race to Hospital



When Postmaster William M. Jones of Villa Grove, Ill., found roads closed by floods, he appealed to the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railway to rush his wife, expecting the stork momentarily, to Tuscola where the nearest hospital was located. Having no other equipment handy the division superintendent hooked up this cabcose, tender and locomotive and rushed the stricken mother to Tuscola. The baby, a boy, arrived two hours later, attended by Dr. R. W. Taylor, railway physician. Postmaster Jones waves "all's well and thanks" to Engineer William Mercer who piloted the "stork special.

Sewing Institute Is Held for WPA **District Officials**

has gained about 200 pounds in the April call which will leave beneficial both from developing of about 250. the past three months. Sewing Ballinger on April 6. in doing practical things and said several weeks ago by local friends rooms do special work of this kind Any youth within the age limit, cational way. the Runnels county undertaking after J. A. Kilough, present mem- when occasion demands and pro- of good moral character and Those interested in enlisting are ber, stated that he would not sub- vide clothing for relief clients physically fit, and who cannot be urged to report at once at the when unusual sizes are not avail- given through parents, relatives Runnels county welfare office in

> week the name of Roy L. Hill was supervisor of professional and ser- to enlist for a six-month period. properly filed with the secretary, vice projects, held a training After serving six months, he can that youths from any section of and Saturday the name of W. D. institute for areas No. 40 and 42 reenlist at the camp for addi- the county were eligible to enlist. Scales, local manager of the Texas at Brady on March 16-17. Methods tional time up to three years. of teaching training were outlined by the supervisor. The teaching this service will be paid \$30 secure because so many are in of proper construction of garments monthly with \$22 of that amount school and others helping with FOR HARMONY COMMUNITY and the ability to know when a garment is rightly constructed

it without help, and then more difficult garments will be given Mr. and Mrs. Price Middleton her. This instruction period will spent the week-end at San Antonio. last for four full pay periods. an Odessa hospital from injuries

> who have no knowledge of sewing Odessa. whatever will be given opportunity to learn how to sew. A novel part style show of garments made by several weeks here in the home of vices at the school. workers and modeled by super- her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. visors and superintendents.

improvement of skill is part of Mrs. Joe Forman left Tuesday vices at the church. In the school the retail trade. It was pointed ing appreciation for the fine the sewing room program.

50 Young Men is County's Quota of CCC Enlistments

welfare official, has received the park improvement. They are under The Ballinger sewing room last April quota of CCC enlistments supervision of army officers, active in securing memberships in week finished making clothing for for Runnels county. This county trained engineers and expert the state association and to date the local Mexican woman who will be entitled to furnish 50 boys teachers. The duty performed by have organized in nine local comweighs almost 400 pounds and who between the ages of 17 and 25 for the boys in camp has proved

or other sources the same advan- Ballinger to either Mrs. Lawrence tages offered at camps, is entitled or Miss Hassie Price

Each young man accepted for quota of fifty would be hard to alloted to the parents. At present farm work. It is not necessary there are 45 boys from this county that families be on WPA before serving in camps and the allot- boys are eligible and anyone with- Forgey, president, and D. C. Camp, ments to parents in the county in the age limit who would like

Boys working in CCC camps to contact a member of the wel-

will be served at the school house struction of seams used in various Brady institute were Mrs. Ida Oak Creek, Barnett, Norton, Olfen at noon and the hunting will con- kinds of garments. This particular Guion. Mrs. Adeline Harwell and New Olfen School

DOHERTY RECOVERING

George Doherty is recovering in

Connelly.

Ballinger women attending the for examination and treatment.

Dedicated Sunday;

the physical side and in an edu-

Individual grade sheets will be sustained in an automobile acci-. A large crowd assembled at Phillip Evans, student of John kept on each worker to determine dent which occurred last Wednes- Olfen Sunday afternoon to attend day night near Monahans. Mr. the dedication services for the Many workers who have never Doherty's mother, Mrs. H. W. district's new public school buildused a sewing machine and those Doherty, returned Sunday from ing and confirmation services at St. Boniface Church. It is estimated 800 people were in the State pure food inspectors filed WACO BUSINESS MEN Mrs. Charles Evans returned to church for the religious rites and seven cases in Ballinger last week of the instruction period will be a Houston Friday, after spending about 700 remained for the ser- after making visits at food pur-

> presided at the confirmation serfor San Angelo to enter a clinic dedication program, Rev. G. A. out that for two years they had reception given the Waco visitors Boeckman, parish priest, presided, been doing educational work and in Ballinger last week. Boeckman, parish priest, presided, hereafter charges will follow vio- Waco business and professional Grindstaff and Bishop Lucey lations of this act.

> > Classwork started in the new paid fines, and one will be contacted by paid fines, and one will be contacted to school building Monday morning tested. A total of \$130 in fines Study had been continued in the Olfen community hall while the school building was under con- Leonard Goats entered a plea of the group and a welcome to struction.

pleted March 22, is one of the finest educational plants in Runnels county. The six-room onestory building is fireproof and this week-end when John Dry, of modern in every detail. It will Winters, will be tried for posses provide all necessary room for sion of beer for the purpose of classwork and general assemblies sale. and is convenient and comfortable. All rooms will have perfect light Jarrett was busy the first of the for study and the furnishings are week with speeding cases. State modern. The school owned a highway patrolmen arrested six number of new arm-chairs which will continue to be used. New teachers' desks and chairs have been purchased and other equip- have appeared have entered pleas ment added that will make the of guilty and were fined \$1 and furnishings in keeping with the

The building was made possible court. by a 55 per cent PWA grant and a bond issue voted in the district. John G. Becker, San Angelo archi-Special attention has been given | Every resident of Ballinger has tect, drew the plans for the build-

H. B. Self, superintendent of the a large chorus for the gospel sing- morning services at 10 o'clock each schools at Rising Star, visited here

will make home.

Topping Ballinger-Bronte Road Put on '40 Program

State Farm Group **Head to Talk Here**

farmer" and president of the Bronte road already graded. The Texas Agricultural Association, is project had the approval of the to address a mass meeting of wives at the court house in Bal- | The 1940 highway program com inger Saturday afternoon, April 1. mences September 1, 1939, and the The house will be called to order above notice means that surfacing

urged to attend the meeting and hear Mr. Day tell of the rapidly growing organization for Texas farmers which has headquarters

Mr. Day, is one that is attempting to bring to farmers a greater share that goal of economic security farmer is rightly entitled. For the past two months Run-

munities with a total membership In the following communities

organizations have either affiliated with the state association or John Ball, president, and W. J. to do six months' service is urged president, and Miss Bobbie Estes. president, and Mrs. Annie Mc-Rohmfeld, temporary president, and R. M. Curry, temporary secretary. N. S. Wright, of Miles, is temporary president of the county

800 People Attend Food Inspectors File Cases Here; 7 Speeders Fined

veying establishments and stated

have entered pleas of guilty and gation from Ballinger and upon

guilty to possession of liquor for The new \$17,800 building, com- the purpose of sale and was assessed a fine of \$100 and costs. Another liquor law violation case is scheduled in county court

> Justice of the Peace G. A. persons here Sunday evening and gave them five days in which to appear in justice court. All who costs. One case of overloading a truck was filed in the justice

County Judge Paul Trimmier has received information from the state highway department listing projects in this county included At Mass Meeting road building. Among these was way No. 109 from Ballinger west on the portion of the Ballingerstate highway department and the

line. In this contract is a two Hooper, state resident engineer has prepared plans for this work and thinks a contract will be let

contract to finish the road from the Runnels county line to Bronte. where it will connect with other

ATTENDANCE IS GOOD AT OLFEN K. C. MEETING

Auley, secretary; Rowena, Louis A number of improvements will be old school house to the council.

It was decided not to hold a meeting on the second Tuesday in April, if the executive committee of the Catholic States League has its meeting at Olfen on that date. J. A. Lange was elected alternate for the grand knight at the convention, and J. J. Fuchs will be alternate for the past grand

The attendance prize was drawn for Joe Kahlig.

The Most Rev. Robert E. Lucey, they had been ordered to file letter this week from L. A. Wilbishop of the Amarillo diocese, charges on every case where food- son, general manager of the Waco stuff was improperly handled by Chamber of Commerce, express-

> Of the seven cases filed here six men was met at Talpa by a dele-In county court this week presenting a short program. Mayor the group and introduced Mr. sented entertainment numbers by

> > McCarver & Lynn

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Trucker's Commercial Price Given to All on This Special

Ballinger Baptist Church Revival to Begin Sunday

Under the pastoral leadership of Rev. Clarence A. Morton, the Ballinger Baptist Church will launch its annual spring revival Sunday morning, to continue for two full weeks and end Sunday, April 16. Rev. Morton will open the revival. preaching Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The evangelist, Dr. C. Y. Dossey, of Dallas, will preach his first sermon Monday evening and will remain until the close of the revival, delivering messages

Dr. Dossey is one of the outstanding evangelists of this denomination in Texas. His past successes in religious campaigns have made him much sought in this field and his coming to Ballinger has caused much preparation to be made in advance for a

to the musical programs for the an invitation to attend and take ing and supervised construction



Evangelist

revival which will be under the part in this series of services and for the board of trustees. direction of Educational Director to cooperate in any way possible. Gale Dunn. Mr. Dunn will organize | Rev. Morton has announced ing and will also feature special week day and every evening at Saturday. music at each service. He will be 7:45. Announcements will be made assisted by Mrs. L. Schermerhorn of special meetings for groups at the organ and will also use a from time to time during the piano and orchestra part of the revival. All services will be held Adams at Seagraves, where they

Feature at

Piggly Wiggly

a special assembly Wedneslay, the Cue and Curtain Club presented its one-act play, "Grand mother Old Style." This was the last production of the year for the Cue and Curtain Club. The cast was as follows:

Grandma Bowdoin Ann Kiechle Grandma Clark

Eulalia Nicholson Janie Flynt Mary Simpson Mildred Carlos Burnette John Otis Krempin Willie The story of a modern family,

directed by Mr. Sublett, was a great success. The cast was excellent and the set was particularly good.

Senior Who's Who

Jackson, Willie Frances Wallace -Very distinctive as our only "Mrs." Has a twin sister. Belongs to the Spanish club. For hobbies has music and sewing. It would seem that Mr. Jackson settled the future for "Billie" some time ago. She took home economics, and so she is well prepared to be a good little Mrs.

Has played high school football three years and played at junior high before that. Goes in for anything athletic. This year in county meet he entered in high jump, broad jump, mile, and high and low hurdles, and brought in quite a few ribbons as high point Ballinger high school team got man. Lives north of town on Kim Creek. Plans to go to San Angelo junior college. All you have reported to Coaches Felton Wright to do to find "Luke" is wait and Paul Gibbs for six weeks' around until he laughs.

"Sonnie," although the deep dark were fitted to the players.

Where's That Birdie?

wheels must be registered?

Odena, please wait until in in training

a cattery so you can be perfectly high team of last year Alvin Bell

BIBLE CLASS MEMBERS

Members of the Doss Bible Class work is done. of the First Methodist Church enjoyed a social Tuesday night in NATIVES OF BASUTOLAND their classroom at the church. A "Hopkins county stew" with the customary side trimmings pro- Africa, Mar 30 - Natives are provided the menu partaken of by testing that the European courts the 100 men present. Two wash- are showing too much leniency in pots full of the stew were con- punishing criminals. They espec-

up most of the program with convicted persons are no longer many "hot" personal jibes being sent to jail, but are let loose taken at individuals in the audi- again among the people of their ence. The flashes were interrupted tribes. by male quartet numbers and a "In former years, when the sing-song in which everybody government punished a prisoner,"

ington, George Clements, Jake reling Adair, John Mansker, H. W. Lynn and Rev. E. D. Landreth.

HAIR DYEING EPIDEMIC

MOSCOW, March 30.-Girls of Russia have developed a craze for new shades of blond hair which they think go well with plucked eyebrows. The hair-dyeing "epidemic" is believed to have been started by a pretty stenographer who arrived at work one day with hair a new shade of yellow and streamlined eyebrows.

Other girls hastened to follow her example. A Communist newspaper has just protested that ung Russian women desire to come platinum blondes. Of sixteen different shades of platinum blond which Russian hairdressers producing, No. 16, resembling yoke of a rotten egg, is the No. 12, pinkish-yellow tint.

WORLD'S TALLEST



Mo., prove bothersome to young Robert Wadlow, who reaches eight feet eight inches into the air. Wadlow, tallest man in the world, has brought suit in federal court on an allegation that a medical journal article libeled him.

Morris, Luther—A real Bearcat. Spring Football **Training Starts** With Squad of 30

Spring football training for the underway in a big way Monday afternoon when a squad of thirty work. Suits were issued to all can-Parrish, T. H.-Better known as didates and new blocking pads

secret is that he is actually The school is providing shoes Thomas Hugh. Another real Bear- for all players and all are being cat with two years' service. Goes fitted with the proper shoes for in for tennis, track and baseball spring training It was too early Belongs to the Spanish club. Plans this week to tell just what the to go to school-maybe at South- prospects are and several students. western. For further information are not out for training who were being expected to have a big part in the line play next year

Beatrice, isn't it awful that even Loika and Mountz, have not a black model A Ford with yellow reported to the coaches and it is Boo! There's a bear. Scare you? training at all. Coaches were expecting to mould these two fel-Won't Boots look cute under lows, who tip the schales at betpeace bond? As cute as when in ter than 200 pounds each, into two of the best tackles in the dis-A marriage in the faculty! Our trict and their loss will be keenly supply of bachelors is diminish- felt. Baker, a fine prospect in the backfield, is also at wark and not

China to do as the Chinese do. | Limbering up for part of the Prices of toothpicks going up squad started last week and Mondue to new use as ammunition. day afternoon all track men Thieves are getting pretty bad, reported for football training Orland stemis Alvin's socks in Three veteran ends. Byars, Coleman and Long, were at work this

> ENJOY SOCIAL MEETING of the crew but have no comments to make until after more

> > AGAINST PAROLE SYSTEM

BASUTOLAND, Union of South ially dislike the parole system. A "radio news broadcast" took Native leaders declare that many

said one Basuto leader in Maseru, R. W. Earnshaw, president of his family took him back and the class, took charge at the close his punishment was over, but now of the program, introduced visitors when suspended punishment is and called for a number of short inflicted the prisoner's family talks. Responding to calls were refuses to take him back, which Coach Felton Wright, K. V. North- results in much strife and quar-

The class has set as its goal 125 jum, or well done, it may be men in attendance on Easter served as steaks, roasts, or stews; Sunday and will work during the the cut may be one that is skillnext week to accomplish this aim. fully taken from the choicest spot on a quality careass, or hacked with a dull knife from the HITS RUSSIAN GIRLS neck of a poor one-but all beef is good food if properly cooked.

1206 Women Say

"Yes" to Query If 93 out of 100 users picked at by a medicine, would you believe in its merit? Record of the famous Query among women of leading cities in 12 Southern States shows 1206 out of 1297 users queried say CARDUI helped them. That figures 98 out

of 100! What a record!
Women all over the South are eager to tell of their experiences with CARDUI. They were weak, rundown, nervous. Those are symptoms of functional dysmenorrhea due to malnutrition, which CARDUI helps to reBallinger, Texas

March 31 and April 1

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Piggly Wiggly

Canned Peas are Better and Cheaper This Year

Peas, Lindy

6c

Peas Lindy Petit Pois

15c

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Peas, Lindy

Corn, Lindy

Small Ones

No. 2

Can

5c

10c

Kraut, Bestex

Values in Health Protection

Waldorf 3 for 13c

Tall Cans 25c

Apple Juice 3 14-oz. 25c Orange Juice 2 No. 2

Scottowels 10c Lava Soap P. & G.

ScotTissue 3 for 25c 4 for 23c 10 hars 33c 6 for 25c

Libby's

Vienna Saugage Can 9c **Potted Meat** 2 Cans 9c Asst. Baby Foods 2 Cans **15c**

Gerber's 2 for 15c Pineapple Tidbits & 2 for 15c Baby Food

Wheaties They're 10c Mardi Gras 19c Oats Sherbet Plate

Coffee Plymouth 2 lbs 25C

Salad Dressing Plymouth Qt. 23C **Peter Pan** Flour

²⁴_{1bs.} 79c ⁴⁸_{1bs.} \$1.39

You Pay for Cane Whether You Get It or Not

10 lbs. 47c

Report to Housewives by the Pea **Canners of America**

This past year was the best year for peas we have ever known. Even the old-timers in our business can't remember a better one. It's a vintage of vintage years. We are offering some real bargains in these better peas because it was a bumper crop. A lot of money buys a lot more peas— and better ones. How Smart Are You About Peas?

If you can answer 5 out of the 7 questions correctly, you're an expert on peas. If you serve lots of canned peas this year, you're an expert on how to feed your family well with economy.

1. How many people will a No. 2 can of peas serve?

2. What is the liquid in a can of peas?

What food values have canned peas? 4. Have canned peas the same nutrri-tive value as fresh peas?

5. What is the difference between Alaskas and Sweets? May canned peas be left in an

open can?
7. Do canned peas need further cooking before using?

1. A No. 2 can of peas (usual size) contains 2½ cups, about as much as you would get from shelling 2½ pounds of raw peas. Ample servings for four to five people. Smaller containers for smaller families.

2. It is made of pure water with a little seasoning of salt and granulated sugar. It contains a lot of food value. Don't throw it away. Simmer peas in it or save it for soups, gravies or sauces.

or save it for soups, gravies or sauces. 3. Canned peas are rich in food energy value and are easily digested. Good source of protein, vitamins A, B and C and important minerals.
4. Yes. Modern canned peas contain all the vitamins and minerals you get

when you buy raw peas and cook them

yourself.
5. "Alaskas," also called "Junes" and
"Early Junes," are round and smooth
skinned. "Sweets," also called "Sweet
Wrinkled," are more irregular in
shape than Alaskas and have a slightly

sweeter flavor.

6. Yes—provided you put it in the refrigerator and give it the same care you would any cooked food.

7. Canned peas are time-savers because they are already cooked to a delicious tenderness. Simply heat and

Fruit and Vegetable Specials

CARROTS RADISHES G. ONIONS

Bananas Large Golden Fruit

Bunches

10 lbs. 17c Spuds Idaho Russets 2 lbs. 15c Beans Green or Yellow Grapefruit Texas Seedless Doz 12C Doz. 10C Oranges California Seedless English Peas Fresh Tender 2 lbs. 15c Doz. 12C Apples Winesap Dez. 120

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Special Prices on Swift's Premium Hams All Easter Week

Roast Beef 1b. 16C Jowls 1b. 9C Yeast Fleischmann's 2 for 5C

Completely Dressed Fryers Each 39C

Bacon Decker's lowa Machine Packed в. 27c

Steak Fancy Club в. 17c

Women's, Society and Club News

Gilligan-Thornbury Nuptials in Temple Friday

Gilligan was quietly solemnized at lace fern. the First Methodist Church in Mrs. Gilligan is the youngest Temple last Friday evening at daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Shettles Memorial Methodist Seton School of Nursing, where honeymoon trip. Church in Austin and a long time she was a supervisor. friend of both the bride and Mr. Gilligan is the son of Mr.

the single ring service. bride's sister, Mrs. R. E. Kennerly Hardin-Simmons University in array of beautiful gifts on the

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The bride wore an early spring Indiana before he received his of the band.

groom, officiating clergyman for and Mrs. Orlie Gilligan of Linton, Indiana. He is also a graduate of Gilligan returned to Ballinger late The only attendant was the Austin High School. He attended Saturday they found a large Abilene and the University of dining room table from members

costume suit of light weight navy | degree from Texas Technological wool with navy and white acces- College in Lubbock. He came to The marriage of Miss LaNere sories. Her corsage was fashioned Ballinger more than a year ago Thornbury of Austin and Gurthal of blue and pink corn flowers and as director of the Ballinger High School Band and instructor of band music in the schools.

The young couple is at home eight o'clock with the Rev. J. W. A. A. Thornbury. She is a graduate at the Higginbotham apartments Black, formerly pastor of the of Austin High School and of the on Park Avenue following a brief

> Band Shower for Gilligans When Mr. and Mrs. Gurthal

Installation for New Auxiliary Officers

Mrs. E. W. Stasney, who begins her second year as president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church. directed a "Service of Praise" preceding formal installation of recently elected officers by the Rev. Dwight A. Sharpe, church pastor, on Monday afternoon in the church basement on Broad-

A profusion of varied spring blooms provided a beautiful setting for the impressive consecration service. Reports from outgoing officers were given in the form of challenges to their suc- served preceding the formal processors. Mrs. Stasney gave a post- gram with the following members view and a preview of the year of the Woman's Auxiliary in past and the year ahead. All charge: Mmes. E. W. Stasney, charges by Mr. Sharpe and offi- Paul Trimmier, H. W. Lynn, Bruce cers' responses were given in Creasy, Jack McGregor, George Scripture. Mrs. Alex McGregor Holman, John Hollingsworth; sang "My Task" by Ashford with Misses Teddye Wardlaw and Laura Mrs. Estes Lynn at the piano.

Mrs. W. B. Woody, Mrs. M. C. Smith and Mrs. Sharpe were hostesses during the social hour and served a molded salad with Stitt, Tom Hill, J. C. Sturges, Jr., Pearce, and Rev. Sharpe.

First Presbyterian Church Host to Workers

The First Presbyterian Church Tenth Street. was host last Friday evening to the general Sunday school superintendents and departmental tiveness to these homes. superintendents in the Brownwood Presbytery

The natural or reflex wink of an eye lasts from 1/8 to 1/4 of a second by eye-movement photography un-der the supervision of Dr. J. F. Neumueller, Southbridge, Mass. The sly

Edith Miller.

Methodist Circles in Socials

Etta Burrows Circle members of wafers, cookies and iced tea to: the Methodist Missionary Society Mmes. Stasney, Lynn, A. Mc- were entertained by Mrs. Davis R. Gregor, Alex Saunders, L. J. Camp- Hall, Mrs. W. F. Mason and Mrs bell, Harry Lynn, George Holman, Wilbur Redwine in the Redwine C. R. Stephens, Neil McAlpine, M. home on Ninth Street Monda E. Boggess, Paul Trimmier, John afternoon. The Ettie Gresset Circle was entertained by Mrs Victor Miller, P. A. Cobden, Jack John Weeks and Mrs. R. W. Earn-McGregor, E. A. Trail, F. M. shaw in the Earnshaw home in Wilke Terrace. Mrs. Fred Middle ton and Mrs. Henry Moody were hostesses to the Sallie Odom Circle in the W. E. Middleton home or

Purple and white iris, lilac and peach blossoms gave floral attrac-

The second chapter in the new mission study, "The Church Takes Root in India," on "Changing Tempo" were given by Mrs. Redwine, Mrs. J. M. Skinner and Mrs. Roy Miller.

The Easter idea was given emphasis in refreshment plates. Present in the three home besides the hostesses were: Mmes. Skinner, Miller, Tom Caudle, Cecil Jones, W. W. Chastain, Troy Simpson, C. P. Shepherd, D. C. Simpson, Ford Taylor, Cal Adair, Viola Allison, Gerald Black, Jack Nixon, Sr., W. J. Morrison, J. B. Striplin E. C. Baskin, O. R. O'Neill, T. M. Marsh, Tom Agnew, E. C. Tinsley, E. D. Landreth, Wilson Middleton, U. W. Johnson, W. O. Middleton G. R. Causey, Ray Tisdale and H. G. Agnew.

. . . Mrs. Foy Entertains Ladies' Aid Members of the First Christian Ladies' Aid enjoyed an afternoon spent in doing handwork as preparation for their annua bazaar in the home of Mrs. M. A Foy on Sixth Street on Monday.

Lilac blooms graced rooms and a salad plate with iced tea was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Roy Kump and Mrs. Marvin Clark to: Mmes. J. R. Lusk, B. W. Pilcher, Claude Wilmeth, T. H Chancy, Oscar Pearson, Frank Atwell, O. P. Dorsey, James Hargett, Wallace Jones, A. B. Stobaugh; Misses Lula McElroy, Nan Kevil and Agnes Glober.

Tacky Party for Alathean Class Mmes. Ray Halstead, Lee Sykes Everett Witter and Royal Bishop were joint hostesses to the Baptist Alathean Class Tuesday evening entertaining with a tacky party is the church parlors on Eighth

Appropriate games were played Mrs. Ruth Bankston and Mrs Clemmie Barnes received trophies for "tackiest" first and second

Red soda pop and doughnuts were served in brown paper bags from which a tiny chick protruded Others present were: Mmes. B C. Kirk, C. W. Jennings, Hugh Parrish, L. R. Tigner, Fred Holliday, Freeman Owen, Guy Lively, L. B. Rudder, R. E. White, Henry Doss, Hubert Parrish, Bert Melton and Robert Lowry. . . .

Gwen Morgan is Hostess Gwen Morgan was hostess Saturday evening to compliment Lou Smith of San Angelo, who was her house-guest over the week-end. Mrs. Cal Adair assisted Mrs. Malcolm Morgan in games of bingo with prizes going to Roger Jones, David Middleton, Walter Jones, Virginia Bell and the

IN THE WINK OF AN EYE hostess

Jones, Roger Jones, Bobby Parr, and Miss Louise Batts. Bobby Bartlett, Duane Forbus David Middleton and Truett Lively. . . .

New Club in Otis Jacob Home Mrs. Otis Jacob was hostess

At the refreshment hour guests on Harris Avenue to members of week-end visitor in the home of found places at the lace-laid a recently organized contract club, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. See dining room table by means of Spring blossoms decked rooms Behringer. Miss Behringer is a names on rabbits. The centerpiece and a dessert course was served student of Southwestern Univerwas in the Easter theme. Cake with coffee. Miss Elsie Motley sity, Georgetown. was served with fruit punch to: received high score award in Lou Smith, Dorothy Bruce, Peggy games with: Mmes. E. Mixson,

Other society items on

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Tuesday afternoon in her home; Miss Camille Behringer was

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Shepherd, of McGregor, Charlene Burke, Betty Joe Eubank, Paul Kirk, Herbert Coleman; and Mrs. Fred Childers, Lovelace, Virginia Bell, Walter Sledge, Theo Bell, Dan Castles; of Lubbock, visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shephend and Mrs. J. M. Skinner Saturday.

> Brawny muscles are made by protein in the food, and beef contains lots of protein of good









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the star-packed cast of the new a skipping robe. M-G-M musical, "Honolulu," which Scenes range from Hawaii to ens at the Ritz Theatre Satur- Broadway, with some on shipday midnight in special preview, board, and the musical numbers and continues in regular showings balance Miss Powell's dance. The

mposed of Robert Young and Allen. porting parts are filled by Rita wearies of the Hollywood routine pennson, Clarence Kolb. Jo Ann and wants to get away for a rest. Rumann, Eddie Anderson, Keoloha a Hawaiian planter, who closely Holt, Ruth Hussey and Edgar resembles him, is mobbed by auto-

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Dancing, singing, romance and Hawaiian dance; an imitation of A one month's pass to the new wonder why they have kept her

Suns and Allen. Prominent sup- impersonated by Young, who Sayers, Ann Morris, Cliff Clark. On a big "opening night" he Willie Fung, Edward Gargan, Sig encounters his opportunity when graph fiends in the theatre lobby.

hula, based on the traditional sonalities and the chap agrees the time of presentation.

Contest to be Conducted

burghs are represented by the top- Bill Robinson's entertaining stair Texas Theatre is to be first prize out of dramatic portrayals, while metchers in their respective fields dance, and a tap dance done with in the "Made for Each Other" James Stewart has been a star contest being conducted for school since his first picture. children of Ballinger and sur-

dancing end of the lavish new Doesn't Like Music" and "Honocontinued and of the lavish new lulu," the latter sung by Gracie that were made for each other making a 3,000-mile flight in a for the commencement programs such as "sugar and cream," "salt and pepper," etc., in short any inimitable comedy team of The story concerns a screen star, two things that one automatically makes your think of the other. To the student submitting the longest list of "Made for Each Other" combinations will go a one month's pass to the new Texas and a two weeks' pass is posted for the second place winner. The lists must be presented at the Palace Miss Powell introduces three The actor arranges with the box office some time Monday and specialties: "Hymn to the Sun," a visitor for an exchange of per- will be honored with a pass at

> "Made for Each Other," starring Miss Lombard and Stewart, which s coming to the Palace in midnight preview Saturday night and happiness against all odds. It is is playing her first serious role in

> almost too readily. The deal is made and Young heads for Honolulu, while the planter continues to impersonate the star.

Aboard ship, Young meets Eleanor Powell, a cabaret dancer, and, of never saw. Both the missing Crews school students entered somewhere in the States.

induced to return to the island.

rounding territory by the Palace and Johnny Mason, a young couple tion to deliver the baccalaureate Maggie Underwood went to Abi- munity. deeply in love. Marriage follows a sermon to the senior class of the All any student need do to whirlwind courtship, and although Ballinger high school Sunday, May Sanday, Monday and Tuesday, work of the noted song-writing receive a pass to see Carole Lom- the sweethearts are dedicated to 14. Acting Superintendent George team of Harry Warren and Gus bard and James Stewart in the the proposition that they are E. Stowe made this announcement Eleanor Powell, the screen's Kahn, they include "This Night new picture, "Made for Each "made for each other," the usual Monday following the acceptance chowned "queen of taps," handles will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be My Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen's handles will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combinations of the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combined with the screen will be my Souvenir," "The Leader twenty five combined with the screen will be my Souvenir," "Th

"Sweeps" Film Plots Fate of

The experiences undergone by a madcap American family when the father "strikes it rich" in the sweepstakes is made the subject of a merry screen farce in

have been selected to support regular showings Sunday and Ruggles and Marjorie Rambeau in be given try-outs this week. Monday, is the down-to-earth tale the unusual roles. Charles Grapeof a young married couple's love win, last seen in "Artists and the First Methodist Church, wil for each other and their fight for Models Abroad," plays a good- address the graduating class at humored and lovable old grand- the junior high school Thursday a flaming drama of marriage on a father. Broderick Crawford, who night, May 18. For the principal shoestring and two hearts against made a big hit on Broadway a address at the senior graduation the world asking only a chance to season ago in "Of Mice and Men," program, William George Gilks live their own life. Carole Lom- plays the gambling-mad brother- head of the Salvation Army in bard, long known as a comedienne, in-law. Evelyn Keyes, as the Texas and chaplain of the Amerisocially-ambitious daughter, shares can Legion, state department, has such a manner as to make one the romantic interest with hand- accepted an invitation. Major some young Philip Warren. Billy Gilks is a noted speaker and well Lee also figures prominently.

CREWS SCHOOL NEWS . the American Legion.

Hawaji when he learns that he is "The Path Across the Hills." It

money and the girl rightfully are a number of contests in the the worries of his double, who is county meet the past week-end. In declamation Bradley Pape won The confusion is finally straight- first in the county; Arlene ened out when the planter is Schwartz, second in B class; Florene Berry, second place; Lavania Faubion, second place: and R. J. Fortson, second place.

The picture memory contest was won by Crews. Those contesting in this event were: Paul Kelly. Dovie Mae Boatright, Charles Campbell, Waldene Schwartz. A gold cup was awarded the winner.

Doris King and Gladys Collom won first place in B class in debating. Miles contestants beat them for county.

Winniefred Fuller won second place in extemporaneous speaking. The Crews choral club won second place.

The Content school invited Crews over last Tuesday night, March 21. Rehearsals were held for the rhythm bands and choral clubs, in spelling, arithmetic,

debating, and declamation. The track teams went to Ballinger Saturday on account of muddy fields at Winters. It will be impossible to give all places won by the Crews track boys, but Mr. Gassiot has reported more points were won this year than in several

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Baccalaureate To be Preached By San Antonian

Central Christian Church of San The story introduces to Jane Antonio, has accepted an invita-

This completes the speaker list blizzard to save their baby's life. to be held this year and other numbers on the programs will be arranged and announcements of the completed programs made at an early date. Mr. Stowe said all the programs would be short and made as attractive as possible.

Ernest Sublett, director of the senior class play for Monday eve "Sudden Money." Paramount's ning, May 15, has selected "Arizona newest Charlie Ruggles comedy, Cowboy," a three-act comedy, and which is to be shown at the will begin choosing the cast from Palace Theatre on Tuesday and the class this week. The group Wednesday of next week, April 4 taking part in the play will con Prominent character players and numerous seniors who have

informed on international affairs. He will be entertained while here

The Drasco Methodist church class play will be free to the complications become serious in brought a play to Crews entitled public. Proceeds from the small admission to be charged for the wanted there for embezzlement was very much enjoyed by all who play will be used to defray the expenses of all 1939 commence-

HOUSTON COUPLE WED HERE

Justice of the Peace G. A. Jarrett read the wedding vows for a Houston couple Sunday noon. and Miss Dorothie Carlin. The couple obtained the license at Menard and immediately following the marriage here, sped on

the funeral of Mrs. Emma Snell. Jr. Young Trimmier, a stu

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carr, of San Angelo, were here Wednesday to attend the funeral services for tion. Mrs. Emma Snell.

Abilene, were here Wednesday for violin recital of Paul Trimmier Herbert Preston at Hardin-Simmons University, is one of the promising artists of the institu-

Miss Aubie McDowell, of Atlanta Judge and Mrs. Paul Trimmier, Texas, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lynn and Miss Tom Gaby, of the Blanton com-

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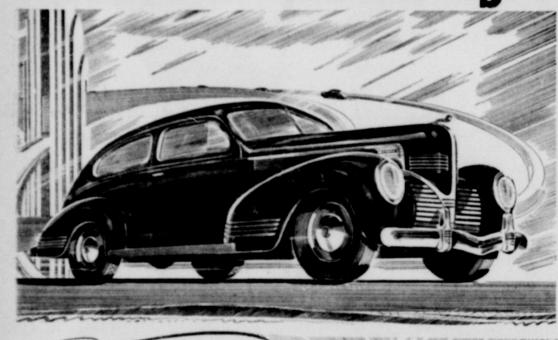
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Quaker's Oatmeal Raisin Cookies (Makes 4 dozen)

- 6 tablespoons shortening. 1 cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 11/4 cups general purpose flour % teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon soda 1/4 teaspoon clove
- 1/4 teaspoon allspice
- ½ teaspoon vanilla 3 tablespoons milk
- 1 cup raisins

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and beat well. Sift flour, salt and Once the members of your fam- spices together. Add to the ily taste these new Quaker Oat- creamed mixture. Stir in milk and meal Raisins Cookies they'll be a vanilla. Put raisins and Quaker regular cookie-jar item. So tear or Mother's Oats through the

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The above pictures show thirteen Runnels county boys who fed lambs on a commercial basis the past several months. After showing the animals here they were shipped to Fort Worth and sold. The boys and the four men (in the picture below) took the sheep to market and spent a day at the stockyards and packing plants. The pictures were taken at the office of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. The boys in the lower row, left to right, are Walter Pape, Jr., Jesse Ray Klutz, Alois Gully, Harold Halfmann, Zane Grey McWilliams, James McWilliams, Wilbur Gully; upper row, left to right, are Carl Faubion, Arnold Allcorn, Bradley Pape, Eugene Loika and Rube Whitley, Jr. The men in the lower picture, left to right, are Frank J. Gully, John A. Barton, Elery S. McWilliams, L. F. Loika.

a teaspoon onto a greased cookie indemnifying defendant Gulf, oven (375°) for 12 minutes.

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Texas, to be held at the court- any, over \$2,844.76, which plain- on April 15 and if possible all conhouse thereof in the city of Bal- tiff may recover against Gulf, tests will be completed that day. April, A. D. 1939, being the 24th Company. day of April, A. D. 1939, then and there to answer the first amended mon said defendants, A. C. Wood- athletic field. Preliminaries will Time 24.9. original answer and crossaction of way Company, filed in the said by making publication of this 1 p. m. court on the 12th day of April, citation once in each week for 1938, in a suit the file number of four consecutive weeks previous scheduled to commence at 4 which is 4357, in which suit C. P. to the return thereof, in some o'clock Saturday afternoon and Colorado & Santa Fe Railway County; but if there be no news-Company, the Concho, San Saba paper published in said County. & Llano Valley Railroad Company, then in any newspaper published test and expect to attain the Robert D. Wade, A. C. Woodruff, in the nearest County where a Shattuck National Bank of Shattuck, Oklahoma, Continental Oil Company, R. S. Houston, I. W. Smith, J. N. Key, C. P. Clifton, J. Bonding and Insurance Company

action being alleged in defendant, the same. Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railway Company's first amended original answer and crossaction

The admission of the execution of a contract between said Railway Company and Robert D. this the 21st day of March, 1939. lass Cox. Gordon Powers, Bill ners composing the firm of Wade Clerk of the District Court of Childress, Wesley Gibbs, Hugh & Woodruff, dated May 5, 1937, under which Wade and Woodruff to furnish labor, fuel, supplies, tools and equipment to take up and dismantle approximately seventeen miles of railroad for defendant Railway Company, located in Runnels and Concho counties, Texas, for a consideration of \$5,323.40; the breach and abandonment of said contract by Wade & Woodruff, the completion under the terms of said contract; demands made on Defendant Railway by various and sundry laborers under said Wade & Woodruff for payment of wages earned, aggregating in excess of the contract price for said work; the present holding by defendant tion by the state agricultural con-Railway Company of \$2,844.76, due some Fran under the aforesaid is a month earlier than last year's all events on two week-ends. claims of laborers, material men with the programs of 1937 or 1938, linger second, and Miles third balance thereof directly to laborers, tor of the AAA, explained.

Wade & Woodruff as principal and Machine is possible because acrewade & Woodruff as principal and Machine is possible because acreand Miles thard.

The winner of the meet as to total number of points cannot be before, this being the first time in the history of the farm program that allotments are reaching Texas producers, generally, ahead of planting time.

The track and field events attracted a large crowd here
the to said Railway Company the

It has been estimated at Texas

Saturday and events were run off ast order with several near

and add to the dough. Let stand laborers, employees, sub-con- will exceed \$90,000,000. 10 or 15 minutes, then drop from tractors and materialmen, and a teaspoon onto a greased cookle indemnifying defendant Gulf, sheet. Bake in a moderately hot Colorado & Santa Fe Railway of County Winners any liens of said laborers, employees, materialmen and sub-

contractors, of Wade & Woodruff; seeking to have the court determine and pay over to the rightful To the Sheriff or any Constable of owners said sum of \$2,844.76, and Runnels County, Texas- to cut off, terminate and relieve Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Rail- county students will go to San Winters; Parrish, Ballinger. Dis-You are hereby commanded to way Company of any claim to Angelo April 14 and 15 to take ummon A. C. Woodruff, who is a said fund which might be made part in the district interscholastic non-resident of this State, and by Robert D. Wade and A. C. league meet. Winners from county Robert D. Wade, who is absent Woodruff, and seeking to recover meets in this district will assemfrom this State, and whose resi-tagainst Robert D. Wade and A. C. ble there to narrow the race down dence is unknown, to appear at Woodruff, as principal, and Massa- for the regional meet. the next regular term of the Dis- chusetts Bonding & Insurance The program shows tennis and

newspaper is published. you before said court, on the first improvements over the presenta-W. Goodwin and Massachusetts day of the next term thereof, this tion here last Thursday evening are defendants; the cause of showing how you have executed meet

of the District Court of Runnels district meet after winning places

of said court in the city of Bal- meet, winning 23 points. Others linger, Runnels County, Texas, to go to San Angelo are: Doug-

Runnels County, Texas. | Parrish and Sam Wellhausen. Issued this the 21st day of The Runnels county interscho-

JOHN B. RAYBURN, Clerk of the District Court of ward schools was not completed Runnels County, Texas.

APRIL 15 IS LAST DATE

The AAA has set April 15 as the made it impossible to complete of work by Defendant Railway last date on which Texas farmers the meat and ranchmen can sign "work Supt. E. D. Stringer, of the Winsheets" and thereby indicate that ters schools, who is director genthey intend to apply this fall for eral of the meet, stated that payment in connection with the tennis would be continued at 1939 agricultural conservation pro- Winters tomorrow (Friday) after-

servation committee, the deadline size that it is impossible to hold contract, holding the same under final sign-up date, and applies Literary events were finished at the provisions of said contract to mainly to operators who did not Winters Friday and Saturday with indemnify itself against Henable receive payments in connection the Winters school leading, Bal-

material men and sub-contractors Harmgreen said the advanced Ballinger Winning first place, of said Wade & Woodruff; that describe is possible because acre-

taithful performance of said con- A. & M. College headquarters of tract by Wade & Woodruff, and the AAA that cash benefits to ent Texas farmers and ranchmen who

medium blade of the food grinder by Wade & Woodruff to all take part in this year's program class A: 120-yard high hurdle-Morris,

Ballinger; Holliday, Winters;

Pole vault-Woods, Winters;

100-yard dash-Kennedy, Miles;

Discus-Byars, Ballinger: Wood,

Winters; Belitz, Winters. 101 feet.

220 low hurdles-Morris, Ballin-

ger; Burrell, Miles; B. Barmore

Harper, Miles; Coleman, Ballinger.

Coleman, Ballinger; time 17.6.

Miles. Time 10.8.

tance, 43 feet 3 inches.

Listed for District Meet April 14-15

A large number of Runnels

trict Court of Runnels County, Company as surety, any excess, if voiley ball preliminaries will start of Winters and Sykes of Ballinger linger, on the 4th Monday of Colorado & Santa Fe Railway Saturday, April 15, literary events tied for third. Time 28.2. You are commanded to so sum- will be held at the high school and track and field events at the Williams, Miles; Kennedy, Miles.

The one-act play contests is Shepherd is plaintiff, and Gulf, newspaper published in your finals will be held that evening, players will take part in this con-

> HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have expects to make a number of writ, with your return thereon, when the cast won in the county

Witness: John B. Rayburn, Clerk men will also take part in the Given under my hand and seal high point man in the county JOHN B. RAYBURN, Sykes, "Pinky" Byers, Sterling

B high schools and class A and B 23-30-6-13, be continued at Winters this week-end. Due to a heavy rain at Winters last Friday night, tennis. TO SIGN WORK SHEETS' volley ball and track and field events were switched to Ballinger COLLEGE STATION, March 29 Saturday but so many entries

noon and that all day Saturday Set according to recommenda- would be devoted to playground

or sub-contractors, and to pay the E. N. Holmgreen state administra- Track and field contests were held at Ballinger Saturday with

records being established. Follow-

880-yard run-Treadway, Miles; W. Lacy, Winters; Welhausen, Ballinger. Time 2:14.1.

Javelin-R. L. Wood, Winters; Cox, Ballinger; Broxson, Miles, Distance 143 feet 3 inches.

Mile run-Morris, Ballinger; Powers, Ballinger; Gotcher, Miles. Time 5:26.5.

Broad jump-Morris, Ballinger; Wood, Winters; Burrell, Miles.

Distance 20 feet 1 inch. High jump-Byars, Ballinger; Morris, Ballinger; Holliday, Win-

ters. 5 feet 8 inches. Relay-Ballinger; Winters; Miles. Time 3.47.

The Ballinger junior high school competed in the section for class B high school juniors. Results in

this section were as follows: Broad jump-Stewart, Norton; Compton, Norton, Morrison, Ballinger. Distance 15 feet 7 inches. 440 relay-Norton; Crews; Ballinger. Time 54.7.

High jump-Hancock, Wingate; Clifton of Norton and Mapes of Bethel tied for second; Taylor, Norton. Height 5 feet 1 inch. Pull-up-Mathis, Crews; Loika,

Bethel; Lampe, Bethel. 40 times. 50-yard dash-Clifton, Norton; Stewart, Norton; Morrison, Ballinger. Time 6.4. 100-yard dash-Compton, Nor-

ton; Morrison, Ballinger; Loika, In the class B senior high

school division Crews led for first place with Norton second and Wingate third. Faubion, of Crews, was high point man in the meet.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for all the consideration and sympathy shown us during our recent sorrow. Our hearts have been touched by your acts of loving kindness, and we assure you of our deep and sincere appreciation of all you have done.

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Iris and illae blossoms gave Miss Teddye Wardlaw, bridefloral adornment to the living elect of Jack Williams of San room and the lily motif with a Diego, was honoree last Thursday freen and white color combination evening at a no-hostess affair was used in the dining room. Lily given by the Thursday Contract ice cream molds, cakes iced in Club in the home of Mr. and Mrs. white with lily decoration, and Henry Jones on Broadway. The coffee were served. A doll bride deep tones of the bride's chosen in white satin gown and tulle vell colors of orchid and pink were and tall white tapers in crystal featured in room decorations. Red candelabra centered the buffet bud blossoms in a crystal bowl on and a large lily was the table reflector and rose tapers centered sented the bride by high score where supper was served buffet winner. Miss Wardlaw received a style preceding games of contract.

Stasney Tommie Hall, Tom Agnew, sages were attached to name Clinton Glover, Jack Scales, John cards. A club gift of Pickard Hollingsworth, Tom Guin, Herbert china and a shower of handker-Sledge, Sam Malone, W. B. Woody, chiefs went to Miss Wardlaw. Alex Saunders, R. W. Lynn, C. R. Others included: Mmes. Tom Stephens, Albert Fryar, Loyd Her- Guin, Jack Scales, Sam Malone. ring; Misses Dorothy Lynn and Jr., John Hollingsworth, Herbert Laura Edith Miller.

. . . Mrs. Lasater Hostess to Delphians

The Alpha Mu Delphian Chanter met with Mrs. O. R. Lasater

val Drama." Mrs. Wallace Jones the banquet room. Dr. W. D. blooms graced rooms where the given on Thursday and Friday assisted and Mrs. Ford Taylor Anderson and Dr. H. M. Anderson Easter motif was given emphasis afternoons of last week in the City conducted the English drill.

and Easter baskets of mints with ment of tuberculosis. pansy corsages was passed.

. . . Club in Baker Home

Mrs. Leslie Baker entertained retary.

a centerpiece for the dining room Drs. Anderson of Sanatorium; Dr. and George Golightly. table and smaller nests marked and Mrs Oren Chandler, Dr. and places. A salad course was served Mrs. J. G. Douglass, Dr. and Mrs. with coffee preceding games in O R Lasater Dr and Mrs W B Week-End House Party in Harry which Mrs. R. J. Hawk was high Halley. Dr. and Mrs. Charles

Others included: Mines, John Mucune, and Mrs. Fuller, Stitt, M. S. Patrick, Henry Doss, Ross Murchison, Rill Hampton Mrs. Bankston Hustess to Sewing Harry Lynn on Seventh Street.

Club Subject

BLOUSES

Fashion dictates fragile feminfine blouses! See these low

priced lovelies today ... buy several for a smart Spring

Mrs. Clarence Morton; and Edna Leonard Stallings enter- St. Vincent Millay, by Mrs. F. C.

Miss Wardlaw

This was later pre- the lace-laid dining room table gift of crystal and Mrs. M. B. Small cut glass baskets filled with Wardlaw won the high cut trophy violets were centerpieces for Others included: Mines, R. W quartet tables where violet cor-

> Sledge; Misses Louise Batts and Dorothy Lynn.

Supper for County Doctors in her home on Sixth Street Tues- Association held its regular meet- Leonard Stallings on Friday eveing at the Central Hotel last Pri- ing of last week in their home Miss Florence Westbrook was day evening following a supper on Eighth Street.

Art Exhibit Well Attended leader of the program on Medie- for members and guests served in Lovely iris, peach and lilac, Patronesses of the art exhibit.

Bailey, Drs. F. M. Hale and J. W. Miss Bitsie Lynn was hostess at

Club

afternoon in her home on Tenth of ping-pong and the midnight

Peach blossoms decked rooms in entertaining.

Parrish, Guy Lively, Hugh Parrish, Carley of Borger, Quotations from Robert Quillen's C. W. Jennings, L. B. Rudder, O. Misses Camille Behringer of "Aunt Het" were given in answer C. Sykes, S. M. Jonas, Owen Southwestern University at George

Enchantingly Pretty SUIT

University Cadets Engage in Mimic War Games



parations for miniature war games by cadels of the Reserve Officers' Training corps at the University of California at Los Angeles were held recently with modern anti-aircraft equipment moved in on the Westgrood. Calif., campus. Cadets enrolled in the coast artillery unit of the student corps were instructed in actual operation. The equipment included a three-inch anti-aircraft gun, director, height finder, searchlight, sound locator and machine gun. Maneuvers are part of a practical training corps,

The Runnels County Medical entertained by Mr. and Mrs. and Harold Bennefield.

from Sanatorium were the main in game appointments and at the Hall auditorium felt well paid for A plate of angel cake and sherbet speakers and discussed the treat- refreshment hour. Easter covers their efforts in the great interest. The main dining room and ban-

high score winners. Others included live, realistic and modernistic, last Friday evening. the Wednesday Contract Club on The three-course supper was were: Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Bailey, and showed the greatest variety Mrs. Price Middleton sang a attending the annual Central

a week-end house party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cheatham: and Miss Virginia Mrs. Ruth Bankston was hostess friends were also included for On Saturday evening other to her sewing club last Thursday dancing, a sing-song and games

show. Miss Dorothy Lynn assisted In continuing the series of pro- where guests sewed for their House party guests, students in grams on wit and humor, "Pinny hostess: A salad course with feed Hardin-Simmons University, were:

Included were. Mines Rubert Freeman of Moran, and Virginia Roberts Rinehart by Mrs. J. B. Members of an afternoon con- Evans, Leonard Scales, Darius Striplin; Dorothy Parker, by Mrs. Iract club together with husbands Boswell, Johnny Barnett, Charles

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pass," which was an oil painting a group of piano selections.

and a few added couples were Thorp, Harris Lovelace, Jack Fry handled as a water color, was the most generally admired. Especially Dickey, C. R. Stephens, Troy Simpenjoyable and instructive were son, Herbert Sledge, Elmo Mcthe analyses of the pictures given | Cook of Stamford; Misses Dorothy by Mrs. Harry Thomson.

> . . . Fellowship Class Has Benefit

were used and a plate of indi- shown. The exhibit represented quet room of the Central Hotel of the local Methodist Woman's Lou Routh, Jackie Patrick and A woman's auxiliary was vidual cakes decorated in Easter the very best in Texas art and were in gala attire for the suc- Missionary Society; Mrs. J. G. Betty Ann Sharpe. organized with Mrs. Mary Fuller symbols, salted auts and Easter was a part of the all-American cessful benefit forty-two and Douglass, a member of the conof Ballinger as president and Mrs. Hily lee cream molds was served. show in New York city last sum- Chinese checker party given by ference board of Christian social T. V. Jennings of Winters as sec- Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woody were mer. The styles were conserva- the Methodist Fellowship Class relations; Mrs. R. A. Dickinson

Friday afternoon of last week in served on one long table deco- Dr. and Mrs. Oren Chandler, of handling paint of any exhibit group of popular numbers and Texas Conference of the Woman's rated with potted hydrangeas to Messrs and Mines John Stitt, J. shown here. The pictures included Winnie Merle Adair gave a tap Missionary Society meeting in of Abilene Christian College, spent A large Easter nest filled with Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Dixon and Dr. C. Sturges, Jr., Jack Rudd, Robert portraits, landscapes and still life dance. Mrs. Wilbur Redwine Brownwood. The sessions began the week-end here as guest of bunnies, chicks and eggs formed and Mrs. Jennings of Winters; the Bruce Loyd Herring, Ford Taylor all in oils. Kay Lawrence's "Over- played accompaniments and also Tuesday morning and are concluding today (Thursday).

A plate of sandwiches and cookies was served with spiced tea by class members. Mrs. J. G. Douglass is teacher.

Miss Miller Names Miss Wardlaw Guest of Honor

assisted by her mother, Mrs. Victor Funderburk, in Neches, with the Miller, in entertaining last Friday Rev. Mr. Funderburk, a Baptist afternoon to honor Miss Teddye minister, reading the ring service

A profusion of varied spring close friends. spacious reception rooms where accessories. She is the daughter tulips, in art, adorned tailies for of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Embry and

punch and heart-shaped cakes school here in 1937. iced in orchid and pink was Mr. Funderburk, also a 1937 for high and low scores and a ment store in Palestine. gift of orchid and pink linens W. W. Embry and Mrs. J. A.

went to Miss Wardlaw. mier, Hi W. Lynn, Estes Lynn, Rogers of Palestine. Davis R. Hall, Thomas B. Hill, Jack Scales, John Hollingsworth, Sam Malone, Jr., Tom Guin, Tom Gregg, Tom Agnew, A. J. Thorp. W. B. Woody, F. M. Pearce, C. S. Miller, Pyrie Gustavus, F. C. Lynn and Edith Miller. . . .

Methodist Women to Annual Conference

and Mrs. Henry Moody are

Announced

The March 19 marriage of Miss Kathleen Embry and Howard A. Funderburk of Palestine, has been announced

The wedding was solemnized in the home of the groom's Miss Laura Edith Miller was parents, the Rev. and Mrs. H. C. in the presence of relatives and

blossoms in the pastel color tones The bride wore a Nile green were given vantage placings about taffeta ensemble with British tan games of forty-two and contract. attended San Angelo College fol-A frozen salad plate with fruit lowing her graduation from high

passed at the tea hour. Prizes graduate, is employed in a depart-

Sellers, grandfather and aunt of Others included: Mmes. M. B. the bride, accompanied her to Wardlaw, Tommie Hail, E. W. McGregor, where they were met Stasney, J. G. Douglass, Dwight by Mr. Funderburk, Mrs. B. H. Sharpe, O. R. Lasater, Paul Trim- Jones and Mr. and Mrs. C. L.

> April Fool Party for Girl Scout Troop

The Algerita troop of Girl Scouts was entertained with an April fool Thursday evening by Patsy Patrick and Martha Sharpe

Included were: Mrs. Bruce Creasy, Earlene Webb, Margaret Routh, Ann Creasy, Ruth McShan, Sheila Moreland, Betty Jo Baxter, Billie Louise Blair, Mary Morgan, Betty Mrs. C. P. Shepherd, president Jean Harper, Dorothy Jones, Mary

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IN SOCIETY

was given by Miss Dorothy Lynn and Missions in China." assisted by her mother, Mrs. Harry Others present were: Mmes. Lynn, Tuesday afternoon in her Dora Gressett, Harris Russell, L. home on Seventh Street.

potted azaleas decorated rooms Marie Thomas, Fay Canady, Hattle and centered the dining room table. The wedding bell motif Davis, Edna Mae Lowry, Gladys and a silver, orchid and white Lee Morgan, Vhelma Parrish and color combination was used in Annie Shelburne. matched bridge sets, in individual baskets topped with miniature Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly Entertains wedding bells and filled with

score award and Miss Wardlaw Street. received a gift of crystal.

Hollingsworth, Robert Lowry, L. R. the Easter theme. Purple pliofilm Tigner, Tommie Hall, Ross Mur- covers were used on the tables at chison, Sam Malone, Jr., J. C. the tea hour when a plate of salad Simpson, E. W. Stasney, C. W. sandwiches, olives, potato chips Cheatham, Hill Hampton and with mint corsage favors was Leslie Baker.

Luncheon for Baptist Business Women's Circle

M. S. were guests at the monthly Royal Bishop, J. D. Forman, Mike ing "fan mail" from every section Many of the letters being while at play. luncheon on Tuesday at the Wright and Ted Jones. church on Eighth Street. The Ann Bagby Circle, of which Mrs. J. H. Mrs. A. L. Burden and son. A. L. and her picture printed in many "health" food concerns, and other Monday. Endacott is chairman, served the Jr., of San Antonio, are visiting

Mrs. T. A. Rape presided for the business session. Mrs. O. T. Toney, Be wise-advertise.

Contract Bridge for Bride-Elect | W. M. S. president, read the Another in-honor affair of the Calendar of Prayer and Mrs. week for Miss Teddye Wardlaw Clarence Morton talked of "War

Schermerhorn, R. E. Truly, L. B. Lilac and redbud blooms and Rudder; Misses Vernie Downing.

Club

silverfoil wrapped candies and in Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly was hostess prize wrappings and the refresh- to Ace of Clubs members and substitutes for absentees Tuesday Mrs. Alex McGregor won high afternoon in her home on Ninth

Purple and white were the colors Others included: Mmes. John chosen for emphasis along with passed.

High score awards went to Mrs. Edward Sommer and Mrs. Ralph Vancil and the traveling prize to Members of the Business Mrs. Roy Miller. Others were: Woman's Circle of the Baptist W. Mmes. H. G. Agnew, W. E. Moss,

are sisters.

delicious two-course menu at Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Patterson. tables decorated with lilac and Mrs. Burden and Mrs. Patterson

"HERE COME THREE KNIGHTS" A COMEDY

In Three Acts

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On Easter Sunday Night at 8:00 p. m. April 9, 1939

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John Knight	Roman Multer
Henry Knight	Norbert Halfmann
Manners Knight	Rupert Beach
Elizabeth Power	Eugenia Beach
* A ** the Canalu	Arnold Fuchs
Lady Helen Copely	Elizabeth Halfmann
Margaret Howen	Rudoiph Cerugation
mil- Man Fanlaston	Agnes Hallimann
Janet Riggs	Ida Fuchs
Mrs. Ellen Weather	Bobbie Hafernik
Mrs. Ellen Weather Fischer	Edward Halfmann

SYNOPSIS OF THE PLAY

It is a story of three Knight brothers who all loved the same girl. This did not dim their brotherly affection, so they conducted their courting under a gentleman's agreement. The schemes to keep the letter of the plan, and still try to gain an advantage, lead to the numerous laughable situations.

THE TIME

A week in June

Admission 35c and 20c The play begins promptly at 8:00 p. m.

In case of rain the play will be given the following Friday night, April 14.

A dialogue entitled "Dumb as a Doorknob" will be given between the second and third acts by Mrs. Lawrence Halfmann and Ida Fuchs

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Little Doctor of Collander Goes Visiting



sintuplets of Collander, Ont., took time off from his recent visit to Mawa to call upon Canada's newest triplets, the Biron sisters, in the Grace hospital. They were born December 7, 1938. Left to right hey are Gladys, Grace and Gail.

Sturges, Jr., Jack Scales, Troy as an Easter basket, rabbit-shaped Ballinger Mexican Woman May Go to World's Fairs

pounds since Christmas, is receiv- for this data.

newspapers. and New York world fairs this still putting on weight. ment for the Ballinger woman papers all over the country.

the mother when information lege of seeing the fat woman.

Maria Garcia, 400-pound Mexi-[regarding sizes of dresses, shoes, can woman who has gained 200 etc., is sent to the person asking

was recently sent out from here organizations, "divine healers," mother at Rising Star Sunday and people who are just plain curious. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibson and The most startling mail received Mrs. Garcia is 30 years old Elmo visited Mr. and Mrs. Odem. opens negotiations for an appear- Physicians stated this week that of Ballinger, Sunday.

summer. Nothing definite has Photographs taken of Maria by Martin Sunday afternoon.

The Garcias have resided in Maverick Sunday. Letters come in every mail and Ballinger since 1931 and have Misses Wanda Clayton and farm security administration this week the little daughter of never been on relief. At present Lyvonda Hoffman visited school supervisor, the committee has n Mrs. Garcia received a box of they are getting along fine since Friday. clothing from Elgin, Illinois, and many people are visiting them and Gordon Brookshier had the mis- vices in helping to bring about an another box will come later for paying small sums for the privi- fortune to dislocate his shoulder equitable agreement between the

Beddo Oil Test is Down 1,200 Feet; **Another Located**

Runnels county today and a slush night but the city reservoirs were pit had been dug for another filled Saturday with water that which will be spudded soon on the fell around Winters on tributaries afternoon in the home of Mrs. Committee members are William

1,200 feet at noon today and due for a rise.

2.200 feet. Two other tests in the the spillway three feet deep. vicinity were drilled to the Palo gas, and the other failing to pro- quality will be much better as

hort time. The location has been it with "softer" rain water. nade in a block of 8,000 acres and Nearing the heavy irrigation depth of 5,000 feet if necessary to sumer here. obtain production.

with indications of success.

ONE TICKET ANNOUNCED

new poll tax receipts the second rising Saturday morning and by time Tuesday when the city elec- late afternoon was running bank tion to select a mayor and two full. Rains at Bronte and Colodate for announcing for these started the river to running, and places was March 24 and at that Valley Creek was at flood stage time only the incumbent officials' Saturday morning, augmenting names were filed for places on the the rise on the river at Ballinger.

Ballots will bear the name of C. P. Shepherd for mayor and the names of George Holman and E. formulated his code about 2200 B. Shepperd for commissioners. The C., much earlier than the laws of voting box will be at the city hall Manu or of Moses. The pillar conand C. R. Stephens has been taining the code was unearthed in named election manager.

for a two-year term. Only the writing in 49 columns, some five of which were practically erased. The mayor and commissioners are lected and the remainder of the clauses and opens with the words: ity officers are appointed by the

Jack: "How does your mother--law stand the heat?" John: "I don't know she only iled last week."

ear, there'd be no cotton sur-

New Water Supply Fills City Lakes After Heavy Rain

Ballinger failed to get rain Friday Fred Pruser farm in the Dale of Elm Creek. Reports reached community Ballinger early Saturday that Milton Clayton. Members present E. Puckett, T. J. McCaughan and Drilling of the Homer Price-J. C. Coyote, Mud and Bluff ereeks quilted a quilt for Mrs. Smith, Jesse E. Fowler Beddo No. 2 was proceeding below were all up and Elm Creek was

regular tours are being employed. At 3 octook Saturday lake was Pipe has not been run in the hole filled and water started running This test will thoroughly explore only one hour for the lower reserting the Serratt sand encountered in other wells on this farm around afternoon water was going over over the causeway. It required

The city now has a water supply Pinto lime, one producing oil and that will last a year and the soon as lines and standpipes have The firm of Hill & Omahandro, been drained. The rise on the of Wichita Falls, will start a deep creek was sufficient to wash out test on the Fred Pruser farm, ten the "hard" water from gypsumules from Ballinger, within a impregnated springs and replace

rotary rig will be moved here period with a very short supply. rom Wichita Falls to make the the filling of the city lakes will be hole. It is planned to drill to the of great benefit to every con-

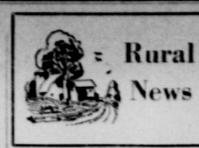
Heavy rains feil from Abilene Several other blocks for tests south to Winters. Torrents fell at are being made up at this time Winters Friday night and the Runnels county interscholastic league meet being held there was transferred to Ballinger Saturday FOR CITY ELECTION on account of water standing on the track and tennis courts.

Ballingerites will get to use their | The Colorado River also began commissioners is held. The final rado city earlier in the week

> The Oldest Code Hammurabi, the king of Babylon,

1902 in the acropolis mound at Susa. Municipal officials are elected It contained about 3,000 lines of code was divided into about 280 the land. I made happy the hu-man race in those days." Exact laws were laid down governing la bor, wages, witchcraft, sanctity of oath, requirement for written evi-dence, public duties of officials, moral laws which were exceeding-Economist: "If all girls would go sonal rights of women, laws of diback to cotton stockings for a vorce and alimony and practically every human activity.

Red Card Board.-Ballinger



BENOIT

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pullin . . . attended church services in Bal-

Those from Benoit attending improving church at Talpa Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zak and filled preacher with a mess Mrs. O. C. Cox and Addie Ruth. Sunday. Wanda, and Mrs. Milton Clayton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zak and will render special number Bro. Turney preached a splendid Sunday evening. and lose his soul," or "What would days here visiting relatives. you give in exchange for your Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeless soul?

boro, spent the week-end with Mr. Barron Sunday evening. and Mrs. Claude Brookshier. Mrs.

E. A. Werner and Misses Olga Mrs. E. R. Martin Sunday.

an injury sustained last week Elroy Monday afternoon. of the United States since publicity received come from religious C. R. Curry visited his grand- DEBT ADJUSTMENT GROUP

Laverne Thomas were dinner stated. ruests in the home of Mr. and "Creditors realize," Curry sald, Mrs. O. C. Cox Sunday.

Elmo visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie that farmers will never be able to Ashton Monday evening.

The sewing club met Tuesday as high as possible."

several weeks ago. At the conclu sion of the work hour the hostes passed a salad plate and leed tea In Nazarene Revival Mmes. Claude Brookshier, O. C. Cox. J. L. Green, Milton Gibson, C. M. Gibson, A. J. Pullin, Walter Lange, Smith, A. W. Hill, Neal Clayton, Carroll Mosley, Joe Clara and Olga Werner.

SPRING HILL

seriously ill, is reported to be the pastor

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hill, Mr. and family visited Mrs. Joe Schwertner that is same and sound.

sermon on life and its responsi- Mr. and Mrs. Halley Wheeless bilities from the text: "What if a returned to Austin Wednesday

and children visited Mrs. Wheeless' Mr. and Mrs. Lockett, of Golds- parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie

A. J. Pullin was a Bailinger Mrs. E. B. Beckhausen and Bill near Osona. Beckhausen, of Eola.

day evening, April 5. Alvin Spreen has been unable to Misses Kathryn Atwell and Vera attend school this week because of Taylor visited Miss Samantha Mc- Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hill spent

> TO MEET HERE MONDAY: WILL ASSIST FARMERS

culty financing obligations which ance at both the San Francisco examinations revealed she was Mr. and Mrs. Martin, of Cole- might affect their season's operaman, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. tions probably can work out a been done on the offers but con- Billie Cordill, local candid camera Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoffman, Mr. their creditors if they will go to tracts are being prepared and will fan, were released last week by and Mrs. A. N. Hoffman and the Runnels county debt adjustbe submitted to promoters at once the Associated Press and have family, Mr. and Mrs. George Wil- ment committee, which meets at which may develop into employ- been reproduced in many news- liams and family, and Mrs. J. D. the farm security office in Ballin-Hoffman attended a picnic at ger Monday. April 3, at 2:30 p. m.

According to John H. Curry, one day last week. He was break- farmer and his creditors so that ing a young horse when the acci- he can continue farming and eventually pay out. "This service Rev. and Mrs. Turney, of Talpa, which is free and confidential, has Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hill, Fred Mc- been popular with mortgage-Kay. Douglass Barnett and holders as well as debtors," he

"that it will mean more in the Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibson and long run to them to bring debts Hene and Mary Ruth Hill visited income. The FSA will then

Special Trio to Aid Here April 2 to 16

Hoffman, A. N. Hoffman; Misses Ballinger Church of the Nazarene, announced today a revival which is to start Sunday, April 2, and continue through April 16. The Heasley-Brannon trio, of Whittenburg, will conduct the special George Dean, who has been evangelistic campaign, assisted by

Rev. Heasley is declared a spiritthree special workers are also Mr. and Mrs. Neal Clayton and Mr and Mrs. Lee Jost, of Olfen, talented musicians and singers at each service.

Services will be held each eve man should gain the whole world night after having spent several dially invited to attend and parning at 7:45 and the public is corticipate during the two weeks'

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Glover, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Redmond and Mrs. John A. Barton and Dr. Lockett and Mrs. Brookshier are had as their guests Sunday, Mrs. and Mrs. E. W. Stasney spent the Redmond's mother and brother, week-end on the Graham ranch

The Parent-Teacher Association Miss Zula McKay, of Wichita meeting, which was postponed last Falls, and Mrs. Edgar Ellis, of and Clara Werner visited Mr. and Thursday, will be held next Thurs- Rule, came in Tuesday to be at

Saturday and Sunday in San

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Tomorrow is the last day to register a motor vehicle before penalties are added. The rush has been on this week and many number plates have been issued, but there are still many cars in the county not provided with the tags which permit their operation on public roads. Extra clerks will be employed this week-end to issue license plates at the office of the county tax collector.

safer from fire. In previous years are planned during the current beautiful new uniforms of gold Ballingerites have cooperated fully year. with city officials in clean-up campaigns and this year many developed by home owners.

a rise on Eim Creek filled the city the same site. out of the lakes

lent shopping opportunities to the that 200 free votes will be eligible government program this year. trade territory. Easter is church-

Card of Thanks

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Children.

In milking, use the seamless streams of the Hill Country. small-topped or hooded milking pail which keeps down the amount Eden people who have private

Rugged Individualist Attends College Hard Way



To be "on his own" is the ambition of Horace Carson, Cniversity of North Dakota freshman from Mon ango, N D. Carson, son of a farmer, refused to ask for NYA assistance when he started school at Grand Forks, and built his own eight by eight tarpaper-covered house rather than accept a room in Camp Depression. the University's free dormitory. It cost him \$60 to build the house. Cooking his own meals, Carson's living expenses are approximately \$10 per month. He bought the lot, on an open prairie, for \$5.



West Texas News

At the end of the fiscal year for The vein that supplies most of the the city of Brownwood, officials wells in the vicinity of Eden is announced that seven miles of known to contain some contami-It's clean-up time again and numerous extensions made to of drouth. most cities in this section are the water distribution system. launching campaigns that will Continuation of the pavement and Junction high school band membeautify premises and make homes waterworks improvement programs bers will soon be dressed up in

over an abundant water supply old grammar school will be razed San Antonio on April 21 for "The Store received the past week-end when and the new building creeted on Battle of Flowers."

channel. While no rain fell here. Talpa F. F. A. boys have won Saturday night, April 25, and Elm Creek's large watershed \$129 in Evestock shows this spring many kindles had to go to bed COLLEGE STATION, March 30. Drew Dickson, of Abilene, spent served. The quality also is improved Richardson. Ira Galloway was the since the "hard" water was washed largest prize winner and his latest success was with calves at the Ft. Worth exposition.

apparel and local merchants are 1938 taxes total 2,500 as compared of the meeting. Many ranchmen advertising sales which offer excel- to 4,522 last year. It is estimated of the county will comply with the

local churches will be in the paign and one of the most noted ing to remind citizens it was the silos in the state in 1932. midst of revivals and other teams in the state is directing the hour set for beginning a city-wide singer, is in charge of the music.

to the many friends and neigh- D. O. Goodwin has moved from our great bereavement, and for Bait" to anglers of this section. the beautiful floral offerings. He claims the bait has been used

of bacteria-laden dust that falls wells are urged to have analyses destroyed Sunday morning, March of Southwestern University. made before drinking the water. 19, when the Melvin Hotel burned Georgetown, spent the week-end

cated they were ready to join.

ated in the southwest corner of the

second story, and fanned by a stiff

were razed before the fire was

extinguished. Brady and Eden

fire companies responded to the

call and helped save other property

Headachy, Breath Bad?

The Police Siren means "Look-out!"

And so do Nature's signals—head-aches, biliousness, bad breath, which

are often symptoms of constipation.

Don't neglect your sluggish bowels,

for a host of constipation's other discomforts may result: such as, sour stomach, loss of appetite or energy, mental duliness.

Help your lazy bowels with spicy, all vegetable BLACK-DRAUGHT.

Make This Check-Up

The new Cole Theatre at Fort

permanent paving had been built nation, especially during periods Edwards, of the San Angelo signed to assure good instrumen-

Kidney Danger Signals

and black. Mothers of the musicians met with such success in Getting up nights, frequent or sections of the state, contour Plans have been accepted by the their efforts to obtain funds for scanty flow, burning, leg pains or farming is frequently the differ- sponsor, is the fact that the stuhave already started their spring; bank and yard cleaning that will sponsor, is the fact that the stuhouse and yard cleaning that will sponsor, is the fact that the stuhouse and yard cleaning that will sponsor, is the fact that the students themselves "discover" new tie in well with the general move- struction of a new grammar awarded for the uniforms last ing of functional kidney disorders. crop at all. school building and gymnasium, week and the remainder of the Danger ahead. Make this 4-day George Slaughter, chairman of spots to the many already prepared by Leonard Mauldin, San is made. A specially made-up nature eliminate excess acids and tion committee, explained that the Angelo architect. The district uniform was modeled on a mem- other wastes which can cause the AAA gives each farmer a soilrecently voted \$30,000 in bonds ber of the band last week and an irritation that wakes you up. Ask building allowance, which must and the rest of the money will order given to be delivered in time any druggist for a test box of be earned by approved conserva-Ballinger people are rejoicing be furnished by the WPA. The for the musicians to wear them to Bukets. Locally at City Drug tion practices at specified rates

> MORE TRENCH SILOS ARE TO BE BUILT allotments. Rising Star was without water

water situation was solved. With Some of the best animals were pumps were out of order from dig and fill around 10,000 new parents. spring here and the need of irri- entered in as many as four shows Friday afternoon until Sunday trench silos during 1939, E. R. gation at hand, citizens can keep and places were won at each. The morning and the city was without Eudaly, dairyman of the A. & M. Rex Nixon spent the week-end Texas' No. 1 trench silo apostle, Mrs. Jack Nixon, Sr. has predicted.

"We filled 7,536 new trenches Approximately 175 Concho county ranchmen met in the court house in 1938, and we'll do that much at Paint Rock March 18 to hear a or better again this year. The Sunday brought summer-Eke Coleman county's voting strength general discussion of the range AAA sweet sorghum ruling will be weather and made many people is about 3,700 this year. The three program. Reseeding of pastures a big factor," Mr. Eudaly said. think of lighter clothing. Easter boxes in the city of Coleman have by deferred grazing was one of Under the 1939 AAA program, is the signal for changing from 1.023 polds paid for the year.

Winter garments to new spring Receipts issued in the county for the year.

AAA field representative, in charge

If the dairyman's prediction comes true, Texas may see up-The fire whistle was blown at this year as compared with 1938's going day in Ballinger and this The Winters Methodist church Stephenville last Saturday morn- 17,019. There were only 12 trench

On the basis of value per ton of denominations are arranging revival which ends April 9. Rev. clean-up campaign in preparation silage, Euclaly lists corn. grain special Easter services that will Herman Cochran, the "cowboy" for the wild flower show to be sorghums, sweet sorghums, and preacher, is delivering the ser- held on May 10. Civic groups sudan and johnson grass, in that mons, and R. E. Britian, gospel have offered prizes for the best order, as the best silage crops. He E. SHEPPERD & CO. work done by anyone during the points out, however, that the campaign and daily inspections farmer is interested in the per are to be made to observe results. acre return, and that on this bors for their many acts of kind- Oklahoma to Brady and will manu- Practically all property owners basis sweet sorghum, because of ness and words of sympathy in facture and sell Sure Catch Fish had agreed to participate in the its tonnage, is frequently the crop to plant

With the AAA sweet sorghum Comanche county livestock men ruling, which does not apply to Especially do we thank Dr. successfully for the past 14 years Chandler and the nurses for their and that it gives theirs to every met last week to discuss forming corn and grain sorghums, as an fisherman if fish are biting at all an organization to promote better extra inducement, Eudaly expects He selected Brady for his home breeding and feeding. All present thousands of farmers and ranch-11- because it is near the center of agreed that an organization would men to turn to sumae and other Texas and close to the best fishing prove beneficial and many indi- sweet sorghums for their suage crop in 1939.

> A landmark at Melvin was Miss Camille Behringer, student to the ground. The flames origin- here with her parents.

Miss Eleanor Williams, student outh wind, quickly spread to the of the University of Texas. Austin, tire building. Two other build- spent the weekend in Bailinger ings in the path of the wind also visiting her parents.

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farm land dissipated last year by Library of Congress records, Samthe excessive demands of some uel E. Gideon, University of Texas soil-depleting crop, almost five professor of architecture, revealed acres were conserved or rejuve- here today. nated through soil-building practices carried out by farmers who Park Service, the American Insti- of members and visitors present.

farm program showing, among New Jersey, Alabama, Maryland, and pie supper in the near future other things, that soil-conservat- New York, Texas, Massachusetts, to increase the funds of the ing crops such as legumes, alfalfa Virginia and Pennsylvania lead- organization. and green manure crops were ing the landmark field from the grown on 6,500,000 acres, and that standpoint of number, Mr. Gid- Grindstaff made an interesting program last year were farmed on vey, said. the countour to better utilize San Antonio and vicinity, with program. moisture and keep land from 28 landmarks, and Castroville, washing and blowing away.

The report indicated that Texas ber of shrines. farmers last year earned \$4,900,- He cited Judge Bean's "court" 000 in soil-building practice pay- and the San Antonio mission as ments and that they passed up "representing the two ends, peranother four million by failing to haps, of the Texas architecture take full advantage of their soil- range." building allowances

More than 13,000 miles of ter- UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS Stockton was opened Wednesday racing was done on approxinight. The showhouse has been mately 141,000 acres; about 2,under construction several months 225,000 acres were contoured AUSTIN, March 30.—"Texas is and is modern in every respect, listed or furrowed; 310,00 acres of one of the country's most fertile including new furniture and the permanent pasture were estab- fields for the development of folk latest type projection machines. lished; 300 acres of forest trees dancing," Miss Ruth Bass, a were planted; and 2,225,00 linear native Iowan, and University of Robert Lee school authorities feet of pasture ridging was done. Texas assistant professor of phylast week organized a band and by farmers who took part in the sical education, said recently. made a contract with J. M. program, according to the report. "Folk dancing itself is not only

Academy of Music, to instruct ments is reflected to some extent sion of folk culture which should students. Enough members were in tests showing that contour fur- not be lost," she said. rowing increases the annual earning power of an acre by \$2.50, on club at the university, composed an average throughout the state, of about fifty students, whose and that terracing is often worth self-styled purpose is to keep alive from \$5 to \$8 an acre. In arid the dances of long ago.

> 16-23-30 of pay, in addition to payments for holding soil-depleting crops such as cotton, wheat and rice within his soil-depleting acreage

received enough that the local on calves and lambs they fed without the time-honored "tub." Texas farmers and ranchmen will the week-end here with his

service, and here, visiting his parents, Mr. and

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tute of Architects and the Lib-That is the conclusion of a rary of Congress, the Historic plans were discussed and perpreliminary report on the 1938 American Buildings Survey showed fected to have an Easter bazaar

with 20, led the state in the num-

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Value of the soil-saving invest- great fun but a valuable expres-She cited the Swing and Turn

Significant to her, the club's

folk dances and teach each other. PRESERVES LANDMARKS Some of the dances date as far back as 1500, she declared.

> Rags Wanted Good price this week. LEDGER OFFICE. 30-1t-H

FOR EASTER BAZAAR

The Hatchel Parent-Teacher Association held its regular meet-A joint project of the National ing March 9 with a large number During the business session

County Superintendent E. C. more than 1,500,000 acres in the eon, district officer for the sur- talk and the pupils of Mrs. Billy Cordill presented an entertaining

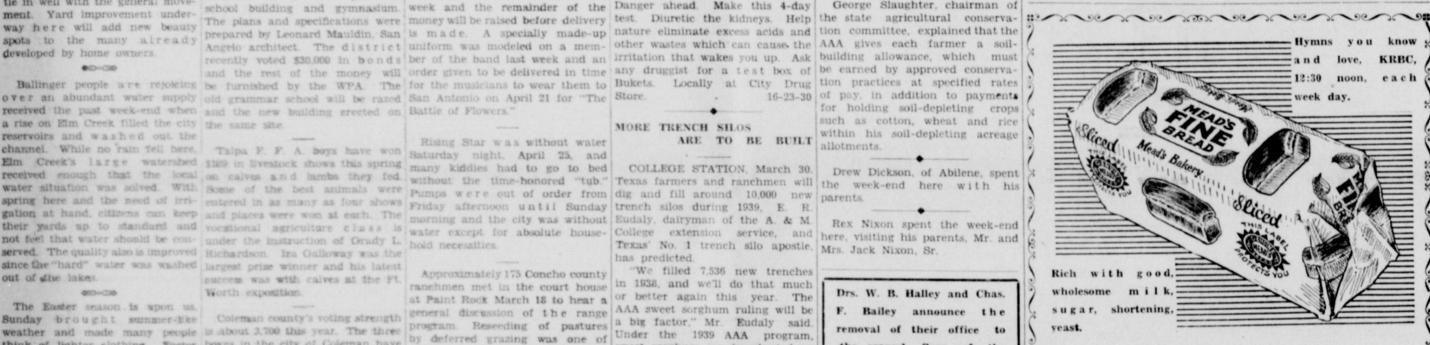
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RURAL NEWS

EAGLE BRANCH

The Get-Together Club met last Thursday for the second time this year, in the home of Mrs. J. H.

officers were elected to serve grain crop is looking fairly well. during the next few meetings, which will be held every first and Girls' Auxiliary met with their third Thursday of the month sponsor, Mrs. D. D. Shaw, Tuesday "Friendly neighbor" names were afternoon. Refreshments were drawn by the members for the joy served to ten members. of giving small presents until the Mrs. W. L. Hayley has been ill

The members did fancy needle reported improving work for the hostess during the social hour and refreshments of minor operation in the Winters fruit jello with chocolate and hospital this week. vanilla cookies were served in the afternoon to the following: Mmes. and family spent the week-end Herbert Martin, H. G. Bradley, with relatives at Rule. Wayne Mitchell, Raymond Kurtz, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Barrett had Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Conger and Albert Kurtz, H. L. Tooker, J. W. business in San Angelo Tuesday. daughter, Joan, visited relatives at Waldon; Miss Attline Kurtz; and Mrs. Travis Cummings and Mrs. Talpa, spent Sunday with the R. Monroe Kurtz, of Winters.

The next meeting will be in the Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Crockett and E. Morgan, the past week.

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accepted, as well as visitors being cordially invited to attend.

NORTON

Rainfall the past week measured During the business session new about one and a half inches. The For business and social the

set time for names to be revealed, of the flu the past week, but is Mrs. W. E. Elkins underwent a

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Scoggins Hylton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Broyles, of Munday over the week-end. L. Conder family.

home of Mrs. Albert Kurtz, where Faye and Nannie Mae Crockett new members will be readily spent Sunday with relatives at

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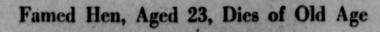
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cently. Property of Lawrence A. Taylor, Granny was the oldest hen in the world. She was widely known among poultry men and was fre-

Walter Stubblefield, of Happy, had business here the past week. Miss Holley Mae Morgan, of Big Spring, visited her mother, Mrs.

HERRING

We have changed our minds qualified. Most of them are quali-about spring being here, as it fied in more than one contest. doesn't feel much like spring Among those are: McDonald, 100tonight (Tuesday). Sure hope it

at the Sealy hospital Monday. We sure hope she will soon be able and mile relay; Berrey, mile relay

Clyde and S. J. Brevard had lin throw; Lee, mile relay. The their tonsils removed last Friday. only literery contestant is Eliza-Their throats are still pretty sore. beth Clifton in ready writing. Mrs. W. A. Hale, who has been sick for some time, is able to be up part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rosford, Dorothy and Kenneth attended church at guests of Mrs. C. W. Schwartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Whitley and girls visited in the Abner Stovall home at Oxien Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fuller and

Belcher home at Eagle Branch. ground ball has not been played

this week with his extemporaneous daughter, Mrs. W. L. Allcorn, and debate, 20 points; spelling, 1

re visiting in San Angelo. Mrs. W. L. Allcorn, Elon Joe, points to add after April 1, when and Mrs. J. Rosford visited Mrs. baseball and tennis are completed. Kirk Priest last Thursday after-

inger, is visiting her father, Joe you and "it" both liked midgets

day night in the home of her keep in training. aunt, Mrs. S. H. Miller.

business in Ballinger Tuesday. | method of shooting paper wads.-Mrs. C. H. Grounds, of Talpa; Cecil (better known as "Tete" and Mrs. Emmett Branscum, of Ash. Sweetwater, visited Mrs. Owen Kathryn, were you and Nelda Bragg Saturday.

Herbert Peek and helped her quilt same account.

39¢ Mother Peek, of Valera, rural, actions of a certain singer (B. B. visited in the Herbert Peck home B.) on Friday night.

> day are our regular preaching violets and sugar and girls and days. Everyone is invited to things?

> attend all the services. Dan Woodroof visited relatives the baseball ground's in the front. at Miles Sunday.

In every part of Texas one or sunburns.-The volley ball team more of the grains, roughage, or and many, many others. pasture grasses necessary for beef production can be grown. There is land available under the beef, as presented by food present agricultural conservation specialists of Texas A. & M. Col-

Mrs. Jones: "Tobe, I'm sorry to and thicker the muscles the more hear your wife got a divorce." Tobe: "Yessum, she done gone ing. back to Alabama.

Mrs. Jones: "Who will do my vashing now?" again and I co'ts rapid."

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NORTON SCHOOL NEWS By Elizabeth Clifton

Norton to Have Several Contestants in District Meet The loving cup is definitely

ton at the district meet on April yard dash and 220-yard dash; Mrs. Joe Bragg was operated on broad jump; Ford, broad jump Compton, discus and shot; Gentry, and mile relay; Gulley, pole vault and 440-yard dash; Sharpes, jave-

Norton Wins in Choral Club Contests

Both the high school and grade Crews Sunday and were dinner school choral clubs of Norton won their divisions in county meet Aunt Mandy Gideon, of the Hill The high school chorus was community, is visiting Mrs. S. H. entered under the direction of Kathryn Hambright in the girls' Junior Whitley returned home voices only division. The grade Sunday from Brownwood, where school club was directed by Evehe had been for treatment for his lyn Scoggins. Miss Zaza Chenoweth trained both clubs.

90 Points Norton's Total Toward Championship

Ninety points so far virtually family and Mrs. Vara Simpson assure Norton the class B chamspent Sunday in the Marshall pionship for the county. Play-Mrs. J. P. Brevard and S. J. yet, and three tennis teams are spent Monday with Mrs. S. H. still not decided winners. Events which have aided in the securing Mr. Day, of Santa Anna, is of the loving cup "for keeps" are points; ready writing, 15 points Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Henderson and track and field, 10 points. There will probably be more

Mrs. Ellis Madison, of near Bal- Raymond, a little bird said that What aboutit?

Mrs. Maudie Benson and son, Gulley, the mighty "track man," Bruce, of Rising Star, spent Mon- regrets the fact that he still must Wanted: A position in which I

Mrs. S. H. Miller and Grady had can teach students the proper

terribly disappointed? Well, some-Mrs. J. Rosford called on Mrs. one else was, too, but not on the

If we had room, we'd like to Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Peek and dedicate the entire column to the

Billie, have you fully recovered? Mrs. Vara Simpson and Fred No one knows where talent will pent Monday in the Arthur Fuller be found these days. Who'd ever have thought O. B. would go Next Saturday night and Sun- poetic and write about roses and

> at the back of the house? Too bad isn't it?

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First Methodist Church

Palm Sunday is a day of praise, when all Christian people should joyfully worship the Christ. A beautiful service will be conducted at the First Methodist Church Sermon by pastor. unday morning, when a large group of children will be received into membership in the church. An invitation will be given for dults to also unite with the

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock pastor there will be another of the Evening service, 5:00 o'clock impressive candlelight communion Sermon by pastor. services to which all the people This church extends a sincere are invited. You will enjoy the welcome to all who will come and quiet, beauty and depth of this worship with us kind of worship.

Attendance at Sunday school mark for this conference year. We Sunday, April 2, 1939: xpect another increase next Sunday and on Easter Sunday a pacity crowd in every class and

department. On Easter Sunday the people are invited to bring their babies for dedication in holy have an executive business meet- baptism. The service will be at the morning hour just preceding the sermon

E. D. LANDRETH, Pastor.

Church of the Nazarene (Ninth Street at Harris Avenue) Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Young People's Society, 7 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. ODELL BROWN, Pastor.

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WALLACE JONES, Pastor.

Governors Salute Idaho Potato



Gov. Julius P. Heil of Wisconsin (left) and Gov. Frank D. Fitzgerald (right) of Michigan take their hats off to the Idaho potatoes sent by Gov. C. A. Bottelfsen of the Gem state to feed 2,000 diners at the Republican rally in New York recently. Former President Herbert Hoover addressed the gathering. Oscar, malire d'hotel of the Waldorf-Astoria, displays samples of the famed potatoes

7:45 p. m., evening worship. Sermon by pastor. Vednesday:

7:00 p. m., prayer meeting. CHARLES H. WARD, Pastor.

Ballinger Baptist Church 400 Eighth Street)

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Revival sermon, 11 a. m.,

the pastor. The evangelist, Dr. C. Y. Dossey vill arrive in time for services

Monday night at 7:45. Dunn, educational director of the in the Middle West.

Services twice daily: morning. o'clock; and evening, 7:45. The public is invited CLARENCE A. MORTON, Pastor.

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Churches of Christ radio hours, KRBC, 9 a. m. and 3 p. m.; subjects: KRLD 10:30 p. m.

Bible classes, 9:45 a. m. Worship, 10:45 a. m. Communion each Lord's day. Young men's and young ladies classes, 6:30 p. m.

Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Monday Ladies's Bible class, 4 p. m. Wednesday:

Bible classes, 7:30 p. m. Thursday: Ladies' all-day sewing. Every purpose is established by ounsel." Prov. 20:18.

CLARENCE BRYANT, Minister.

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> Grace Baptist Church (Eighth Street)

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Sermon by pastor at 11 a. m. Prayer service, 7:30 p. m.

JOE HULL, Pastor.

Church of God (Corner of Sixth and Strong) Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6:30

Preaching at 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 CHAS. S. BUSH AND WIFE,

LYDIA COUVISIER, Supt. Foursquare Gospel Church (Twelfth Street and Railroad

Avenue) Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 o'clock. Young People's Crusaders ser-

Prayer meeting, Tuesday, 8 p Preaching service, Thursday, 8

Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.

REV. AND MRS. E. O. CARROLL,

Traffic Officer: "Say, dkin't you e me wave at you?' Auxiliary President (in a hurry o get to meeting): "Certainly, and didn't I wave back? What iid you want me to do-throw

Jeweler: "Why? Doesn't it suit

Oscar: "Yes, but I don't."

Utilities Company Safety Meeting is Held in Ballinger

The first safety meeting in 1939 or employees of the West Texas Utilities Company in district G was held in the Ballinger city hall Baptist Training Union, 6:45 Monday afternoon and evening The sessions were well attended, m, by all towns in the district being represented.

The trophy won by the company last year in the Bureau of Safety Vehicle contest was shown the The music for the revival will employees. This was won in come under the leadership of Gale petition with nine large companies

A feature of the program was the showing of a motion picture "Open for Infection," which was declared one of the best of its kind ever presented at a company safety meeting. It dealt with the are of small cuts that develop into dangerous wounds.

Other parts of the program included talks on the following

"What Should Drivers of Company Cars Do When Involved in

Accidents?" A. J. McDaniel "When a Broken or Burned Wire s Involved in an Accident, Who is Responsible for Keeping the Evidence, and What Should be Kept if the Accident is Caused by Faulty Equipment, Weak Ladder, Burned Primaries or Transformers?" Chester Cherry.

"The Precaution That Shbuld be Taken, and the Necessity of Good Housekeeping in Yards, Offices and Work Shops," Bynum Britton

"What Care Should be Taken by the Foreman of a Crew as to the Safety of Tools, Gloves and Physical Fitness?" Joe Baxter.

Messages were also presented from District Manager W. O. Wallace and Safety Director P. W. Campbell.

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REGISTERED IN COUNTY; PENALTIES APPLY SUNDAY

To Tuesday morning 1,465 passenger cars were registered in was held Thursday night in the Ballinger and it was estimated city hall auditorium, at which 500 more had been registered at delegates were elected for the other stations in the county, state convention. This year the About 4,000 passenger cars are state meeting will be held in June subject to registration and at Harlingen. Malcolm Morgan employees of the tax collector's and D. G. Posey were named deleoffice anticipate a big rush this gates with K. V. Northington and

Automobile owners can pay icense fees through Saturday before penalties are assessed. The total payments to Tuesday were considered about normal that of previous years and it was estimated that half of all passenger cars, trucks, commercials and trailers were already registered.

The collector's staff is ready for the rush and will be able to issue many plates this week-end. Owners are asked to bring their last registhe work.

For cleanliness, keep the udder and rear quarters of milk cows doing?" clipped, and just before milking carefully wipe the udder and children first. I can swim.' flanks with a damp cloth to remove dust, dirt, and loose hairs.

TREMEN ELECT DELEGATES FOR STATE CONVENTION

The regular monthly meeting of Ballinger fire department George McMillan alternates.

The organization also made definite plans to sponsor a show on April 9 and 10 at the Palace

"What's the matter, Jenkins?" snapped a shoe store manager, 'Can't you serve this customer?' "No, sir," replied the assistant. "He'e trying to find two shoes which squeak in the same key."

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Juries Drawn for Spring Term of District Court

District Clerk John Rayburn has drawn the names for five jury venires who are being called for duty at the spring term of 119th district court, which convenes in Ballinger April 24. Each venire will report at 10 a. m. on the day it is summoned and Sheriff Calvin Roberson mailed a notice this week to each man whose name was drawn

The first week sixteen men will report to serve on the grand jury, and for the second, third, fourth and fifth weeks petit jury venires of 36 men each have been subpoenaed.

Following are the lists:

First Week, Grand Jury J. Milton Clayton, Talpa J. E. Rodgers, Winters George P. Hester, Miles Walter Schuhmann, Rowena Roy Tyree, Ballinger Rt. 2 C. L. West, Miles W. J. Halfmann, Rowena

W. P. Gardner, Winters M. D. Caswell, Norton

C. M. Gooch, Winters J. B. Moore, Wingate V. B. Kelly, Winters Sam Behringer, Ballinger E. M. Lynn, Ballinger

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O. C. Sykes, Ballinger Lynn Stokes, Ballinger Rt. 1 Second Week, Petit Jury

C. L. Chapman, Winters Jim Hambright, Norton W. A. Eggemeyer, Rowena W. T. Billups, Winters D. C. Camp, Ballinger Joe Newman, Miles W. E. Coley, Winters Dan Eckert, Miles Wade Carter, Norton Frank Johnson, Winters G. H. Danford, Winters Rudolph Harsch, Miles Victor White, Winters Burnie Cervenka, Rowena Elmer Davidson, Talpa O .K. Jacob, Ballinger C. S. Jackson, Winters

Bill Dean, Winters G. H. Coleman, Miles Garland Nunn, Ballinger E. N. Reid, Winters. Frank Lange, Rowena Neal Nutt, Ballinger Loyd Wilkerson, Winters D. A. Marshall, Winters C. L. Wigham, Winters Fred C. Feist, Rowena Joe Machann, Rowena E. J. Lambert, Winters

F. E. Berryman, Winters T. J. Forgey, Ballinger W. T. Dorsett, Winters G. A. Gerhart, Winters G. L. Fagan, Norton

L. T. Allen, Norton

C. Black, Marie

Fourth Week, Petit Jury George Newby, Winters Charles Olsak, Ballinger W. I. Raley, Miles Byron Clayton, Talpa W. S. Fletcher, Miles D. E. Compton, Norton Joe Martin, Norton T. R. Donalson, Miles Wayne Bennett, Miles W. C. Fulcher, Ballinger T. W. Giestman, Miles Albert Fryar, Ballinger A. H. Dawson, Sr., Winters

Third Week, Petit Jury

Clyde Allison, Ballinger

O. G. Bartlett, Ballinger

C. H. Eubank, Winters

E. M. Batts, Ballinger

J. L. Roach, Miles

C. L. Gentry, Marie

W. E. Fletcher, Miles

S. O. Childers, Miles

J. E. Fowler, Ballinger

Arthur Lisso, Rowena

John G. Key, Winters

W. R. Clark, Ballinger

H. J. Kasberg, Rowena

W. A. Archie, Ballinger

C. E. Jones, Ballinger

C. E. Coats, Goldsboro

H. E. White, Winters

O. B. Raper, Winters

J. W. Jackson, Miles

Roy Clark, Benoit

Otto Finck, Miles

Leslie Carlton, Maverick

W. G. Bedford, Winters

Hugo Halfmann, Rowena

A. T. Faltisek, Rowena

Claude Collins, Jr., Ballinger

Frank H. Cameron, Ballinger

G. F. Edwards, Miles

Fred Parker, Hatchel

Clyde Davis, Maverick

J. L. Kennedy, Winters

Charles Dankworth, Ballinger

C. L. Graham, Winters

L. E. H. Barnett, Ballinger

Dee Currie, Miles



Rufus Allen, Ballinger Let's see?... Maybe?... I forgot!.. Drat it!

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Colored eggs are as popular as ever this Easter, and children can decorate them with an unending variety of designs. This youngster has a whole parade of pets and other designs in decals for transfer to the eggs. While her mother looks on she dips the design in water, slides off the backing-paper onto the egg and smooths it with a cloth. It's art

E. L. Mika, Ballinger Raymond Glass, Rowena Joe Forman, Ballinger Clyde Dunn, Wingate L. Baldwin, Winters Jones Taylor, Ballinger Edgar Straach, Miles W. L. Faubion, Ballinger George Clements, Ballinger M. G. Roper, Miles Claude Tatum, Winters G. W. Cope, Benoit E. O. Lange, Ballinger A. C. Chapman, Ballinger A. T. Chapman, Norton L. C. Fuller, Talpa Earl Caudle, Hatchel

Hans Gottschalk, Winters C. E. Gambill, Winters J. E. Forbus, Winters W. H. Embry, Ballinger C. W. McAden, Ballinger

Fifth Week, Petit Jury Charles Adami, Winters Otto Straach, Miles R. P. Canady, Ballinger Lee Evans, Miles C. M. Gibson, Benoit A. F. Kemp, Ballinger Edward J. Glass, Miles T. W. Agnew, Ballinger Joe Mapes, Winters P. R. Dietz, Ballinger E. D. Barton, Miles Charles Cary, Novice J. J. Binder, Rowena J. H. Parrish, Ballinger C. W. Colburn, Winters Hugh Campbell, Ballinger R. A. Bishop, Winters Otto Dierschke, Rowena Homer C. Daniel, Marie Henry Goetz, Rowena C. A. Ballinger, Winters Martin Maas Rowens J. H. Gannoway, Wingate R. R. Tolbert, Miles Joe Baker, Winters L. C. Adair, Ballinger William C. Droll, Rowena Delbert Vancil, Ballinger D. J. Goetz, Winters Fred Davidson, Miles J. A. Patterson, Ballinger A. W. Graves, Miles Otto J. Halfmann, Ballinger W. L. Allcorn, Talpa Rt. 2 H. Kay Berry, Norton Earl Chapmand, Winters

Push and Pull

A sad story comes from Victoria, British Columbia-the story of a two-tailed goldfish which was found splashing aimlessly in a park pool, never getting anywhere because one tail tried to propel him forward and the other tried to drive him back-

We have a fellow-feeling for that goldfish. This world, it seems to us, is full of people who, between the pull of progress and the push of longing to retreat to what seemed simpler times and ways, are getting nowhere in their little pools .- New York World-Telegram.

Beautiful Words

The words which Sir Walter Scott puts in the mouth of Jeannie Deans, in her memorable address to the queen, are true as they are beauti-"When the hour of trouble comes, and seldom may it visit your leddyship-and when the hour of death comes, that comes to high and low-lang and late may it be yours. O my leddy!-It is not what we have done for ourselves, but what we have done for ithers, that we think on most pleasantly.'

Watering the Ropes' In 1589 in Rome, during the erection of the obelisk in St. Peter's square, a sailor named Bresca shouted to the workmen to "water the ropes" and thus saved the giant shaft from crashing to the ground. Although he had disobeyed the order of Pope Sixtus V for complete silence during the ceremony, Bresca was rewarded with the perpetual right to supply palms to St. Peter's on Palm Sunday. And his posterity carries on the custom, says Collier's Weekly.

Hot water causes milk to "cook" and adhere to the sides of utensils, so these should be rinsed in cold or lukewarm water, dairymen of the Texas A. & M. College extension service say.

Ballinger One-Act Players Capture **County Contest**

The Ballinger high school's oneact play, "Grandma, Old Style," was declared the county winner here last Thursday evening at the conclusion of the contest. Content was the only other school to enter the contest and a cast of four presented a good comedy which did not score as high with the judges as the local's performance.

The decision of three judges gave the Ballinger cast first place and also all other awards. Anne Kiechle, in the title role was declared the best girl player, and "Boots" Krempin the best among

The play was directed by Ernest Sublett and all members of the cast were selected from the cue and curtain club. The family story of three generations showed the ultra-modern in contrast with the grandmother part played by Miss

Players in the cast were Miss Kiechle, Mary Simpson, Eulalia Nicholson, Janie Flynt, Carlos Burnette and Krempin. Other details of the play were handled by members of the club who were assigned to scenery, properties, make-up and wardrobe.

Sets and stage equipment was built by Mr. Sublett and members of the club.

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WHEAT INSURANCE MEETING SCHEDULED IN BALLINGER

Farm leaders of Runnels, Tom Green and Concho counties will meet in Ballinger April 6, to discuss new wheat crop insurance Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cherry plans aimed at a wider coverage and D. G. Posey went to Juncti of the 1939-40 crops and to Friday night to attend the annual receive instructions regarding banquet of the fire department. applications for 1939 wheat rice adjustment payments to be made by the AAA.

Robert I. Nelson and J. W. will quickly absorb other flavors. Doak, field representatives of the

county agricultural conservation urers, county co county crop insurance supervisors.

Milk should never be stored with strong flavored foods for it

AAA in districts 7 and 6, respec- Lean beef is one of the richest tively, will lead discussions. Grow- sources of nicotinic acid, the pelers will be represented by their lagra-preventing factor.





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LOST-Pair Nose Glasses in case front W. B. Currie home on Eighth Street. Reward for return to Ledger office.

Oak Creek near school house in seriously ill only since Friday Runnels county. Attractive terms. afternoon. After becoming ill last J. G. Dickinson, Box 485, Brown- Friday her condition grew worse

Male Help Wanted

Ambitious, reliable man or woman work with good income, to supply ger 35 years, coming here from Watkins Products in Ballinger, ten years ago. She was a member satisfied customers with famous Write J. R. Watkins Co., 70-76 W. of the Ballinger Baptist Church Iowa Ave., Memphis Tenn.

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> Rags Wanted Good price this week LEDGER OFFICE. 30-1t₅H tery.

for copy "The Cattle Industry of Mrs. A. R. Jones, Ballinger, and torium Saturday, is improving and Texas and Adjacent Territory, Mrs. R. L. Stephenson, Lubbock; will soon be able to return to his 1896." Describe condition fully a brother, Tom McCaughan, San home. H. Sender, 5044 Garfield, Kansas Marcos; two sisters, Mrs. Louvinia Ctty, Missouri.

Salesmen Wanted

300 families in South Runnels was in charge of arrangements. County. Reliable hustler should make good earnings at start and Henry Franklin Jenkins, 57, died Mrs. Orville Rose has been quite Hughes, won second. this year. Write today, Rawleigh's, last Thursday evening at 8:30 Dept. TXD-39-AS, Memphis, following critical illness of one Tean, or see Chas Adami, Win- week's duration. He had been in

decorated. 301 Twelfth Street. death.

castly new. Phone 136 or 1202. Jenkins, a sister, Mrs. J. C. Kelt- to five years before it is sufficiently call up a friend, will you?"

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DEATHS

Mrs. Emma Snell

Mrs. Emma Snell, 68, died at the Halley & Love Sanitarium Tuesday FOR SALE-253-acre farm on evening at 10:30 after being grew weaker until death occurred.

Gonzales. Her husband died and about. FOR SALE-First year Qualla services of the church until her recover soon. health began to fail a few years

> 30-3t- the Ballinger Baptist Church week in the Halley & Love Sani-Wednesday afternoon, the pastor, tarium, was much better today Rev. Clarence A. Morton, officiat- and given a good chance for ing. Interment was made beside recovery. He was operated on for her husband in Evergreen Ceme- gall stones.

Survivors include a son, Charlie Roy Anderson, who was operated BOOK WANTED Will pay \$12.50 Snell, of Lubbock; two daughters, on at the Halley & Love Sani-30-2t Ellis, Nixon, and Mrs. Alice Evans.

Stobaugh, A. J. Thorp and H. W. appendix. Lynn. Men Wanted for Rawleigh Routes Agnew-Wright Funeral Home

Henry Franklin Jenkins

sidly. Sales way up at the Halley & Love Sanitarium ill with the flu.

23-tf Survivors besides the wife include to year depending on the weather three sons. Duana, David and and the age of the bushes. The FOR SALE Gas range, practi- Paul Jenkins; a daughter, Gloria The oil has to be stored from three 23-tf ner, McGregor; an uncle, W. J. matured for use in the perfumery Young, Crews; and an aunt, Mrs. and other trades.

A E. Kemp, four miles south of Funeral services were held at Ballinger on Olfen road. 23-3t-* the residence, 508 Fourth Street. Friday afternoon, Rev. Wallace FOR SALE-or lease: 340 acre Jones officiating. Interment was

23-2t-* Pallbearers were: Wreath Jones. ____ Jess Jones, R. E. Lane, A. B. Sto-FOR RENT-Two room apart- baugh, A. J. Thorp, Charles Thorp, ment and several bedrooms. Alden Thorp and Drury P. Hatha-

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WITH THE SICK

9-4t from Mt. Pleasant, where he had been to visit his father, who is critically ill. Mrs. King accom-Por quality, uniformity and highest panied him as far as Mineola. where she became ill and remained in a hospital until Monday. She State Certified Sorghum Seed returned with Mr. King and has 16-3t- been confined to her home with influenza ever since.

castle, horses, sheep, or what have back on duty at the Higginbotham you. We seil bills of sale. Ballin-store today after illness lasting more than a week.

Texas, \$1.85 per bushel. See J. No church services. No Sunday Whit Patterson. On sale at schools. No stated meeting for O'Kelly Grocery. 9-4t prayer? Isolated Christian SORE-THROAT, TONSILITIS! believers denied these spiritual privileges are invited to accept

Tom Sharkey Weightlifter in Pageant



Tom Sharkey, famous veteran of the prize fight ring, is now appear ing in the Cavalcade of the West pageant at the Golden Gate International exposition in San Francisco. At the end of his scene, Sharkey, appearing as a weight lifter, tucks his "600 pound" dumbbell under his arm and leaps off the stage with an agility belying his 66 years.

Ballinger, Winters and Norton Leading in Meet

on Fourth Street to the hospital monia. She was taken to the nels county interscholastic league Reese's children, who are ill with Sunday afternoon but gradually Halley & Love Sanitarium Satur- meet to date, with tennis and play- pneumonia. Mrs. Reese remained day and sulfapyridine treatment ground ball yet to be played, are in Stephenville several days. Decedent had resided in Ballin- applied. She was clear of fever as follows: today and expected to soon be up

Herman Carlton, pneumonia it and a faithful Christian since patient, is improving rapidly at early girlhood. She attended all the local hospital and expected to

George Dean, who has been at Funeral services were held at the point of death for the past

R. L. Allen, manager of the San Marcos; and a granddaughter, Modern Way Grocery, was dis-released this (Thursday) morning FOR SALE-Mesquite cord wood Mary Ann Stephenson, Lubbock. missed from the hospital this by Supt. E. D. Stringer, of Winat E. O. Lange farm near Blan- Pallbearers were Tom Agnew, C. morning. He was operated on ters, director-general of the meet. 30-3t-* R. Stone, R. W. Earnshaw, A. B. three weeks ago for a ruptured In literary events Ballinger

> Mrs. James Lee and baby were today and taken to their home.

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4t-31-A 7-14-21 ill health for some time but his perfumes the world over and enor-

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Norton	72
Wingate	39
Rowena	30
Content	27
	and the same of th

The above standings were students won the following places in the class A division:

In debate, the boys' team, comdismissed from the sanitarium posed of Lynn Mullins and Marvin Lisso, won first. The girls' team, Mary Edith Herring and L.

John Archer took first place in extemporaneous speaking: Mary Jo Webb, first in ready writing Ann Kiechle and E. Rudder, first in speling; Ballinger cast, first in mous quantities of the dried flowers | the one-act play contest; Quentin condition was not considered are used annually to make the per- White, third in typewriting; Bal-FOR RENT Bedrooms, newly serious until a few days before fume and other lavender products. linger volley ball team, first. The The yield of oil varies from year Ballinger junior high school choral club won first place in its division.

"Hello, pal, lend me a nickel to "Here's a dime; call up all your friends."



COOPERS BUY DAY

buy the Edwin Day residence on household goods to Del Rio. Broadway. The sale was made by McCarver & Lynn and is the last previously been sold.

several vacant lots, the Day gin, visiting Bobby Hartgrove and week-end in the home of Mr. and a farm near Ballinger had Francis Pearce, students of Brown's mother, Mrs. T. P. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper have been Holt and Joan plan to return McCamey Sunday to visit several operating a boarding house in the home next week. Day home for several years.

SON TO GRAVES

Mr. and Mrs. George Graves, of Waco, are entertaining a young son, born to them Monday. Mrs. Graves and the baby are both doing nicely. Mrs. Graves is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Shepperd, of Ballinger.

SINGING SLATED HERE SUNDAY

Churches of Christ singers in Runnels county will meet in Ballinger Sunday afternoon. The convention will be held at the Ninth Street Church of Christ and the program is to begin at 2:30. The public is cordially invited to

J. A. Reese returned Sunday night from Stephenville, where he and Mrs. Reese went to the bed-30-3t and she was moved from her home improved after an attack of pneu- Official standings in the Run- side of Mr. and Mrs. Burton

> Rev. and Mrs. Clarence A. Morton returned Thursday from Hamilton, where Rev. Morton conducted a funeral.

Mrs. Jack Holt and daughter, of the Day estate to be disposed Joan, left Tuesday for Alton, of. A house on Sixth Street, Illinois, to spend several days McCamey, were guests over the Western Military Academy. Mrs. The latter accompanied them to

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Strebeck and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boynton HOUSE ON BROADWAY family moved Saturday to Del and daughter, Marilyn, of Mid-Rio, where Mr. Strebeck is mana- land; and Mrs. Leonard Mauldin ger of a wholesale oil company and daughter, Nancy, of San which Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cooper station. Tom Marsh trucked their Angelo, visited Mrs. E. R. Walker and other relatives here the past week-end.

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