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Legion Breakfast Draws Ex-Soldiers Saturday Morning

The annual breakfast for members of the American Legion here Saturday morning was a decided success and was attended by practically the entire post. The affair was held at the E. M. Lynn and H. T. Forson "shacks" near the Ballinger Country Club lake. Special guests included J. A. Williams, "father" of the local post; Ed Riedel, of San Angelo; and M. J. Benefield, of Brady.

The men assembled at 6 a. m. and war-time songs were sung before the "chow" hour. Former soldiers swapped yarns until breakfast, prepared by the elected cook, Joe Forman, was on the table. The men enjoyed hot biscuits, country sausage, bacon, eggs, jelly and other eats with doughnuts "dunked" in coffee for dessert.

After breakfast the men lingered until after 11 o'clock to enjoy themselves, army style, and each left saying the affair was the high spot of the year for them and that they would look forward to next year's meeting. An offering was made to defray the expenses of the breakfast in 1940 and each "buddy" shook hands with the other and expressed the hope that they were all present another year.

At 11 o'clock, the hour the armistice was signed, those who died in the service of the country were remembered and a special tribute was paid to Lee Hamilton, a member of the Ballinger post who died at Alpine a few days before and was buried at Harlingen Saturday afternoon.

LOCAL MEN VISIT SONORA LIONS CLUB

R. J. Hawk and E. C. Grindstaff attended a meeting of the Sonora Lions Club Tuesday. Mr. Hawk as deputy governor for this district was making one of his regular calls and Mr. Grindstaff was the guest speaker for the program. His address was on "Qualities for a Good Lion" in which he pointed out the necessary qualifications for a good member of any club.

The Sonora club is one of the oldest Lions clubs in this zone and for many years has an active organization has been maintained.

Buddy Penn, who is attending North Texas Agricultural College, Arlington, was a week-end visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moss attended the A. & M.-S. M. U. football game at Bryan Armistice day.

Billy Jack May, student of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, spent the Armistice holidays here, visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. May.

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Red Cross Workers Launch Roll Call Here This Morning

A large number of Red Cross workers launched the annual roll call here this morning and were meeting with success in the first day of solicitation for 1940 memberships. In Ballinger there were nine teams of two each working in different sections of the city and will continue until every person has been given an opportunity to join.

The drive also got underway in all other communities of the county and Mrs. Tom Agnew, roll call chairman, expects much of the work to be completed by Saturday night. The committee next week will go back over the territory to get those missed in the first canvass.

Solicitors are asking all members to wear their buttons several days in order to make solicitation easier.

The first membership in the Ballinger chapter was sold to John Gorman, salesman for the Southwestern Paper Company of Fort Worth. Mr. Gorman lives at Brownwood but has been a member of the Ballinger chapter for a number of years and secured his card and button last week while on a business trip here.

The national organization is making every possible plea for a million more members this year. Demands caused by war and conditions in the United States will make the work of the organization the heaviest since 1918. The Ballinger chapter hopes to turn in 500 memberships and in addition a number of larger donations for the local treasury. Officials here declare that calls are coming in fast now and they expect them to increase as winter nears.

OLFEN CELEBRATION BEING ADVERTISED

Advertising material is being distributed in this section for the Thanksgiving celebration to be held at Olfen on Sunday, November 26. The annual affair has been held on Thanksgiving day in previous years but was changed to the Sunday before Thanksgiving this year after November 23 was suggested as the observance date by the president but many places refused to change the holiday from the last Thursday in the month.

The main feature of the Olfen celebration will be the dinner served by the women of the community in the new amusement hall. Nothing will be spared to make the dinner as attractive as ever and turkey, country sausage, chicken and all the trimmings will be served.

In the afternoon an auction sale will be held and a dance will be the main entertainment at night. The women will also serve supper starting at 5 p. m.

Louis Ruhmann, student of North Texas Agricultural College, Arlington, was a week-end visitor here.

Dillard Adair, student of McMurry College, Abilene, was an Armistice holidays visitor here.

Mother Takes Witness Stand Before Dies Committee



Mrs. Dolie Crawford, left, of Frederick, Md. Mrs. Crawford's son, William McCuiston, was arrested recently in connection with a New Orleans murder, and the man who "tipped off" the police that her son could be apprehended made the boast to her, according to Mrs. Crawford.

Christmas Program Assured With Funds Raised by Firms

Methodists Expect New Appointment For Local Church

Rev. E. D. Landreth, for the past year pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ballinger, left Tuesday for Lubbock to attend sessions of the Methodist West Texas conference, to which he was transferred at Fort Worth last week. The change of ministers here came as a surprise to the local membership.

In a statement to the official board in session Monday night, Rev. Landreth stated that he had asked Bishop Ivan Lee Holt for a transfer. He gave reasons of wanting to return to the conference in which he had served for many years and prospects of going to a church where he had formerly been scheduled to be appointed.

Last Sunday Rev. W. C. Clements, of Dallas, was named pastor of the Ballinger church. Monday night a reduction in salary was voted by the board and Presiding Elder S. W. Williams, of Brownwood, was notified by telephone of the action.

Tuesday night officials of the local church received a message that Rev. Landreth would be appointed to serve here another year. This message came from Bishop Holt, who is holding sessions of the West Texas conference at Lubbock. A committee was selected by the local church Wednesday afternoon to go to Lubbock and confer with the bishop in the matter and has not returned.

Senior High School Students Will Get Skin Tests for T.B.

Tuberculosis skin testing will begin in the Ballinger senior high school next Tuesday. Plans have been perfected by the county health nurse, Miss Sarah Harwell, local physicians and school officials and it is intended that every student attending the high school receive the examinations.

Tuberculin will be available at the drug stores at ten cents a "shot," and students are expected to secure the serum and take it to their family physicians to be administered. The doctors will cooperate in the movement by remaining in their offices from 3 to 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon to meet the students as they come.

Miss Harwell stated that if there were any children who could not afford to buy the tuberculin or pay for the services of a doctor to administer it, arrangements would be made for them to get the test.

Tomorrow (Friday) Mrs. E. Gayer, chairman of the Tom Green County Tuberculosis will bring films to Ballinger and present them in the junior high school at 10:30 a. m. and at the senior high school at 11:30 a. m. The film was prepared by the national tuberculosis association and is entitled "Let Our People Live."

The Miles school is planning a skin testing campaign in the near future, as soon as the details can be worked out.

Miss Harwell said Tuesday it had been reported to her that the 35 students in Dale school No. 1 had all received tuberculosis tests and all showed negative. This means there are no active cases in this school.

Parents of pupils in the Ballinger senior high school are urged to see that their children report to the family doctor for the skin testing Tuesday afternoon.

More than fifty local men and women were working this week to perfect the Christmas programs planned in Ballinger during December. Every phase of the work is progressing smoothly and every part of the program was assured this week when the finance committee met with excellent response in the drive for funds to take care of the expenses.

Practically every merchant in the city signed a contract blank to participate in the show window contest on December 1, and to provide gifts in his windows for those who come to view them. In all several hundred gifts will be given away and many eye-popping windows, ablaze with colored lights, will be decorated, all showing gifts for the Yule season.

The parade committee began its rounds this week and met with success in securing the main entries for the parade which will be presented on December 16, at 11 o'clock. All local civic groups have been asked to take part and most of them have agreed. Hundreds of kiddies, with decorated toys, will be in the procession and this section will be one of the most elaborate ever seen in Ballinger. A number of business houses are also sponsoring entries of youngsters in this parade.

The decoration committee will string more colored lights than ever used in Ballinger before. All the streamers are being repaired, more drops added and numerous additional streamers built so that they can be set closer together and also more area covered. Broadway will be included in the decorations this year and a section of the court house lawn covered with vari-colored incandescents. Store managers will be urged to do special decorations to tie in with the street displays.

Another committee has started work to obtain cooperation in decorating yards and homes. Three divisions will be included in this contest, two-story residences, one-story residences and apartments. The decorations can be set up in the yards, on the roofs or in windows that will show at the street. Miss Alida Macune is chairman of this committee and has the help of the Business and Professional Women's Club.

All necessary material has been secured for the broadcasting booth and loudspeakers are to be installed on the downtown streets for a one-hour program each afternoon, from 5 to 6 o'clock. The speakers will be placed so that the sound will overlap and can be heard from any spot in the business district. In addition to the late afternoon programs, several rural communities will be asked to present special programs at other hours.

A massed concert by the band and singers of the city is being arranged, but the date for this has not been defined yet. Church groups are planning programs for December 17 and the massed concert will be presented when it does not interfere with these affairs.

Mrs. E. M. Critz, of Coleman, was in Ballinger Wednesday, visiting and attending to business.

Splendid Reports Heard At Firemen's Banquet

Armistice is Theme Of Special Sermon By Baptist Pastor

The Ballinger Baptist Church auditorium was filled to capacity Sunday morning to hear Rev. Clarence A. Morton, pastor, deliver an Armistice Day sermon and to enjoy other features of the special program. In the audience were a number of gold star mothers and fathers and a large number of ex-service men of the World War.

The choir rendered special music in keeping with Armistice, singing "Lest We Forget" as a special number.

Rev. Morton, a World War veteran himself, combined a great message with other features to make the service very impressive and beautiful. One veteran of the front lines said he felt as though he should have left the church without speaking to anyone at the conclusion of the service.

The speaker told of the six soldiers who were selected in one of the most unusual details ever called in the army and then the designation of the one who was instructed to enter a small chapel in France and place a bouquet of red roses on one of four caskets, each covered with a U. S. flag. The roses were finally placed on casket No. 2 and this became the "unknown soldier" who was returned to America and buried in Arlington Cemetery, Washington.

Rev. Morton urged citizens to realize the peace we have and to strive to make it permanent in this nation. At a given point in his message the organist began the national anthem and the congregation stood at salute to "Old Glory" arranged behind the speaker's rostrum. The benediction and a prayer for peace followed by taps, played somewhere in the rear of the auditorium.

BUSINESS EXPERIENCES TOLD AT ROTARY PROGRAM

The Ballinger Rotary Club enjoyed an unusual program Tuesday in which a large number participated. Scheduled as an entertainment program, members were called on to relate their most unusual business deal or sale.

Incidents related brought laughter as they were presented and some might have been listed under the head of "embarrassing moments."

President F. M. Pearce presented the name of Ben Denny, manager of Walker-Smith Co., for membership in the club and he was elected.

Ten members of the San Angelo club were present to make up attendance.

INDEPENDENCE P.-T. A. HEARS HEALTH TALKS

Mrs. Ed Jansen, of Miles, and Miss Sarah Harwell, county health nurse, were present at a well-attended meeting of the Independence Parent-Teacher Association Tuesday night. Mrs. Jansen spoke on "The Value of a Parent-Teacher Association to Any Community" and Miss Harwell's subject was "The Plan of Tuberculosis Skin Testing in the County."

The Independence P.-T. A. is doing splendid work in connection with the school this year.

H. J. Zappe returned the first part of the week from San Antonio to look after business. Mrs. Zappe and Mrs. R. T. Trail will remain in San Antonio for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Roesler and daughter, Miss Roxie Roesler, of New Braunfels, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sommer and with friends and relatives here the past week-end.

The annual banquet of the Ballinger fire department was held at the fire station Thursday evening, about 200 people attending. It was declared one of the best meetings ever held by the organization and one of the best reports in the history of the group was made.

E. M. Lynn was toastmaster for the occasion and presided over a splendid program which was presented during the evening. A committee of women served a full turkey menu with all the trimmings as the first item on the program.

Chester Cape, president, took the chair for the business session and reports were heard from retiring committees and from the auditing group. Chief Chester Cherry made the main report, commenting on work done by the local department as well as legislation sought by the state committee. He began his talk with words of appreciation for the efforts of citizens here in electing him to the office of fourth vice-president of the state association.

Chief Cherry complimented Supt. Nat Williams for the cooperation of the schools in fire prevention and exhibited pictures of groups presenting this program at the local schools. At the conclusion of his talk the following appointments were announced:

Jim Hash, first assistant chief
Geo. McMillan, second assistant chief
E. A. Miller, third assistant chief
D. G. Posey, driver, truck No. 1
O. K. Morgan, driver, truck No. 2
Fate Parker, driver, truck No. 3

The following captains were named:

D. G. Posey, pumper
Jim Hash, hose
K. V. Northington, first aid
E. A. Miller, salvage
Wix Currie, Jr., ladders
Fate Parker, chemical
W. T. McQuary, gas masks
Herman Hulsey, tools
T. A. Milam, ventilation
Chief Cherry, instructor
Lee Moreland, fire marshal.

Committees appointed are:

Finance—T. A. Milam, J. A. Weeks, J. C. Sturges, Jr.
Refreshments—Mmes. D. G. Posey, K. V. Northington, M. H. Morgan
Entertainment—W. C. Redwine, Mrs. J. A. Weeks, Wix Currie, Jr.
Decorations—Mmes. George Clements, W. C. Redwine, J. C. Sturges, Jr.
Flowers—Mmes. Posey, Northington, Chester Cherry
Dish Washers—Chester Afflerbach, T. A. Milam, Bill Bell, John Parker
Publicity—D. G. Posey, Troy Simpson.

Program numbers included a reading by Gwendolyn Morgan, the department's sponsor; a piano selection by Wilbur Redwine, Jr., the department's mascot; a guitar solo by Bobbie Neely, and music by the American Legion orchestra.

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ST. BONIFACE COUNCIL IN REGULAR MEETING

Regular meeting of St. Boniface Council No. 2772, Knights of Columbus, was held Tuesday night of this week. The meeting was called to order at 8 p. m. by the grand knight, J. J. Hoelscher.

There were thirty members present. Erwin Halfmann was reported on the sick list.

The council decided to buy a bale of cotton at the annual bazaar in Olfen. Under the good of the order, Martin Maas described the trip to Taylor to attend the initiation. Short readings were given by J. J. Hoelscher and the Rev. G. A. Boeckman.

The attendance prize was won by F. F. Hoelscher. Cards with the prayers for peace and for the Holy Father were distributed to the members.

Mrs. A. J. Abbott, of San Angelo, was a guest yesterday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Padgett.

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

Travel Banquet for Junior Woman's Club

The travel motif, which has provided the year's study theme for the Junior Woman's Club, was given artistic emphasis on Thursday evening of last week when the club gave a banquet for guests at the Central Hotel.

Four tables were arranged in the banquet room as stopping points on the airplane tour for which a clever script was written by Miss Pauline Morley in rhyme.

A silver stream-lined Pan-American clipper hung over the Ballinger High School football stadium, which, in miniature, formed the centerpiece for the first table. Tiny people were seated on bleachers around the grass-covered Bearcat Field with red and black wrapped goal posts. Favors were small footballs and helmets. The hostesses, Mrs. J. D. Forman, Mrs. A. B. Fields and Mrs. Ernest Moody wore band and pep squad uniforms.

The Florida resort city, Miami, was suggested at the second table. A fish net cloth over blue was centered with a big white ship flower holder filled with all white blossoms, sailing on blue cellophane waves. Palm trees were placed at each end. Here, Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff and Mrs. H. G. Agnew were hostesses and favors were tiny row boats with oars made of cocconut shells.

At the Mexico table, Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly and Mrs. Roy Miller, hostesses, wore beautiful Spanish shawls and lace mantillas. At the background were colorful serapes and Mexican flags. A rather authentic replica of a Mexican bullfight together with rose charms and simulated tamale favors, completed the table adornment.

A native village scene in Brazil was attractively arranged by Mrs. Mike Wright, Mrs. W. E. Moss and Mrs. Gurthall Gilligan for the last table. Tiny coffee cups and saucers holding grains of coffee were individual favors.

Mrs. Moss, program chairman, presented Mrs. J. A. Killough, the club president, who presided over the formal program, which consisted of a cornet solo by John A. Killough with Mrs. L. Schermerhorn accompanist, a vocal solo "Juanita" by Mrs. Layne Moreland, accompanied by Miss Carmen Demmer, and a Mexican costume dance by Miss Julia Rede and Gerardo Saenz.

The delectable turkey dinner was served in three courses to Dr. and Mrs. J. Dexter Eoff, Messrs. and Mmes. Forman, Killough, Moody, Thomas B. Hill, Moss, O'Kelly, Miller, J. M. Williams, Grindstaff, Agnew, Gurthall Gilligan, A. B. Fields, Wright, Mmes. Schermerhorn, John Bar-

Red Cross Worker



Helen Keller, famous blind scholar and lecturer, has her new Red Cross bonnet adjusted by nine-year-old Betty Lou Morris. Miss Keller added to her other activities by joining the organization at the roll call workers' rally held in Philadelphia.

ton, Fred Kiechle, F. C. Miller, J. H. Endacott, C. A. Glover, Moreland, Myra Smith, LeRoy McAuley, Dee Saylor, Misses Eugenia Baskin, Demmer, Iola Clayton, Elouise Jones, Elizabeth Hoffman, Mary Jane Kiechle, Morley, Edna Taylor, Cathryn O'Neal, and Maurine Tipton.

Act Three of Play Studied

Act Three of Shakespeare's play Henry IV, was the topic of study for the Shakespeare Club last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. J. B. Striplin was leader and gave the assignment synopsis. Mrs. Horace Murphy discussed the idea of honor of Percy, Hal, Falstaff and Henry, and Mrs. E. H. Forgy gave a paper on feudalism.

Mrs. B. C. Kirk was assisted in presenting a parliamentary drill by Mrs. T. J. McCaughan, Mrs. Jack Rudd, Mrs. Claude Collins, Mrs. O. T. Toney, Mrs. Tom Agnew and Mrs. Forgy.

Tentative plans were made for a late November presentation of the A Cappella Choir from North Texas State Teachers' College at Denton. Mrs. R. T. Williams, president, announced that copies of the constitution would be sold to members at ten cents.

Mrs. W. L. Brown of Austin was a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sturges, Jr.

Entertain Club
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sturges, Jr. were hosts to their supper club last Thursday evening in their home on Eleventh Street.

A large crystal apple filled with fruit, which centered the dining table, laid in bright blue Mexican linen, was flanked by red tapers. The Mexican supper was served buffet style. Places were marked at foursome tables by Mexican tallies and small centerpieces were bright pots of zinnias. Mexican pecan pralines were served during games, with Miss Louise Batta and Felton Wright winning high score prizes and Mrs. Claude Collins the bingo trophy.

Included were: Messrs. and Mmes. Wright, Collins, P. A. Cobden, J. G. Tuckey, George Stowe, Mrs. Wesley Love of Sierra Blanca, and Miss Batta.

Austin Visitor is Honoree

Mrs. W. L. Brown of Austin, a former Ballinger resident, was

guest of honor at a delightfully informal all-day affair given last Thursday by Mrs. J. G. Douglass in her home on Broadway. Luncheon was served at the noon hour to eight of her closest friends.

Ford Taylors Are Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Taylor were hosts last Friday evening to members of an afternoon bridge club with husbands as added guests in their attractive new home on Eighth Street.

Chrysanthemums and roses decked rooms where Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woody received high individual score prizes in contract games.

Included were: Messrs. and Mmes. George Golightly of San Angelo, Jack Rudd, Woody, J. C. Sturges, Jr., Leonard Stallings, Loyd Herring, and Dr. and Mrs. Oren Chandler.

Mrs. Moss Gives Mexican Luncheon for Club

Only club members were included by Mrs. W. E. Moss last Friday when she gave a Mexican luncheon in her home on Fifth Street.

Red chrysanthemums and cactus plants gave added charm to rooms where Mexican figures adorned all game and table appointments. The luncheon menu was served in three courses.

Awards for high and low scores went to Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff and Mrs. Edward Sommer and table cuts went to Mrs. H. G. Agnew and Mrs. Royal Bishop. Others included Mrs. J. D. Forman, Mrs. Roy Miller, Mrs. Mike Wright and Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly.

First Presbyterian Circles Study Evangelism

The three circles of the First Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary met in the homes of Mrs. J. Y. Pearce, Mrs. Grace Thomas and Mrs. E. A. Saunders Monday afternoon.

For Circle One, of which Mrs. Frank Pearce is chairman, Mrs. M. E. Boggess gave the devotional; Mrs. Lela McAdams read a paper on "What Calvinism Has Given the World"; and Mrs. C. R. Stephens gave a comprehensive discussion of the "Presbyterian Evangelistic Crusade."

Mrs. P. A. Cobden, Circle Two chairman, gave the devotional which was followed by a discussion of the "Evangelistic Crusade" by Mrs. Tommie Hall.

Mrs. Victor Miller is Circle Three chairman and directed the program with the devotional being given by Mrs. Paul Trimmer and the evangelistic discussions by Mrs. Leonard Stallings and Mrs. Saunders.

Hostesses served delicious refreshments to 25 members.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Harber Celebrate 17th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Harber celebrated their seventeenth wedding anniversary in their Abilene home Sunday, including family members as guests at a delightfully informal all-day affair. Sharing honors was Miss Annie Kirkpatrick, whose birthday anniversary was recognized.

Present besides Mr. and Mrs. Harber and children, Curtis, Jr., and Dorothy, were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wellhausen and Sam Wellhausen and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Harber of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Harber and daughters, Alma and Ruda May; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harber, Charles and Willine; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Harber, Leonard, Perrie Frances, Hollyce and Robert Louis; E. T. Harber, Edie Faye, Maurice and Talka Florence; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Danley and Johnnie; Willadene Baker, Mrs. Lock of Austin, Enid Bauch and Miss Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. Frank Pearce Entertains Club
Mrs. Frank Pearce was hostess to her contract club today (Thursday) with a dessert luncheon in her home on Eighth Street.

Rooms were decorated with beautiful chrysanthemums and, in art, these same blooms adorned place cards, which later served as tallies.

Games followed the dessert course served with salted nuts and coffee.

Included were: Mmes. J. Y. Pearce, Bruce Creasy, George Holman, Estes Lynn, Victor Miller, Harry Lynn, Alex McGregor, Paul Trimmer, R. G. Erwin, Malcolm McGregor, Arthur Giesecke, Claude Stone, and Miss Winnie Trail.

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Roast	Rib or Brisket lb.	12½c
Jowls	Dry Salt lb.	9c

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Tomatoes 6 No. 1 Cans 25c | 4 No. 2 Cans 25c

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Gold Dust	Giant Size	18c			
Matches	Carton	15c			
Catsup	California Exquisite	14-oz. Bottle	10c		

Shortening Swift's 4 lbs. 36c | Jewel 8 lbs. 75c

Cranberry Sauce 17-oz. 2 Cans 25c | Oat Meal Crystal Wedding Lg. 19c

Coffee Plymouth 2 lbs. 27c | Mustard Plymouth Full Pint 9c

GOOD LUCK MARGARINE Pound 21c | Acme 48 lbs. Flour \$1.39 | Sonny Boy 48 lbs. Flour \$1.09

Apricots Dried 2 lbs. 35c | Apples Dried 2 lbs. 25c

Perfect Pintos 5 lbs. 25c

Prunes 2 lbs. 13c | Peas Excelo No. 2 2 for 15c | Oleo 1 lb. 2 for 25c

Sugar Pure Cane 10 lbs. 53c

Vanilla Wafers lb. Cello 10c | Peaches No. 2½ Can 10c

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Women's Society and Club News

Denton a Cappella Choir to Appear in Concert Here

The Denton a Cappella Choir of the North Texas State Teachers College will be presented in concert at the Ballinger High School Auditorium Wednesday, November 29, under the auspices of the Shakespeare and Music Clubs. A charge of fifty cents will be made for all adults and twenty-five cents for all students.

This organization was founded in 1938 by its present conductor, Wilfred C. Bain, A. B. B. Mus., A. M., E. D. D., head of the music department. He is a former member of the famous Westminster Choir and a graduate of the Choir School at Princeton, New Jersey. For seven years Dr. Bain was conductor of the Houghton College Choir, the outstanding a cappella choir of the East.

Forty-five superior singers chosen in open competition from the

student body of 2,500 comprise this outstanding choir.

The secret of the Choir's success lies in the rigid discipline that the conductor imposes during the many hours of rehearsal and in the intense concentration during the performance itself. The music is presented completely unaccompanied, and at no time during the performance is any instrument used, either for accompaniment or for securing the starting pitch.

It requires a guarantee of \$50.00 to secure this group for a concert and the two sponsor clubs do not expect to receive any remuneration for their efforts. They are presenting it as an outstanding musical and cultural organization.

Mrs. W. R. Murphy, Jr., Entertains Sew and Chat Club

The rural home of Mrs. W. R. Murphy, Jr., was the scene of the Sew and Chat Club meeting on

to Sew Gay Pals Tuesday afternoon in her home on Tenth Street.

Mixed autumn blossoms decked last Thursday afternoon.

Pal gifts were exchanged and a salad course with coffee was served to: Mmes. M. A. Foy, Ross Causey, Henry Moody, J. E. Allbright, Gurthall Gilligan, Leon Russell; and Mrs. Fred McKay, a new member.

Mrs. Gibson Hostess to Sewing Club

Mrs. Halley Gibson was hostess rooms where Xmas plans were made as handwork was done.

Sandwiches and cookies were served with coffee to: Mmes. W. J. Rogers, a visitor; Albert Morgan, Frank Cameron, Jack Bridwell, Malcolm Morgan, R. W. Balke, G. R. Howell, Stanley Price, Clyde Gabbert, and Miss Mildred

'Now, Here's the Way It Appears to Me'



It must have been a matter of grave consequence judging from the facial expression of Rep. Luther A. Johnson of Texas, right, who whippers into the car of Rep. James A. Shanley of Connecticut. Johnson probably wears a happier look now, for the arms embargo repeal, which he backed, was adopted. Shanley advocated retention of existing embargo legislation.

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W. L. McAdams is Honor Guest

To honor her husband on his birthday anniversary, Mrs. W. L. McAdams entertained a few friends last week in her home in South Ballinger.

A wealth of fall blossoms gave floral decoration to rooms where games of forty-two gave diversion. Mrs. Joe M. Thomas and L. M. Lovelace received awards for most games won.

A salad plate with coffee was served to: Messrs and Mmes. Allen Hamilton, George McMillan, Jack Nixon, Sr., Thomas Lovelace, O. R. O'Neill, D. G. Posey and

Betty Lovelace.

Dinner for Humble Employees

Employees of the Humble Oil Co. who live in Ballinger were hosts to those who live at the Booster Station Monday evening with a Thanksgiving dinner at the City Hall.

The auditorium was elaborately decorated with autumn leaves and chrysanthemums. The large table was laid in lace and centered with a lovely berry tree on a reflector surrounded by trailers of ivory and clusters of pyroantha berries. Small tables were covered with Denison Thanksgiving covers and centerpieces were small

McKay-Cox Nuptials Saturday

Miss Addie Ruth Cox, of Benoit, and Fred McKay were quietly married last Saturday morning at eleven o'clock by the Rev. Marco Perdue, pastor of the Grape Creek Baptist Church at Grape Creek.

The bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cox, Miss Frances Smith and Alva Davis witnessed the single ring ceremony.

Both bride and bridegroom are 1939 graduates of the Ballinger High School. Mr. McKay is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John McKay. The young couple is at home at the Cordell home on Thirteenth Street. Mr. McKay is an employee of the Safeway Store here.

papier-mache turkeys.

Appointments for games of bridge and forty-two, which followed the delectable three-course dinner, also stressed the Turkey Day motif. Table cuts were the turkey centerpieces.

Included were: Messrs. and Mmes. W. A. Gee, L. J. Byers, J. H. Endacott, Noble Touchstone, Buck Henson, Fred Farmer, Ed Jones, Downey Simpson, France Jones, Bob Sutphen, J. E. Allbright, L. W. Balke, Nolan Holt, Dick Johnson, G. R. Touchstone, Theo Bell, Bill Campbell, J. C. Wilson; Misses Virginia and Marie Thomas, Mrs. Viola Whittington, George Scruggs and Thomas Gee.

Delphians Continue Study of Drama

In its regular bi-monthly meeting in the Sixth Street home of Mrs. Chester Cherry Tuesday afternoon, the Alpha Mu Delphian Chapter continued its study of the drama.

Mrs. W. B. Halley, program leader, gave a preliminary survey of Shakespeare and his fellow dramatists; Miss Florence Westbrook's topic was Beaumont's and Fletcher's "Philaster" and Mrs. R. T. Williams was "The Maid's Tragedy."

T. E. L. Executive Committee

Mrs. T. A. Rape, teacher of the Baptist T. E. L. Class, was hostess to executive committee members Tuesday evening in her home on Phillips Avenue.

Following an hour spent in plans for Christmas festivities and for cheering shut-ins, coffee was served with wafers to: Mmes. Ed Jones, F. W. Wellhausen, A. M. King, W. A. Nance, T. J. McCaughan, A. S. Love, John McKay, E. L. DeWitt, L. E. Bair and Henry Doherty.

Ballinger Teachers Hear Martini Concert

Misses Eugenia Baskin, Carmen Demmer and Iola Clayton attended the Nino Martini concert in San Angelo Monday evening.

This is the first in the series sponsored by the West Texas Concert Association.

LUXURY TOMB AWAITS DEATH OF ITS OWNER

CAIRO, Nov. 15.—Final touches have been put on the luxury tomb near Cairo of Zaki Okasha, wealthy nephew of Egypt's richest banker, and he apparently is satisfied that there is nothing more to add. He is still living in it, enjoying his suite of luxurious rooms, with their costly furniture, two bathrooms, refrigerator, generating plant for electric lighting, and telephones.

Although in perfect health, Zaki spends much of his time there, declaring the calm atmosphere suits his artistic temperament. It cost him \$150,000 and is declared to be the most elaborate tomb in the world.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fred Atwell, of Red Bank, New Jersey; and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Baechlin, of Philadelphia, spent last week here, visiting in the home of Mr. Atwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atwell.

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BALLINGER SCHOOL NEWS

Armistice Program Presented
A play, "Armistice," written by Troy Simpson and Ernest Sublett, was presented by the Cue and Curtain Club in Friday assembly.

The play opened with a trench scene somewhere in France in 1918. These soldiers were preparing to go on a raiding party: Captain Smith, Guy Lively, Corporal Henderson, Winfred Campbell, Sergeant Costello, Joe Coleman, Private Harold, L. J. Byers, Private Hamilton.

Rommie Terrell. The second scene was the home of Sergeant Costello in 1939, where a group of "buddies" were having dinner together. The characters in this scene were the same as those in the first scene with the exception of Corporal Henderson, who had been killed in action, and with the addition of: Mrs. Costello, Ella Witter, Dorothy Costello.

Rosemary Hooper, Jack Hamilton, Bill Sykes. As the veterans spoke reminiscences of the past and expressed hopes of peace for the future, silhouetted examples were seen through a gauze backdrop. Those in these scenes were: A French girl, Maurine Duncan, The dead, Quentin White, Winfred

Campbell, and Bill Sykes. Future soldiers: Alvin Bell, Corbett Davis, and John Archer. Wives and sweethearts: Winnie Merle Adair, Jeanne Endacott, and Orenta Skelton. Mothers: Faye Brunson, Jane Looney, and Frances Behrend.

At the conclusion of the play there was a short pep rally. The pep squad leaders led the student body in a number of yells and songs. Superintendent Nat Williams then called on Troy Simpson, who urged all to be true Americans and work against the rise of isms in the United States. He then asked for a fighting spirit on the football field at Coleman. Superintendent Williams then expressed the hope that the students would think straight and act straight that they might help prevent war, and that those who died in the World War might not have died in vain. He then said that right on the football field would decide the test between Doug Cox and Billy McMurray. He urged the team to fight for Cox, to get him through the line, and keep McMurray behind it.

Cue and Curtain Club
In the supporting cast of "The First Year" four parts have been cast. Maurine Duncan, a new member in the club, is to be Hattie, the negro girl; Ella Witter, also a new member, is to be Mrs.

Livingston, the bride's mother; Joe Coleman, an old trouper, is to be Mr. Livingston; and Margaret Collins is to be Mrs. Barstow, a friend. The two remaining parts are to be cast soon.

Senior Personalities
Douglas Cox, the outstanding athlete in high school, is also the president of the band and a big butter-and-egg man on Saturday. He has lettered in basketball one year, and has been very successful in track, but his heart is in football. This year he will have three stripes on his Bearcat jacket. Football is his hobby and his ambition; college, wherever he goes, means only football. May he be successful!

L. J. (Pinky) Byers is just a red-headed iceman in the summer, but during the football season he's a pass-snatching end. He plays basketball, and goes in for running, jumping, and throwing. He is president of the Cue and Curtain Club and one of its chief comedians. He would like very much to go to Texas A. & M. and after that, well—he would like to be a rancher.

Vera Mae Winans is president of the pep squad, and has been a loyal Bearcat supporter and a "pepper" for her three high school years. She has won first place in tennis singles one year, and first in tennis doubles another year. She belongs to the choral club, and dancing is her favorite pastime. After she finishes high school, she plans to enter a nursing school.

The Ballinger High School student body was quite pleased at the showing made in Coleman Friday night. Not only was it proud of the team, but also of the pep squad, band, and fans, who stood in the rain to support their team. The only bad results were a few "sniffles."

Had anyone heard the cast of "The First Year" reading the second act, they would have undoubtedly thought they had hysteria. But they didn't; the play is that funny.

Spaghetti Consumption
Forty-five million Italians consumed more than 3,000,000,000 pounds of spaghetti in 1938, according to Agostino Agnesi, so-called spaghetti king of Italy. His factory turns out enough spaghetti every 48 hours to girdle the globe. Made solely of wheat flour, spaghetti has leaped into greater prominence in Italy than ham and eggs in America. Between 9,000 and 10,000 factories are turning out spaghetti at a mile-a-minute clip from the north to the south of Italy. Made of the hardest kneaded wheat, Italian spaghetti claims more vitamin E content than any other food. Italian food experts have given it more than 100 different designs, with gastronomic appeal second to none in Italy.

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'Somebody Please Throw That Man Out'



When the cameraman surprised Countess Barbara Hutton Hangwitz, left, and Bob Sweeney, her new heart interest, while dining in a New York hotel, their companion, Countess Dorothy DiFrasso, jumped to the rescue and threw her fur piece over "Bab's" face, remarking that the cameraman be thrown out. Sweeney was too busy ducking.

'Miracle Drug' Advanced In Fight on Influenza

The possibility that medical science at last has found a method of conquering influenza has been disclosed by the U. S. public health service.

The new "miracle drug" called sulfa-pyridine, already widely used in treating pneumonia, may come to be used as a preventive of the flu, according to Miss Margaret Pittman, associate bacteriologist at the National Institute of Health.

An eight-months old baby gave the clue to the sulfa-pyridine method of controlling the disease, said Miss Pittman in her report. The infant developed an inflammation of the eyes and ears and pneumonia. In addition to pneumonia germs, he had a heavy infection of the flu germs in his lungs, throat, eyes and ears.

Dr. J. H. McLeod, of Washington, who reported the case, administered sulfa-pyridine immediately. "Within 24 hours the child showed marked improvement, followed by a rapid and uneventful recovery," Miss Pittman said.

Such success led institute scientists to begin immediate experiments on mice. Their results were summarized in these statements: 1—Sulfa-pyridine was effective in protecting mice against experimental infections of non-type-specific hemophilus influenzae (the bacteria which causes influenza).

2—The drug did not keep the bacteria from entering the blood stream, but it apparently retarded their increase in the blood until the natural defense forces could overcome the germs. Two groups of mice were infected with the bacteria. One group received no sulfa-pyridine. The other group received varying amounts of it. All the untreated mice died promptly, and some of the treated group, the number which lived was directly proportional to the amount of the drug administered, Miss Pittman said.

None of those which received only one milligram of the drug survived the experiment. In some experiments in the series, 100 per cent of the mice which were given as much as eight milligrams came through alive. They apparently were not affected by doses of the germs 100 times greater than the amount ordinarily needed to kill them.

Espionage Provides Action in Film At Palace

Full-fledged entertainment, with a good share of wholesomeness, excitement and comedy is Republic's "Sabotage," to be shown at the Palace Theatre next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 19, 20 and 21.

"Sabotage" is a timely tale of espionage in a small town's airplane factory. Republic has built the drama around two sweethearts, Arleen Whelan and Gordon Oliver. Oliver is a mechanic in the factory; Arleen a show girl who comes to town and falls in love with him.

When Oliver is falsely accused of stealing the plans, Arleen and Charley Grapewin, Oliver's father, take the law into their own hands and break up the sabotage ring with the aid of Grapewin's veterans' home pals.

The antics of these veterans are hilarious, but when they get down to business the thrills come quickly. The film is guided carefully under Director Harold Young's skillful hand.

The cast offers splendid characterizations. Miss Whelan is as capable as she is beautiful. Grapewin is outstanding in his role, with Oliver, Don Douglas, Dorothy Peterson, Johnnie Russell, Lucien Littlefield and Horace MacMahon in supporting parts.

CLUB WOMEN WILL PRESENT BENEFIT PLAY NOVEMBER 28

The Business and Professional Women's Club has announced a benefit play to be presented by local talent at the high school auditorium on November 28. "Aaron Slick from Pumpkin Creek" is the title of the three-act comedy-drama to be presented by the club.

E. R. Sublett is directing the cast and has carefully selected a group of players which will provide good entertainment for those who avail themselves of tickets. In charge of the production stated that admissions of 15 and 25 cents would be charged. A sale of tickets will be held before the date of the play and will give everyone an opportunity to purchase ducaats in advance.

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'Fifth Avenue Girl' Gay Play for Ginger Rogers

Said to be even funnier than her recent "Bachelor Mother," Ginger Rogers' new RKO Radio starring vehicle, "Fifth Avenue Girl," comes to the screen of the Texas Theatre with the famous comedienne in the role of an unemployed girl who takes the job of bringing a rich and careless family to its collective senses.

The job is forced on her by the nominal head of the family, a millionaire manufacturer who is getting fed up with the selfishness and indifference of his wife and children. He brings the sidewalk Cinderella to stay as a guest in his palatial but morgue-like Fifth Avenue mansion, letting his horrified relatives believe he intends to marry the girl as soon as his wife has secured the divorce she is secretly planning.

The mother does her best to drive the intruder away; the "deb" daughter is in love with the social-conscious family chauffeur, seeks the girl's aid and advice; the son, believing her to be an outright gold-digger, endeavors to break up the fabled affair between her and his father. And the father, delighted with the outcome of his scheme, finds he is once more being looked upon as a man instead of as a bank account.

How the plan works out, with its expected and unexpected results makes for the gay ending to the picture. Miss Rogers, of course, plays the role of the fixer-upper, and Walter Connolly that of the harassed millionaire. Tim Holt and Kathryn Adams are seen as the son and daughter, respectively, of the family; James Ellison as the chauffeur; and Verree Teasdale as the wife; while Franklin Pangborn, Theodore Von Eltz, Ferike Boros, and Louis Calhern have important supporting roles.

Fifteen major parcels of land have been acquired by the United States since the Revolution, the largest being the Louisiana purchase.

FOOD SENT THROUGH MINE

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Nov. 15.—When Barnaby Moor was isolated during a heavy snowstorm food was delivered to it by way of a coal mine. The village has no stores and as the roads were impassable the food was sent in pit trucks down a 500-foot shaft, taken a mile through the mine working, and finally sent up to the surface through the shaft at the marooned village.

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Astronomical Distances Must Be Re-Surveyed

Discovery of a special bending of starlight near the time of sunrise and sunset, due apparently to peculiar waves on top of Earth's atmosphere, has been announced at Columbia University.

The discovery affects the basic measurements of astronomical distances. It shrinks the estimates of the size of the Milky Way, and indicates that many stars familiar to the naked eye are two or three times nearer than has been believed.

About 5,000 stars are affected. They are the stars whose distances were supposed to have been accurately measured by ordinary engineering surveying methods. The nearest of these, such as Proxima Centauri, the closest star, distance four and three-tenths light years, are only slightly affected. But the error rises rapidly with increasing distance.

The discovery was made by Prof. Jan Schilt, head of Columbia's Rutherford observatory.

It has long been known that bending occurs when light passes from empty space into the atmosphere. But Professor Schilt has found a new bending.

The twist affects astronomy's measurements of star distances because many of these are taken near sunrise and sunset.

Accurate measurements of these distances are astronomy's yardstick for calculating the distances to the millions of other stars too remote for surveying.

TIGER PIE ENJOYED

HUALA LUMPUR, Malay States, Nov. 15.—When a Chinese truck driver offered fresh tiger meat in a busy street in Huala Lumpur he was surrounded by eager buyers. English wives served tiger pie that night. The driver had shot the beasts on his way to town and was making a little pocket money.

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Bearcats Conquer Coleman Bluecats By Score of 19-0

The Ballinger Bearcats had easy sailing against Coleman last Friday night, taking the Bluecats into camp 19 to 0. Playing on a wet field in a slow drizzle, offensive play was slowed down during the latter stages of the game but the damp weather did not seem to affect the Bearcats in the first half as they ran, passed and kicked with the best drive they have shown so far this year.

The crowd was cut to only a small group. Ballinger had a full band and pep squad on the job along with a large crowd of fans for such a night and away from home. The Coleman band and pep squad did not report to Hufford Field and the fans did not number up with the Ballinger crowd.

In the first few minutes of the game, the Bluecats staged their only good showing rolling up three first downs in a drive that went deep into Ballinger's territory. Here they lost the ball on downs and Cox started his sprints and when across midfield began throwing passes to Byers, Coleman and

Long which carried the ball to the Coleman three, from where he went across for the first score standing up.

A short time later another long drive was started which ended with a beautiful pass to Coleman for the score. Byers took a pass for the extra point.

In the third quarter Cox broke through the line, evaded several tacklers and went 58 yards for the final score of the game.

Much interest was centered in the comparison of Billy McMurray of Coleman and Cox of Ballinger, both listed as top rankers in the district. Cox staged his greatest show of the season and figured in every point made by his team. Twice he carried the ball across the goal line, one he passed to Coleman for a score and the extra point was a pass to Byers. During the game he carried the ball 28 times for an average gain of 6 1/2 yards per try and he threw 11 passes for nine completions.

The win practically clinched second place in the district for the Bearcats. Two games remain on the schedule, one with the Rising Star Indians and the other with the Winters Blizzards.

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RANDOLPH FIELD PRIMARY FLYING COURSE EMPLOYS NEW MECHANICAL DEVICE

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At Randolph Field, near San Antonio, Texas, the air corps maintains a battery of Link trainers, whose function it is to train pilots in the art of blind flying, yet unattended by the usual dangers connected with this hazardous undertaking. The Link trainer has the appearance of a short, stubby airplane, with a cockpit covered by a hood, yet it is anchored to a base on four organ-like bellows, and never leaves the ground. Its cockpit

End of Tiger Grid Star's Playing Career



Don Herring, inset, 21-year-old football and track star at Princeton university, is carried off the field after receiving an injury that resulted in the loss of his left leg. The youth, who aided in a 26 to 12 victory over Brown, was injured in the first quarter of the game. Examination revealed that ligaments below the knee were torn and three main arteries had been severed. The amputation was made necessary because of the danger of gangrene becoming acute.

Wildlife Association is Organized at Barnett

Citizens of the Barnett community met last Thursday evening and organized a wildlife preserve comprising 23,015 acres in this section of Runnels county. Practically every acre of land in the community was listed in the demonstration, officers were elected and rules passed which all members agreed to abide by.

C. E. Jones was elected president of the group; D. C. Camp, vice-president; and Dave Furgey, secretary-treasurer. John R. Wood, deputy state game warden; and John A. Barton, county farm agent, attended the meeting and assisted in the organization proceedings.

Under the regulations individuals who are members of the association may grant hunting privileges to other members or outsiders if such privileges are in keeping with the general program. No hunting is allowed without the permission of the landowner or operator and all hunters must report the number of birds killed when they leave the place.

General rules of the association are as follows:

1. To save and increase game cover along fence rows, roadsides, ditches, gullies and other places where it will not interfere with farming practices.
2. To refrain from burning game cover, grass, woods, etc., except when absolutely necessary, and then only during the early spring after severe winter is over and before nesting begins for ground nesting birds.
3. To plant or sow and leave such patches or strips of grain as may be deemed advantageous to game.
4. To prevent the destruction of nesting cover and the nests of game birds and animals wherever possible.
5. To control stray cats and ownerless dogs.
6. To take an inventory of available game prior to the opening of the hunting season and give this report to the entire membership and then agreeing on the amount to be left for seed stock.
7. To keep a record of game birds killed and report at the end of the season.
8. No violation of state game laws to be permitted.

Those joining the organization stated after the meeting that the full purpose was to give protection, improve food and cover, wise control of predators and controlled harvesting of the game crop.

Rising Star will offer competition that will make a good game for anybody. The kickoff will be at 7:45 and the sideline color will begin at 7:30.

Joe Coleman was one of the outstanding stars in the game Friday. The popular end played every down and was on the receiving end of many passes in the first half that helped to make the game all in favor of Ballinger.

There was no let up in the record of Douglass Cox Friday evening. Coleman fans and coaches complimented him after the game by saying he was one of the finest high school backs they had seen in many a year. In addition to running and passing almost perfectly, he got off one sensational punt for 72 yards and kept up his scoring record. This season the Bearcats have scored 164 points against all teams. Cox has scored 141 of these on running plays, threw passes for 47 more points, leaving only three points scored in which he has not figured. Two of these were place kicks after touchdowns by Byers and one a point by L. Bell in a line play after a touchdown.

Long used an educated toe in kicking off at Coleman. His first try was over the goal line and the others dropped on the five-yard line. In addition to his kicking he received several passes for good gains and turned in several nice runs, one a 12-yard sprint for a first down.

Cottelle was an outstanding lineman Friday night. Going into the game at tackle he turned in a fine defense game and was responsible for a number of nice holes that made gains possible.

Ballinger drew favorable comment from the few Coleman fans at the game by having a full band and pep squad on the job with an Armistice Day stunt between halves. Sharp contrast was drawn by the fact that the Coleman band was not on the job and only a few members of the pep squad turned out in the bad weather.

Mrs. Herbert Sledge visited relatives here the past week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Sledge are residing at Stanton, where Mr. Sledge is employed during the cotton season by a gin company.

NORTON GIRLS' 4-H CLUB

The meeting was called to order by the president Wednesday, November 9, 1939. The roll was called and the minutes were read by the secretary, Emogene Fagan. The pledge was said and led by a member. Ten minutes of recreation were then taken.

One new member, Johnnie Jane Ash, was received. It is hoped that more will join.

Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent, was present and made a talk on preparing poultry plans, which was enjoyed very much.

The next meeting will be held on November 22, at the home of Mrs. Mitchell.

Dr. and Mrs. Horace Gustavus of Houston, arrived Sunday night to spend several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lynn and other relatives and friends.

Miss Pearl Currie, of Paint Hook, visited Miss Griffee Atkins the past week-end.

HOLIDAYS ANNOUNCED FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS

Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays for the Ballinger schools have been set and were announced this week. Students will be turned out on Wednesday afternoon, November 29, and report back to school Monday, December 4, for Thanksgiving. That week-end a large group of Ballinger teachers will attend the annual meeting of the Texas State Teachers' Association.

Christmas holidays will begin on the afternoon of Thursday, December 21, and will conclude on Tuesday, January 2. The Christmas holidays will also include New Year's Day for the students.

This year Christmas will provide another double holiday for everybody. Christmas eve coming on Sunday will give the first and as usual all business houses will be closed Monday.

Ballinger stores will observe Thanksgiving on November 30 this year and will be closed.

Mrs. Wesley Love and son, George Wesley, Jr., of El Paso, who are guests of relatives here, and with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sturges visited in Brownwood Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Gibbs.

Miss Eulalia Nicholson, who is a student of McMurry College, Abilene, was a week-end visitor here.

Rising Star Team Coming Tomorrow To Meet Bearcats

Football fans will have an opportunity to resume their entertainment at Bearcat Field tomorrow (Friday) night when the Bearcats meet the Rising Star Indians at 7:45. The Indians have been playing good ball since the beginning of the season and will present a strong team here this week-end.

Interest is added to this game because of local people connected with the Rising Star team and the school. H. B. Self, for many years with the Ballinger school system and two years coach of the Bearcats, is superintendent at Rising Star, and Douglass Jackson, a star end on Bearcat teams several years ago, is assistant coach.

The Rising Star band and pep squad and a large number of fans will accompany the team here.

The Bearcats came through the Coleman game in good condition and will have every man available for tomorrow's contest. There are only two more games in the schedule this year and both will be played in Ballinger.

Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Chandler spent the week-end in San Antonio, visiting friends.

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Paul Gibbs and Cal Adair witnessed the football game between Southwestern University and McMurry College at Georgetown Saturday night.

Wylie Stobaugh, who is attending North Texas Agricultural College, Arlington, spent the past week-end here, visiting relatives and friends.

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\$1.00

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75c

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\$1.00

One Lot of Kid Gloves—regular \$1.95, \$2.95 and \$3.95—to close out for, pair

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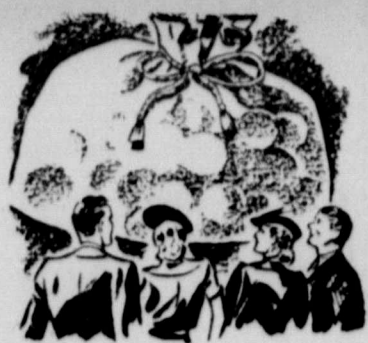
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Start this Great November Selling Event. We purchased merchandise for a heavy fall run lower than expected. This means that we must move hundreds of articles in every bargain that will attract buyers—and this is exactly what we have done. We have reduced to begin buying Christmas gifts and laying them away for use at the holiday season. Every class or a more complete stock to the buying public. We will take a pleasure in showing offers this year. We offer no substitutes for quality. Visit the store the first day of this

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39

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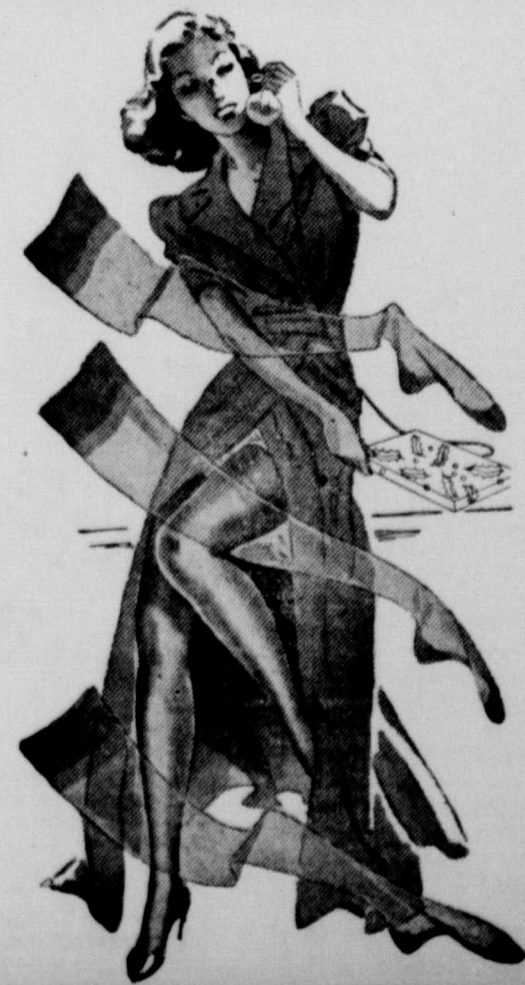
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HAS YOUR ADDRESS CHANGED RECENTLY? Ledger subscribers are requested to notify the publisher of any change in their addresses promptly.

The opening of district court attracted a large crowd here Monday. The sessions will continue for four more weeks...

Ballinger business men are taking kindly to the proposed Christmas programs to be presented here from December 1 to 24.

General rains in this county the past week-end were just in time for the many acres of small grain which have been planted for winter grazing.

Beginning this week-end and until November 30, citizens of this county will have many opportunities to join the American Red Cross. This year a special appeal is being made for more funds by this organization.

Hudson River Discovery Was Result of Accident

Henry Hudson, English navigator, in 1609, undertook for the Dutch East India company his third voyage to find a passage to China by either the northeast or northwest route.

BARBERS OF INDIA FIGHT SAFETY RAZORS

CALCUTTA, Nov. 15.—Barbers of India have organized a nationwide campaign against the safety razor, which they say is ruining their business.

As British Merchant Ships Swarm the Seven Seas



Swarming over the seven seas on any given day are 1,545 British merchant ships, easy prey for Nazi submarines. Another 705 British merchantmen are in foreign ports on the same day.

WEST TEXAS NOTES

At the end of October 42 per cent of Menard county's taxes had been paid according to a check-up by the collector.

The proposed east-west road through Winters from the Coleman county line to the Coke county line has been approved by the district highway engineer and commissioners of precincts 2 and 3 will begin obtaining the right-of-way at once.

Saturday night, Armistice Day, was the closing time for all beer selling places in Eastland county. An election four weeks ago was won by the "drys" and dealers were given until November 11, at midnight, to dispose of their stocks.

Poultry dressing plants at Brownwood gave employment to about 400 extra people when the Thanksgiving turkey season opened last week.

A survey of flood damage in Kimble county is about half completed and the loss from recent deluges is expected to run more than a million and a half dollars.

C. M. Caraway and Sons, of Comanche county, will enter a herd of shorthorns in the 1939 International Livestock Exposition at Chicago. They have listed 13 head of their famous cattle in the show, scheduled for December 2 to 9.

state's best known producers of shorthorns.

At a meeting of the Bronte Community Service Club this week plans are to be made for holiday programs. It is planned to decorate the town, provide special attractions, get merchants to cooperate to attract crowds with special sales and otherwise keep Christmas shopping at Bronte.

In the list of state highway projects on which bids will be opened November 21, are two road-side park projects in Pecos county. Civic groups at Fort Stockton have been seeking approval of these parks for some time and the bids will call for some special paving, landscaping and other improvements at the sites.

One of the largest crowds ever to assemble at Eden was entertained last Saturday when more than 1200 visitors were on hand for the annual Armistice Day celebration. The climax of the program was reached at noon when a barbecue dinner was served at a park near town.

Millersview citizens and friends from other towns in this section enjoyed an all-day program Saturday, combining Armistice observance with the dedication of their new \$42,000 school and gymnasium. The Armistice service Saturday, the first program in the combination gymnasium-auditorium, was well attended.

Paving projects at Stephenville have been halted because of a shortage of certified WPA workers. Highway construction in the area is making many men from the county rolls, and to keep these

projects going municipal work has been slowed down or stopped for the present.

Two mines will be operated in McCulloch county to extract manganese and many men will be employed. Because of war demands, large quantities of this mineral are sought and one old mine, not operated since 1919, will be reopened, and another is to be worked. Two companies expect to take about 10,000 tons from the mines in a year.

Albany churches will join in presenting an elaborate Christmas program this year. A massed chorus, made up from all choirs, will be formed, and other singing groups of the city have been invited to rehearsals of a cantata and other entertainments for the Yule season are being planned.

Proper Respect of Flag Important to Americans

The question of proper respect for the American flag gives an interesting slant on national life in the United States. Respect for the flag may be shown, first of all, by making no improper use of it. No other flag should be placed above it or to its right; it should not be used as a drapery or decoration; no lettering should be placed upon it nor should it be used for advertising purposes; it should not be allowed to touch the ground or the floor, or trail in the water; it should not be displayed in a torn or much soiled condition; it should not be dipped to any person or any thing.

Respect is also paid in the formal salute, under the circumstances and in the manner described in "The Flag Code." "During the ceremony of hoisting or lowering the flag, or when it is passing in a parade or in a review, all persons present should face the flag, stand at attention and salute. The salute is in uniform should render the right hand salute. When not in uniform, men should remove the headress with the right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the heart. Women should salute by placing the right hand over the heart. The salute to the flag in the moving column is rendered at the moment the flag passes."

WILLED LOW RENT

BECKENHAM, England, Nov. 15.—In his will, just filed, William S. Toyne, of Beckenham, gave property in Hopedale Road, Charlton, in trust to allow the present occupants, Mary Jarrett and her husband, to reside there at a nominal rent of one shilling (25 cents) per annum.

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Every year thousands of dollars "go up in smoke" because leaves are burned. The following summer gardens and flower beds will "burn up" for lack of moisture. Leaves are valuable because they form humus, and almost all Texas soils need humus, according to M. K. Thornton, Jr., agricultural chemist of the Texas A. & M. College extension service.

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SOUTH AFRICAN NATIVES HOLD DANCE CONTEST

JOHANNESBURG, Union of South Africa, Nov. 15.—Native tribal dancing championship contests held at Kingsmead attracted considerable interest among tourists. More than 1,000 natives, in teams of forty to fifty, competed in full regalia. Natives from the surrounding districts vied with their challengers of the towns.

Although the contests were limited to Ingoma dancing, the usual secular dances of the Zulu young men, it is planned to include not only Zulu but other tribal folk dances in future championships, and a special research party is in the field recording and filming native dancing with this aim in view.

SAGS HIS TWO FOXES WITH ONE GUN BLAST

CAITHNESS, Scotland, Nov. 15.—Tom Mackey wasn't so anxious to save shot as he was to bag two foxes so he stalked the renards for three hours on grouse moors before he pulled a trigger. Then he killed both with one blast of his gun. Mackey is gamekeeper on the moors and was keeping watch when he sighted the intruders a mile away through his telescope. He followed them. If he fired at one the other would escape. Finally they drew close together and Tom got his double reward.

Headache, Bad Breath, Tell of More to Come

Just as Paul Revere's famous ride warned of the Redcoats' coming, so Nature's messengers—headaches, biliousness, bad breath—often warn of faulty elimination. Neglecting these signs may cause a host of constipation's discomforts: sour stomach, belching; no appetite or energy; mental dullness. It's so easy to wake up your lazy insides. Just take enjoy, all vegetable BLACK-DRAUGHT. Its unusual help comes from its principal ingredient—an intestinal tonic-laxative which imparts tone to lazy bowel muscles. Millions of packages used testify to BLACK-DRAUGHT'S merit. Try it.

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Special Venire of 80 Men Will Report Here Monday

A special venire of 80 men has been summoned in 119th district court here for Monday morning in addition to the regular petit jury venire for the second week of the fall term. From the special venire a jury will be selected to hear evidence in the cases of the State of Texas vs. Billie Burk and Jeff Wiginton, charged with rape.

The November term opened Monday with Judge O. L. Parish meeting the grand jury panel and giving instructions regarding the duties. Sixteen men reported and twelve were selected to delve into about 25 cases in which charges have already been filed and some evidence taken in the form of written statements. In addition, the grand jurors will investigate any other cases being called to

their attention, look over the county's property and transact routine business.

E. E. Adams was made foreman of the grand jury to serve with Alex McGregor, C. R. Morrison, L. F. Bates, C. S. Brown, T. J. Burson, George Seitz, Roy L. Roper, D. A. Dobbins, B. A. Lott, I. M. Turner and Owen Ingram.

No petit jury venire was called for the first week of the term as only non-jury cases were to be tried. Judge Parish heard cases which were ready for trial.

The regular petit jury venire summoned for next week is as follows:

J. R. Willis, Goldsboro
F. M. Turner, Norton
Warren Crofton, Lawn
H. E. White, Winters, route 4

Ira Klutts, Talpa, route 2
H. A. Williams, Ballinger
Clarence Ledbetter, Bradshaw
S. P. Dietz, Talpa, route 2
Clarence Routh, Ballinger
F. L. Gerhart, Winters
Sam Mathis, Novice, route 1
A. L. Condra, Bronte, route 2
E. F. Vogelsang, Ballinger
F. H. Lisson, Winters
Grady Flynt, Winters
V. Reclinsky, Rowena
C. E. Sullivan, Winters
D. A. Macune, Ballinger
E. C. Bridwell, Winters, route 4
Owen Bragg, Talpa, route 2
B. B. Campbell, Hatchel
W. W. King, Winters, route 2
Simon Dorotik, Rowena
L. B. Gibbs, Talpa, route 2
C. E. McMillan, Talpa, route 2
W. A. McDonald, Winters
J. E. Jones, Ballinger
A. D. Smith, Winters
Ellis Lee, Ballinger
Joe Awalt, Winters
J. M. Willis, Norton
H. T. Bryant, Miles
Ben L. Willberg, Rowena
L. E. Wilkinson, Novice, route 1
A. S. Cooper, Ballinger

British Tar Comforts U-Boat Victims



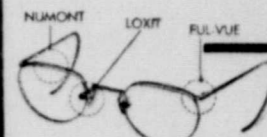
A British tar comforts two pickaninnies who were rescued from the French vessel Bretagne, sunk by an enemy submarine. The negro children, with other passengers, were taken to an undisclosed English port.

LOCAL WPA PROJECT MAKES BABY CLOTHES

The Ballinger housekeeping aid project is assisting the local Red Cross chapter in preparing clothing for two maternity cases. The Red Cross chapter was called on for the clothing and at once requested the superintendent of the housekeeping aid project to get the necessary garments.

The Red Cross is providing the material and the women in the local home are working to have the garments ready by November 20. In the list of items being made are dresses, diapers, gowns and baby blankets.

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Inventor of 'Death Ray' Will Not Reveal Secret

It is possible that "death rays" may some day be used as an awful weapon of war, but Dr. Antonio Longoria, wealthy Cleveland, Ohio, scientist and inventor, who in 1923 perfected a "death ray" apparatus, will have nothing to do with recreating such a machine.

This Dr. Longoria made plain in a recent interview. He recounted that his apparatus had killed pigeons on the wing at four miles, and that he then destroyed the machine because of its danger.

"It's quite possible that someone may stumble across the particular electric wave I used," Dr. Longoria said. "I found it accidentally myself, and I certainly am not proud of the discovery. The machine killed small animals, and it could kill human beings just as easily.

"The ray lies in one of the unexplained frequency bands in the vicinity of the X-ray. It kills painlessly, without burning, by changing the blood to a useless substance—as light changes silver salts in photography. But I don't like to talk about it, because it could wreck civilization. I'll have nothing to do with it. My hands will be clean."

Dr. Longoria said he first demonstrated his ray while working in California on a colored motion picture process, showing a group of scientists that the ray could kill rabbits even when the animals were encased in a thick-walled aluminum case.

Later, in Cleveland, he demonstrated that the ray would kill pigeons, he added.

"I could assemble such a machine again," Dr. Longoria said, "but I never shall. I have no drawings. The plans are in my head alone. My inventions have brought me wealth. I am interested now only in doing something to help civilization, which seems to be going backward instead of ahead."

Dickens' Manuscript Is Purchased by American

The autographed manuscript of Charles Dickens' "The Life of Our Lord," which he wrote exclusively for his children in 1846, was sold recently for \$1,400 (\$6,552) to Philip H. Rosenbach, of Philadelphia, after a bidding duel in a London auction room.

Rosenbach, outbid Mrs. Gladys Storey, author of "Dickens and Daughter," who said she was "terribly annoyed" because she had intended to purchase the script for the British museum.

The manuscript has been a possession of the Dickens family for 93 years, and was offered for sale by Lady Dickens, widow of Sir Henry Fielding Dickens, the eighth of the author's 10 children. Sir Henry was born three years after his father had devoted a summer vacation at Lausanne, Switzerland, to penning the narrative so that his children might have a simple and straightforward story of Christ.

After Sir Henry's death in 1933, his widow accepted an offer for serial reproduction of the work in many newspapers throughout the world, and it was translated into 13 languages. The manuscript fills 46 closely written quarto pages in 10 chapters, and will be brought to New York.

Champion Ship Models
Twenty-six-year-old John Stanley Warren of New London, Conn., claims the world's championship for making ship models, with 67 to his credit, 53 of which were completed in 1936. A New York widow of a sea captain and expert ship modeler started him on his career in 1932 by giving him her husband's books on the subject. His 1936 record left him with doctor's orders to stop the work or risk seriously impairing his eyesight. A long rest and he is back at his work again. In 1936 he often made a model a week, and averaged five a month. "But it takes system," he said, "like everything else. I map each model out on paper, make my own blueprints, and then follow them closely."

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NOVEL NEW TESTAMENT PUBLISHED IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Nov. 15.—Appearance of a new translation of the New Testament has caused sensation in religious circles of England, and there are sharp criticisms of some of the changes from former books.

It has been published by the Rev. R. Mercer Wilson, general secretary of the Religious Tract Society, who is the translator, has made many striking changes in the text.

He holds the proper translations change the phrase "publicans and sinners" to "tax collectors and outcasts," and the passage in St. Luke should read: "It is easier for a rope (not camel) to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of God."

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FOR LEASE—Farm at Eagle Branch for cash rent. See R. L. Sims, Roscoe, Texas. 9-3t*

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WOOD FOR SALE—Mixed wood for sale, five miles north of Talpa. Henry Knox. 26-10t*

FOR RENT—Good four room house, in Hillcrest. Gas, Cunningham, 510 Twelfth Street. 7-1f

Mr. and Mrs. Price Middleton spent the Armistice holidays on a ranch in the northern part of Runnels county.

Dick Ayers and Shorty Payne left Wednesday for Blanco, near where they will hunt deer several days. The hunters have a lease there and were out early this morning when the season opened.

Fred Mapes left Monday for Dallas, where he entered a clinic for treatment. He has been suffering from a back injury and in Dallas will be under the observation of a specialist.

Marketing Theme For Meeting Here Of County Council

A very important meeting of the Runnels county home demonstration council will be held at the city hall here Saturday afternoon, beginning at 2:30. All club members in the county and especially those interested in marketing are urged to attend.

Miss Isla Mae Chapman, extension service specialist in home industries, will speak, telling the women of marketing procedure in other cities and the methods employed for selling. Miss Maurine Hearn, district agent, will also attend the meeting and talk on this and other subjects.

The marketing committee, which has been investigating home demonstration markets in other cities, will make a report of its findings since the last meeting. This committee is composed of Mrs. Grover Davis, Mrs. H. B. Osburn, Mrs. W. G. Vernon and Mrs. H. E. White.

Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent, stated that the regular election of officers would be postponed until the December meeting in order to give the visiting speakers more time at the meeting Saturday.

Some action probably will be taken on the marketing proposal at this council meeting. Home-makers markets are now in operation at Abilene and Sweetwater. Both of these have been visited by committee members and plans have been outlined for establishing a market in this county. The market would handle all kinds of foods and at special seasons other articles for gifts and home use.

At the close of the discussion on marketing, John A. Barton, county farm agent, will talk to the meeting on land use planning for 1940.

GRAND JURY RECESSES AFTER RETURNING 15 INDICTMENTS TO DATE

The grand jury for the fall term of 1939 district court here was recessed Wednesday afternoon after three days' work, reporting fifteen indictments. In the list of cases already disposed of were six for burglary, one for theft, one for assault with a prohibited weapon, one for forgery and six others for various offenses.

Investigations of some of the most important cases submitted by the county attorney were not completed and will be taken up on November 27.

Defendants in the cases reported were being arrested this week-end and the cases will be docketed for trial at this term.

VISITOR HERE INFORMED OF FIRE IN HIS OFFICE

Dr. and Mrs. Horace Gustavus, of Houston, came in the first part of the week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lynn and other relatives, and Dr. Gustavus and T. S. Lankford, of Abilene, left Wednesday for a deer hunt in the Hill Country.

The day after arriving here Dr. Gustavus received a message that fire had done approximately \$10,000 damage to the Greer Clinic at Houston, where his offices are located. A telephone conversation with co-workers assured him that nothing could be done there and he continued on his hunt.

Mrs. F. H. Turbeville, of Gainesville, came in Wednesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. M. C. Smith.

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SOCIETY

Clarks Are Hosts
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clark entertained with five tables of forty-two Tuesday evening at their home on Ninth Street. Beautiful bouquets of chrysanthemums decorated the rooms.

After games of forty-two and Chinese checkers refreshments were served to: Messrs. and Mmes. Dee Saylor, Carl Freeman, Troy Reese, Edgar Tune, Russell Jones, Allen Hamilton, Burtis Morgan, Roy Kump and James Reese.

JUNIOR WOMEN'S CLUB VISITS WORK PROJECT

Approximately 30 members of the Ballinger Junior Women's Club paid an official visit to the Ballinger housekeeping aid home Wednesday afternoon. The club is helping sponsor this project and called to be shown the numerous accomplishments of the home.

The women on duty served cookies and coffee to the visitors.

COUNTY COURT DISMISSES UNTIL JANUARY TERM

County court convened this morning but was dismissed a few minutes later when a telegram was submitted to the court stating that J. Winans had been seriously hurt near Stamford. The jury was excused until the first Tuesday in January.

Alfred Evans entered a plea of guilty in county court the past week-end on a charge of possession of beer for the purpose of sale and was fined \$100 and costs.

STATE EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE TO MEET

Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel has issued a call for a meeting of the state advisory educational committee in Austin on November 29, the day before the Texas State Teachers' Association convention opens in San Antonio. County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff and Superintendent E. D. Stringer, of Winters, are members of the state committee.

Annual Charity Ball Scheduled On December 1

Dr. W. B. Halley has announced his annual charity ball, which will be held on December 1 in the national guard armory hall. Invitations have been sent to some of the best old time square dancers in this section and good music has been secured for the occasion.

Dr. Halley stated that the proceeds would be used for aiding under-privileged children and that an advance ticket sale would be conducted.

In previous years this dance and accompanying entertainment has attracted large throngs and many people in this section look forward to it with much anticipated pleasure. Whether the ticket bearers dance or not, tickets will admit all to the hall where they may watch the old time dancers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atwell, of Rotan, were Armistice holidays guests in the home of Mr. Atwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atwell.

Fred Jennings, of Kerrville, student of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, spent the week-end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. May.

Nat Williams, Tom Agnew, Ben Denny and W. E. Middleton left this morning for Lubbock to transact business.

Dr. S. W. Williams, Methodist presiding elder, of Brownwood, attended to church business here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kirk spent the past week-end at Waco, and saw the football game Saturday between Baylor and Texas universities' teams.

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WEDDINGS

Wehlmann-Ocker
On Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Boniface Church, Olfen, Miss Bertha Ocker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ocker, became the bride of Edgar Wehlmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wehlmann, the Rev. G. A. Boeckman, pastor, performing the ceremony in the presence of many friends and relatives.

The wedding party entered the church to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March. First to the sanctuary were the bridesmaid, Miss Ruby Dell Halfmann, cousin of the bride, and usher, Alton Seidel, also cousin of the bride. They were followed by the bridesmaid, Miss Coletta Hoelscher, cousin of the bride, and best man, Louis Ocker, brother of the bride. Preceding the bride and groom were the ring bearer, Arnold Eggemeyer, cousin of the bride, and the flower girl, little Miss Mary Rita Hoelscher, cousin of the bride.

The bride entered on the arm of the groom, wearing a white satin dress of princess style with lace inserts at the yoke and in the long sleeves. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a crown of pearls and orange blossoms. She wore white slippers and a pearl necklace. Her bouquet was of white chrysanthemums and fern with satin streamers.

The bridesmaids wore identical dresses of taffeta with bolero jackets and trapunto embroidery. They wore matching velvet turbans, gold sandals and necklaces. Miss Hoelscher's dress was of royal blue while Miss Halfmann's was rose wine. The bridesmaids' bouquets were white asters. The flower girl wore a peach taffeta dress trimmed in cocoa brown. She carried a basket of mixed flowers. The ring bearer, wearing a brown suit, carried the rings on a peach crepe pillow. The groom and his attendants wore dark suits with boutonnières of orange blossoms and asters.

After the wedding ceremony, Miss Adeline Halfmann and Miss Elsie Hafernik, wearing their Children of Mary uniforms, accompanied the bride to the altar of the Blessed Virgin, and there the bride recited the act of consecration, and was presented with a statue of the Blessed Virgin. For the recessional, Mendelssohn's march was played. The church was beautifully decorated with autumn flowers.

The remainder of the day was spent at the home of the bride's parents.

Present for the occasion were the following guests: the Rev. G. A. Boeckman, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Hoelscher, Mrs. Gerhard Ocker, the families of Joe H. Halfmann, Frank Seidel, Theo Halfmann, Ed Hoelscher, Louis Rohmfeld, Walter Eggemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wehlmann, the families of C. H. Wehlmann, P. W. Menke, Mrs. Marie Boach and children, and Miss Elsie Hafernik.

The Children of Mary Sodality gave the bride a shower, and another shower was given by the relatives of the bride and groom. Court St. Monica No. 1262 presented the bride with a picture of the Last Supper.

Harris Lovelace, who is attending Texas Technological College, Lubbock, spent the past week-end here, visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Nell Shepperd and Charles Hambrick attended the Baylor-Texas football game at Waco Saturday.

Miss Velma Taylor, student of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, visited relatives and friends here the past week-end.

Jay Boothe spent the Armistice holidays in Ballinger, visiting his parents. He is a student of John Tarleton College, Stephenville.

Luther Morris and Gordon Powers, students of the San Angelo junior college, were week-end guests of relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caudle attended the football game at Sweetwater Saturday.

DEATHS

Justin Wane Martin
Justin Wane Martin, age 3 months, died at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Damron, on Crosson Avenue, Ballinger, Wednesday, November 8, after illness of two months' duration.

Survivors besides the parents include a brother, Lonnie, 4; four grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Damron, Ballinger.

Funeral services were held at the graveside in the Crews cemetery Thursday afternoon, Rev. M. C. Golden officiating.

Agnew-Wright Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Loretta Florence Williams
Funeral services for Loretta Florence Williams, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Williams, were held at the family home near Hatchel Wednesday and interment followed in the Runnels cemetery.

Survivors besides the parents are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Loss Williams, Winters; and Mr. and Mrs. Key Williams, Hatchel.

Spill Funeral Home (Winters) was in charge of arrangements.

PLAY WILL BE PRESENTED AT TEXAS TUESDAY NIGHT

A cast of players from the Cue and Curtain Club of the Ballinger high school will be presented in a one-act play at the Texas Theatre next Tuesday evening. The play will be offered in connection with the regular feature pictures.

"Papa Said No" is the title of the diverting comedy which was recently presented at a chapel period in the high school. It scored a big success then and subsequently the cast has been rehearsed by Director Ernest Sublett to make it even more finished.

for the appearance at the Texas. The theatre management invites its patrons to witness the play as well as the picture program.

ELEVEN CASES FILED BY FOOD INSPECTOR

A state food inspector arrived in Ballinger last week and filed eleven cases in city court, eight of which fines were paid on, and three still remain on the docket to be tried. All cases were against local food purveyors who failed to have their health certificates up to date and ready to show when called for by the inspector. No other violations were included in the charges filed here.

Holliday Hayley, of Tyler, will

spend this week-end here in the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Love. Mrs. Hayley and children, who have been visiting here for several days, will return home Sunday with Mr. Hayley.

Mrs. W. B. Halley is in Sweetwater, Tennessee, visiting her sister, Mrs. R. E. Porter.

Gerald Black, state liquor control board officer, of Big Spring, attended to business here today.

Miss Ada Love, of Florence, and Mrs. Clarence Headstream, of Lawn, are visiting in the home of Miss Love's brother, Dr. A. S. Love.

A. Pagels, Ballinger pioneer, has been seriously ill for several days and this afternoon all his children had been summoned to his bedside.

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Edwards' COFFEE 1b. tin 21c	Fancy Red Cape Cod Cranberries lb. 17c
Robinhood OLEO 2 lbs. 25c	Fancy Texas Yams 4 lbs. 15c
Mammy Lou MEAL 20 lb. bag 49c	Fancy Colorado CARROTS 3 bunches 10c
Del Monico NOODLES 16-oz. pkg. 15c	Extra Fancy Delicious APPLES 88 size doz. 29c
Su-Per Granulated SOAP 24-oz. pkg. 17c	Texas 288 Size ORANGES 2 doz. 25c
Helen Harrison CANDY 3 lb. box \$1.00	Extra Fancy Winesap APPLES 138 size doz. 19c
Stokley's PUMPKIN No. 2 can 10c	Texas 96 Size GRAPEFRUIT 6 for 10c
Saxet GRAHAM CRACKERS 2 lb. box 15c	Fancy Large Oregon Bloached Celery 10c
Kool CIGARETTES 2 pkgs. 35c	Commercial Russets Potatoes 10 lbs. 19c
Waldorf TISSUE 3 rolls 14c	
Stokley's CATSUP 2 14-oz. bottles 25c	
Van Camp's FRENCH MUSTARD 6-oz. jar 9c	
Safeway BUTTER lb. 29c	
Delicious Soda Crackers 2 lb. Box 13c	Camay Toilet Soap Regular Bar 5c
Selected Meats	Rinso Tissue Large pkg. 19c
Hockless, Sugar Cured Picnics Bake or Boil lb. Special low price 16c	Country Home Corn 2 No. 2 cans 23c
Maximum Slic. BACON lb. 25c	White King Granulated Soap 24-oz. pkg. 21c
Extra Standard OYSTERS, pt. 25c	Ivory Flakes Large pkg. 23c
Dry Salt No. 1 BACON lb. 10c	Tissue Comfort 4 rolls 19c
Veal loin, T-B STEAK lb. 23c	Raisins Sun Maid 15-oz. 10c
Pure Pork SAUSAGE lb. 15c	
Old Fash. Slic. BACON lb. 17c	
Veal Round STEAK lb. 25c	
Pork Shoulder ROAST lb. 17c	
Machine Slic. BOILED HAM lb. 39c	
Veal Leaf MEAT lb. 25c	

SAFEWAY

Forecasts Super-Cold As New Industrial Basis

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 15.—Whole new industries based on super-cold, between 440 degrees and 460 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit, are forecast in a recent industrial bulletin of Arthur D. Little, Inc., chemical engineering firm.

Some super-cold metals are known to conduct electricity with practically no resistance or loss and to have remarkable properties with regard to heat and magnetism. Solid air, liquid helium, crystallized lubricating oil, glass-like rubber and many other super-cold materials have properties

almost entirely unknown. Two sets of industries already are based on refrigeration, using different temperature zones. Just below the temperature at which water freezes to ice are the ordinary refrigeration industries, devoted chiefly to preserving foods.

A hundred or so degrees lower begin the industrial processes which use liquefied gases; as chemical solvents, to extract neon from air and for many other purposes. Much colder still is the new temperature region waiting to be explored. At ordinary temperatures most metals conduct heat well, which is one reason why such things as steam boilers or household radiators are made of metal.

In the world of super-cold this is different. Depending on the exact temperature, metals may be either good conductors of heat or almost perfect insulators.



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Still smiling are the Allen brothers, Willis (left) and Lawrence (center), promoters of the "ham and eggs" pension plan which proved to be an unpalatable dish for California voters, who emphatically rejected the scheme in a special election. The plan called for the payment of \$50 in warrants every Thursday to each unemployed Californian over 50. Right: Rev. Herbert Bigelow, proponent of Ohio's pension plan, which, like California's, was flatly rejected by voters. Bigelow's plan called for an income of \$50 per month to Ohioans past 60.

WEALTHY OF MOROCCO MUST SUPPORT RELATIVES

RABAT, Morocco, Nov. 15.—Wealthy people of French Morocco must keep all relatives who cannot support themselves. As many as fifty poor relations may come and live in the rich man's house. This is according to the injunction of Mahomet. These facts were revealed in the Bulletin Economique du Maroc, which has just published five typical budgets of Arab households living in Fez.

The largest budget was that of two brothers who shared a large house, for 11th wives, children, grandchildren, in-laws and ser-

SOUTH AFRICAN VILLAGES DISAPPEAR IN SAND

BREDASDROP, Union of South Africa, Nov. 15.—Wind-blown sand along the coast is swallowing fishing villages. At Ryspunt an entire hamlet has been buried by the shifting sand and another village, Arniston, is threatened. The devastation has been wrought in spite of the efforts of the govern-

ment to combat the dunes.

In 1936 a twenty-five year plan was launched to reclaim the sand areas in this region, and large tracts have been planted with tough marram grass. During recent geological times there have been at least three changes in the direction and intensity of the wind along this coast. Now the dunes pile up rapidly. The trouble, however, is attributed primarily to human negligence, with deforestation as the most destructive factor.

There are about 2,000 stars visible to the naked eye on a clear night.

Monochloronaphthalene Used for Microscopes

Early Soil Savers

One of America's first soil conservationists was George Washington. Even before the War for Independence, he was experimenting with ways and means of keeping the soil from washing away from his Mount Vernon estate, in what is now the state of Virginia. Patrick Henry considered the saving of our soil so important that just a few years after the Revolution he remarked, "Since the achievement of our independence, he is the greatest patriot who stops the most gullies." And Thomas Jefferson devised a method of plowing hillsides horizontally to stop the wastage of our lands by erosion.

Civil War Spy

Belle Boyd, Confederate spy in the Civil war, was but 17 when her exploits began. During the next two years she made use of opportunities in her home towns of Martinsburg and Front Royal, Va., for gathering information on Union activities unsuspected and conveying it to Stonewall Jackson. She was twice arrested and imprisoned, but each time soon released. In 1863 she escaped to England, where she went on the stage. Subsequently she played in New York and in stock companies in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys.

Rivers Flowing North

The St. Johns river in Florida is supposedly the only river in the United States which flows northward throughout its entire course. There are others, however, which flow north for a part of their course. These include the Monongahela in Pennsylvania, the Tennessee in Tennessee and Kentucky, the Red river of the North in Minnesota and North Dakota, Big Horn in Wyoming and Montana and Powder in Wyoming and Montana.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—New portraits of the metallizing midgets that make steel different from iron and give mankind sharp tools are presented by Dr. F. F. Lucas, of a New York laboratory.

Only a few years ago the real nature of a polished surface on a piece of steel could be photographed only with low magnifications, up to about 200 times. That showed some little specks and dots throughout the steel, which metallurgists interpreted as bits of a compound of iron and carbon.

It was believed that these midget crystals of something else helped to make the iron strong and tough. Presently it became possible to magnify these crystals as much as 1,000 times but their portraits still were incomplete. Finally, in cooperation with an optical works in Germany, Dr. Lucas designed a new kind of microscope so large and complicated that a floor space of twelve feet by ten feet is needed to set it up.

It is mounted on sponge rubber to prevent vibration. Air between its first lens and the metal specimen makes trouble, so this space is filled with a droplet of a special chemical called monochloronaphthalene.

Dr. Lucas now has been able to magnify the strengthening midgets in steel by as much as 6,500 times. Particles smaller than one-hundred-thousandth of an inch can be seen clearly. Knowledge of how these particles are arranged is proving valuable to help make better metals for practical use.

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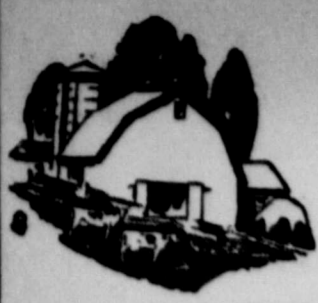
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RURAL NEWS

BARNETT

Everyone was glad to see the rain and farmers are getting busy sowing grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Laxton and baby, of Santa Anna, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Laxton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Jones and family are moving to Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyree spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George Dean, of Spring Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wiley are the proud parents of a ten-pound boy, who was born Sunday morning.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norman Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Burnice Burrell, of Miles; and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tyree and son.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lander and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lander spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Manske and family, of Kristoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook, of Oklahoma, moved back here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyree and sons visited in Miles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Camp and daughter, of South Ballinger, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Camp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertice Jones and son, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jones and children spent Saturday at Millersview.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Forgy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Laxton and family.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Walter Kirby is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Duke and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Duke, of Norton.

Several in the community have had colds.

HERRING

Everyone is rejoicing over the fine rains we had last week. The grain is looking good.

Not many attended Sunday school and singing Sunday on account of muddy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hale, Sr., celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday in their home.

Present were: Elbert Hale, of Dallas; Mrs. Vera Payne and children, of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Noel Hale, of Talpa; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hale, Jr., of Silver Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hale and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Flay Brevard and children, of Glen Cove; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allcorn and Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Klutts, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Damon, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Avant, and Miss Myrtle Ruth Hale.

Mrs. Arthur Fuller and Mrs. J. Rosford spent Monday with Mrs. Marshal Belcher, of Eagle Branch. Miss Gean White spent Tuesday night with Miss Dorothy Rosford. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mathis and Patay Ann, of Dale, spent Sunday in the W. L. White home.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Whitley and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brevard and children were dinner guests in the M. F. Kerby home Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert Peek and Lorena visited in Coleman Sunday.

Leslie Allcorn, of Oxien, spent Sunday in the Lonnie Allcorn home.

Mrs. Owen Bragg, Mrs. Clyde Brevard and Mrs. W. L. White attended the P-T. A. meeting at Talpa Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Rosford visited her mother, Mrs. C. W. Schwartz Tuesday.

Miss Della Bragg, of San Angelo, and Carl Bull, of Fort Stockton, spent the week-end in the Mrs. Joe Bragg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mullenax, of Valera, spent Sunday in the Mrs. Joe Bragg home.

NORTON

Recent rains of the past week measured about one inch.

The Union League met with the Winters Methodist church Tuesday evening. Twenty-four young people from the Norton church attended and presented the program.

Mrs. Joyce Crockett entertained the Girls' Auxiliary in her home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rhodes and family, of Lubbock, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Misses Holley Mae and Louelle Morgan, of Big Spring, spent Sun-

California Fliers Set Endurance Mark



Up in the air about the whole thing were Wes Carroll, left, and Clyde Schlieper, fliers who established a new world's endurance record in California. The lads remained in the air for 726 hours (30 days and six hours) in their post-noon-equipped light plane. The previous record was 653 hours and 33 minutes.

day with their mother, Mrs. Ursula Morgan.

Miss Lesta Stewart has returned from Tulsa, where she spent several weeks with relatives.

For business and social the Ruth Class of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Joyce Crockett Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Clay Griggs, of Ft. Worth, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Conger attended home-coming at John Tarleton College, Stephenville, the past week-end. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Elkins accompanied them as far as Dublin, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Roberson.

Betty's Butter and Egg Man

By MAY EVANS
(Associated Newspapers)
WNU Service

IN SPITE of the fact she had more freckles than any other girl in Richland county, Betty Moore possessed a romantic soul. She day-dreamed as she went up the lane to call the cows, and she day-dreamed every time she walked down the peony-bordered path to the rural delivery post box beside the dusty road.

When Mr. Moore finally installed a radio in the kitchen-dining-sitting room of the old farmhouse, Betty day-dreamed as she listened to the music and cooked for the household. Kate Moore, Betty's sister, was as pretty as Betty was plain. However, Kate, like Betty, was a dreamer, though Kate did precious little work as she dreamed.

Most of all, Kate dreamed when she went to the village in the rattling family flivver. She dreamed that the through train had broken down, and some great movie magnate who had been forced to stop in Richland Junction would see her passing, and, being instantly attracted to her type, beg her to accept a fabulous salary.

Dreams, as every one knows, do come true—sometimes, and on the day that Mr. Moore discovered the barn mice had gnawed right through the heart of his last big roll of binder twine, and Betty volunteered to drive to town for a new supply, the dream distributor made one of his mistakes. He sent a famous movie director sauntering along Main street while his private car stood

on the Richland Junction siding, waiting for a special train to pass.

Betty, coming out of the Junction's general store, her arms piled high with packages, binder twine, fresh bananas, raisins, powdered sugar, birdseed and bacon, collided with the smartly dressed, tired-eyed stranger.

"I'm sorry," apologized the man, as he stooped and picked up the sack of powdered sugar, which had split open when it struck the sidewalk. "I'll get you another."

"Don't bother," replied Betty, "I've got to hurry home with this binder twine. Dad is waiting for it."

"Sometimes there's money in not being so much in a hurry," said the stranger.

Betty's face flushed beneath the freckles. "As a matter of fact," continued the man, "you are just the type I want to work into a few local-color rural scenes I'm planning to shoot upstate. Those freckles of yours ought to register like a house afire. How about \$500 for a week's trip?"

Sullenly Kate Moore went about the tasks which usually the patient Betty performed. "It just doesn't seem fair for me to be slaving away in this hot kitchen while Betty stays away getting \$500 a week for two weeks for doing nothing."

"A thousand dollars is a nice piece of money," remarked Mr. Moore. "Betty told me she wanted the money to help fix up the old house on Tom's farm."

"Humph," sniffed Kate. "Let her get a taste of life with a movie outfit, and see how quick she forgets Tom."

Just two weeks from the day Betty Moore left Richland Junction, a tall, tanned young man in faded khaki paced up and down the station platform, a look of anxiety on his face. Betty was young—would her head be turned by the small fortune she had earned with her freckles?

"Well, of all the simpletons!" greeted Kate, as Betty entered the door of the Moore farmhouse, the tall, tanned Tom at her heels. "Here you got a real chance in the movies with one of the most important directors in the country and you haven't sense enough to make him take you on to Hollywood and give you a real job!"

"Mr. De Lain told me he thought I was the smartest girl he had ever known when I said I was going to take my thousand dollars and go straight home," cheerfully replied Betty.

"I'd like to know why," exclaimed Kate in astonishment. "Likely as not you would have caught on out

west and landed some big butter-and-egg man instead of having to settle down in the sticks with Tom." Tom grinned cheerfully as Betty smiled up in his face and said, "I should worry about catching on out west when I'm so popular at home. I'm going to buy a rose pink sink and rose pink mixing-bowls and rose pink glass dishes and rose pink tablecloths, and have an electric motor to pump water into the house. And Tom is going to build me some lots bigger hen-houses so I can have bigger flocks, and he is going to stop shipping cream to the city and let me churn it instead, and I'm to have every penny of the butter and egg money."

A kindly smile puckering the corners of his mouth and making little crinkly wrinkles about his eyes, Mr. Moore said, "Looks as though Betty had landed a pretty good butter-and-egg man right here in Richland Junction."

Expensive Tunnel
It is estimated that a tunnel under the Straits of Gibraltar would cost about \$81,000,000 and would require about five or six years' work.

MIDGET CONSCRIPTED

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Nov. 15.—What to do with Shafko Imerovitch, a 20-year-old midget, is puzzling the military authorities. He is only 38 inches tall, but has been called to serve under the conscription. Shafko passed the medical examination with flying colors so must be accepted. He will require a special uniform and the consent of the war minister will be necessary to arm him with a special miniature rifle and bayonet.

Misses Georgia Singletary and Verda Belle Allen, of Abilene, visited relatives here the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lusk, of Corpus Christi, spent the past week-end here, visiting relatives and friends.

Cuzco Constructed On Site of Ancient City of the Incas

CUZCO, Peru, Nov. 15.—Cuzco, founded by the "Children of the Sun" in 1100 A. D., as the capital of the Inca empire, is becoming familiar to the American tourist.

The fabulously wealthy empire, when the Spaniards arrived, stretched from the northern Andes, in Ecuador, to the Maule River in Chile, and embraced several million Indians living in a well-advanced state of civilization. The subjects of the Incas irrigated and fertilized the land, constructing on the steep mountain sides little terraced farms which, still productive today, are the wonder of modern engineers.

The built magnificent edifices and extensive highways. They mined gold, using it extravagantly to adorn palaces and temples, and for domestic articles. They made fabrics as fine and artistic as those found in the sarcophagi of Egypt. The pictures on the jugs, or huacos, in museums present an illuminating record of the modes and manners of the Inca and pre-Inca people.

The Cuzco of today, with the stucco walls and overhanging balconies of the Spanish city superimposed upon the ruins of ancient palaces, still holds many examples of the famous stone-work of the Incas, the outstanding example being the fortress of Saeshuaman. Unlike the stone-work of other ancient peoples, that of the Incas is made of monstrous, many-sided stones piled up like gigantic pillows.

Within a day's excursion from Cuzco are the ruins of the fortress of Machu Picchu—a maze of roofless rooms and broken archways,

of tumbling towers and steep staircases scrambling over high pinnacles above the wilderness of the Urubamba Valley.

Another nearby place full of local color is Pisac, a village with spectacular Inca ruins, particularly interesting on Sundays when the mayors, or alcaldes, of nearby villages parade in their robes of office to the church.

Airplanes and new motor roads have brought these and many other Inca attractions within easy reach of the traveler.

AMERICAN PRODUCTS LEAD INDIA'S IMPORT MARKET

CALCUTTA, India, Nov. 15.—America is taking an important part in the race of export countries for India's markets, according to a survey of the import trade of India just received.

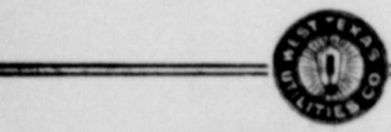
The survey shows that America and Germany are gaining on the United Kingdom with increased car sales and that imports of American and Japanese machinery are showing a marked gain. Britain is holding her own and meeting competition in the bicycle trade.

A. Y. Bell and John Hennerd, of Wellington, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lusk and Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morgan spent the week-end in Ft. Worth, visiting relatives and friends.

Jack Wheeler, of Abilene, visited friends here Wednesday.

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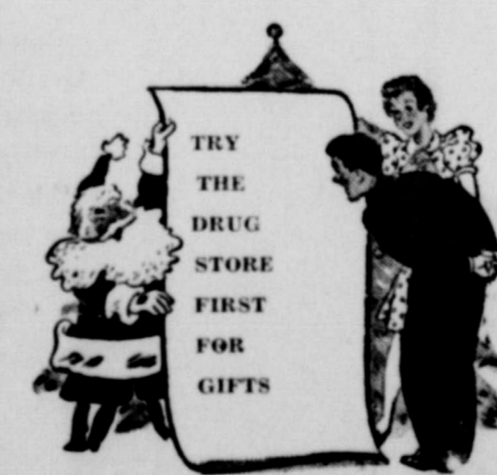
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When Lightning Strikes

By BEN BROOKE
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IF JERRY HOWARD had not been so altogether good to look upon, so interesting because of his very critical, amused attitude toward life and so adored by the two aunts who had presided over his home since he had been left an orphan at 15, perhaps no attention would have been paid to his lack of interest in girls. Given looks and wealth and youth the public is always annoyed at the refusal of a young man to marry.

"We'd like to see your wife in this home before many years, Jerry," little Aunt Lida often said to him as they sat before the library fire after dinner. Aunt Susan busily knitting across from them. "We're getting old and it's silly to pretend we'll be here forever. You need—"

"I've got all I need," Jerry protested gaily, kissing her affectionately as he arose to pace up and down the rug. "Don't worry—and don't drag any more girls here, you two frauds! There's been something impossible about every one of the four! Now I come to think of it, the things I most dislike in girls were embodied in those four! The first one simply strewed things all over the place and since I've had years of your orderliness that came hard on me. Another one told me everything I said, did or thought was utterly wonderful, and if there's anything I dislike it's hypocrisy or stupidity. Seems to me another one was boisterous and noisy, and you've taught me to like quietness and peace. But that last one, Laura—"

"Any woman," he continued, as he got out a cigarette and lit it, "any woman or girl who deliberately puts on a pink hat tells the world that she is irresponsible to all beauty, and weak and frittering mentally! It absolutely kills attractiveness. Laura was quite nice until she would go and put on that hat of hers, and I always ran when I saw it. I couldn't be happy with a girl who offended me in these ways. I'm far from perfection myself, but I'm selfish enough to want it in my wife."

Aunt Lida looked at Aunt Susan and Aunt Susan looked back. Each

tried to speak and failed, and finally they spoke together, half fearfully. "We're—we're terribly sorry, Jerry," they got out, "but we have another visitor coming tomorrow! Her grandmother is an old friend of ours and Marion is on her way out West, and we thought we'd like to see her—we—"

Jerry Howard burst out laughing. "Cheer up!" he cried. "I'll be exactly as nice to your guest as I can. I'll do everything the perfect host should do except fall in love with her!"

Nervously the two aunts awaited Marion's arrival. And 30 minutes after she came they were swamped with woe, almost in tears.

"Whatever shall we do for 10 days?" Aunt Lida queried of her sister when Marion had gone to her room. "Did you ever see anyone who bounced around more or laughed so much or had such a funny nose? And her hat went into one chair, her bag into another. And what was it she said as she grabbed up a silver-framed picture of Jerry?"

"She said," quavered Aunt Susan tremulously, "she said right out: 'Isn't he adorable! Is this Jerry? Oh, I think he's splendid!'"

"And," concluded Aunt Lida in a hushed voice, "her—her hat—it was that shade of p-p-pink!"

At dinner that night when Jerry was home to meet their guest, tears came to the eyes of Aunt Susan. For Marion with the impish face was a bundle of laughter and talk. She told Jerry frankly three times he was marvelous.

The next morning when Marion appeared in sports clothes, she was wearing the pink hat, and she danced off to meet Jerry approaching in his runabout. His smile, in view of the hat, his aunts decided, was nothing short of heroic. All that day they suffered vicariously with Jerry driving his lively visitor to the country club and the golf links, pink hat, laughter and chatter for eight hours at a stretch.

"It's pitiful!" they told each other that night after the two had returned. "From his manner one would never dream what he is going through!"

For the rest of Marion's visit they dutifully picked up after her, endured the radio and shut their eyes to her choice of colors. For she seemed fond of that shade of pink and it was frequent in her wardrobe. They found to their surprise, however, that they were sorry to have her go when the last day of her visit arrived. There was something about the child which had stolen into their hearts, her gaiety, her real sweetness, her saucy face.

"Before Marion goes," Jerry told them, "we want to tell you that she's coming back again—to stay! I expect you can't believe it for I'm hardly able to myself—to think that a perfectly wonderful girl like herself should ever care for me!"

Drawing her closer, he kissed her. The pink hat brushed his face, but he seemed unaware of the fact. It dawned on the aunts that he did not even know it was pink. That was what happened to a man when the lightning struck!

"She was just made for you, Jerry!" the two little old ladies chorused. And meant it.

HUNTERS LEAVE HERE FOR EARLY SHOOTING IN GAME REGIONS

A party of local men left Wednesday for their favorite hunting grounds in the Blue Mountains of Mason county. In the group were Hamp Byler, Hugh Campbell, W. V. Connelly and J. G. Tuckey. They were joined by Wade Rosser, of Bangs, and John Byler, of Brady.

W. O. Wallace, Chester Cherry, R. J. Hawk, Joe Eubank, W. B. May, K. V. Northington and D. G. Posey, of Ballinger; and Johnny McDaniel and E. L. Turner, of Abilene; left here Wednesday to go to a lease in Mason county.

Another party left Tuesday for the Chisos Mountains to hunt blacktail deer for several days. Jack Scales and Lucius Evans, of Ballinger; and Pete Petrie, of Crews, were in this group. They made arrangements sometime ago for their hunting privileges and obtained permission to hunt on a ranch where blacktail are said to be plentiful.

C. A. Bissett and H. A. Burk joined a group from Lubbock to hunt near Cherry Springs, Kimble county. The party began hunting this morning and expect to finish the outing about Sunday. Deer in this part of Kimble county are said to be very fat this year and the Ballingerites hope to bring home some fine bucks.

Arthur Underwood and P. A. Cobden left Tuesday afternoon for Marathon, near where they will hunt blacktail deer and bear in the Big Bend region several days.

A. B. Stobaugh and Dr. C. W. Chentham, of Ballinger; and Dr. C. Chentham, of Millersview; left the first of the week for the Waddy Burnham ranch in the Big Bend on their annual deer hunt. They were joined there by R. R. Williams, formerly of Ballinger.

Cecil Davis and Clifford Archie left Wednesday to hunt deer in the Big Bend. They plan to be gone until they get their limit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Forson spent the past week-end at Waco. They attended the Baylor-Texas football game Saturday.

Mrs. M. H. Montgomery, of San Angelo, spent the week-end here, visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Agnew.

Mrs. A. R. Jones, of Lubbock, visited friends here over the week-end.

PIONEER RANCHMAN OF THIS COUNTY IS VISITOR IN CITY

W. Gentry, of Anson, was here today with Joe Huffman, visiting and attending to business. This was Mr. Gentry's first visit here in many years. He came to Ballinger in 1895 and operated a ranch near town several years. He stated that he attended the Ballinger school in the early days with Will Gressett, W. A. Francis, Alfred Luckett, John Guion and others.

Mr. Huffman, for a number of years in the automobile business at Anson, stated that he was moving to California in about two weeks. He was with the Ford agency in Ballinger several years ago before moving to Anson.

LONDON MAN CLAIMS HE THRIVES ON GRASS

LONDON, Nov. 15.—On his sixty-seventh birthday J. R. B. Branson had to convince his friends that he was that old, then revealed that he thrived on grass. He has it gathered from a bowling green, washes it, dries it in the sun, then cooks it. Sometimes he adds a few dandelion leaves, a pinch of sugar, or raw brussel sprouts.

Branson got the idea in India, and argues that what is good for animals is good for him. It took him two years to acquire a taste for grass.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schnable visited in Shawnee, Oklahoma, with Mr. Schnable's parents the past week-end.

Mrs. Mattie Holliday is visiting relatives in Dallas this week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Boelsche spent the past week-end with relatives and friends at Hearne and College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray spent the Armistice holidays in Wichita Falls, visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Croft, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, have a new baby son, Dona Lee, born the past week-end. Mrs. Croft was formerly Miss Dorothy Chaney, of Ballinger.

Mrs. Ruth Saunders, of Snyder, and son, Bob Guthrie, of Dallas, were week-end visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ford Taylor spent the Armistice holidays at Dallas, visiting and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sturges, Jr., spent the week-end with friends at Waco.

Della's Wedding Day

By SMITH PETERS
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"A BUTTERFLY on the shoulders?" asked Della, her lips parted a little as she spoke.

"Yes, and the skirt . . ." Noel Morgan's mother went on eagerly.

"Now, look here," interrupted Noel, "the dress is stolen along with heaven alone knows how many other dresses and coats and wraps, so what's the use of talking about it?"

"That's right, of course," said Mrs. Morgan slowly. "You and Della had better go for a little walk and I'll iron out my collar and handkerchiefs for tomorrow."

"But I want to hear the rest about the dress," Della insisted.

She heard Mrs. Morgan's description of the dress to the last minute detail with but one ear. Her other ear seemed to hear over and over the words: "You can't be married now! You can't be married now!"

Noel Morgan was making only a fair-sized income, an income which would serve the purposes of two people, but not three. His mother had for years been the capable head of the department of suits and coats in the leading shop of the city. Entirely independent financially, Mrs. Morgan led a most delightful life. Then of a sudden between \$3,000 and \$4,000 worth of dresses, coats and ensembles had been stolen one night.

"It has all the earmarks of an inside job," the police detective reported to the owners.

Then another robbery occurred and another—and another.

"Inside jobs, all of them!" the detective said.

"And if mother loses her position we just can't be married, Della," said Noel miserably.

"We can't issue any more insurance against theft until you've cleaned up the department," stated the insurance company. "Either you will have to dismiss every one in the department or you will have to check up the last five years in every one's life, and then you may locate your difficulty."

"Foolish talk to speak of checking up the last five years of every employee. Why, except for Mrs. Morgan they've all come to us within the year. Labor turnover . . ." said the owners.

"They'll clean out the department, I suppose," Mrs. Morgan told Della.

But within Della's pretty little head grew a plan. Her keen memory could picture the stolen dresses one by one. She went to the busiest corner of town. There she stood watching girls and women go by, hoping that sooner or later some of the stolen clothes would appear on someone.

After two hours of weary waiting, however, she had seen none of the clothes. She took a street car, more to rest her aching feet than because she wanted to ride. She glued her eyes to every shop she passed. Suddenly she sprang to her feet and ran down the aisle of the street car.

At the next corner she could hardly move because of the beating of her heart. A dingy sign with the word MODISTE swung in the middle of the block behind her. And in the window had been displayed a dress with a butterfly on the shoulder. And on the skirt . . . butterflies!

Now that she had actually found one of the looked-for garments she hardly knew what step to take. She decided to telephone both Mrs. Morgan and Noel.

"But, child! I can't leave the store!" gasped Mrs. Morgan when Della asked her to hurry to No. 1400 Smith street. "Right now, you know—unless something is wrong?" she added.

"Oh, everything is right, not wrong," Della laughed hysterically. "Oh, hurry, hurry! Take a cab and don't lose a minute!"

And such was the efficiency of the police that before night the little modiste had gone back to her shop, having convinced every one that she was blameless, having bought frocks from a man who represented himself as a wholesaler clearing out his stock. The criminal himself peered out from behind bars, telling any and all who would listen that it was the red-haired Sadie, the newest girl in Mrs. Morgan's department, who had led him astray.

"Yes," said Sadie bitterly. "I once served time and he knew if they found it out at the store they'd fire me. So he threatened to tell them unless I left open the fire-escape door so that the burglar alarms couldn't sound when he came in! Oh, I might have known how it would end! And I'm straight now, too!"

But now that the store owners knew, Sadie found that they were quite willing to keep her. And Mrs. Morgan continued efficiently in the position she had held for years and Della—

"Well, every one wondered how it happened that when Della was married she wore a gown that had on one shoulder a butterfly, the gift of the shop where her mother-in-law worked."

"They certainly are wonderful to Mrs. Morgan down there where she works," every one said.

The open-pit iron ore mine in Hibbing, Minnesota, contains more than 70 miles of railroad tracks. This is the largest mine of its kind in the world.

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Malaria Germs Thought to Fight Battle to Death

WASHINGTON, November 15.—A death battle between two kinds of malaria germs when both happen to have invaded the same human body is disclosed by Dr. Bruce Mayne and Dr. Martin D. Young, of the state hospital at Columbia, S. C., in a report published by the United States public health service.

Either the germs of different kinds themselves refuse to live with each other or else nature deems it enough for anyone to have one kind of malaria at a time.

Instead of the ancient theory of "bad air," which is what "malaria" means in Italian, physicians now know that this disease is caused by tiny animal germs living in the sufferer's blood. At intervals these blood germs multiply more or less suddenly in numbers, like the swarming days of insects or the spawning days of fish.

This is what explains the three-day or four-day characters of different kinds of malaria, marked by chills, fever or other symptoms when new flocks of the malaria parasites appear. One kind of germ causes the three-day or tertian fever, another kind the four-day or quartan fever, and so on.

As now is true in the majority

of mental hospitals, physicians at Columbia have been giving intentional cases of malaria to some of the patients, as one way of curing mental disease. Sometimes the three-day germ has been used, sometimes the four-day one. To Dr. Mayne and Dr. Young it occurred to try both kinds together. If one kind of malaria worked cures, perhaps two kinds would be still better. That is not how it worked out. Instead, one or the other kind of the two germs multiplied in the patient's body, the second died.

Just why this should happen is a mystery. The two germs do not eat each other and either seems to get along in the body about equally well, so that their battles raise one of the most curious cases of germ antagonism yet discovered.

BAOBAB TREES ENORMOUS

TANANARIVO, Madagascar, Nov. 15.—The enormous baobab trees of Majunga are so large that it would take fifteen men with outstretched arms to encircle one of them. They line many of the town's streets.

INDIA'S MOUNTAINS HIGH

KHATMANDU, India, Nov. 15.—Five of the world's highest mountains are located in India. They are Kanchenjunga, Godwin Austen, Nanga Parbat, Unanda Devi and Kamet. Mount Everest, the highest mountain of all, is in Tibet.

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CHURCHES

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Sunday, November 19, 1939:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock
Sermon, "Leanness of Soul."
Evening worship, 7:00 o'clock
Sermon, "The Christian's Business in the World."
Monday:
The Woman's Auxiliary meets at 4:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Mid-week service, 7:00 p. m.
Continuation of the subject, "How We Got Our Bible."

First Methodist Church
(Teath Street)
Sunday, November 19:
Church school, 9:45 a. m.
Monday:
Woman's Missionary Society, 4 p. m.
Wednesday:
Choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.

Church of the Nazarene
(Ninth at Harris)
Sunday, November 19:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by the pastor.
Young People's Society, 6:45 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock, sermon by the pastor.
Monday:
Woman's Missionary Society, 2:30 p. m.
Wednesday:
Mid-week prayer service, 7:30 p. m.
H. H. SPENCER, Pastor

Ballinger Baptist Church
(400 Eighth Street)
Sunday, November 19:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Sermon, 11 a. m., by the pastor.
R. A., 2 p. m.
Baptist Training Union, 6 p. m.
Sermon, 7 p. m.
Monday:
Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.
Woman's Missionary Society, 4 p. m.
Tuesday Evening:
O. A. and Y. W. A.
Wednesday Evening:
"All-Church."
The public is invited to attend all the services of our church.
CLARENCE A. MORTON, Pastor.

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
Sunday, November 19, 1939:
9:45 a. m., Sunday school.
11 a. m., preaching by pastor.
7:00 p. m., senior young people.
7:30 p. m., preaching by pastor.
Wednesday:
7:30 p. m., prayer meeting.
FRED CLARK, Pastor.

First Christian Church
(Broadway and Murrell)
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Monday:
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
A cordial welcome to all visitors.
JAR T. McKISSICK, Minister.

Church of Christ
(Eighth Street, Bonsall Avenue)
Sunday:
Churches of Christ radio hours:
KRBC, 7:30 a. m.; WOAL, 8:45 a. m.; KRLD, 10 p. m.; XERA, Del Rio, twice daily, 6:15 a. m. and 10:15 p. m., except Sunday.
Bible classes, 9:45 a. m.
Young people's meeting, 6:45 p. m.
Monday:
Ladies' Bible class, 4 p. m.
Wednesday:
Bible classes, 7:45 p. m.

In Other Words—'Don't Disturb the Pilot'



This poster, distributed in Italy, shows Premier Mussolini at the controls of his bombing plane which bears the inscription: "The Italian people know that they must not disturb the pilot, especially when he is engaged in tempestuous navigation; nor ask notice of the route at every turn." The inscription, of course, applies to Italy's stand on the international situation. Italy's diplomatic course is not to be questioned by its people.

Grace Baptist Church
(Eighth Street)
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning service, 11 o'clock.
Evening service, 7:45 o'clock.
Wednesday evening prayer service, 7:45 o'clock.
JOE HULL, Pastor.

Foursquare Gospel Church
(104 North Twelfth Street)
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock.
Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
Young People's service, Thurs-

day, 7:30 p. m.
A welcome to all crusaders.
E. N. MURGATROYD, Pastor.

Church of God
(Corner of Sixth and Strong)
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m., Rev. G. B. Walters, of Sweetwater, preaching.
Junior meeting at 5 p. m.
Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m., by Rev. Walters.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7 p. m.
Bible study, Friday, 7 p. m.
LYDIA COUVISIER, Supt.

Baltimore Clinics Use Much Radium In Curing Cancer

BALTIMORE, Nov. 15.—Between 4,000 and 5,000 cancer patients received radium treatment in Baltimore's three cancer clinics during the past year.
By far the large majority of these were treated at the Howard A. Kelly Hospital, where the first cancer clinic in the United States was established in 1908 with 150 milligrams of radium. Now the clinic has 3,000 milligrams, the largest concentrated amount of radium in the world. Approximately twenty-five cancer patients

Help From the Sky



A "suicide squad" of women parachute jumpers to offer first aid to wounded soldiers behind front lines is advocated by Marie McMillan, New York, holder of the world's parachute jumping record for women. The services of the "battalion of mercy" will be offered to France, said Miss McMillan.

are treated there daily, according to Dr. William Neale, who estimates that radium was used on 4,380 cases during the year.
Radium was used in treating 139 cancer victims at the clinic

conducted at the University Hospital by Dr. J. Mason Hundley, Jr., and Dr. Grant Ward, while fifty-four patients received the same treatment at the South Baltimore General Hospital's clinic. The Memorial Hospital, at Cumberland, also conducts a cancer clinic providing radium, X-ray and surgery.

Cure for Common Cold is Advanced By Indian Medicine

WASHINGTON, November 15.—Eating crabs for medicine as well as food may be more valuable than Western doctors know, according to an account of medicines made from crabs in India, supplied to Dr. Waldo L. Schmitt, of the United States National Museum by A. Ramakrishna Reddy, of Annamalai University, and printed by the Washington Academy of Sciences.

Instead of cleaned and separated crab meat, Indian medical dishes may use shell and everything. Recommended to cure colds is a soup in which ten whole crabs are crushed; shells, gills and all. These then are boiled with pepper, garlic, salt and other seasoning.

Two other kinds of crabs recommended for patients with malaria are cracked, the top shells, legs

and gills discarded, and the rest of the animal boiled with chili, cinnamon, coriander and other seasonings and then fried with onion and garlic in the liquid Indian butter or ghee. This dish also is recommended for asthma and as a tonic.

Mr. Reddy thinks that these crab dishes scarcely can have gained their reputation in India medicine without having some real value. Perhaps valuable mineral salts or vitamins are in the crab's digestive glands, used in the Indian dishes but commonly discarded in western cookery.

TREES RAIN BAD EGGS

COLIGNY, Union of South Africa, Nov. 15.—To learn the nature of tree on J. Boshoff's farm near Coligny, a stranger gave some a good shaking and was showered by eggs of tick birds, whose nests crowded the branches. Eggs the size of golf balls pelted him, breaking on his hat, jacket and trousers. As most of them had been laid months before the man fled to escape asphyxiation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Truitt, of Sonora, were week-end guests in the home of Mrs. Truitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Canady.

Mrs. K. A. Anderson, of Palestine, is a guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Boelsche.



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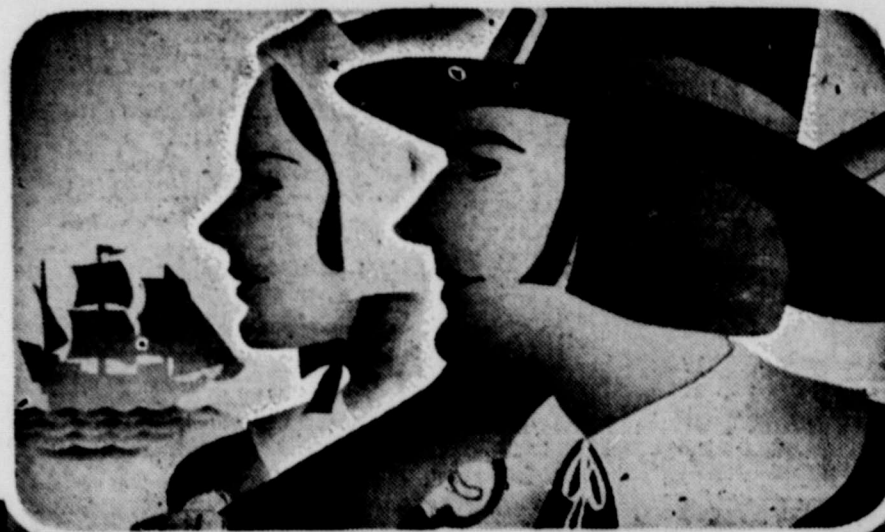
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- Children's Shoes 98c up
- Suede Jackets, fully lined \$4.95
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