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County Meets September War Stamp-Bond Quota

Runnels county was credited with the purchase of \$69,975.25 in war bonds and stamps for month of September, and the October quota was announced as the same as that for September, \$59,800. Credited sales in the county put purchases \$10,175.25 above the quota for September and there was a credit of approximately \$26,000 more than the tabulated sales made in this county last month. R. E. Bruce, county chairman, stated that all purchases in which the buyer gave Runnels county as his address would now be credited to the county quota, this to include those bought by service men.

A letter from the state headquarters, received this week, complimented the county committee on its work and also announced that sales in Texas amounted to \$27,250,000 or about 12 per cent above the September quota.

The state chairman urged that intensive work continue during the remainder of the year to keep the record up and for every county to strive to oversubscribe enough during the fall to put the annual quota over the top.

Runnels county fell slightly under its quota in some of the summer months but in May and before that month oversubscribed by comfortable margins. Purchasing of bonds began in earnest here in October and with a big bond-stamp rally scheduled in November, fall buying is expected to be accelerated the remainder of the year. Christmas gifts also will center largely around bonds and stamps this year and will add to the total to be bought by this county's citizens.

County's Ginnings Estimated 25,000 Bales to Present

Cotton men here estimated this week that ginnings up to tonight totaled approximately 25,000 bales and that only about 10,000 more would be gathered. Those who first forecast the 1942 crop at 40,000 bales have reduced their estimates to 35,000.

Many farmers are experiencing trouble in getting their crops harvested. The big crowd of pickers here for the first picking have moved on to "greener fields" and the second picking is presenting a labor problem.

The official ginning figures for Runnels county on October 1 were 16,320 bales as compared with 9,089 bales on the same date in 1941. These figures were released this week by the department of commerce, Washington.

Production has been spotted in the county, some fields yielding around half a bale per acre and others falling far short of that mark. One of the main factors in the final production will be the matter of securing labor to pick the last of the crop. All West Texas counties are finding trouble on this score and in some sections it has been suggested that business houses close to help and in other areas school children are helping.

Army Will Cooperate In Armistice Program

Plans are shaping up for the program to be held in Ballinger on Armistice Day, November 11. The committee has been assured of support by Camp Berkeley officers and Dr. W. R. White, president of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, has accepted an invitation to make the principal address at 11 a. m. The afternoon program consists mainly of school activities, including the Ballinger-Coleman football game.

Rain has twice interfered with big military and war bond-stamp rallies in Ballinger. For that reason Camp Berkeley authorities were willing to help the local committee and will send a large detachment here to provide a military background for the events.

Included in the army groups will be the 90th Division Artillery Band, company L of the 357th infantry, battery C, 915th field artillery, a post marshal and a unit of military police. The soldiers will pitch tents, bring their

Mexican is Stabbed To Death at Winters; Hearing Here Today

Raul Gonzales, boss of a crew of Mexican cotton pickers, was stabbed to death in Winters Sunday night about 11 o'clock and Clemente Mata was brought to a hearing here this afternoon charged with the murder.

According to evidence given by Mata at the hearing before Justice of the Peace G. A. Jarrett this afternoon, the stabbing took place at Gonzales' truck in Winters Sunday night and the accused admitted the slaying.

Sheriff J. L. Moreland stated that Gonzales was stabbed deep into the heart with a long-bladed knife and died almost instantly. Mata was arrested later. A large number of Mexicans were here this afternoon for the murder hearing.

All the group were members of a cotton picking crew brought from San Benito to work in this section. Due to an interpreter being required the hearing moved slowly and no official charge had been filed or bond set at press time.

15 RUNNELS COUNTY BOYS ARE VOLUNTEERS

The Runnels county draft board received notice of a large number of volunteers from this county Wednesday and today. Included were:

- Theron A. Collins, army, Winters
- Wilbur M. Barrett, army, Miles
- Alden J. Thorp, Jr., marines, Ballinger
- James Midgley, navy, Ballinger
- Donnie Holmes, army, Winters
- Herbert Emil Jacob, army, Winters
- Edgar Joe Bryan, navy (aviation cadet), Ballinger
- William Ernest Cross, army, Ballinger
- Leland E. Mills, army, Winters
- Pat E. Underwood, army, Norton
- Benedict J. Gully, army, Rowena
- John C. Fuller, marine corps, Talpa route 2
- Ray Waylon Hynson, army, San Angelo
- Thomas Buford McDaniels, army, Ballinger
- John D. Easterly, army, Winters

NEW CADET CLASS WILL DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

The entire cadet group at the Harman Training Center will be guests at a dance in the Army & Navy Club hall Saturday evening. The club will be open Saturday afternoon for the cadets on pass and dancing will start at 8 p. m.

All girls in and near Ballinger are especially invited to attend as the new class will be in town for its first visit and a large number of girls will be needed to provide partners for the large number of men in class 43-D.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Karmany visited in Abilene Sunday.

U. S. Commandos of Jungle Prepare for All Comers



"Bushmasters," Uncle Sam's Commandos of the jungle, are shown at left building a "wiki-up" in the dense, rainy forests of Panama. It's a pup tent raised from the ground to keep the men dry and protected from snakes. Right: Wearing gas masks, these crack jungle-commando infantry men offer grim evidence of the deadly surprise awaiting any enemy attack in the Panama area.

Students and Helpers Gather 100 Tons Scrap Here Tuesday

93 Men Scheduled Here for Induction In 2 October Calls

The Runnels county draft board is getting ready to send sixteen men off for army physical examinations on October 17. On October 26 seventy-seven more will be sent off, making a total of 93 for the month.

Included in the group will be a few married men who have married since December 28, 1941, and come in the first class of such men to be inducted.

The sixteen to report Saturday are as follows:

- John Oliver Powe, Talpa route 2
- Chester LeRoy Talley, Ballinger
- Garland A. Smith, Ballinger
- Albert Edward Green, Winters route 2
- Tom Burkett Hall, Ballinger route 1
- Louis Ben Lentz, Ballinger
- Eugene Stevens Baker, Winters
- Clifford Wilbourn Scarbrough, Ballinger
- Glen Austin Desmore, Maverick
- William Jefferson Daniels, Winters
- Benny Nail Allen, Ballinger
- Rob Roy Wright, Ballinger
- Joram Otto Wood, Talpa route 2
- Roy Clarence Mayo, Winters route 1
- James Thomas Davis, Winters route 3
- J. D. Brooks, Miles.

The board announced that Ray Tisdale, Ballinger oil dealer, had volunteered for officers' training and would leave with the next group. Two other men were listed as volunteers from the Runnels county lists, William Dick Wilson, Jr., of Ballinger, entering the army, and Frank Leland Cowan, of Maverick, joining the navy.

FIREMEN TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING ON OCTOBER 22; OFFICERS WILL BE ELECTED

The annual meeting of the Ballinger fire department will be held at the city hall Thursday evening, October 22. At this meeting reports of the year's work will be made by officers and committee heads and new officers will be elected.

BOY SCOUT FUND DRIVE SCHEDULED OCTOBER 27

Boy Scout leaders have announced that a financial drive will be conducted in Ballinger October 27 for the purpose of raising the annual budget for the organization. Paul Ireland, area executive, of San Angelo, was here this week to discuss the drive with local officials and will return next week to complete plans. Last year Ballinger contributed \$670 to this worthy cause, most of the donations being paid monthly.

Good-Byes Are Said To Thirty-Nine Men Leaving for Army

A large crowd gathered at the Central Hotel Friday morning to say good bye to 39 Runnels county boys leaving for a military reception center.

Farewell parties are sponsored by the Pat Williams Post, American Legion, with the cooperation of the Ballinger Board of Community Development. The B. C. D. furnished cigarettes for the inductees Friday morning and these were distributed by Legionnaires to all men leaving here.

Judge Paul Trimmer, chairman of the county draft board, called the selectees together and called the roll of all on the roster. The men were then lined up for a picture and remained in line as Sam Bheringer spoke in behalf of the American Legion and citizens of Ballinger. Mr. Bheringer reminded the boys of another group leaving Ballinger under similar circumstances 24 years ago and added that they were departing to win a peace which the others failed to do.

Following the brief program it was a touching scene as relatives and friends said good-bye to the men leaving. There were many tears shed as the boys boarded two large buses and pulled out for their destination.

On the downtown streets the pupils built piles on corners of each block and these dumps grew as many children carried smaller amounts to the larger piles where they were loaded on trucks. Old sewing machines, typewriters, wire stretchers, scales, stoves, boilers, steel safes, cannon balls, wash pots, pipe and hundreds of other articles were thrown into the piles to be turned into munitions to fight the axis.

Some citizens who had not cooperated caught the fever and late in the afternoon there were many telephone calls asking that trucks call at certain places to get loads that had been gathered after the drive was well underway.

An effort was made to weigh every load brought to the depot but this plan failed. At the Lynn & Son scales on Tenth Street 137,254 pounds were weighed but many other loads were dumped in without the weight being recorded. A conservative estimate placed the weight of scrap collected during the afternoon at 200,000 pounds, with a number of heavy pieces to be added Wednesday.

H. J. Zappe, county junk campaign chairman, said the school officials, teachers and pupils were to be congratulated and declared it one of the most successful affairs he had ever seen. Business men who closed shop and helped in the work were delighted with the results and some said it had done more to create real patriotism in Ballinger than anything done since the beginning of the war.

The quota set for Texas asked that each student gather at least fifty pounds but the average in Ballinger probably will be over 150 pounds. Supt. Nat Williams was delighted with the results and expressed appreciation to the business men and the Ballinger Board of Com-

Members of class 43-B moved on Friday and Saturday, the majority being sent to Waco, a few to Greenville, and the remainder leaving Saturday morning for Goodfield Field, San Angelo. There was a heavy movement of cadets in this section of the state during the week-end as graduating classes were moved and recruits from reception centers took their places in primary air schools.

WPA Scrap Project Here; Every Tin Can Is Wanted

Gas Ration Board To be Appointed Soon for County

County Judge E. C. Grinstead received instructions Wednesday to set up a gasoline rationing board in Runnels county to be composed of seven members. The mayors of Ballinger, Miles and Winters were called on to suggest men to serve on the board, with three to be designated at Ballinger, two at Miles, and two at Winters.

At the same time the AAA office here received orders to name a five-man committee to register trucks, farm machinery and commercial cars. Registration of these vehicles will be made the latter part of this month.

County Superintendent Ernest Caskey was in Austin last week and received information that the school teachers of the nation probably would conduct the general registration which will precede the issuing of gasoline cards to car owners.

It was also announced this week that all car owners must turn in any surplus tires over five by November 1.

No appointments have been made to the gasoline rationing board to date but names will be announced soon. Judge Grinstead and school officials expect further information on plans for the rationing program.

SERVING UNCLE SAM

Captain and Mrs. L. D. Shaw were here to spend the week-end with friends. Captain Shaw has been serving in several places in the United States since leaving Ballinger and at present is stationed at Camp Hunt, Louisiana. He and Mrs. Shaw left Monday for a short stop at Camp Hood, near Waco, to attend to business.

Jimmie and Curtis Williams, formerly of Ballinger and sons of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williams of this city, have enlisted in the U. S. marine corps at Denison and were sent to San Diego, California, for training.

Sergeant C. R. Richardson and wife, of Camp Berkeley, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Richardson.

Miss Mildred Gentry, of San Antonio, is here for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gentry. She will report for duty at Camp Berkeley as a lieutenant in the army nurses' corps on October 15.

Frank Barnes, Ballinger boy, has received his wings as a glider pilot at 29 Palms Air Academy, California, and is now stationed at Kirkland Field, Albuquerque, New Mexico. He will receive advanced training there before getting a definite assignment.

Lieut. J. E. Fowler has returned to the base hospital at El Paso after a short visit here with relatives and friends. He is a navigator in the air corps.

Lieut. Warren Murphy, who recently received his commission at Fort Benning, Georgia, is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Murphy. He will be assigned to duty at Camp Claiborne, La., near Alexandria.

Pvt. Robert David Williams, of (Continued on page 8)

Scrap committees from every section of Runnels county will be here tonight for a meeting called by County Chairman H. J. Zappe. A number of very important questions have come up that will cause a continuation of hard work for the committees and the launching of new programs.

Mr. Zappe will explain a WPA project which has been secured for this county in which crews and trucks will arrive here next week to begin a canvass of the rural sections. These crews will visit every farm in the county, gather, load and haul the scrap to the nearest shipping point. They will also pay the farmer for the junk at his farm which is worth about \$5 per ton where it is gathered and hauled. With this new project, Chairman Zappe hopes to obtain about two million pounds of junk metal in this county.

A quick drive will be launched immediately for all tin cans. This is the first time that tin cans of small sizes have been called for in this region but an urgent demand has been sent to all salvage committee chairmen, stating that collection of tin cans will be started at once in all sections and continued for the duration of the war.

The message received here said: "Our war effort needs every used tin can in this country—from today until the war is over. Tin and steel—we want every single ounce. Not one can should reach a city or county dump from this week on."

The memorandum further pointed out that unless tin cans are properly prepared the vital tin coating will be lost. Housewives should cut both ends off, wash the can thoroughly and remove the label, and step on the can to mash it flat. Cans should be stored in a barrel or box and held until a plan is announced for collecting them. The closing paragraph reads: "This is war and we must realize that our willingness to cooperate fully and completely in the salvage program may mean the difference between victory and defeat."

Mr. Zappe urges that without further notice every housewife in Runnels county start preparing and saving tin cans. Heretofore the government has not called for tin cans in this region but conditions have changed and every can should be salvaged for the general war program.

MARtha Kay Northington NOT SERIOUSLY INJURED

Little Martha Kay Northington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Northington, sustained severe injuries late Wednesday afternoon when she fell from the back seat of the family car on the highway near Water Valley. She was rushed to San Angelo and this morning Mr. Northington telephoned friends here that the X-ray showed nothing serious other than cuts and bruises and that they expected to bring the little girl home some time Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Northington and Martha Kay were en route to Midland to attend the graduation of Cadet Don Metter and see him get his wings. Metter became a close friend of the Northingtons while in training at the Harman Center and had chosen Martha Kay as his "sweetheart" for the graduation rites.

The accident occurred about 6:30 Wednesday evening when the little girl told her mother the door was open and before anything could be done she had fallen to the pavement. Mr. Northington said he was driving only 35 miles an hour and that prevented more serious injury.

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Women's, Society and Club News

Sunday Morning Ceremony for Miss Kathryn Bell and Lucian James Ivey
Miss Kathryn Yantis Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bell, became the bride of Lucian James Ivey, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ivey of Taft, last Sunday morning at nine o'clock at the First Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. J. C. Johnson, church pastor, officiating for the single ring service attended by relatives and close friends.

The altar decoration, lovely in its simplicity, was arranged of tall baskets of gold autumn daisies, chrysanthemums and dahlias connected with trailers of English ivy and ligustrum berries against a background of lace ferns.

Miss Maggie Underwood was at the organ console for the nuptial music. Preceding the solos "I Love Thee" by Grieg, and "O Promise Me" by DeKoven, sung by Mrs. F. M. Pearce, she played Edgar's "Salute to Love," Henselt's "Morning Serenade," and D'Hardelot's "Because." The traditional Lohengrin and Mendelssohn marches were used for the processional and recessional.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a two-piece crepe costume suit of alert blue with silver nail head trimming. Her hat was of the same shade and other accessories were luggage tan, and her corsage was of bronze chrysanthemums. For "something old" she carried a handkerchief of lace belonging to her great-great aunt.

Mrs. Julian Hadley, matron of honor, wore a dress of navy crepe with fuchsia accessories and corsage of chrysanthemums. Miss Virginia Bell, only sister of the bride, was maid of honor and wore a frock of honeybeige corduroy made with long torso. Her accessories were of British tan and flowers for her corsage and her hair were orchid carnations. Julian Hadley attended the bridegroom as best man.

After her graduation with honors from the Ballinger High School, Mrs. Ivey attended East Texas State Teachers' College at Commerce. For the past several years, she has been employed by Lyon, McAlpine & Co.

Mr. Ivey, who was a former flight instructor at the Fred Harman training center at Bruce Field, will receive his commission as a first lieutenant in the U. S. Army Air Corps at Kelly Field in three weeks. He attended Schreiner Institute and Texas Tech.

The couple left immediately following the ceremony for San Antonio, where they will be at home.

Miss Lynn is Honoree
Miss Cordelia Lynn, bride-elect

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of James Montgomery Brown of Texas City, was named honor guest by Mrs. Leslie Baker Monday morning when she was hostess at a bridge breakfast at the Central Hotel.

Tall baskets of yellow autumn daisies gave room decoration and small vases of gold dwarf zinnias centered tables where the hostess' engraved cards marked places for the two-course breakfast.

In contract games, Mrs. Claude Stone was high score prize winner and Mrs. Tommie Hall binged. Besides a gift of silver to Miss Lynn, remembrances went to her mother, Mrs. Estes Lynn, and her grandmother, Mrs. Jack McGregor, Mrs. J. W. Gosnell, and the hostess' sister, Mrs. C. C. Prater of Hamlin.

Others included: Mmes. G. A. Ragsdale of Midland, Victor Miller, Sr., Leonard Seales, J. B. Stripplin, Paul Trimmer, Ross Murchison, W. B. Woody, Julian Hadley, E. L. Ingram, Malcolm McGregor, R. G. Erwin, J. G. Douglass, Nat Williams, Paul Blakeley, Victor Miller, Jr., Arthur Underwood, J. C. Johnson, George Holman, R. W. Earnshaw, Fred Harman, E. W. Staesney, Tom Agnew, R. T. Williams, Harry Lynn, Alex Saunders, L. R. Tigner, F. M. Pearce, and Alex McGregor.

Aviation Cadet Beaupre and Michigan Girl Marry Here

Miss Madalyn Snyder of Detroit, Michigan, and Aviation Cadet Albert Dean Beaupre, also of Detroit, were married last Saturday evening in the Methodist parsonage with the Rev. Elmer C. Carter reading the single ring service.

White and pink dahlias decorated the living room, where Mrs. Carter was at the piano for "At Dawning" and "Love Song" played preceding the Lohengrin processional.

Aviation Cadet Thomas E. Dick and Mrs. Dick attended the couple. The bride wore a costume suit of military blue with maroon accessories and her corsage was of white carnations and valley lilies. Mrs. Dick wore a dress of ashes of roses crepe with black accessories and pink carnations corsage.

Presbyterian Business Women Meet

Miss Virginia Holman was hostess to the Business Women's Circle of the First Presbyterian Auxiliary in her home on Eighth Street Monday evening.

Miss Winnie Trail, vice-chairman, presided over the business session, and Mrs. C. R. Stephens, circle sponsor, gave a review of Dr. Samuel Jockel's "While It is Day." The study of Luke will begin at the next meeting under the direction of Miss Margaret Crocker.

Mrs. Hembree is Ace of Clubs Hostess

Mrs. W. J. Hembree was Ace of Clubs hostess last Thursday afternoon in her home on Seventh Street.

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By taking part in the Penny Milk Program of the Agricultural Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, schools and other non-profit organizations can help build healthier citizens and at the same time open wider markets for dairy farmers.

School Children to Receive Milk for One Cent Half Pint

Creating new outlets for the increased production of milk by the farmers of Runnels county is the chief purpose of the new school milk program which is now operating in one city school, P. M. Miller, Abilene, acting area supervisor, agricultural marketing

administration, said today. About 1,440 children are enrolled in this school.

Every child in the participating school will be eligible to receive milk each day at a cost of one cent a half pint under the program. Money realized from this small charge will be used to help pay for processing, bottling and delivering the milk. The marketing administration of the department of agriculture will pay local farmers \$3.75, the regular f. o. b. price paid by city plants for unprocessed milk to be sold for consumption as fluid milk. School officials sponsoring the program locally will be responsible for contracting with producers and handlers and will serve the milk.

Mr. Miller declared the program will be operated without discrimination against any child or group of children. "Parents may be assured their children will receive the same treatment as their neighbor's children. All of the children will get all of the milk they want for the same small cost. Our motto will be 'more milk for more children.'"

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Gift Shower in Brevard Home Honors Mrs. H. S. Murphy, Jr.

Mrs. H. S. Murphy, Jr., who before her recent marriage was Miss Virginia Fowler, was honored last Thursday afternoon when Mrs. D. L. Brevard, Mrs. A. W. Malone, Mrs. Charles Tounget, and Mrs. E. W. Gray were hostesses at a gift party in the Brevard home in the Blanton community.

The patriotic tri-colors were featured in room decorations and other party details. Favors were miniature airplanes.

In games, gifts were presented the honoree as winner, and a booby went to Mrs. M. M. Flanagan.

A plate of sandwiches and cake with a hot spiced drink was served. Others present were: Mmes. Joe Lee Cooper, James Spratt, Bill Witter, Flay Brevard, Harvey Edmond, R. L. Boothe, Joe Cox, Malone Gallant, Willie Witt, Mattie James, J. E. Fowler, Joe Witt, R. H. Fowler, Beulah Gallant, J. W. Reese, W. M. Gaddy, Olin Smith, Warren McCullough, H. S. Murphy, Sr., Rufus Allen, Harmon Boothe, Chas. James, O. Z. Foreman, and J. S. Flanagan. Those sending gifts were: Mmes. S. D. Williams, Lee Huddleston, A. H. Smith, Arlis Tounget, Paul Witter, Cecil Patton, Lynn Canady, Joe Oliver, Joe Cooper, Frank Smith, Ed Linderman; Misses Mildred Brevard, Imogene Foreman, Johnnye Faye Batts, Mary Reese, Audrey Reese, and Arline Boothe.

O. E. S. Meets

Ballinger Chapter No. 266 Order of the Eastern Star met in regular session Monday evening in the chapter room with Miss Marie Norwood, worthy matron, in the East.

Routine business was attended to and a report made on members who are engaged in civilian defense work and in the armed forces. Those having positions in defense work are Mrs. Genevieve Kiechle and Mrs. Marion Cordill. Those in the armed forces are Harold Benefield, Clarence Jaeggli, and Troy Stewart. The worthy matron was appointed delegate to Grand Chapter which convenes in Houston, October 26.

Other members present were: Dr. W. B. Halley, Mmes. Rachel Boswell, Beulah Rape, Nellie Campbell, Luna Mae Foy, Ione Teague, Lydia Norwood, Frances Zeditz, Misses Lola Eubank, Mary Jane Kiechle, and Myrtle Ruth Hale.

OLFEN SCHOOL NEWS

By Grace Heisler
Fire Prevention Week was duly observed at the Olfen school. Talks on fire prevention were given in the various rooms. The children made fire prevention posters and wrote compositions on the causes and prevention of fire. Fire drills were practiced. All the pupils are organized in

a great junior army, for the purpose of collecting scrap iron. The goal set is that every child bring his weight in scrap. However, many of them have doubled, even tripled, their weight. Although complete data is not available for every child the following have probably worked the hardest: Kenneth Fuchs, 1,000 pounds; Alvin Gerngross, 931 pounds; and Anna Rose Halfmann, 700 pounds.

HORSE STEALS CABBAGE

GLASGOW, Oct. 14.—While carrying a cabbage under his arm in Glasgow, Alexander Nicol lost it to a hungry horse, which reached over the curb. The horse got the cabbage, but it was not too good and Nicol was treated at the police station for a badly bruised arm.

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Miss Bell Complimented by Mrs. Creasy

Another in-honor affair last week for Miss Kathryn Bell was the dessert bridge and miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Bruce Creasy Friday afternoon in her home on Fourth Street.

Asters were combined with queen's wreath to give a pretty floral decoration to party rooms. The centerpiece for the lace-covered dining table was flanked by tall white candles in low holders. All other appointments for tables and games were in the bridal theme.

Mrs. Leonard Seales and Mrs. Paul Trimmer assisted the hostess in serving orange pie with coffee before games. Others included: Mmes. C. J. Bell, F. E. Yantis, F. M. Pearce, Estes Lynn, Leonard Stallings, Neil McAlpine, Alex McGregor, Julian Hadley, Harry Lynn, Malcolm McGregor, George Holman, James Wear, Jim Johnson, Warren Lynn, Chester Cherry, A. B. Stobaugh, Victor Miller, Sr., K. V. Northington, Drury Hathaway, and Miss Cordelia Lynn.

Cadet Weddings in Baptist Parsonage

The Rev. Clarence A. Morton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, was officiating clergyman Saturday evening at twin single ring ceremonies performed in his home for Aviation Cadet Russell Maynard Vernon and Miss Mary Jane Quinn of Prineville, Oregon, and Aviation Cadet Vincent Wayne Rogers and Miss Jessie Dwyer of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Cadet friends from Bruce Field attended the services.

Ballinger Bearcats Crush Brownwood Lions 39-6

The Ballinger Bearcats staged a track meet in Brownwood Friday night, defeating the Brownwood class AA Lions by a lop-sided score of 39 to 6. It was a running, passing show before a large crowd with many soldiers from Camp Bowie attending the game.

Coach Wright carried only 15 players to battle the Brownwood team and the game was a blitzkrieg from the start. The Bearcats received and made four first downs to place the ball on the Lions' 3 from where Striplin carried it over. Wright, Wilson and Routh figured in the next score to place the ball on the 8 from where Striplin again cut through the line for a touchdown. Near the end of the first quarter Striplin passed to Batts and Harville to place the ball on the 8 and then carried it over through the line.

Harville reeled off a 35-yard run on an end around end for a touchdown as the second half opened. Later the Lions scored their only touchdown of the game with a nice run from midfield and the Bearcats came back to score two more in the last minutes of the game with Striplin and Routh carrying.

First downs: Ballinger 20, Brownwood 5; yards gained rushing: Ballinger 222, Brownwood 143; yards gain passing: Ballinger 148, Brownwood 0; penalties: Ballinger 20 yards, Brownwood 65 yards.

Miss Creola Henderson left Sunday for San Angelo, where she is attending a school for Western Union Telegraph Co. employees. She had been employed for more than a year by the Ballinger Printing Co.

J. D. Reneau, Arthur Dooze, Jr., and Bill Sykes attended the Hardin-Simmons-Southern Methodist University football game in San Antonio the past week-end.

Buy U. S. defense bonds and stamps every pay day.

Mountaineers Will Play Bearcats Here Friday at 8 o'Clock

The Bearcats will resume home play again this week, meeting the Santa Anna Mountaineers, a conference game, at Bearcat Field, Friday night at 8 o'clock. The Mountaineers have one of the best teams in a number of years and have won several hard games already this season. The game here Friday night is expected to be one of the hardest in district 9-A for the season.

A consolidation of the Santa Anna high and Rockwood school brought a number of new players into the Santa Anna line-up and these boys have added much strength to the Mountaineers.

After a two weeks rest at home the full school is ready for a home tilt. Band and pep squad members have been working hard to get in mid-season form for the side line color and the stunts between halves, and this week will perform for the off-periods. Santa Anna is expected to bring a fair crowd from that city and the usual free gate will be offered to all men in uniform.

The Bearcats came through the game in fine shape against Brownwood and the entire team will be ready for the Mountaineers. J. Buxkemper received a bruised leg and Striplin had a sore foot following the game, but both are right this week and ready for action Friday.

It's a Long Way to Base Hospital



Australian soldiers who were wounded while battling Japs in New Guinea's rugged Owen Stanley mountain country have a six-day trek ahead of them before reaching the base hospital. All suffer from gunshot wounds. The Nips, who were once only 32 miles from Port Moresby, have been driven over the mountains.

Local Methodists To Make Reports At Conference

Officials of the First Methodist Church of Ballinger are winding up the year's work and will have all reports ready for the annual conference which will open on November 4 at Cisco. The meeting place was changed this year from Fort Worth to Cisco when it became known that the city could not accommodate the crowd due to its crowded condition.

Reports of the Ballinger church will be good for the past year and up to par with any year in the past. Rev. and Mrs. Elmer C. Carter will attend the conference from the Ballinger church with perhaps a number of laymen. Rev. Carter is finishing his second year's work in Ballinger and will give the annual report at the conference.

Sessions will be held from Wednesday through the following Sunday with appointments to be made on the last day for another year. Bishop Ivan Lee Holt will preside over the sessions and he and his cabinet will announce the appointments the closing afternoon session.

Sunday morning, October 4, all Sunday school officers, department superintendents and teachers were installed in their places for the new year. They were elected at the last quarterly conference held here two weeks ago by Dr. S. W. Williams, district superintendent. Tuesday evening the board of stewards was in session and made plans for the start of a new year.

Members of the Olfen Parent-Teacher Association held their regular meeting Friday, October 9, with Mrs. L. A. Haltmann, president, and fourteen members present. The club numbers thirty-three active members.

Notwithstanding the small number the club has fitted out first aid kits for each classroom, and purchased a number of phonograph records to further recreational activities among the school children.

The members are also trying to do their part in the defense program. They have contributed five first aid kits to the Red Cross, bought defense stamps and are



The Bearcats have experienced trouble in getting a complete schedule since Mozelle, Bangs and Lakeview dropped from the district. Next week they still have an open date and so far have been unable to get a game with any team in this section. On October 30 the big game of the season will be played here with Brady, Coleman will come to Ballinger for an afternoon game on November 11, and the Bearcats will close the season at Winters on November 20.

Whoever wins the district championship will experience trouble in getting to their post-season games for the regional championship. All those games will come after gasoline rationing is started and private cars have been the only means of transportation so far this year. With private cars cut to 4 gallons per week, such games will present a hard problem.

Fans are asked to take notice of the earlier starting time of games. The kick off time has been set with Santa Anna for 8 o'clock and that is 30 minutes earlier than past games.

Fans who need to drive a car inside the field are again reminded to secure a permit from A. McGregor before time for the game.

saving lard drippings.

During the meeting Dr. E. W. Stasney spoke to the club members on the proper care of teeth. Dr. Stasney especially emphasized the necessity of care for the sixth year molars, because these are the most important teeth in the human mouth.

The next meeting will be held on November 8 in the school assembly room.

FIGHTING LEATHERNECK GOES ON A RAMPAGE AGAINST JAPS

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—A fighting marine corps sergeant, according to word from the Solomon Islands, went on a rampage in that memorable battle.

He was attempting to blast some Japs from a cave, but they tossed the hand grenades out as fast as

he hurled them in. The sergeant tried dynamite but it was thrown back, the explosion shattering his leg.

Then the sergeant really lost his temper.

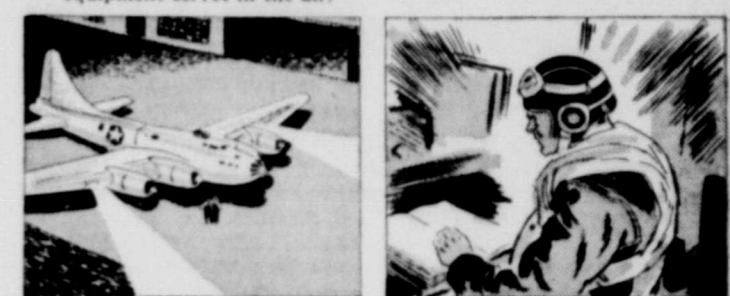
He went in fighting, shooting his machine gun and killing four Japs who were firing at him with automatic rifles. Eight other Japanese were found dead in the dugout.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson, of Eden, spent Sunday in Ballinger, visiting relatives and friends.

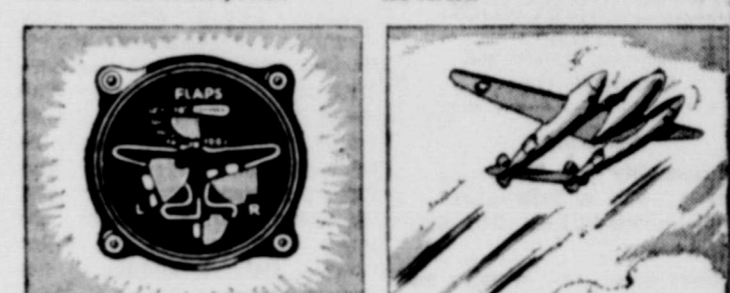


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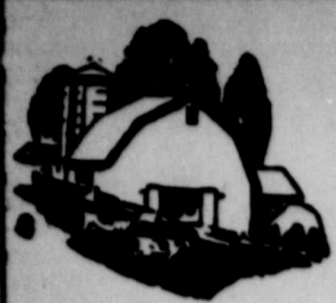
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RURAL NEWS

HERRING

Cotton gathering is in full swing now and if the weather continues favorable it won't be long until everyone will be finished.

A few grain fields are beginning to look green but the greenness is Johnson grass instead of grain.

We had 50 in Sunday school last Sunday. We like to have at least 75 in Sunday school and preaching services every Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Berry, of Goldsmith, spent the week-end with relatives here and in the Oxen community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stacy and sons, Cody and Ralph, of Penwell, visited recently in the Reuben Whitley home.

Harve Alsman, of San Angelo; Mrs. Jettie Adams, of Brownwood; Mrs. Marie King and Miss Rena Fuller, of Waco; visited relatives here last week. Mrs. Fuller returned to Waco to make home with her daughters for the duration.

Private August Powe, who is stationed at an airfield in Tampa, writes that he likes army life but

does not like the hot weather in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rosford spent Thursday night in the Lonnie Allcorn home. They were moving from the Kemp dairy to a farm near Granbury. We wish the best of luck to them.

Terry Whitley spent Saturday night with Roy Fuller.

W. L. Day, of Santa Anna, is spending this week in the Lonnie Allcorn home.

We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Powe and daughters into our community. They are residing with his mother for the duration.

Mrs. Telitha Ray and son, G. W., and Roy Fuller visited Miss Aline Ray also Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ray and family in Coleman Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Weiby Fuller and Jack Fuller accompanied their brother, J. C. (Jake), to San Angelo Monday. He went to Dallas Monday night to take his final examination for enlistment in the U. S. marines.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fuller and Norma Sue visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Belcher and daughters Sunday.

BALLINGER SCHOOL NEWS

By Catherine Clappitt and Marie McGreger

Assembly

Our assembly for Thursday, October 8, was a talk given by our well-known citizen, Mr. Estes M. Lynn.

We have many war worries and sorrows, and the difficulties of our everyday lives are great, so Mr. Lynn brought out the truth and beauty which can be obtained if we will only try hard enough to find it. He said that our morale is the most important thing at this time, and for us not to forget that no matter what comes, we can always find some truth and beauty hidden beneath our troubles. Everyone greatly enjoyed this talk.

David Batts and Bob Wright explained the policies and plans of our 1943 annual.

New Students

School began September 8 and since then Ballinger high has enrolled thirty-one new pupils. They come from all parts of Texas and a few from other states. The new pupils are: seniors—Billy Chesney, from Sterling City, and Lee Maples, from Kaufman; juniors—Lorene Cook, from Rowena; Norbert Rohmfeld, Olfen; Olga Matthiesen, Olfen; Mary Lou Haltmann, Olfen; Frances Block, Olfen; Kenneth Rosford, Talpa; James Duke, Paint Rock; Ralph Gergross, Olfen; Dorothy Marie King, Coleman; Jack Kluecky, Rowena; Edegen Pfluger, Rowena; Myron Namkin, Rowena; Mildred Curry, Rowena; William

Goetz, Rowena; and Feme Lanuth Hensley, from Wickert school, Monahans; sophomores—Nordine Rackley, Rowena; Lee Boehm, St. Anthony's in San Antonio; Wanda Marie Forgy, Winters; Evelyn Smith, Aransas Pass; Elmer Harral, Oklahoma City; Rose Wynette Pieper, Rowena; Bob Harris, Valley View; Wanda Stewart, Corsicana; C. R. Colbert, Jr., Vernon; Howard Calvert, Gliddings; O'Neil Powers, Norton; Dorothy Powers, Norton; Betty June Smith, Alamosa, Colorado; and Travis Canada, from Millersview.

Senior High School Enrollment

The senior high school enrollment at the first of school totaled 301. But since that time nine students have moved here and twelve have withdrawn. The net enrollment is now 298. There are 94 seniors—48 boys and 46 girls; 88 juniors—43 boys and 45 girls; and 116 sophomores—63 boys and 53 girls.

Band Pictures

Monday morning during the first period pictures were made of the Bearcat Band. They were taken in front of the building and are for the annual. However, band members may obtain pictures for themselves if they so desire.

Assembly—October 9

Lackman, "America's Handcuff Wizard," was presented Friday as the second senior program. He brought with him a large collection of handcuffs, including some from England, Germany and the United States. Volunteers from the audience assisted in tying and handcuffing Mr. Lackman but he always escaped. Mrs. Lackman

made several pictures from rags. They were very beautiful and looked very much like oil paintings. About 280 students and teachers attended and enjoyed the program.

Stamp Sales in Senior High

The total stamp sales for last week came to \$9.85: senior sales—\$2.50; junior sales—\$2.95; and sophomore sales—\$4.40.

School Cafeteria

This year there have been many improvements made in the school lunch room. There are about 200 lunches served each day. Some of these are for the underprivileged children and they are free. The remainder are served for 15c each. One of the menus this week was as follows: green beans, macaroni and cheese, salmon loaf, vegetable salad, baked apples, muffins, baked bread, and a half pint of milk. Beginning Tuesday an extra half pint of milk may be had for one cent. Already, on the milk program children who bring lunches from home may buy a half pint of milk for 1c.

Senior Class Meeting

The seniors had a class meeting Monday at the thirty-minute period to discuss the class rings. Mr. Lindsey led the discussion and explained the stones, weights and cost of the rings. The war situation makes it impossible to obtain any gold-filled articles and only certain stones. Texas agates, black onyxes, and soft imitation rubies are the only stones available this year. There will also be a cut of the school on rings without stones if so desired. The rings will have a Bearcat on each side, the year, and "Ballinger High School" around the mounting. The students also have a choice of wristlets or pins with guards. The first order will be sent off on October 20 and on the first day of each month thereafter.

Spanish Class

Monday at noon the Spanish II class went to the Armendariz restaurant on Strong Avenue for lunch. Miss Crocker required that only Spanish be spoken during the meal.

The menu was a Mexican combination. That included enchiladas, tamales, tacos, Spanish rice, beans with cheese, crackers and peaches. The Spanish students present were: Anne Guynes, James Cervenka, Betty Jo Baxter, Grady Cotton, Jack Hirschfeld, Daniel Droll, Margaret Ripple, Barten Henry, Margie Muncy, Yvonne Waldrop, Pauline Norman, Norma Harris, Winona Howell, Amelia Saenz, Catherine Clappitt, and Miss Crocker.

JUNIOR HIGH NEWS

Classes Elect Officers

Last Friday all classes met and named officers for the ensuing year. Those elected were as follows:

Seventh grade—Clifton Renuau, president; H. L. Atinip, vice-president; Dizz Caskey, secretary and treasurer.

Eighth grade—Robert Earl Morgan, president; Betty Jean Lengefeld, vice-president; Nancy Guynes, secretary-treasurer.

Ninth grade—Jackie Russell, president; Carolyn Cheatham, vice-president; L. W. Faris, secretary-treasurer.

Club Plays Chosen

The dramatic club now has selected two plays for use this year. "Thanks Awfully," by Joan Glover, will be the first, and the characters have been selected and rehearsals started.

Handicraft Club Works

The handicraft club is taking part in several Red Cross projects. Lap boards, writing boards are being made and eight girls are working on house shoe projects. The boys in the club are working on belts for themselves.

Who's Who?

He is a ninth grade boy and is fifteen years old. He has brown hair, blue eyes, and is 5 feet 8 inches tall. He has gone to school here all his life. His ambition is to be an aviator. Who is it? Last week it was Betty Lou Morrison.

NORTON SCHOOL NEWS

By Doris Stewart

Football News

The Norton Eagles lost to the Wingate Pirates last Saturday afternoon with a score of 12 to 7. Their next game will be with the Winters B team Friday afternoon on the Winters field at 3 o'clock. Admission will be 10 and 25 cents.

County Nurse Visits

Miss Myrtle Reddell, county health nurse, visited our school last Thursday, October 8. She reported that our pupils were far above the average.

Junior News

The junior class sent June Taylor a pot plant last Friday. June is in a very serious condition in the Halley & Love Sanitarium at

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Ballinger. We hope he enjoys the gift and we wish him a speedy recovery.

Six Weeks' Test

Six weeks tests are being given this week. The majority of them are being taken on Tuesday and Wednesday. Everyone is busy completing notebooks and studying for tests.

Chapel Program

Our first chapel program will be held Friday morning, October 23. The freshmen will have charge of the program as it is Freshman Day. Everyone is cordially invited.

WAR GAS TREATMENT SUBJECT OF ADDRESS HERE BY ABILENIAN

More than 100 people were at the city hall Tuesday evening to hear "Curly" Hays, of Abilene, talk on "Treatment for War Gases" at a special gathering for air raid wardens, Boy Scouts and first aid students. The speaker gave an interesting and educational discussion of the subject and what to do in cases of gas attacks.

The close of the session an advanced class in first aid was organized and will begin work tonight. Any person holding a card for completion of work in the standard course is eligible to enroll. The class will get its first lesson tonight at the city hall and registrations can be made there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Newby returned Sunday from Dallas, where they had been on business.

Ballinger Business Firms Sign 100% In Rat Campaign

Ballinger business firms will cooperate nearly 100 per cent in the rat campaign to be conducted here on October 23. Committees worked the downtown district last week, getting signatures of business men who will purchase baits and put them out in their stores on the specified date.

This campaign is to be launched in every section of Runnels county at the same time. Committees are canvassing every town in the county and in the rural communities members of the victory council have accepted the responsibility and have lists of those who will buy poison baits.

Henry Pluenecke, of the rodent control division, A. & M. College extension service, will be here for one full week, arriving October 19. He will prepare the baits and give instructions on how to use them and assist in other details of the campaign. These baits will be ready for distribution from 1 to 5 p. m. Friday, October 23, and are to be placed in all buildings, homes and barns that night.

FUTURE FARMERS BUY BONDS FOR CHAPTER; PROJECTS UNDERWAY

At a recent meeting of the Ballinger chapter of the Future Farmers of America it was voted by the 37 members present to immediately turn all cash on hand in the chapter's treasury into war bonds. The chapter will purchase a \$100 and a \$50 bond at once and later will buy more. Many of the members are buying stamps individually and a number have bought bonds already for themselves.

Besides buying bonds and stamps the forty-two members are helping towards victory by increased projects this year. Nearly every boy has some type of feeding project this year and most of them are also engaged in breeding projects. The boys plan to make this year their best in vocational agriculture and are already off to a good start.

Twenty "green hands" (or new members) will soon be initiated into the chapter.

Mrs. Charles L. Shepard and Mrs. Marcus Flanagan left Wednesday to join their husbands at Camp Edwards, Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brookshier and Mrs. Perry Bragg went to Alpine last week-end to visit Miss Louise Brookshier, who is attending Sul Ross College. Mrs. Grafton accompanied them to Ft. Stockton, where she visited her sister, Mrs. George Blackmon, and family.

Cadet C. R. Foster In Fatal Crash; Body to Detroit

Cadet Charles Robert Foster, 23, aviation student at the Harman Training Center, Bruce Field, was killed instantly last Thursday afternoon at 5:42 when his plane crashed while on a routine training flight several miles from the field.

Foster was alone at the time of the crash and few details are known. The cadet jumped when within a short distance of the ground but not in time for his parachute to open. Field officers made an investigation soon after the crash.

Cadet Foster was a member of class 43-C and had been in training here about four weeks. The body was prepared for burial at the Agnew Funeral Home and was shipped Friday night to Detroit, Michigan, to the nearest of kin. An escort from Bruce Field accompanied the remains to Detroit and remained until after the funeral.

This was the fourth fatality at the local field which has been in operation for one year.

H. G. Agnew will leave tomorrow (Friday) for Wheeling, West Virginia; Franklin, and Brookville, Pennsylvania. At Brookville he will attend a gathering of old school friends of 1906. He will return home after a ten-day business and pleasure trip.



Women's Society and Club News

Barnes-Anderson Wedding in Plainview

The wedding of Miss Beth Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer R. Anderson of Plainview, and Staff Sergeant Frank L. Barnes, son of Mrs. Hugh B. McAden of Ballinger, was solemnized last Monday evening at six o'clock in the home of the bride's parents at 1115 El Paso Street, Plainview. The Rev. L. R. Reavis, pastor of the First Baptist Church, read the single ring ceremony, witnessed by friends and relatives, before an improvised altar of tall floor baskets of white dahlias and blue delphiniums flanked by floor candelabra holding white candles.

The bride wore a tailored suit of solid blue wool gabardine with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

For the informal reception, the lace-covered dining table was centered with a crystal bowl of dahlias and delphinium and slender white tapers in low crystal holders.

Mrs. Barnes is a graduate of the Plainview High School and of Texas Tech where she was a member of Alpha Chi, national scholarship society. She also attended the Lippert's Business College in Plainview and was secretary to the county superintendent the past year.

Following his graduation from the Ballinger High School, Staff Sgt. Barnes held various positions in Ballinger, then more than two years ago enlisted in the army at Kelly Field. He has recently received his wings as a glider pilot at 29 Palms Air Academy in California. He is now stationed at Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, New Mexico, for another training period.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Albuquerque.

Former Norton Girl Marries in Clovis, New Mexico

Miss Jenna V. Setser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Setser of Norton, became the bride of Ensign Ira B. West, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. West of Clovis, New Mexico, Sunday morning, September 29, at eleven o'clock.

A few friends and relatives witnessed the single ring ceremony read by the Rev. J. T. Barbee, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Clovis, in the church parlors.

Miss Mardelle Nappier and Clinton West, brother of the bridegroom, were attendants.

The bride wore a two-piece suit

of beige with accessories of chiltan and corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. West, a graduate of the Norton High School, attended Howard Payne College at Brownwood and the Hendricks Memorial School of Nursing at Abilene. For the past 1½ years she has been associated with the Clovis Memorial Hospital.

Ensign West received his wings and commission September 25 at the U. S. Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi. He enlisted in October 1941 and received his preliminary training at Long Beach. Prior to that time, he was employed by the Clovis News-Journal and by the Santa Fe Railway. He graduated from the Clovis High School and attended the Eastern New Mexico College at Portales, where he was editor of the college annual.

Ensign and Mrs. West are at home in San Diego, California, where Ensign West is stationed temporarily.

Two Are Hostesses to Baptist Ruth Class

Mmes. Dick Ayres and Stanley Price entertained the First Baptist Ruth Class Tuesday evening in the Ayres home on Eleventh Street.

Zinnias decked rooms and a graceful arrangement of queen's wreath centered the dining table. After the devotional by Mrs. Roy Worley, Mrs. Fred Moncrief presided for the business session.

A dessert plate was served with coffee. Others present were: Mmes. Oren Chandler, Malcolm Morgan, E. F. Lawless, Cotton Bell, Bob Lindsey, Jr., and Mark Davis.

Two Soldiers Honored by Parents

Sergeant Charles Paul Williams and Private Robert David Williams were honored with a chicken dinner at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Williams, Sunday.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Noble Faublon, Lynn and Carolyn, Crews; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Atnipp and son, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Turley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ashton and son, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wood and Harlen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl King and Carl Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Russell, Foy Farmer, and Mr. and Mrs. Harper McFarland.

Mmes. Chastain and Bruce Entertain Methodist Class

Mrs. W. W. Chastain and Mrs. R. W. Bruce were hostesses to the Methodist Workers Class Wednesday afternoon in the Doss Bible Class room in the church basement.

Mrs. Ed O'Kelly presided over the business session with plans for the new year being made.

Sandwiches and cookies were served with tea. Others present were: Mmes. D. C. Simpson, C. F. Shepherd, W. R. Clark, Sr., A. J. Borders, R. A. Williamson, Viola Allison, C. H. Midgley, John Lovell, J. M. Skinner, Myrta Harshaw, W. E. Middleton, W. E. Midgley, R. A. Dickinson, A. T. Campbell, J. E. Brewer, and A. B. Legate.

Mrs. Stasney Hostess to Triple-Four

Mrs. E. W. Stasney was hostess to the Triple-Four contract club Wednesday afternoon in her home on Eighth Street.

Lovely red roses and dahlias were used in the living room and yellow dahlias formed the dining table centerpiece. Tallies were California scenes sent by Mrs. Edgar Boelsche from Santa Ana.

Mrs. Walter Boswell won the high score prize and Mrs. J. A. Schnable, the bingo.

Others included: Mmes. L. R. Tigner, Claude Stone, Tom Agnew, R. W. Farnshaw, J. B. Striplin, Alex McGregor, Harry Lynn, K. V. Northington, Troy Simpson, E. L. Ingram, Ross Murchison, Julian Hadley, Leslie Baker, J. H. Enders, W. L. Barber, and Fred Harman.

Dava June Bell is Honoree

Dava June Bell was guest of honor on her thirteenth birthday Wednesday evening at a party given by her mother, Mrs. Cotton Bell, in her home on Ninth Street.

Hallowe'en symbols and colors were stressed in room decorations and in the refreshment table appointments. Chocolate drop candle holders held 13 tiny orange candles to top the chocolate cake iced in orange, which centered the dining table laid in yellow lace. Cosmos formed the buffet centerpiece where the orange and white brick cream was served with the birthday cake.

In "newspaper" games Martha Saunders was winner for the best article, and in dress designing from newspapers, Jo Ann Eubank was winner.

Mrs. Lee Parker and Miss Mary Wade assisted. Others were: Mary Brian Woody, Elaine Williams, Marilyn Joyce Bowden, Elizabeth Wear, Anna Sue Hembree, Nancy Guyne, Virginia Baker, Bonnie Jean Lengefeld, and Dorothy Ann Holliday.

Band-Pep Squad Stunt Will Push War Bond Buying

Those who attend the Ballinger-Santa Anna football game Friday night will witness a stunt by the Bearcat band and pep squad that will be worth the price of admission. Members of the two organizations are striving to do something in the war effort as they go along and people in the stands who have not purchased their share of war bonds for October will have an opportunity during the stunt.

The two organizations will march on the field and form the letters "BUY A BOND." As soon as this part of the stunt is completed the band will play "Any Bonds Today?" and the girls will break ranks from the words "BUY A" and go into the stands with short application forms and checks and offer bonds for sale. Any person who will buy, may sign the short application form for any denomination of bond, give the girl a check, and specify at which local bank he will pick up the bond the next morning.

Bandmaster Gurthal Gilligan said a goal of \$1,000 in bonds had been set by the two school organizations and they hoped to exceed that in the few minutes permitted for the stunt between halves of the game.

He further stated that the Bearcat band would sponsor some kind of a bond sale each month during the school year and this would serve for the effort in October.

Students of the Ballinger schools are striving hard to do all they can to help win the war and the purchasing of bonds at the game tomorrow night will encourage them.

Legion to Sponsor Farewell Parties For All Selectees

Members of the Pat Williams Post, American Legion, and Auxiliary were in business sessions Tuesday night to attend to a large amount of business and hold their regular monthly meeting.

The Legionnaires voted not to have their annual breakfast this year, instead to sponsor a dance and entertainment for Bruce Field cadets at the Army and Navy Club on the most convenient date nearest to Armistice Day.

Definite plans were made to sponsor farewell parties for all men leaving for induction centers and the post will request the services of the Ballinger high school band for a short program of music at each of these occasions. They have had short programs for the last two groups to leave and will enlarge on these programs, making an effort to take away some of the sadness and add a feeling of happiness for the boys who are leaving their homes.

Plans were also made to join with the Auxiliary in a supper meeting some time in November, the date and place to be decided by the Auxiliary president and the Legion commander.

The details of the Armistice Day program were discussed by C. R. Stone and the commander and the adjutant were instructed to invite the Coleman post to come to Ballinger for the day and to participate in all the events.

Plans were made for the fall membership drive which was launched Tuesday night and will be continued until the post is at full strength for 1943.

Numerous other reports were heard during the evening, including a report of the entertainment committee on the booking of the Harley Sadler show for this city on December 2 and 3.

Cal Adair and J. A. Schnable went to Abilene Saturday night to attend the football game between McMurry College and Schreiner Institute.

OLFEN CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS IN REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of Court St. Monica, Catholic Daughters of America, was held at Olfen Wednesday night, October 7.

It was voted to purchase and distribute prayer pamphlets entitled "Victory Through Christ" to the armed forces, civilians and families. A special prayer was said for those who have died in the service of their country.

The lecturer, Mrs. R. A. Lange, read an article, "The Catholic Mother," and two humorous readings concerning the modern generation and the "Red of the Blue." Mrs. J. J. Fuchs read about baptism from the church history. A quiz, "Do You Know Your Turkey?" was conducted and Mrs. Paul Halfmann and Lydia Halfmann were winners. The attendance prize was won by Mrs. Robert Lange.

After the meeting the social committee and members surprised the grand regent with a birthday party. Refreshments were served to all present.

Mrs. E. E. King returned the first of the week from Waco, making the trip home in an airplane.

400 GARMENTS SHIPPED BY RED CROSS CENTER

The Red Cross production center here shipped this week about 400 garments which had been finished in the local sewing project. The garments consisted of men's pajamas, women's dresses, girls' blouses and petticoats.

The center will receive about 75 pounds of yarn in a few days to be made up into O. D. sweaters, long-sleeve turtle-neck navy sweaters, wristlets and helmets. Supervisors have been advised of this shipment and of the importance of rushing it to completion for the armed forces.

Mrs. John A. Weeks was operated on at the Halley & Love Sanitarium Wednesday and was reported to be resting satisfactorily this morning.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the friends and neighbors who were so kind to us during the recent illness and death of our loved one, Miss Ruth McAulay. The expressions of sympathy and the beautiful flowers were a real comfort to us in this sad hour.

Mrs. W. L. McAulay and family. 11*

COLEMAN PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION HEAD RESIGNS

W. E. Melton, secretary-treasurer of the Coleman Production Credit Association for the past eight years, tendered his resignation this week, effective October 9. He stated that he would attend to some personal matters for the next few months, after which he would be connected with a business institution.

Melton will be succeeded by Jimmie C. Marshall, who has been assistant secretary. The territory of the association includes Coleman, Brown, Taylor, Callahan, Concho and Runnels counties.

J. M. Parnell left this week to spend the winter with a sister, Mrs. Maggie McCarty, of Stephenville.

Mrs. Ed Guber is a patient in the local hospital, being brought here from Dallas last Sunday.

Mrs. E. C. Allison, of Miles, is recovering from a broken hip at the Halley & Love Sanitarium.

E. V. Bateman is in a serious condition at the Halley & Love Sanitarium. He suffered a stroke of paralysis two weeks ago and is still seriously ill.

HARRY'S FOOD STORES

PINTO BEANS

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| New Crop | 10 pounds | 65¢ |
| SODA Dial Baking | 1-lb. 5c | COCOA Our Mother's 1-lb. 12c |
| CRACKERS Hi Ho Toasted | 1-lb. 19c | Macaroni, Vermicelli or Spaghetti 3 for 10c |

CANNED GOODS SPECIALS

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| Pure Vegetable Shortening | FROSTO 3-lb. 65c | Del Monte Tomato | JUICE 4 13½-oz. cans 25c |
| PEAS Green Giant large can 15c | Baking Powder Calumet 1-lb. 19¢ | SALMON Raceland 1-lb. 19c | SLICED BEETS 2-cans 17c |
| Cream of Corn Crystal White | SYRUP ½ gallon 43c | SPINACH Crwaford No. 2 can 10c | |
| GREENS Poke Salad No. 2 can 10c | | | |

FRESH FOODS SPECIALS

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| Potatoes U. S. No. 1 Colorado . . . 10 lbs. 33¢ | GREEN BEANS Home Grown lb. 10c |
| CARROTS 2 bunches 13c | YAMS Sandyland 5 lbs. 21c |
| CABBAGE lb. 2c | Grapefruit Texas 64 Size . . . 2 for 15¢ |
| APPLES Fancy Delicious dozen 23c | ORANGES California 176 Size dozen 35c |

MEAT SPECIALS

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| Pure Pork SAUSAGE lb. 30c | SAUSAGE Bologna 2 lbs. 35c |
| SEVEN STEAK lb. 30c | PORK CHOPS lb. 35c |
| CHUCK ROAST lb. 27c | CHEESE Wisconsin Full Cream lb. 38c |

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HAS YOUR ADDRESS CHANGED RECENTLY

Ledger subscribers are requested to notify the publisher of any change in their addresses promptly.

Veterans of the first World War will take the lead in staging a victory program on Armistice Day, November 11.

Clean-up Week has passed and there are still many lots and other places in Ballinger high with weeds and grass and will create a serious fire hazard a little later.

Runnels county has not been meeting its quota in buying war bonds and stamps recently.

Post Office Receipts Here for 3 Quarters Highest in History

The Ballinger post office has had a nice increase in business in each quarter of 1942, as compared to 1941, and probably will have the largest volume of business this year in the history of the office.

The gain for the first three quarters is already \$5,155.80, total receipts for the three quarters being \$21,800.82.

The force in the Ballinger office has handled this increased business plus many other activities.

MEN WANTED IN NAVY FOR CONSTRUCTION WORK

Men can now enlist in the navy with the same rating as a corporal in the army.

Men between the ages of 17 and 50 not already skilled in some trade will be enlisted as helpers in the construction regiments.

Applications may be made in the Ballinger post office any Wednesday, or in the San Angelo post office any day of the week—Sundays included.

The University of Texas has received calls for nearly ten times as many mechanical engineering graduates as it can supply.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Rudder spent the past week-end in San Antonio.

Don't Cuss Weatherman—It's Weatherwomen Now



Milady has finally stormed one of the last bastions of man's exclusive field by establishing a beachhead in the Washington, D. C., weather bureau.

WEST TEXAS NOTES

Miss Hazel Virdell, of Brady, left there last week for Madison, Wisconsin, to study aviation and become Brady's first WAVE.

Stockmen of the Junction section had 125 cows tested for undulant fever last week.

Government projects underway in and near Brownwood call for an additional 500 workers.

All persons injured in the blast that wrecked the administration building of the Coleman flying school were reported last week to be improving.

Little Lorene Kohutsek, of Rowena, was accidentally wounded in a leg last week.

Rising Star Boy Scouts collected metal in the scrap drive last week received donations from the American Legion post of a German machine gun.

Winters pupils are showing enthusiasm for band work and last week a total of 52 reported for this training.

The Woman's Study Club of

Miles is asking for donations to keep the Miles library open and provide new books.

Paint Rock schools were closed Monday to permit all students to take part in the junk drive.

Bronte American Legionnaires complain that many trees in their park have been damaged or killed by careless campers.

The Melvin Chamber of Commerce held a barbecue for its members last week.

Members of the Sweetwater Club voted last week to assist in harvesting crops in the nearby area.

Jack Lamb, famous fisherman and traveler, is in Menard today for demonstrations under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association.

Inspection and dedication of Gibbs Field, Fort Stockton, were held last Thursday.

A tin can collection drive was

Several Amendments Will be Submitted at General Election

It is only a short time until the general election and citizens of Texas will cast ballots on a number of important amendments as well as electing nominees of the last primary.

In other words, the purpose of the amendment is to pay off the present debt in the general fund and then run the state government on a cash basis.

Supporters of the act say it is the most important from the standpoint of saving the taxpayers money that has ever been submitted to the people of Texas.

The general election will be held on November 3 and voters are being urged to go to the polls and cast ballots.

NIXONS ATTEND PROGRAM AT BROWNWOOD CHURCH

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Sr., attended a homecoming program at the Central Methodist Church at Brownwood Sunday.

As a climax of the day, the church raised \$10,000 and paid all indebtedness outstanding again the property.

FINISH STANDARD FIRST AID COURSE

D. G. Posey announced Monday that another class here has finished the standard first aid course and their names have been certified to the St. Louis national headquarters of the American Red Cross.

Members of this class, who will receive certificates, are: Mrs. R. W. DeMoyne, Mrs. Ollie Paris, Mrs. James P. Flynt, Mrs. Jack Fry, Jack Fry, Mrs. Gladys Kelly, W. C. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Killough, Miss Thelma Midgley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reams, Mrs. Fricha Waechter, Mrs. Gertrude Woods.

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Suspenseful 'This Gun for Hire' Stars Foster and Veronica Lake

When Paramount's new thriller-drama, "This Gun for Hire," opens its engagement at the Texas Theatre in midnight preview next Saturday night, it's likely that moviegoers are going to view it from the edge of their seats—it's that exciting. This attraction is billed for regular showings here Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, October 18, 19, 20.

Starring honey-haired Veronica Lake and personable Robert Preston, "This Gun for Hire" features in its impressive cast Laird Cregar and Alan Ladd, new screen discovery who first captured the fans' attentions with his appealing performance in "Joan of Paris."

"This Gun for Hire" is the ten-

sion-packed story of a professional killer who's gunning for the headman of an axis spy ring who double-crossed him. At the same time police are gunning for him for a series of murders. During this sizzling chase, Ladd, as the killer, meets Veronica, undercover agent, decides to kill her and then changes his mind when he falls in love with her. That softens him up for Robert Preston, detective, who is Veronica's boy friend.

"Gambling Lady" and "Secret Agent of Japan" Features at Texas Tomorrow

"Gambling Lady," Warner Bros. film starring Barbara Stanwyck, and "Secret Agent of Japan," 29th Century-Fox film with Preston Foster and Lynn Bari, are the two feature-length offerings at the Texas tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday.

Joel McCrea and Pat O'Brien are the male stars in "Gambling Lady," the story of which tells of a square-shooting gambling lady who weds a man of wealth and then sacrifices her own love to free her husband from a murder charge. Others in the cast are Claire Dodd, C. Aubrey Smith and Phillip Reed.

A smashing story of undercover activities of Japanese agents just before the treacherous attack on Pearl Harbor, is depicted in "Secret Agent of Japan." This is said to be the first film out of Hollywood to give the lowdown on enemy espionage which led to the outbreak of hostilities—a startling revelation of intrigue in the Far East.

Besides Foster and Miss Bari in the cast are Noel Madison, Sen Yung, Janis Carter, Steve Geray, Kurt Katch and Addison Richards.

ALASKAN MARINES SET FOR HUNTING SEASON

SITKA, Alaska, Oct. 14.—U. S. marines stationed in Alaska don't have to change clothes to go hunting this fall.

Due to heavy rains, marines have been equipped with all types of water repellent clothing including hunting jackets and pants, shoe packs and long woolen hunting socks.

Leathernecks are also provided with rifles, ammunition and an open season on Japs.

LUMBER REPLACES STEEL

SEATTLE, Oct. 14.—In a new recreation center in Seattle two 67-by-2-inch beams, 14 inches wide and 40 inches deep, made up from 4,800 board feet of fir and spruce dimension lumber, and 270 pounds of construction glue, take the place of steel girders weighing more than 20,000 pounds and save steel for war and \$76 a beam in addition.

Thad Thomson, of San Angelo, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Nazis Cross River in Embattled Russia



This picture and caption are from a German source and were copied from a German publication which was received in the United States through a neutral country. Grim and unhappy German soldiers are shown stepping from a rubber boat, wearing raincoats and carrying shells and guns, about to establish a Russian bridgehead. Meanwhile, the Russian defenders of Stalingrad in one of the greatest battles of history had fought valiantly in the rubble-filled streets of the Volga city to stave off the German offensive.

Training Planes Pampered Darlings Of Field Mechanics

RANDOLPH FIELD, October 14.—Newly-enlisted mechanics and radio technicians soon learn that the blue and gold training planes that fill the air here with their throaty 450-horsepower roars are actually machines with dual "personalities."

When they're slipping through the skies, they are graceful, athletic things that cut picturesquely through white clouds or dive angrily toward the earth in response to their controls.

But when they're on the ground, they're the most-pampered, most-attended, most-looked-into members of Uncle Sam's army air forces. The men who have answered Major General H. R. Harmon's recent appeal for 100,000 mechanics and radio technicians, are making happy airplanes out of hard-working planes.

After a busy night in the air, the tired ships receive a late "snack," consisting of the gasoline and oil needed for the next day's job. At 2 a. m. or thereabouts, they are put to bed by the special after-sundown crews. Their "nightcaps" consist of weather-resisting canvas coverings that are slipped over their motors.

They slumber along with the rest of the vast post for a brief four or five hours respite. About 7 a. m., not long after the reveille cannon is fired, they are roused by bustling morning mechanics who lift off the canvas and start re-checking fuel. A visual pre-flight inspection is given each of these early-birds to detect any mechanical troubles which may

have developed the previous evening.

"Calisthenics" consist of motor warm-ups and, as the waking planes get into the swing of things again, they raise their voices in magnificent roars that are heard for miles around.

When the cadets march to the flight line, the trainers wait their turn to lift their 4,000-odd pounds off the ground and up. Cruising at 150 miles an hour, they go about their duties for several hours before coming down to be re-checked for further duty. If the pilots don't like the way their steeds perform, they tell the mechanics as much on landing so that the necessary repair work may be made immediately.

The "mechanical doctors" give their powerful charges physical exams at 100, 200, and 300 hour intervals. Then, of course, there are regular weekly checks, a periodic engine change (or "face-lifting"), and an inspection 25 hours after the new motor has been installed.

In order to be spick-and-span at all times, the planes get hot steam baths and a liberal dash of soap. And, when their blue and gold paint begins to look down-at-the-mouth, a new application of "cosmetics" is applied with a spray.

It may take eight men on the maintenance crew to keep one pilot in the air—but when the student flyer gets his plane off the ground he can bet his bottom goggle that she won't come down unless he wants her to. The army air force contends that such an assurance merits the world's finest mechanical treatment.

And the army air force still needs, urgently and immediately, thousands of men with mechanical or radio experience to keep

Marjorie Main, ZaSu Pitts And Aline MacMahon Star in 'Tish'

Marjorie Main, who has hackled Wallace Beery comically in recent pictures, comes into her own in a role that might have been specially written for her, as the redoubtable Letitia Carberry in "Tish," based on Mary Roberts Rinehart's beloved fiction character, and to be shown at the Ritz Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday next, October 18, 19, and 20.

As the domineering spinster of the Rinehart stories, she is teamed with ZaSu Pitts and Aline MacMahon. The three cronies decide to do a little matchmaking, believing that Lee Bowman and Susan Peters ought to fall in love, arrange a camping trip, and go "hunting" and fishing to leave them alone together. Result, they get treed by a tame bear, capsize their boat into a lake, are arrested by a game warden and spend a night in jail, while Bowman and Virginia Grey become engaged and Miss Peters elopes with Richard Quine. The romance of the younger couple is pathetic, when the boy is reported lost at sea and the bride dies giving birth to a baby which Tish adopts. The baby causes a scandal in the village, raises comical as well as dramatic complications which a hilarious climax finally straightens out.

Guy Kibbee adds much to the hilarity of the story, as do Ruby Dandridge and Al Shean.

Men from 18 to 50 years of age are being accepted for immediate enlistment at air forces stations. Under a recent ruling, men with 1-B selective service classification are also eligible.

Qualified men are urged to apply at once, in person or by letter, to Major Thomas H. Royder, post headquarters, Randolph Field; Lieutenant Ralph W. Bergstrom, 390th school squadron, Kelly Field; or Captain John M. Flatten, post recruiting office, Brooks Field.

Those who communicate by letter should include full details of previous mechanical experience.

FIREPROOFING COTTON GOODS DECLARED SIMPLE BUT MUST BE REPEATED AFTER WASHING

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 14.—Fireproofing clothing, curtains, and other household fabrics is quite simple.

Mrs. Bernice Claytor, specialist in home improvement for the A. & M. College extension service, says the prevention-wise homeowner can fireproof any cotton fabric which water will not damage. This is done by dipping them in a solution of borax and boric acid and water. It is necessary to re-dip the cloth whenever it is laundered, because the solution washes out.

"Make a solution of seven ounces of borax, three ounces of boric acid, and two quarts of hot water," the specialist directs. "Keep stirring until the water looks clear. Then dip the article you want to fireproof into the solution just as if you were rinsing it in water. Wring it out, hang it up to dry, and press in the usual way with a warm iron."

Here is one caution the specialist offers. The cloth must be dry when it is dipped—for otherwise the solution will be diluted and much less effective.

It is practical to fireproof such

things as a man's work suit this way, or curtains for the kitchen, a cotton rug which lies in front of the living room fire, cloth pot lifters, an ironing board cover, or cotton insulation, Mrs. Claytor says. She adds that it is also possible to fireproof large articles of cloth such as upholstery, slip covers, or large rugs by spraying the solution on them.

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Gambling Lady

JOEL McCREA PAT O'BRIEN CLAIRE DODD

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While you decide gingerly to "let her in" after starting up cold... while the speedometer still is motionless... you risk grinding metal particles out of your engine. Or you can take steps against that by having your engine OIL-PLATED now, with your correct Conoco Nth motor oil for Winter.

OIL-PLATING is a sleek lining of lubricant that's skin-fitted to inner engine surfaces by an added modern synthetic in Conoco Nth motor oil—patented. OIL-PLATING can inter-join so closely with the metal it protects that it isn't all quickly draining down to the crankcase. That's why OIL-PLATING can wait up for you—clear up to its topmost point in your engine—all day, all night, all week... all the while you use Nth oil.

Sooner than you're dressed in the morning—sooner than you've locked up or clocked out at night—your Conoco Nth motor oil will already have your engine OIL-PLATED. Let any oil down in the crankcase below try getting up on the job that fast! Talk about "Safety First"... OIL-PLATING means safety ahead of time! Change now to Winter OIL-PLATING. Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station knows your seasonal grade of Conoco Nth. Continental Oil Co.

JOIN Elect yourself to the ONCE-A-WEEK CLUB FREE at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Choose your own regular day to drive in and have him check your tires, oil, radiator and battery. His systematic expert attention means trouble-prevention. He'll report to you in advance on lubrication and anything that he finds you need for the duration of your car.

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WANTED—Companion and housekeeper for elderly lady. Prefer middle-aged person. Call or see Mrs. J. C. Reese. 1-1f

FOR SALE—or Rent: Helpy-Selfy laundry building on Abilene highway. J. L. Williams. 1-3f

FOR SALE—Circular, seal plush, evening cape. 36 inches length. Phone 1223. 8-21-H

FOR SALE—166½ acres improved black land farm on divide near Norton. See Earl Cope, Norton. 8-3f

FOR SALE—Kash cottonseed, \$2.70 per bushel. J. W. Patterson, Ballinger. 8-2f

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 801 Eighth Street. Phone 1239. Mrs. L. C. Alexander. 8-3f

FOR SALE—One row A. C. Tractor and equipment. G. J. Smith, three miles south of town between Olden and Angelo roads. 8-2f

Reward

I will pay a \$50 reward for the return of the majority of property taken when two cars were stolen from my place, driven into South Ballinger and stripped recently; \$50 for information leading to arrest and conviction of thief or \$100 for both.
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WANTED—White girl for general housework. Mrs. C. F. Bailey, Ballinger. 15-1f

See me for custom grinding, corn meal and whole wheat flour. A. J. H. Borders. 15-3f

FOR RENT—Apartments, 902 Sixth Street or see L. L. Strobbe. 15-1f

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Mrs. F. C. Miller, 304 Seventh Street. 15-1f

WANTED—Position as housekeeper, have had experience. Mrs. A. J. McMillan, Ballinger route 1. 15-1f

FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment. Mrs. D. C. Simpson, Phone 179. 15-1f

WANTED—Work in home or practical nursing. Telephone 1253. 15-1f

FOR RENT—Bed room. Prefer men or employed girls. Phone 1221, 1004 Ninth Street. 15-1f

FOR RENT—Furnished two-room apartment, newly decorated. 1306 Ninth Street. 15-1f

FOR RENT—Three room unfurnished apartment. 208 Sixth Street. 15-1f

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment. No children, no pets; all bills paid. Mrs. R. E. Willingham, 301 Twelfth Street. 15-1f

Mrs. T. C. Tounget was dismissed from the local hospital today after receiving treatment for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Chancy left the first of the week for an extended visit with their daughter at Tulsa.

Tom Caudle, Neil McAlpine and E. M. Lynn went to Abilene Saturday night to attend the McMurry-Schreiner football game.

Mrs. C. C. Prater has returned to her home at Hamlin after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. C. L. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McKenzie, of Raymondville, and Mrs. E. A. Zurecher, of Houston, are here for a visit with Mrs. J. H. Wilke and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cherry.

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DEATHS

Miss Ruth McAuley
Miss Ruth McAuley, 40, died at St. Ann's Hospital in Abilene Tuesday morning at two o'clock after illness of four and a half months.

Decedent was born at Maverick on June 30, 1902, and moved with her family to Ballinger in August, 1919. For a time she was employed at Connelly's Bakery and later by the Western Union Telegraph Co. She left here and went to Brownwood and for the past seventeen years was with the Western Union office at Abilene. She graduated from the Ballinger high school before beginning work with the above firms.

Survivors include her mother, Mrs. W. L. McAuley, Ballinger, four sisters, Mrs. C. R. Roberson, Ballinger; Mrs. Webb Morgan, Houston; Mrs. Everett Pond, El Paso; Mrs. Raymond Kiniste, San Angelo; a half sister, Mrs. Will Harrell, Abilene; three brothers, Ed McAuley, Maverick; Leland McAuley, Weslaco; Lee Roy McAuley, Ballinger.

Funeral services were held at the King-Holt chapel Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Clarence A. Morton officiating. Interment was made in the Bronte cemetery.

Funeral services were held at the graveside in the Norton cemetery Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Maria Jesus Flores
Mrs. Maria Jesus Flores, 57, was killed instantly by lightning Wednesday evening about 8 o'clock at her home in the Mexican section of Ballinger. She had gone to the window of her home to look out at the storm when a bolt of lightning struck her. The body was taken to San Juan for burial.

Survivors include the husband, three sons and three daughters. Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

John Wesley West
John Wesley West, 50, colored, died at the home of Sol DeVault some time during the night of October 9. He had been living at Big Spring but had come here on business that day. West apparently was in good health when he retired.

Decedent had lived in Ballinger for 24 years until about three years ago when he left for Big Spring to accept a job. Survivors include the wife, a daughter, one brother and four sisters.

Funeral services were held at the Mt. Moriah Baptist Church Sunday afternoon and interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duncan are the parents of a fine 9-pound baby boy, born Tuesday morning. Mrs. Duncan and baby are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Baissett are entertaining a fine baby boy, born to them Tuesday afternoon at the Halley & Love Sanitarium. Mrs. Baissett and the baby are doing nicely.

Students and Helpers

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munity development for their help. Mr. Zappe said he felt sure Runnels county would produce more than two million pounds of scrap during the entire campaign.

Canning Program In Runnels County Now in Full Swing

Canning in Runnels county has been in full swing for several weeks and continues at a high peak. Miss Bettie K. Stuart, home management supervisor for the farm security administration, reported yesterday.

"It's the biggest and most important canning season we've ever had," she declared. "It marks an important era in our struggle against wartime food shortages, and our canning goal this year is 50 per cent over last year's all-time high."

Miss Stuart said about 100 FSA farm wives began planning their canning budgets early last spring. They checked their canning equipment and planted foods that would be expensive or hard to get this winter—foods full of vitamins for the health of their families. These women, she said, spent the summer weeding their gardens, and now they are harvesting and canning for home use the greatest stores of food that ever lined their shelves.

Greater than the cash savings—estimated at about four times the cost of producing the food—will be the effect on the health of families, Miss Stuart believes. During the winter FSA families will eat wholesome fruits and vegetables because they are canning on an average for each member of the family the following:

- 25 quarts of tomatoes
- 45 quarts of assorted vegetables
- 35 quarts of fruit, etc.

Each member of the average FSA family will also have two or three bushels of stored food. More vegetables, such as carrots, potatoes, turnips, beets and so forth, will be stored this year, in the opinion of the supervisor, so as to save available jars for the foods which need to be canned.

Miss Stuart predicts a record amount of canning of meat and meat products later this fall during the butchering season.

Serving Uncle Sam

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the 43rd school squadron, Randolph Field, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Williams.

Sgt. Charles Paul Williams left Wednesday for Enid, Oklahoma, after a ten-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Williams. Sgt. Williams is with the 94th service squadron, E. A. F. S., at Enid.

Miss Lexie Brevard received two letters this week from her brother, S. J. Brevard, who is in the air corps and stationed in Australia. The letters were written on September 20 and 27 and arrived here on October 12 and 14. He stated that he was doing fine, had received pictures from home and wanted more. He told his sister that the hottest months there would be December, January and February. He has been "down under" since March 30.

W. D. Wilson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wilson of Ballinger, enlisted in the army at the Abilene recruiting station last week and was sent to Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells. He had been working at the Harman Training Center for some time before volunteering for service.

Staff Sergeant Frank Allamon left this week after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allamon of VanDoren, Mississippi, where he will be stationed in the future.

Felix E. Pospichal has reported to the U. S. naval air station at Corpus Christi, where he will be assigned to duties of his rating.

Ltut. Willis W. Burney, cousin of Mrs. Una V. Dooze of Ballinger, has been posthumously awarded the distinguished service cross for action in the East Indies on January 16. He was the bombardier on a ship which shot down seven Jap planes. The award was pinned on his infant daughter in the Randolph Field hospital.

Pat Williams, grandson of Mrs. R. A. Nicholson and J. A. Williams of this city, has volunteered for service as a bombardier and is awaiting call to training. Pat is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams, of Abilene.

CHURCH

First Presbyterian Church (301 Broadway)
Sunday: 9:30 a. m., Young People's League. 9:45 a. m., church school. Classes for all ages. 11 a. m., morning worship. Sermon subject, "Teach Us to Pray." 8 p. m., vesper service. Sermon subject, "Thinking with Myself." Monday: 4 p. m., Auxiliary Bible study at the church. Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., prayer service. 8:15 p. m., choir practice. The public is cordially invited to all worship services.
J. C. JOHNSON, Pastor

First Baptist Church (400 Eighth Street)
Sunday, October 18—Brotherhood Sunday: This Sunday morning the deacons will make an important announcement to the church. All members urged to hear it. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Sermon, 11 a. m., by the pastor, "The Book of Joshua—a Good Success." Baptist Training Union, 7 p. m. Sermon at 8 p. m. by the pastor, "Who is Your Captain?" Wednesday: Mid-week services at 7:45 p. m. The public invited to all of these services.
CLARENCE A. MORTON, Pastor

First Methodist Church
Sunday, October 18, 1942:
Church school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11:00 a. m. Intermediate and Youth Fellowship, 7:00 p. m. Evening service, 6:00 p. m. Monday: Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the church at 4:00 p. m. Philathea Class party at Mrs. Claude R. Stone's home, 7:30 p. m. There are only three more Sundays of this conference year and it is the desire of the pastor and his people that they shall be the best that we have had thus far. You are cordially invited to be present and worship with us on the Sabbath. The pastor will preach at both hours.
ELMER C. CARTER, Pastor

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church U. S. A.
Sunday, October 18, 1942: 9:45 a. m., church school, Roy L. Hill, general superintendent. 11:00 a. m., morning worship. 8:00 p. m., evening worship.
W. A. ERWIN, Pastor

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GRADY PRICER, Minister

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Masses on Sundays: First, third and fifth Sundays at 8:00 a. m. Second and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a. m. Mass during the week, 7:00 a. m.
H. A. SETTERS, O. M. I., Pastor.

First Christian Church (Broadway and Murrell)
Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Worship, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Come and join the fellowship.
J. T. SIMMONS, Minister

Church of God (Corner Strong and Sixth)
Church school, 10:00 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Junior meeting, 7:30 p. m. Young People's meeting, 7:30 p. m. Evening evangelistic service, 8:00 p. m.

Wednesday prayer service, 8:00 p. m.
A Christian welcome to all.
GEORGE HARRINGTON, Pastor

Church of the Nazarene (Ninth and Harris)
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. N. Y. P. S., 7:15 p. m. Evening worship, 8:15 p. m.
WAYNE SEARS, Pastor

Foursquare Church (104 North Twelfth Street)
Tuesday: 8:45 p. m., choir practice. Wednesday: 8:45 p. m., Bible study and prayer meeting.

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