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## Ballingerites Pay Tribute To Franklin D. Roosevelt

Ballinger citizens paused Saturday afternoon to attend a memorial service in honor of Franklin D. Roosevelt, until Thursday afternoon president of the United States and commander-in-chief of all American forces. The service was planned and presented by the Ballinger Ministerial Association and the Ballinger Board of Community Development.

All stores were closed at 2:45 for the rites at the First Baptist Church and at 3 p. m. the auditorium was filled with people who sought to honor the great leader who has been at the head of this nation for the past twelve years and had begun a fourth term as president of the United States. Singers from all churches in the city joined to form a chorus for the music under the direction of R. E. White, with Mrs. Charles Hambrick at the organ console. Musical selections were the president's favorite hymn, "Lead Kindly Light," "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and the national anthem.

Rev. J. T. Simmons, minister of the First Christian Church, read the first scripture and offered the opening prayer.

Rev. W. A. Erwin, pastor of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, read the favorite Bible chapter of the late president.

Rev. H. B. Loyd, pastor of the First Methodist Church, delivered the memorial address in which he acknowledged his limitations of offering an eulogy for a man so great in his own country and the entire world. He especially emphasized the loss to the world in this critical hour.

Rev. Gary Hoffius, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, offered a prayer expressing thanks for the deceased president's great leadership and asking Divine blessings on the man who has assumed the presidency of this nation and for those members of the cabinet and all in places of responsibility.

Following the singing of the national anthem the benediction was spoken and taps sounded from the church balcony by C. D. Richards, of the Texas State Guard. Men of the state guard presented the colors at the opening of the service.

### RUNNELS COURT HOUSE ON MAGAZINE COVER

A picture of the Runnels county court house is printed this week on the cover of County Progress, official publication of the Texas County Judges' and Commissioners' Association. In addition a short article gives the history of the building, when first constructed and remodeling of the structure a few years ago, telling the costs, etc.

## 'Rat and Cleanup Drives Will Start Here Monday

A city-wide rat extermination campaign and a general clean-up drive will be launched in Ballinger next Monday, both to continue two weeks and end May 5.

A letter was received from E. G. Pope, district extension service agent, stating that the United States department of interior would be glad to send a representative to Ballinger to assist in the rodent campaign. He will arrive here next week to map the offensive. The city will provide men to put out poison baits in the stores and watch after them during the campaign. Each store is to be charged 75c for baits and given service on placing them at the best spots. Home-owners who wish to put out poison on their premises may purchase baits at 30 cents each but will have to call for the poison and put it out.

**Clean-Up Campaign**  
The Ballinger fire department

## Lt. James W. Guynes Wounded, Prisoner Of War in Germany

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guynes have received information that their son, Lt. Jim Guynes, is a prisoner in Germany. A message arriving here March 31 said he had been missing in action since March 3.

The latest information came to Mrs. James W. Guynes, Jr., of Cleveland, wife of the officer, in a letter from Don Scheicher, gunner on the ship of which Lt. Guynes was pilot. Both were captured together and both were injured, being taken in on stretchers. The gunner was taken to an enlisted men's hospital with a broken leg, broken arm and two broken ribs. When the Americans crossed the Rhine River he was liberated and removed to a hospital in Paris. In his letter he stated that Lt. Guynes was taken to an officers' hospital in southern Germany, and that he was in a serious condition.

The Guynes received word last Thursday from a friend who was at Lt. Guynes' headquarters that the American group ran into a swarm of German fighters. In the action he collided with one of his own planes and his ship was split in two. Seven men were seen to parachute from the plane which was in No. 2 position that day as Lt. Guynes was deputy group leader.

Lt. Guynes is the second of this family to have been shot down and captured by the Germans. Capt. Joseph Guynes was shot down over Rumania and held a captive there until released by the Russians when that country fell to the Red army. He was flown back to his base in Italy and later sent home.

The gunner on Lt. Guynes' plane stated in his letter that he had received excellent medical attention at the German hospital.

American armies are plowing deep into southern Germany now and there is a possibility the young officer may be liberated almost any time. Nearly every day come reports that more prison camps and hospitals have been taken by American ground forces and thousands are being freed.

### COUNTY SINGING CONVENTION WILL CONVENE HERE SUNDAY

The Runnels County Singing Convention will convene at 10:30 o'clock Sunday, April 22, 1945, in the Ballinger high school auditorium. The afternoon session will be held in the Grace Baptist Church. People residing in the county are requested to bring basket lunches.

## Draft Calls Will be Heavy Next Month; Two Groups Leave

and the Civic-Garden Club will enter a contest in a clean-up campaign. Members of the garden club will have charge of the clean-up of front yards all over the city and are offering prizes of \$3, \$2 and \$1 in three divisions for whites, negroes and Mexicans. Out-of-town judges will be called in to determine the winners.

Ballinger firemen will have charge of the cleaning of alleys, also offering prizes of \$3, \$2 and \$1 in three divisions for the best jobs done in alleys and at the rear of residences and business houses.

Chester Cherry, chief of the fire department, expressed the hope that all the citizens would join in both campaigns and declared that much yard and alley work was needed here at this time.

Final judging is scheduled May 5 and winners in each division made public as soon as decisions are made.

## Clothing Pouring in Here For United Nations Drive

Bundles of clothing for the United Nations relief collection are pouring in here to the general depots and already a large shipment has been received at the Agnew Funeral Home warehouse.

Chairmen in charge of the drive in Runnels county are urging all citizens to prepare and bring their bundles to the depot here by the end of the week if possible so workers can sort and pack the many boxes for overseas shipment.

The past week-end a large number of bundles were brought in by rural residents coming to town for shopping, and a check-up reveals that many very serviceable garments have been received.

It is believed that many more people who live within the city limits of Ballinger intend to help and they are urged to do so at once. During the first two weeks of the campaign many bundles have been collected by local school children and these have all been delivered to the depot.

Almost any kind of apparel is wanted. The only item specified as not desired is ladies' hats. Shoes are wanted, but no high-heeled shoes or those without toes or heels are called for. The clothing will go largely to cold climates and will be worn for warmth.

It has been noted that many heavy topcoats for men, women and children have been donated to date and these are badly needed. Knitted garments and underwear also are especially sought. No rags will be shipped—nothing but serviceable garments.

Joe Forman, county chairman, is checking up at other towns where collections are being made so that all clothing will be properly sorted and shipped about the same time.

## Trustees Considering Many Applications For Superintendency

The Ballinger school board was in session Tuesday night, at which time a new member, W. O. Middleton, was appointed to serve on the board as successor to George Clements, resigned.

The trustees worked late on applications for the position of superintendent of the local school system. It was disclosed that 31 applications were eliminated by the board and 13 retained, there being 44 applications for the place.

Five men have been invited by the trustees to come here for interviews next Tuesday night, and it is hoped to make a choice at an early date so the new superintendent can move to Ballinger early in the year and be on duty during the vacation period.

It was announced that all principals and teachers had been reelected for another year.

## Draft Calls Will be Heavy Next Month; Two Groups Leave

Victories in Europe are not curtailing calls for men from Runnels county in any way. Forty-five men were sent to San Antonio Tuesday morning for pre-induction examinations and Wednesday morning two buses were loaded with 42 men who went to San Antonio for induction into the armed forces.

Names cannot be released until the men have been accepted for service and assigned to training camps.

O. C. Sykes, member of the draft board, stated today that calls for May in this county were very heavy and there was no apparent let-up in the call for men to serve with the fighting forces of the nation.

Mrs. Fred Vetterlein and Miss Katherine Freeman were in Abilene Monday afternoon for a reunion of a group of fellow class-mates at Hardin-Simmons University.

## Organizations to be Given Explanation Of Veterans' Rights

A meeting has been called here for Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the district court room of the court house, at which representatives of a number of organizations will hear explanations of veterans' benefits provided by the government. Items to be discussed and considered at the meeting include: 1. Benefits available to veterans; 2. Responsibilities of various agencies and organizations; 3. A uniform procedure for handling benefits under the G. I. bill; 4. Plans for passing on this information to all citizens of the county.

Representatives of the following organizations and agencies have been invited to attend: extension service, farm security administration, PSA certifying committee, county's banks, home demonstration council, National Farm Loan Association, county veterans' service office, Texas unemployment compensation committee, selective service board, reemployment commission, public schools, commissioners' court, Ballinger Board of Community Development, rural pastors, and newspapers.

Information will be given these groups so they can be assistance to returning veterans when help is needed.

The Runnels county service officer, regularly employed by the commissioners' court, is busy all the time now with some form of work concerning either the veteran or his family.

## Applications Must Be Filed at Once For Canning Sugar

Applications for canning sugar will be taken in Runnels county Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, April 21, 23, and 24, at stations in Ballinger, Miles, Rowena, Winters, Crews, Norton and Wingate. In each place a group of local citizens will assist in filling out the application blanks and they will be turned over to the county ration board and coupons mailed for canning sugar after the board has passed on the application.

In Ballinger, H. M. Robinson, clerk of the local board, stated that members of the Fannie Stephens Study Club would be in charge of the work and would be located at the office of the Ballinger Board of Community Development in the city hall, where they will assist any housewife in preparing the application. When completed the blanks will be delivered to the ration board for processing.

Sugar coupons will not be handed over the counter at the ration board office, but will be mailed after applications are approved. Housewives should submit their applications well in advance of the time when they will actually need the sugar.

It was also announced that no stamp in war ration book No. 4 will be good for canning sugar this year.

Although 20 pounds is the maximum, the board has the authority to cut this amount according to what it thinks is the actual need and to take into consideration past consumption.

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## Tuberculin Tests to be Given Pupils of County

Ballinger theatres have been showing this week "Another to Conquer," a film provided by the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association by the state health department to be run at the beginning of the early diagnosis campaign. The film was shown at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, and at the Ritz Theatre Wednesday and today.

Mrs. C. A. Glover is directing the early diagnosis campaign which is to cover the entire county. She has announced the following schedule of visits: Rowena, Miles—April 18; Winters—April 23 (whites and negroes)

## SERVING UNCLE SAM

WITH THE 26TH (YANKEE) INFANTRY DIVISION IN GERMANY—The only surviving member of a machine gun section that had been wiped out under an artillery barrage, T-Sgt. Raymond F. Whitworth moved, stunned, to a new machine gun position with two boxes of ammunition and manned the machine gun throughout an entire enemy counter attack which was eventually repulsed.

During heavy fighting, the 328th Infantry's machine gun section had been given orders to move from the left to the enemy's right flank. In the move it was caught by an artillery barrage and wiped out except for one lone survivor.

Sgt. Whitworth, the survivor, had been merely stunned by the concussion of the shell bursts. When he came to, he observed that the entire area was being covered by enemy submarine fire. He realized that a German counter attack was imminent. He took two boxes of ammunition, crawled 75 yards under heavy fire to a forward machine gun position. Then in order to insure an ample supply of fire-power, he returned to bring up two additional boxes. Upon his safe return he assisted in manning a machine gun throughout the counter attack and played his full share in repulsing it.

T-Sgt. Raymond Whitworth is the son of Mrs. Leslie Whitworth, Ballinger. He has received the bronze star.

Pfc. Grady C. Cotton, son of Mrs. Vera Cotton of Ballinger, has been awarded his fifth major star representing his fifth bronze battle in the European theatre. He is a cryptographer with a troop carrier group which has been awarded a presidential distinguished unit citation for its part in the invasion of Normandy, the paratroop and glider airborne operations in southern France, the big aerial invasion of Holland, and for supplying troops cut off at Bastogne and the "lost battalion" in Mortain. This group also has delivered thousands of tons of needed gasoline and ammunition to the battle lines and returned with wounded men. Pfc. Cotton is a graduate of the Ballinger high school and joined the service in 1943.

Mrs. Ed Curry has received the official notice from the war department that her husband, Sgt. Ed Curry, is a prisoner of the German government. The regular routine telegram gave no added details than those already known by Mrs. Curry through cards received directly from Sgt. Curry.

Robert M. Lowry, Jr., reported to the primary flying school at Brady Wednesday afternoon for pilot training. A third classman at West Point, he will receive his first classman rank June 1.

C. A. Doose, Jr., has been promoted to the rank of captain, according to a letter received by his wife, who resides in San Angelo. Capt. Doose has been in the European theatre for more than a year and at present is with the 9th army headquarters as chief of the investigation section. He is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Will Doose, of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doose, of Ballinger.

Pvt. Egbert V. (Johnny) Smith has been assigned to Co. A, 160th Bn. at RTC No. 1, Camp Hood, Texas. He has been there three weeks.

## ice is Being For April 25

The Ballinger American Legion post Tuesday night made plans for holding a prayer service at the Texas Theatre from 10 to 11 a. m. on Wednesday, April 25, date for the opening of the United Nations conference at San Francisco. Request for this move was received from the state department at Austin at the behest of Gov. Coke Stevenson.

Pastors of the various local churches were contacted Wednesday and are cooperating in all plans. All residents of this vicinity are urged to make arrangements to attend.

Mayor C. P. Shepherd issued a proclamation Wednesday, calling on citizens of Ballinger to cooperate fully in the plans.

Proclamation  
"Whereas, representatives of the United Nations will assemble at San Francisco on April 25 to draft the charter for a world organization to prevent future wars, and

"Whereas, it is the fervent wish of all America that the labors of the San Francisco conference be crowned with complete success in the ultimate objective, the preventing of war, to the end that no future generation of Americans will experience the horror and heartbreak that we know today, and

"Whereas, the current widespread disagreement and bickering, tinged with greed and political malice, accentuate the inadequacy of mere man in the presence of a problem which is of man's own creation, the problem of banishing war from the face of the earth.


"Therefore, be it resolved that the people of Ballinger assemble at the Texas Theatre Wednesday morning, April 25, from 10 to 11 o'clock, that services of prayers be offered to Almighty God for His divine guidance and support in the labors and deliberations of said conference and for the complete success of the measure there adopted for the prevention of wars.

(Signed): "C. P. SHEPHERD, Mayor of Ballinger."

Ministers of local churches are working with a committee from the American Legion post on this program and before Sunday all arrangements will be made.

**Mrs. Gertrude Woods**  
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BALLINGER, TEXAS

**TONIGHT 8 P.M.**  
You Are Invited to Hear  
**MR. G. B. VICK**  
at the  
**Grace Baptist Church**  
10th and Phillips  
PAUL E. DONNELSON, Pastor  
Mr. Vick is president of the World Fundamental Baptist Missionary Fellowship, and Superintendent of the largest Sunday School in the World. Every Pastor and Sunday School Teacher will profit by his message.  
Everyone Welcome



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Hear Our New 25-Voice Choir

**SUNDAY, APRIL 22, DEDICATED TO OUR BOYS AND GIRLS IN SERVICE**  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Baptist Training Union 7 p. m.  
11 a. m. Sermon: Dr. A. C. Miller, Secretary to the Service Men and Women of Texas  
8 p. m. Sermon: Dr. A. C. Miller, "PEACE AND THE POST-WAR WORLD"  
WELCOME ALWAYS AT  
**The First Baptist Church**  
40 Eighth Street  
CLARENCE A. NORTON, Pastor

**THE CLOTHING DRIVE**  
is on and will continue during the month of April. If not convenient for you to deliver your clothing bundles phone 440 and we will pick them up.  
**AGNEW FUNERAL HOME**  
Telephone 440  
Ballinger, Texas  
Day and Night Ambulance Service Funeral Insurance

**\$250.00 Reward**  
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# Women's, Society and Club News

## Miss Ellen Jo Early is Bride of Lt. Duane E. Davidson

Miss Ellen Jo Early, daughter of Mrs. W. B. Pagels, became the bride of Lt. Duane E. Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Earl Davidson of Greenville, Michigan, in a candle-light service read last Saturday evening at seven-thirty o'clock in the Chapel at the Pampa Army Air Base with the Chaplain, Lt. Bannan Y. Swope, officiating clergyman for the impressive double-ring ceremony.

Tall white wicker baskets of white carnations and fern stood on each side of nine-point floor candelabra holding white tapers to form the lovely altar decoration.

Warrant Officer George T. Cowell was at the organ for pre-nuptial numbers including Schubert's "Ave Maria" and Grieg's "I Love Thee," and for the traditional Wagner and Mendelssohn marches for the processional and recessional.

Mrs. Robert Dauenhauer of New Orleans, Louisiana, attended the bride as matron of honor. She wore a spring suit of beige gaberdine with jabot blouse of chartreuse sheer. Her small veiled sailor was of brown straw and other accessories were brown. Her corsage was of tallisman rosebuds. Lt. Dauenhauer was best man.

The bride wore a two-piece suit of white Botany wool. The jacket, made with a round neck, was fastened at the waistline with a single pearl button. Her only ornament was a single strand pearl necklace and her corsage was of gardenias. Her small off-the-face hat of black Milan straw had a white floral trim and other accessories were black patent.

The couple left immediately for a honeymoon trip to Greenville, Michigan, where they will visit the bridegroom's family. They will report to San Marcos about May 11, where Lt. Davidson will receive transitional training at the San Marcos Army Air Field.

Mrs. Davidson is a graduate of the Ballinger High School where she was chosen the most beautiful girl for three years. She was employed by the Dallas Insurance Company until she accepted employment at Bruce Field.

Lt. Davidson graduated from high school in Greenville, Michigan, and attended Michigan State College before he volunteered for service in the Army Air Corps. He received the first five weeks of his primary cadet training with the last class, 43B, at Bruce Field. Other training periods were spent at Goodfellow Field, Perrin

Field, Sherman, and Pampa, where he received his pilot's wings and commission as a second lieutenant.

Wedding guests included the bride's mother of Pampa.

**FOR SERVICE**—Thoroughbred stallion, grandson of Man o' War, \$10 service. Ralph Vancil, Hatchel, 22-4t.

Red Chain and Texas Maid dairy feeds. Ballinger Feed & Hatchery, successors to Currie Produce Co. 15-tf

Planting seed recleaned with large capacity clipper seed recleaner. Brunson's Mill. 15-tf

Phenothiazine Drench Phenothiazine Salt Formula No. 62 Smear MORRISON GIN Feed Department 29-tf

Complete line of Red Chain and Texo starter feeds. Ballinger Feed & Hatchery, successors to Currie Produce Co. 15-tf

**Cedar Posts** Truck prices any quantity. Give us your order. MORRISON GIN Feed Department 15-tf

Treat your planting seed with Ceresan. At Brunson's Mill. 15-tf

**FOR SALE**—Sudan seed 954 germination. J. M. Pyburn, Ballinger. 5-2t.

**Baby Chicks every Tuesday**, from blood-tested flocks. Place your order now. Ballinger Feed & Hatchery, successors to Currie Produce Co. 15-tf

**LOST**—Black suitcase, had A. C. C. stickers on it, between Ballinger and Paint Rock, contained clothes, cigarettes, razor, etc. Reward. Return to Ledger. 5-2t.

**FOR SALE**—320 head grown stuff, 80 wool lambs, over 200 baby lambs. C. H. Hester, Crews. 5-2t.

**LOST**—Pair of glasses March 23, in Ballinger. Bonnie Wayne Lee. Reward. Return to Ledger office. 5-2t.

**WANTED**—Men and women for plant and office work, who are looking for permanent jobs. For further information contact Banner Creameries, Abilene, Texas. 5-2t

**FOR SALE**—Sudan seed, free of Johnson grass. Henry Klaus, Rowena. 12-3t.

**WANTED**—To rent sewing machine by the month. Lt. Visser, 404 Broadway. Telephone 481. 12-1t.

**FOR SALE**—Registered Hereford male shoats—also quarter horses

## Next Move Toward Tokyo Assured



A bedding roll serves as a chess table for marine airmen between flights at the Motoyama airfield, No. 1 on Iwo Jima. Figuring for the next move are, left to right, 1st Lts. Byron W. Mayo, Portland, Ore., and William H. May, Meridian, Miss., pilots of a Leatherneck torpedo bomber squadron. The capturing of the airport was made possible by the landings of the marines on Iwo and the capture of Iwo Jima.

cookies, served at one long table in City Park, a hay ride in two large trucks gave added entertainment. On each truck, accordion players accompanied the groups in singing familiar songs as they rode along country roads.

Returning to the park, an hour of directed games concluded the evening's festivities. Mrs. Bernice Tucker, club sponsor, was assisted by Mrs. Don Gibbs, Misses Katherine Freeman, Inez France, Messrs. and Mmes. F. C. Shillingburg, J. J. Wessels, Johnny Baker, and Mrs. Grace Crimm. More than one hundred were present.

**Mrs. Taylor Henley Installs Officers for First Baptist Companions Class**

Mrs. Taylor Henley was guest installing officer for the formal

installation for the First Baptist Companions Class last Thursday evening in the home of Lillian Ruth Keithley on Ninth Street.

In rooms, decorated with irises, roses and snap dragons, the impressive candle-light service was followed by a business meeting and social hour. Officers are Betty Jean Lenefeld, president; Willa Faye Wood, vice-president; Betty Parrish, secretary-treasurer; Christian activities chairman, Dorothy Holliday; Christian stewardship and missions, Gena Faye Duke; group captains, Earline Morris and June Chapman; and reporter, Lillian Ruth Keithley.

Mrs. Naomi Keithley assisted in serving ice cream and cake. Others were: Mrs. Joe Forrester, teacher; Elizabeth Wear, Anna Sue Hembree, Betty Jean Under-

wood, Helen Clack, and Jean McAden.

## OLDFEN P-T-A.

At the April meeting of the Oldfen Parent-Teacher Association it was reported that the pupils of the Oldfen school, under the leadership of the P-T-A, have collected a large amount of waste paper in the last drive and now are conducting an active campaign for used clothing for the needy in European countries.

Some of the men of the association have constructed a new underground sewerage tank for the school lunch room. The association also held an Easter egg hunt for the pupils of the school.

Officers will be elected at the next meeting and Mmes. Ben Holtman, J. J. Hoelscher and W. J. Halfmann were appointed nominating committee members. The attendance prize was won by Mrs. Robert Lange. Entertainment features were provided by Rev. P. M. Kaminsky, Mrs. Robert Lange, and Mrs. J. J. Hoelscher.

Paper clips at Ledger office.

## ACTS ON THE KIDNEYS

To increase flow of urine and relieve irritation of the bladder from excess acidity in the urine

Are you suffering unnecessary distress, backache, run-down feeling and discomfort from excess acidity in the urine? Are you disturbed nights by a frequent desire to pass water? Then you should know about that famous doctor's discovery — DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT — that thousands say gives blessed relief. Swamp Root is a carefully blended combination of 16 herbs, roots, vegetables, balsams. Dr. Kilmer's is not harsh or habit-forming in any way. Many people say its marvelous effect is truly amazing. Send for free, prepaid sample TODAY! Like thousands of others you'll be glad that you did. Send name and address to Department D, Kilmer & Co., Inc., Box 1255, Stamford, Conn. Offer limited. Send at once. All druggists sell Swamp Root.

## NORTH NORTON HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The North Norton home demonstration club held its regular meeting last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Dave Underwood.

Handwork was done by members during the afternoon and at the close of the session lemonade and cake were served to those present. The next meeting will be held on April 27 in the home of Mrs. W. W. Mitchell.

**My best friends were amazed ..at my Improved LOOKS ..New ENERGY...PEP!**



**1—Promote the flow of VITAL DIGESTIVE JUICES in the stomach**  
**2—Energize your body with RICH, RED BLOOD!**

**YOU MAY AMAZE** your friends by helping Nature work faster in promoting the VITAL DIGESTIVE JUICES in the stomach and building ample RICH, RED-BLOOD. These two important results enable you to enjoy the food you do eat...to make use of it as Nature intended. Thus you get fresh vitality... pep... do your work better...become animated...more attractive! SSS Tonic helps Nature work faster when extra help is needed...so with its help, in the absence of organic complication or focal infection, you should start on the up-road to better health today...SSS Tonic is at drug stores in 10 and 20 oz. size. © S.S.S. Co.

BUILD STURDY HEALTH and keep STALWART • STEADY • STRONG  
**SSS. TONIC** helps build STURDY HEALTH

## No Runts among these grunts



A LOT of credit goes to our Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations where men spend their lives working out improved methods of breeding and feeding. For example, E. F. Ferrin, head of the swine division of the University of Minnesota, recently ran a feeding test with seven lots of pigs. He found that too small an amount of protein in the ration produces more runts, slower gains and less profit.

All pigs in the test started at an average weight of 60 pounds and were self-fed without pasture for 14 weeks. All seven lots received the same kind of protein supplement which was tankage and soybean meal in equal parts with 10% alfalfa meal to supply adequate amounts of B vitamins. Some lots got a high-protein ration (18% of the total feed); others were cut down to 15% and 12% protein. As pigs get heavier, they need less protein, so in some lots the amount of protein was reduced as they gained in weight. The best results came from an 18% protein ration until the pigs reached 100 pounds, and 15% protein after that weight. The hogs on low-protein rations made smaller gains and were more uneven in individual weights when the test ended. By just such careful experiments, the "know-how" of hog raising has reached its present efficiency.

**There's More Money in Eggs**  
If you: 1) collect them often, 2) cool them promptly, 3) keep them clean. All this improves their grade and therefore means a better price to you.

**SULPHUR FOR LAMB COCCIDIOSIS**  
Coccidiosis in lambs may be successfully prevented by the addition of ground crude sulphur to their feed in proportions ranging from 3/4% to 1 1/2% of the ration, claims the Idaho Wool Growers Bulletin. Effectiveness of this sulphur treatment has been demonstrated by the U.S.D.A. working in cooperation with large lamb feeders, the report states.

**CATFISH CAN'T RAISE CORN**  
Nature has equipped catfish with feelers so they can find their way about in muddy, silt-laden rivers. Most of that mud and silt is rich topsoil from once fertile farmlands; the type of soil that should still be producing 50 to 100 bushels of corn, and that's too bad. Because right now, America needs all the corn it can produce. There's no need to let catfish have any part of your farm. Your topsoil can be saved. Soil conservation practices hold the raindrops where they fall, control water erosion, stop gullying, stabilize the soil. The Agricultural Extension Service of your State University will be glad to help you work out a special program to fit your farm.

Through soil conservation practices fertility is maintained, crops make better yields, carrying capacity of pastures is increased, more and cheaper feeds are provided for livestock. All this means more money in the farmer's pocket. Swift & Company believes that whatever helps livestock helps all of us—producer, meat packer and consumer. To you as a producer, we earnestly suggest that an investigation of soil conservation land management may be worth your while.

F.M. Simpson,  
Agricultural Research Dept.

**Keep Your Cream Checks Up!**  
If you've noticed that the cream content of your milk goes down at this time of year, it may indicate that your dairy cows are not getting all the feed they need for heavy production. Those first blades of grass aren't as good as they look, for they won't give the cows all the proteins they require. So don't turn your dairy cattle out to graze and expect them to take care of all their feed requirements with early pasture.

Supplement their spring ration of grass with grain and protein supplement mixture, and hay... grain and protein supplement for milk production, hay for necessary roughage. This tonic is sure to put new spring in the step of an undernourished cow.

The best indication of contentment in the dairy herd is the butterfat test of your milk!

**\$5 IDEA** Salvage metal pails or tubs which have holes in the bottom by pouring in a half-inch of concrete. Let stand a week before using. Makes them a trifle heavier, but serviceable.  
—Mrs. A. L. Miskimon, Wellsville, Kans.

**SODA BILL SEZ:** That you can't make fat hogs on slim rations. That money invested in War Bonds buys tanks today—tractors for you tomorrow!

**A Martha Logan Recipe for PARTY-STYLE MEAT PIE**  
To serve four, buy 1/4 pound of table-ready meat loaf—either minced ham, New England cooked specialty or bologna. Dice. (Or, if you prefer, use 1 1/2 cups of cubed beef.) Mix 2 tablespoons flour with 1 teaspoon salt and dash of pepper. Dredge cubes of meat in flour mixture. Brown in 2 tablespoons of melted fat. Add 1 medium onion which has been diced, and brown. Combine with 1/2 cup each of cooked green peas and cooked sliced carrots. Cover with hot water or leftover gravy. Pour into a deep, wide casserole. Top with mashed potatoes. Bake in a hot oven (450° F.) about 20 minutes, or until potatoes are browned. Serve with a fresh fruit salad, hot rolls and dessert.

**STAMP 'EM OUT!**  
EVERY YEAR—CATTLE GRUBS IN THIS COUNTRY SPILL ENOUGH LEATHER TO PUT SOLES ON THE SHOES OF ABOUT 12,000,000 MARCHING MEN

## "We'll build a house on a hilltop"



OR BY A BROOK—or near a lake... It's great to be young and dream and plan.

The dream-homes being planned today call for frozen food cabinets and automatic washers and electric blankets and air conditioning and lots more electric conveniences.

They'll have them, too. And the electric service that keeps them running will continue to be both cheap and friendly. That's one way we can help make dreams come true!

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2. Do not overload or jam animals. Partition mixed loads of livestock.
3. Never beat or prod with whips or clubs.
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### 'This Man's Navy,' Authentic Film Starring Wallace Beery

"This Man's Navy, M-G-M's picture of the navy's lighter-than-air branch, to be shown at the Ritz Theatre Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, April 22, 23, 24, is one of the most authentic service pictures ever filmed.

Almost seventy-five per cent of the picture was shot at navy air bases at Santa Ana and Del Mar,

Calif., and Lakehurst, N. J. What's more, the remaining twenty-five per cent of the film was photographed in sets at M-G-M that were actual duplicates of offices and quarters used by officers and men of the three bases.

Scenes showing Wallace Beery and James Gleason in a squadron commander's office were filmed on a set copied from the office of Lieut.-Com. Walter F. Lineberger, captain of the Santa Ana squadron. The set was reproduced to the inch, except for certain wall charts.

Authenticity of dialogue and action was checked by two navy technical advisers assigned to the picture. They are Lieut.-Com. C. E. Schetter, public relations officer at Moffet Field, and Lieut. F. M. Lloyd, command pilot attached to the squadron at Santa Ana.

Tom Drake and Jan Clayton have the romantic leads and the cast includes Henry O'Neill and Selena Royle.

#### POWERFUL DRAMA AND MYSTERY FILM TO TEXAS

Proud, arrogant Eddie Ballinger brings heartache to the three women who love him when he finds a career of violence his only answer to the problems of a veteran facing a changed post-war world in Republic's dramatic screenplay, "My Buddy," one of the two films of a double-feature program at the Texas Theatre tomorrow and Saturday.

Donald Barry has the role of Ballinger in the powerful drama, while Ruth Terry and Lynne Roberts top the feminine cast.

Wealth-hungry people with hate in their hearts, contriving the cruelest imaginable methods to destroy each other, are depicted in PRC's "Fog Island," other half of the program tomorrow and Saturday.

Laid against the background of

an old palace on a remote fog-shrouded island off the South Carolina coast, hate, jealousy, green, revenge, and even murder run rampant throughout the "house of hate" with its great halls, dungeon of death, and other weird rooms.

In the stellar roles of this spectacular mystery-chiller are George Zucco, Lionel Atwill and Jerome Cowan, while Veda Ann Borg and Sharon Douglas share feminine honors.

#### Newspaper Yarn and Mystery Comedy Two Features at Palace

"Fuzzy Settles Down," western newspaper story, and "Rogues Gallery" comedy-mystery, make up the program at the Palace Theatre tomorrow (Friday), Saturday, and Sunday, April 20, 21, 22.

Early western journalism from which sprang some of the nation's finest writers, plays an important part in "Fuzzy Settles Down," PRC's outdoor action film starring Buster Crabbe and featuring Al St. John. St. John, in his character role of "Fuzzy" Jones, tries to quit the range and become owner of a small-town newspaper which fights for law and order against a gang of outlaws who terrorize the territory.

Supporting Crabbe and St. John are Patti McCarty, Charles King, John Merton, Frank McCarroll, Hal Price, John Elliott, Ed Cassidy and Robert Hill.

The plot of "Rogues Gallery" is that of an inventor of a listening device that can pick up conversations in any part of the city without any radio hook-up. There is an attempt to steal the blueprints and a murder is committed. Everything ends well in the end and the murderer is brought to justice.

Robin Raymond, Frank Jenks, H. B. Warner and Ray Walker are seen in the top roles.

#### METHODIST PARSONAGE TO BE FINISHED SOON

The Methodist parsonage on Broadway, recently purchased from J. G. Tuckey, is being finished on the interior and will be ready some time next week for the pastor and his family. The committee in charge is having the entire interior repapered, all floors and woodwork refinished and improvements made in the various rooms.

New furniture and venetian blinds have been bought and will be moved in this week-end or early next week. Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Loyd and family will move there as soon as the work is completed and the former parsonage on Tenth Street will be vacated for the new owner, R. P. Canady.

### 'Here Come the Waves'



Principals in "Here Come the Waves," at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, April 22, 23, and 24.

### Gay Musical, 'Here Come Waves' Stars Crosby, Betty Hutton, Tufts

A delightful mixture of romance, songs and comedy pays a screen tribute to the gallant Waves in Paramount's "Here Come the Waves," at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, April 22, 23, 24.

Sparking this hit motion picture are three of Hollywood's finest—Bing Crosby, Betty Hutton and Sonny Tufts. It's Bing's first picture since the widely-acclaimed "Going My Way," and adds even a little more prestige to Crosby's reputation, if that is possible. With Betty Hutton playing twins in a dual role and Sonny Tufts lifting his voice in song for the first time, "Here Come the Waves" takes on a variety aspect which may out-spangle "Star Spangled Rhythm."

There's plenty of meat to this picture's story, though, with the emphasis on complications. First of all, Betty's twins in the film, playing a dual role as Susie and Rosemary Miller. The twins join the Waves and meet Bing, singing idol of the nation. Both Bing and his buddy, Tufts, fall for Rosemary and their efforts to win her hand result in some real belly-laughs by the audience. Susie, too, wears her heart on her sleeve for Crosby and arranges to put "the groaner" in hot water with the navy from the admiral down.

Songs, sentimental and swingy, are creations by Johnny Mercer and Harold Arlen which include such hit parade tunes as "Accent-tchu-ate the Positive," "Let's Take the Long Way Home," "I Promise You," "There's a Fella Waitin' in Poughkeepsie," and the title song, "Here Come the Waves."

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### DeMille Spectacle, 'The Sign of Cross' Stars Fredric March, Claudette Colbert

The modernized production of "The Sign of the Cross," produced by Cecil B. DeMille, is something movie-goers will welcome with open arms. To be shown at the Texas Theatre Wednesday and Thursday of next week, April 25, 26, DeMille's mightiest epic brings Fredric March, Claudette Colbert, Elissa Landi and Charles Laughton to the screen in unforgettable roles.

The producer's achievement in supervising a cast of 7,500 to present the colorful spectacle of ancient Rome during 64 A. D., is something which remains not equalled in Hollywood. "The Sign of the Cross" is first and foremost a story of pagan Rome, reaching its fullest expression in a Roman holiday at the Circus Maximus, where the gladiatorial contests and all the brutal games that delighted Nero served as a prelude to the sacrifice of Christians to the lions.

The drama also includes a tender love story of a Christian girl and a Roman patrician, the roles being played with rare beauty by March and Miss Landi. One of the highspots, too, is Miss Colbert's Poppaea, wanton wife of Emperor Nero, played by Charles Laughton.

#### Banks to Observe Holiday Saturday

Ballinger banks will not be open for business Saturday, observing San Jacinto Day. Customers are asked to arrange for change and attend to other banking business before closing time on Friday.

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State Bank. 11

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2nd Lt. Tommy E. Allison has been awarded the distinguished flying cross at an air transport command base in India. It was announced by Brig. Gen. William H. Turner, commanding general of the India-China division, A.C.

The award was made upon completion of 500 hours of operational flight from September 20, 1945, to January 3, 1946, in transport aircraft over the difficult and dangerous India-China air routes where enemy interception and attack was probable and expected. The air trail over the "Hump" through the peaks of the Himalayas mountains is recognized as the world's toughest.

The citation adds: "Flying at night as well as by day at high altitudes over impassable, mountainous terrain in extremely treacherous weather conditions, he accomplished his mission with distinction."

T-Sgt. Doyle H. Brown, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. Myles E. Brown, is currently assigned to the AAF redistribution station No. 5 at the Santa Ana Army Air Base.

Sgt. Brown, who has completed 26 combat missions as a pilot in a B-17 Flying Fortress, entered the service December 10, 1941, and went overseas in August, 1942. He has been awarded the air medal with five oak leaf clusters and two service stars for participation in major operations over Germany from his base in England.

Pvt. Ralph Morris, who was selected with the 9th Airborne Division in Europe, is making his home in Camp Lewis, Colorado, May 1, where he is receiving treatment for frostbite.

Boysie Ryan, WSC, of the navy hospital corps, has finished his training and has been assigned to active duty on the U. S. S. R. A. Johnston. Mr. Ryan was a cadet in veterinary medicine at Texas A. & M. College.

Sgt. Bob Fowler, of the 1st Airborne Army, was at home on leave because of the illness and death of his father-in-law, J. W. Hesse. He will return to Las Vegas, Nev., and Mrs. Hesse and small son will remain here for some time. Capt. Fowler flew his combat missions out of Italy with the 1st Airborne, returning to the States last November.

Pvt. J. B. (Cotton) Robertson was assigned in Belgium with a tank destroyer unit. He trained at Camp Hood and Fort Meade Md. Mrs. Robertson is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Edwards.

1st. Troy C. Simpson has gone to Sebring, Fla. for heavy bomber operational training. Since receiving his wings with class 48-D he was an instructor in advanced school and later in B-20 transition at Bend, Ohio.

A letter last week from A/U Frank Crockett informed that he had arrived at Chapel Hill, N. C., was OES, and liked the place fine. He will enter the university there for several months before starting flight training in the naval air branch. He had been attending the University of Texas for some time prior to going to North Carolina.

2d/Sgt. Bernard Waddell recently was assigned to the 11th Air Force in the Aleutians and is on a B-20 bomber as an engineer gunner. The 11th Air Force is an old outfit in that theater and has distinguished itself many times for actions in which it dealt destruction to shipping and air forces of the Japs. Before being assigned to the Aleutians, Sgt. Waddell served with the Air Force in Greenland.

The bronze star medal has been awarded to S/Sgt. Luther L. Curbo, with the 9th Army group in Germany. Maj. Gen. John E. Dahlquist, commander of the 36th division, pinned the medal on the

Ballinger here. His experience in escaping from the German after being captured have been published in the Stars and Stripes and many papers in this country.

1st. Seth E. Caperton, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Caperton of this city, has completed a course in instrument pilot training at Lubbock and will soon return to the base at San Angelo. Lt. Caperton spent months overseas with the 9th Air Force, flying a Flying Fortress against the Japs and seeing a number of medals for the time work in that theater of operations.

Glaude E. Stone, Jr., AFMC, will arrive next Tuesday from Key West, Florida, for a ten-day leave. It will be his first visit home in a year.

Pfc. Charles C. Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norma Lee of Maverick, has written that he has seen two other persons from this territory recently. Wac Odessa Fackish and Sgt. Bill McKown of Norton. Pfc. Lee has been overseas two years, most of that time in M. F. He has been stationed in Belfast, Northern Ireland, Liverpool, London, Edinburgh, and various other points in France.

He has been attached to supreme headquarters for over a year and served as a member of General Eisenhower's honor guard from January 1, 1945, until one month after D-Day. He will receive other M.F.'s with SHAG until it is moved to Paris. He is now back with his old M.P. company in Paris.

Pvt. Joe E. Lee, another son, has been overseas a year. He was in New Guinea in the 8th Air Force until he was transferred to a supply unit and moved to the Philippines. He is in headquarters company at General Depot, Service of Supply. He has seen J. W. Taylor, a former employee of Harry's Food Store, and expects to see C. W. Ralph Crockett, Ralph Mackey and Joe Paxton.

Pvt. Lee's wife and daughter, Mary Jo, are making home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner, of Burger and Mr. and Mrs. Lee at Maverick.

Pfc. Leo Sides is at home on emergency furlough from the 1st Air Force at Las Vegas, Nevada.

Pvt. Sam Malone is now at Fort Lewis, near Tacoma, Washington, for basic army training.

1st. South Malone, who has been overseas since August, 1944, with the mechanized cavalry, writes from France that he's well but busy.

Donell Macone, AMMC, and Mrs. Macone have returned to Alameda, California, where Petty Officer Macone is based. They were called home because of the death of Dr. J. W. Macone.

Herman L. Hallmark, SS-2, of the navy, who has been here on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Hallmark, of the Bethel community, has returned to his base at San Diego, California.

Sgt. Doyle Berry, of the marine corps, is at Mare Island, Calif., waiting for a boat to go back to the "hot spots" in the Pacific. Sgt. Berry has had one hitch on there and is now ready to go again.

Sgt. Fred Berry, of the marine corps, in a telegram received here by his parents yesterday said he had landed at San Francisco, and would come on home soon after a visit with his brother, Sgt. Doyle Berry. Sgt. Fred Berry has just finished his second hitch with the leathernecks in Pacific areas.

Jimmy E. Dankworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dankworth, received his silver wings when he graduated as a flight officer at the advanced two-engine pilot school at the Foco Army Air Field, Monterey. He got other training at Minner Field, Sakerfield, Calif. He has been in training since finishing school here. He is at home now for a visit and will report at Lincoln, Nebraska, on April 22.

S-Sgt. Willie Joe Mages, of the 5th Marine Division, who was in the invasion of Iwo Jima, is being treated at the naval hospital in Corpus Christi. On the 10th day of the battle he was sent to a hospital; later returning to San Francisco via ship. Sgt. Mages had been in the Pacific since January, 1944, participating in the Sol and Namur campaigns in the Marshall Islands and in the Sulphur battle where he captured a Jap flag. He was then sent to a rest base for several months before the invasion of Iwo Jima. Sgt. Mages wears five campaign stars; also the presidential citation. He is expecting a furlough soon.

Marine Pfc. Milton Mages, of Camp Pendleton, Calif., accompanied by his wife and 11-year-old daughter, of Los Angeles, are visiting relatives here after having visited his brother, Royce Mages, and family, of Corpus Christi and his marine brother, S-Sgt. Willie Joe Mages, at the naval hospital, Corpus Christi. This was the first reunion of the three brothers in four years. Pfc. Milton Mages was in the first contingent of marines who invaded Guadalcanal and Tulagi in the Solomon Islands in August, 1942. He wears two battle stars and the presidential citation. The Mages brothers are grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thompson and Mrs. Iona Mages, of this city, and sons of J. H. Mages, of Corpus Christi.

Harold W. Clark, Ph.M. 1c, was at home the past week for a visit with his father, W. R. Clark, other relatives and friends. Since his last leave home in July, 1944, Mr. Clark has made seven round

trips across the Atlantic on the SS. J. E. Brook, a troop transport. The ship is in dry dock at New York for repairs and overhauling. He left by plane today (Thursday) from Abilene to return to duty.

While he was here other family members except S-Sgt. Bobby Clark, who is at Laughlin Field, Del Rio, and was unable to get a furlough, gathered for a family reunion in the Clark home in West Ballinger. The first of this week Mr. Clark spent in Del Rio.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Lillian Clark and daughter, Esther Clark, of McCanney, Miss Fay Clark, a teacher in the Houston public schools, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clark, Jr. and Mary Frances, of Big Lake, Mrs. N. G. Curtis and family of Bishop, Mrs. W. D. Bishop and Paul Jean, of Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerwood Bassett and Bobby, a sister of Mr. Clark's, Mrs. M. Y. Anderson, of Clyde, was also here.

SOCIETY

Miss Margaret Brown is bride of C. K. Moran. Miss Margaret (Peggy) Brown and C. K. Moran were quietly married in Abilene Friday, April 6, at 5:30 o'clock, by Justice of the Peace J. E. Cunningham.

The bride wore a Forestman beige wool suit with white jabot blouse and white straw sailor. Her accessories were black patent and her corsage was of gardenias.

Mrs. Moran, a former employee in the office of the West Texas Utilities Co. here, is secretary of the Hyde Corporation in Fort Worth and Mr. Moran is chief of the airways engineering unit with the C.A.A. in the regional office in Fort Worth.

They are at home at Crestwood Apartments No. 22 in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Fetty Entertainers Current Book Club. Current Book Club members were guests of Mrs. Paul Fetty Tuesday afternoon in her home on Sixth Street.

Bowls and vases of roses were given vantage placings about rooms where Mrs. Alex Saunders gave a comprehensive discussion of the life and ideals of the late President, Franklin D. Roosevelt. A series of three programs, planned several months ago, was to discuss the Big Three. After her talk, she directed a round-table discussion on President Harry S. Truman.

A sandwich plate with cookies and punch was served. Others included: Mmes. Sam Behringer, O. C. Sykes, Chester Cherry, R. E. Jones, A. J. McDaniel, J. D. Eoff, A. B. Legate, John Barton, C. A. Glover, O. R. Lassater, Jack Nixon, Sr., Gertrude Woods, O. R. O'Neill, and Tom Caudle.

First Presbyterian Auxiliary Members to Presbyterial. A group of members of the First

Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary are in class attending a two-day conference of the Brownwood and Ft. Worth Presbyterians.

This important meeting will effect the merger of these two groups. It will not be an absorption of one by the other, nor will the new organization have the name of either group.

Mrs. Harry Lynn Brownwood, Presbyterial president, will preside over the meeting and will be a district chairman in the new set-up. Mrs. Alex Saunders will be treasurer of the Presbyterial and Mrs. Alex McGregor, secretary of Christian education and publications.

Others attending from Ballinger were Mrs. C. E. Stephens, Brownwood Presbyterial spiritual life secretary, and Mrs. Chester Cherry, president of the Ballinger Auxiliary.

Mrs. Kee Hostess to Altar Society. Mrs. E. F. Kee was hostess to the Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic Church Tuesday afternoon in her rural home.

Lovely red roses graced rooms where Mrs. V. O. Wade presided for the business period and Mrs. Chester Affenbach directed the Bible study. Mrs. I. Affenbach made the financial report, and defense stamps contributions were made.

A salad plate with cake and hot rolls was served with coffee. Others present were Rev. Edward E. Foster, Walter Mueller, James Morrison, Edward Moomen, and Miss Mary Kee.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Hallmark of the Bethel community, were Seaman and Mrs. Herman L. Hallmark and son, of San Diego, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Peed and family, of Rockwell; Mrs. Bracy Peeler and son, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Alwood and family, of Paint Rock; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baker, Mrs. Ralph Koenig and Sue Ella, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wood, of Ballinger.

Mrs. Henry Fennell is here from Dallas for a visit with friends. Mr. Fennell, a veteran of World War I, came to Ballinger as a sergeant when Bruce Field was activated in 1941. He is now a civilian employe

in the engineering department at Love Field.

Girl Scout News

Busy Bee Brownies visited the telephone office at their meeting last week as a part of a meal badge project. Buckata Johnson directed the play period and Jeannabele Simmons served refreshments.

These members visited Mary Jean Bell, a member who is ill, and discussed their home-making project. They concluded their afternoon's meeting by attending the movie "Wilson."

Clover girls were issued their uniforms by Mrs. Wilson and Peggy Floyd and June Graham served a snack.

Lo-Ki-Wo Brownies' uniforms have arrived and will be issued at the next meeting.

The intermediate girl scouts of the Bluebonnet Troop met in the girl scout room in the Youth Center basement. The following officers were elected: Ariene Miller, chairman; Ann Bryan, vice-chairman; and treasurer; and Betty Stuart, secretary-reporter.

Mrs. Foteet Ace of Club Hostess. Mrs. Carl Foteet was hostess to Ace of Clubs members Wednesday afternoon in her home on Ninth Street for contract games following luncheon at the Central Hotel.

Mrs. Carl H. Blanchard spent a few days here with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Pagels, on her way from Coronado, California, to Dallas. Coxswain Blanchard, of the navy, is now at sea.

Second Baptist Church REVIVAL FRIDAY, APRIL 20-29 REV. JOHN R. FERGUSON, of Bridgeport, Texas, to Preach Services: 10:00 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

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To F. Plate, owner of Lot No. 233, Section 3, and the unknown heirs, and legal representatives of F. Plate, deceased, against which said lot there are delinquent assessments aggregating \$120.00; and

To J. L. Hardin, owner of Lot No. 407, Section 2, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of J. L. Hardin, deceased, against which said lot there are delinquent assessments aggregating \$100.00; and

To C. W. Yates, owner of Lot No. 517, Section 4, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of C. W. Yates, deceased, against which said lot there are delinquent assessments aggregating \$120.00; and

To F. C. Cathings, owner of Lot No. 631, Section 4, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of F. C. Cathings, deceased, against which said lot there are delinquent assessments aggregating \$120.00; and

To R. B. Gowdy, owner of Lot

No. 847, Section 5, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of R. B. Gowdy, deceased, against which said lot there are delinquent assessments aggregating \$80.00;

You, and each of you, are hereby notified in accordance with Section 12, Article III of the By-Laws of the Ballinger Cemetery Association, that said Association has taken possession of the unused portions of said lots, and each of them, and that title to each of said lots, or the unused portion thereof, has reverted to and the same have become the property of said Association for non-payment of assessments; and redemption thereof may be had by paying the full amount of said assessments delinquent thereon prior to the expiration of ten days after the publication of this notice, but not thereafter.

Executed by order of the Board of Directors, this 19th day of April, A. D. 1945.

C. J. LYNN, President  
DRURY P. HATHAWAY, Secretary  
BALLINGER CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Pencil and typewriter erasers at Ledger office.

**Legion and Auxiliary Will Hold Important Business Meetings**

Meetings were held Tuesday night by the American Legion post and Auxiliary to attend to pressing business and arrange for coming events.

The Auxiliary placed an order for 1,000 poppies which will be sold here Saturday, May 26, the Saturday before Decoration Day. This year the state department is urging that more effort be put behind the selling of these flowers as the need for funds is greater in rehabilitation work because of so many returning veterans. The Auxiliary reported contributions to the Red Cross and the purchase of phonograph records for the armed forces. A membership committee, composed of Mrs. Leon Thomas and Mrs. Ollie Floyd, was named. The poppy sale committee is composed of Mrs. Carroll Bell, Mrs. Floyd, and Mrs. G. P. Teague.

In the Legion session the date of the district convention, to be held at Kerrville, was announced as May 5. Delegates named are: Tom Caudle, Leon Thomas, Ollie Floyd, Troy Simpson, O. C. Sykes and George Beard. Alternates are: A. McGregor, E. V. Hays, H. H. Bibb and W. B. May.

Arthur Sitas, of San Angelo, spoke to the Legionnaires on rehabilitation and the need of getting World War II men into the organization. W. S. Parsley, also of San Angelo, a major in the army for the past twenty years, also spoke to the ex-service men.

Another called meeting of the post will be held within the next few days to attend to important matters coming up at this time.

Taps sounded the end of the day at 10:30 p. m.

Reveille was at 7:00 and breakfast followed by the policing of tents and campsite. Scouts then gathered around their leaders for final instructions on the commando game scheduled to begin at 8:45. Duane Carter was elected chief of the Mohawks, and Hal McDaniel chief of the Iroquois at campfire the evening before. The Iroquois won by capturing the flag of the Mohawks at 11:15 a. m. It was not long before it was discovered that the Iroquois chief used well planned tactics in deploying his men, with victory the result.

**Citation by Publication of Final Account**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting:

Fannie Bell Loveless, Administratrix of the Estate of John Loveless, Deceased, having filed in our County Court her Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said John Loveless, Deceased, numbered 1892 on the Probate Docket of Runnels County, together with an application to be discharged from said Administration.

You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this Writ one time and said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof, to-wit, April 30, 1945, in a newspaper printed in the County of Runnels you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday, the 30th day of April, A. D. 1945, at the Court House of said County, in Ballinger, Texas, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Ballinger, Texas, this 18th day of April, A. D. 1945.

(Seal)

JOHN B. RAYBURN,  
Clerk, County Court, Runnels County.

By Linnie Harris, Deputy and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

J. L. MORELAND  
Sheriff, Runnels County.

**BOY SCOUT TROOP 42 ON OVERNIGHT HIKE**

Nineteen members of Boy Scout troop 42 spent Friday and Saturday, April 13, 14, on Valley Creek which opened the spring overnight hikes. They were under the leadership of their scoutmaster, Rev. Edward B. Postert, and Marvin Clark, committeeman.

The purpose of the hike was nature study for those preparing for first class, cooking and tent pitching for all. Senior Patrol Leader John Reese is striving to perfect the members of the troop in the art of pitching came in record time.

After camp was pitched supper was prepared and one hour was spent in the identification of trees, as one of the requirements towards first class. During the free period some of the scouts set out lines and were rewarded with a catch of several fine catfish.

**BALLINGERITES ATTEND FUNERAL AT MILLERSVIEW**

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Karmany, C. D. Richards, and Mrs. C. W. Cheatham were in Millersview Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of Frank Evridge, well-known ranchman.

Mr. Evridge died Monday in a Brownwood hospital. He has three sons overseas and one in the navy, who flew home for his father's funeral.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

Mrs. D. G. Posey is improving nicely this week following surgery at the Bailey Clinic-Hospital last week.

Mrs. Fred Harman, medical patient at the Bailey clinic, is improving nicely this week.

Billy Parish, medical patient, is doing fairly well after receiving treatment the past two weeks at the Bailey clinic.

Mrs. Earl Cope, who underwent surgery last week, is reported to be improving and will soon be able to return to her home.

Mrs. A. J. Thorp, medical patient in the Bailey clinic the past several weeks, is improved and will return to her home this afternoon.

P. C. Straley is receiving treatment at the Bailey clinic and his condition today was listed as fair.

Victor Wanorek, medical patient, is responding to treatment this week and his condition is good.

Mrs. C. B. Hedges, operated on last week, is improving nicely at this time.

Mrs. Charles Woodfin, who underwent surgery last week, is improving fairly well, according to reports from her bedside.

Mrs. Ed Lengefeld, operated on last week, is improving nicely and was dismissed today.

Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Probst are parents of a son born Tuesday. Mrs. Probst and the baby are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Kalkman are parents of a daughter, born Saturday at the Bailey clinic. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely.

Mrs. Jim Martin has entered the Bailey hospital for surgery and her condition today was said to be fair.

minute dip in the creek, to refresh them for the preparation of dinner. Each scout did his own cooking, supervised by their respective patrol leaders.

At 2:00 p. m. the scouts struck camp for home.

Mrs. O. C. Harber has returned to her home at Abilene after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thompson, en route home after visiting relatives at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Gus Schloener and little daughter are here visiting in the Ed Lengefeld home. S-Sgt. Schloener is in India.

**RURAL NEWS**

**CREWS**  
(Received Too Late for Publication Last Week)

Bro. J. M. Willis, of Ballinger, preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and was a guest of Bro. Hallford.

Friends were glad to have Pvt. Ralph Morton in church services Sunday. He has just returned from the European war theatre, was with Patton's 3rd army, and has been in France, Belgium, England and Germany. His feet froze in January and he has been returned to the States for treatment. He will report at Camp Carson, Colorado, May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Faubion spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. H. A. Bradley, in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Herman, of Winters, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Phipps Friday.

Pvt. T. R. Wood, of Camp Hood, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wood.

Mrs. James Ater, of Los Angeles, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. B. Stovall, Sunday.

Bro. and Mrs. J. H. Hallford and Baker visited Bro. and Mrs. C. L. Carroll Friday night.

Mrs. A. J. Young received a letter from her son, Sgt. Noel Young, recently which stated he had landed safely in England.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry and Mrs. Thad Traylor spent Friday with Mrs. Marion Berry at Santa Anna. Pfc. and Mrs. Marion Berry are parents of a baby girl, Barbara Ann. Mrs. Berry recently had a letter from her husband which stated he had landed in England.

Mrs. W. F. Worthington and children, of Levelland, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Fuller. Mrs. Worthington had tonsilectomy at the Winters hospital Monday and at last reports was doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wood, Fronia Jane and Mrs. J. G. Phipps spent Monday in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Traylor and Darlene, Mr. and Mrs. R. Boyton and Mr. and Mrs. Eargle Berry and family spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Boynton at Wilmett.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Rainwater, of Louisiana, and Mrs. Aubrey Morrison and children, of Odessa, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rainwater.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pumphrey left for Corpus Christi Sunday afternoon in response to a message from their son, Clifton, in a naval hospital there, which stated he was to have an eye removed Tuesday.

**CANNING EQUIPMENT CLINIC TO BE HELD HERE APRIL 27**

Miss Ozzie Folkes, county home demonstration agent, stated today that a canning equipment clinic would be held at the canning center Friday, April 27.

Cookers will be tested and sealers cleaned and adjusted. Those having sealers to adjust should bring about 6 cans to use in trying the sealer after adjusting.

Everyone is welcome to bring cookers or sealers or both and learn how to clean, test, and adjust them. Miss Folkes will have charge of the clinic, with Mrs. Ruth Clampitt and Miss Betty Stuart assisting.

Mrs. G. E. McPherson, Jr., of Hernaligh, is the guest this week of Miss Gladys Hill. They were roommates while attending San Angelo junior college. Sgt. McPherson is with the air corps in England.

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Americans began this week under a new commander-in-chief. During the past week-end final tributes were paid to Franklin D. Roosevelt and on Monday the nation and the entire world looked to President Harry S. Truman as the new leader in perhaps the greatest time of stress in the history of the world. Every man and woman should realize the load under which the new leader must begin his service and everyone in a post of importance should be anxious to cooperate and help. The nation was stirred with President Truman's first pronouncement that the war in both Europe and the Pacific would be pushed to a successful conclusion. Since the death of Mr. Roosevelt the new president has worked long hours with leaders who know what was agreed to at recent conferences so that he might inform himself on the task ahead. Harry S. Truman is our president, our leader, the commander-in-chief of all our armed forces, and we will win the war under his leadership. Differences of the past should be forgotten; he is the greatest leader in the world today and every individual in the United States should help him be just that.

Runnels countians are cooperating in the United Nations clothing relief campaign, many bundles having been received at the central station in Ballinger. The drive will continue through April when all the garments will be classified, properly packed and shipped overseas to liberated countries. Surely there is not a home in Runnels county which cannot spare something for the people of nations where there is no clothing for sale, where years of occupation have taken all they had and where men, women, children and little babies will

freeze during another winter if clothing does not come from bountiful America. Do not neglect this call, search through your wardrobe now and share part of it with the less fortunate.

Recent rains have replenished Ballinger's water supply and this week water ran over the spillway at the city reservoir. No only was the supply increased but the quality improved. "Hard" water which had accumulated from springs was flushed out and the lake filled with "soft" rain water.

**Special Speaker For First Baptists Sunday, April 22**

Rev. Clarence A. Morton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, has announced that Sunday will be dedicated to service men and women and their families of this area. At the 11 o'clock hour Dr. A. C. Miller, of Dallas, secretary to the service men and women of Texas for the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will deliver a special sermon on what the home people can do now and at the end of the war for the men and women of our armed forces when they are discharged. A chaplain in World War I, Dr. Miller had overseas service under General John J. Pershing. He has travelled much and knows first hand of what he will speak.

Sunday night at 8 o'clock Dr. Miller will preach on "The Coming Peace and the Post-War World." While he is a guest of the local church he will hold conference with all the leaders pertaining to his work and tell them what the churches should do now and at the close of hostilities for our men and women in uniform. The public is cordially invited to hear him in both messages Sunday.

Tuesday night at 8 o'clock the church brotherhood, of which James A. Wear is president, will hold its regular meeting. Refreshments will be served under the direction of Oscar Harber, chairman of the food committee.

The address of the evening is to be delivered by Dr. L. H. Tapcott, of Dallas, secretary of the Baptist Brotherhood of Texas. Brotherhood officials anticipate a good attendance and an interesting program.

**MARVIN HAMPTON DIES AT HOME IN TENNESSEE**

C. J. Lynn received a message last week telling him of the death of a brother-in-law, J. Marvin Hampton, in Millington, Tennessee, April 12.

Mr. Hampton, a prominent cotton planter, had visited in Ballinger many times.

Commercial flying activity began in Texas May 12, 1926, with the first airmail between Ft. Worth, Dallas and Chicago.

**Policemen Attend School to Become Stork's Aides**



The job of protecting the citizens of their communities seems to be an ever-expanding one for members of the police force of Nassau county, New York, who have been indoctrinated as obstetricians by the public health nurses. Now they know just when and how to drop the argyle into the new-born's eyes, how to keep the infant from strangulation, how to handle the umbilical cord problem.



**WEST TEXAS NOTES**

Supervisors of the Concho county soil conservation district are urging a spring rest period for pastures to enable grasses to increase in vigor. Heavy grazing during the spring and early summer prevents grasses from developing a deep root system which assists in withstanding summer droughts. The adequate cover also lessens the amount of moisture lost through evaporation.

The annual meeting for the Brown County Pioneers Association is scheduled for April 22. The program, a marked change in type from former years, will consist of one speech from the Pioneers, other than brief messages of welcome, and one sermon. The remainder of the day will be devoted to music, informal discussions of association projects, and fellowship among the old timers.

According to experienced orchardists at Rising Star, most of the peach crop of that area withstood the recent cold weather. Most of the plums and apricots were lost, however. Some of the largest orchard owners say that the loss of half the crop would simply mean the other half would be larger and better, and that they foresaw a profitable crop for that section.

C. R. Kendrick, chairman of the Winters banking district, was named chairman of the 7th war loan campaign in the northern part of Runnels county at a meeting of the member community leaders last week. Workers are to start immediately to take pledges in an effort to reach the large quota.

Comanche county Jersey breeders will stage their fourth annual Dairy Day on Friday, April 27. This is part of a long-time program planned for the improvement of Jersey cattle in the county, which is rapidly becoming the home of outstanding Jerseys.

The rural board of the Coleman Chamber of Commerce has gone on record as favoring the erection of a building for a reception center for migratory. Handling Mexican labor, as an aid to farm problems, will be the principal task and purpose. The building, it is pointed out, could also be used as the livestock building for the annual show.

The Melvin Twentieth Century Club won first place in the publicity scrapbook division at the recent Sixth District Convention of Texas Federated Women's Clubs held at Brownwood.

The old Brady Fair Association met for the first time in 20 years last week to amend the by-laws and to elect directors and officers for the ensuing year. The directorate was reduced from 13 to 7 and James M. Brooks was elected president.

The Fort Stockton independent school district board has planned a building program. It is thought that district finances will permit building four additional classrooms at the Butz school and to meet a room shortage at the elementary school by leveling the floor and partitioning space formerly used for a second floor assembly hall. A salary schedule was adopted to provide an increase of \$100 per year for administrators and higher-salaried specialty teachers, and a temporary boost of \$85 in lower brackets.

Horace Oliver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Oliver of Ballinger, who has been superintendent of the Menard schools for several years, has accepted the superintendency at Grand Falls and will move there immediately following the close of this school year.

The Mineral Wells Sanatorium at Sweetwater has been bought by Dr. Rupert Cavanaugh, prominent Detroit physician. All old buildings will be wrecked and salvaged when materials are available for construction. Edward Ponder, president of the Sweetwater B. C. D., forecasts the establishment of a "modern spa" when the war is over.

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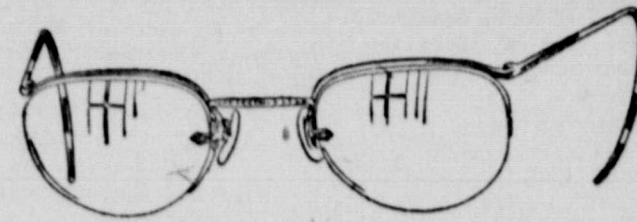
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**Waste Paper to be Collected in County Saturday, April 28**

Saturday, April 28, is the next date for gathering scrap paper in Ballinger and Runnels county. H. J. Zappe, county salvage chairman, stated this week that the last Saturday in each month would be devoted to gathering old papers, magazines, etc., and in most cases the collection here would be done by Ballinger Boy Scouts.

Gregory Wrecking Co. trucks will be here on each of these dates to receive the waste paper as it is brought in, and at the conclusion of the drive the company will pay the scouts and take the collection to Brady, a concentration point for this area.

**EARNSHAW SUBMITS WINNING NAME FOR I.V.C. PUBLICATION**

In a recent contest conducted by International Vitamin Corporation for a name for a monthly publication, R. W. Earnshaw was winner. All employees and officers were eligible to compete.

In the "Orchid Department" of the first issue Mr. Earnshaw received first mention for submitting the number one choice, "I. V. C. Roundup."

Mr. Earnshaw, who formerly owned and operated the Weeks Drug Store here, has been employed by IVC eight months.

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Don't worry—just watch our speed!

**HOW TO DO IT:** Save all used fats in a tin can. Keep it handy to the stove. Scrape your broilers and roasting pans, skim soups and gravies, for every drop counts. Keep solid pieces of fat, as meat trimmings and table scraps, in a bowl.

Melt down once a week when your oven's going, add the liquid fat to the salvage can.

Take the can to your butcher as soon as it's full. He will give you two red points and up to four cents for every pound. If you have any difficulty, call your County Agent or Home Demonstration Agent. This message is approved by WFA and OPA, and paid for by Industry.

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# Major H. G. Scott Tells Crowd of World Affairs

The third speaker of the Institute of International Understanding, sponsored by the Ballinger Rotary Club, appeared here Tuesday night, speaking on "The Role of the North American Continent in the Future."

Major H. G. Scott, of Ottawa, Canada, delivered the lecture, which was declared by many who heard him to be the best of the series to date.

The speaker was in combat in the first World War and also served his government in the present war until late last year. He witnessed the invasion of Normandy and was in much of France following its liberation.

Major Scott gave a background for the war, telling how the Germans flew the danger signals as the rest of the world was asleep and wanted nothing but peace. He attributed much of the preparations for the present war to a desire by the Germans to avenge their defeat in World War I.

The speaker declared that if the English had wavered after Dunkirk, or America had wavered after Pearl Harbor the lights of civilization would have gone out.

He then pictured the Germans sitting in the ruins of their beloved Berlin, listening to the ever-increasing thunder of Allied guns and seeing plainly that their nation again would humiliated by the English-speaking peoples of the world.

As the background for the war with Japan the speaker mentioned the need for more land,

for more food and better living conditions, but most of all the hurt pride when the Japs were denied the privilege of moving into America, Australia and other nations of the earth.

For the scene following the war Major Scott pointed to three great nations, Russia, America and the British empire. He pictured the greatness of the United States with its mighty fleet, the greatest air force in the world, its ability to produce, its wealth. He briefly reviewed the power and resources of the other nations and disclosed some of the problems that are sure to follow this war.

"The guns have been firing for five and a half years," he said, "and still are firing, and their echoes will be heard for a long time." He pointed out that starving millions would want opportunities in this great country. Without giving the answer to this question, he asserted that the need of the world is the salvation of civilization and defined civilization as an act of living together in peace.

Major Scott advocated some kind of world court with an armed force to back up its decisions, but pointed to the many efforts in this direction which have failed.

In concluding the speaker called attention to the deserts and waste spaces of the world, areas which if conquered would provide new frontiers where all crowded conditions could be eliminated and all could live. He asked

that if scientists and engineers were given just a small part of the money used in fighting this war, what they could accomplish in this endeavor.

## Legion to Present Slout Players One Week in Tent Here

Stage shows will be presented in Ballinger for one week under the sponsorship of the local American Legion post, who at the suggestion of the man everybody knows and loves in West Texas, Harley Sadler, has secured the Slout Players for a limited engagement in their big tent theatre starting Monday, April 23.

Heading the Slout Players cast



## Allied Occupation of Germany



German civilians are shown in upper photo, filling bomb craters in streets and highways of Franconia, Germany, after the city was captured by U. S. 3rd Army. Lower left shows Germans seeking information at American headquarters in Homburg, Germany. Lower right, a group of German prisoners, taken after the crossing of the Rhine.

1. "Amarito Roca," by Texidor
2. "Hero" (overture), by Harold Johnson
3. "Anchors Aweigh" (song of the navy), by Zimmerman
4. "Light Cavalry" (overture), by Von Suppe
5. "March Militaire," by Franz Schubert
6. "Memories of Stephen Foster" (medley)
7. "Miss Trombone."

Admission will be 20 cents for students and 35 cents for adults.

## Memorial Service To be Held Sunday For Sanford Burks

Memorial services for Sanford R. Burks, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burks, will be held Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour at the Barnett Baptist church. Rev. Hollis C. Yeilding, of Grand Falls, will have charge of the rites.

The parents received the final message from the war department on February 14 of this year that their son was presumed to have been lost and his records were being closed.

Burks was among the first men of this county to be lost in this war. He was sent to the Philippines just before Pearl Harbor and with the fall of that country was reported a prisoner of war on May 7, 1942. Mr. and Mrs. Burks received a few of the printed cards permitted for a time by the Japs to prisoners and he was held in Philippine camps until last fall.

The war department notified the parents that Sanford was a passenger on a prison ship which was sunk September 7, 1944, as prisoners were being taken from the Philippines to another destination. At that time it was stated a few prisoners were picked up by the American submarine, others made shore and fell into the hands of friendly natives, but many perished in the prison ship or were killed in the water by the Japs.

Nothing further was heard until

the message in February which stated Sanford was believed to have been lost when the ship sunk.

Many magazine articles have been written on the "hell ship" by those who escaped, telling of the horrors, the treatment then, and the general treatment of the prisoners by the Japs from the time they were loaded until the vessel went down.

## New Dies' Counsel



Attorney Ernie Adamson of Pittsburg, who has been named as chief counsel for the house committee on un-American activities. He formerly practiced law in New York City. Adamson will assume his new duties immediately, on part time basis.

Pure-bred sheep were introduced into Texas in the late 1870s by Arthur G. Anderson, who drove a flock of French Merinos from California, taking two years for the trip.

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## Band to Present Spring Concert Next Thursday

The Ballinger high school band will present its annual spring concert in the high school auditorium at 8:30 p. m. next Thursday, April 26. O. G. Joiner, director, has been preparing the musicians for some time to present this concert.

This is the only program in connection with the closing of school for which admission is to be charged. Students are offering the tickets for sale and advertising material is being put out now to inform the public.

The band will be at full strength and the pleasing numbers chosen will show the progress made by the musicians during the past year. In addition to the regular band renditions groups of special numbers also will be given.

Mr. Joiner has announced the following band numbers:

of fun-makers are Toby and Ora, that dippy daffy duo of crazy comics, who will dispense a barrage of fun and laughs that are sure to win a victory of happiness over any audience. The opening comedy play will be that modern monarch of cheer, "Let's Get Married."

The evening's fun will be started off in grand style by the Border Buckaroos, an entertaining orchestra, and between the acts will be a seemingly never ending and startling array of first line vaudeville with such favorites as that little comedienne, Ora, with her accordion and comedy songs; Bobby Brown, "the boy who makes his feet talk," Stanley & Co., in marvels of magic; the Dunlap Sisters, recently heard over the airways; Jack Collier, in something different; Emily Stanley, singer from the night spots; Carl Park with his magic violin; and surprises and novelties galore.

The big tent theatre will be located on South Seventh Street. Doors will open at 7:30 p. m. and the fun and festivities start at 8:15 p. m. Popular prices prevail with adult tickets costing 30 cents tax included, and children under twelve only 9 cents. There will be an extra charge made for reserved seats.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express appreciation to our friends who have been so kind to us during our recent sorrow, the death of our son and brother, Pfc. James Schott, in Burma. The expressions of sympathy, the flowers and many other kindly acts, have been a great help in this dark hour. Especially do we wish to thank Father Edward Postert and members of the Texas State Guard for their service in the requiem mass held Friday for our son. We will never forget those who have been such a comfort to us in this sadness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Schott Oscar Schott and family 19-11

### MRS. FORSON ATTENDS FUNERAL FOR UNCLE

Mrs. H. T. Forson was called to Seagraves Sunday because of the death of an uncle, Charlie Richards.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday. Mr. Richards was a prominent real estate dealer in that section.

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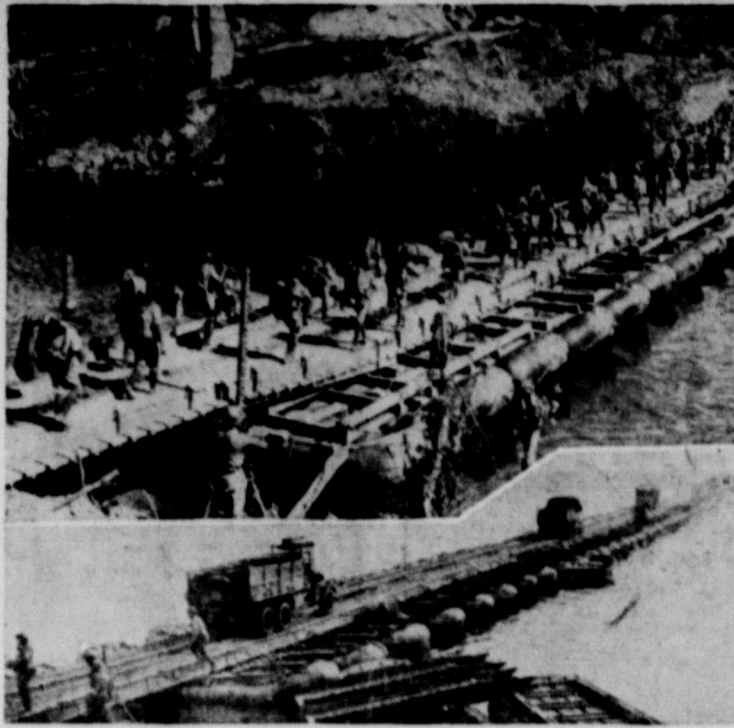
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Army Bridges Around the World



The original bridge shown in upper photograph was demolished by bombers of the U. S. army 10th air force since the Japs captured Burma road in 1942. Pontoon bridge is erected as the Allied offensive nears the key Japanese supply terminus of the road. Lower, shows trucks crossing pontoon bridge spanning Rhine river.

Correctly Stocked Pond Impossible To 'Fish Out,' Said

COLLEGE STATION, April 18.—Fish can be grown more cheaply than chicken or "red meat" in the more than 125,000 ponds on Texas farms and ranches. This is the conclusion of Foard County Agricultural Agent David F. Eaton, who has given home fish culture intelligent and extensive study. Fish is a timely substitute for scarce meat.

It is impossible, he explains, to "fish out" a pond which has been correctly stocked and fertilized regularly. A farmer can get 200 to 300 pounds of fish weighing six to eight pounds from each acre of pond, he says. No more than half the fish in a pond ever can be caught with hook and line. The reason is that when population drops beyond a certain level those remaining have an excess of feed. They simply stop biting until their numbers build up and the food supply becomes less abundant. Foard county farmers at a recent meeting discussed in detail production of food fish in their ponds.

Since 1935, Mr. Eaton observes, research has shown that any ordinary chemical fertilizer placed in a pond will increase the growth of microscopic plants and animals, known collectively as plankton, which is the basis for a cycle of feeding. But plankton is processed by a series of lesser creatures before its benefit reaches the big fellow. Insects feed upon it; forage fish feed upon the insects and their larvae; and finally carnivorous fish feed upon the swarming young of the forage tribes.

After fertilizing, a new pond is stocked with exactly 1,500 fish fingerlings, Mr. Eaton says. During the first year each pair of sunfish will produce about 4,000 young. Here is where the carnivorous fish enters to balance the food chain.

For every 1,500 sunfish, 100 large-mouth black bass are stocked to control the sunfish population. One year after stocking a pond usually is supporting the maximum weight of fish for the available food supply. This, of course, would represent a pond fertilized at the rate of 500 to 600 pounds an acre. Of the total weight of fish, between 150 and 200 pounds will be bass, Mr. Eaton adds, "or three to four times as many bass as are in the best natural lake you ever fished."

The archive system of the Texas land office is considered the best in the world in that forgeries are almost impossible. In general, the Spanish and Mexican systems are used.

PETE SAYS

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Holland's  
Eighth Street

Ballinger Bearcats Begin Spring Training With 50

The Ballinger Bearcats have started spring football training with one of the largest squads in recent years out each afternoon. Coach Felton Wright stated at the close of his first week of work that he had one of the best and fastest backfields in the history of his long term here and that he also had a few good men in the line and lots of material with which to fill the other positions.

Eight men were out for backfield positions with five lettermen trying for the jobs. Coach Wright said one backfield man might be shifted to an end position to strengthen the entire team for next fall.

A full month will be taken for the spring training period and at the end of that time the starters

will be pretty definitely selected for the beginning of the fall schedule.

Right now most concern is felt in making up the schedule for the fall season. Six games have been booked already and four other game are wanted to round out a ten-game schedule for the 1945 season. This year practically all the games carded so far are out of town. The Bearcats will go to Winters, Coleman and Brady this year and they will also meet the Abilene Eagles out of town. A game with Lake View has been matched, the place not yet determined, but likely will be played in Ballinger. The other game booked is with Lorraine.

Efforts are being made now to arrange other games and a num-

ber of West Texas schools have written for games on the fall schedule.

Lengefeld to Temple As Manager of Yard; Middleton With Clay

Ed Lengefeld left Sunday for Temple, where he will be manager of the Home Lumber Co., an individually owned and operated yard. For the past eight years he had been local manager of the Clay Building Material Co. and was active in several Ballinger civic organizations.

A member of the Ballinger Rotary Club, Mr. Lengefeld served on a number of important committees for this organization. He served as a director of the Ballinger Board of Community Development and for a time was chairman of the community service committee which was responsible for a number of local improvements.

Mrs. Lengefeld and daughters, Betty Jean and Joy, will remain here until June 1, when they also will move to Temple. Betty Jean is a sophomore in high school and Joy is a first grader.

W. O. Middleton, a former employee of the Clay company and for the past four years in the county tax collector's office, is the new manager of the yard here and has already assumed the duties.

MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH FOR DEPARTED PRESIDENT

Appropriate services were held at St. Mary's Church Saturday afternoon and again at mass Sunday morning at 8:30 in honor of the passing of President Franklin D. Roosevelt and for a successful carrying on of the duties of the highest office in the land by President Harry S. Truman.

At 3 p. m. Saturday the bell at St. Mary's was tolled for five minutes and all catechism classes present said the first decades of the rosary for the repose of the soul of Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Sunday at the 8:30 a. m. mass observance of the occasion was included in the services, with prayers for the repose of the departed president and for the guidance of the incoming president.

Rev. Edward B. Postert, O. M. I., pastor of St. Mary's Church, devoted part of his sermon Sunday morning to the late president and his works for this nation in a time of great national stress.

LUTHERAN SERVICES AT BETHEL SUNDAY

Lutheran services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Bethel community church with classes of instruction at 2 o'clock. Rev. R. Welser will conduct the services to which the public is cordially invited.

Russia is Subject Of Next Speaker In Rotary Series

The final speaker in the Institute of International Understanding series, sponsored by the Ballinger Rotary Club, will deliver probably the most interesting lecture of the series here next Tuesday night.

The speaker, Albert Parry, will talk on the subject "The Role of Russia in New Forces of World Affairs." Among other disclosures the speaker is expected to predict that the U.S.S.R. will join the Allies in the war against Japan at the end of hostilities in Europe. He will point out the many scores to be settled between the Russians and the Japs, including the defeat of Czarist Russia at the hands of the Japs in the war of 1904-1905. He will point out the delays necessary because of the tremendous distances in Siberia and the big problem of logistics. He will discuss the present war and point out that although Russia is a victor it has suffered staggering losses in casualties and ruined cities.

The entire world is guessing at the attitude of Russia in her role of tomorrow and the well-informed speaker will not only forecast on this but at the conclusion of his message will allow opportunity for questions from the audience.

Rotary officers are expecting the largest attendance of the series for this lecture on the nation which is causing much speculation today in allied and liberated lands.

The lecture is free and the public is invited.

Capt. A. F. Lucas, discoverer of the Spindletop oil field, also discovered the first notable sulphur deposit in Texas, Bryan Mound, in Brazoria county, in 1901.

Bond Rally at Olfen To be Held April 27

W. J. Halfmann, chairman for the 7th war loan drive at Olfen, has announced a bond rally for the community to be held Friday, April 27, at 8:30 p. m., in the Olfen Amusement Hall.

In urging good attendance, Mr. Halfmann stated that there would be excellent speakers and that John A. Barton probably would show a current war news reel.



Think on These Things

by Richard Robbins Minister, Eighth Street Church of Christ

Philip's question to the eunuch, "understand thou what thou readest," was an appropriate one. Understanding what is read is the important thing, if the reader is to receive any benefit. Those who close their eyes to the plain import of the text, or to what other passages teach on the subject, will never understand the truth. Philip answered the eunuch's question by showing that the prophet referred to Christ. The explanation was satisfactory as seen by the fact that the eunuch rendered obedience to Christ at his first opportunity. When those miraculously directed by the spirit tell us what Jesus requires, we, like the eunuch, should obey promptly. Their record is in the New Testament; what that says is final. The eunuch's baptism is a concrete example of what baptism means. The simplicity and plainness of the words used to describe it admit of no doubt; only prejudice will prevent one's accepting immersion as the act performed.

TWO REASONS WHY MOTHER BUYS EXTRA WAR BONDS



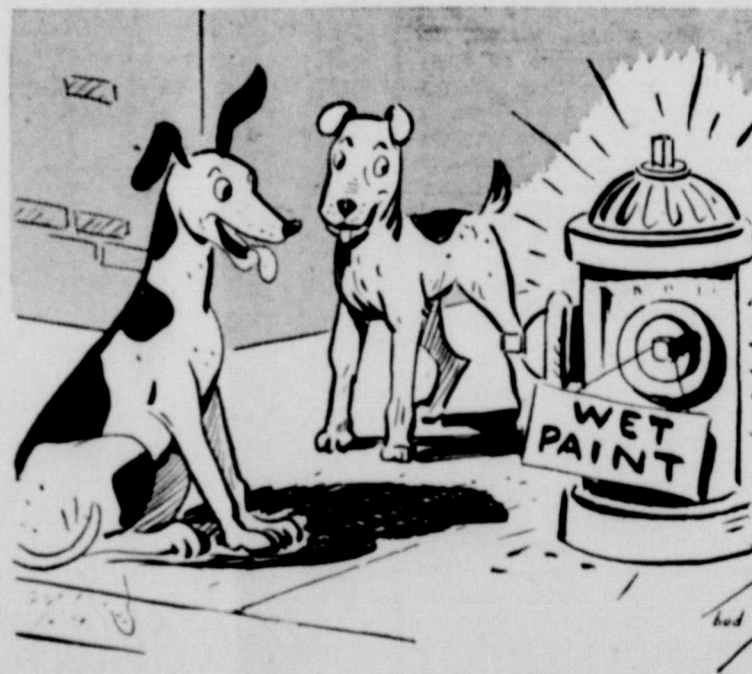
- To help end the war and bring Dad home sooner.
- To build up a fund for her youngster's future.

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**SECOND BAPTIST REVIVAL WILL BEGIN TOMORROW**

The Second Baptist Church will hold a series of revival services beginning tomorrow, Friday, April 20, and continuing through Sunday, April 29.

The Rev. John R. Ferguson, of Bridgeport, will preach and daily services will be held at 10:00 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

The first electric power plant in Texas was built in Galveston in the early 1880s.

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**City Commission Looks To Post-War Era Work**

The Ballinger city commission is looking forward to the post-war era when improvements again can be made here that will benefit all the citizens, permit growth and expansion, provide work for returning veterans and make this community a place where people will want to own homes and rear families.

Plans have been evolved, some preliminary work done, and study is continuing on numerous projects. Some of these may never be possible, but members of the commission and their key men are getting ready so that should federal projects be available the city will be prepared to take advantage of the opportunities.

Listed as the No. 1 project is the water improvement program, not only to increase the supply to what is considered adequate for Ballinger's future growth, but to provide modern facilities at the municipal plant, giving better service in every part of town, meet insurance requirements with larger mains in certain sections, and to study the extension of lines both inside and outside city limits.

Street improvement is the No. 2 project, the first group of work covering 15 1/2 blocks of pavement, 7 1/2 blocks of alley paving and 65 intersections. Other work contemplated includes seal coating of blocks already paved by the city, and by the state highway department on main highways crossing the city.

Project No. 3 is under the head-

ing of sanitation and health and looks to the purchase by the city of the present sewerage system, extension of lines to all parts of the city and passing an ordinance making the use of proper sewerage facilities mandatory. This plan also calls for a bigger and better disposal plant and modern handling of the sewerage problems in the city.

Project No. 4 looks toward the establishment of a city-county hospital.

The No. 5 project concerns parks and recreation and calls for a study of present facilities and the addition of playgrounds inside the city. It would include plans for a municipal natatorium and operation of same and the construction of an amphitheater on the bluff overlooking city park.

Proposed new ordinances have been suggested in the city's post-war plans. Some of these are:

1. Compulsory sewer ordinance
2. Zoning ordinance
3. Standard electrical wiring and installation ordinance
4. Standard plumbing ordinance
5. Enforcement of the present building code.

Three major projects are now in various stages of development and are being watched closely with the help of the Ballinger Board of Community Development.

1. The youth center and library project is now in good hands and being operated with the support of the city.

2. The practical use of the land and facilities at Bruce Field. This effort is also being handled on a progressive and cooperative basis.

3. A project being watched in which this city is interested is the Upper Colorado Authority with its proposed dam at Robert Lee. This project is a sectional one, but Ballinger is vitally concerned as the ultimate permanent water supply for the city will come from this source. While the project is in the hands of federal agencies, and seemingly assured, it is considered wise for Ballinger to be constantly on the alert in regard to this project.

Numerous other items have been approved by the commission including some new fire fighting equipment and work in the city of interest to all property owners and tax payers.

**SCHOOL BOARD ORGANIZES ONE VACANCY YET TO FILL**

The Ballinger school board in session last week elected officers for the ensuing year and formed an organization to carry on. Elected were: O. C. Sykes, president; Oscar Harber, vice-president; C. E. Maedgen, secretary; Jim Dankworth, assistant secretary. Other members of the board are Tom Agnew and M. A. Foy.

George Clements, until recently a member of the board, has moved away and has tendered his resignation. The board will appoint a successor at the next meeting.

The trustees will begin studying applications for the position of superintendent at once and elect a man to take over the duties as soon as possible.



**First Presbyterian Church**  
Sunday: 10:00 a. m., Sunday school. Classes for all ages. 11:00 a. m., morning worship. 7:30 p. m., evening worship. GARY HOFFIUS, Pastor

**First Baptist Church**  
(400 Eighth Street)  
Sunday, April 22: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., sermon by Dr. A. C. Miller, Dallas, state secretary to the armed forces in Texas. Baptist Training Union, 7 p. m.

8 p. m., Dr. A. C. Miller will preach on "The Peace and the Brotherhood of the World."

**ACTIVITIES OF THE WEEK:**  
Monday:

2:15 p. m., Sunbeam Band. 4:00 p. m., The Woman's Missionary Society will meet in circles.

5:00 p. m., junior choir.  
Tuesday:

4:00 p. m., Royal Ambassadors.  
Wednesday:

7:45 p. m., "All Church" Night, youth choir, S. S., prayer meeting and regular choir.

The public is cordially invited to worship with us.  
CLARENCE A. MORTON, Pastor

**First Christian Church**  
(Broadway and Murrell)  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Worship service, 11 a. m. Evening service, 7:00 p. m. Come and join the fellowship. J. T. SIMMONS, Minister

**Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, U. S. A.**  
Sunday, April 15: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11:00 a. m., morning worship. 5:00 p. m., vesper service. W. A. ERWIN, Pastor

**Eighth Street Church of Christ**  
Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Bible classes. 10:45 a. m., worship service. 7:15 p. m., young people's class. 8:00 p. m., worship service.

Monday: 4:00 p. m., ladies Bible class.  
Wednesday:

8:00 p. m., Bible classes. RICHARD A. ROBBINS, Minister

**St. Mary's Catholic Church**  
(608 Sixth Street) (Telephone 521)  
REGULAR SERVICES AND DEVOTIONS: Sunday mass: 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays of month at 8:30 a. m., 2nd and 4th Sundays of month at 11:00 a. m. Daily mass at 7:00 a. m. Rosary and Benediction of Blessed Sacrament every Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

Holy Hour with our Eucharistic Lord for our boys and girls (Catholic and non-Catholic) in the service of our country on the 1st Thursday of the month at 7:30 p. m.

Devotion of the First Friday in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus after mass on 1st Friday of the month at 7:00 a. m. Confessions: 1st, 3rd and 5th Saturdays of month, 5:00 to 6:00 p. m., and 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

m. Before the early mass on Sunday, 7:30 to 8:20 a. m., and before daily mass.

Our non-Catholic friends and neighbors are cordially invited to assist at the above services and devotions.  
EDW. B. POSTERT, O.M.I., Pastor

**Zoar Evangelical and Reformed Church, Rowena**  
Church school, 10:15 a. m. Divine worship, 11:30 a. m. FRANK W. LAMMERT, Pastor

**Foursquare Gospel Church**  
(104 N. Twelfth Street)  
Sunday school at 10 a. m. Worship service at 11 a. m. Junior Crusaders at 7 p. m. Evangelistic service at 8 p. m. Tuesday at 8 p. m., Bible study and prayer service. Friday at 8 p. m., Crusader service.

All are cordially invited to our services. A stranger but once.  
CARL POOL, Pastor

**Church of the Nazarene**  
"The Friendly Church" (Ninth and Harris)  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Junior N. Y. P. S., 5:30 p. m. N. Y. P. S., 6:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. E. M. WALKER, Pastor

**Grace Baptist Church**  
(10th Street and Phillips Avenue)  
Bible school, 10 a. m., Jim Hash, superintendent.

Morning service, 11 a. m. Evening service, 8:30 p. m. Friday night prayer service, 8:30 p. m. PAUL F. DONNELSON, Pastor

**Church of Christ**  
(1100 Ninth Street)  
Services: Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Friday, 8:00 p. m. Always welcome.

**Church of God**  
(519 Strong Avenue)  
Sunday: 10 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., church service. 3 p. m., choir rehearsal. 7:30 p. m., young people's meeting.

7:30 p. m., junior young people. 8:15 p. m., evening worship.  
Wednesday: 8:15 p. m., prayer meeting. T. N. MINIX, Pastor

**First Methodist Church**  
Church school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Evening worship, 8:00 p. m. H. B. LOYD, Pastor

The Texas Gulf Coast has fourteen deepwater ports, Houston, Galveston, Texas City, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Port Neches, Sabine Pass, Orange, Freeport, Corpus Christi, Port Aransas, Ingleside, Brownsville and Port Isabel.

**H. O. CAMPBELL ATTENDS FUNERAL FOR BROTHER**

H. O. Campbell went to Broyle's Chapel, near Palestine, Friday to attend the funeral of his brother, John F. Campbell. Mr. Campbell, a veteran of World War I, died Thursday in the veterans' hospital in Dallas.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Erwin left Tuesday for a month's vacation, going first to Temple, where Rev. Erwin will receive treatment on his eyes. They will visit in other sections of the state before returning home.

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**ONE spraying of Berlou** stops moth damage for 5 years or Berlou pays the damages. Protect your clothes, furniture, woolens and rugs with Berlou. HIGGINBOTHAM'S 19-4f

**Baby Chicks every Tuesday**, from blood-tested flocks. Place your order now. Ballinger Feed & Hatchery, successors to Currie Produce Co. 15-1f

**FOR SALE**—Sudan seed, free of Johnson grass. Henry Klaus. Rowena. 12-3f

**Notice**—Give us your order for hand-made sandals of any kind. See Alex Ferril at the S. & S. Shoe Shop. 19-21

**WANTED**—To rent sewing machine by the month. Lt. Wieser, 404 Broadway. Telephone 481. 12-1f

**FOR SALE**—Registered Hereford male shoats—also quarter horses. Elmer Hennig, Rowena. 12-4f

**FOR SALE**—Five room house, in good repair, screened front porch, two halls and bath, nice floors, double garage and large storage room, corner lot well located within four blocks of business district. Terms can be arranged and can give possession May 1. See Jack Nixon, phone 544. 12-2f

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment; also bedroom. 801 Eighth Street. 12-3f

**ATTENTION MOTHERS!** Durham's NU-MO Chest Rub is a new and better remedy for children's colds. It is ten times as effective as most vapor salves and is guaranteed to give quicker relief. 35c and 60c at J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. 15-10f

**STRAYED**—Light brown horse, 14½ hands high, gray around head and ears, shod all around. Reward. Notify Berry's Filling Station. Telephone 402. 19-2f

**FOR SALE**—1940 Venus table radio, excellent condition. Phone 413. 19-1f

**WANTED**—Volt and one-half battery radio, with or without battery. Phone 323. 1f

**FOR SALE**—Windmills, 8-foot Fairbanks-Morse; 10-foot Aeromotor. Mansell Bros. 1f

**FOR SALE**—Registered Polled Hereford bull. P. R. Dietz. 19-3f

**American Cafe**  
CAMPBELL'S NOOK  
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Health Baths, Scientific Massage  
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**Your Government Needs Your DEAD ANIMALS**  
Nitroglycerine and other vital national defense needs are extracted from greases from dead livestock. We'll pick up unskinned dead animals within 24 miles of San Angelo. We buy old greases, hides, old horses and mules. Call collect, day or night.  
San Angelo Rendering Co.  
Dist 7271-1 or 7288

**FOR SALE**—Two nice quiet air conditioners. 1106 Park Avenue. Telephone 1228. 19-1f

**WANTED**—Amateur Entertainers to enter the SLOUT PLAYERS STAGE SHOWS' BIG "OPPORTUNITY CONTEST" on Friday, April 27. Contest open to all—hill-billy—dancers—singers—Western acts—magicians—acrobats—baton old time fiddlers—comedians—monologists, etc. Three cash prizes awarded. Talent scout present. Apply Slout Players tent first day. 19-1f

**Notice:**  
We trade and sell anything of value in the second-hand line. See Smith or Steward at the S. & S. Shop. 19-2f

**FOR SALE**—Two good stock trailers, good rubber. Allis-Chalmers W.C. tractor and equipment. Late model and new rubber. J. Frank Smith, office Bakery Bldg. 19-1f

**FOR SALE**—150 six and eight weeks old large mixed chicks; four Fox Terrier puppies. Wm. Goetz, house behind Evergreen Cemetery. 1f

**FOR SALE**—A. B. Chase upright piano, in good condition. 301 N. Sixth Street. Mrs. Mary Fuller. 19-2f

**LOST**—On streets of Ballinger, gold identification bracelet with name and No. 0-735146. Finder please notify Lt. S. B. Smith, c/o Mrs. R. A. Nicholson, Ballinger, phone 89. Reward. 1f

**FOR SALE**—Better than 600 acres good grass land. Some good farms, different sizes. J. Frank Smith. 1f

**WANTED TO BUY**—An 8 or 16 mm. movie projector. Will pay a good price. 301 Fifth Street. Pete Harris. 1f

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**WANTED**—Workmen to work by hour and help erect SLOUT PLAYERS Stage Show Tent on show grounds located on S. 7th Street. Top wages to good men. Report 9 a. m. Sunday, April 22. 19-1f

**FOR SERVICE**—In pasture with mare, thoroughbred stallion, grandson of Adr. of War. Birth certificate from New York. \$10 service. Ralph Vanell, Hatchel. 19-4f

**THAD D. WARREN BURIED IN PAINT ROCK CEMETERY**  
Thad D. Warren, 37, died of a heart attack at Odessa Tuesday. Employed by an oil company at Odessa, he had been making home there for the past year.  
Decedent lived most of his life at Eden and Paint Rock, and attended school at Eden.  
Funeral services were held at the Paint Rock Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. Rev. C. K. Roberts officiating. The Paint Rock Masonic Lodge had charge of interment at the cemetery.  
Survivors besides the wife include a step-daughter, Miss Dorothy Keeter, Odessa; three brothers, L. A. Warren, Carrizo Springs; W. E. Warren, Paint Rock; H. G. Warren, Lampasas; and a sister, Mrs. Annie Hill, El Paso.  
Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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Chicks are in heavy demand. Order yours now for delivery later. You can rely on Breezland chicks for livability and production. Send a postal for full information and prices. Address: Breezland, San Angelo.

**WANTED!**  
Waste Paper and Rags  
Boy Scouts will Pick Up SOON

## County's Bond Sales Running Far Short; Only \$64,836 Bought

Purchases of series E war bonds in the 7th war loan campaign are getting off to a slow start in Runnels county and a check-up this (Thursday) morning revealed only \$64,836.50 had been invested in these securities since the first of the month.

The E series bond quota, to be bought in a three-month period is \$615,000 and so far all issuing agents in the county have reported lagging sales.

Tabulations made this morning by County Chairman E. C. Grindstaff showed the following purchases:  
Ballinger, \$31,336.50  
Rowena, \$18,675.00  
Winters, \$14,156.25  
Miles, \$468.75  
Wingate, \$150.00

### LT. RALPH JENNINGS MISSING IN PACIFIC

Lt. Ralph Jennings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jennings of Ballinger, has been reported missing in action in the Pacific since March 19. A pilot of a B-25 bomber, he had already flown over 50 missions in that theatre of operations.

Only recently he had been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant. His father is an employee of the American Express Company here.

After graduating from high school Lt. Jennings attended the San Angelo junior college and later was employed by a funeral home at San Angelo, where he worked until he entered the service in November, 1942.

No other information was contained in the message, but letters are expected shortly.

### NOTICE TO CAR DRIVERS

Parents of 14-year-olds are urged to secure driver's licenses for those who are now driving without them.  
Chief J. D. McNutt urges all car drivers to check their license dates now.

### REVIVAL IS CONTINUING AT FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Revival services will continue through this week at the Foursquare Gospel Church, each night including Saturday.  
Regular services will be held on Sunday and any person not in a

Sunday school is invited to attend at 10 a. m. At the 11 o'clock hour the Rev. Mrs. Lewis Walton will deliver the sermon.  
Sunday evening Rev. Walton, district evangelist, will preach.  
The church is making definite plans to build a parsonage and

enlarge Sunday school rooms at the church.  
Mrs. Bobby C. Miller and small son, who have been making their home here with Mrs. T. J. McCaughan, have moved to Abilene, where Mrs. Miller will be employed in the office at Banner Creameries.

# Opening Announcement

## MODERN AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR SERVICE

Ballinger has been good to us in the past and we want to do something for Ballinger. We believe in the future of Ballinger and want to have a part in it.

We invite you to see our modern garage and bring your car in for FREE inspection. Mr. A. E. ("Dutch") Graham will be our service manager and if you do not want a first class job do not talk to "Dutch" because if he cannot do it right he will not take the job.

New Ford and Chevrolet Motors on the floor ready to install.

A few flying field odds and ends to sell. Come see them and make us an offer. We want them moved out of the way.

There is still work to do in arranging and brightening up our place of business but in time we will have what you have been wanting in Ballinger.

## All Work Guaranteed

Watch this space for Specials for the Week.

Located in the Rogers-Shaw Chevrolet Building on Hutchings Avenue

# Harman Motor Company



**Safeway Quality Meats**  
Hamburger (6 Points) lb. 24¢  
Baked Loaves (4 Pts.) lb. 29¢  
Sausage (4 Points) lb. 30¢

**REAL ROAST PEANUT BUTTER**  
32-Oz. Jar 39¢  
**CRISCO**  
3-Lb. 68¢  
18 Points Per Jar

**FRANKFURTERS**  
Lb. 32¢ 6 Points Per Lb.  
Bologna (14 Points) lb. 29¢  
Cooked Salami (14 Pts.) lb. 29¢  
Braunschweiger (13 Pts.) lb. 36¢  
Brick Chili (12 Points) lb. 35¢



ALL ITEMS IN THIS ADVERTISEMENT ARE POINT FREE—except Meats and Shortening. Check these prices—Save Money, Save Points!  
**Apple Butter** White House 28-Oz. Jar 21¢  
**Shredded Wheat** N.B.C. 12¢  
**Tomato Puree** 4-1/2 Oz. Can 4¢  
**Rice** Blue Box Cello Pack 1-Lb. 11¢  
**Beans** Small White Cello Pack 1-Lb. 13¢  
**Beans** Baby Lima Cello Pack 1-Lb. 14¢  
**Macaroni** Booth's Products 7-Oz. Pkg. 5¢

**Cane Sugar** 5-Lb. Bag 33¢  
**Soap** Crystal White Laundry Soap 3 Reg. Bar 14¢  
**Ivory Soap** 10¢  
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**Palmolive** Toilet Soap 2 Lge. Bars 19¢  
**Sweetheart** Toilet Soap 3 Reg. Bar 19¢  
**Lux Soap** 7¢  
**Super Suds** 24-Oz. Pkg. 23¢  
**Camay Soap** 3 Reg. Bar 19¢  
**Windex** Cleans All Glasses 12-Oz. Bot. 14¢  
**Lint Starch** 12-Oz. Pkg. 10¢

**BEEF LIVER** Sliced 4 Points Per Lb. 35¢  
**BEEF STEW** Short Rib 3 Points Per Lb. 17¢

**Farm-Fresh Produce**  
Sunkist Lemons lb. 11¢  
Grapefruit Texas Marsh lb. 6¢  
White Squash or Yellow lb. 10¢  
Yellow Onions Colorado Greens lb. 4¢  
Waxed Rutabagas 5¢  
Potatoes North Dakota Triumphs lb. 5½¢  
Potatoes Texas New lb. 8¢  
Green Onions 5¢  
Red Radishes 5¢

**BE A POINT SAVER**  
Full O'Gold ORANGE JUICE  
46-Oz. Can 48¢  
Point Free  
Texas ORANGES lb. 8¢  
California ORANGES lb. 9¢

**Airway Coffee** 2 1-Lb. Pkg. 41¢  
**Nob Hill Coffee** 1-Lb. Pkg. 23¢  
**Edwards Coffee** 1-Lb. Pkg. 28¢  
**Pennant Tea** 10-Lb. Can 18¢  
**Hershey Cocoa** 10-Lb. Can 10¢  
**Flour** Kitchen Craft Finest Quality 10-Lb. Bag 45¢  
**Flour** Pillsbury's Best Enriched 10-Lb. Bag 55¢  
**Julia Lee Wright's DATED BREAD** 1½-Lb. LOAF 10¢

**Spinach** Fresh Texas lb. 8¢  
**SAFEWAY**