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## Memorial Service Sunday At Evergreen Cemetery

Memorial services will be held Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at Evergreen Cemetery and all Ballinger church have been asked to dismiss their evening services and cooperate. The program is sponsored by the Pat Williams post, American Legion, and all citizens of this vicinity are urged to attend this service, honoring the soldier dead of all wars.

Rev. H. B. Loyd, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will deliver the memorial address and other pastors of the city will participate in the program. The entire program has been arranged so that it will consume only a short time and those who have to stand will not get tired. The service will start promptly at 8:00 o'clock and will be over in the early twilight.

The firing squad for the rifle salute will be provided by the Ballinger State Guard company and taps will be sounded immediately following the lowering of the flag to dismiss the audience. Post Commander Sam Behringer has asked that all Legionnaires and service men at home on furlough assemble shortly before 8 p. m. at the west gate of the cemetery to accompany the colors in a short march to the grove in the center of the cemetery where the program will be staged. The program will commence with music after which the post commander will present the minister for a prayer and the speaker of the evening.

Following the address, the firing squad will give the rifle salute to the dead, the flag will be lowered from the staff as colors are sounded and taps will dismiss the crowd.

The Legion post this week erected a flagpole in the center of the cemetery so that "Old Glory" can be flown the entire day and used for the memorial service.

Local Legionnaires believe more interest than usual should be shown in the service this year. There are a number of local service men of World War II buried in the plot and men slain in combat in every part of the world will be honored.

## Caskey is Elected Lions' President For Ensuing Year

The Ballinger Lions Club has elected officers and directors for another year and the new officers will take over their offices on July 1. Ernest Caskey, for several years secretary of the local club, was named president for the ensuing year and will direct the affairs of the club and preside at all meetings.

Other officers named to serve with Mr. Caskey, include: J. G. Tuckey, secretary-treasurer; Hill Hampton, tall twister; Clarence Bissett, first vice-president; George Newby, second vice-president; O. H. Chandler, third vice-president; E. C. Grindstaff, Lion tamer. Two new directors named for the coming year are John Purifoy and Harry Lynn. Hold-over directors are E. C. Grindstaff and C. R. Stone. Retiring directors were Jack Rudd and M. A. Foy.

Ten members were given awards for perfect attendance records for the past twelve months. These included: Ernest Caskey, Levy Lee, C. R. Stone, E. C. Grindstaff, W. J. Hembree, H. Ravellette, J. A. Schnable, George Holman, and L. R. McAlay.

The program for last Friday was in charge of R. E. White and Pfc. Dwain Simpson, marine corps, at home on furlough after going through the invasion and battle of Iwo Jima in the Pacific.

Levi Foster has returned to this territory and has again been employed by Mead's Bakery. He has been working in a defense plant on the West Coast.

## Approval Received For 18.5 Miles Road Work in This County

County Judge E. C. Grindstaff was notified by the state highway department Wednesday that three road projects in Runnels county had been approved. Application for the work was made recently by the commissioners court in connection with state highway department employees and in the general overall state program all three local projects were given approval.

The three jobs comprise 18.5 miles of road work which after improvements are completed will be under state maintenance. The first is for 10 miles starting at Ballinger and extending that far on the Crews road. The second is from Wilmeth extending 4.5 miles to where the road connects with the Wingate-Winters highway. The third commences at Norton and extends south 3.5 miles to connect with the Ballinger-Bronte highway.

Condition of interest to the county specifies that the county assume any outstanding indebtedness against the roads but in this county there is nothing against any of the projects. It also calls for right-of-way which may be needed and the county has agreed to provide any additional land required.

There is no starting date for this work but approval means it will be part of the federal-state construction in the future.

## Baptist Vacation Bible School Will Begin Next Week

The annual vacation Bible school of the First Baptist Church, 400 Eighth Street, will open Monday morning, June 4, at 9:00 o'clock. This will be a one-week school with sessions each morning from 9:00 until 11:30 and the closing program to be presented Friday night, June 8.

There will be the usual patriotic ceremonies of flag salutes and pledges to the United States, calls to worship and musical programs, handcraft, Bible study, dramatics and pageantry.

The pastor, Rev. Clarence A. Morton, will act as dean and will show slides and pictures of the Bible and religious life of interest to all children and young people. Mrs. Carl Black is the principal. Mrs. O. T. Toney is the general secretary; Mrs. C. E. Maedgen, general pianist; and Mrs. R. T. Williams, social chairman. Handcraft will be under the direction of Mrs. W. A. McDonald and Miss Gladys Kemp.

In the beginner department, ages 4 and 5, the superintendent, Mrs. E. Shepperd, is to be assisted by Mmes. T. J. McCaughan, J. W. Bladell, Roy Phelps, Robert Jay and Naomi Keithley.

The primary department superintendent is Mrs. C. J. Lynn for children ages 6, 7 and 8. Her helpers are: Mmes. Homer C. Daniel, Fred Holliday, E. H. Forgy, C. E. Maedgen, O. L. Parish, M. G. Justice, J. C. Cook, G. E. Kemp, C. D. Branham, J. P. Flynt, W. B. Currie and Minnie Maude Alexander.

In the junior department, ages 9, 10, 11 and 12, Mrs. Carl Black will be superintendent, assisted by Mmes. Clarence A. Morton, W. A. McDonald, Joe Vaughan, R. P. Canady, A. F. Brock, and Alton Underwood.

Mrs. W. J. Hembree is the intermediate department superintendent for ages 13, 14, 15 and 16, with helpers, Mmes. J. H. Endacott, Taylor Henley, and John Castor.

The pastor and workers state that any child regardless of church affiliation or no affiliation is cordially invited to attend this school. There is no charge—everything is absolutely free.

## Four Veterans at Home; Good News from Others

Four more Ballinger boys who had been prisoners of war since their capture in Italy soon after they invaded Salerno, arrived home this week. Coming in this week were Rufus Ransberger, Buck Sanders, Milton Owens and James Paske.

Word had been received several weeks ago of their liberation. The past week-end they arrived in the United States and were sent to Fort Sam Houston and then came on to Ballinger. The four young men, who look fairly well, are to be here some time with relatives before they report for further orders. All were members of the 36th division since the then national guard outfit was mobilized in Texas in 1940. As are other prisoners of war, the four are under orders regarding what they tell but their experiences will doubtless be very interesting when they can tell the whole story.

Good news continued to arrive here from other boys who had been prisoners for months. A message was received Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Webb from their son, Lt. Charles Webb, notifying them he had arrived in Boston and was en route to Texas and home.

Mrs. Robert Wood received direct confirmation from her husband, Cpl. Robert Wood, that he had been liberated and hoped to be home soon.

T. J. Crockett, paratrooper, captured on July 11, 1943, informed relatives here this week that he was OK and on his way home.

The war department has notified the parents of Lt. Garyn Hoffman that he has been liberated, is back under American control and can be expected home soon. Lt. Hoffman, a Mustang pilot, was shot down in France last year.

Ballinger friends of Miss Cleo Lane, teacher in the Ballinger elementary school, were notified of the sudden death of her mother in San Saba Wednesday morning.

Miss Maryvatt Smith will leave Friday morning for Gainesville and New Orleans.

## Home Owners Again Asked To Help Kill Rats and Mice

Plans for a rat and mouse extermination campaign in the residential sections of Ballinger fell flat last week when many refused to buy the poisoned baits to be put out in the homes. Another effort is being made this week and circulars were left at every house in the city Wednesday to pass on a statement from Ballinger doctors composing the local health department. The physicians call attention to the fact that two new typhus fever cases have developed here and that anything less than 100 per cent cooperation is not sufficient to prevent the spread of the disease.

Dr. O. H. Chandler, city health officer, stated in an interview that it was necessary that every person in Ballinger join in the campaign. Last week when home

owners were called on, many said they had no rats about their premises. Leaders declare there are mice in practically all residences in the city and that when a poisoning drive is started rats and mice spread all over the community and this makes it necessary for everybody to join in the fight.

Boy Scouts in uniform will call at each home in Ballinger tomorrow with poisoned baits ready to be put out. The poison is harmless to anything but rats and mice and on each sack are complete directions for use.

Leaders directing the campaign and members of the city health department urge that every resident of Ballinger buy enough baits for his home and assist in stamping out typhus fever.

## 'Here's Your Infantry' Will be Here June 13

The local 7th war loan committee has announced that on June 13 the army ground forces will present "Here's Your Infantry" in Ballinger in a special showing that is calculated to attract one of the largest crowds to assemble here since the war began.

"Here's Your Infantry" is one of the most effective demonstrations of its kind to be viewed by civilians. It is a combination of a static exhibition of infantry weapons, equipment, clothing and rations and an action-filled colorful attack on a Jap pillbox.

This demonstration was first presented in the closing days of the 6th war loan. When Henry Morgenthau, Jr., secretary of the treasury, saw the program he was so impressed that he asked that the show be prepared for a nation-wide tour in the 7th war loan campaign and veterans from all major fronts of the world have been assembled and rehearsed for the show and demonstration.

The exhibit consists of thirteen different collections of infantry

## Pfc. John O. Powe Is Killed in Action In Pacific Theatre

Mrs. Mary F. Powe, of Talpa Rt. 2, received a message from the war department this week informing her that her son, Pfc. John O. Powe was killed in action on Luzon on March 27. He was with the 136th infantry, company I, 33rd division, and had been in action in the Pacific for many months.

Pfc. Powe volunteered in October, 1942, and went overseas in April, 1943. He was wounded in December, 1944, at Morotai, East Indies island, one of the Halmahera group but was able to return to his outfit and to combat again.

## WAR BOND PREMIERE TO BE PRESENTED AT TEXAS JUNE 6

The management of the Texas Theatre, cooperating with the local 7th war loan committee, will present a special war bond show on June 6, first anniversary of D-Day.

On the screen the feature picture will be "The Affairs of Susan," a comedy, and following the film program a bond sale will be conducted.

Everybody is invited to attend this special show and is urged to come prepared to do his share for the 7th war loan.

## WEST TEXAS JUDGES TO MEET THIS FALL

Judge E. C. Grindstaff was in Abilene Saturday where he met with other officials of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association to make plans for the resumption of the annual meeting this fall. A tentative date set for September 13, 14 and 15 at Abilene.

Judge Grindstaff stated that it was likely that the state organization would also hold a meeting this year, place and date to be announced.

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## SERVING UNCLE SAM Ballinger Man Awarded Bronze Star

Capt. James L. Moreland, company I, 86th infantry division, son of Sheriff and Mrs. J. L. Moreland, has been awarded the bronze star medal for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy on April 13. No other details were given in the memorandum from the war department.

T. Ray Hopper has received a V-E day edition of the Stars and Stripes from his son, William R. Hopper, who is with the 394th field artillery battalion somewhere in Austria. The army paper gave credit for the great jobs done by different branches of the army and the headlines reflected the victory theme.

Discharge for T-Sgt. Jack Williams. T-Sgt. Jack Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Williams, arrived in Ballinger Saturday from Fort Sam Houston, where he received his discharge. In the army more than four years, Sgt. Williams had just completed his tour as an engineer-gunner with the 15th air force based in Italy. He flew 55 missions and wears the air medal with three oak leaf clusters, the presidential unit citation with oak leaf cluster, and four bronze stars on his ETO ribbon.

J. L. Henderson, AOM2c, was here for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Henderson, on a delay en route from the East Coast to the West Coast, where he will join other crew members on a PB4Y2 for further duty in the Pacific.

Victor B. Matthiesen, in the intelligence department of the 113th AAA group, stationed in Germany, has been promoted to the rank of second lieutenant. Lt. Matthiesen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Matthiesen of Ballinger route 1.

Kenneth Glenn Gerard has arrived at the Camp Wolters infantry replacement center. He has been assigned to a battalion stressing special training. Eighteen years old, he only recently was inducted.

Richard L. Miles, seaman 2c, of Wingate, is now with a ship repair unit in training at the Puget Sound navy yard, Bremerton, Washington. His wife and two children are residing at Wingate.

Sgt. Hubert M. Pospichal and Felix E. Pospichal, AMM1c, sons of Mrs. Frances Pospichal, were at home together recently. Hubert recently returned to the States after serving 32 months in China and India with the 11th bombardment squadron of the 14th air force. He is now stationed at Rapid City, S. D. Felix is stationed at Corpus Christi. Mrs. Pospichal has two other sons in service: Capt. Arnold Pospichal, an ordnance commander in the Pacific, and Lt. Robert Pospichal, who served with the marines in the Pacific for 32 months.

Sgt. Warren H. Settegast, nephew of Mrs. Paul Best of this city, has returned to the United States after 18 months' duty overseas. He wears four overseas bars with four bronze stars, silver star, purple heart, expert infantry badge and combat infantry badge.

Spencer M. McKenzie, seaman 2c, of Ballinger route 2, is farming for the navy. He and nearly 100 other shipmates are growing produce for hospitals and camps on an island in the Marianas group. Awaiting him at home are his wife, Mrs. Lenora McKenzie, and four children, Avis, Alta, Lee and Janice.

A postcard received from S-Sgt. R. A. Green was brief and to the point, as follows: Headed for Tokyo; expect to be back in '47. The card was mailed from Marysville, California.

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Mrs. Gertrude Woods COMPLETE INSURANCE SERVICE Phone 288 116 South Eighth Street BALLINGER, TEXAS

\$250.00 Reward Paid for Conviction of Livestock Thefts. Runnels County Livestock Association

## City Commission Names Drury Hathaway Mayor

At a meeting of the Ballinger city commission Friday morning Drury P. Hathaway was appointed mayor to fill the unexpired term of C. P. Shepherd, deceased. Commissioners George Holman and E. Shepperd in session voted in favor of Mr. Hathaway, who had been suggested to the commission in the form of a petition bearing the names of a large number of qualified voters.

Another petition bearing signatures of 290 local voters also was filed asking that E. Shepperd be promoted to the office of mayor for the unexpired term. In an interview Mr. Shepperd stated he deeply appreciated the petition but that he would continue as a commissioner to look after the departments under his care.

Mr. Hathaway has been associated with Ballinger business and professional interests for many years. Last year he served as president of the Ballinger Board of Community Development and in that capacity accomplished some excellent results, which was partly responsible for his friends asking that he be named to the important municipal position.

Being a lawyer also includes qualifications helpful in the office of mayor, and Mr. Hathaway's activities in civic affairs makes

him already well informed on plans ahead for the city administration.

Mr. Hathaway will qualify and be sworn in about the first week in June.

The city commission has made numerous plans for post-war work and improvements and in the near future will be called on to give more time to operating the municipal government than ever before. Complete engineering data have been prepared after surveys for expansion of the water system, while more paving and other projects will demand thought and time.

In speaking of his appointment Mr. Hathaway said: "It is a striking inspiration to receive such an unsolicited honor from the city commission. It gives me a feeling of deep appreciation to be paid the high compliment by those interested citizens who cooperated with the commission in the selecting of a mayor. In accepting I recognize the responsibility ahead. To be useful the city commission must have the help of the entire citizenship. In this, I solicit the assistance of every citizen, and covet the prayers of our God-fearing citizenship, that we may be endowed with a progressive administration, yet founded on sound judgment."

## School Lunches Served To 2,365 Pupils Daily

Runnels county schools reached a new high this year in the community school lunch program, Ernest Caskey, county superintendent of schools has announced.

According to latest reports, 12 independent and 9 common schools have been serving adequate noon-day lunches daily to about 2,365 school children. Without the help of war food administration, many of these lunchrooms could not have operated this year, Mr. Caskey said. Credit for much of the year's success also have worked untiringly in seeing that school children were served well-balanced meals.

School lunch agreements are signed jointly by WFA and local sponsors who assume complete responsibility for keeping lunch rooms in operation. WFA's part is to help local sponsors operate the program efficiently, reimburse them for part of the operating cost and distribute perishable foods bought from farmers under price support programs as directed by the Congress.

Reimbursements from WFA this year total about \$21,559.07, com-

pared to \$36,053.34 received from local sources. This plan of sharing expenses has made it possible to serve well-balanced, healthful foods to school children for an average of only 15 cents per meal, he explained. No discrimination is made between children who are able to pay for their lunches and those who cannot since one of the purposes of the school lunch program is to provide healthful mid-lunches to all school children, he continued.

Perishable foods bought from farmers and distributed in the county by war food administration include carrots, cabbage, apples and beans. Most of these foods were cooked and served immediately in daily lunches and some were canned for use later.

In addition, other perishable foods in local abundance also have been bought direct from county farmers, wholesale and retail.

Mr. Caskey said lunchrooms equipped to can foods will be eligible to receive available perishable commodities this summer for use in preparing well-balanced lunches next fall.

**Revival Beginning June 6**  
GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH  
**Dr. Fred S. Donnelson**  
Preaching Every Night at Eight

**This Sunday**

We invite you to be with us at all of our services.

Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Morning Service 11 a. m.  
Evening Service 8 p. m.

THEME:  
"America's Greatest Need"

PAUL F. DONNELSON  
Pastor  
SPECIAL MUSIC YOU WILL ENJOY

**For Your Comfort Our Auditorium is Air Conditioned**

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., W. J. Hembree, Superintendent  
Sunday, 11 a. m., Sermon, Dr. N. A. Moore, Bible Department of Hardin-Simmons University, Scholar, Theologian, Gospel Preacher.  
Baptist Training Union, Sunday, 7:00 p. m., Miss Glenn Ridings, Director.  
Memorial Services Sunday Night at Evergreen Cemetery.  
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL opens Monday, 9:00 a. m., June 4. All children ages 4-16 invited.  
Welcome Always  
**THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
40 Eighth Street  
CLARENCE A. MORTON, Pastor

To: Runnels County Registered Nurses  
When you are available for duty, we invite you to use our Nurses Register.  
Doctors are invited to call us when in need of Registered or Practical Nurses.

To: Runnels County Practical Nurses  
Hospitalization and Funeral Insurance

**AGNEW FUNERAL HOME**  
Phone 440

Day and Night Ambulance Service

## Local Legionnaires Will Promote Junior Baseball in Ballinger

The Pat Williams post of the American Legion is launching junior baseball in Ballinger at once and will schedule workouts as soon as equipment arrives. Action by the post to sponsor a team in the nation-wide movement was taken at a meeting last Friday and this week Leon Thomas was appointed general manager of the team with Felton Wright, H. G. Agnew and Alex McGregor coaches.

A committee composed of Tom Caudle, Tom Agnew, C. R. Stone, K. V. Northington and Troy Simpson was named in an advisory capacity, to do the buying, look after the grounds and upkeep, and other details.

The old softball lot on city land near Wilke Terrace will be made ready within the next few days. Baseballs, bats and other equipment have been ordered and boys who have signed up will be asked to furnish shoes and gloves.

In addition to playing the regular schedule with other town teams, it is planned to operate four teams here if possible and play local games late in the afternoons to which the public will be invited.

About 36 boys had signed up for playing during the summer up to Monday morning and others were expected to sign during the week. The club must be entered in the

junior baseball circuit by June 1 and names of all players must accompany the registering of the team.

Boys who were not 17 on January 1 and under are eligible for participation this year.

## 'Frozen Foods' Title Of Film to be Shown Housewives of Area

An invitation is extended all homemakers who are using frozen food lockers in Ballinger and to everyone else interested, to witness a talking picture, "Frozen Foods," at the high school auditorium Saturday afternoon, June 2. The film, which is filmed in color, shows detailed preparation of vegetables, fruits and chickens for freezing, and proper packaging and cooking of frozen foods.

The program, to begin at 3:00 p. m., is to be presented here by the West Texas Utilities Co. and the C. O. D. Frozen Locker plant.

The film was produced under the technical direction of the General Electric Consumers Institute, pioneer of the frozen foods industry and recognized as one of the country's foremost authorities on the subject. It has been brought to West Texas by the West Texas Utilities Co. as a public service in the interest of the national food preservation program.

Women of this area are in the middle of one of the nation's biggest jobs—to preserve every bit of 1945's food production. Free-

## Armless She Drives



Miss Enoch, 21, Fallisore, who finds the lack of arms no handicap to normal living, is shown as she operates a motor vehicle by using her lower limbs. She was born without arms. Her husband is serving overseas.

ing is regarded as one of the finest of all food preservation methods, because it preserves food values in practically their original natural state.

Meat is only one of the many foods that can be preserved in frozen lockers and home freezers. Many fruits and vegetables, including strawberries, peaches, pineapple, berries, peas, spinach, beans and corn are easier and quicker to prepare for freezing than for canning, and the resultant product is more like the original in appearance, flavor and nutritive content.

The picture, "Frozen Foods," runs forty minutes. Miss Eudora Hawkins and Miss Verna Westbrook of the West Texas Utilities Co., will be present to answer questions, and anyone interested in the freezing preparation of foods is invited to attend without charge.

### H. J. R. No. 13 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending Sections 51a, 51b, 51c, and 51d of Article III so that the same shall consist of one section to be known as Section 51a, providing that the Legislature shall have the power to provide assistance to and provide for the payment of same to actual bona fide citizens of Texas who are needy aged persons over the age of sixty-five (65) years, needy blind persons over the age of twenty-one (21) years, and needy chil-

dren under the age of sixteen (16) years; providing for the acceptance of financial aid from the Government of the United States for such assistance; providing that the payments of such assistance from State funds shall never exceed either the payments from Federal funds or a total of more than Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) per year; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication, and making an appropriation to defray the necessary expenses of proclamation, publication, and holding the election.

### BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Sections 51a, 51b, 51c, and 51d of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended and the same are hereby amended so that the same shall hereafter consist of one section to be numbered 51a, which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 51a. The Legislature shall have the power, by general laws and restrictions herein contained, and such other limitations, restrictions and regulations as may by the Legislature be deemed expedient for assistance to, and for the payment of assistance to:

(1) Needy aged persons who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and who are over the age of sixty-five (65) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State supported institution, while such inmate, or to any person who shall not have actually resided in Texas for at least five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application for such assistance and continuously for one (1) year immediately preceding such application; provided that the maximum payment per month from State funds shall not be more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) per month.

(2) Needy blind persons who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and are over the age of twenty-one (21) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State supported institution, while such inmate, or to any person who shall not have actually resided in Texas for at least five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application for such assistance and continuously for one (1) year immediately preceding such application.

(3) Needy children who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and are under the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid on account of any child over One (1) year old who has not continuously resided in Texas for one (1) year immediately preceding the application for such assistance, or on account of any child under the age of one (1) year whose mother has not continuously resided in Texas for one (1) year immediately preceding such application.

"The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Federal Government of the United States such financial aid for the assistance of the needy aged, needy blind, and needy children as such Government may offer not inconsistent with restrictions herein set forth; provided however that the amount of such assistance out of State funds to each person assisted shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal Funds; and, provided further that the total amount of money to be expended out of State funds for such assistance to the needy aged, needy blind, and needy children shall never exceed the sum of Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) per year."

Should the Legislature enact enabling laws and provide an additional appropriation hereto in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be invalid by reason of their anticipatory character.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of Texas at a special election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the 25th day of August, 1945, at which election there shall be printed on such ballot the following clause:

"For the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments of old age assistance to those above sixty-five (65) years of age; provided that monthly payments from State funds to any one person may be in valid amounts based on need, that the maximum payment per month per person from State funds shall not be more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) per month; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments for the needy blind persons over twenty-one (21) years of age; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments to needy children under sixteen (16) years of age; providing for the expenditure of funds from the Federal Government; limiting the total amount which may be expended for such assistance out of State funds; and providing conditions as to residence within the State in order to become eligible to receive assistance."

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Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and held as required by the Constitution and the Laws of the State of Texas.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the funds of the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay expenses of such publication and election.

### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

proposing an amendment to Article VI of the Constitution of Texas providing that any person in the armed forces of the United States, or the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part thereof, or the United States Maritime Service, or the United States Merchant Marine, or who has been a member of same within eighteen months prior to the holding of any election in this state authorized by law, and is otherwise a qualified voter, shall not be required to pay, or to hold a receipt for the payment of, a poll tax in order to vote at any such election, if same is held while the United States is at war or within a certain stated time thereafter; providing that members of the regular Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States shall not be permitted to vote; providing that other members of the armed forces shall be entitled to vote under certain conditions; providing the form of the ballot for voting on said proposed amendment; fixing the time for holding an election; directing the Governor to issue the necessary proclamations; and making an appropriation.

### BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. There shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas the matter of amending Article VI of the Constitution of Texas, by adding thereto a new section which will modify the present restrictions concerning voting. This new section shall be inserted between Section 2 and Section 3 of said Article VI, and shall be known as Section 2a, and shall read as follows:

"Section 2a. Nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to require any person, who at the time of the holding of an election hereinafter referred to is, or who, within eighteen months immediately prior to the time of holding any such election was, a member of the armed forces of the United States or of the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part of such armed forces or Armed Force Reserve, or the United States Maritime Service or the United States Merchant Marine, and who is otherwise a qualified voter under the laws and Constitution of this state, to pay a poll tax or to hold a receipt of any poll tax assessed against him, as a condition precedent to his right to vote in any election held under the authority of the laws of this state, during the time the United States is engaged in fighting a war, or within one year after the close of the calendar year in which said war is terminated.

"Provided, however, that the foregoing provisions of this section do not confer the right to vote upon any person who is a member of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy, or Marine Corps, and who is otherwise a qualified voter under the laws and Constitution of this state, to pay a poll tax or to hold a receipt of any poll tax assessed against him, as a condition precedent to his right to vote in any election held under the authority of the laws of this state, during the time the United States is engaged in fighting a war, or within one year after the close of the calendar year in which said war is terminated.

"Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state on August 25, 1945, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following:

"FOR the amendment to Article

VI of the Constitution of Texas, providing that any person in the armed forces of the United States, or the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part thereof, or of the United States Maritime Service, or the United States Merchant Marine, or who has been a member of same within eighteen months prior to the holding of any election in this state authorized by law, and is otherwise a qualified voter, shall not be required to pay, or to hold a receipt for the payment of, a poll tax in order to vote at any such election, if same is held while the United States is at war or within a certain stated time thereafter."

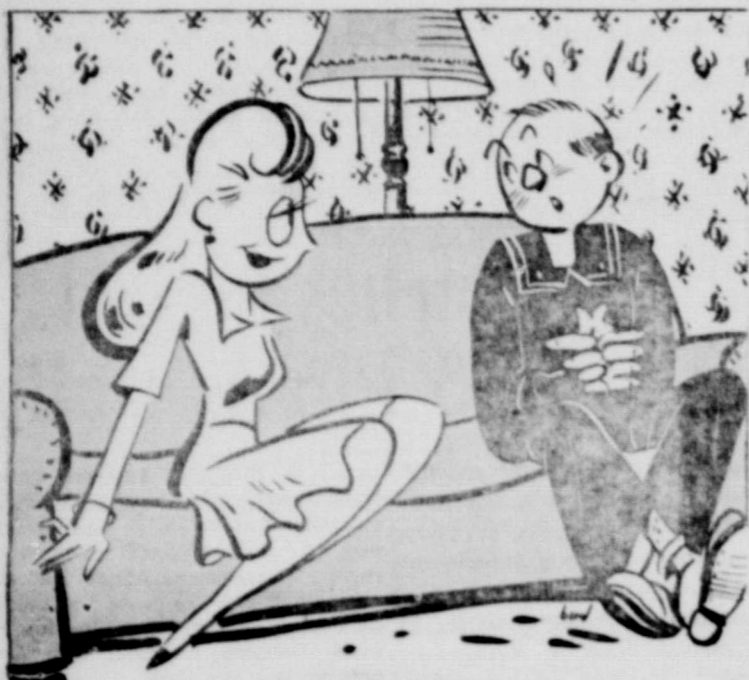
Those opposed to such amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"AGAINST the amendment to Article VI of the Constitution of Texas, providing that any person in the armed forces of the United States, or the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part thereof, or of the United States Maritime Service, or the United States Merchant Marine, or who has been a member of same within eighteen months prior to the holding of any election in this state authorized by law, and is otherwise a qualified voter, shall not be

required to pay, or to hold a receipt for the payment of, a poll tax in order to vote at any such election, if same is held while the United States is at war or within a certain stated time thereafter."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamations relating to the publication of the foregoing Resolution, in the various counties of the state, and shall cause the same to be published as required by the statutes and the Constitution in connection with the submission of proposed amendments to the Constitution, to the people for their action at a statewide election. If it shall appear from the returns of the election at which the foregoing amendment to the Constitution is voted upon that a majority of the qualified voters have voted for said amendment, same shall then become a part of the Constitution of Texas.

Sec. 4. There is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the expenses of advertising said Resolution in each county in the state and for such other purposes as may be necessary, or required by law, or by the Constitution.



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## Susanna Foster, Turhan Bey In Gusty, Lusty 'Frisco Sal'

A romantic film team that is fast becoming one of the favorites among fans is Susanna Foster, the lovely blonde songbird, and Turhan Bey, the handsome, dashing Turk.

The two Universal stars were first seen opposite each other on the screen in that studio's drama, "The Climax." This was followed with the musical cavalcade, "Bowery to Broadway," which again so much pleased moviegoers that Susanna and Bey were promptly cast in another of Universal's top pictures, "Frisco Sal," due at the Ritz Theatre Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, June 2, 3, 4, 5.

In this highly colorful film, set on the Barbary Coast in the late 90s, Susanna will be seen as a New England choir singer who turns musical hall entertainer to trace her long-lost brother. Turhan Bey is the owner of the glorious saloon. The romance that develops between Bey and Susa hits a snag when the latter hears that Bey murdered her brother. "Frisco Sal" is said to capture the lusty spirit of the time and the place of its locale and to provide, not only plenty of action and romance, but some delightful music as well. Others in the film are Alan Curtis, Andy Devine, Collette Lyons, Thomas Gomez, Fuzzy Knight and Samuel S. Hinds.

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**Alan CURTIS**  
with ANDY DEVINE,  
THOMAS GOMEZ,  
COLLETTE LYONS,  
FUZZY KNIGHT,  
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H. J. R. No. 11  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**  
proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to provide for continuous salary per diem of all members of the Legislature during their tenure of office.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

**Section 1.** That Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 24. Members of the Legislature shall receive from the public Treasury a per diem of Ten Dollars (\$10) per day during their tenure of office. In addition to the per diem the members of each House shall be entitled to mileage in going to and returning from the seat of government, which mileage shall not exceed Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) for each twenty-five (25) miles, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel by land, regardless of railways or water routes; and the Comptroller of the State shall prepare and preserve a table of distances to each county seat, now or hereafter to be established; and by such table the mileage of each member shall be paid; but no member shall be entitled to mileage for any extra session that may be called within one day after the adjournment of any regular or called session."

**Sec. 2.** The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in August, A. D. 1945, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon: "FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for continuous salary per diem of all members of the Legislature during their tenure of office" and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing for continuous salary per diem of all members of the Legislature during their tenure of office."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment.

**Sec. 3.** The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

**Sec. 4.** The provisions of this Constitutional Amendment shall be self-enacting, and if a majority of votes at said election shall be cast for same the Governor shall, within thirty (30) days after said election, issue a proclamation declaring this Amendment to be a part of the Constitution of Texas.

Miss Mary Edith Loyd, student of Baylor University, Waco, is here to spend the summer with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Loyd.

World news is broadcast 800 times each week in the Mediterranean theatre by the seven American expeditionary stations.

## 'Bring On the Girls'



Scene from "Bring on the Girls," comedy attraction at the Texas Theatre next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, June 3, 4 and 5.

## Hit Comedy, 'Affairs of Susan' War Bond Show at the Texas

The Texas Theatre will offer something new in screen entertainment next Wednesday, June 6 for its contribution to the seventh war loan campaign. For one thing, "The Affairs of Susan," Paramount release, has Joan Fontaine playing the first real comedy role of her career and getting a kick out of it, too. For another thing, Miss Fontaine, as actress Susan Darrell, isn't content with one romance. She wants four and gets 'em—something a little different from the usual Hollywood formula.

George Brent, Dennis O'Keefe, Walter Abel and Don DeFore are the four men with whom the unpredictable "Susie" has her fling before finally making up her mind. The narrowing-down process provides the audience with a laugh treat and, incidentally, gives Joan opportunity to wear glamorous gowns which reveal her to be quite an eye-ful.

Things start popping when Sue returns from an overseas tour and promises to march the aisle with airline big-wig Walter Abel. Then, Walter discovers Susan has had three other men in her life and decides to find out why her affairs with each of the others fizzled out. At Walter's bachelor dinner, the smitten trio unravel their yarns in a series of flashbacks. However, all this doesn't help Walter who remains quite in the dark about his fiancée. He finds out—too late—when she picks the winner.

To get the pick of the male crop, Joan adopts four different personalities to please each of her four different suitors. Overnight, she changes from a naive homebody to a sophisticated glamour girl, then to an intellectual athlete complete with horn-rim specs. Joan is said to be equally convincing in all four roles.

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## F.F.A. Boys Make Excellent Reports On Year's Feeding

According to F. C. Shillingburg, vocational agriculture teacher of the Ballinger high school, the annual report made on the feeding program for calves was an impressive one. Twenty-one F. F. A. boys of the Ballinger school fed forty calves last school year. Nineteen of these boys have their records complete which represents thirty-five calves. The records of Ben Sims Parrish's two calves are not complete as he is now serving with the marine corps. Also the three calves fed by Norbert Rohmfeld are not reported. Norbert is a part-time member of the Future Farmer organization and is now farming with his dad. He finished school here in 1944.

The total amount of money received for these calves was \$8,156.68, the total expenses \$6,266.42. Expenses include initial cost of calf all kinds of feed, rent for lot and feeding equipment, and labor. The net profit was \$1,890.26, or an average of \$45.05 per calf. The labor for each calf amounted to \$13.97, which did not cost the boy any money. This is an actual income of \$68.02 per calf. The five calves not reported would bring the average higher.

Ten of these calves were exhibited and sold at the Houston Fat Stock Show, one at the San Angelo show, and nine at the Fort Worth

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show. A few were sold at the local show in Ballinger, while others were sold on the open market at Fort Worth.

There probably will be forty-five calves on feed this year. Seventeen are on feed now and others will be put on feed by July 1.

**OLFEN CLUB GIRLS MAKE HOSPITAL HOUSE-SHOES**

Olfen 4-H club girls, under the direction of Miss Ozzie Folkes, county home demonstration agent, have completed 54 pairs of men's hospital house-shoes and they are being shipped to the Red Cross headquarters through the county production chairman, Mrs. Alex Saunders. The local chapter purchased the materials and the club girls did all the work.

The Runnels county chapter has asked for pajama material, which cannot be supplied at this time, but may be shipped later on a sewing project.

The chapter has accepted 100 pounds of yarn which is expected to arrive in the near future. Mrs. E. C. Tinsley will be the new chairman for knitting and will

handle the distribution when the shipment arrives.

**STORAGE VAULT COMPLETED FOR C. O. D. LOCKER PLANT**

The C. O. D. Grocery and Market this week completed another vault for its frozen locker plant. The new vault will be used for storing cured meats and racks have been built to take care of a large amount of this kind of meat. Temperature in the vault is to be maintained at about 60 degrees. The cooling equipment has already been installed and was in operation this week.

The volume of business at the local plant calls for more space almost continually and in addition to the locker division, several vaults are in operation at the present to handle the large amount of fresh and cured meats.

Nat Williams left Tuesday for Gladewater, where he will be the remainder of the week looking after school business. He plans to move his family there about July 1.

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Frank Turner, one of Ballinger's colored boys who was born and reared here, has been at home on leave. A steward's mate on a troop ship, he wears the American and Asiatic-Pacific theatre ribbons and the Philippines invasion. He was in the invasion of Okinawa.

Tubbs from her husband, L. H. Tubbs, PR3c, stated that he had been in raids over Tokyo, Iwo Jima, Kyushu, West Honshu, and Okinawa. He is aboard the aircraft carrier U. S. S. Belleau-Wood somewhere in the Pacific.

Myron Namkin, SSc, is taking training as a gunner's mate at the Hawthorne, Nevada, naval base.

1st Lt. A. M. Bannowsky, son of Word received by Mrs. L. H. Mrs. Maude Bannowsky, has

returned to the States after completing his tour of missions in the European theatre of operations. He is now in Tallahassee, Florida, awaiting orders.

Another son, D. A. Bannowsky, has reported to Galveston for further orders, following a 30-day leave from duty in the South Pacific, here with his family and mother. He wears four stars for participation in major battles.

Pvt. Arnold Lange writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lange, that he is now in the Philippines—that he likes the islands fine and has eaten some good watermelons.

Mrs. Eulalia Nicholson is in receipt of a letter from her son, Robert Nicholson, of divisional headquarters Co., telling that two more Ballinger boys, Mess Sgt. Wilson Middleton and Sgt. Charles Shepard, are on their way home. He also told of riding in Goering's bullet-proof car. He is still in the Bavarian Alps in southern Germany, where he won the bronze star in the last days of the German war.

Pvt. Thomas A. Barnes, Jr., son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Caskey, has written his wife here the following account of his injuries sustained near Kassel, Germany, April 1:

"We had just taken part of a town, but had not cleared out one side of it, so ten men and two tanks went up to wipe it out. I was one of these. We had gone one block when one tank was knocked out, then all hell broke loose. When I came to my senses, I was lying on a curb, all the other fellows were killed, and both tanks were knocked out. Also, I was pinned down by a machine gun. I tried to walk, but couldn't. Finally I pulled myself into a cellar where there were wounded Germans, a doctor and a nurse."

Pvt. Barnes stayed there from 6:30 p. m. to 1:00 a. m. before he was found by American medics.

Now able to walk around a little, Pvt. Barnes expects to be all right in time.

Lt. Murrell Landreth has reported to Montgomery, Ala., to await further orders. Mrs. Landreth, the former Jane Cheatham, Mrs. C. W. Cheatham, and Carolyn Cheatham arrived Tuesday evening after driving through from Lincoln, Nebraska.

Cpl. Florence D. Corrigan, of the woman's army corps, was here Tuesday from the recruiting station at Ft. Worth with announcement that the WAC is still in need of recruits. A recruiting team will be in San Angelo from June 24 to June 27.

Pvt. Jimmy Agnew, of Camp Hood, was a week-end visitor in his home here.

Pvt. James W. Gotcher is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Gotcher, of Plevanna. Pvt. Gotcher was inducted from Ballinger and was wounded in action January 11. After his furlough he will return to Brooks General Hospital for further treatment.

Willard L. Patterson, husband of Mrs. Kathryn Patterson, has been promoted from private to private first class for excellent work accomplished while serving with the army services of supply in New Caledonia.

Among the 185,000 men and women of the 8th air force are several Ballinger men who were congratulated by Lt.-Gen. James H. Doolittle, who assumed command of the eighth in January, 1944.

On V-E Day, Gen. Doolittle said in part: "Each of you may be proud of your part in the defeat of Germany. I am proud of you. The world is proud of you."

The 8th air force dropped an average of a ton of bombs every minute of the last twelve months. Airmen of the eighth were the first Americans to attack Germany. Ballinger sons were represented from the first handful of unescorted bombers through V-E Day.

Those still on active duty named include: Lt.-Col. Glynn E. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Williams; 1st Lt. Leonard Scales, husband of Mrs. Wesley Jane Scales and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scales; Sgt. Raymond L. Fulrath, tall gunner, husband of

Mrs. Mary E. Fulrath; 2nd Lt. Marion R. Thomson; and Cpl. Charles W. Canada, husband of Mrs. Norma Canada.

Lt. Austin Crager is at home after 10 months duty as pilot of a B-24 in the Pacific. Based on Morotai in the Halmahera group, Lt. Crager is a veteran of 38 missions. In describing his experiences Lt. Crager said there was not a purple heart awarded in his crew, one of the first to attain this record. He gave the weather credit for being the greatest hazard in that area. Not even one mission was flown by him in which he did not have to use instruments part of the time. Bombings could not be delayed so oftentimes takeoffs were made in blinding rainstorms.

Lt. Crager has six years' army credit, including 2½ years in the national guard. He has four battle stars on his theatre ribbon and four oak leaf clusters to the air medal. After 30 days at home, he will report at Santa Ana, Calif., for rest and reassignment.

Pvt. Steve P. Pasko is at home on furlough from the Childers army air field.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chapman have received word from their son, W. L. ("Pete") Chapman, MOMM2c, that he has sailed for the South Pacific.

Lt. Tommy Allison has completed his tour as a transport pilot in the C-B-I theatre and will return to the States soon.

Mrs. Ross Black Jr. came in Tuesday to make her home with her parents here. Pfc. Black has reported at Chanute Field, Ill., for additional training.

### Former Ballinger Man Killed

Pvt. Edwin Grauke was killed in action in Germany March 15, according to information received by relatives this week. He was in the 3rd army at the time of his death. Survivors include the wife, Dorothy Jo, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Grauke; two sisters, and seven brothers, five of them in the armed forces.

Letters dated May 9 have arrived from Pfc. J. D. Reneau. He told something of the celebration at the cessation of hostilities and said he was in Pilsen, Czechoslovakia. They had met the Russians and all had been turned loose for a brief observance of the event. Pfc. Reneau surmised that his division, the famous second, would be pulled back into Germany soon but said he would rather stay in Czechoslovakia as the people were wonderful to them and happier than the French were when liberated.

Pvt. Robert Walker Evans, son of Mrs. Sadie Evans, is stationed at Camp Walters where he has begun infantry training with special attention to rifles and heavy weapons.

Pvt. Kenneth Ray Dewees, son of Mrs. B. B. Campbell, has been assigned to Camp Walters following induction and has started training as an infantry replacement.

Mrs. B. B. Campbell, in town the past week-end, stated that she had received no direct word from her son, Lawrence Dewees, who has been a German prisoner of war since his capture in Italy. Last reports disclosed he was at Stalag 2-10 and was said to be in the hospital suffering from frozen feet.

Mrs. W. D. Eller has received word that her husband has arrived in the States after a tour of duty overseas.

Miss Lillian McMillan is at home from Taylor, where she taught the past year.

## SOCIETY

### Annual Birthday Party for First Presbyterian Auxiliary

The home of Mrs. Harry Lynn on Seventh Street was opened for the annual birthday party of the First Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary Monday evening.

Dahlias and roses were used about the entire reception suite where Mrs. Lynn, secretary of foreign missions, was assisted by Mmes. J. M. Fyburn, Alex McGregor, and Alex Saunders, in presenting the program theme, "Strengthening the Stakes in the Congo." Mrs. C. R. Stephens gave the devotional prayer and Mrs. Frank Pearce, with Mrs. Saunders' accompaniment, sang "Why Do You Wait?"

At the social hour, Circle Two, of which Mrs. C. B. Bogess is chairman, was hostess. The pretty pink and white decorated cake and the crystal punch bowl were placed at opposite ends of the lace-covered dining table, which was centered with pink and white larkspurs. Mrs. George Holman cut the cake and Mrs. E. W. Stagnely ladled punch. Others present were: Mmes. Chester Cherry, Paul Trimmer, Grace Thomas, E. A. Trull, R. F. Zedlitz, Elma Mann, and Miss Effie B. McMillan.

### O.E.S. Initiation Meeting Receives New Candidates

Ballinger chapter No. 266, Order of Eastern Star, had a called meeting Thursday evening of last week to initiate candidates, Mmes. Inez McIntire and Johnnie Marie Frank.

Mrs. Luna Mae Foy presided as worthy matron and Paul Petty gave the lectures as worthy patron. Other officers were: Mmes. Rachel Boswell, Frances Zedlitz, H. P. Largent, Rama Saunders, Doris Shillingburg, Ione Teague, Herman Huisey, Violet Williams, T. J. McCaughan, Halley Parker, Theima Gabbert, Mary Midgley, H. O. Campbell, Miss Agnes Gieber, Messrs. Largent and H. O. Campbell.

At the social hour Mrs. Teague and Mrs. Zedlitz served punch with cookies.

### Mrs. B. H. Erwin Hostess to Eighth Street Auxiliary

Mrs. B. H. Erwin was hostess to the Eighth Street Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary Monday afternoon in her home on Ninth Street.

Roses, lilies, and potted plants were used about the living rooms. The dining table was centered with a low bowl of nasturtiums and these same blossoms were favors for the plate of cookies and iced tea served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. H. Wiesepape and Ruth Erwin. Mrs. J. D. Coulter led the discussion of "Famous Women of the Bible."

### Three Are Hostesses to Methodist Philathea Class

Mmes. L. M. Bowden, J. W. Castell, and E. L. Rumpy were hostesses to the Methodist Virginia Douglas Class Tuesday evening, entertaining in the church parlors on Tenth Street.

Dahlias, roses, and snapdragons were used for floral decoration of the room and sweet peas were favors for the refreshment plate of sandwiches, cookies, and fruit punch. Mrs. H. G. Agnew gave a devotional on Memorial Day after prayer by Mrs. Edward Sommer. Mrs. Charles van de Putte gave piano illustrations and talked of her work in Music Therapy at McCloskey Hospital.

Others present were: Mmes. J. G. Douglass, Marvin Davies, M. E. McClenney, George Atkinson, A. W. Puckett, Fred Pierce, Allen Davis, and W. O. Irby.

### Garden Party for First Baptist Alathean Class

The beautiful back garden at the home of Mrs. R. E. Truly on Ninth Street was the scene of a meeting of the First Baptist Alathean Class Tuesday evening with Mmes. L. B. Rudder, L. R. Tigner, and Drury Hathaway hostesses with Mrs. Truly.

Arrangements of mixed flowers were given vantage placings against shrubbery and vine trellises where borders and beds of other varieties were in bloom.

Mrs. A. O. Bartlett was presiding officer. Mrs. R. M. Lowry gave the devotional, and prayers were given by Mrs. W. E. Ekins and Mrs. Clarence Morton.

Sandwiches were served with iced tea by the hostesses assisted by Mrs. Marguerite Dow. Others present were: Mmes. J. P. Wear, C. W. Jennings, U. S. Heavenhill, J. A. Williams, William Hill, J. F. Owen, Fred Holliday, C. E. Lowry, Grace Crimm, J. R. McGraw, and R. T. Williams. Theresa Jon Ekins, and Jerry Dow.

### Picnic for Sgt. Patton

Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Patton and relatives recently honored T.-Sgt. Charles H. Patton, who was on furlough after 30 months overseas, with an old-fashioned picnic in City Park.

Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bell and Patricia; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brown and Stephen, of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Priddy, Jr., Michael and Jerry, of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Waldrop, Mrs. J. B. Pirtle, Joan, Bubby and Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Price, Patsy Joe Sealy, Annabelle and Maxie Lee; Misses Billie Brewer, Francis Pruitt, and Ellena Peterson, of Coleman.

### Mrs. Cottelle to Present Recital

Mrs. Simeon Cottelle will present her piano pupils in a studio recital Friday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock in her home on Sixth Street.

### Bobby Zentner will play musical selections on the piano accordion.

### Ethridge-Curbo Nuptials in San Angelo

Marriage vows were exchanged last Saturday at 12:05 o'clock by Miss Wanda Marie Curbo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Curbo, and Bonnie Wayne Ethridge of Goldthwaite, in the Foursquare Church in San Angelo with Rev. Millard F. Parrish officiating for the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a dress of white alpaca with white and blue accessories. For something old she wore a string strand of pearls and for something borrowed, the bride-maid's bracelet.

Miss Ollie Bell Seals was maid of honor and wore a white suit

with blue accessories. Ray Warren of Goldthwaite, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Ethredge will be at home in Brownwood, where Mr. Ethredge is employed by the White Cab Co.

Mrs. van de Putte is Club Hostess. Mrs. Charles van de Putte was hostess to the Ace of Clubs Wednesday afternoon in her home on Tenth Street.

Gladioli and cornflowers decked rooms where a dessert course was served preceding games and coca colas were served during games.

High score prize went to Mrs. H. G. Agnew and bingo awards to Mrs. Marvin Davies and Mrs. W. E. Moss. Others were: Mmes. W. O. Irby, George Atkinson, Edward Sommer, and Alton Underwood.

### Girl Scout News

Lo-Ki-Wo Girl Scouts hiked to City Park last week and made a study of leaves of native trees. They are continuing their activities in arts and crafts, and homemaking.

Frances Watkins and Frances Thomas served muffins to nine members of the Clover troop. These were made as home-making projects.

Bluebonnet members had a routine business session and discussed activities.

Meadowlark members exhibited stuffed health toys which will be sent to Warm Springs, Ga. They distributed Girl Scout handbooks, catalogues, and troop emblems. After a snack Juanel Johnson directed games. Work has been started on community service as five merit badges have been earned.

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**LEGION AUXILIARY POPPY SALE HERE BRINGS IN \$128**

For the first time the American Legion Auxiliary of Ballinger sponsored a Memorial Day poppy sale last Saturday. This year the department of rehabilitation is urging two sales of these small veteran-made flowers as there are so many more being made than ever before. It is another way citizens may help the disabled veteran to help himself as he receives a stipulated amount for each of the flowers made.

Besides this, Auxiliaries send a part of the sales receipts to state and national work of rehabilitation and the greater part of proceeds kept at home is spent in assisting veterans and their families.

Mrs. Carroll Bell and Mrs. Leon

Thomas were assisted by Bluebonnet Girl Scouts in the street sales last Saturday.

Mrs. Walter E. Seipp, W. E. Seipp, Jr. and Nelson Seipp, of Alice, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moncrief the past week-end. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brannon and Ira June, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilbanks, of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Seay, Jackie Sue and Dorothy Ann, of Roswell, N. M.; Sgt. Ray Hood Wilbanks, of Fort Logan, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Curtis and Lana Jean.

**NOTICE**

If the person walking out of bank with purse will keep \$20 and send rest and papers to bank or Ledger office, no questions will be asked. W. J. Halfmann.



**RURAL NEWS**

**NORTON**

Scott Barrett, Sic, left Tuesday for his base at San Francisco, Calif., after having spent the past three days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Barrett. Scott was in the invasion of Okinawa. His ship is the U. S. S. Meriwether.

Sgt. Billy Sharpes and wife left Sunday after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sharpes.

Troy Compton left Monday for Lubbock, where he is to attend Texas Tech.

Mrs. D. E. Compton and Mrs. J. C. Carter spent the week-end visiting Mrs. David N. Compton and son at Plainview. Lt. David N. Compton has been reported missing in action.

Miss Ruth Morgan, who teaches at Fort Stockton, spent the week-end here with her mother. Miss Morgan is to teach in a summer school there also.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Horn and children, of Happy; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lee and son, of Happy; Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, of Longview, spent the week-end visiting their parents and other relatives.

Mrs. Horn, Mrs. Ellis Lee and Mrs. George Lee are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Mackey.

Misses Naomi and Johnnie Ash, who have been attending Howard Payne College, Brownwood, are at home. Johnnie is to spend the summer at home, while Naomi will attend the summer session also.

Mrs. T. R. Setser and Mrs. Jema V. West left Wednesday for Denton to bring Miss Pansy Setser, who has been attending T. S. C. W. home.

**HERRING**

We are still having windy weather with not much prospect of rain which is needed on gardens and some row crops.

The combines are running now, harvesting the oats crop. None of the wheat is ripe yet. The oats yield is a little bigger than some had estimated theirs would be.

We had 53 in Sunday school Sunday. We are hoping we can have this good attendance throughout the summer. Next Sunday is our regular preaching day, also the annual home-coming and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alcorn, of Crews, spent Sunday with his brother, Lonnie, and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Avent spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Whitley and Windel, of Glen Cove, visited Mr. and Mrs. Welby Fuller Sunday.

Mrs. Zula Hale visited relatives last week at Glen Cove, Crews, in this community, and Blanton.

Mmes. Jim Brevard, Thora Kerby and Marvin Hale visited one day last week with Mrs. Mandy Gideon and daughter, Mrs. Edwin Pittard, of Gouldbusk.

Since V-E day in Germany Cpl. Ewing Fuller has written his parents his location and hopes to be able to write more a little later as censorship restrictions are being lightened slowly. He is in occupied Germany.

**4-H CLUB GIRLS HAVE VARIOUS ACTIVITIES**

Runnels county 4-H club girls get a number of things done besides going to school, as shown by reports received in the office of the county home demonstration agent.

Having the responsibility of seeing that the garden is planted and cared for, or at least helping with it, caring for chickens, helping with the milking and feeding, and helping with the field work is food production up to now.

In housework and home improvement work and sewing the reports include preparing meals, washing the dishes, cleaning house, ironing, papering rooms, painting floors, woodwork and furniture, cleaning yards and planting flowers. Sewing gives the most definite amounts, so far as numbers are concerned. There have been 635 articles of wearing apparel and household linens made this year.

The Olfen club made as an extra project 54 pairs of hospital slippers for army hospitals.

Part of the girls in the Rowena Junior club wanted to wear green aprons and caps with white dresses when they served the banquet for the seniors; no green material was available, so the girls dyed their material and made their aprons, getting some experience in dyeing and sewing as well as having what they wanted.

Ora Mae Rohmfeld, of the Rowena senior club, is gold star girl nominee of the club. No other nominees have been reported.

**CLUB WOMEN OF COUNTY MAKE YARD IMPROVEMENTS**

"If you want a thing bad enough and work at it long enough, you can usually get it," is what Mrs. V. A. White, of the Victory home demonstration club, will tell you if you say something just can't be done about the place. And Mrs. B. M. Batts will probably tell you the same thing.

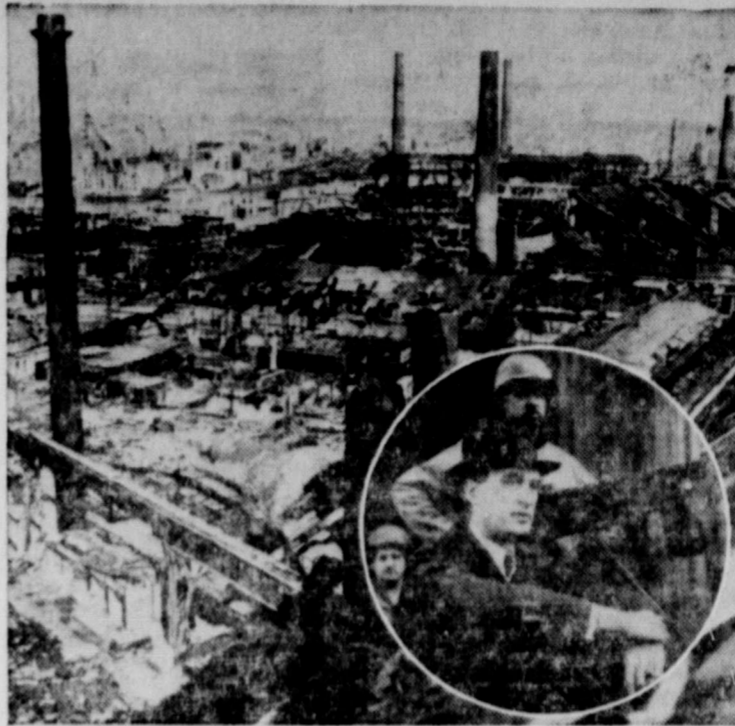
Mrs. White wanted something done to her house and yard, but the house first and this year the yard. In making her plan of work Mrs. White found she would not need to buy a large number of plants, as she had some she could use. After cutting down a tree the yard was leveled and made ready for other work. Walks have been laid, trellises made for roses, and grass planted. In the fall the few shrubs needed will be set out and the yard will be about complete.

Mrs. Batts, of the South Ballinger club, wanted a place for an outdoor living room and fireplace or barbecue pit and the only space available would need a lot of work, but the work did not stop Mrs. Batts. She just enlisted the family and went to work. Mrs. Batts helped build the fence around the back yard and space for fireplace, etc. She and Betty Lou hauled the sand and soil needed and then set the grass and shrubs.

With favorable weather conditions, both Mrs. White and Mrs. Batts will have beautiful yards at little expense, but of course much hard work. These are just two examples out of many that could be given of what Runnels county club women are doing.

Pay-day is bond-buying day.

**Krupp Munition Plant Wrecked**



View showing the ruins of what was the world's largest armament works, the Krupp plant in Essen, Germany. It was captured by American forces. Insert, Alfred Krupp.

**FORMER BALLINGER MAN LIBERATED BY RUSSIANS**

The Red Cross has notified Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Waldrop that their son, T-Sgt. Hubert Waldrop, has been liberated from a German prison camp. This week the first letter from the son was received by the parents since November 9. It was written from France on May 15 and read as follows:

"I hope all are well at home. I am fine and have put on extra weight, so you see I still love myself."

"All this seems a dream after being behind barbed-wire for sixteen months. I feel lost without guns pointing at me. The Russians got to our camp on May 1. We had already taken over our camp the day before so you see we were waiting to be liberated."

"No need for you to write me as I hope to be in the States soon and will be home before June has passed."

**GRINDSTAFF IS SPEAKER AT ROTARY CLUB MEETING**

Judge E. C. Grindstaff was the speaker for the meeting of the Ballinger Rotary Club Tuesday noon, speaking on Runnels county. He devoted some time to the origin of county government and showed its place in assistance to state affairs.

He praised Runnels county for its progressiveness, its citizenship, and closed with the statement that the youth of the county was its greatest asset.

In the first three years of war the United States poured about 60,000,000 board feet of lumber into the conflict.

**Two Fires Today Damage Store And Destroy Residence**

Ballinger firemen were called on to fight two fires at the same time this (Thursday) morning at 10:45. The first alarm was for the Broadway Food Market where a blaze originated in the grease rendering and storage room at the rear of the market.

Employees had been rendering government grease and the room was in flames when discovered. Damage to the store is still not determined. The storage room was destroyed as well as stock and equipment in it and the store will have some smoke and water damage.

While firemen were at the grocery store a second alarm was turned in for the home of Jasper Shields, corner of Thirteenth Street and Park Avenue. Within a short time this residence burned to the ground. Very little of the contents was saved.

The residence was the property of Mrs. Myrtle Shuffield and Mr. Shields and two daughters were living in it. It was formerly the C. O. Harris home.

George Stowe, formerly high school principal here, has been employed by the public schools of El Paso and will move there at once to begin his work. He will be in the administrative offices. For the past few years he has been superintendent at Mertzon.

Buy bonds every pay period.

**WOODFOOT DISCHARGED TO MAKE HOME HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Woodroof will return to Ballinger shortly to make their home. Mr. Woodroof, with the coast guard for the past more than two years, has been discharged and will return here to resume his business and to make his home in Ballinger. Recently he has been stationed at Charleston, South Carolina.

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Subscribers of this paper are invited to read carefully four constitutional amendments being published for the next three weeks. These amendments are being printed in a newspaper in each county of the state for a period of four weeks in order that citizens may study them and be prepared to cast intelligent ballots when they are submitted in the general election. Everyone interested in good state government should study the proposals, discuss points not clear with others who do understand them, and make up their minds whether they will vote yes or no when they go to the polls. Generally the number of votes cast on amendments is a very small fraction of the total votes, indicating that many people are not well informed and therefore do not vote. These amendments will become laws if a majority favors them and they should be thoroughly understood by all citizens.

Sunday will be observed as Decoration Day here, with the local American Legion post in charge of the program at Evergreen Cemetery. This is a service which all patriotic Americans should attend, probably for more reasons than ever this year. To be decorated Sunday are a number of graves of men who gave their lives in the present war and the program will honor all who fell on foreign fields. Programs of this kind are perhaps better not held if only a small number of relatives and friends are the only ones who take the time to attend. Show your appreciation of the sacrifice of men who have fallen in battle by honoring them with your presence Sunday.

The final month of the 7th war loan drive is about to begin and

so far the job in Runnels county is only started. During June all citizens must buy to their limit in order to reach the quota set for this county. Of most worry to the committee is the sale of series E bonds, which must be bought by individuals. The time is slipping by and so far purchases have been slow.

**21 Runnels County Men Are Accepted By Army and Navy**

The Runnels county draft board reveals that 21 men have been inducted into the armed forces and assigned to various branches. Of the total 17 went to the army, 3 to the navy and one to the marine corps.

Other contingents are to leave here this week, one large group for induction and another for first physicals. The group for induction was reduced when an order was received that no men over 30 were to be included in future quotas. Names of men leaving this week will not be released until they have passed final physicals and been accepted.

The following were reported to have been inducted this week:

- Army**  
Thomas Orben Jameson  
Watson Chester Briley  
Martin Luther Cooke  
William Marshall Harrison  
Leonard Loushion Conner  
Marvin Gerhard Onken  
James Horace Sprott  
Robert Mayfield  
Otto Laura Diaz  
Galo Alfaro  
Julius Vergil Holubec  
Jarrell Matthews Giles  
Albert Porter Baker  
Fred Houston Brown  
Garland Joe Sherran  
Edwin Bernard Zly  
Bobby Wayne Foreman
- Navy**  
Dean Hampton Thomas  
J. D. Long  
Victor John Schwertner
- Marine Corps**  
Doyle Renfro Pumphrey

**Local Banks to Observe Holiday June 4**

Ballinger banks will not be open on Jefferson Davis' Birthday, June 4. Patrons of these institutions are asked to take notice and transact any necessary banking business in advance of this date.

The First National Bank  
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Mrs. Emmett DeVolin and Joann DeVolin have returned to their home at Marfa after a visit in the George Atkinson home.

Mrs. Victor Miller and son, Robert, left Sunday for Ann Arbor, Michigan, for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wingo.

**Devastation Caused by Rocket Bombs on London**



This area of devastation was caused by a single V-2 rocket bomb that struck London's Stratford street. Dead 2,754, injured 6,523, was the toll reported in England. Allied armies report that they are equipped to turn rocket bombs loose on Tokyo and other centers of Japanese empire. This photo was just released, following lifting of veil on the final German desperation campaign. Churchill revealed that 1,050 of these missiles had fallen on England prior to March 27, 1945.



**WEST TEXAS NOTES**

More than 100 Boy Scouts of the Sweetwater area are expected to attend the Lake Sweetwater camp June 4-9. Facilities of the camp have been greatly improved and include conversion of the cabin into a dining room and kitchen. The program will include swimming, games, hiking, handicraft, Scoutercraft, nature lore, volleyball, baseball, and other activities.

Early reports on the 7th war loan in McCulloch county give evidence that will go well over the top according to Otto Frederick, of Brady, chairman. Workers are busy in each community and pledges are being made by purchasers of series E bonds, particularly the Brady Rotary Club sponsored motion pictures of the marine corps at a special show last week, at which the audience pledged the purchase of \$54,000 in bonds.

The Roy Shelby post of the American Legion at Menard is planning a memorial for veterans of World War I and World War II. Plans will be completed and committees organized at a meeting this week.

Roy Treadaway, fireman first class, of Miles, was one of the survivors of the U. S. S. Franklin disaster. At first reported missing, he telephoned his parents that he was all right and was in the States.

Capt. Edgil W. Richardson has been liberated from a Nazi prison camp, according to word received by Mrs. Richardson, the former Miss Gladys Cervenka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cervenka, of Rowena.

Bond buying in Coleman and Coleman county has been slow but a creditable showing has been made in the purchase of series E bonds. A special bond theatre party has been arranged for June

6, the first anniversary of D-Day.

With a working crew engaged and now on the job the Southwest Natural Gas Co. has underway a large program of improvements in Stephenville. The project, which includes intermediate pressure loops around the city, a large new 6-inch line downtown and the installation of three additional low pressure regulators, represents a cash outlay of \$10,000.

The Point Rock wool warehouse had appraisal on 130,000 pounds of 1945 wool last week with only two clips going below 40 cents and the average probably 42 1/2 cents net.

The new and modern frozen food lockers plant at Comanche was opened for public inspection last Saturday with an open house.

Saturday, June 9, has been designated as Bond Day for Win-

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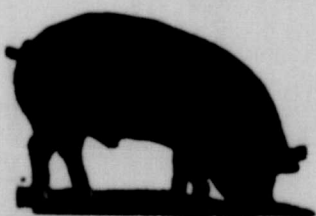
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**MRS. DOW COMPLETES ANAESTHETIST COURSE**

Mrs. Marguerite Dow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Truly, has just completed a nine months' course in anaesthesia at Baylor Hospital, Dallas.

Mrs. Dow received her nurse's training at Baylor Hospital and has done hospital and private nursing since she received her degree as a registered nurse.

After a two-weeks vacation visit here, she and her son, Jerry, will go to Dallas to live where she has accepted a position as anaesthetist at the Methodist Hospital. After the state board examination on June 4, Mrs. Dow will be a member of the American Anaesthetic Association.

**RUNNELS COUNTY BOYS LEAVE FOR INDUCTION**

A large crowd was at the Central Hotel Monday morning to bid goodbye to more than 20 youths of this county who were leaving for San Antonio to be inducted into the armed forces. All the boys had taken physicals some weeks ago. Following a check-up at Fort Sam Houston the youths

will be assigned to training areas and the names will be released as soon as they get instructions for training.

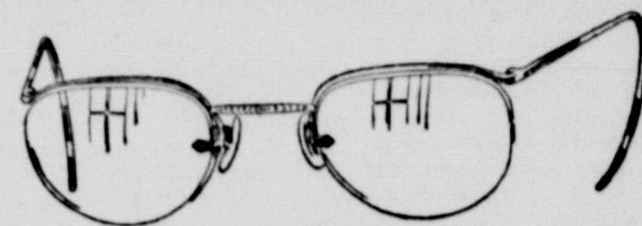
J. D. Wilson, new Ballinger school superintendent, was here the first of the week to attend to business. He said he had rented the Joe Ostertag residence on Sixth Street and would move his family here on July 2.

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**Chaplain Johnson Writes of V-E Day In LeHavre, France**

Chaplain John C. Johnson, lieutenant at the U. S. naval base headquarters at LeHavre, France, writes this description of the Victory Day celebration there May 8 in a recent letter to Mrs. Johnson at Georgetown, where she and their three children are living for the duration. Lt. Johnson was formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here.

"Yesterday was a day of great rejoicing. We knew well that all was over and the elation ran high even though the official announcements were not due to be made until 3 p. m. That must have been about 9 a. m. your time if you use the double daylight saving time there. By 3 p. m. we were all lined up for a victory parade. The plans had been laid two weeks or more ago and every outfit knew its place. First marched the local French army outfits, then two battalions of American soldiers, then the navy. I was on the regimental staff so was in the second line of all the naval forces. There were almost a thousand sailors and officers in that. Then came more army, British navy, returned French prisoners of war, and every other organization of Frenchmen that wanted in a parade. It was the first real parade held here in five years and streets were lined with people every inch of the way for the seven miles we marched. The parade itself was so long that it took a solid hour for it to pass the reviewing stand. As it took two hours to make the whole route that means that the parade was three or more miles in length. The French civilians cheered until their voices were gone, and we walked until our feet were sore. But, it is a day that comes only once in a lifetime, so no one minded the parading.

"Last night the sky was beautiful to behold. Every ship, and every person that had a colored flare to shoot, shot it. I was so tired that I went to sleep about ten-thirty (just after dark) and didn't wake until 7:40 this morning. I do remember waking once or twice to hear the blowing of whistles and the roar of guns, and the shouting of happy people still going on until I know not what hour. America probably was a scene of great confusion and noise; but if there was ever a people who had reason to rejoice and make noise on a day of victory it is these who have felt war at first hand rather than those who have lived so far from it.

"The streets are all gayly decorated with flags of all nations. I have no idea where they could have obtained all the flags when cloth is as scarce as it is, but flags they had, American, British, Russian, French in great profusion. Every girl from the year old babe in arms to the grandmother had a red, white and blue rosette in her hair or on her lapel, and each boy or man a similar rosette on his lapel. Hands were full of small flags which were waved as voices roared or screamed, 'Vive Americanes!' and 'Vive marines!' The French word for sailors is marines.

"And today, which is, properly speaking, V-E Day, there is something of a let-down. Not that people rejoice any the less, except that with us there is the feeling that all is over here, 'so now what?' We know that it will be so time before things get far enough along for us to think of coming home. We have lived for the day when we would get orders to return."



**Think on These Things**

by Richard Robbins Minister Eighth Street Church of Christ

Apollo's case in Acts 18:25 shows that one may be generally right and earnestly working, yet be wrong in a point vital to the very results he is trying to produce. The only error charged to him was a lack of knowledge—he knew "only the baptism of John." We must not conclude that there was anything wrong about John's baptism when administered by him. Those baptized by John were required to believe on Christ when he came. Before his ascension to heaven, Jesus commanded men to be baptized "into" the names of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Matt. 28:19. After Christ commanded baptism in his own name, John's was no longer valid. Hence, obedience to it was invalid. General Bible knowledge, eloquence, learning and fervency of spirit will not compensate for being mistaken about a matter Jesus makes necessary to salvation. Those who imagine that piety will condone a mistake about baptism are wrong. The case of Apollo is proof. It is no practical importance to learn of mistakes unless we are willing to correct them. Apollo promptly changed when his error was pointed out. So did the twelve at Ephesus. So should all others.

**Sgt. Ed Curry Loses 70 Pounds Weight While Nazi Prisoner**

T-Sgt. Ed Curry arrived here the past week-end to join his wife, the former Miss Camille Behringer, and they will be here about six weeks before he reports at Hot Springs, Ark., for examination and reassignment. For several months Sgt. Curry was a prisoner of the Germans and during that time tramped over a wide area of Germany before his liberation. He was captured a few days before Christmas last year in what is known as the Belgian bulge, an offensive staged by the enemy which was successful for a few days.

Sgt. Curry does not paint the picture of a prisoner of war too bright and the fact that he lost 70 pounds from December to April 13, tells something of the treatment. After he and other Americans were captured they were marched a short distance before entering the first camp, stopping there only briefly. They were then loaded into box cars and for three days and nights, 72 hours, fifty men were crowded into cars which were supposed to accommodate forty, and left all this time without food or water.

They were taken to the border of Czechoslovakia and held until February, when they began a 700-mile march which ended back in western Germany at a point where they were liberated. One-eighth of a loaf of bread, a little so-called soup made up their rations. Other conditions were in about the same proportion and no part of it was easy.

Back in western Germany they received the news of the approach of Americans and during that time the attitude of the guards changed considerably. Finally on April 12 a jeep and several tanks with Americans in them rolled into the camp and the prisoners were freed. Curry said he had never kissed a man but the 6 foot 3 sergeant pulled the jeep driver out of his seat and gave him the proper greeting.

The liberated men were flown back of the lines and finally were flown to LeHavre, where they caught a boat to the United States.

**SMALL GRAIN FIELD MEETING SLATED SATURDAY MORNING ON A. C. MINZENMAYER PLACE**

Grain growers and others are invited to attend a field meeting on the farm of A. C. Minzenmayer Saturday morning, June 2, from 10 to 11 o'clock.

In this visit growers will see four kinds of combine oats growing and just about ready for harvest. Another demonstration will be that of Comanche and Tenmar wheat.

Special interest is being shown now, stated County Agent John A. Barton, in combine crops, and in this field visit one will see the following named combine oats: Fultex, Stanton, Fulgrain and Victory.

The two leading wheats for this section, Comanche and Tenmar, can be observed growing side by side.

The Minzenmayer farm is located in the southwest end of the Poe community, some 11 miles from Winters, 17 miles from Ballinger, and 6 miles northeast of Norton, along Valley Creek.

Mr. Minzenmayer and Mr. Barton will have charge of the farm tour starting promptly at 10 a. m. Saturday, June 2.

**BALLINGER ROTARIANS VISIT SAN ANGELO CLUB**

The Ballinger Rotary Club was in charge of the program for the San Angelo Rotary Club last Friday noon. From the local club were Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davies, E. B. Kirg and E. Shepperd.

Mrs. Charles van de Putte presented the program for the Ballinger club on music therapy, giving a lecture and piano demonstration of the work she has been doing at McCloskey General Hospital, Temple, several months.

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Mrs. George Holliday and Mrs. Francis Holliday, of Dallas, are here for a visit with Mrs. Mattie Holliday and other relatives.

About 98 per cent of the wood products of the South, one of the most important forest areas commercially, comes from second growth timber.

Pay-day is bond-buying day.

S. J. R. No. 8

**A JOINT RESOLUTION** proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for a Supreme Court of nine members; prescribing their qualifications; and providing for their election, tenure of office and compensation.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

**Section 1.** That Section 2 of Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

**Article 5, Section 2.** The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, any five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five shall be necessary to a decision of a case; provided, that when the business of the court may require, the court may sit in sections as designated by the court to hear argument of causes and to consider applications for writs of error or other preliminary matters. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election, a citizen of the United States and of this state, and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty-five years, and shall have been a practicing lawyer, or a lawyer and judge of a court of record together at least ten years. Said Justices shall be elected (three of them each two years) by the qualified voters of the state at a general election; shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified, and

shall each receive such compensation as shall be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of any Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for state officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the state. The Justices of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their term of office under the present Constitution, and until their successors are elected and qualified. The Judges of the Commission of Appeals who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall become Associate Justices of the Supreme Court and each shall continue in office as such Associate Justices of the Supreme Court until January 1st next preceding the expiration of the term to which he has been appointed and until his successor shall be elected and qualified.

**Sec. 2.** Said proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in August, 1945, at which election each voter opposing said proposed amendment shall scratch off the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed on said ballot:

**"FOR** the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members;" and each voter favoring said proposed amendment shall scratch off the ballot in the same manner the following words printed on said ballot:

**"AGAINST** the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

**Sec. 3.** The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and said election held as provided by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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# Women's, Society and Club News

## Maurine Bernard is Bride of Lt. Rowan in Chapel Ceremony

Mrs. Maurine Bernard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Duncan, became the bride of Lt. Justin Michael Rowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Rowan of Athens, Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Goodfellow Field chapel at San Angelo with First Lieutenant Aaron Backus, post chaplain, reading the double ring ceremony in the presence of relatives and close friends.

Tall baskets of calla lilies, daisies, and carnations stood before background arrangements of other flowers in the soft pastels to form the pretty altar decoration.

Cpl. Al Walma, chapel organist, gave a program of pre-nuptial numbers and played the traditional Lohengrin and Mendelssohn marches for the processional and recessional.

Miss Dorothy Brunson attended the bride as maid of honor. She wore a frock of navy sheer and hat of navy with chartreuse trim. Other accessories were of navy and chartreuse and her corsage was of tansman roses.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Bill Duncan, of Eden, wore a cardigan suit of white light weight wool.

Her hat was a small chartreuse sailor and other accessories were white. Her corsage was fashioned of bird of paradise blossoms. Lt. Dan Carson, of the Abilene Army Air Base, was best man.

Mrs. Rowan is a graduate of Ballinger High School and of San Angelo Junior College. Before entering training as a cadet nurse, she was employed at the L. R. Tigner Jewelry Co.

Lt. Rowan received his degree from North Texas State Teachers' College at Denton and did post graduate work at the law school of the University of Texas. He received his pilot's wings and commission with class 42-1 at Kelly Field after primary training at Uvalde and basic at Goodfellow. He has been stationed at Goodfellow Field and is now on terminal leave and will receive his discharge June 20.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Duncan, Mrs. Bill Duncan and children, Miss Elverie Sorrells, Mmes. Roy Phelps, Guy Lively, Jr., Robert Jay, Vera Hull, and A. E. Sheldon; and Billy Butler.

Naomi Missionaries Entertain Class and Husbands  
Missionaries of the First Baptist Naomi Class were hostesses at an

enjoyable affair last Friday evening for other class members and their husbands.

The lovely back garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Black on Third Street was the scene of the "round-up." Festivities began with the chuck wagon supper served camp style from a table fashioned from a wagon wheel. The invocation was given by Judge E. C. Grindstaff, and Mrs. J. T. Hornburg, teacher, gave the devotional. Old fashioned group games gave hilarious entertainment.

Hostesses were: Mmes. Black, Grindstaff, Joe Vaughan, W. J. Hembree, J. H. Endacott, W. E. Elkins, Joe Forrester, W. A. McDonald, C. E. Maedgen, Naomi Keithley, and E. D. Lovelady.

Others present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Herman Scoggins, Ted Whitehead, Stanley Price, Cam Blackmon, John Castor, Earl Cope, Alton Underwood, R. M. Bird, Mrs. T. W. Cox; Messrs. Vaughan, Hembree, Endacott, Elkins, Forrester, Maedgen, McDonald, and Lovelady; Lillian Keithley, Theresa Jon Elkins, Bobby Joe Moody of Pyote, and Carl Black, Jr.

## Birthday Party for Lee Atkinson

Lee Atkinson was guest of honor on her fourth birthday anniversary when her mother, Mrs. George Atkinson, was assisted by her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Lee, in giving a party for her last Saturday afternoon at their home in Wilke Terrace.

After games, the birthday cake, which was wed in white and decorated in pink with tiny pink candles, was served with ice cream cones. Whistles were favors.

Children included were: Gwen Davies, Jon Schnable, Suzanne van de Putte, Margaret Ann Adair, Jane Nixon, Lucia Clark, Olen Morrison, Buzze and Barton Underwood, Russ Buckley, Martha Kay Northington, Susan and Lynn Herring, Marcia and Michael Murchison, and Miles Malone. Other grown-ups present were: Mmes. Marvin Davies, Paul Trimmier, J. A. Schnable, Philip Evans, H. H. Sharp, and Emmett De Volin and Joann De Volin of Marfa.

## Outing at Country Club Shack for Group

Mary Lynn, Marjorie McGregor, Natlyne Williams, Peggy McGregor, and Pat Richards are spending this week at the Lynn-McGregor shack at the country club.

## Picnic and Swim Party Honors Don Williams

Don Williams was honor guest at an informal farewell courtesy Saturday evening on the Concho River near Paint Rock.

After a swim, a picnic supper was enjoyed. Others were: Char-

lotte Miller, June Wright, Dorothy Holliday, Betty Jean Underwood, Mary Brian Woody, Virginia Baker, and Pauline Witter; Bob Northington, Johnny Earnshaw, Earl Moreland, Tom Lipscomb, Walter Midgley, and Junior Currie.

## Piano Class Presented in Home Recital

Miss Maggie Underwood teacher of piano, presented her pupils in an informal studio recital last Friday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Tuckey on Seventh Street with parents and a few added friends included as guests.

Vari-colored garden flowers graced rooms where pupils played piano solo and duet numbers. Small Sharon Tuckey, who is just five years old, was given special recognition as the youngest performer.

After the program Mary Brian Woody laddled punch from the lace-covered dining table which was centered with an arrangement of yellow and white snapdragons and queen anne's lace. Dian Tuckey served cookies.

Others on the program were Jon Edwin Schnable, Billy Crockett, Sally Bailey, Peggy Warren, Mona Jackson, Wanda Mae Smith, Theresa Jon Elkins, Dian Tuckey, Gwen Williams, Dorothy Daugherty, Joan Vestal, Patricia Caudle, Joe Moore, Betty Jo Middleton, Wilma Lois Duke, Cynthia Tuckey, Mary Jo Forman, and Anita Wade.

## Mrs. Kreyer Gives Studio Recital

Mrs. Edith Miller Kreyer of San Angelo, presented her Ballinger pupils of piano and voice and a few from San Angelo in a studio recital on Thursday evening of last week in the C. S. Miller home on Fifth Street. Guests were parents and friends.

Tall baskets of roses and lilies with queen anne's lace and other vantage placings of floral arrangements gave added beauty to spacious rooms where the program of vocal and piano music was given by James Lee Underwood, Charles Millier, Jr., Carl Black, Jr., Billie Sue Wood, Charlene Parish, Jimmy Williams, Junior Henderson, Gwen Morgan, Louietta Haines, Charlotte Miller, and Milton Clayton. Included were numbers by an 8-voice chorus of girls.

Charlotte Miller and Gwen Morgan were assisted by Mrs. Charles Miller and Mrs. Felton Wright in serving punch with cookies.

## Methodist W. S. C. S. Circles Meet

Circles of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service met in three groups Monday afternoon. Mmes. J. L. Davis and W. W. Chastain were hostesses to Burrows members in the home of Mrs. Chastain. Roses and lilies graced rooms where Mrs. W. E. Midgley gave the Bible lesson.

## "The Christian Manner of Life" Grace"

Attractive year-books, made by Mmes. O. R. Lasater, Tom Medien, Clinton A. Glover, and John Barton, were presented. Rosebuds were favors for the refreshment plate of ice cream and cake. Others present were: Mmes. John Weeks, Troy Simpson, and Miss Thelma Midgley.

Mmes. O. R. O'Neill and M. L. Setzer entertained the Gressett circle in the church parlors on Tenth Street with daisies giving floral decoration. Mrs. Elma Mann was presiding officer and Mrs. J. W. Guynes directed the Bible study. A sandwich plate was served with cookies and iced tea. Others present were: Mmes. Tom

Caudle, D. L. Vestal, A. T. Campbell, R. D. Midgley, R. A. Dickinson, Sam Behringer, and J. B. Striplin.

The home of Mrs. J. A. Schnable in Wilke Terrace was the scene of the Sally Odom meeting with Mrs. Levy Lee co-hostess. Daisies and roses were arranged with corn flowers to deck rooms. Mrs. H. B. Loyd directed the business period and Mrs. Fred Middleton led the study. Mrs. Lee, accompanied by Mrs. Charles van de Putte, sang "Lead Me All the Way." Hostesses served frosted punch with cookies. Others present were: Mmes. Marvin Davies, W. O. Irby, E. L. Rampy, and M. E. McClenney; Jon Schnable, Suzanne van de Putte, Gwen Davies, and

Tipton Lee.

## SCRAP PAPER DRIVE GETS LITTLE RESULTS

The scrap paper drive here last Saturday brought in the least amount ever collected, only one truckload being picked up in the city-wide canvass. Boy Scouts gathering the paper believe many people did not realize the drive was to made Saturday.

The Scouts call attention of the public that the last Saturday in each month is collection day and everyone is urged to save paper and have bundles ready at that time.

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**FOR SALE**—1940 Chevrolet pickup. Telephone 1238. 11

**FOR SALE**—Two wheel trailer, steel bed, steel frame. See D. G. Posey. 31-1f

Would like to have someone ride and share expenses to Waco Thursday, June 7, 1306 Ninth. 31-1f

**ROWENA HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB**

The Rowena home demonstration club held an all-day meeting May 30, with 20 members present. Miss Ozzie Folkes, county home demonstration agent, demonstrated the making of processed cottage cheese. Discussions were held on prevention of accidents in the home, and color combinations and accessories.

Mrs. Bill Schwertner was in charge of the recreation period. At noon a covered dish luncheon was served.

The next meeting will be an all-day meeting, on June 27, at which Miss Folkes will make foundation patterns.

**OLDFEN 4-H CLUB**  
Oldfen 4-H club girls held their regular May meeting on Tuesday of last week. Miss Ozzie Folkes, county home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on making

various kinds of flowers. Reports were heard from various members on work accomplished in recent months.

County Agent John A. Barton showed pictures which included scenes from Iwo Jima, jet-propelled P-59A planes, activities in Europe, and other war scenes.

Mary Brian Woody, who underwent major surgery this week, is improving nicely today.

Mrs. Jack Nixon, Sr., medical patient, is reported to be improving.

Kenneth Doss, of Lowake, who was operated on Sunday, is doing nicely.

Charles Manske was operated on Monday at the Bailey hospital and is doing very well.

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The condition of Mrs. Edward Davis, operated on Friday, has been good this week.

Eugene Rollowitz is recovering slowly from burns sustained several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Burns are the parents of a son, born at the Bailey clinic Wednesday. Mrs. Burns and the baby are doing nicely.

Curtis Fletcher, who underwent surgery Friday, was able to return home Wednesday.

Miss Helen Brewer is spending a week at home before returning to Odessa, where she will be employed for the summer.

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<b>Point Free</b>	<b>Point Free</b>
<b>Tea</b> Canterbury Orange Pekoe and Pekoe 1/2-Lb. Pkg. <b>22¢</b>	<b>Juice</b> White House Apple Juice 24-Oz. Bot. <b>16¢</b>
<b>Tea</b> Pennant Orange Pekoe and Pekoe 1/2-Lb. Pkg. <b>18¢</b>	<b>Juice</b> Fall a'Gold Orange Juice No. 2 Can <b>20¢</b>
<b>Coffee</b> Edwards Rich Robust 1-Lb. Jar <b>28¢</b>	<b>Bread</b> Julia Lee Wright's Dated 24-Oz. Loaf <b>11¢</b>
<b>Airway Coffee</b> 2 1-Lb. Pkg. <b>41¢</b>	<b>Flour</b> Kitchen Craft Finest Quality 10-Lb. Bag <b>45¢</b>
<b>Tenderleaf Tea</b> 1/2-Lb. Pkg. <b>24¢</b>	<b>Flour</b> Gold Medal Kitchen Tested 10-Lb. Bag <b>55¢</b>
<b>Syrup</b> Sleepy Hollow Rich in the Real Maple 16-Oz. Bot. <b>21¢</b>	<b>Grape-Nuts</b> 12-Oz. Pkg. <b>13¢</b>
<b>Tomato Puree</b> 4 1/2-Oz. Can <b>4¢</b>	<b>Shreddies</b> N.E.C. 12-Oz. Pkg. <b>12¢</b>
<b>Carrots</b> Del Monte No. 383 Jar <b>14¢</b>	<b>Corn Flakes</b> Kellogg's 18-Oz. Pkg. <b>12¢</b>
<b>Diced Beets</b> Del Monte No. 301 Jar <b>13¢</b>	<b>Apple Vinegar</b> Fresh's Pure 9-Oz. Bot. <b>15¢</b>
<b>Baby Foods</b> Cloggs Strained Reg. Can <b>7¢</b>	<b>Mustard</b> Prepared 9-Oz. Jar <b>13¢</b>
<b>Baby Limas</b> Cello Pack 1-Lb. Pkg. <b>14¢</b>	<b>Swan Soap</b> If Floats 3-Lb. Box <b>29¢</b>
<b>Pinto Beans</b> Cello Pack 1-Lb. Pkg. <b>11¢</b>	<b>Super Suds</b> Washing Powder 24-Oz. Pkg. <b>23¢</b>
<b>Blue Rose Rice</b> 1-Lb. Cello <b>11¢</b>	<b>Old Dutch</b> Cleanser 2-Lb. Can <b>15¢</b>

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Juice Town House Grapefruit (10 Points) No. 2 Can <b>12¢</b>	Emerald Bay Spinach (10 Blue Points) No. 2 Can <b>13¢</b>	Lakeland White Corn (20 Points) 12-Oz. Can <b>14¢</b>

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<b>Cheese</b> Sliced Loaf (12 Points) Lb. <b>35¢</b>	<b>Fat Backs</b> Dry Salt (5 Points) Lb. <b>15¢</b>
<b>Frankfurters</b> (16 Pts.) Lb. <b>32¢</b>	<b>Chili</b> (5 Points) 1-Lb. Pkg. <b>35¢</b>
<b>Salami</b> Sliced (6 Points) Lb. <b>29¢</b>	
<b>Braunsweiger</b> Sliced (13 Pts.) Lb. <b>37¢</b>	
<b>Bologna</b> Sliced or Piece (4 Points) Lb. <b>29¢</b>	

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