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S. J. R. No. 5  
**A JOINT RESOLUTION**  
 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to appropriate Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization of the Governor of Texas on August 31, 1937.  
**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
 Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section as follows:

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H. J. R. No. 62  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**  
 proposing an Amendment to Article III of the constitution of the State of Texas by the addition of a new Section to be known as Section 49-b, creating a Veteran's Land Board and establishing a Veteran's Land Fund; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.  
**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
 Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 49-b which shall read as follows:  
 Section 49-b. There is hereby created a board to be known as the Veteran's Land Board, which shall be composed of the Governor, the Attorney General, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office. The Legislature shall provide by law for the issuance by said Board of not to exceed Twenty-five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the Veteran's Land Fund. Such bonds shall be executed by said Board as an obligation of the State of Texas in such form, denominations, and upon such terms as shall be prescribed by law, provided however, that said bonds shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three per cent (3%) per annum.  
 "In the sale of any such bonds a preferential right of purchase shall be given to the administrators of the various teacher retirement funds, the Permanent University funds, and the Permanent Free School Funds; such bonds to be issued only as needed, in the opinion of the Veteran's Land Board under Legislative authorization.  
 "The Veteran's Land Fund shall be used by the board for the sole purpose of purchasing lands suitable for the purpose hereinafter stated, situated in this State (a) owned by the United States or any governmental agency thereof; (b) owned by the Texas Prison System, or any other governmental agency of the State of Texas; or (c) owned by any person, firm, or corporation.  
 "All lands thus purchased shall be acquired at the lowest price obtainable, by paid for in cash, and shall be a part of the Veter-

"FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTED FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE"; and  
 "AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTED FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE."  
 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 sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the state, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

H. J. R. No. 10  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**  
 proposing an Amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Section 62 providing a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; limiting the amount contributed by the State to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits hereunder from receiving other direct aid from the State; authorizing counties to provide and administer such a Fund for appointive county officers and employees after favorable vote in a county election for such purpose; limiting the amount contributed by the county to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits from said Fund from receiving other direct aid from the State; and providing for an election, necessary form of ballot, and publication on the question of adoption of this Amendment.  
**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
 Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 62, which shall read as follows:  
 "Sec. 62 (a). The Legislature shall have the right to levy taxes to provide for a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; provided that the amount contributed by the State to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per cent-

um (5%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the State, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$180) for any such person.  
 "All funds provided from the compensation of such person, or by the State of Texas, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the Treasury of the State of Texas, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of which is guaranteed by the United States, provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the county, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."  
 Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1946, (being the 5th day thereof) at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:  
 "FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE A RETIREMENT, DISABILITY AND DEATH COMPENSATION SYSTEM FOR THE APPOINTIVE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE OF TEXAS," and  
 "AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE A RETIREMENT, DISABILITY AND DEATH COMPENSATION SYSTEM FOR THE APPOINTIVE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE OF TEXAS."  
 Each voter shall scratch one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment.  
 Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.  
 "According to an opinion by the Attorney General of Texas.

H. J. R. No. 69  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**  
 proposing an Amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 7a"; providing that the subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from the taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicles registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; and, provided, however, that the net revenue derived by counties from motor vehicle registration fees shall never be less than the maximum amounts allowed to be retained by each County and the percentage allowed to be retained by each County under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; and negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose.  
 Sec. 2. The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the General Election to be held in November, 1946, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:  
 "FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; and, provided, however, that the net revenue derived by counties from motor vehicle registration fees shall never be less than the maximum amounts and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot, and providing for the proclamation of the election and the publication thereof.  
**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
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 Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

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Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as 7-a and to read as follows:  
 "Section 7-a. Subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction, all net revenues remaining after payment of all refunds allowed by law and expenses of collection derived from motor vehicle registration fees, and all taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, on motor fuels and lubricants used to propel motor vehicles over public roadways, shall be used for the sole purpose of acquiring rights-of-way, constructing, maintaining, and policing such public roadways, and for the administration of such laws as may be prescribed by the Legislature pertaining to the supervision of traffic and safety on such roads; and for the payment of the principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible prior to January 2, 1945, for payment out of the County and Road District Highway Fund under existing law; provided, however, that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; and, provided, however, that the net revenue derived by counties from motor vehicle registration fees shall never be less than the maximum amounts allowed to be retained by each County and the percentage allowed to be retained by each County under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; and negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose.  
 Sec. 2. The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the General Election to be held in November, 1946, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:  
 "FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; and, provided, however, that the net revenue derived by counties from motor vehicle registration fees shall never be less than the maximum amounts and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; and negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose."  
 Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.  
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**Mary Evelyn O'Neill Hostess to Risques**

Risques met in the home of Mary Evelyn O'Neill Tuesday afternoon.

Margaret Korenek, vice-president presided over the business.

Frosted drinks and cookies were served to: Wanda Crager, Bonnie Davis, June Chapman, Betty Parrish, Margaret Korenek and Marilyn Bowden.

**Miss Edmonson Weds Hestwood Clayton**

Miss Gwen Edmonson, daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. C. F. Edmonson of Millersview, became the bride of Hestwood Clayton, son of Mrs. James Clayton Thursday evening at 7 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Gray. Mr. Gray, minister of the First Christian Church, read the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a dress of aqua

wool jersey with black patent accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

The couple will be at home on Eighth Street in Ballinger.

**Miss Bertha Marie Holland Bride of Archie Thomas**

The marriage of Miss Bertha Marie Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holland, to Archie Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Thomas, took place Saturday at

**T. O. Powell Family Honored With Picnic Supper in City Park**

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Powell and children, Sandra and Thomas, and Mrs. Powell's sister, Mrs. Alda Mae Hirshfeld, were entertained with a no-host affair.

Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and children, Bill, Ronnie, and Linda Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dankworth, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Uecker and son, Bill, and Miss Jewell Ann Davis, of San Antonio.

**Four Are Hostesses to First Baptist Althean Class**

Mmes. R. E. Truly, F. M. Wood, A. O. Bartlett, and S. M. Jonas were hostesses to the First Baptist Althean Class Tuesday evening in the garden of the Truly home on Ninth Street.

The green lawn, surrounded by shrubs and blooming summer flowers was where Mrs. C. W. Jennings directed the business period after Mrs. W. E. Elkins gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Drury P. Hathaway gave the devotional.

At the social hour hostesses served frosted punch with chocolate drop cakes. Others present were: Mmes. Fred Holliday, L. B. Rudder, J. F. Owen, R. E. White, Delbert Vancil, Bertha Thomas, Troy Stuart, Landers, James Wear, E. P. Talbott, Ruth Bankston, J. B. Arterburn, R. T. Williams, Elmer Shepperd, L. R. Tigner, William Hill, and T. W. Cox of Corpus Christi.

**First Baptist W. M. S. Meets in Church Parlors**

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church held its monthly business and inspirational meeting Monday afternoon in the church parlors on Eighth Street.

Mrs. Elmer Shepperd directed the unison singing of the Woman's hymn, with Mrs. Earl Cope at the piano, after the opening prayer by Mrs. A. F. Brock. Mrs. B. C. Kirk presided for reports of officers and committee chairmen. It was announced that the annual W. M. U. will meet at the Baptist Church in Miles on August 15, with Mrs. R. L. Mathis, of Dallas, state executive secretary of the W. M. U., as the guest speaker. Circle 2, of which Mrs. E. P. Talbott is chairman, received the attendance banner. Mrs. C. J. Lynn gave the closing prayer.

Others present were: Mmes. J. W. Biasedell, R. D. Jackson, Joe Forester, Ted Whitehead, R. P. Canady, A. S. Love, W. A. McDonald, John Castor, M. Morgan, A. O. Bartlett, Calvin Robinson, Burke, Fred Holliday, C. A. Maedgen, R. E. White, T. J. McCaughan, O. L. Britton, J. H. Endacott, Joe Flynt, W. J. Hembree, J. B. Arterburn, B. J. Martin, J. H. Parrish, W. E. Harvey, O. G. Joiner, H. O. Campbell, M. M. Alexander, O. L. Parish, Frank Flynt, L. L. Strobbe, A. M. King, Jim Golden, Carl Black and Emma Speer.

**First Baptist Victory Class and Wives Have Fish Fry**

The wives were included by members of the First Baptist Victory Bible Class when they entertained with a fish fry at the City Park last Thursday evening.

Mr. J. D. Wilson, teacher of the class, was named honor guest at the occasion when words of appreciation were spoken by Messrs. O. C. Sykes, W. J. Hembree and W. E. Elkins; and Mr. S. E. Cloninger, president of the class, presented a spur tie clip to Mr. Wilson from class members.

Mr. James A. Wear was program chairman, and Mr. Weldon Howell was chairman of the food committee.

About fifty attended the affair.

Potatoes, tomatoes and onions are also plentiful on the market at the present time.

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**F. F. A. Boys Leave For Two-Day Camp; Two Awards Made**

All members of the Ballinger Future Farmers of America chapter left this afternoon for a two-day encampment on the Concho River at the Hartgrove dam below Concho store. Plans for the outing were made at the last regular meeting of the chapter the past week-end.

A program which includes fishing, swimming and games has been arranged for the encampment this afternoon and Friday. Meetings also will be held at which the year's work will be planned.

H. E. Edmondson, V-A teacher in the Ballinger schools, stated that transportation had been arranged and that the boys would be home some time Saturday morning.

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**Assistance Offered School Lunch Room Program This Year**

Schools may make requests now for participating in the community school lunch program for the next school term.

According to Charles L. Howell, acting district director, production and marketing administration, United States department of agriculture, all applications should be sent to the state department of education, Austin, the agency which is working jointly with the United States department of agriculture in handling

the program.

The school lunch program has operated for several years on a year-to-year basis but recently was made a permanent government program. State and federal governments will contribute to its support, with federal grants-in-aid being supplemented by funds and other services within the state, Howell explained.

Primary purposes of the program, which has gained popularity and growth in the country, are to provide growing children with wholesome foods they need for maximum health and to create and expand markets for agricultural products.

Any public or non-profit private school of high school grade or under, meeting certain requirements, may participate in the program, Howell continued.

As in the past, community school lunchrooms will be operated by local sponsors, which may be school boards, Parent-Teacher associations or other civic groups. Responsibilities include seeing that necessary food is bought and properly stored; that the right amounts and kinds of food are served; that each child may have a daily lunch regardless of his ability to pay; and that there is no discrimination between paying and non-paying children.

**BASKETBALL AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN OUT AUGUST 12**

Coach Wayman Wilson stated before leaving for Corpus Christi to attend the state coaching school, that awards for Ballinger high school basketball players would be handed out here August 12. The delayed awards are here and the coach will issue them from his home on or after August 12.

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**Ballinger Red Sox Lose to Sweetwater In Contest Sunday**

The Ballinger Red Sox lost a close game to the Sweetwater baseball club Sunday afternoon in Sweetwater. The final score was 9 to 7 and the contest was in doubt until the last inning ended.

Manager Clarence Richards was under a handicap Sunday with all three of the regular outfielders out of town and unable to take part in the game. Dillard Adair and Wayman Wilson were en route to Corpus Christi and D. W. Williams was unable to make the trip to Sweetwater.

Curtis Kemp was on the mound for the Red Sox the entire route and turned in a good game. Errors gave Sweetwater a number of unearned runs and lost the game.

Elmo Harrah hit for a homer and Eddie McMillan hit safely twice when there were runners on the sacks.

The Red Sox will clash with the highly rated Voss team here next Sunday afternoon. The Voss club has lost only two games this year and has been meeting all comers in West Texas. This game will start at 2:30 and a large crowd is expected to be on hand for the first pitch.

Manager Richards stated that he would have a strong team to oppose the visitors.

**CLARK-BRISTER REUNION TO BE HELD HERE SUNDAY**

The annual Clark-Brister family reunion will be held again this year at the Ballinger city park on Sunday, August 11. All relatives and close friends of the families are invited and expected to be present and discharged service men are especially urged to attend this year.

The reunion has been held in Ballinger since 1929 and each year has been attended by many people. The 1946 affair will last the entire day and dinner will be served on the ground.

**AUGUST 14 IS DESIGNATED AS VICTORY DAY FOR WAR**

President Harry Truman has designated August 14 as Victory Day for World War II and has asked that proper observance be given the day, flags displayed and other honors given in remembrance of the day when Japan surrendered to end the fighting of the recent war.

Veterans' organizations all over the country had been seeking August 14 as the official day for the end of World War II. While the day has not been made a legal holiday by an act of congress, veterans' groups will seek to continue to seek this.

For this year the president has asked that the day be properly observed.

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**LANDRETH WILL PREACH HERE SUNDAY MORNING**

Rev. Ed Landreth, former pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ballinger and now superintendent of the Clarendon district, will be the guest preacher here Sunday morning. Rev. and Mrs. Landreth will be here for a visit with their son and family and Rev. Landreth has accepted an invitation to deliver the morning sermon. He also will baptize his twin granddaughters at this service.

**CAM BLACKMON BUYS J. D. WILSON RESIDENCE**

A deal has been closed in which

Supt. J. D. Wilson sold his 424 1/2 Street home to Cam Blackmon. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson have purchased a home in Hillsboro and will move there as soon as they can get possession.

Mr. Wilson purchased the residence here from J. A. Ostertag about a year ago and has resided there since. He will complete his work for the Ballinger schools on August 15 and is due to start work in Hillsboro at that time.

Shortages in Household Items, especially soap, will continue if more fat is not salvaged. Housewives are encouraged to save the fat from hens that are being culled and canned now.

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Fred MacMurray, Anne Baxter And Burl Ives Star in 'Smoky'

Adding to the list of truly unforgettable motion pictures is 20th Century Fox's magnificent filming of Will James' beloved classic, "Smoky," principal feature at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, August 11, 12, 13.

Starring Fred MacMurray with Anne Baxter in the feminine lead, and introducing ballad singer Burl Ives, "Smoky" is at once a great and heart-warming motion picture experience in the tradition of the memorable "Flicka" triumphs from the same studio.

"Smoky" is a grand story of the West of today that is ooded with the rousing spirit of the West of yesterday. As all who have read the book must know, it is the story of one man's love of danger and of one woman's love of a man, and of the events that patterned their life into a great and thrilling adventure.

Psychological Drama and Musical Offerings at Texas Friday and Saturday

"Strange Impersonation," a psychological drama, and "Night Train to Memphis," musical, comprise the double-feature program at the Texas Theatre tomorrow

(Friday) and Saturday, August 9 and 10. Several short subjects are included on the same bill.

"Strange Impersonation" co-stars Brenda Marshall and William Gar- in the stirring story of a young woman scientist whose face is horribly burned by a chemical explosion. She loses her self-confidence and is ashamed to face the man she loves, for fear he will marry her out of pity.

Adele Mara, blonde sensation, is seen in her latest role as the heroine of Republic's exciting new musical screen play, "Night Train to Memphis," starring Roy Acuff and the Smoky Mountain Boys.

Lupino and Henreid Head Famous Cast In Drama, 'Devotion'

Starring four of today's brightest film luminaries, Ida Lupino, Paul Henreid, Olivia de Havilland, and Sydney Greenstreet, Warner Bros. "Devotion," a moving drama about two sisters who love the same man, is the mid-week attraction at the Texas Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

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August 14, 15.

"Devotion" tells the unusual and poignant story of two beautiful sisters who fall in love with the same man—a three-sided romance which has left its mark on the world. Set against the background of ignorance and petty class distinctions in the early part of the nineteenth century, the film boasts

an important supporting cast that includes Nancy Coleman, Arthur Kennedy, Dame May Whitty and Victor Francen.

The roles of the rival sisters are played by Ida Lupino and Olivia de Havilland while Paul Henreid, in a departure from his usual screen characterization, portrays the man they love.

Fast-Paced Western, Sleuth Yarn and Romance Features Due at the Palace

"Rough Riders of Cheyenne," a western starring Sunset Carson, and "Murder is My Business," a detective story starring Hugh Beaumont, make up the twin bill at the Palace Theatre tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday, August 9 and 10.

Suspense, thrills, fast-paced action and romance are combined in Republic's "Rough Riders of Cheyenne." Peggy Stewart has the important feminine lead opposite Carson, while Mira McKinney, Tom London, Monte Hale, Michael Sloane and Kenne Duncan make minor parts stand out.

Michael Shayne, famed detective of radio and popular fiction, is enacted by Hugh Beaumont in PRC's "Murder is My Business," a detective story starring Hugh Beaumont, make up the twin bill at the Palace Theatre tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday, August 9 and 10.

Attending this year were: Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Blanton and Roy Lee, Water Valley; Mrs. Sarah Fry, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Duckworth and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Fry and three children, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Duckworth, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Blanton, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blanton, all of San Angelo; Mrs. Mary Warren, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Blanton, Mickey Blanton, Cecil Kellaway and Helen Mack in unusually fine characterizations help push the story forward from climax to climax.

BLANTON FAMILY REUNION HELD IN CITY PARK HERE

The annual reunion of the Blanton family was held here the past week-end with 91 registering for the gathering. The meeting was held in the city park and was decided to meet again here next year on the first Saturday in August.

Attending this year were: Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Blanton and Roy Lee, Water Valley; Mrs. Sarah Fry, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Duckworth and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Fry and three children, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Duckworth, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Blanton, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blanton, all of San Angelo; Mrs. Mary Warren, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Blanton, Mickey Blanton, Cecil Kellaway and Helen Mack in unusually fine characterizations help push the story forward from climax to climax.

ton, Mrs. O. C. Altman and two daughters, Leta and Gaye Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Woods, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mahecek and daughter, Mereta; Sharon Lynn Bridges, Wall; Mr. and Mrs. Max Frott and two children, Van Court; Mr. and Mrs. Manley Blanton and family, Sidney L. Blanton, W. B. Blanton, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Collins, Mrs. V. W. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney E. Blanton, Buddy DeSha, all of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wiley and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Warren B. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Blanton, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blanton, Hobbs, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rainey and sons, Brownwood; Mrs. Anne Blanton, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Blanton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Collins, all of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Hill Blanton, Owens; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips, Brownwood.

BOELSHE IS SPEAKER AT ROTARY PROGRAM

Dr. E. H. Boelsche was speaker at the Ballinger Rotary Club meeting Tuesday and told members of his army experiences over a period of three years.

Prior to entering the service, Dr. Boelsche was practicing dentistry in Ballinger and had served as secretary and president of the Ballinger Rotary Club. Since returning here, he has resumed his membership in the club and his local practice.

Ballinger Juniors Defeat Coleman In Contests Here

Junior boys of the Ballinger and Coleman recreational program engaged in contests here the past week-end, the Ballingerites emerging with a good share of the events, losing in boxing bouts.

Coach Robert Russ brought a large delegation of boys here from Coleman and later this month Coach Wilson will take a group to Coleman for a return engagement.

In softball the Ballinger Juniors defeated the Coleman team by a score of 13 to 4. The Coleman Pee Wees beat the Ballinger lads by a score of 28 to 7.

In tennis Jimmy Endacott defeated Rodney Pirtle in singles 7-5. In doubles, Paul Harrell and Jimmy Parish beat David Griffith and Don White 6-0. John Eoff and Jim Erwin of Ballinger defeated Glenn Harnes and Jim Harrison of Coleman 6-1. The

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return tennis engagement will be played in Coleman on August 14. In basketball the Ballinger Juniors defeated Coleman 24 to 14 and the Ballinger Pee Wees won their game 6 to 4.

In the boxing contests, Paul Harral and James Read outpointed their opponents to win matches. Mickey Hart fought his man to a draw and Elroy Payne, Graham Hart and Glen Ferguson lost their matches on decisions.

FIRST ROUNDS OF TENNIS TOURNAMENT COMPLETED

First rounds in the Ballinger adult tennis tournament have been completed and play is under way on the next matches which will lead up to the naming of a city champion.

In the first rounds the following results were announced: Steve Cook defeated J. L. Henderson

Morris Nunnely defeated Wayman Wilson

Reid Caskey won over Bob Dickenson by default Lanham Flynt defeated Charles

Hambrick Max McCreary defeated Clifford Howell. In second round play Steve Cook defeated Max McCreary.

UNIVERSITY ENROLLMENT UP AUSTIN, July 31.—The University of Texas summer school enrollment of 9,122 students is twice as many as attended in the summer of 1945, the registrar's office reports. There were 4,457 enrolled when the war was still in progress.

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THIS WEEK AT THE TEXAS Theatre Always COOL and Comfortable 2 BIG DAYS--Friday and Saturday 2 feature ATTRACTIONS A mask of glamour hid the guilt of her own conscience! "STRANGE Impersonation" BRENDA MARSHALL WILLIAM GARGAN "Night Train to MEMPHIS" starring ROY ACUFF and his Smoky Mountain Boys A REPUBLIC PICTURE Peep in Deep, Popeye cartoon and News Sun., Mon., Tues., Aug. 11-12-13 AN ADVENTURE SO GREAT ONLY THESE TWO COULD LIVE IT! Will James' SMOKY IN TECHNICOLOR! FRED MACMURRAY ANNE BAXTER BURL IVES Directed by LOUIS KING Produced by ROBERT BASSLER Added: "Little Brother Rat" and News Wed. -- Thurs. Aug. 14-15 IDA LUPINO PAUL HENREID DE HAVILLAND GREENSTREET "IN WARNERS DEVOTION" NANCY COLEMAN ARTHUR KENNEDY DAME MAY WHITTY VICTOR FRANZEN Directed by CAROL BARRON Also: Paramount News

**DEATHS**

**Miss Gladys Lehman**  
Miss Gladys Lehman died at the home of her father, H. F. Lehman, Saturday morning. Her death was unexpected and although she had been in failing health for a number of months, no concern was felt for her until about three weeks before her death.  
Decedent graduated from the high school in 1926 and was valedictorian of her class. She then attended Abilene Christian College and graduated there in 1931 with highest honors. Since then she had been employed in educational work, having taught last year at Garden City and was to return there in September. She was a member of the Church of Christ, having joined that church at the age of 19.  
Survivors besides the father include three sisters, Mrs. Otto Minzenmayer, Wingate; Miss Mary Lehman, Mrs. H. T. Dowd, San Angelo; three brothers, Clifford and Carl Lehman, Winters; and Pfc. Douglass Lehman, Goodfellow Field, San Angelo.  
Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Hatcher Church of Christ, Walker Allen, of Wingate, officiating. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, Winters.  
Spill Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.  
**Francisca Pena**  
Francisca Pena died at her home

here August 3 after a long illness. She had been in Sanitorium at Carlsbad for some time prior to being brought home shortly before her death.  
Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Mexican Baptist Church and interment followed in the Latin-American Cemetery.  
She is survived by her husband, three sons and one daughter.  
Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Mary Brooks**  
Mary Brooks, 90, died at the home of Mrs. Julia Barnes yesterday, August 7, after illness of six months. Decedent was born in Alabama February 10, 1856, was a resident of Austin 50 years, moved to San Angelo, and had been a resident of Ballinger 10 years.  
Funeral services will be held at the Robert Massie Funeral Home, San Angelo, at 3 o'clock today, and interment will follow in a San Angelo cemetery. Local arrangements are in charge of Agnew Funeral Home.

**William Reason**  
William Reason, 76, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Albert Jackson, at 3:40 p. m. July 30, following illness of about six months. Born in Austin county, decedent had been a resident of Ballinger the past 25 years.  
Funeral services were held on August 4, at the colored M. E. Church, Rev. U. S. Washington, pastor, officiating. Interment fol-

**Lucille Halfmann Named County 4-H Gold Star Winner**

lowed in Evergreen Cemetery. Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.  
Lucille Halfmann, garden demonstrator for the Offen girls' 4-H club has been named gold star girl for Runnels county by the education committee of the home demonstration clubs council.  
Lucille has been a 4-H club girl for five years. She is at present the secretary of the Offen 4-H club.  
As a garden demonstrator, Lucille has put into practice all the principles taught her in her 4-H work. In selecting a site for her garden she chose a plot of ground near the house and close to the water supply. She chose the seed that were suitable to this locality. Her garden has supplied her family with early vegetables, such as radishes, lettuce, spinach and onions. Her garden also has furnished an adequate supply of fresh beans, beets, carrots, squash, cucumbers, tomatoes and corn.  
From her garden Lucille has canned 14 qts. beans, 22 qts. beets, and 16 quarts cucumbers. She has also canned 40 pints of peaches and made 18 pints of preserves. She has assisted her mother in

canning 8 qts. beans, 46 qts. beets, 32 qts. cucumber pickles, 28 qts. corn, 143 qts. of peaches, 4 pts. of preserves and jelly, and 32 qts. of pineapple.  
Lucille and her brother harvested 500 lbs. of potatoes from 9 rows of potatoes in her garden. She stored these potatoes in a cool, dark and dry place. She also harvested and stored 3 bushels of onions which she grew in her garden.  
Lucille has not only done outstanding work in food production, preservation and preparation but she made an outstanding record in her sewing. At Christmas she made and gave as presents 5 cloth toys. For herself she has made 5 dresses and remodeled one, has made one play suit and one slip. For her younger sisters Lucille has made 4 sun suits, 6 pairs of panties and 3 baby bibs. She has made 10 cup towels and 3 bed sheets out of sacks. She has made one bedspread.  
As home improvement work, Lucille scraped the paint off two iron bedsteads and repainted them. She refinished a dresser and painted one floor. She helps her mother with the house work every day.  
Miss Lola Eubank and father, E. M. Eubank, are at home after a visit at Flint, Michigan, with relatives and friends. They were accompanied home by Mrs. T. M. Eubank and daughter, Mrs. Julian James, who left Thursday of last week for their home.

**Society**

**Ballinger Rebekah Lodge Meets**  
Ballinger Rebekah Lodge met in regular session Thursday evening, August 1, with Mrs. Media Pearl Stokes, Noble Grand, presiding. Other officers present were: Milburn Harvey, vice-grand; Fay Harvey, secretary; Mrs. Rachel Boswell, chaplain; Mrs. Thelma Gabbert, conductor; Clyde Gabbert and Morris Stokes, right and left supporters to the noble grand; Ruel Boswell, right supporter to the vice-grand; and George Onken, inside guardian.  
Plans were made for the members to attend the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Association which will be held at Bangs on August 15, 16.  
Milburn Harvey was named team captain for the ensuing year. Team members are urged to be present for drill practice.  
**First Christian Society in Business Meeting and Program**  
Mrs. Archie Gray presided for the meeting of the First Christian Woman's Missionary Society Monday afternoon at the church on Broadway. Seven missionary books were reported read. Mrs. Charles F. Bailey gave the treasurer's report.  
Mrs. Gray offered the prayer after the opening song was sung in unison. Mrs. J. R. Lusk, program chairman, introduced the numbers and gave the devotional. Mrs. Walter Presson discussed "The Church on the Home," and Mrs. Bailey's topic was "The History of the Church."  
Others present were: Mmes. O. P. Dorsey, W. F. Atwell, Vineyard, M. A. Foy, Marvin Clark, N. D. Hoover; Misses Agnes Glover, Lula McElroy, and Lillie Clayton.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Irby and son, Wayne, left Sunday for a two weeks' vacation at Ruidoso, New Mexico.  
Mrs. M. H. Watson is here from Kety's for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Holliday, and other relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Wood and son, Douglas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Walden the past week-end.  
Jimmie Wilson, of Detroit, is visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Walden and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Walden.  
Mrs. Luther Walden and daughter, Rosemary, left Wednesday afternoon for a visit in East Texas.  
C. W. Reed and family, of Cisco, Miss Betty Jean Lengefeld, of Temple, is here for a visit with the past week-end. Ballinger friends.

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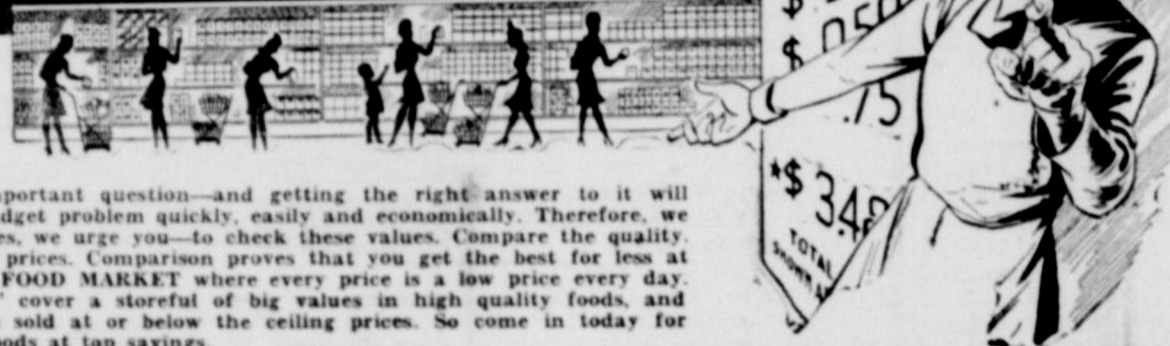
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Ballinger citizens have pleaded with city officials to do something about an adequate water supply and a municipal sewer system. Engineers have now completed surveys of the entire area and have made reports on each project. Both are musts on the city program and should have the support of all the people who call Ballinger home. Both projects cost considerable money but revenues will take care of these costs over a period of years and in the meantime the city can grow with plenty

of water and health will be improved because of proper sanitary facilities available to all the citizens.

The second Democratic primary probably will be a quiet affair in Runnels county and a light vote is forecast. There will be no county run-off races and the few state races to be decided will not bring out the full strength. The election is scheduled August 24, and most important will be the selection of a nominee for governor. Election supplies are being prepared for the county and absentee balloting will get underway at once.

Shortages are still holding up progress and shoppers are always on the go looking for hard-to-get items. Many homes contain more scarce items than they ever had before at one time and this is one reason for empty shelves in stores. One local merchant, in referring to a short item, stated he received each month as much as he had ever bought in times past, but the demand was so much greater that he could not keep the article in stock. There seems to be a gradual increase in shipments and within a short time production will be able to supply the needs of all. The greater buying power of the people, plus the long period of doing without makes practically everyone a prospect for all merchandise. The lagging production of automobiles is perhaps causing more interest than any other item. Many people are walking and others are near to being afoot because of the six and seven years' service of their old busses. However, nobody is suffering and this is still the land of plenty compared with other nations.

The Fort Stockton city council devoted most of its time at its last session to a study of plans for improvements which had been submitted by the city planning commission in a written report. Drainage was placed at the top of the list. It was suggested that drainage be provided before extensive paving was undertaken. Street improvement was placed second and it was the opinion of the planners that property owners should pay their part of all the proposed improvements.

**DORSEY B. HARDEMAN  
NEXT STATE SENATOR**

Unofficial returns indicated that Dorsey B. Harde man, of San Angelo, will be the next state senator from this district to represent the people in the state legislature. He took an early lead in last Saturday's election over Senator Penrose Metcalfe when Tom Green county boxes gave him a big lead which he held until final tabulations were in with Harde man about 1,000 votes ahead.

Senator Metcalfe has served the people of the district in the state senate for many years. Mr. Harde man was formerly mayor of San Angelo and until recently with the U. S. air forces. Runnels county gave Harde man a slight majority in final tabulations.



**MEAT BEGINS TO FLOOD MARKETS . . .** Interior view of meat packing plant in New York City a scant few days following expiration of the office of price administration—showing meat on the hook and plentiful. In meat centers such as Chicago, Kansas City and Los Angeles the supply was even more plentiful. Whether it was a rush by farmers to get cattle to market before enactment of new OPA or because of, at least, temporary end of black market, the reason is not entirely clear. Higher price was a factor.



**WEST TEXAS  
NOTES**

Sixty Menard citizens met last week at the old mission and voted to form a country club organization. A petition asking for a charter was signed by fifty and stock will be sold at once to get funds for making improvements. Dr. Maurice Hyman was named temporary chairman and committees were appointed to solicit members.

The hottest July on record is reported at Rising Star and the figures were cited to prove it. The coolest day there last month had a temperature of 90 degrees and the hottest was 105. The average for the 31 days was 99. Readings for July, 1945, disclosed a low of 77 and a high of 99.

A petition was being circulated at Brady last week which later is

to be filed with the McCulloch county commissioners' court asking that an election be called to determine whether the county may legalize the sale of beer. This is the second petition to be circulated for this purpose recently, but the first was declared illegal by the commissioners' court after it was presented.

At a meeting of the Melvin city council last week water engineers from Dallas presented plans for a

water system and the drilling of a deep well. Bids will be asked on the two projects as soon as bonds are approved by the bonding company's attorney. City officials said new water meters would be installed as fast as they are received and those now in use would be read and patrons billed monthly.

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A representative of the Central Service Co., of Dallas, was in Paint Rock last week to check over the waterworks system. He promised patrons several changes to improve conditions. A new settling basin, a booster pump, and lines arranged so they can be flushed will be installed as soon as materials are available.

D. R. Edwards is the new Santa Fe Railroad agent at Rowena and will move there in the near future to take over the duties of the office. Mr. Edwards will move his family from Brownwood to Rowena as soon as living quarters can be obtained. C. L. Wyatt, of Cresson, relief man at Rowena, has been sent to Goldthwaite.

The opening of the vocational school for World War II veterans at Bronte has been delayed at least a month and classes are expected to start work about September 1. Delays caused by red

tape and obtaining approvals from various agencies made it necessary to postpone the opening. To date seventeen veterans have signed for courses.

A deal was closed at Coleman last week whereby the city and school district bought most of the buildings at the Coleman flying field, operated during the war for training primary flight cadets. Eleven buildings and fixtures were acquired in the transaction. The city will get two of the buildings to be used in the operation of a municipal airport. The school board bought nine buildings, most of them barracks, to be moved to school campuses in the city and converted into classrooms, vocational buildings and for athletics.

Comanche county amassed a total vote of 5,400 in the first primary, the town of Comanche casting an all time high vote of 1,756. The previous high vote at the county site was 1,452. A number of interesting county races helped get a record number to the polls with a full poll tax payment made before February 1 plus the large number of discharged

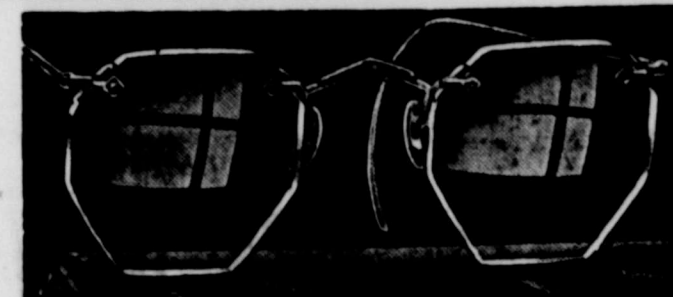
soldiers the total attained a record.

The Brownwood American Auxiliary held open house last week, dedicating their permanent home. The post purchased the former Elks Club and after completely remodeling and redecorating it was open to the public last week. A special program was presented with District Commander Louie D. Lane reporting the growth and progress of the post.

Sweetwater will be host city to the West Texas Press Association tomorrow and Saturday. Invitations have been sent to editors and newspaper managers in a large section of Texas urging them to be present for this first meeting after the war. Speakers will represent practically every industry upon which newspapers depend for supplies. Business sessions will be held morning and afternoon each day.

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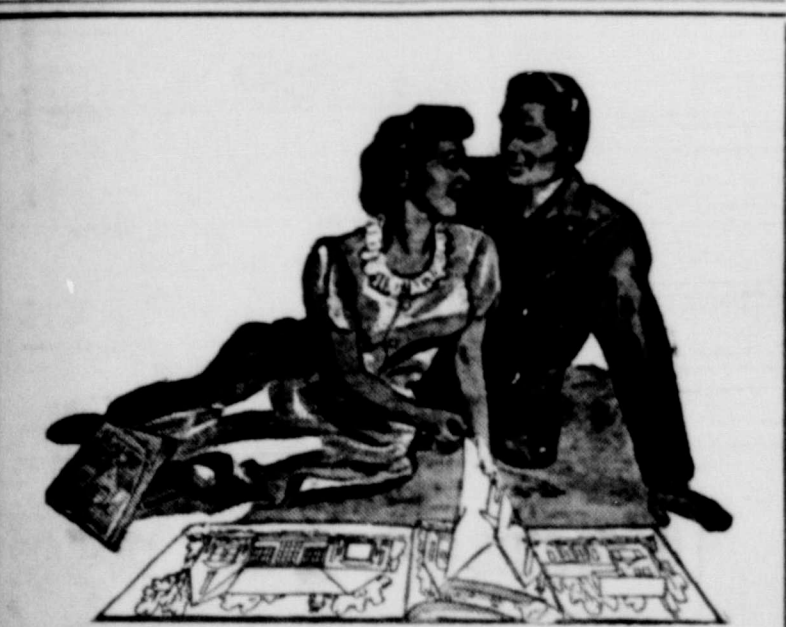


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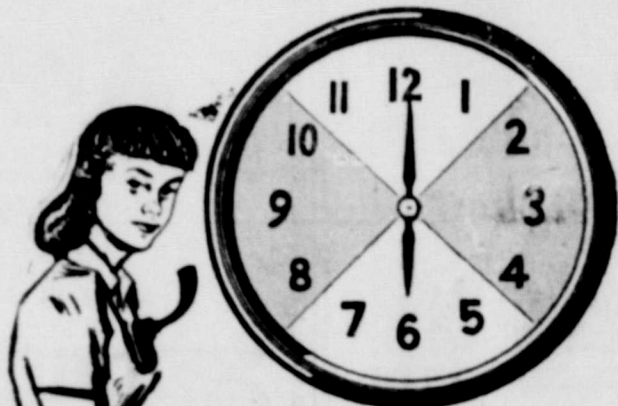
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It shall be my purpose in the future, as in the past, to represent the best interests of the State and District at all times. I sincerely trust that you will continue to give me the benefit of your advice and counsel as to how this may best be done. I am available to all of the people at all times for the good of Texas.

**Dorsey B. Hardeman**

**Marriage Licenses Issued to 37 Couples During Past Month**

Marriages in Runnels county hit a high for the year in July when County Clerk John B. Rayburn issued a total of thirty-seven, the largest number issued in a month for some time. Thirty-six of the couples are listed below, one couple requesting that their names

not be published:

Wiley B. McLane and Miss Myrtle Lee Morrison  
 Clyde H. Harwell, Jr., and Miss Betty Jean Wilson  
 Rafael Gonzalez and Emma L. Ramos  
 James M. Tucker and Mrs. Merriel Chastain  
 Elgin Piel and Miss Helen Kopecky  
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 Louis P. Walden and Miss Edith LaVerne Wiley  
 Joseph H. Fowler and Miss Lydia Catherine Ischar  
 H.L. Kemp and Mrs. Carrey Mae Chattam  
 Grady Raymond Dunham and Miss Dorothy Nell Moreland  
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 Emmanuel A. Halfmann and Miss Dorothy Mae Buchanan  
 Curtis E. McCartney and Miss Rheba Joyce Guy  
 J. O. Alexander and Miss Addie Myrtle Williams  
 James A. Watson and Miss Faye-nell Smith  
 Marshall Powell and Mrs. Evelyn Brooks Finley  
 Robert W. Harris and Miss Magdalene Fisher  
 James Edward Knight and Miss Betty Jean Campbell  
 Billy Joe Burrows and Miss Ola Faye Reynolds  
 Roman A. Multer and Miss Gladys Moeller  
 Leon R. Webb and Miss Lorraine Taylor  
 Ike Young and Miss Viola Morrison  
 Frank Nelson Bynum and Mrs. Lois Carrol Burnette  
 Arvel H. Burkes and Miss Rita Mae Welch  
 Hestwood Clayton and Miss Gwendolyn Edmonson  
 Chester Archie Thomas and Miss Bertha Marie Holland.

**1,597 UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS STUDENTS ATTAIN HONORS**

AUSTIN, July 31.—Out of an enrollment of 12,400 students at the University of Texas during the term which ended in June, 1,597 attained highest scholastic honors. The honor rolls by colleges included the following: engineering, 320; business administration, 374; pharmacy, 89; fine arts, 43; arts and sciences, 707; education, 44; law, 60.

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our deepest gratitude to our many friends who were so thoughtful and kind during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Minnie Brown. May God's blessings be upon you.

The Brown Family  
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**Wilson and Adair Attending State Coaching School**

Coaches Wayman Wilson and Dillard Adair left Sunday for Corpus Christi, where they will

attend the annual coaching school for football and basketball coaches of Texas.

Registration for the school this year is the largest in history, more than 1,000 coaches enrolling last week and others expected at the last minute. The program this year will include some of the best football talent in the United States and sessions will be held from

Monday through Friday.

For the first time a North-South basketball game will be played this year on Thursday night with the best talent picked from high schools of North and South Texas.

The North-South football game will be played on Friday evening and will officially close the school. These two teams will parade the 1945 stars of Texas high schools. These players gathered there the first of the week to work under coaching staffs all week and be ready for the game.

Coaches Wilson and Adair will return here next Sunday and on September 1 will start getting the Ballinger Bearcats ready for their opening game with Pecos on the night of September 13. The locals' first home game will be played on October 4 this year.

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**BALLINGER GOLF TEAM DEFEATED AT COLEMAN**

Ballinger golf players were in Coleman Sunday afternoon for a return engagement with the Coleman team. Playing on sand greens, the Ballingerites were at a disadvantage and lost a large per cent of their matches.

The Ballinger team will go to Brady next Sunday for a return engagement with players there. A team of about twenty players is expected to make the trip.

**THANKS EVERYBODY**

Our opening last Friday was far beyond our hopes and we were made to feel that we live in the finest section of the nation. The hundreds who visited our store the past week-end and this week have passed many compliments on the store and we appreciate each one who has dropped in either for a visit or to shop.

We are receiving new merchandise daily and each visit you make to our store you will find new items on display. We are striving to provide for your every need and will stock hard-to-get items as soon as we can make purchases.

If you have not visited our store yet, let us extend an invitation to drop in the next time you are in town. We are proud of our success in opening with so many beautiful things and we will be happy to have you see the store and inspect the merchandise.

Again, let us say thanks to everybody. You have made our opening a success and we deeply appreciate it. This coupled with our long business experience in Ballinger makes us appreciate this area and its people all the more.

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**COUNTRY CLUB HOUSE WORK NEARLY FINISHED**  
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 Extra work is being done on the lawn to get it in condition when the club house is reopened.

**State Tuberculosis Worker Comes Here To Meet Committees**

The executive committee of the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association met Tuesday noon for regular business and to confer with Mrs. Emily Boyd, field representative, of Austin. Mrs. Boyd was making her first visit to this county, to become acquainted with local leaders and the program outlined for the year.

The association has voted to go into testing work in the schools more extensively than ever in the fall. It is planned to start this work in September and to take in pupils in the first and second grades, the last year in junior high schools and three years of high school age.

Mrs. Carl Black, president of the Runnels association, stated that as much work as possible would be done without the help of a county nurse. Runnels county has not had a nurse for several

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years and war time emergencies are still on in this field and no nurse will be available with state assistance for some time. The state is cooperating in the county health nursing program only in counties where the association has a clinic.

Investigations will be made shortly to see if there is a possibility to line up with the clinic at San Angelo so that a nurse might be secured for five days each week.

In the meantime the association will carry on as best they can with the voluntary aid of local physicians and those in other communities who will help in projects for their towns or communities.

At the business session three directors were named to replace others who have resigned. Mrs. Duncan Hensley, of Wingate, was named to succeed Mrs. Schneider; Supt. W. E. Elkins was named to succeed J. D. Wilson, and Harry Lynn was elected to fill the unexpired term of E. H. Becton. Three women were named to represent the Runnels county chapter on the state board with only one attending at a time. Those selected were: Mrs. Carl Black, Mrs. E. A. Saunders and Mrs. John Endacott.

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 Evangelistic service at 8 p. m.  
 Tuesday at 8 p. m., Bible study and prayer service.  
 Friday at 8 p. m., Crusader service.

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

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

**First Christian Church**  
 Murrell Avenue and Broadway  
 Archie W. Gray, Minister  
 O. P. Dorsey, Sunday School Superintendent.  
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school.  
 11:00 a. m., worship and communion.  
 8:00 p. m., evening worship.

**First Methodist Church**  
 (Corner Murrell and Tenth)  
 Sunday:  
 9:45 a. m., church school.  
 11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
 6:00 p. m., young people's service.  
 8:00 p. m., evening worship.  
 Wednesday:  
 7:00 p. m., junior choir rehearsal.  
 8:00 p. m., senior choir rehearsal.  
**H. B. LOYD, Pastor**

**Church of God**  
 Sunday:  
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
 Junior Y. P., 7:15 p. m.  
 Young people, 7:15 p. m.  
 Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.  
 Wednesday:  
 Mid-week prayer meeting, 8:00 p. m.  
**T. N. MINIX, Pastor**

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**Grace Baptist Church**  
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
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**J. R. LAWSON, Pastor**

**First Presbyterian Church**  
 (Broadway)  
 Sunday:  
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school.  
 11:00 a. m., church worship.  
 5:30 p. m., Young People's social and worship hour.  
 7:00 p. m., church worship.  
 Wednesday:  
 7:00 p. m., mid-week worship.  
 8:00 p. m., Young People's Choir practice.  
**STEVE COOK, Pastor**

**Church of Christ**  
 Eighth Street  
 Monday:  
 4:00 p. m., Ladies' Bible class.  
 Wednesday:  
 7:30 p. m., Bible classes for all.  
 Sunday:  
 9:45 a. m., Bible classes.  
 10:45 a. m., worship.  
 7:00 p. m., children's class.  
 7:30 p. m., worship.  
**RICHARD A. ROBBINS, Minister**

**First Baptist Church**  
 (400 Eighth Street)  
 Sunday:  
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, W. J. Hembree, superintendent.  
 11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
 8:00 p. m., evening worship.  
 7:00 p. m., Baptist Training Union.  
 Wednesday:  
 7:30 p. m., teachers' meeting.  
 8:00 p. m., prayer meeting.

**Eighth Street Presbyterian Church**  
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school.  
 11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
 6:30 p. m., Training Union.  
 7:30 p. m., evening worship.

**Park Avenue Baptist Church**  
 8:30 p. m., choir rehearsal.  
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 9:45 a. m., Sunday school.  
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**Reports on Three City Projects Given At Rotary Meeting**

The Ballinger Rotary Club in session Tuesday noon heard a program on the major construction projects underway and being considered by the city at this time.  
 R. D. Cooper, water engineer employed by the city, reported on the proposed water project, location of the best lake sites and the approximate cost of construction.

day of the month at 7:30 a. m.; 2nd, 4th Sunday of the month at 10:00 a. m.  
 Daily mass at 7:00 a. m.  
 Rosary and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament every Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Holy hour with our Eucharistic Lord on Thursday evening preceding the first Friday of the month, 7:30 p. m.  
 Devotion of the first Friday of the month in honor of the sacred heart of Jesus after mass at 7:00 a. m. on the first Friday.  
 Confessions: 1st, 3rd, 5th Saturdays of the month 5:00 to 6:00 p. m. and 7:30 to 8:30 p. m. and before the early mass on Sunday from 6:30 to 7:15 a. m.  
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**EDW. B. POSTERT, O.M.I., Pastor**

and pumping to the city.  
 K. V. Northington reported on the paving project, giving the number of blocks recently completed, the number now under construction and the number yet to be started.

E. Shepperd reported in the proposed sewer system and the cost for such a system and disposal plant for the city of Ballinger.  
 A number of visitors were present at the meeting Tuesday, including one from Chicago and two from Dallas.

James A. Wear will have charge of the program next week and members are striving for a 100 per cent attendance. There were only three members absent Tuesday.

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