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Small Grain Harvest May Require 3 Weeks Longer

A check-up on harvest conditions and progress in Runnels county as of last Saturday indicated that three more weeks of good weather would be required to complete the combining of small grain. Many machines were running Sunday and during the past two weeks farmers have stayed close at home to get their crops in condition.

A large number of farms have not had any grain cut yet due to a shortage of combines. The survey showed wheat turning out light but oats running better than expected after much of the crop was blown down. Operators stated that most of the oats was being picked up by the combines and field losses are light.

Agricultural leaders said the first of the week that they could give no estimate on the amount of small grain which would be harvested in the county. Much of the grain is being stored on the farm or in buildings which meet the requirements for loans.

In the meantime, most farmers in the county are getting row crops plowed and in good shape. Much of the row feed crops are headed and doing nicely while cotton is growing fast. Rains will be needed again soon to keep the plants going and to guarantee a good feed crop.

Odom Well Gauged At 319 Barrels Oil; Drilling Elsewhere

The Humble No. 1 Odom was gauged this week at 319 barrel production from the Strawn lime. The gauge showed the oil of 42.3 gravity with no water.

First production from the Swastika sand in Runnels county was reported from the field northwest of Winters early this week. This strike was made in the G. W. Strake No. 4-B. A. Jacob. This field was opened with a strike in the No. 1 Jacob in the Gunsite sand. The No. 4 Jacob showed gas in two minutes and oil in 42 minutes after drilling in.

Drilling is continuing on the Strake No. 5-Jacob and casing has been set to 2,827 feet. Drilling testing will be taken in the Gunsite sand.

Woods Drilling Co., of Wichita Falls, has started a 4,500-foot well on the Woodrow Wilson place, southeast of Ballinger.

Two wells are underway in the Beddo field north of Ballinger, one on the Dankworth farm and the other on Beddo land.

Several other blocks are said to be in the process of being formed for drilling contracts.

Production is being prepared for in the Pan-American-Bradley near Runnels but there has been no disclosure of the amount of oil and gas.

Reburial Services To be Held Monday For Sgt. Gottschalk

Staff-Sergeant Verner A. Gottschalk, killed in action over Germany on May 13, 1944, will be reburied here Monday following services at St. Mary's Catholic Church at 9 a. m. Rev. Edward B. Postert, O. M. I., will have charge of the service and interment will follow in Evergreen Cemetery.

Members of the Pat Williams post of the American Legion will be in charge of the military rites. Decedent was born in Falls county May 4, 1921, and moved to Runnels county with his family in 1922. He attended school at Dry Ridge and enlisted in the air forces in October, 1942, receiving training at Concho Field, San Angelo, and Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls. He was serving in the eighth air force when he lost his life on a mission over Germany.

The body will arrive here on a Santa Fe passenger train Sunday morning and rosary services will be held at the Newby-Davis chapel Sunday at 8:30 p. m.

Survivors besides the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gottschalk, include a brother, A. J. Gottschalk, Ballinger; two sisters, Mrs. Pauline Niehus, Eola; Mrs. Ivan Slaughter, Hatchel.

Pallbearers will be Harvey Droll, Marvin Hoelscher, Bill Kahlig, Hubert Jacobs, John McAden and Monroe Dierschke.

DOHERTY'S RECEIVE FLAG FROM SON'S GRAVESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Doherty, who requested that the body of their son, Staff Sergeant Floyd C. Doherty, be buried in the U. S. national cemetery at Florence, Italy, instead of having it sent home, received the 6 by 9 foot U. S. flag which was used at the service several months ago. They also were notified by the war department that their son's body was interred in plot F, row 12, grave 19, and that a tombstone would be placed on the grave at a later date when word was received from the parents. The flag was sent as a memorial of the burial, and the letter said the parents would receive more data on the funeral at a later date.

S. Sgt. Doherty, a former member of the national guard, was in the 36th division when killed near Rome on June 13, 1944.

15-MONTH-OLD BABY DIES AFTER DRINKING SMALL QUANTITY LIGHTER FLUID

Sheila Kay Rogers, 15-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, of San Angelo, died Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 in a San Angelo hospital. The granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Armstrong of this city, the baby was here visiting when it swallowed lighter fluid. After treatment here the baby was rushed to San Angelo in a Newby-Davis ambulance and died half an hour after arriving there.

Funeral services were held at San Angelo this morning at 9:30 and interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery here.

Survivors besides the parents include the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rogers, Albuquerque, New Mexico; and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Armstrong.

Vernon Minshew, a pioneer citizen of Ballinger, was here this week, visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Minshew now resides at Kauffman, where he is a railroad employe.

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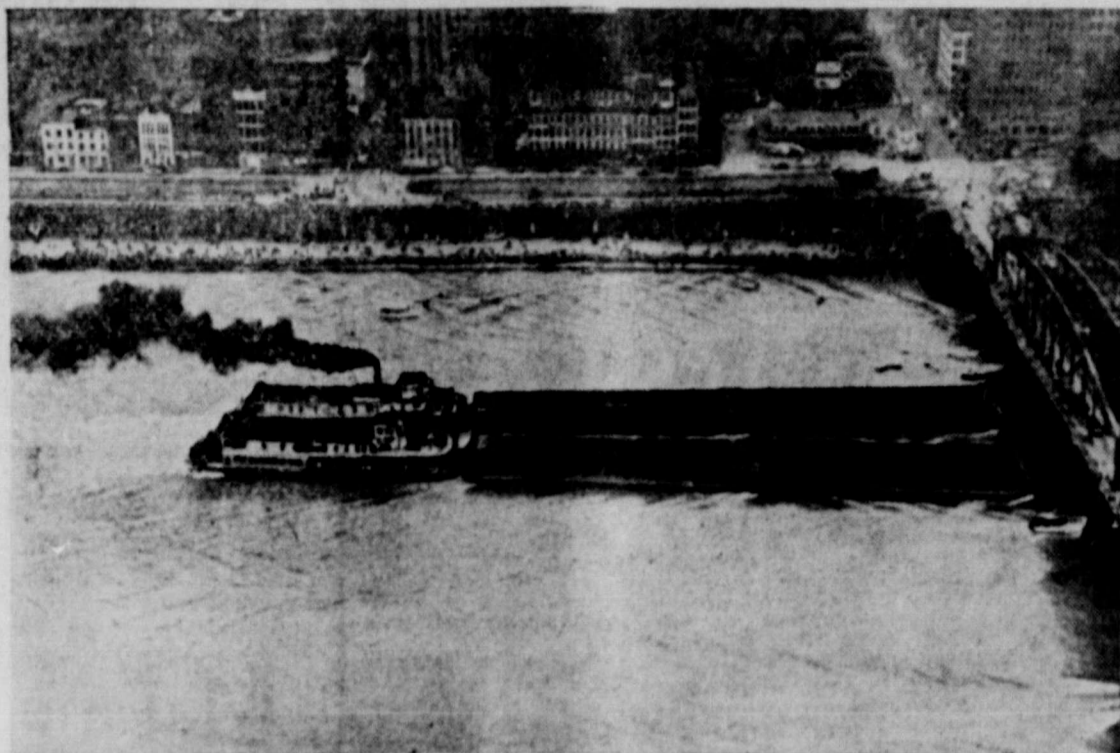


PHOTO FINISH ON BEAUTIFUL OHIO... It looks like a dead heat, but the "Homestead" (nearest camera) was the winner in the "steambote race of the century" staged on Pittsburgh's Ohio river as a feature of the city's welcome week celebration. The "Homestead" owned by Big Steel beat the "William L. Jones," owned by the Jones and McLaughlin steel corporation. At the finish, no smoke was coming from the stacks of the "Homestead." Her mechanical stoker went dead in the last minutes of the race.

Barbecue, Golf and Other Diversions For Club on Fourth

Stockholders of the Ballinger Country Club held their annual meeting Tuesday night to name one new director, elect officers for the ensuing year, make plans for the Fourth of July celebration and attend to other business.

Bailey Mack was named a director to serve a three-year term. At a meeting of the six board members, A. B. Stobough tendered his resignation and Tom Caudle was chosen in his place and later elected to serve as president of the board for the next twelve months. T. A. Parrish was elected vice-president; and Miss Louise Batts, secretary.

Members voted to have the usual type of celebration on July 4. Golf players will start qualifying at once for the tournament, scores to be posted any time from now until late Sunday, July 3. Pairings will be made late on July 3, and regular tournament play begun the next morning at 7:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Hampton will be in charge of house games, which will include bridge and dominoes.

Climax of the day will be the barbecue dinner served at the noon hour for members, their families and out-of-town guests.

President Caudle did not name all committees at the meeting Tuesday evening. A. B. Stobough was made chairman of the house committee; Ollie Floyd, golf and grounds; Jim Duncan, lake. Troy Simpson was appointed to direct the Fourth of July golf tournament, and George Newby will be in charge of the noon meal.

4-H Boys Field Crop Team Given Awards In Special Program

Awards were presented to the boys' 4-H club field crop judging team in a special ceremony here Tuesday morning. The ceremony was held in the office of Judge E. C. Grindstaff with county officials and agricultural leaders attending.

Individual ribbons were presented Clarence Book, Bobby Schwertner and Lester Jansa, members of the team that won first place at the contests at College Station last week.

There were fifteen teams eligible for the state competition this year and the Runnels county boys came through with the best grade. Clarence Book was the second high point individual in the contests.

County Agent John A. Barton, who coached the boys, also was given a blue ribbon with rosette.

Hubert Frerich received an award for winning second in the grass identification contest. Lloy Rumsley, assistant county agent, was coach for Frerich, who scored 327 out of a possible 350 points. All the boys returned home the past week-end after spending most of the week at College Station.

C. C. Henderson, of Eldorado, spent the past week-end here with his family.

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Moreland Named Chief of Police and Sanitary Inspector

The city commission in session Wednesday afternoon, appointed J. L. Moreland chief of police, fire marshal and sanitary inspector. He has assumed the duties, having taken the oath of office after the appointment yesterday.

Mr. Moreland first became chief of police here in 1929. He served until 1940 when he was elected sheriff of Runnels county and held the latter office until the first of this year.

In addition to the regular duties of police chief, Mr. Moreland will have the job of enforcing the strict sanitary ordinance recently enacted by the commission at the request of health authorities. This will require inspections of the business district and all residential sections in the corporate limits.

The commission asked for bids on the hauling of trash and garbage by Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. At that time bids will be opened and a contract awarded. Bidders are to submit figures by customers rather than on a monthly basis.

The ordinance requires two pick ups daily in the business district and twice weekly in residential sections.

RAINS TO 3 INCHES FALL IN COUNTY WEDNESDAY

Rains ranging from showers to as much as three inches fell in Runnels county Wednesday afternoon. The heaviest reported was at Hatchel where it was stated three inches fell in a short time. The gauge at Ballinger showed 69 of an inch but to the north of town the precipitation was heavier, more than an inch being registered.

Possibly over half the small grain in the county has been cut and farmers who had finished this harvesting were ready for moisture. High winds were said to have done some crop damage in scattered areas.

WINTERS MAN ASSISTANT OF NOLAN COUNTY AGENT

W. W. Allen, 27, of Winters, is now assistant county agent in training of Nolan county. He will aid M. B. Templeton, Nolan county agent.

Mr. Allen recently completed his course at A. & M. College and managed a stock farm for two years. Prior to finishing his education he served in the army 34 months during World War II.

FIREMEN ATTEND STATE MEETING AT GALVESTON

Ballinger delegates to the State Firemen's Association convention at Galveston returned home the past week-end after attending one of the largest and most successful meetings of the association. A total of 715 delegates were registered and with their wives and others the total attendance was more than 1,200.

Attending from Ballinger were Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Posey, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hash and daughter, Ellen Kay.

Local Auxiliary members attending the convention formed the first auxiliary for the state association. Mrs. Morgan was elected a vice-president of the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Neely, of Abilene, spent the past week-end in Ballinger, visiting relatives and friends.

New Lions Officers Will be Installed Tomorrow Night

New officers for the Ballinger Lions Club will be installed at a special "ladies night" program at the Central Hotel tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. Judge E. C. Grindstaff will be the installing officer and a program of entertainment will follow.

Officers to assume their duties tomorrow for the next twelve months are: L. C. Adair, president; Frankie Berryman, first vice-president; Derward Bissett, second vice-president; Malcolm Morgan, third vice-president; Jack Nixon, Jr., secretary-treasurer; Gay Edwards, tall twister; George Newby, lion tamer. Directors to serve on the board with the incoming officers are C. A. Bissett, W. K. Wheatly, Price Middleton, Ernest Caskey, and J. Edward Curry, retiring president.

Entertainment for the Friday night program will be highlighted by an expert pistol shot of the state highway patrol, Austin.

A printed roster of all committees was handed each member at the banquet.

BRADY BOOSTERS HERE TO ADVERTISE JUBILEE

A group of 50 Brady boosters and professional men, accompanied by the high school band, arrived here Tuesday noon on a trip through this section to advertise the annual July Jubilee and Race Meet. The big program will be held this year on July 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Speakers asserted the 1949 program would offer better races and said many of the best horses in the Southwest had been carded on the four-day events. Purses of \$6,000 have been posted to attract the best. On "Old Settlers' Day," July 2, to be held in Richards Park, \$750 in free prizes will be awarded.

Midway attractions, rodeo and various free entertainment will be offered during the four days and nights.

SHORTWAVE RADIO TO BE INSTALLED BY UTILITIES

The West Texas Utilities Co. has started construction of a steel shortwave radio tower just north of Ballinger. The tower will be 125 feet high and will be part of a new communications system for the company.

Additional towers will be built at Abilene, San Angelo and Menard and the equipment will have a 60-mile range. When completed the new system will make it possible to contact all towns served by the company. A number of field trucks and other rolling equipment will have radio sets installed in them for use in emergencies.

Radio was used by the company last year during the heavy freeze when many telephone wires in this section were down. Since then the company has planned a system which will make communication possible in any kind of weather.

Sending and receiving apparatus will be located in one of the offices of the downtown utilities building here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lynn have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Brown in Iowa City, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moody and son, Bobby, of Lamesa, were week-end guests of relatives and friends here.

Elm Creek Water Plant Used to Meet Demand

Wilke Talks Water At Rotary Meeting; Offers His Solution

L. A. Wilke, representative of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was guest speaker for the Ballinger Rotary Club's luncheon Tuesday noon.

Mr. Wilke, former Ballingerite, opened his remarks with a few recollections of his early days in this city which ended June 1, 1915. Since then he has been employed on some of the largest newspapers in the state, did chamber of commerce work several years, and for the past two years has been with the WTCC headquarters at Abilene.

The speaker mainly confined his remarks to the water situation in West Texas. He informed the club that the WTCC had recently organized its own board of water engineers and offered free preliminary service to any town trying to solve its water problem. He pointed to a number of dams that had been built at locations where the watershed was not large enough to ever fill the lakes.

Speaking of the territory served by the WTCC, the speaker stated that two and a half million people lived in the territory larger than the entire New England states. There are 144 affiliated towns and the area contains 104,000,000 acres. It produces 10% of the nation's cotton, 44% of the grain sorghums, 65% of the cattle, 70% of the wool, 300,000,000 barrels of oil and 65 other minerals. It also produces enough natural gas to supply the entire United States, he pointed out, but has a serious need for water.

Mr. Wilke informed the club members that the territory has only six watersheds and that west of Ballinger the quality is poor.

The WTCC is advocating to the federal government the building of small dams to provide water for domestic purposes rather than huge hydro-electric dams. He asserted that a number of small dams would do as much for flood control as one large dam and at the same time the sale of water would retire the debt.

Priorities suggested on a new piece of legislation would give the first water for domestic use; second, for irrigation; third, establish flood control; and last, generate electric power.

Mr. Wilke complimented Ballinger on its fine new water supply and stated that the WTCC was offering its services to the community in any way it might serve.

Annual Encampment Here of County's 4-H Club Girls Postponed

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, said Tuesday that the county encampment for 4-H club girls, scheduled here June 28 and 29, had been postponed. The action was taken after a new case of polio developed here this week and the advice of the city health officer was not to assemble a group of youngsters at this time where they would be eating together.

Miss Chenoweth stated that the encampment would be held later in the year and that as soon as the current polio scare ended, a date would be set and the same program presented.

Letters were mailed to all club leaders this week, advising them of the postponement. As soon as it is considered safe, the encampment will be held and all club members asked to attend.

Supplies for the demonstrations had been purchased and each club had been given complete instructions on what to bring to the camp. No change will be made in the program and the instructions will hold good at the later date.

REGISTERED JERSEY FEMALE BOUGHT BY RUDOLF HOFFMAN

Rudolf A. Hoffman has purchased a registered Jersey female, Pinn Basil Noblesse, E. V., from the herd of I. B. Duck, of Abilene. Young Hoffman is adding the female to his herd and will use her in his animal project this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Caudle accompanied Morris Nunnally to Los Angeles last Sunday to visit Mrs. Caudle's and Mr. Nunnally's sisters, Mrs. Frank Fauls and Mrs. Shelburne Greenhill.

Employees of the city water department began getting the settling basins washed out at the old plant on Elm Creek Monday morning to put this plant in operation at once.

Several days last week consumption was 900,000 gallons or more and the new Valley Creek plant is pumping only about 900,000 gallons daily. The old plant will be used to keep storage tanks full and permit full use of water.

Pumping facilities at the new lake were supposed to provide about 1,300,000 gallons daily but to date the maximum has been about 900,000 gallons. Every effort is being made to increase output from the Valley Creek lake but when consumption is greater than production the plant on Elm Creek will be operated to make up the difference.

The Elm Creek lake is full and all facilities are in condition. It will be maintained and used some during the remainder of the summer while irrigation is at a peak.

DDT Fogging to be Continued in City Two Times a Week

The health committee of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce has collected a total of \$2,137.24 for the special clean-up campaign. To Monday a total of \$734.25 had been spent and there was a balance of \$1,402.99.

The fourth fogging with DDT was given Monday night and the committee voted to continue this work twice a week until further notice. A machine belonging to the city of Coleman has been secured for this work at \$100 for covering the entire city.

A check up on the foggings reveals that much good has been done, householders reporting many dead flies, mosquitoes and other insects. Spraying of toilets and other places in the city will be continued for a while and other necessary work will be done by the committee in the effort to stop the spread of polio.

A case developing here Monday caused efforts to be renewed by the committee.

The chamber of commerce is considering ways of buying a fogging machine for Ballinger at a cost of slightly more than \$1,500. Information received from Brady was that fogging had been done there the past three summers and that since the work was started not a single case of polio had been reported. Brady is fogged for two hours each morning but the entire city had been covered only four times this season through Monday. City officials there stated no flies or mosquitoes were to be found inside the corporate limits.

Ballinger officials are preparing to start enforcement of the new health ordinance dealing with handling of garbage and trash. It is hoped to make a contract for hauling at once and to employ an inspector to check on violations. The ordinance requires that all houses in the city limits have hauling done at a fixed charge which will be billed monthly on water statements.

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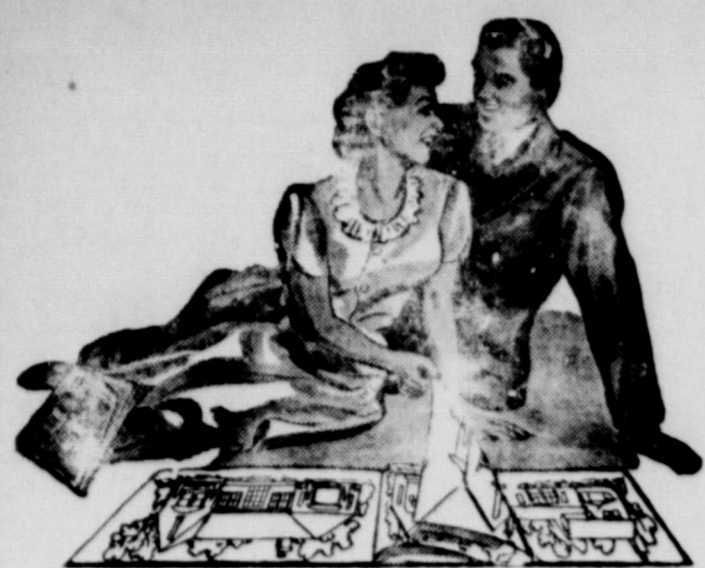
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containers, old rubber, pieces of wood, boxes, barrels, crates, feathers, weeds, grass, tree limbs from any premises in the city limits.

(d) "Rubbish" means tin cans, bottles, glass, scraps of iron, tin, wire, or any metals from premises in the city limits.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of every person, firm or corporation owning, occupying, leasing, operating or renting any premises, or place where "kitchen garbage" accumulates, to provide a manufactured portable garbage can constructed of galvanized iron, tin or other suitable metal, with two handles on same and a tight fitting lid fastened to the can by a metal chain of a capacity of not less than five gallons and not more than thirty gallons and the daily accumulation of kitchen garbage and dry kitchen refuse shall be placed in this garbage can. It shall also be the duty of every person, firm or corporation owning, occupying, leasing, operating or renting any premises to place all trash and rubbish from said premises in boxes, sacks or barrels or other receptacles of reasonable size, provided that the gross weight does not exceed 100 pounds. Garbage cans, boxes, sacks or barrels of trash and rubbish and tree limbs (which shall be cut into lengths not exceeding four feet), shall be placed inside the property line at the edge of the alley, where there is an alley adjacent to the premises, or inside the property line at the edge of the street, where there is no alley adjacent to the premises, in order that the city garbage truck may drive by same to be loaded.

Section 4. The places of wholesale accumulations, such as killing and dressing plants for fowls and animals, wholesale fruit and vegetable houses, storage and other places where the daily accumulation of kitchen garbage, trash and rubbish is more than the ordinary quantities, are not included in the service furnished by the City Garbage Department and such places are required to remove same daily from their premises to the city dump ground at their own expense, in the manner and method and by the means directed by the official designated by the governing body of the city.

Section 5. Heavy dead animals, such as cows, horses and mules, shall be delivered to the city dump ground at the expense of the owner or person having same in charge in the manner and by the method directed by the designated officials.

Section 6. Manure from cowlots, horse stables, poultry yards, pigeon lofts and other animal excreta shall be disposed of at the expense of the person on whose premises same may be found under the direction of the designated officials.

Section 7. No pit toilet or surface toilet shall hereafter be erected in the city limits. All sewerage disposal places hereafter erected shall be septic tanks constructed under the direction of the designated official where the premises are not located on the city sewer line. Where the premises are located on the city

sewer line, the only way the sewerage may be disposed of is through and into such line.

Section 8. All pit toilets and all surface toilets now in use in said city shall be thoroughly cleaned and sprayed with a solution of not less than 5% DDT not less than twice each week and treated with lime at all times. It shall be the duty of each and every person eighteen years old or over living on any premises where any pit toilet is located to see that each such toilet on such premises is cleaned and sprayed as herein provided and breach of such duty shall constitute violation of this ordinance and each day of such violation shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 9. No person shall place any garbage in any street or alley except in the can or other receptacles as herein provided. No person except a city employee or some person placing garbage in a garbage can shall open any such can or open any other receptacle containing rubbish or garbage, nor shall any person tamper with any such can or receptacle.

Section 10. The owner, lessee, renter, operator or other person in charge of any vacant lot shall keep such lot cleaned off and free of all garbage and rubbish. Failure to obey this provision shall constitute a violation of this ordinance and each day on which a violation shall occur shall be a separate offense.

Section 11. The City Garbage Department shall pick up all garbage in residential areas not less than twice each week and in the business area not less than twice each day.

Section 12. Any person who shall violate any provision of this ordinance shall upon conviction be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and be fined not more than \$100.00 and each day on which any violation occurs shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 13. The City of Ballinger shall be entitled to temporary restraining orders, temporary injunctions and permanent injunctions to restrain any person, firm or corporation from violating any provision of this ordinance. It shall be no defense to suit for such orders and injunctions that the defendant has been guilty of a crime in the violation of this ordinance or has been convicted thereof. The City Commission hereby finds as a fact that the delay inherent in criminal prosecutions will prevent such prosecutions from being a wholly adequate remedy to enforce this ordinance and to properly safeguard the health of the inhabitants of the city and that the threat of polio and other

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Section 14. The office of City Sanitary Inspector is hereby created. Such official shall be appointed by the City Commission not less than ten days after passage of this ordinance. He is hereby authorized, and it is hereby made his duty, to arrest with or without warrant of arrest all persons violating any provision of this ordinance or any other sanitation law in effect in the city. The sum of \$1.50 shall be paid to the City of Ballinger each month for hauling garbage and rubbish from each garbage can at each private residence, house or other structure in the residential area. It shall be the duty of each person eighteen years old or over living at each such private residence, house or other structure to see that such sum is paid each month on each premises. The sum of \$3.00 to \$10.00 shall be paid for collecting and hauling off garbage and rubbish from each garbage can at each business house, building or structure in the business area, to said City, and such payment shall be paid by the owner, occupant, lessee, or renter in each such business house, building or structure. Personal judgment may be taken by the City of Ballinger against all persons, jointly and severally, for all amounts for which they may be liable hereunder. It is hereby made the duty of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger to purchase any and all equipment that may be necessary to carry out the terms of this ordinance.

Section 15. This ordinance is cumulative of all other sanitary laws and none of such laws is hereby repealed except where conflicting with this ordinance and in case of any such conflict, the terms of this ordinance shall prevail.

Section 16. If any sentence, section, paragraph, provision or part of this ordinance shall be held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining parts of this ordinance and all parts of this ordinance not so held invalid shall remain in full force the same as if the invalid part hereof had not been adopted.

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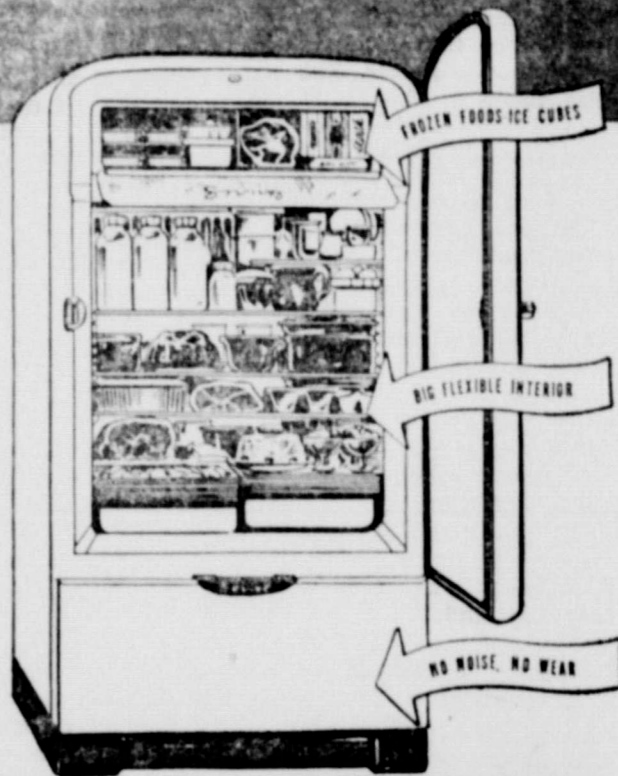


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AN ORDINANCE

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Section 1. This ordinance shall be known as the "Garbage Ordinance" of the City of Ballinger, Texas. The word "premises," as used in this ordinance shall mean business houses, boarding houses, offices, theaters, hotels, restaurants, cafes, eating houses, tourist camps and courts, apartments, sanatoriums, rooming houses, schools, private residences, all buildings and other structures,

vacant lots, yards, and all other places where garbage, trash or rubbish accumulates in said city.

Section 2. The various kinds of garbage shall be defined as follows:

(a) "Kitchen garbage" means dry kitchen refuse, all meat, vegetable and fruit refuse, small dead animals and dead fowls, from any premises within the city limits.

(b) "Dry kitchen refuse" means solids after the liquid or slop has been drained off.

(c) "Trash" means paper of all kinds, rags, old clothing, paper

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'The Snake Pit' Study in Realism, Affords DeHavilland Great Role

From the artistic and cinematographic point of view, 'The Snake Pit,' special feature at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, June 26, 27, undoubtedly represents an achievement, destined to stand out in Hollywood's quest for realism and proof of the medium's ability to interpret human problems.

Here is presented a film of unusual interest, the story of a woman gone insane, her long stay in an asylum and her eventual cure. It is a frightening picture and what laughs there are come at the expense of some of the poor mentally unbalanced going through the blank and senseless routines their unthinking minds prescribe.

Olivia DeHavilland, an actress of distinction, here gives the performance of her life. To a large degree she is the picture and her portrayal of a mind tortured with past experiences and gradually shocked back to sanity and understanding is overwhelmingly realistic. She is supported by a large and uniformly capable cast headed by Leo Genn as the doctor and Mark Stevens as the husband. Other topflight players include Glenn Langan, Helen Craig, Lief Erickson, Beulah Bondi, Lee Patrick, Howard Freeman, Natalie Schaffter, Ruth Donnelly and Betsy Blair.

Team cheese with macaroni or rice as well as potatoes—it's tasty, nutritious—and helps balance the food budget.

Mystery Shot Brings Woman's Confession In Unusual Drama

Revolving around a woman's quixotic effort to shield her protegee from scandal, 'A Woman's Secret,' to be shown at the Texas Theatre Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 28, 29, 30, co-stars Maureen O'Hara, Melvyn Douglas, Gloria Grahame and Bill Williams in an unusual drama of the entertainment world.

Miss O'Hara is the key figure, a former radio singer who loses her voice but successfully guides the career of a younger girl to fame. When her protegee becomes emotionally involved and tries to commit suicide, Miss O'Hara decides to protect the girl's reputation by 'confessing' that she herself fired the shot, and is promptly arrested on a charge of attempted murder. Subsequent developments are the efforts of Douglas, Miss O'Hara's closest friend, to convince the police that the charge is ridiculous, and to clear up the whole affair. How he does it makes for an absorbing plot and a stirring climax.

Victor Jory, J. C. Flippen and Mary Phillips have important supporting roles.

Corn and lettuce top the fresh foods plentiful list and are followed by squash, green beans, greens and carrots.

WEST BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

(Omitted for Lack of Space Last Week) Mrs. J. S. Williams was welcomed as a new member when the West Ballinger home demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. E. F. Vogelsang Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. D. H. Dunlap conducted the business routine. Mrs. Pat Wood gave a report on the last council meeting. It was announced that all club members would meet in the Ballinger park for an all-day picnic Friday, July 22.

Mrs. Vogelsang and daughter, Doris Edwina, gave a demonstration on the making of tile top tables.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Desmond Warren Tuesday, June 28.

The hostess served a refreshment plate to: Mmes. Dunlap, Andy Riddle, Lyle Currie, Desmond Warren, C. D. Middleton, Wood, Beulah Frazier, C. F. Bradshaw, R. W. Smith and Williams.



Stark realism is promised in 'The Snake Pit,' feature attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, June 26, 27.

Milk is produced on the dairy farm for food purposes. Handling it as a food is the responsibility of the dairyman.

Advertisement for E. Shepperd & Company, Fire-Casualty-Auto-And Marine Insurance Since 1911, located in Ballinger, Texas. The ad includes the company name, services offered, and contact information.

Abbott, Costello Purvey Comedy In Laughable 'Mexican Hayride'

Among the thousands of odd communications received by Bud Abbott and Lou Costello, the most unusual of all come to the two comedians during the making of their latest film, 'Mexican Hayride,' booked at the Ford Theatre next Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, June 25, 26, 27, 28.

While the picture was nearing completion at Universal-International studio in Hollywood, a delegation of members of the World Matador's Association, headed by Louis Procuna, top Mexican torador, petitioned Bud and Lou to include the line: 'Any similarity to actual bullfighting technique shown in this film is purely accidental,' in the main title of the hilarious new comedy.

In the film Bud and Lou violate every known rule laid down for matadors, turning their backs on fighting bulls, running away from them and even riding them in the arena, while the animals enjoy immunity from the slightest show of cruelty, due to cooperation between the movie industry and humane authorities.

'Mexican Hayride,' based on the Broadway musical stage hit, features Virginia Grey, John Hubbard and Luba Malina.

Now showing at the Ford, thru tomorrow (Friday) is 'Julia Misbehaves,' an unsated comedy starring Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon.

REV. ROLOFF TO SPEAK AT VALLEY VIEW CHURCH

The Valley View Baptist Church is fortunate to have Rev. L. L. Roloff, well known pastor of the Second Baptist Church, Corpus Christi, as guest speaker tomorrow (Friday), June 24.

Rev. Roloff's church held the highest record in soul winning in the Southern Baptist Convention last year, and this year has already passed its former record. Beloved friend of all and a fiery preacher, Rev. Roloff will fly from Corpus Christi to conduct this service and a unique wedding ceremony immediately following the service. The wedding rites will unite Miss Wanda Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Patterson, and Rev. T. H. Harding, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Harding of Corpus Christi.

The preaching time is 7:00 p. m. and the public is invited.

BOND SALES IN COUNTY REACH TOTAL OF \$56,227

Judge O. L. Parish, chairman for Rannels county in the Opportunity Bond Drive, was informed the past week-end that buyers in this county have invested \$56,227.50 in series E bonds, representing 87 per cent of the county's quota.

County Parish stated that the campaign will continue through June 30 and it is hoped that the full quota will be reached by that time. A number of fairly large purchases have been made in the

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Large advertisement for FORD THEATRE BALLINGER, featuring the movie 'MEXICAN HAYRIDE' with Bud Abbott and Lou Costello. It includes showtimes (Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, June 25, 26, 27 and 28) and admission prices (9c, 25c).

A large advertisement for the Texas Theatre, titled 'A Personal Message to Our Friends:'. It lists movies and showtimes for various days: Last Time Today (John Loves Mary), Friday and Saturday (Myrna Loy, Robert Mitchum), Sunday and Monday (The Snake Pit), and Tues., Wed., Thurs. (A Woman's Secret).

Advertisement for the PALACE theatre, listing movies for Friday and Saturday (Charlie Chan, Vigilantes of Dodge City), Tues., Wed., Thurs. (Red Ryder, Mutiny in the Big House), and Sunday and Monday (Paizan).

Advertisement for 'The Red Pony,' Family Picture Starring Myrna Loy and Mitchum. It includes a synopsis of the film and information about parking meters in the city.

Large advertisement for the FORD F-8 truck, highlighting its 145-horsepower engine and 'BIG JOB' capabilities. It features a photo of the truck and a testimonial from W. J. Worsham of Taft, Texas.

IN SOCIETY

Gift Tea Compliment to Recent Bride

Mrs. Bill Flint, nee Patsy Bishop, was honored with a gift tea in the home of Mrs. Malcolm Morgan Monday afternoon. Assisting were members of the Young Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Morgan greeted guests and presented the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Hugh Bishop, and Miss Joyce Flint, sister of the bridegroom.

Arrangements of garden flowers were used throughout the house. Guests were invited into the dining room, where the tea table was covered with a blue net cloth styled with a floor-tipping ruffle and caught with bows of yellow ribbons, and centered with a reflected arrangement of daisies and zinnias. Sallyne McGahey presided at the punch bowl and Eva Jo Flynt, Harriett Burkhardt and Cynthia Tuckey served cake squares and mints.

LaRita Price, using an original poem, "Stairway to Happiness," gave thirteen steps of advice to the bride, and at the bottom step presented the gifts to the honoree. Other members also gave advice and hints. Soft music was played by Gayle Eubank, and recordings were also enjoyed as gifts were opened.

Others present were: Grace Ann Bryan, Betsy Coffey, Betty Middleton, Betty Ann Scott, Barbara Patterson, Martha Ann James, Ginger Cope, Joyce Lee, Jessie Mae Henderson and Sue Hampton.

Mrs. Oscar Pearson left this week on an extended visit to relatives and friends in Florida and Alabama.

Mrs. Cecil Jones, who has

returned to Ballinger to make home, was welcomed back to Know Your Neighbors as a member when Mrs. Malcolm Morgan was hostess to the club Wednesday afternoon.

The Morgan home was decorated with a profusion of garden flowers where the afternoon was spent in individual handwork. The hostess served a salad plate with sandwiches and cookies with coca colas. Others were: Mmes. Curtis Bryan, Cal Adair, John Barton, Flay Brevard, John Castor, Bill Clark, Joe Flynt, Jack Nixon, Herman Roundtree, LeRoy McAulay and Dee Saylor.

METHODIST YOUTH GROUP MEETING AT SANTA ANNA

M. E. McClenny and Mrs. Marion Hays accompanied a group of young people from the First Methodist Church of this city to Santa Anna Tuesday evening to attend the Brownwood district M. Y. F. meeting, held in the Methodist church in that city. Sue Hampton was presiding officer for the business routine, and the young people of the Santa Anna church presented the program. At the conclusion punch and cookies were served to about 80 young people of the district.

Attending from here were: Bill and Graham Hart, Jimmy Davenport, Betsy Coffey, Deanie Roundtree, Mary Herral, Catherine Hays, Bob Bruce, Wilma Duke, Buster Berryhill, Joyce McCorsin, Sue Hampton, Carolyn McClenny, Dorothy Daugherty and Sue Underwood.

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GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS AT HOME . . . Because Martin Urba, 73, blind for 18 years and bedridden for the past three years, and his wife, Stella, 73, were unable to get to church to mark their 50th wedding anniversary, their son, the Rev. Walter Urba, a priest for 18 years, was given special permission by the chancery office to celebrate the wedding mass in their home in Chicago. Photo shows Father Urba as he gives the benediction to his parents in the dining room of their home which was converted into a sanctuary for the occasion. Father Balys (right) assisted Father Urba in the unique service.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients dismissed from the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital during the past week included:

Mrs. H. L. Cotton and daughter, Thursday
Mrs. N. D. Lee, Maverick, medical, Thursday
Mrs. J. G. Tatum, surgical, Tuesday
Mrs. Henry Kresta, fractured hip, Wednesday
Mrs. Jim Hambricht, Norton, surgical, Sunday
Joyce Ocker, medical, Monday
Mrs. J. H. Snead, surgery, Wednesday
Senora Gilbert Arellano and daughter, Monday
Senora J. B. Valdez and daughter, Wednesday
Mrs. E. E. Snow underwent surgery Monday
Mrs. Joe Wanorek, of Rowena, was admitted to the clinic Friday

for medical treatment.

Lawrence Wehlmann, of Rowena, entered the hospital Monday for surgery.

James Block is receiving medical treatment in the clinic.

Mrs. J. L. King entered the clinic Monday for treatment.

Mrs. B. J. Niehues, of Rowena, was admitted to the clinic Monday for medical treatment.

Belva McMillan, of Talpa, was operated on at the hospital Tuesday.

E. K. Cherry entered the clinic Tuesday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Miller and small son, of Austin, are here to spend the remainder of the summer.

F. H. Turbeville, of Gainesville, was here this week for a few days' visit with relatives.

SOFTBALL TEAMS PLAY ONLY ONE GAME TUESDAY

Only one game was played in the Ballinger church softball loop Tuesday night. The contest slated between the First Methodists and Presbyterians was cancelled when a shortage of players developed on both teams.

The Church of Christ team, behind the pitching of Clifford Cook, defeated the First Baptists by the score of 7 to 6 in one of the best games of the season. The win put the Church of Christ on top in the league standing.

A double-header is scheduled tomorrow (Friday) night, the first game to start at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Juanita Wood, the former Miss Juanita Collins, received her B. S. degree at Hardin-Simmons University on May 30.

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Tomato Juice Hunt's 300 size can 9c | **Coffee** Bright & Early 1-lb. jar 41c
Blackeye Peas No. 2 can 2 for 23c | **Tea and Glass** Bright & Early ¼-lb. 29c
Catsup Special Buy 14-oz. bottle 13c | **Pork & Beans** Chuck Time 3 cans 25c
Peach or Apricot Preserves 2-lb. jar 37c | **Fruit Cocktail** Hunt's No. 2½ can 34c

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MRS. LULA HARVILLE BURIED AT EASTLAND

Funeral services for Mrs. Lula Harville, 82, former resident of Ballinger, were held at Odessa Monday afternoon, interment following at Eastland Tuesday. She died Sunday at 5:30 a. m. at the home of a daughter, Mrs. J. M. Caughran, with whom she had living for the past 12 years.

Survivors include two sons, Clyde Harville, San Angelo; A. D. Harville, Morgan; five daughters, Mrs. Hodge Locke, Bell, California; Mrs. Lon Muncy, Ballinger; Mrs. R. P. Crouch, Lubbock; Mrs. Lee Locke, Wichita Falls; and Mrs. Caughran, Odessa; a foster son, F. W. Thomas, Long Beach, California; 18 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

ARMY-AIR FORCE RECRUITING OFFICE LOCATED ON EIGHTH

Sgt. H. B. Luckemeyer is in charge of the Ballinger recruiting station for the U. S. army and air forces. The office is located across the street from the postoffice on Eighth Street.

Sgt. Luckemeyer will be glad to discuss the advantages of volunteering for service with anyone interested.

Little Charlene New, of Austin, left last Thursday after a visit in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Boelsche.

ARTISTS TEA WILL MARK ROOF GARDEN REOPENING

Mrs. Alice Taylor Moseley, sister of H. Ford Taylor, will present an artists tea at the reopening of the roof garden at Hotel Brownwood Sunday from three to eight p. m. A number of invitations have been received here.

Mrs. J. M. Harrison and children and Mrs. Ruby Liverman returned home Tuesday after a two weeks' visit at Houston, Alvin and Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Trimmer, Jr., and daughter, of Whittier, California, are here for a visit with the former's parents, Judge and Mrs. Paul Trimmer, and friends.

Sgt. Bob Bradshaw arrived from Canada Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends. Stationed in the Northwest Territory the past two years on an experiment for long range navigation, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bradshaw, of Ballinger. Sgt. Bradshaw has reenlisted and after thirty days at home will report at Riverside, California.

U. P. Melton, former resident of Ballinger, transacted business here the first of the week.

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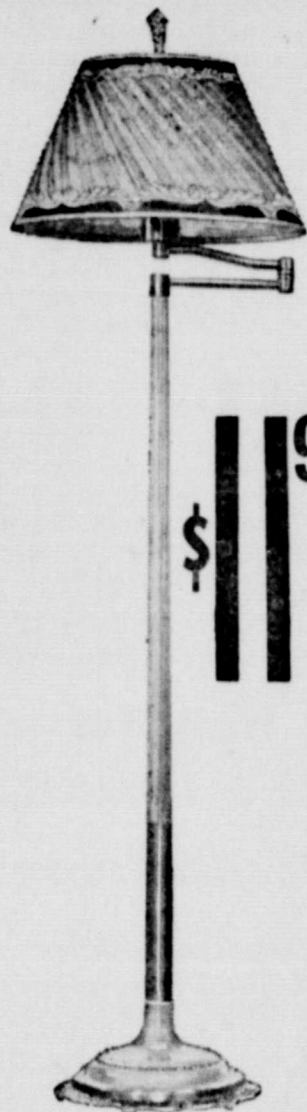
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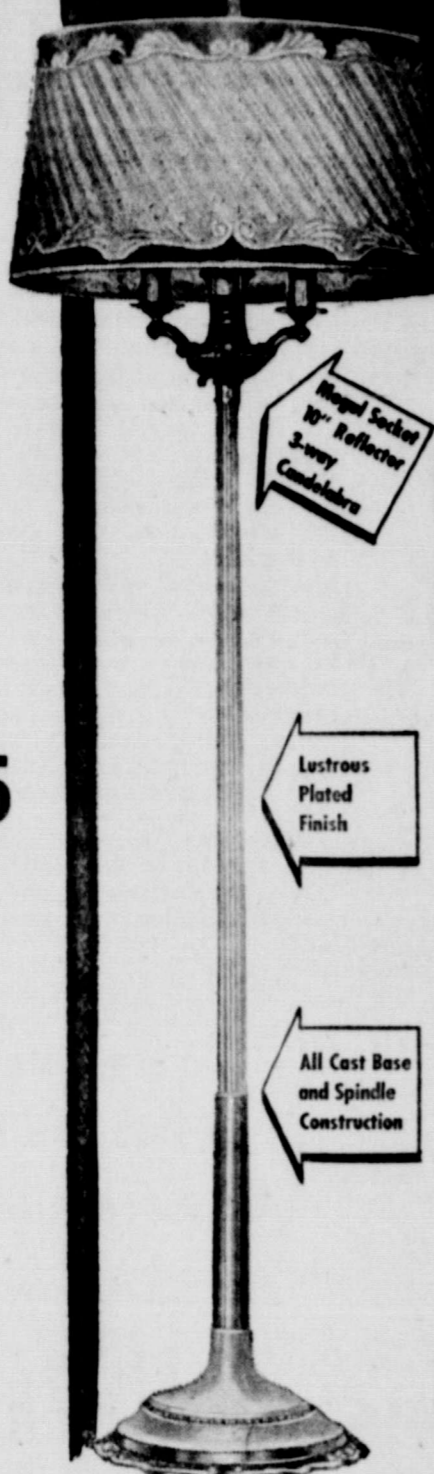
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1200 Seventh Street
Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.; Training Union, 6:45 p. m.
Wednesday: Teachers and Officers, 6:45 p. m.; Prayer service, 7:45 p. m.; Choir practice, 8:30 p. m.

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8:00 p. m., Senior Crusaders, Bible study, Clifton Wright, captain.
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9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11:00 a. m., morning service; 6:45 p. m., N.Y.P.S. program; 8:00 p. m., evening service.
Wednesday:
8:00 p. m., prayer service.
Tuesday:
3:30 p. m., W.F.M.S.
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Sunday:
Bible School, 10:00 a. m.; Sermon and Morning Worship, 10:50 a. m.; Evening Young People's Class, 6:15 p. m.; Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
Monday:
Ladies' Bible Class, 3:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Mid-week Bible Study, 7:30 p. m.
You are always welcome at these services.

First Baptist Church
(400 Eighth Street)
Sunday:
9:45 a. m., Sunday school; Preston Fitzhugh, superintendent; 11:00 a. m., morning worship; 8:00 p. m., evening worship; 7:00 p. m., Baptist Training Union.
Wednesday:
8:00 p. m., teachers' meeting; 8:00 p. m., prayer meeting; 8:15 p. m., choir rehearsal.

First Christian Church
(Murrell Avenue and Broadway)
Herman Price, Sunday school superintendent.
9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 10:50 a. m., morning worship

Grace Baptist Church
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Preaching hour, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, Bible study, 8 p. m.
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8:00 p. m., evening worship
Wednesday:
8:00 p. m., senior choir rehearsal.
C. D. WOOTEN, Pastor

Church of God
Sunday:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Morning worship, 11 a. m.; Junior Y. P., 7:15 p. m.; J. H. SHELL, Pastor; Phone 134

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
Sunday:
11:00 a. m., morning worship; 8:00 p. m., evening worship
Wednesday:
7:30 p. m., mid-week service.

Church of Christ
(1100 Ninth Street)
Lord's Day services, 10 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Ballinger Full Gospel Church
(Corner Hamilton and Fifteenth)
Sunday:
10:00 a. m., Sunday school; 11:00 a. m., morning worship; Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Mid-week prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Lutheran Mission
Lutheran services will be held regularly throughout the summer on Sunday evenings at 8:00. Our temporary location is (in) the auditorium of the Carnegie Library. We heartily welcome all visitors and friends of the "Lutheran Hour" to worship with us.
ARBIE PATSCHKE, Pastor

Mrs. Charles A. Dean, of Andrews, will arrive here today to visit her mother, Mrs. Naomi Keithley, who has just returned home from a San Angelo hospital, where she underwent surgery. Mr. Dean will join his wife here Sunday, and they will return home Monday.

Patricia Davis and Sally Underwood are in Glen Rose this week, attending the Methodist encampment. Others attending the first part of the month were Grider Hays, Conrad Roundtree, Wayne Irby and Jim Jones.

Mrs. O. T. Henley and son, John, left for their home at Gorman Monday after a week spent with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wellhausen. Mr. Henley was holding a meeting at Bryan while his family was here on a visit.

Mrs. Odie Barrington returned the first of the week from a vacation trip and visit to Texarkana, Aknassas, and Vicksburg and Jackson, Mississippi.

Miss Edna Mae Lowry, of the First National Bank, has been in St. Louis, where she visited relatives while on vacation.

Mrs. Joe Forman and daughter, Mary Jo, left Friday for Houston to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold P. Wine, of Ballinger, and Mr. Wine's sister, Mrs. H. F. Precht, of Austin, have recently returned from a three weeks' motor trip through the eastern states. They visited their sister and brother-in-law, Col. and Mrs. Dwight Garrison, at Washington, D. C., while Mr. Wine had a check-up at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore. They also visited relatives and friends in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, birthplace of the Wines.

Ralph D. Crockett, son of Mrs. T. A. Crockett of South Ballinger, returned last week from Boulder, Colorado, where he received his B.S. degree at Colorado University. Mrs. Crockett went to Colorado to attend the graduation exercises and she and Ralph visited at Lubbock on their return trip.

Children of Mrs. T. A. Crockett were here over the week-end for a homecoming A barbecue dinner was enjoyed at noon. Bill Warren, of Paint Rock, furnished and cooked the meat, and all present commented on the goodness of the barbecue. Present were: Ralph Crockett; Tom Crockett, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Gunyon and children, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crockett and daughter, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Warren and daughter, Paint Rock; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Simmons and son, Bethel; and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crockett, Rowena.

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| HONEY | South Texas | 1 lb. jar | 29c |
| PEACHES | SLICED Hunt's - 300 size | can | 17c |
| PINEAPPLE | SLICED Hillside - No. 2 | can | 29c |
| Beans | Ranch Style 15 oz. | can | 13c |
| Treet | Armour's | can | 45c |
| Apricot Preserves | Kimbell's | 2 lb. jar | 41c |
| Peter Pan Peanut Butter | | glass | 35c |
| Tomatoes | Hunt's Solid Pack | 300 size | 14c |
| CORN | DelMonte Cream Style | 303 can | 20c |
| Blackeye Peas | Kimbell's | 300 size | can 13c |
| CARAMELS | Kraft's | 1 lb. bag | 29c |
| Scot Towels | | roll | 17c |
| Vienna Sausage | Dinty Moore Ends and Pieces | can | 13c |

Plenty of Free Parking Space

The Ballinger Ledger

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Collections from parking meters in Ballinger have been cut the past two weeks with traffic short because of the harvest season.

The clean-up campaign started here two weeks ago after polio prevalence caused alarm and a call for emergency measures, is still going on.

and morning many people are working in yards and on vacant lots, getting weeds down and complying with requests of the city and health authorities.

Next Wednesday, June 29, will be the 63rd birthday anniversary of Ballinger. The town came into existence 63 years ago after the Santa Fe Railroad held a town lot sale here at which many people purchased property on the assurance that the area would be served by the railroad.

Notice: To All Shareholders of the Ballinger Cemetery Association: All unpaid taxes or dues on all lots are past due and delinquent.

WEST TEXAS NOTES



The state board of water engineers has continued the hearing of Sweetwater's proposal to build a reservoir on Oak Creek in Coke county.

A new lighted softball field was formally opened at Rising Star Friday night, a dedication program preceding a double-header.

A large number of homemaking students at Menard have started summer projects. June 1 was set as the time for this special work which will include food preparation, clothing construction, hand-crafts, gardening, child care, child guidance, food preservation, redecoration of bedrooms, and poultry.

The Brownwood American Legion post has started a fund raising campaign to purchase an iron lung. Arrangements have been made to have the lung on display in a Brownwood store Friday and Saturday of this week.

ing, or other emergencies.

N. T. Underwood, manager of the Coleman Board of Community Development the past two years, has accepted the position of administrator of the Overall Memorial Hospital and assumed the duties on June 15.

A P. Waldrop was installed as the new president of the Melvin Lions Club at a meeting last week. A fried chicken dinner was served at the community center after which reports were heard and officers installed.

Dedication services were held Sunday afternoon for the new ten-bed Mason Memorial Hospital, which was opened the next day to receive patients.

Special ballots have been mailed to all automobile owners in McCulloch county by the Brady Chamber of Commerce to get opinions on the installation of parking meters in the business district.

The ballots are to be counted and action will be taken in accordance with the wishes of the people who shop at Brady.

Improvements have been started in the Paint Rock school system which will be completed during the summer. A garage for school buses will have automatic heating so vehicles leaving on early morning winter runs will be warm when the children board them on cold days.

Joyce Roach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Roach of Miles, was admitted to a San Angelo hospital last week for polio treatment.

Stephenville city officials stated last week that a new bulldozer had been purchased at a cost of \$9,000 to be used in work at the city dump grounds.

Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: (a) Lucy Wright; and the unknown heirs of Lucy Wright, Deceased; and Wade Wright; and the unknown heirs of Wade Wright, Deceased; and the unknown heirs of I. J. Wright, Deceased; and

(b) All persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to I. J. Wright, of Coke County, Texas, as grantee, dated January 28th, 1908, and recorded in Volume 64, Page 21, of the Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas.

You are hereby commanded to appear and answer plaintiff's petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 18th day of July, 1949, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas.

In Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, this 30th day of May, 1949. (Seal) WILLIE STEPHENS, District Clerk of Runnels County, Texas.

Notice: To All Shareholders of the Ballinger Cemetery Association: All unpaid taxes or dues on all lots are past due and delinquent.

Naomi Class Entertained in Cope Home: Mmes. Earl Cope, D. O. Kennedy, C. E. Maedgen, Rollin Campbell and J. H. Endacott were co-hostesses to the First Baptist Naomi Class Tuesday evening, June 14, entertaining in the Earl Cope home on Eighth Street.

Party rooms were beautifully decorated with gladioli and sweet peas where Mrs. Joe Flynt was in charge of the business and heard reports from officers, after Mrs. B. J. Martin gave the opening prayer.

At the social hour games were played in the garden followed by refreshments of angel food and ice cream. Others were: Mmes. W. D. Davenport, Paul Best, W. J. Hembree, W. E. Wright, Aubrey Ashton, E. D. Lovelady, W. A. McDonald, Jim Golden, Tony Queen, John Castor and Troy Stuart.

Eastern Star Chapter Has First Meeting of New Year: The first meeting of the new year for Ballinger Chapter No.

266, Order of the Eastern Star, was held Monday evening, June 13, with Mrs. Edrie Petty, worthy matron, and H. P. Largent, worthy patron, pro tem, presiding in the East.

Business was conducted in the regular order and reports of officers were heard. Mrs. Petty named the following committees to serve the coming year: house—Mr. and Mrs. George Beard, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moody, and Mrs. Inez McEntire; telephone—Miss Demma Barron, Mrs. Frances Zedlitz and Mrs. Jim Golden; flower—Mmes. Rama Saunders, Chester Cherry, Zedlitz, Willie Hoover and Mina Lasater; finance—France Jones, J. M. Williams, R. D. Midgley, Marvin Clark and Gay Edwards; benevolence—Mmes. Effie Hulsey, Nora McCaughan and Luna Mae Setser; examining—Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Boswell and Mrs. Thelma Gabbert; registration—Misses Mary Jane Kiechle, Helen Williams and Anna Belle Hash; reception—Mmes. Mary Jo Kemp, Halley Parker and Mary Fitzhugh; reporter—Mrs. Hester Simpson and Mrs. Inez McEntire; resolutions—Mmes. Dale O'Neill, Beulah Rape and Velma B. Halley; refreshments—the entire membership to serve as hostesses on this committee, six members in alphabetical order to be in charge.

At the social hour Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Largent, Mrs. Vera Allbright and Mrs. Ruth Bailey served a sandwich plate with punch. The worthy matron's colors, green and white, were emphasized in floral and table appointments.

Others present besides the names mentioned were Mrs. Pauline Fragua and George Mader.

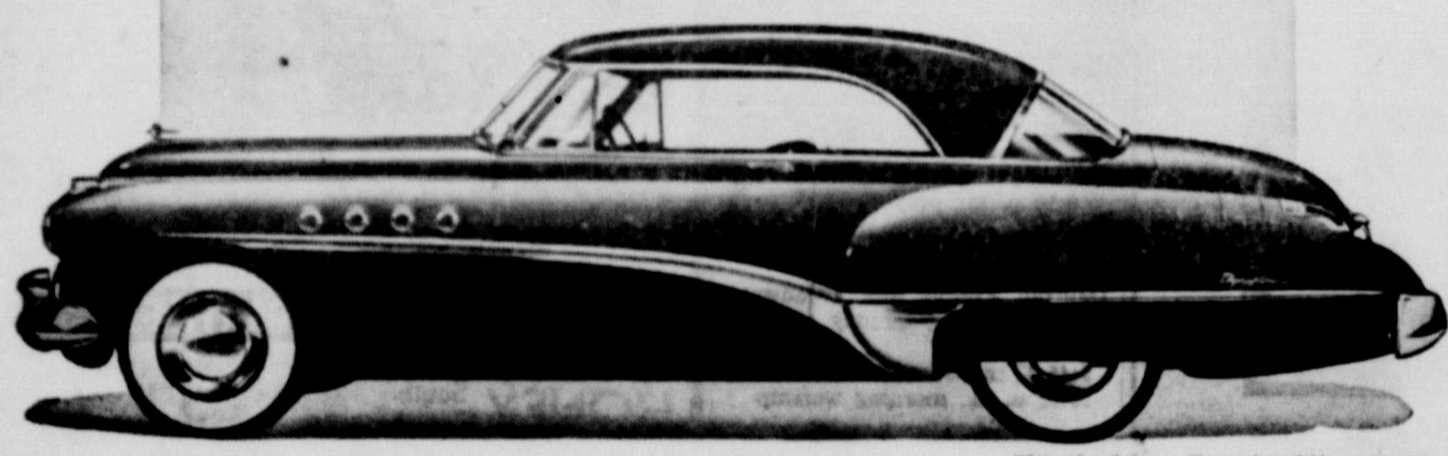
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MRS. LANDRETH AND TWINS JOIN HUSBAND IN PANAMA

Mrs. Murrell Landreth and twin daughters left Monday to join their husband and father at Howard Field, Panama. Lt. Landreth has been stationed in the canal zone several months since returning from Guam. Flying jet planes, he will be stationed at the Central American outpost for two years.

Mrs. Landreth and children flew from San Angelo to Houston Monday, left Houston by air Tuesday noon, and were scheduled to land at Howard Field at 9:30 p. m. the same day. While Lt. Landreth was overseas, Mrs. Landreth and children made home here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Cheatham.

Citation by Publication of Final Account

To Any Sheriff or Any Constable within the State of Texas—Greeting:

M. B. Lee, Administrator of the Estate of Allen M. Lee, Deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Allen M. Lee, Deceased, numbered 2337 on the Probate Docket of Runnels County, together with an application to be discharged from said Administration.

You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ one time and said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof, to-wit: July 4th, 1949, in a Newspaper printed in the County of Runnels you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday the 4th day of July, A. D. 1949, at the Court House of said County, in Ballinger, Texas, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Ballinger, Texas, this 21st day of June, A. D. 1949.

FRANKIE BERRYMAN
Clerk, County Court, Runnels County.

By Lynnie Harris, Deputy
I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

DON F. ATKINS
Sheriff, Runnels County.

By Mildred Massey, Deputy
23-11

BIRTHS

John Maurice is the name given the son born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice (Tony) Nixon in a San Angelo hospital. The baby arrived June 15, weighing 7 pounds 9 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon of this city and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Haverland of Rowena.

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VISITING PRESIDENT WELCOMED AT CATHEDRAL... President Eurico Gaspar Dutra of Brazil is greeted at St. Patrick's cathedral in New York by Francis Cardinal Spellman. The head of the Brazilian government, returning a visit made by President Truman to the South American republic, attended mass at St. Patrick's as one of his first official acts in the big city.

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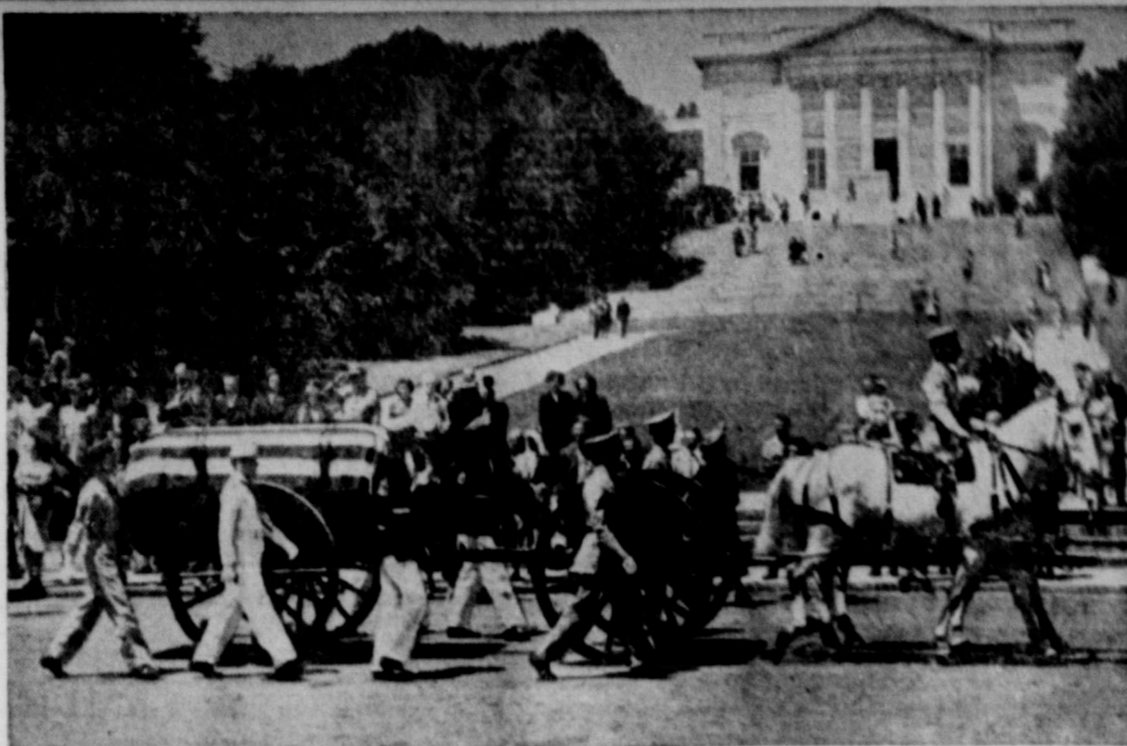
Marjorie Schott, of Mason, who is the house guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Ernest Schott, was complimented with a morning coffee party by Anita Wade Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Wade, in South Ballinger.

Guests enjoyed an informal get-together followed by the hostess serving a sandwich plate with cookies, mints and coca colas from the dining table, which was centered with an arrangement of

white and yellow daisies. Others besides the honoree were: Janice Connor, Joyce Lee, Wilma Duke, Cynthia Tuckey, Eva Jo Flynt, Catherine Hays, Clara Hill, Betsy Coffey, Doodle Dankworth, Tookie Wade, Charlene Olsak, Virginia Cope and Jessie Mae Henderson.

Mrs. Morgan Elected Officer of New State Firemen's Auxiliary

A Woman's Auxiliary was organized when the State Firemen's Association convention was held at the Buckaneer Hotel in Gal-



EX-DEFENSE SECRETARY BURIED WITH HONORS . . . The traditional horse-drawn caisson leads former Defense Secretary James V. Forrestal's funeral procession from the Memorial Amphitheater (in background) to a hillside grave in Arlington national cemetery, resting place of American heroes. Forrestal, the nation's first secretary of defense under the armed services reorganization act, leaped to his death from a 16th floor window of Bethesda naval hospital where he had been undergoing treatment for a nervous condition brought about by overwork and tension resulting from his tremendous task of attempting to bring about unification of the armed forces.

veston recently. Mrs. W. D. Wilson, of Brownwood, presided as chairman for the initial meeting when resolutions were submitted and adopted for the organization, which has for its purpose to aid the firemen's association. A meeting will

be held annually at a luncheon when members accompany their husbands to the state convention. The following officers were elected: president, Mrs. John Bal- lew, of Childress; first vice-presi- dent, Mrs. W. D. Wilson, of Brown- wood; second vice-president, Mrs.

Malcolm H. Morgan, of Ballinger; third vice-president, Mrs. E. O. Thomas, of Elsa; fourth vice- president, Mrs. Howard Salter; secretary and publicity chairman, Mrs. Leo Bales, Lampasas; and sponsor, Nita Jean Boring, Rosen berg.

Thirty-nine Texas cities were represented and members from twenty-three active local auxiliaries were present. Three members of the Ballinger auxiliary attended: Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Raymond Hash and Mrs. D. G. Posey. The local auxiliary is very young, having been organized since the first of the year. There were 83 charter members in attendance. The next state firemen's meeting will be in Laredo next summer.

Miss Saunders Honored at Kitchen Shower

Miss Martha Saunders, bride- elect of Edgar Payne, was named honor guest Sunday afternoon at a kitchen shower party given by Misses Pat Caudle and Mary Evelyn O'Neill, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caudle in Wilke Terrace. It was the second in a series of parties planned to com- plement Miss Saunders.

Arrangements of garden blossoms decorated party rooms where the hostesses' mothers, Mrs. Tom Caudle and Mrs. O. R. O'Neill, served a refreshment plate of ice cream and cake.

Others included were: Mmes. Alex Saunders, Charles Young, Powell Wear, J. W. Longnette, Clarence Richards, Jr., Rex Nixon

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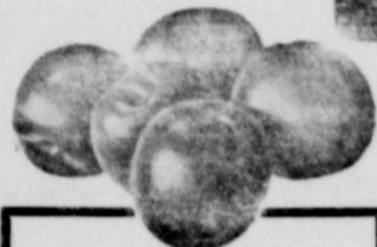
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- Sunkist Lemons Calif Lb. 19c
- Oranges California Rich, Flavorful 5 Lb. Bag 43c
- Green Cabbage Solid Heads Lb. 4c
- Fresh Tomatoes Firm Pink 2 Cts. 25c
- Green Beans Kentucky Wonder Lb. 15c
- Bell Peppers Large Green Lb. 12c
- Fresh Corn Yellow Cross 4 Ears 15c
- White Onions 2 Lb. 15c
- White Potatoes California White Base 10 Lb. Bag 59c
- Blackeye Peas Tender Green 2 Lb. 15c



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- Kitchen Craft Flour Top Quality Home Type 10-Lb. Bag **81c**

- Juice Kitchen Parade No. 2 14c
- Juice Town House 46-Oz. 21c
- Peas Grapefruit 2 No. 2 Cans 23c
- Beans Brown Beauty No. 300 Can 12c
- Tuna Fish Torpedo No. 1 33c
- Catsup Taste Tells 14-Oz. 15c
- Orange Soda Gold Rush 6 12-Oz. 23c
- Root Beer Cragmont 6 12-Oz. 23c
- Sno-Cola Deposit Extra 6 12-Oz. 23c
- Tea Canterbury Orange Pekoe 1-Lb. Pkg. 25c
- Airway Coffee 1-Lb. Pkg. 41c
- Nob Hill Coffee 2-Lb. Pkg. 89c
- Coffee Sanborn Chase & 1-Lb. 49c
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- Fryers** Lb. **53c**
- Pork Liver** Lb. **33c**
- Beef Short Ribs Gov't Graded Lb. 29c
- Fresh Ground Beef Gov't Graded Lb. 49c
- Mello Sliced Bacon 1-Lb. Pkg. 45c
- Dry Salt Bacon Fine for Seasoning Lb. 25c
- Dry Salt Jowls For Seasoning Lb. 15c
- Pork Spareribs Small, Lean Lb. 53c
- Rose Fish Fillets 1-Lb. Pkg. 35c
- Skinless Frankfurters 1-Lb. Pkg. 39c
- Sliced Bologna Lb. 47c

- Yeast Fleischmann 2 for 9c
- Eggs Morning Star Mixed Colors Doz. 59c
- Eggs 12-Grand, Mixed Sizes and Colors Doz. 49c
- Bread Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender 24-Oz. Loaf 18c
- Bread Skyark Guaranteed Better 24-Oz. Loaf 20c
- Soda Crackers Best Baker 1-Lb. Pkg. 23c
- Soaps and Bleaches
- Su-Purb Granulated Soap Lge. Pkg. 23c
- Rinso Granulated Soap Lge. Pkg. 25c
- Duz Soap Lge. 25c
- Dreft Washing Powder 1-Lb. Pkg. 27c
- Oxydol Lge. 25c
- Palmolive Toilet Soap 3 Box 25c
- Palmolive Toilet Soap 2 Box 23c
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Workers Class Entertained in Chastain Home

Members of the Workers Class of the First Methodist Church were entertained in the home of Mrs. W. W. Chastain with Mrs. C. D. Harris as co-hostess. The Chastain home on Seventh Street was decorated with daisies, zinnias, gladioli and other garden



EASY DOES IT! . . . Helen S. Kaman, wife of the designer of the Kaman K-190 helicopter, supports the craft with one hand during a demonstration on the mall near the national Capitol. Aboard the K-190, the world's first commercial twin-rotor helicopter, were William R. Murray, chief test pilot; Aubrey C. Witt, secretary to a congressman, and George Phillip, attaché of the U.S. foreign service. Helicopter development is still within the experimental stage.

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ONE GROUP
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Sharon Scates Has Birthday Party at City Park

Small Sharon Scates was honored on her third birthday anniversary when her mother, Mrs. Jack Scates, gave a party for her at the City Park Thursday morning, June 16.

The honoree, wearing a pale blue organdy frock with lace ruffle trim and all white accessories received guests and opened gifts. After games were played and pictures made of the group, Mrs. E. S. Malone, Mrs. Sam Malone, Mrs. T. J. Forgy and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., assisted in serving the pretty

white birthday cake which was decorated with pink rosebuds and "Happy Birthday Sharon," and topped with three pink candles, with ice cream. Favors were gay colored balloons, and assorted mints and chewing gum.

Those included were the honoree's grandmothers, Mrs. W. D. Scates and Mrs. A. W. Malone; and Mrs. O. H. Chandler and Charles, Mrs. Wylie Stobaugh and Jeff of Odessa, Mrs. Clark Koller and Linda, Mrs. W. K. Wheatly and Connie, Mrs. J. W. Little and Carolyn, Mrs. Fred Underwood and Hal Mack, Mrs. Derward Bissett and Brenda, Mrs. Ed Curry and Karen, Mrs. Allyn Roach

and Carolyn, Mrs. Robert L. Phillips, Jr. and Bruce of Cadillac, Michigan, Melinda Malone, Tommy Nixon, and Mike Wilson.

Miss Betty Ann Scott Bride of Pfc. Thomas W. Bryson

In a single ring ceremony read Saturday morning, May 28, at eight o'clock, in the home of Rev. Rawlins Cherryhomes on Broadway, Miss Betty Ann Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scott, became the bride of Pfc. Thomas W. Bryson, of Randolph Field, San Antonio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harding, of Ballinger.

The Rev. Cherryhomes, pastor of the First Christian Church, was the officiating clergyman.

The bride wore a dress of white pique trimmed with lace and white accessories. Her corsage was

red rosebuds.

Her attendant, Miss Opal Fikes, wore a powder blue pique dress with white accessories and a pink rosebud corsage. Pfc. Robert H. Fikes, stationed at Kelly Field, San Antonio, served as best man.

The bride attended Ballinger High School, and the bridegroom was a graduate of Ballinger High School before going into the service.

The couple will be at home in Schertz, Texas, near Randolph Field, where the bridegroom is stationed.

T. E. L. Class Entertained in Smith Home

Mrs. Carl Smith, Mrs. J. N. Key and Mrs. Max McCrary were hostesses to members of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church Friday afternoon, entertaining in the home of Mrs. Smith

on Eighth Street.

An arrangement of pink gladioli formed the centerpiece for the lace-laid dining table, and daisies and other garden flowers decorated party rooms where Mrs. H. W. Doherty was the presiding officer when reports were heard from officers, and she also gave the devotional. Mrs. J. W. Blasdel gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Key gave a Bible quiz and pal gifts were exchanged.

At the social hour, the class colors, green and white, were emphasized on the refreshment plate with individual cake squares iced in green and white served with frosted punch, and green and white mints. Table appointments were in the same shades.

Present were: Meses. Doherty, Blasdel, B. C. Kirk, Emma Nash, E. T. Branham, A. F. Brock, T. A. Rape, G. N. Nixon, J. G. Batchelor, T. J. McCaughan, Mattie Holliday, Dick Ueckert, W. E. Harvey, John McKay, E. E. Woodson, T. J. Parrish, George Holliday, C. J. Lynn, Annie Dickinson, Lee Butler, Miss Emma Thomas, and a visitor, Mrs. Mary E. Clark.

Miss Fayrene Bolton Bride of Forrest Morgan Wilson

In a candlelight ceremony performed at eight o'clock Friday evening, June 10, Miss Fayrene Bolton, daughter of Mrs. Anna Kelley, became the bride of Forrest Morgan Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilson of Lockhart.

The double-ring ceremony was performed at the First Christian Church on Broadway, with the Rev. Rawlins Cherryhomes, pastor, officiating.

The pink and white bridal theme was used for decorations before a background of wood-wardia fern. Baskets of pink and white gladioluses and white cathedral tapers in floor candelabra banked the altar. Pews of the center section were marked by large bows of candlelight satin.

Jane and Judith, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Hill Hampton, wearing dresses of pastel green organza, lighted the tapers while Mrs. Gene Crawford, organist, softly played a musical prelude which included a group of love medleys. Mrs. N. D. Hoover played the accompaniment for Miss Dewey Lou McGinley, soloist, who sang "Because," and "Always." Mrs. Crawford also played the traditional wedding procession and recessional.

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in marriage by her mother, wore a beautiful gown of misty white Chantilly lace over faille taffeta fashioned with a fitted bodice and cap sleeves which were trimmed with net bands. The full flaring skirt was floor length. Her accessories were a white crownless horsehair braid picture hat with clusters of forget-me-nots, white lace gauntlets and white suede shoes. She carried an orchid showered with ribbon and stephanotis on a white Bible. Following the bridal tradition of something old, she wore a heirloom brooch which had belonged to her maternal great grandmother.

Miss Elizabeth Schneider of Lockhart, was the bride's only attendant. Miss Schneider served as maid of honor and wore a gown of shell pink organza over taffeta patterned like the bride's dress with matching gauntlets. She wore a pink organdy hat and carried a colonial bouquet of orchid gladioli.

Herbert Reid, Jr., of Lockhart served as best man, and ushers were Charles Bailey, Jr., and Paul Jenkins.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Kelley, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Wilson chose navy blue dresses, and both wore pink carnation corsages.

Mrs. Kelley was hostess for a wedding reception at her home in Wilke Terrace and was assisted in receiving guests by the bridal party and parents of the bridegroom.

Arrangements of pink and white gladioli and lilies were placed about the reception suite and the lace-laid dining table was centered with the three-tiered white cake which was decorated with pink rosebuds and topped with a bridal couple. Miss Johnnie Dennis of San Antonio, aunt of the bridegroom, cut the cake, and Miss Judy Wilson of Austin, sister of the bridegroom, presided at the punch bowl. Others assisting were Misses Pat Caudie and Nancy Guynes. Miss Doris Lane presided at the bride's

registry.

Mrs. Wilson graduated from Dalhart High School and West Texas State College at Canyon. For the past year she has been employed by the State Department of Public Welfare in Lockhart.

Mr. Wilson is a graduate of Lockhart High School, and attended Texas A. & M. College before serving in the Marine Air Corps. He is now employed with Strippling-Blake Lumber Co. in Lockhart, where they will make their home.

When the couple left for a wedding trip to the Texas Gulf Coast, the bride wore a dress of dacha salyna cloth, styled with a low neck and trimmed with royal lace and worn with green accessories. Her corsage was an orchid.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilson, Miss Elizabeth Schneider and Herbert Reid, Jr., all of Lockhart; Miss Johnnie Dennis of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Ray and son, Daryl, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Guy West, Miss Judy Wilson, James Bryant, all of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Clary, Wilburn Clary, Mr. and Mrs. Nate Miller, and Mrs. Nedra Hill, all of San Angelo.

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 Mrs. Tom Crockett, president, conducted the business session, which included the council report by Mrs. R. R. Holstead. Mrs. Crockett gave a demonstration on sewing.
 Refreshments were served to 15 members and one new member, Mrs. Scott.
 The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Neuman Smith on July 5, at which time "shadows" will be revealed.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fraser and daughter, Mrs. Jack Peden, of Ft. Worth, came in Friday to spend Father's Day with Mrs. Fraser's parents. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stroble.

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SPORTS

The Cats took to the road Monday and will not return here until next Monday, meeting the Big Spring Broncs Monday and Tues-

day nights at 8:15. Sweetwater Swatters will move in for contests Wednesday and Thursday, June 29 and 30; and the San Angelo Colts will invade Ballinger for a series July 1, 2 and 3.



LADY BULLFIGHTER . . . Conchita Cintron, celebrated woman bullfighter from Peru, is shown as she prepared to enter the arena in Paris in a bloodless exhibition of her art. Parisians enjoyed the show, which ended with the bull alive and kicking.

There will be seven straight home games when the Cats come back off the road. A large number of fans plan to see the last round of series at San Angelo tonight.

Monday morning Manager Lindsay ("Red") Brown announced the release of David Guedes, pitcher, and the return of George Penna, outfielder, to the Midland club.

Elex Joseph Romannelol has been signed to the Cat roster as a catcher. Twenty-one years old, he comes from Cincinnati.

Ken Swann come in Monday from Beaumont to join the Ballinger pitching staff. A right-hander, he played with Waco in the early part of the season. Another hurler is due to join the locals at San Angelo this week.

Skipper Brown is making every

effort possible to get pitching strength quick. He has been promised assistance but the deals will require a little time. When the Cats return home next Monday it is expected that help will be here to do mound duty.

Stu Williams has boosted his batting average and will be listed among the leading hitters of the Longhorn circuit shortly. His performance Saturday night in blasting a single, two doubles and a home run was pleasing to all local fans.

Sunday's game set a record for time on all played in Ballinger during the three years of professional baseball. The time was clocked at 1 hour and 23 minutes and was even shorter than a game of 1 hour and 32 minutes played earlier this season.

Hitting averages of the Cats, released the past week-end, were as follows:
Williams, .383
Higgins, .314
Young, .298

Alvis, .269
Dellis, .264
Luna, .236
Norton, .200
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MISS CHENOWETH OFFICIAL OF STATE ORGANIZATION

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, returned home the first of the week from College Station, where she attended the annual summer round-up and state meeting of agents.

At the closing session of the agents' meeting, Miss Chenoweth was elected first vice-president of the state organization and named a delegate to attend the national convention at Chicago in November with all expenses paid.

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

Double Ring Ceremony Solemnizes Cotton-Sternberg Marriage

Miss Marjorie Sternberg and Grady Cotton were married on Wednesday night, June 1. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Paul G. Strickert at the Grace Lutheran Church, Austin.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sternberg, Koerner Drive, Austin. She is a graduate of the Austin High School and was employed by the Fidelity State Bank for the past five and one half years.

Mr. Cotton, son of Mrs. Vera C. Cotton of Ballinger, is a graduate

of Ballinger High School. He received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree from the University of Texas in May and was a member of the Beta Alpha Psi, honorary accounting fraternity.

Baskets of white daisies and candytuft were arranged before the candelabra for the formal rites. Miss Elsie Lois Zabel, organist, played the wedding march and other selections. Soloists were Miss Irene Wukasch, who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, Mrs. Cotton wore a gown of white satin with a lace yoke and bertha collar. It was teamed with a fitted bodice, pointed waistline and long sleeves pointed over the hands. Her fingertip-length veil of illusion was caught to a lace headdress outlined with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Mrs. Alvin Kessel attended her sister as matron of honor. Her gown was of blue taffeta with a full skirt. She carried a bouquet of blue daisies and wore gloves and headdress of matching blue.

Bridesmaids were Miss Theda Cotton of Ballinger, and Mrs. J. L. Schmitz. Miss Cotton wore a gown of yellow marquisette and carried

a bouquet of yellow daisies. She wore matching gloves and headdress. Mrs. Schmitz wore a gown of pink marquisette and matching gloves and headdress. Her bouquet was of pink daisies.

Hubert Gootee attended the groom as best man. Ushers were Carroll Chandler and James Sternberg.

After the ceremony a reception was held on the church lawn. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with pink roses.

Mrs. Julius Schmitz presided at the bride's book and Miss Theda Cotton and Mrs. Alvin Kessel assisted in serving the refreshments.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Sternberg, wore a black sheer dress with black straw hat and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Cotton wore a navy dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

After the reception the couple left for a short wedding trip. For travel the bride chose a green linen dress and white straw hat with green veil and white accessories.

Presbyterian Society Has Missions Program

Eighth Street Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary members met for their regular monthly mis-



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sions program at the church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Coulter was leader for the program on Guatemala and National Missions in the United States. Mrs. E. S. Malone gave a musical prelude before the devotional, given by Mrs. Rufus Allen, and Mrs. Malone also played the accompaniment for the hymn, "Praise Him, Praise Him," which was sung in unison. "The Litany" was discussed by Mrs. W. F. Lange and Mrs. J. R. Mackey; Mrs. Paul Petty's topic was "A Good Samaritan Has to Have Money;" Mrs. Pierson Corder discussed "An Outsider Views a Mission Hospital;" and a letter from the Imbudo Mission in New Mexico was read by Mrs. Allen. Mrs. Malone read the names in the Yearbook of Prayer, and Miss Eva Lilly brought the missionary prayer. The Lord's Prayer was spoken in unison.

Arrangements of gladioli and daisies were used in the auditorium for the program, and bouquets of nasturtiums centered the tea tables in the church parlors where Misses Eva, Maggie and Eunice Lilly were hostesses at the social hour when they served chicken salad sandwiches and cookies with iced tea. Miniature U. S. flags were plate favors.

Others besides those on the program were Mrs. A. W. Sledge and Mrs. J. W. Black.

Methodist Philathea Class Meets in Caudle Home

Mrs. Tom Caudle and Mrs. M. B. Webb were co-hostesses to members of the First Methodist Philathea Class Monday evening, entertaining in the Tom Caudle home in Wilke Terrace.

Garden flowers were used to decorate party rooms where Mrs. R. D. Midgley directed the business routine at which time the class decided to furnish meals to an invalid during the month of July. Mrs. Midgley named the following to act as a nominating

committee: Mrs. T. A. Parrish, Mrs. Troy Simpson and Mrs. George Beard. Mrs. Sam Behringer brought the devotional, "Cooperation."

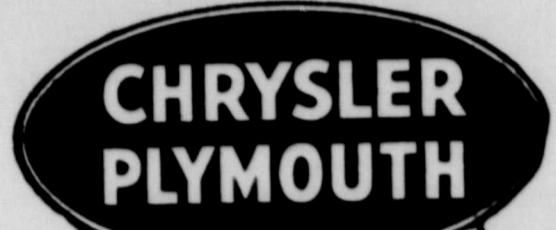
At the social hour Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman and Mrs. Paul Richardson were birthday celebrants. Hostesses served ice cream and cake. Others were: Miss Thelma Midgley, Mmes. T. J. Forgey, Claude Stone, Cal Adair, O. R. O'Neill, Marion Hays, Robert Bruce, Cecil Jones, George Beard and Leroy Williamson.

Capt. and Mrs. Q. V. Miller, Jr., and daughter, Margaret Jane, of Scott Field, Illinois, are here for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Q. V. Miller.

A clergyman says all scandal should be printed. Evidently he doesn't know the high price of newsprint.



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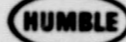


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Mrs. Irvin Owens and children and Mrs. Pearl Growman, of Ballinger, visited their mother, Mrs. Lillie Osburn, one day last week. We are glad to say Ronnie Owens, who was hurt, is much better. Mr. and Mrs. Will Porter, of Crews; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Porter and Jimmie, and Mr. and Mrs. Burnace Porter, of Abilene, attended the Bates reunion at Levelland last week. They reported a nice time, and said over one hundred attended. Mrs. Emmie Bates had all her children present but two. Catherine Mauldin, of Ballinger, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Boatright, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hale, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Hale Terry, of Childress; and Mrs. Noel Hale and Robert, of Talpa, were guests in the Arthur Alcorn home last

week. Mike Boatright left Sunday for the harvest fields in Kansas. Mrs. Troy Wood, of Portales, New Mexico, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boyington, this week. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Frona Wood, of Ballinger. Mrs. Marion Boyington and children, of Odessa; Mrs. Frison, and Mr. and Mrs. Maca Kade and children, of Winters, visited in the Boyington home Tuesday night. Rev. and Mrs. Arnis Pape have moved into our community. They have lived here before and we are glad to have them with us again. Miss Eunice Pope was a visitor in the C. Hambricht home Sunday. Our community was saddened by the death of E. A. Hale, of Glen Cove. The family has our deepest sympathy in their bereavement. Porter Baker, son of Mrs. E. W.

Bridwell, is reported considerably improved after spending several days in the Winters hospital the past week. Mrs. R. E. Burrus, Mrs. Joe Irvin and Jerry, Mrs. Chester McBeth and Lyndon spent Wednesday of the previous week with Mrs. M. M. King at Tye. They went on to Sweetwater and spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. L. T. McBeth. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hood, of Marshall, are announcing the arrival of a son. Mrs. Hood will be remembered here as Miss Waldene Swartz. Mrs. W. H. Swartz is visiting in the Hood home. Mr. and Mrs. M. M. King and Janice, of Tye, were guests of his mother, Mrs. R. E. Burrus, Monday. Mr. King has just returned from the national guard camp at North Camp Hood.

Mrs. E. N. Bridwell was in the Winters hospital two days of the past week, suffering from pneumonia. She is at home now, but is still pretty sick.

NOTICE

To All Shareholders of the Ballinger Cemetery Association: All unpaid taxes or dues on all lots are past due and delinquent. The unused portion of said lots are subject to action of the directors. Make your payments at once to Mrs. Gertrude Woods, assistant secretary-treasurer, at her office on Eighth Street.

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A writer has figured out why some people don't mind their own business—some have no mind, others no business.

CLUB WOMEN TO ATTEND MINERAL WELLS MEETING
Members of home demonstration clubs of Rannels county are planning to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association at Mineral Wells on September 21, 22 and 23. Delegates are: Mrs. H. O. Abbott, Drasco; Mrs. Harold Routh, East Ballinger; and Mrs. Kirby Robinson, Norton. Alternates are: Mrs. E. H. Voelkel, Rowena; Mrs. C. H. Stoecker, Victory; and Mrs. Dick Holstead, South Ballinger.

Mrs. B. M. Batts, county council chairman, intends to attend, and Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, stated that others probably would make the trip.

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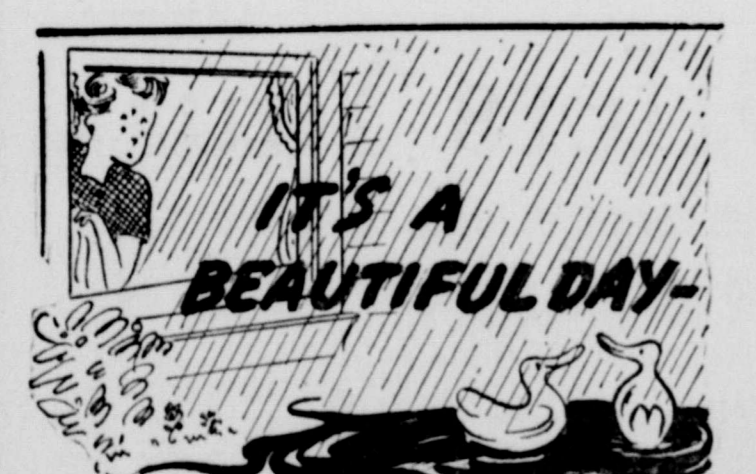
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IN SOCIETY

Friendship Sunday School Class Entertained at Dinner

Mrs. James Weaver, Mrs. Ed Curry and Mrs. Gene Keel were hostesses to members of the Friendship Class of the First Methodist Church Tuesday evening, June 14, entertaining with a dinner in the Doss Bible Classroom at the church on Tenth Street.

Tables were decorated with arrangements of daisies where the dinner menu was served. Clyde Simmons, class president, directed the business and gave the invocation.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mrs. Simmons, Wylie Hearna, Tom Adams, Mack Young, Edward Blissett; Mrs. Fred Middleton and W. N. Selby; Messrs. Ed Curry and Gene Keel.

Mrs. Sanders Gives Travelogue on Mexico for Garden Club

Mrs. Claude Sanders, of Winters, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club on June 14, held in the club room on Eighth Street.

Mrs. W. O. Irby was the presiding officer and heard reports. Mrs. Bill Clark reported that fifteen new books had been purchased for the library and that 315 books from the library shelves were in circulation during May.

Mrs. Tom Caudle, program

chairman, gave "Garden Tips on Flower Planting This Time of the Year," and discussed how to care for cut flowers. Mrs. Caudle presented Mrs. Sanders, who gave a very interesting travelogue on her trip to Mexico. At the conclusion Mrs. Chester Cherry presented Mrs. Sanders a beautiful bouquet of gladioli, which had been grown in the Cherry and Caudle gardens.

Floral arrangements were displayed as follows: zinnias by Miss Lula McElroy; carnations and gladioli by Mrs. Caudle; daisies by Mrs. James A. Wear and Mrs. Cherry; sweetpeas by Mrs. Bill Clark; nasturtiums by Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite; and gladioli by Mrs. Cherry.

Others present were: Mrs. R. A. Dickinson, T. J. McCaughan, Elmer Shepperd, Henry Moody, Claude Stone, H. O. Campbell, H. P. Largent, George Beard, Oscar Pearson, Tom McEntire, Pauline Fragua, M. A. Davidson and Cal Adair.

Conquest Class Meets in Miller Home

Miss Frances Routh and Mrs. Clark Koller were hostesses to members of the Conquest Class of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church Tuesday evening, June 14, entertaining in the home of Miss Routh's grandmother, Mrs. F. C.

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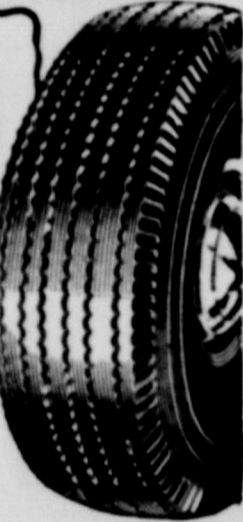
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At the social hour an informal get-together and a sing-song were enjoyed. The hostesses served a sandwich plate with cookies and punch. Zinnia corsages were plate favors.

Visitors were Mrs. F. C. Miller and Mrs. Oscar Routh. Others were: Mrs. R. W. Baile, Rufus Allen, Jack Ashton, John Reese, Misses Carmen Demmer and Lillian McMillan.

Gift Tea at Church Compliments Miss Patterson

Miss Wanda Patterson, bride-elect of the Rev. T. H. Harding of Corpus Christi, was paid a pretty compliment the afternoon of June 15, when Mrs. Roy Tyree, L. S. Nunn, Ellis Stubblefield, Merle

Taff, Gene Wilson and John Duke were hostesses at a beautiful gift tea in the parlors of the Valley View Baptist Church.

Miss Patterson and Rev. Harding are to be married at seven o'clock Friday evening, June 24, in the Valley View Baptist Church.

The pastel bridal theme was given attractive emphasis in all details with daisies, gladioli and other garden blossoms being used to decorate the parlors where Mrs. Nunn extended greetings and presented the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Marvin Patterson.

The tea table, laid in lace, was centered with an arrangement of shasta daisies. Mrs. Wilson presided at the crystal punch bowl and other hostesses served individual cake squares.

Mrs. Taff presided at the bride's book when about forty friends of the honoree called.

Surprise Picnic Party Honors Patty Morrison

Joyce Lee honored Patty Morrison with a surprise picnic party Friday evening, June 10. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Jesse Lee, Mrs. Annie Bibb and Mrs. O. G. Morrison.

A sandwich plate with iced tea was served to following: Patty Morrison, Janice Connor, Charlene Oisak, Clara Hill, Betsy Coffey, Mary Neill, Catherine Hays, Barbara Patterson, Gayle Eubank, Jerry Henderson, Wilma Duke, Joyce Lee, C. B. Boggess, Daniel Hallmark, Paul Harrai, Bob Vancil, James Read, James Sloan, Mrs. O. G. Morrison, Glenn, Larry and David; Mrs. Jesse Lee and Deanie; Mrs. Annie Bibb, Carol Taylor.

Loretta Brown Entertains Group with Slumber Party

Loretta Brown was hostess to a group of close friends when she

entertained with a slumber party in the Herman Brown home on Eighth Street Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown accompanied the group to the baseball game which was followed by games and a fashion show with prizes. A midnight snack was served, and breakfast was served the group Wednesday morning.

Others were: Dee Ann Saylor, Sally Underwood, Mary Tisdale, Ruth Watkins and Shirley Jones.

Bridge Luncheon Prenuptial Courtesy for Miss Saunders

Another prenuptial party complimenting Miss Martha Saunders, bride-elect of Edgar Payne, was a bridge luncheon given by Mrs. J. W. Longnette in her home on Eleventh Street Tuesday morning.

A reflected arrangement of shasta daisies was the centerpiece for the linen-laid dining table where the two-course luncheon

was served following games of contract during the morning hours.

A gift of china in the pattern favored by the honoree was presented by the hostess.

Bridge guests were: Mrs. Powell Wear, Mrs. Orland Middleton, Misses Nancy Guynes, Anna Sue Hembree, Elizabeth Wear, Pat Caudle and Dorothy Holliday; and guests coming for the luncheon were: Mrs. Bill Canada, Misses Charlotte Miller, Elizabeth Routh and Evah Jo Payne.

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