

CREWS

Mrs. Inez Hambright, Cecil Shirley and Bennie visited her sister at Port Isabel the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Allcorn; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allcorn and Charles, of Talpa; and Leslie Allcorn, of San Angelo, visited in the Arthur Allcorn home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mathis visited in the John Burson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Mayhew, of Drasco, visited in the Elvin Bridwell home Monday.

Mrs. John Berry is sick at the home of her sister, Mrs. Russ Boynton.

Mrs. Marion Wood returned to her home Saturday after spending several days in the Winters hospital.

Mrs. Opal Billings and children, of Plainview; Miss Tyree, an Abilene teacher; and Mr. and Mrs. Phipps visited Mr. and Mrs. Russ Boynton Sunday.

Patsy Hambright has the mumps.

Charles Berry has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Berry. Charles has finished boot training at San Diego, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth and Lyndon and Mrs. E. E. Burrus visited Loyd McBeth and family

at Sweetwater Sunday and attended church services there Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Petrie received a message Monday stating a cousin of Mrs. Petrie's had died of burns she received some time ago. They left for Lampasas to attend the funeral Tuesday.

Mrs. Hambright, of Winters, is visiting in the J. O. Wood home.

SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The South Ballinger home demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. J. P. Boothe Tuesday, April 18. Mrs. Tom Crockett presided at the business session.

Mrs. Archie Wallace and Mrs. Jack Fry gave demonstrations on banana bread and muffins.

The hostess served a salad plate with bottled drinks to 14 members and a visitor, Mrs. O. K. Jacob.

The next meeting will be held on the first Tuesday in May and members will visit furniture stores in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fowler, of Dallas, spent the week-end here with relatives and Miss Maggie Crockett returned home with them Sunday for a visit.

We are now living in the geological epoch Holocene.

JACK MOORE CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

To the Voters of Runnels County:

In announcing my candidacy for the office of County Attorney of Runnels County, I do so with the utmost humility. I realize that I am not acquainted with very many of the people of this county, outside of Ballinger. However, it is my earnest desire to contact every person possible between now and election day. If you are not acquainted with me, I will sincerely appreciate your asking my friends and acquaintances in Ballinger about me.

I was reared on my father's farm in Brown County, Texas. I received by public school training in the Brownwood School System. I attended John Tarleton College in Stephenville; Texas Technological College in Lubbock, Howard Payne College in Brownwood, and I received my Law Degree from the University of Texas in Austin. As for further information about me, I have a wife and a baby boy. I am a veteran of World War II, having served in the infantry in Europe and the Pacific.

I am asking for the office of County Attorney for a number of reasons. First, I am asking for the job because I believe sincerely that I am qualified for it. Secondly, I am entering the race because a number of my friends have asked me to run. Thirdly, I am asking for it because I want this opportunity to serve the people of Runnels County. I solicit your inspection of my reputation and abilities. I hope that I can meet you personally sometime between now and the election in July. If I am unable to do so, I hope that you will accept this as my personal request for your vote and support. I promise you that in return I will serve you to the best of my ability; and I furthermore promise you that so long as I am your County Attorney, the County's business will always come first.

Sincerely yours,
JACK MOORE
(Political Advertisement) 20-11

16 Boys Registered By 2-County Board

The Coleman-Runnels draft board registered sixteen boys who had become 18 years of age during March. Following are the registrants:

Coleman
James Robert Harris
Marcus Wayne Brusenhan
Henry Irvin Short, Jr.
Osie Lee Mitchell
George Melton Beal

Santa Anna
Garland Wayne Walter:

Novice
Billy Wayne Gorman

Ballinger
Billy S. Collins

Rowena
Frederic Warren Feist

Winters

Willard James Hoelscher

TAYLOR ATTENDS MEETING OF AREA OPTOMETRISTS

Dr. A. T. Taylor, secretary of the West Central Texas Optometric Association, was present when the monthly meeting was held at Abilene Sunday. "Before You Shoot" was the theme of the program. Large attendance was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher A. Crockett and son, Jack, of Midland, were recent visitors in the homes of Ballinger relatives.

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A member of the division artillery of the 11th airborne division of Pacific warfare fame, Lt. Thompson is a qualified parachutist with a number of jumps to his credit.

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Interesting Reports Given at Meeting Of Home Demonstration Club Council

The Runnels county home demonstration council held its regular meeting on Friday afternoon, April 14, in the office of Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent. Mrs. B. M. Batts, chairman, presided.

All clubs were represented at the meeting but one. Club pres-

idents reported their members had received the demonstrations on frozen breads and rolls, cookies, Boston brown bread, congealed salads and desserts.

The Drasco club made \$60 by having a community box supper. The East Side club made \$32 by holding a bake sale, and the Wil-



VICTIM OF MERCY TRAGEDY . . . Doctors in the Knickerbocker hospital in New York City work desperately against time over Michael Woods, 58, a pernicious anemia sufferer, after he was bludgeoned in an attempted "mercy slaying." New York police say that his brother, Charles, 56, attempted to kill Michael to save him further suffering. Charles then committed suicide, dying in a leap from a third floor apartment at 211 West 107th street. He apparently never knew that his attempt to kill his brother was unsuccessful, probably thinking Michael dead when he took his own life. Michael was in a critical condition at the hospital when this scene took place.

Methodist Revival Attracting Crowds; Will Close Sunday

The revival at the First Methodist Church is attracting large congregations to hear Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Flowers. Both of the guest workers are doing the preaching and they also direct the music. The church was filled at both services Sunday and interest has continued high this week.

Friday has been designated as "Go to Church Day" and a general meeting for all ages will be held at the church auditorium at 10 a. m. It was announced that no morning service would be held Saturday but a great program has been planned for the evening hour at 7:30.

Sunday morning a general assembly of the entire Sunday school will be held in the church auditorium at 10:20. Department heads will be instructed on bringing their students to the special service. The guest speakers will address the entire group at this

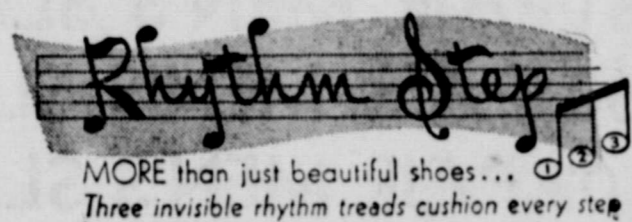


JUSTICE RECOVERS . . . Justice William O. Douglas returns to his office at the supreme court after a 10-month absence. He says he has fully recovered from near-fatal injuries he suffered when a horse he was riding slipped and fell upon him.



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meth club made \$72 by serving a luncheon to the Winters Lions Club. All clubs plan to cooperate with the council finance committee in raising council funds.

Clubs will observe National Home Demonstration Club Week from April 30 to May 6, in various ways, such as picnics, community parties, club luncheons and inviting other guests, socials for club members' families, etc.

Several clubs reported planting shrubs, repapering rooms, retooling rooms with oak, making rugs, buckles and belts, raising chickens and giving home permanents. Two new homes were built in the Victory community.

Mrs. Bob Fowler, of the Bethel club; and Mrs. Kresta, of the East Side club, attended the recreational school at Coleman last month. Mrs. Fowler gave the council a detailed report of the meeting.

Miss Chenoweth asked the clubs to decide what they prefer to have for the county rally day. She said clubs might invited Mrs. Fowler and Mrs. Kresta to help with the recreation when they entertain for National Home Demonstration Club Week.

The finance committee will report later on a definite plan for raising the council budget, but several possible ways were discussed.

Club presidents were reminded to ask for suggestions on programs for next year's year-book at club meetings.

Council dues of \$5 are due by June 1, from all except newly organized clubs.

The club program for the May meeting is on selection of good

furniture and clubs may meet in local furniture stores if they wish. Miss Chenoweth should be notified if the meeting is to be at a furniture store.

Mr. Barton, county agent, has announced that Mr. Williams, of A. & M. College, a poultry specialist, will hold a meeting in the district court room of the court house on April 25, and will discuss controlling poultry diseases, especially Newcastle disease. Club members as well as the public are invited to attend this meeting.

Miss Chenoweth, chairman; Mrs. B. M. Batts, vice-president; Mrs. Thomas Egan, SE committee chairman; Mrs. Calton Smith, and year-book committee chairman, Mrs. Chester Busher, will attend a training school at Coleman on April 24.

Mrs. Harold Routh, T. H. D. A. chairman, read an invitation to the club women to visit the New Braunfels textile mills on a tour of inspection. She also read a letter from a mental hospital at Abilene saying that a box of birthday gifts sent once a month by club women to the patients of a ward of the hospital having birthdays that month, would be appreciated.

BALLINGER GIRL MADE MEMBER OF FRATERNITY

Miss Evelyn Higby, of Ballinger, became a member of Alpha Iota, North Texas State College chapter of Pi Upsilon Omicron, national home economics fraternity, in a sunrise initiation recently. A high scholastic rating is required for membership in the society.

A horned toad is actually a lizard.

BALLINGER SINGERS GO TO ABILENE SATURDAY

Charles Kelly, teacher of public school music, will accompany 21 members of the Ballinger high school girls' choral club to Abilene Saturday. The girls will attend a choral singing clinic at Abilene Christian College under the direction of Dr. Wilfred Bain, of the University of Indiana.

Dr. Bain, formerly with North Texas State College, Denton, and famous for his choral work, will come to Abilene to conduct the clinic. He will have special groups during the day and will then assemble all visiting students for a massed choral club to conclude the program.

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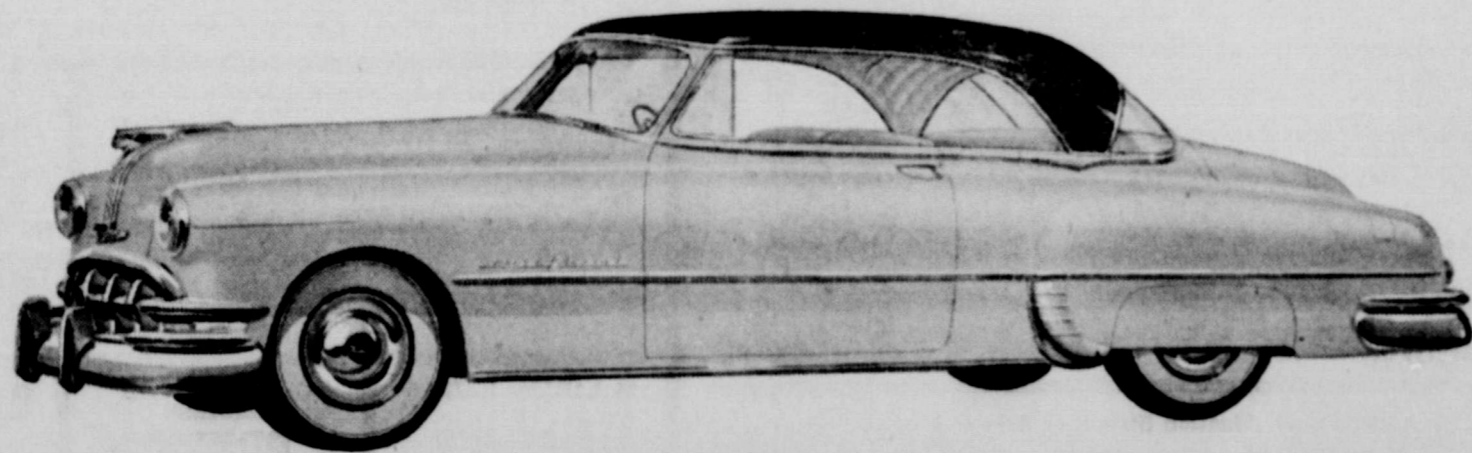
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Many Runnels County Club Members Attending Meeting at Abilene Today

About 75 members of Runnels county home demonstration clubs are in Abilene today to attend the spring convention of the Texas Home Demonstration Association. Three delegates are representing this county's clubs at business sessions and the others are attending the program features.

Sessions at Abilene are being held in Sewell Hall on the Abilene Christian College campus. Agents and delegates are to have meals at one of the college halls, while many of the Runnels county women carried picnic lunches and will spread their noon meal in one of the Abilene parks.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, will go to Austin tomorrow to meet with a committee to select agents

of the state for special recognition this year.

On Monday Miss Chenoweth, Mrs. B. M. Batts, Mrs. Calton Smith, Mrs. Thomas Egan and Mrs. Chester Butcher will go to Coleman, where Miss Bonnie Cox, organizational specialist of the A. & M. extension service, will have charge of a one-day school.

On May 27 Miss Chenoweth will attend a special foods program at Anson, of which Miss Jimmie Nell Harris will have charge.

Miss Chenoweth was in Coleman last week for a meeting with other agents in this district to arrange for the girls' encampment. Designation of the place and setting of the date were deferred but a vote was registered for the camp to be held in Ballinger if suitable quarters could be secured.

FINE FOR DRUNKEN DRIVING ASSESSED IN COUNTY COURT

Thomas Gomez, Jr., entered a plea of guilty in county court Monday morning on a charge of driving while intoxicated and was fined \$50 and costs. This was the only case originating the past week-end to come before the court Monday.

STUDENTS TO REGIONAL MEET IN TENNIS PLAY

Ballinger high school will be well represented in tennis contests at the regional meet at Brownwood this week-end. Coach Wayman Wilson will accompany three local students to the meet tomorrow. Jimmy Davenport and Jimmy Parrish are in boys' doubles and Virginia Cope plays in girls' singles.

These students go to Brownwood after having won matches in the district meet at Brady the past week-end.



BRITISH SOCIALIST DIES . . . Professor Harold J. Laski, 56, prominent British Socialist, died recently after collapse of his left lung. Here, he is shown with his wife as they prepared to sail aboard the liner Queen Elizabeth for England in April of 1930. Professor Laski was a former active chairman of the British Labor party, and was for many years a practicing theoretician of the socialist idea of government. He wrote several books upon government as it is practiced in the United States, and was accused of being a Communist, although he disavowed that cause many years ago. He made a tour of the United States last year, lecturing upon socialist politics.

Ballinger, Winters Catholic Churches Dedication April 26

At 10:00 a. m. Wednesday, April 26, the Most Rev. A. Danglmayr, D. D., auxiliary bishop of Dallas, will dedicate the Latin-American church on Strong Avenue in Ballinger, and the mission church at Winters at 3:00 p. m. on the same date.

Bishop Danglmayr will preside at the solemn mass of dedication in Ballinger. The celebrant of the mass will be the Very Rev. F. J. Hullweg, O. M. I., superior of the Sweetwater district, who will be assisted by the Very Rev. John Duesman, dean of the Abilene deanery, as deacon, and the Rev. Herbert H. Hooks, O. M. I., of Menard, as sub-deacon. Rev. Edward P. Harrison, O. M. I., of Brownwood, will be master of ceremonies. The bishop will administer the sacrament of confirmation after the mass.

For the dedication mass the choir of St. Mary's Church will sing the "Salve Regina" mass by

Rev. C. Rossini. Rev. Francis Taylor, O. M. I., of Midland, former assistant pastor at St. Mary's, will preside at the organ and direct the choir. Bishop Danglmayr will give the English sermon, and the Rev. A. L. Feeel, O. M. I., of Sweetwater, will deliver the Spanish sermons in Ballinger and Winters.

At noon the women of the parish will assist members of St. Mary's Altar Society in serving luncheon to the Most Rev. Bishop Danglmayr and clergy in St. Mary's new recreational center following the blessing of the new hall.

After the dedication of the new church at Winters at 3 p. m. the bishop will administer the sacrament of confirmation, followed by the benediction of the blessed sacrament. The celebrant for the solemn benediction will be the Very Rev. Edward B. Postert, O. M. I., pastor of St. Mary's parish, who will be assisted by the Very Rev. Alcun Feidhues, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, San Angelo, as deacon, and the Rev. F. M. Bosen, St. Joseph's Church, Rowena, as sub-deacon. The Rev. Michael Slattery, O. M. I., pastor

at Winters, will be master of ceremonies.

It is deeply regretted by the pastor and members of the parish that the Most Rev. Ordinary Bishop Joseph P. Lynch, D. D., of Dallas, will not be able to attend the dedication ceremonies, due to ill health. Much of the credit is due Bishop Lynch for the achievement of the two new churches, as generous contributions were given by him. The mission church at Winters is the fulfillment of a 25-year-old dream of the beloved Bishop Lynch.

Notice to Creditors of Estate of Frank E. LaMotte, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Frank E. LaMotte, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1930, by the County Court of Runnels County. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are: Ballinger, County of Runnels, State of Texas.

Notice to Creditors of Estate of M. C. Falls, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the Estate of M. C. Falls, deceased, were granted to R. E. Harris and V. E. Wilson, the undersigned, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1930, by the County Court of Runnels County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to either of the undersigned within the time prescribed by law. The residence and post office address of R. E. Harris is: Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas. The residence and post office address of V. E. Wilson is: Winters, Runnels County, Texas.

GRACE ANN BRYAN MAKES B HONOR ROLL AT TARLETON

Grace Ann Bryan, of Ballinger, has been named to the "B" honor roll for the first nine weeks of the second semester at Tarleton State College, Stephenville.

Ann, who was one of 35 students in the arts and science department to earn this honor, is majoring in journalism.

Only students taking 15 hours of work or more are eligible. A grade of 84 or better is required in every subject.

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Lions Hold First Primary to Name Officers for Year

The first voting to elect new officers of the Ballinger Lions Club was held Friday noon. The first primary results will serve as a nomination process for the ballots which will be presented next week on which will appear two names for each of the principal offices and four for two places on the directory board.

Ballots cast Friday will be tabulated and names of the two high men for each office will be placed on the final ballot to be submitted to the membership tomorrow.

Dinner music was furnished Friday by Mrs. Abe Walker and she drew several rounds of applause by her splendid piano renditions. At the conclusion of the program she was asked to play for the club again.

Rev. R. L. Flowers, evangelist for a revival at the First Methodist Church, was the speaker. He told his audience that to have a good club, church, community or nation, people must believe in something. He complimented the Ballinger Lions Clubs for its spirit and belief in the organization. He said that teachers, pupils and a house would not make a school; that it required a spirit behind it all.

He urged his hearers to believe in themselves, believe in the other fellow, believe in the organization to which they belonged, believe in their government and finally to believe in God. In speaking of belief in government he paid his respects to communism when he said that he could not understand how any person living under our flag and enjoying our freedom could line up with any foreign power or any other way of life.

4 Modern Business Offices Completed In Bank Building

Four large, modern offices have been completed on the second floor of the First National Bank building in the section formerly occupied by the Southwestern States Telephone Co. R. G. Erwin, president of the First National Bank, stated that while no rental contracts had been made to date several had looked at the new quarters.

Improvements include all the space on the second floor, with a new stairway of hardwood, double doors that close off the stairway at the sidewalk and a new hallway. Two modern rest rooms and a large stationery room for use of the bank were built.

Three of the large offices can be opened together and each has various water connections. There are a number of electrical wall outlets and numerous other facilities for certain types of business offices.

In making the improvements all old wiring was removed from the attic and more modern electrical installations made. Each office has steam heat furnished from the bank's central plant below.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries
- For District Clerk: WILLIE STEPHENS
- For Sheriff: DON F. ATKINS
- For County Clerk: FRANKIE BERRYMAN
- For County Judge: E. C. GRINDSTAFF
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: CLYDE CHAPMAN
- For County Treasurer: PRICE MIDDLETON
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: PAUL GORDON
- For Assessor-Collector: DALTON E. CROCKETT
- For State Senator, 25th District: DORSEY B. HARDEMAN
- For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1 (Reelection): J. N. KEY
- For Representative, 92nd District: W. H. RAMPY
- For County Attorney: JACK MOORE

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- Toni Permanent Kit with Complete Set of Spin Curlers, \$3.00 Value 2.29
- Small Size Yardley Cologne Free with 3 Bars Soap 1.35
- \$1.75 Chantilly Liquid Sachet with Purse-Size Container, both for 1.75
- \$1.00 Coty Face Powder with Pastel Tint, Eye Shadow and Rouge Tint 1.00
- Yardley Hand Cream with Introductory Size Yardley Cream Shampoo, both for65
- Yardley Bond Street Cologne with Purse-Size Flacon Bond Street Perfume 2.00
- Giant Size Cashmere Bouquet Hand Lotion with Dispenser49
- Dorothy Gray Cherry Bounce Lipstick with Purse-Size Matching Nail Polish 1.00
- Chen Yu Manikit with Nail Polish, Lacquer Remover, Cuticle Remover, Emery Board and Orange Stick 1.00
- Dorothy Gray Duo Lipstick (2 lipsticks) 1.00
- 2 Tubes Squibb Dental Cream, 86¢ Value for69
- 2 Bottles of 100 Aytinal Multiple Vitamin Capsules, \$5.38 Value for 2.98
- 2 35c Bottles of Double Danderine47
- Tube of Gillette Shaving Cream Free with 98¢ Blue Gillette Blades99
- \$1.25 Jeris Hair Brush with 75¢ Jeris Hair Tonic99
- Tube of King's Men Shaving Cream Free with \$1.50 Size Shave Lotion66
- Schick Razor with Six Blades66
- Dorothy Gray Face Powder, \$1.00 Size, with \$1.50 Lipstick, both for 1.50

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NOTICE

W. C. Witt, an employee of the company for the past nine years, is now with the Ballinger office as manager. He has had ample training in his work to make him qualified in every way to take care of the business and to give every possible assistance to our customers.

O. R. O'Neill, manager for many years, will remain in the office and will be available to assist his former friends and customers. He will be given an opportunity to take it easy but will remain with the company and the Ballinger office.

No other changes will be made in the office personnel. Arthur Doose will remain in his same capacity and Charles Riddle, formerly of Italy, will be here as book-keeper.

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My beauty shop located at 208 Sixth Street will be closed from April 24 through April 29. During this time the shop will be remodeled and redecorated to make it more attractive to my customers and more convenient for our use.

We will be open again on May 1 and invite all former customers and new ones to call for quality work.

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HOWELL BUYS HAMPSHIRE FROM GRANDVIEW RAISER

Calvin Howell has purchased two registered Hampshires from T. J. Harrell at Grandview. He got one registered Hampshire boar old enough for service and one gilt. Howell's Hampshires are becoming more popular since one of his pigs was grand champion at the Houston show this spring. Making the trip to Grandview were James Fowler, Calvin Howell and Lloyd Rumsey.

HARDIN-SIMMONS STUDENTS TO VISIT HERE TOMORROW

A large group of students from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, will be here tomorrow (Friday) afternoon with a western musical show and will stop for a short time on the downtown streets. The group is advertising the fourth intercollegiate rodeo to be held on the H-S U. campus on April 27, 28 and 29. Heading the entertainers are Tommy Edwards and his band.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation to the many kind friends who were so thoughtful of us in our recent sorrow. The expressions of sympathy, the food and the flowers were all deeply appreciated.

Mrs. Carl Piel and family

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DEATHS

Mrs. U. E. Hartman

Mrs. U. E. Hartman, 71, a resident of Ballinger 48 years, died at the family home, 607 Broadway, Friday morning at 11:10 o'clock. She had been in failing health the past year and her condition became critical on Thursday of last week.

Decedent was born at Comanche and lived there until she came to Ballinger with her husband in 1902. He has been a grocery merchant here since that time.

Mrs. Hartman was active in work at the First Methodist Church and in civic groups until recent years. She had been a member of the local church for 40 years. Mr. and Mrs. Hartman were married at Comanche on August 29, 1896. Survivors besides the husband include a daughter, Mrs. Ona Penn, Ballinger; two grandsons, R. L. Penn, Corpus Christi; Lt. William H. Penn, Fairfield, California; a sister, Mrs. J. W. Wyatt, Dublin.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Rev. C. D. Wooten officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: H. J. Zappe, Melvin Patterson, Floyd Todd, Bill Clark, Paul Williams, Paul Kirk, Jack Williams and Buddy Gray.

Carl D. Piel

Carl D. Piel, 66, died at his home, seven miles west of Ballinger Saturday night at 9:15 o'clock. He had been in ill health several months and seriously ill on several occasions during the past year.

Decedent was a retired Runnels county farmer, giving up that work when his health failed.

Funeral services were conducted at Zoar Evangelical Church, Rowena, Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Rev. Frank Lammert, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Protestant cemetery at Rowena.

Survivors besides the wife include five sons, Walter and Elgin Piel, Rowena; David, Carl A. and Willard Piel, Ballinger; a daughter, Mrs. John Hovorak, Ballinger; four brothers and three sisters. Pallbearers were Ed Walther, Louis Rose, C. H. Wehlmann, Bill Bell, Adolph Krempin and Wesley Urbantke.

ROWENA HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Freddie Gallas presided when the Rowena home demonstration club met Wednesday afternoon of last week in the parish hall. Roll call was answered by 17 members on "Tips on Accessories."

The club voted to take the 4-H girls on a trip to San Angelo Saturday to visit a creamery, a bottling works and the museum. Those making the trip are to be at the parish hall at 7:30 Saturday morning.

Demonstrations on making banana bread and bread muffins were given by Mrs. Harvey Schroeder, Mrs. John Zak and Mrs. Tom Egen.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. A. A. Fischer and Mrs. William Jansa.

At the next meeting on April 26 a demonstration on salads will be given.

The recreation period was led by Mrs. Ralph Kettler.

Capt. and Mrs. Clark Koller and daughter, Linda, returned to their home at Hobbs, New Mexico, Saturday after a visit with Mrs. Koller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen.



BONE BANK . . . The U.S. navy has a bone bank, similar to a blood bank, at the naval hospital in Bethesda, Md. Bones are obtained from amputations and operations. Some are kept in whole sections; some are ground. Here, a technician processes a rib for the bank under sterile conditions. The bone will be ground into small bits and made into bone "patties" for storage. Navy scientists are seeking ways to keep skin alive indefinitely as they can keep bones. A skin bank has already been started.

Appeals Committee On Cotton Acreage Will Meet Monday

There are 399 cotton growers in Runnels county eligible to make appeals for increased acreage this year under the plan for distributing the additional acreage. Appeals must be supported by evidence on the number of acres planted to cotton during the years of the base period.

An appeals board will begin sessions in Ballinger Monday at 1:00 p. m. This board is composed of W. H. Higgins, Taylor county; Osro Eubank, Coleman county; Mr. Knight, McCulloch county; and John Onken, a member of the Runnels county committee. R. H. Nelson, field man for the PMA, and other officials will also be here to assist.

This board will be in session until the work is completed in this county. S. E. Cloninger, PMA office manager, stated Wednesday that 250 to 300 farmers had filed appeals here. It was estimated that some 20 cases could be heard daily and perhaps more after the work is well underway.

Farmers who have filed appeals will be notified when to appear before the committee and submit their evidence.

Fastball League Begins Season; 2 Games Tonight

The Ballinger Fastball League will be in play tonight at 7:30 on the field at the end of Eighth Street. Eight clubs have entered the league for the summer and a schedule has been adopted.

It was announced that all contests will be played when the Ballinger Cats are on the road. No admission will be charged to the fastball games, and it was stated that the new, smaller, fastball would be used instead of the old softball.

The schedule for the week-end and the first of next week is as follows:

- Tonight**
7:30—Magnolia vs. Humble
9:00—Seventh Street Baptists vs. National Guard
- Friday, April 21**
7:30—PMA vs. First Baptists
9:00—Church of Christ vs. St. Mary's Catholics
- Monday, April 24**
7:30—Humble vs. National Guard
9:00—Magnolia vs. Seventh Street Baptists
- Tuesday, April 25**
7:30—PMA vs. St. Mary's
9:00—Church of Christ vs. First Baptists

SHAMROCK GIRLS' 4-H CLUB

The Shamrock girls' club meeting was held last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Carol Stoeker.

The meeting was called to order by the president. After a short business session three members modeled dresses they had made. These were: Juanita Bredemeyer, Nadine Stoeker and Barbara Minzenmayer. Judges for the dress modeling were Mrs. Clarence Keele and Mrs. L. D. Braun. First place went to Barbara Minzenmayer, second place to Nadine Stoeker, and third place to Juanita Bredemeyer. Miss Ollie Chenoweth gave a demonstration on making belts and buckles.

Juanita Bredemeyer was nominated to attend the district camp and Barbara Minzenmayer was nominated to go to the state camp.

Ice cream and cookies were served to: Barbara, Serena, Margaret and Frances Minzenmayer, Nadine Stoeker, Janie and Naomi Busher, Janice Frick, Dorothy Keele, Patricia Braun; Miss Ollie Chenoweth, Mrs. Keele, Mrs. Herman Frick, Mrs. Braun, Mrs. C. H. Stoeker and Mrs. W. F. Minzenmayer.

Banks Will Observe Holiday April 21

Ballinger banks will not be open for business on Friday, April 21, observing San Jacinto Day. Patrons are asked to attend to any necessary banking business prior to closing time Thursday.

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U. E. Hartman
Mrs. Ona Penn
R. L. and W. H. Penn

BIRTHS
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bukkemper, of Wall, are parents of a daughter, born April 10 in a San Angelo hospital.

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COUNTY PMA RECEIVES GRAIN STORAGE BINS
The Runnels county PMA office has received one quonset type grain storage bin and five round bins, which will be erected on the Charles Dankworth place south of Ballinger. The quonset bin will store about 40,000 bushels of grain and the round bins 3,200 bushels each.

S. E. Cloninger, PMA manager, stated that five more of the round bins probably would be brought here from Tom Green county. All the storage will be used to take care of the farm-stored grain which has been put in government loans.

All the storage will be erected as fast as possible to enable the movement of grain, either through regular channels or to the new bins. This will release storage on a large number of farms in the county.

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IN SOCIETY

Know Your Neighbors Club Has Spring Breakfast

Know Your Neighbors Club held a no-host spring breakfast Saturday morning in the banquet room of the Central Hotel.

The table was centered with an arrangement of spring blossoms where the two-course menu was served, followed by an informal get-together.

Present were: Mmes. Flay Brevard, Herman Rountree, Curtis Bryan, Bill Clark, Jack Nixon, Dee Saylor, LeRoy McAulay, Malcolm Morgan, Joe Flynt, John Barton and Cal Adair.

Mrs. Hall Hostess to Contract Club

Mrs. R. T. Hall was hostess to her contract club Friday afternoon, entertaining in her Broadway home, which was beautifully decorated with bouquets of spring flowers.

In games of contract Mrs. Tom Agnew was awarded high score prize, and the bingo award went to Mrs. Sam Conner. The hostess served a salad plate with fudge cake and leed tea.

Others were: Mmes. Lena Belle Baker, L. R. Tigner, R. T. Williams, C. W. Cheatham, Earl Barr

and John Bradley.

Ballinger Women Attend Book Review at Paint Rock

About twenty Ballinger women heard Mrs. J. C. Sturges, Jr., of San Angelo, review "The Pink House" by Nella Gardner White, last Wednesday evening.

The Paint Rock Study Club sponsored the review, held in the Methodist Church. Mrs. O. L. Sims, organist, play "Finale on Six Piers" by Franck, as a prelude. Mrs. Rex Bradshaw, program chairman, introduced the speaker.

Know Your Neighbors Guests in Clark Home

Mrs. Bill Clark was hostess to members of Know Your Neighbors Wednesday afternoon of last week, entertaining in her Fifth Street home, which was beautifully decorated with bouquets of irises in purple and gold.

After the usual hour spent in handwork, the hostess served a dessert plate with coffee to: Mmes. Cal Adair, John A. Barton, John Castor, Herman Rountree, Jack Nixon, Joe Flynt, Dee Saylor, LeRoy McAulay, Curtis Bryan, Flay Brevard and Malcolm Mor-

gan.

Girl Scout and Brownie Troops Meet

Girl Scout Troop No. 6 met with the leader, Mrs. J. T. Gregory, Wednesday afternoon of last week.

After the business session, the twelve Girl Scout signs were learned and other activities discussed. Betty Berryhill was hostess for the group and served cookies and cold drinks to a new member, Marnette Hart, and to Paty Owen and Sheila Gregory.

Humming Bird Brownie Troop No. 9 met at the home of Mrs. Jim Elkins on Seventh Street with Mrs. John McGrath assisting.

At the business period the following officers were elected: president, Sarah Chandler; vice-president, Sharon Tuckey; secretary-treasurer, Tommye Lou Curry; and reporter, LaNell Hollbrook. Material was issued for work on badges to be completed at the next meeting.

Linda Cloninger was hostess and served refreshments to 17 members. Linda Crockett was welcomed as a new member.

Brownie Troop No. 4 met at the First Presbyterian Church on Broadway with the leaders, Mrs. Sam Conner and Mrs. Loyd Her-

After the business routine, Brownie songs were learned. Judy Ann Lowery was hostess and served ice cream and cookies to: Karen Conner, Patty Sweeney, Ola Beth Corder, Janet Burger, Dixie Wilbanks, Currijon Stephens, Judith Thomas, Mary Ann Bagwell, Barbara Browning, Dolores Proffitt, Ellen Herring, Martha Lou Selby and Pat Bell.

Brownie Troop No. 5 met with the leader, Mrs. Wallace Barnett, who was assisted in activities by Mrs. Johnny Wright in the Barnett home on Broadway Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Brownie pins were presented to: Jim Beth Flynt, Pauline James, Nelda Jo Barnett, Lee Brookshire, Ruby E. Mize, Paula Jean Bishop, Jean Dale Chick, Janice Hadley and Martha Gallant after the Brownie promise was made.

Ruby E. Mize was hostess and served refreshments to 24 members and to a visitor, John Charles Wright.

Nelda Jo Barnett will be hostess at the next meeting, in her home.

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Catherine Dreyer, James Hohensee Wed at Nuptial High Mass

Miss Catherine Dreyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Dreyer, of Rowena, and James Hohensee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hohensee, of Miles, were married in St. Joseph's Catholic Church at Rowena at 8:30 Wednesday morning, April 12. The Rev. W. F. Bosen read the double-ring ceremony and sang the nuptial high mass before the altar decorated with Easter lilies, ferns and lighted tapers in candelabra.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white bridal satin, designed with a fitted bodice and deep marquisette yoke outlined with Chantilly lace. The long fitted sleeves ended in points over the hands. A cascade drapery formed a tunic over a skirt of Chantilly lace which extended into a graceful train. Her fingertip veil of illusion was caught to a coronet made of folds of the illusion which was ornamented with pearlized floral designs. She carried a bouquet of white gladioli centered with a pale purple orchid, showered with white ribbons.

Mrs. Travis Canada of San Angelo, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Mrs. Clifton Hohensee, sister-in-law of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Herbert Book, sister of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. Their gowns were made on identical lines, with fitted hip-length bodices of faille and very full skirts of marquisette over faille. The off-the-shoulder neckline was marked by bias folds of the self material. Their head-dresses were of carnations matching their bouquets. Mrs. Canada wore orchid and Mrs. Hohensee wore yellow, and Mrs. Book wore blue. They carried colonial bouquets of carnations and wore gauntlets in shades to contrast in color with their dresses.

Travis Canada attended the bridegroom as best man. Grooms-men were Clifton Hohensee and Herbert Book. Louis Dreyer and Eugene Dreyer, brothers of the bride, Harry Kalina and Lester Hohensee, cousin of the bridegroom, served as acolytes.

Sister Mary Michael was at the organ for the mass accompaniments which the St. Joseph's High School choir sang.

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The reception which followed the wedding was held in the home of the bride's parents near Rowena, which was decorated with white blossoms. The bride's table was centered with the three-tiered wedding cake decorated in pink and green florals and topped with a miniature bridal couple. A dance at the O. D. H. S. Hall was held for a large group of friends in the evening.

Mrs. Hohensee was wearing a brown tweed suit with brown accessories and an orchid when the couple left on a wedding trip to Colorado, Arizona and Mexico.

The bride is a graduate of St. Joseph's High School at Rowena. Mr. Hohensee is a graduate of the Miles High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Hohensee will make home on their farm near Rowena.

Brownie Troop No. 5 Has Easter Egg Hunt in Park

Members of Brownie Troop No. 5 met in the home of their leader, Mrs. Wallace Barnett, Saturday afternoon, April 8, and were taken on an Easter egg hunt in City Park. Mrs. Dee Saylor and Mrs. Johnny Wright assisted with entertaining the group and served cold drinks following the hunt.

Present were: visitors, Cordelia Ann Cody and Charles Wright; members, Margaret Lou Campbell, Janice Hadley, Martha Gallant, Lee Brookshier, Paula Jean

Bishop, Dorothy Hovorka, Rosalie Jones, Ruby Mize, Jim Beth Flynt, Sharon Cook, Lucia Clark, Jean Dale Chick, Pauline James, Nelda Jo Barnett, Dorothy Smith, Linda Lou Saylor, Jane Nixon and Linda Wright.

FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Ten members answered roll call when the Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Ellis Stubblefield Thursday afternoon of last week.

After the opening club song, reports from officers were heard, and a "thank you" note for flowers was read from Mrs. John Wessels. Mrs. John Duke gave a report on the club's part in the county council library. A picnic, which will include invited guests, will be held in the Ballinger city park some day during National Home Demonstration Week.

Following the business, Mrs. Duke and Mrs. Wessels gave a demonstration on interesting ways of using cereals. At the social hour banana bread and cherry muffins were served with a sandwich plate and coca colas.

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community, in a demonstration a few years ago, said that the poison grain really killed the pests for him and at a total cost of only 50 cents. Mr. Hambright stated that the first part of the year rabbits ate two or more acres of oats which he did not ever try to harvest and when poison was put out on his farm they were eating a strip of cotton every night. After putting out the poison he did not find any more damage.

The local farm agent's office secured the poison for Mr. Hambright and gave the usual method of preparing the grain as recommended by the U. S. rodent control service. The method suggested is to erect several mounds of dirt similar to a prairie dog hill, four to six feet apart. Scatter on each of the mounds about a tablespoonful of poisoned grain. For some unknown reason, the rabbits will visit each mound and eat a few grains from each, enough to kill.

Mr. Barton stated his office was getting 100 pounds of rabbit poison and those who would like to try it are asked to call.

Poisoned grain also is fairly effective for mice, the agent said. It is used about the place by putting it in a wooden box with a hole cut in the end of the box. It should be placed where only mice can reach it.

A little later when green stuff is eaten by rabbits, another method of killing is the use of strychnine and salt. Mr. Barton will be glad to give information on this method to anyone who is interested.

Poisoned grain should not be placed where sheep or other livestock can get it, Mr. Barton said. Usually in five or six days after putting out it will be gone.

**LAST RITES FOR RAY KEY
CONDUCTED AT ALBANY**

Ray Key, a resident of Albany and formerly operator of the Key Motor Co. in Ballinger, died Friday in an Abilene hospital from infantile paralysis. He entered the hospital Monday of last week and his condition grew more critical until death.

Since leaving Ballinger, Key was associated with his father in the oil business. He had resided most of his life at Albany, was a graduate of the high school there, and later graduated at the Kemper Military Academy in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Key came to Ballinger in 1946 and he established the Key Motor Co., Kaiser-Praser agency. While here he was very active in civic affairs and served as president of the Ballinger Jaycees. He promoted the first soap box derby in Ballinger and served on the committee which organized the Ballinger Municipal Concert Association. During World War II he served as an infantry officer and was discharged as a captain. He served in France and was wounded in 1944.

Funeral services were held at the Albany Presbyterian Church Saturday.

Survivors besides the wife include two children, Kay 2; and Joe, 7 months; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Key, of Albany.



PRESIDENT TRUMAN GREET'S 4-H MEMBERS... A group of 4-H club members, visiting Washington in connection with observance of national 4-H club week recently, were greeted by President Truman at the White House. Left to right are: Dianne Mather, De Kalb, Ill.; Jacqueline Duberson, Hammonton, N. J.; Barbara Best, Calivants Ferry, S. C.; Jimmy Page, Elko, S. C.; Jack McDowell, Backus, Minn.; John Hartley, Haledon, N. J.; Lucille Robinson, Middleport, Ohio; Charles Sprow, Martinsburg, W. Va.; Ronwyn Lowry, Moultrie, Ga.; Don Bowman, Limestone, Tenn.; and President Truman, seated.

OLDFEN BOYS' 4-H CLUB

The Oldfen boys' 4-H club met Wednesday of last week. Lloyd Rumsey, assistant agent, assisting with the program. Pamphlets were distributed on worming hogs, culling chickens, fertilizing crops, hog lot equipment and eight steps in making and carrying a nation.

Members voted to hold a party (today) April 20.

M-Sgt. Richard M. Zedlitz, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Zedlitz, of Ballinger, is now training as an air force technician at the USAF technical school, Warren AFB, Wyoming.

George Washington's second inaugural address is the shortest on record.

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John A. Barton, county farm agent, is urging that war be declared on the rabbits in Runnels county. He estimates the rabbit

population of the county at 50,000 and states that they will consume about what it would take to feed 1,000 steers.

Mr. Barton says there is no sure-shot remedy, but adds that the best all-around poison bait is with grain, the same as used for prairie dogs.

Mr. Barton goes on the say that we often have community rabbit

drives but suggests that a community-wide poisoning campaign would be more effective and a lot cheaper. It was also pointed out that where communities cannot be organized for a campaign, individuals can accomplish much by putting out poison and thereby killing or running off most of the rabbits.

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SPORTS

After a cold, wet, idle week-end, the Ballinger Cats left Monday for Big Spring for two days and from there went to Midland for a three-game series. Sunday was a disappointing day to the fans as the afternoon was ideal for baseball except for water standing on the playing field and about the dugouts. The game was cancelled.

at the last minute but several hundred fans came to the park hoping to see the Cubans and Cats tangle.

The Cats will be home for a two-game series Saturday night and Sunday afternoon, April 22, 23. The Vernon Dusters will provide the opposition. After these contests the locals will leave for two more with the Dusters at Vernon, and will come back for games here on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, April 26 through 28, with Harold Webb's Midland Indians.

The Cats took a stiff workout Sunday after the game was called off. Fans lingered on the practice

field just north of the park to watch the boys hit the ball and do other conditioning. Most fans were well pleased with the looks of new additions. Especially did the spectators like the new outfielder, Ramos, and the big first baseman, Calvin Braden.

Manager "Dutch" Funderburk believes he is getting his lineup about set for the season. Pitchers are still giving the skipper some worry and it is hoped that all moundmen will get a chance for some action this week.

Johnny Jones was back in uniform Sunday and a doctor who

has been treating his knee stated that he would be ready by this week-end.

The one game which has been played in Ballinger was in cold, biting weather and there were other attractions to cut attendance. It is suggested that Saturday and Sunday be considered the real opening for the Cat home season and that fans through the park in large numbers to help the management make up financial losses incurred in games rained out last week. Regular admissions will be charged, 74 cents for adults and 30 cents for students. The Cats missed three home games the

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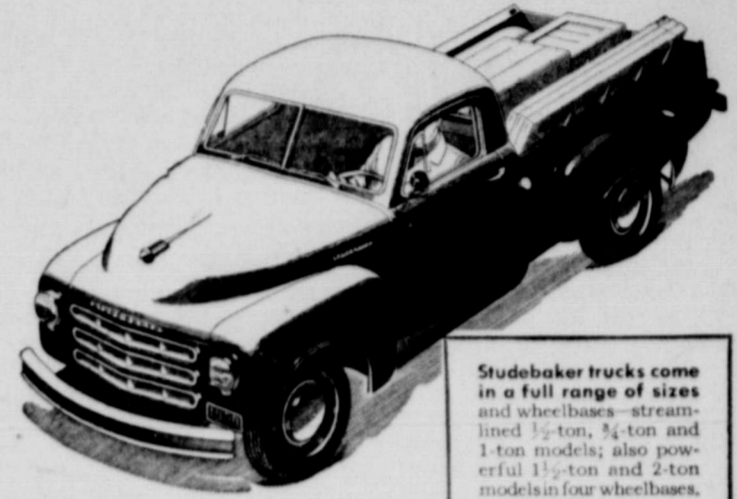
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**WEST TEXAS
NOTES**

People of this section are being asked to submit their guesses on the population of Ballinger. The federal census count will be made public in May and in the meantime, the chamber of commerce is asking your estimates on the number of people living here. The contest is expected to increase interest and possibly help in making the count more accurate. It is also requested that any person not enumerated make it known to the chamber office and an enumerator will be sent. The fast growth in population here in recent months and the constant changing of living quarters makes it very difficult for those assigned to count the inhabitants of Ballinger. One move often transfers several into apartments in territory already covered from areas which have not been worked. Every citizen is asked to assist in every way in making the count here as nearly correct as possible.

Ballinger business men will be glad to learn that a manager has been employed for the Ballinger

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Eastland county poultry raisers met at Ranger Friday for a poultry field day and clinic. The program was held at the Ranger livestock barn and a number of specialists were presented in demonstrations and lectures. Practically every phase of poultry raising was taken up and at noon a picnic lunch was served to all present. Four specialists of the A. & M. College extension service assisted in the meeting.

Chamber of Commerce and will soon be here. For several weeks the office has been vacant and many items have come up which needed special attention. Officials and committee members have been devoting all the time possible to projects, but the need of a full time office manager has been felt. Those appointed to investigate applicants for the position have given the matter much consideration and believe that in the selection of Jack S. Pridgen, they have secured a man who will look after our interests in an efficient way, a man who understands West Texas, and who is especially qualified for the needs of Ballinger at this time. When he takes over on May 15, every citizen of Ballinger is urged to give him full support.

The light rain which fell last Thursday was welcomed by every citizen of West Texas but much more moisture is needed to give farmers and ranchmen an underground "season." Planting time is near at hand and farmers need plenty of moisture by then. Some small grain was helped by the light rain but will not stand long unless additional moisture is received. A general rain of several inches would do much for this section and would be a big stimulation for business at this time.

Another well was added to the Comanche county oil field last week when the Sohio Petroleum Co. No. 1-Jones came in from 167 barrels a day. The new well is 1 1/2 miles south of the company's No. 1-Ward, Mississippian discovery. Production is from an open hole bottomed at 2,406 feet. Casing was set and the hole deepened to 2,844 feet. Other wells are being drilled in the vicinity and additional locations are indicated.

Brownwood Jaycees will cover a wide area of West Texas in advertising the regatta and jamboree to be held at Lake Brownwood on Sunday, May 7. The first trip will be made April 29 when the group is to visit Bangs, Santa Anna, Coleman, Ballinger, Paint Rock, Eden, Menard, Mason and Brady. A musical program is to be presented while the Jaycees distribute publicity.

A major change in Coleman's city government was made Tuesday night when the outgoing city administration installed a new form of government and an entire new set of officials. Home-rule government, voted March 14, was inaugurated and with it the first set of officers elected under its provisions. The former mayor and councilmen were replaced by the mayor and four commissioners elected April 14.

Bronte leaders are striving to sign up 150 gas customers to put up \$10 deposits and thereby assure the piping of the town by the Lone Star Gas Co. The past week-end 95 had signed for the service and put up their checks with the mayor. The company has given 150 patrons as the minimum and workers will continue this week trying to secure the additional 55. The company will guarantee to have the system in operation by September 1 if the deal is completed. A housing project at Winters

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has received FHA approval and Jesse Henton, contractor, stated that work would be begun as soon as commitments were received from Washington. The new addition has been laid out and installation of utilities will get underway next week. Actual construction of houses will start shortly afterwards. All houses will be for sale and will carry FHA loans.

The First State Bank of Paint Rock celebrated its 40th year last week. Special printed bulletins were distributed, setting out that the bank was established with 31 shareholders, no one person owning more than 30 per cent of the stock. At the present time there are 14 shareholders. During the 40 years the bank has had only two presidents. R. T. Trail was elected at the organization meeting and served until his death in 1930. J. M. Patton was elected to the office in January, 1931, and is still active.

The Menard Chamber of Commerce last week talked plans for lighting the bridge across the San Saba River in the city limits.

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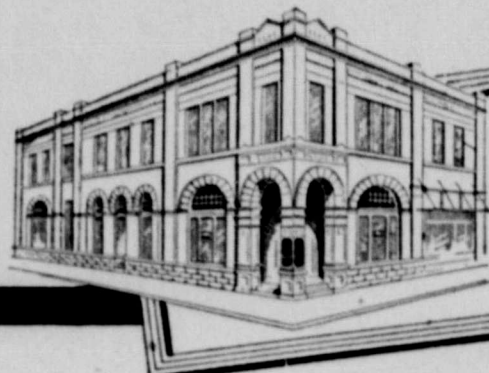
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LEDGER OFFICE

Hoffman stated that it might be months before the case was argued before the court or criminal appeals. In the meantime Sandra is being held in a cell in the McCulloch county jail. Her companion, Loreta Fae Mazingo, has been transferred to the Gainesville state reform school. Erath county leaders reported the past week-end that the 1950 Red Cross fund campaign was over the top, a total of \$3,318 having been contributed. Letters of appreciation was sent out to all workers and to newspapers who helped with the publicity. The county had a quota of \$2,857

for 1950 and the total was considerably above this amount.

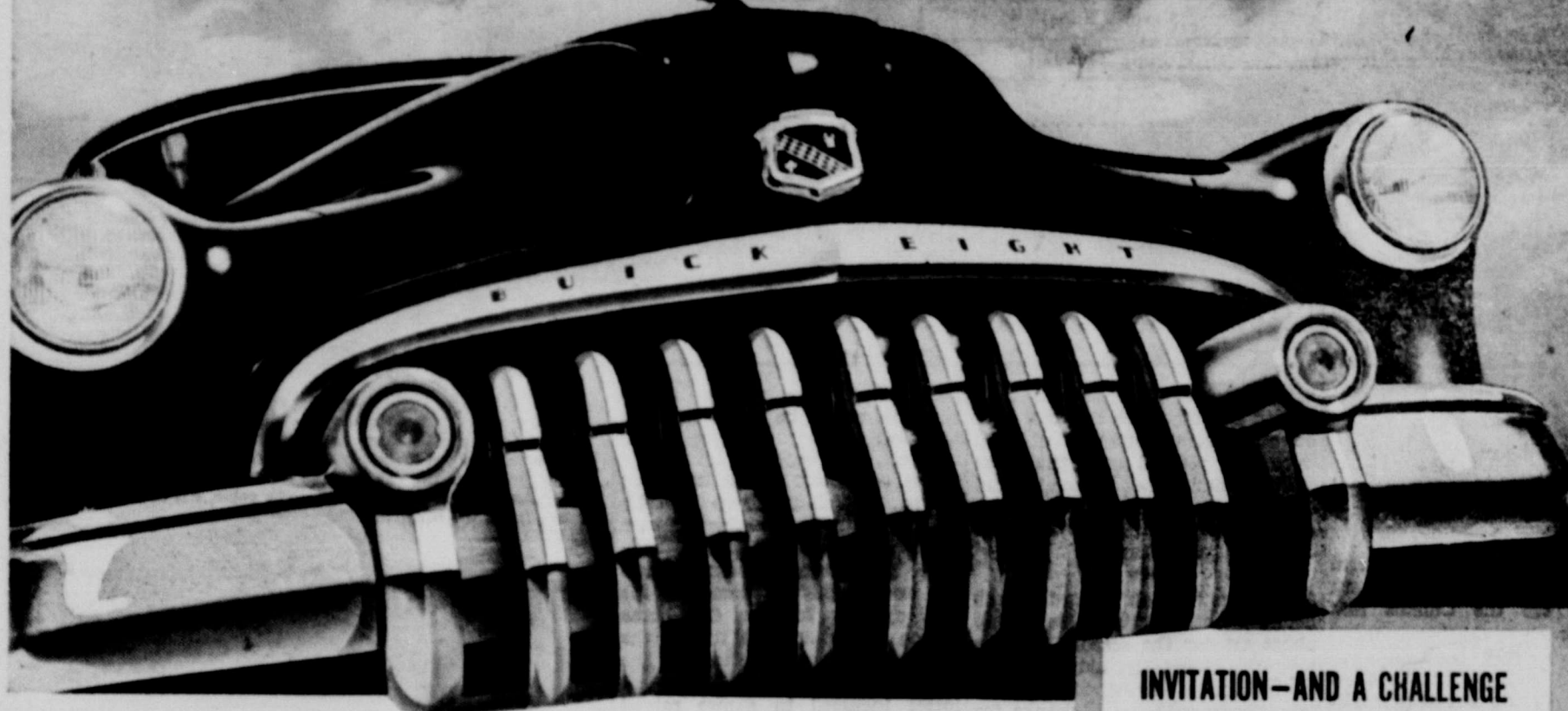
The Miles Lions Club voted last week to sponsor a square dance festival in the near future and to apply all the proceeds to the indebtedness on the football field. The club has assisted in building and lighting the field. A nominating committee was named to suggest new officers to be elected by the club at the next regular meeting.

New Jersey is the only state which elects its governor for a term of three years.

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There was little protection against virulent epidemics. Smallpox vaccine was the only biological on the market. When diphtheria or typhoid ravaged a community, there was nothing to do but wait it out in hope and dread.

Yes, a return to the "good old days" would mean, among other things, the sacrifice of the major portion of the contribution of medicine and pharmacy to your health and well-being.

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April 23, 24
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Tues., Wed., Thurs.
April 25, 26, 27
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THE STORY OF SEABISCUIT
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Directed by JAMES HANCOCK. Produced by RICHARD GOLDSTONE
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SUNDAY, MONDAY
ROBERT HARRIS **CLIFTON YOUNG** **O'HARA** **WEBB**
Sitting Pretty
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TUE. ONLY, APRIL 25
LOIS BUTLER in
Mickey
IN GAY SPARKLING CINECOLOR

WED., THUR., APRIL 26, 27
LEO McCAREY'S
GOOD SAM
with **COOPER** and **SHERIDAN**



Barry Fitzgerald and Shirley Temple are co-starring in Warner Bros. "The Story of Seabiscuit," to be shown at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, April 23, 24. Lon McCallister has a romantic role.

Red Skelton Essays Nutty Role as Inventor In Riotous Comedy, 'The Yellow Cab Man'

Red Skelton is said to have unlimited scope for his madcap antics in M-G-M's "The Yellow Cab Man," to be shown at the Texas Theatre Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 25, 26, 27, in which he is seen as a zany inventor of safety devices who becomes a cab driver and the insurance company's Bad Risk No. 1. The picture follows his comedy hits in "The Fuller Brush Man" and "A Southern Yankee."

Teamed with Skelton is Gloria DeHaven, recently seen in dramatic roles in "The Doctor and the Girl" and "Scene of the Crime," and now playing an out-and-out comedy part as the pretty claims adjuster who pulls Red out of one hair-raising escapade after another.

Topnotch supporting players include Walter Slezak, Edward Arnold and James Gleason. Slezak is cast as a queer psychiatrist who hypnotizes Skelton in an attempt to get the formula for his elastic-glass windshield invention. Arnold is the "heavy," in unscrupulous ambulance chaser, while Gleason enacts the cab company's best driver who befriends Skelton.

Shirley Temple, Lon McCallister Star In Romantic 'The Story of Seabiscuit'

A heartwarming love story that brings grown-up Shirley Temple with Lon McCallister to the screen, is in store for Texas Theatre patrons next Sunday and Monday, April 23, 24, when "The Story of Seabiscuit," thrilling Warner Bros. film in Technicolor, is booked.

With the inimitable Barry Fitzgerald, Irish character actor and comic, in a leading role, this film story, which employs as its background the events and racing career surrounding the life of the amazing Seabiscuit, promises more than its share of cinematic thrills.

Seabiscuit, from the stable of C. S. Howard, California sportsman, came along in turf annals a few years ago when as a 4-year-old, the doughty little horse romped to fame, and fortune for his owner, by beating everything in sight, including War Admiral, another great competitor, in a special match. He amassed one of the greatest earnings totals in all racing history.

Fitzgerald plays the trainer who retains such great faith in a horse that has not shown much form as a two- or three-year old, while Miss Temple is his niece whose brother has been killed in a race in Ireland. When Lon McCallister, one of the top jockeys, falls in love with Shirley, she tries to persuade him to quit riding and she succeeds—up to the point where Seabiscuit needs a jockey for one of the most important races of his career.

"The Story of Seabiscuit" promises to be pictorially thrilling as well, what with some of the nation's leading tracks, with their attendant colorful crowds and "race days," playing an important part in the film.

Wallerace announces New High Voltage Line for Junction

Construction of a new high-voltage transmission line to bring additional electric power to Junction was announced recently by W. O. Wallerace, West Texas Utilities Co. district manager. In keeping

with the company's policy of providing more and better electric service and to anticipate the demands for additional power in a rapidly growing area, the WTU Co. will build thirty-five miles of 66,000-volt transmission high-line between Junction and Mason.

The new line will originate at the Junction substation and will terminate at a substation to be built on the Menard-Mason transmission line, a short distance northwest of Mason. The new line, which will connect two existing 66,000-volt lines, will complete a power loop enabling the WTU to provide Junction with electric power from two directions and from several central generating stations.

Crews will begin surveying the line this week and contingent on delivery of materials the construction will be completed by August. Survey and construction crews will be based at Junction.

"The building of the new line, together with switching and substation equipment, is a major construction project," said Joe Beck, WTU Co. local manager at Junction. "One hundred and ten miles of aluminum wire weighing more than 110,000 pounds, 650 40-foot poles, 650 8-foot crossarms, and 1,950 high voltage insulators will be used in building the line. It means more and better electric service and ample power for the growth of Junction and surrounding area."

Dog Registration In Runnels County Will Start May 1

May 1 is the date to start registration of dogs in Runnels county. The first registration was started on May 1, 1940, and all receipts issued by County Treasurer Price Middleton are valid for twelve months.

Mr. Middleton stated that during the past year 1,425 dogs were registered at his office. The law is still in force and dog owners are advised to inspect their receipts and secure new receipts within 12 months from the time of the first registration.

New supplies have been secured by the county and the treasurer will be ready to issue receipts and tags on May 1. Anyone who owns a dog that has never been registered here is also urged to attend to this. Officers will check dogs and any found without proper identification will be killed.

Ranchmen have reported some trouble with dogs in sheep the past year and a number have been killed on local ranches. Some have been followed into town and identified to officers as sheep killers.

Paper clips at Ledger office

Thanks Patrons and Friends

As I retire from business in Ballinger I wish to express my appreciation to everyone who has helped me make a success in the operation of my dry goods store.

My business relations with you have been very pleasant and your loyal support made it possible for me to give you a modern store and a wide selection of the best merchandise available.

I have no intention of leaving Ballinger. I plan to rest and be a citizen in all matters and want to continue to count each of you as my friend.

I COMMEND TO YOU

my successors who take over the business with plans to continue operations in Ballinger. I am sure they will strive in every way possible to give you the same type of service I have tried to give in the past and to continue the nationally known brands of high quality merchandise for the entire family.

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HIGGINBOTHAM'S

AN ORDINANCE granting to the Southwestern States Telephone Company, its Successors, or Assigns, a Franchise to use the Streets, Avenues, Alleys, and Other Public Places of the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, for a period of 7 years, with the Rights, Privileges, and Authority to Construct, Operate and Maintain its Telephone Lines, along, under, and over streets, alleys, and public ways of the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, and Repealing All Ordinances or Parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, RUNNELS COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That The Southwestern States Telephone Company, its successors, or assigns, shall be and is hereby granted the right in the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, to conduct a business of furnishing telephone service and any business incident thereto and to install, maintain, and operate

a telephone system, to maintain all construction consisting of poles, wires, cables, and other fixtures and such other telephone apparatus of whatever nature necessary for the furnishing of telephone service on, along, across, over, and under all of the streets, avenues, alleys, and other public places of said city for the purpose of conducting such business.

2. The term of this franchise shall be for a period of 7 years, dating from the date of its passage by the City Commission.

3. That the poles, wires, cables, and underground conduits, and other apparatus used by the Southwestern States Telephone Company, its successors, or assigns, shall, in the conduct of its business, be so placed and maintained at all times as not to interfere with the travel on or use of said streets, alleys, and public places of said City, and The Southwestern States Telephone Company, its successors, and assigns, agrees also to hold said City of Ballinger, Texas, free and harmless of any and all damages arising from any abuse or negligence of said grant in this regard.

4. That the Southwestern States Telephone Company, its successors, or assigns shall, at all times, after the granting of this ordinance, keep and maintain its plant in first class condition, act of God, the public enemy, strikes and other unavoidable accidents excepted, and shall furnish and

render service to all individuals, firms, or corporations within the corporate limits of the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, in accordance with the reasonable rules and regulations and in compliance with the laws of the State of Texas.

5. The Southwestern States Telephone Company agrees that it will, effective the 1st day of January, 1947, pay quarterly to the said City of Ballinger, an amount equivalent to two per cent (2%) of its gross revenue derived from its exchange station service rendered within the said City of Ballinger, such quarterly installments to be paid within thirty (30) days following the expiration of the quarter for which same are payable. In consideration of such payments the said City agrees that the compensation so received by it shall be paid and received in lieu of any tax, license, charge, fee, exchange service, street or alley rental, or other charge of any kind or character for use and occupancy of the streets, alleys, and public places of the City, or the privilege of doing business therein, other than the usual general or special ad valorem taxes now or hereafter levied.

6. The rights herein granted shall be subject to all existing police ordinances of the City of Ballinger, Texas, not inconsistent herewith, as well as all other ordinances hereafter passed not inconsistent herewith.

7. This tax will be effective January 1, 1947, and shall be due and payable quarterly in arrears.

8. The Southwestern States Telephone Company agrees to file with the clerk of the City of Ballinger, Texas, its written acceptance of this Franchise-Ordinance within thirty days after its approval.

Passed by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, this 4th day of March, 1950.

J. W. MOORE
Mayor in and for the City of Ballinger, Texas

Attested:
FRED UNDERWOOD
City Secretary 13-2t

PMA OFFICE RUSHED
BY COTTON GROWERS

Employees of the Runnels county PMA office experienced a rush last week as cotton growers

came in to check in their part of the increase in the 1950 cotton acreage. Letters announcing the increased quotas had been mailed out and other publicity was given the increases specified in recent legislation.

Many farmers were making inquiries this week and a large number will be allowed increases. The boosts will bring the total acreage in this county to slightly more than 97,000 acres.

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- It's Economical
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- It's Certain

Come in! Let us demonstrate modern cooking... of course, it's electric!

West Texas Utilities Company

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Malone left Friday for Waco, where they were joined by Mrs. Malone's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kennon, and all are visiting New Orleans and other inter-

esting points in Louisiana. The Malones will return home this week-end.
New boxed stationery at Ledger office.

Congressmen are not required by law to attend any session of congress.
Seattle, Washington, is farther north than Nova Scotia.

SOCIETY

Fancy Doers Club Has Dance in Dankworth Home

Members of the Fancy Doers Club included their dates when they entertained with a dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dankworth on the Paint Rock highway Saturday evening.

Spring flowers in pastel tones were used for decorations in the basement of the home where couples danced to record player music after a supper plate which included cold meat, potato salad, beans and all the trimmings, with cookies and cold drinks, was served by Mrs. Dankworth.

Present were the club sponsors, Mrs. O. L. Hart and Miss Paula Jean Terry; Eva Jo Flynt and Jimmy Endacott, Paula Harvey and Daniel Hallmark, Mary Haral and Bob Bruce, Deanie Rountree and Jack Fulcher, Charlene Olsak and Paul Haral, Gale Hays and Joe Selby, Catherine Hays and Richard Winchester, Doris Dankworth, Billy Jean Herring, Dian Tuckey, Janice Conner, Troy Stuart, Charles Dankworth and James Read.

Club Members to View San Angelo Woman's Gardens

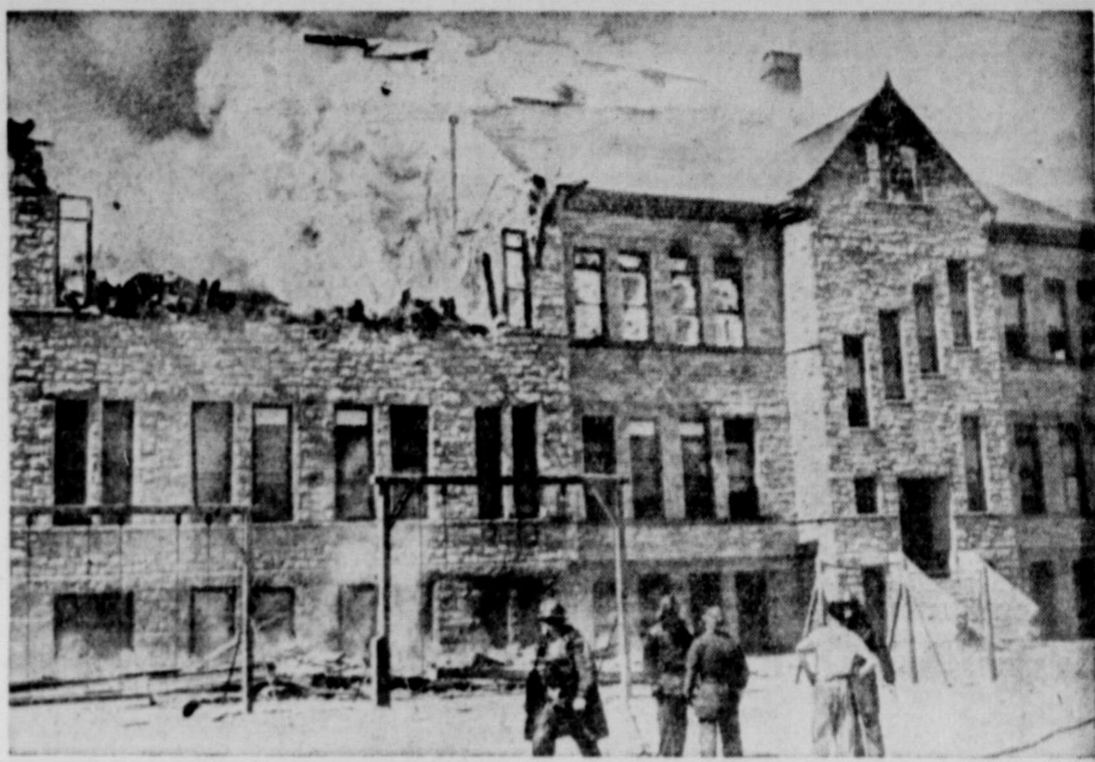
Members of the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club are requested to meet at the Library at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) morning to leave on a tour to the flower gardens of Miss Elizabeth Woolworth, southwest of San Angelo.

All members are urged to make the tour through this lovely garden.

Mrs. Stultz Leader for Presbyterian Women's Council

The First Presbyterian U. S. A. Women Council met for their regular monthly missions program at the church on Eighth Street Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill B. Stultz was leader for the program, "Unless Christian—All is Vain." Miss Eva Lilly brought the devotional on "Stewardship of Prayer." Mrs. Walter Lange, Mrs. Rufus Allen and Mrs. B. H. Erwin discussed "Youth." Miss Maggie Lilly read the names in the Yearbook of Prayer, and



FIRE DESTROYS COLORADO SCHOOL FOR BLIND... Firemen fight a fire at the school for blind and deaf children located at Colorado Springs, Colo. None of the children was seriously injured, as school officials evacuated some 100 children from the burning structure without difficulty before the flames made great headway. Here is the main building of the school shortly after the roof of the center section caved in. School officials, without revealing the amount of insurance carried on the destroyed building, made the estimate that the damages amounted to approximately \$500,000. No plans were revealed to rebuild the burned buildings.

Mrs. J. D. Coulter gave the closing prayer.

Arrangements of irises were used in the parlors where Mrs. A. W. Sledge and Mrs. Carroll Bell were hostesses at a social hour and served a sandwich plate with cookies and coffee. Others were: Mmes. Jimmy Wilson, J. W. Black, Mary Spreen, Alvin O. Rue and Roy L. Hill.

Dickinson-Turley Engagement Announced at Fort Worth

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turley, Fort Worth, was the scene of an announcement tea on Easter Sunday when the engagement of their daughter, Miss Barbara Turley, to Robert A. Dickinson was made known.

A series of parties have been scheduled for the couple. Mrs. E. B. Hanna entertained with a bridge-club at the Blackstone Hotel on April 11. Dr. and Mrs. Emory gave a ranch-style dinner at Eagle Mountain Lodge on April 12. Mrs. Jess Williams gave a tea

at St. Ann's Club on April 16.

Other parties already announced include an affair on April 22 with Mmes. E. D. Brinson and H. H. Black hostesses. Mrs. Jim Ewing is to give a crystal and china shower on April 24. Mrs. J. J. Hurley will give a spinster dinner on April 26 honoring Miss Turley, and Richard Guinn will honor Mr. Dickinson with a bachelor dinner on the same date.

Mr. and Mrs. Townner Dickinson will host the rehearsal dinner at the Charles of New Orleans Club April 27.

The wedding will be at 8 o'clock on April 28. Mrs. R. A. Dickinson, of Ballinger, grandmother of the groom, will attend the wedding. Both contracting parties are graduates of Arlington Heights School of Fort Worth. Miss Turley attended North Texas State College, majoring in economics, and is employed by Mitchell-Gartner-Thompson, Inc. Mr. Dickinson spent a year in Japan and attended Texas Christian Univer-

sity, Fort Worth, majoring in electronics. He is employed in the radar and electronics department of Consolidated-Vultee Corp.

Mrs. Stobaugh Program Leader for Christian Council

Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh was program leader for the Women's Council of the First Christian Church at the meeting held in the church parlors on Broadway Monday afternoon.

After the song, "Saviour, More Than Life to Me," was sung in unison with Mrs. Gene Crawford at the organ, Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite spoke the opening prayer, and Mrs. Stobaugh brought the lesson on the first chapter of Acts. The program was concluded with the missionary benediction.

Others were: Mmes. J. W. Longeneette, E. D. Walker, C. F. Bailey, W. F. Atwell, Horace Murphy, Herman Price, Oscar Pearson, Rawlins Cherrhomes; Misses Lula McElroy, Agnes Gieber, Lilly Clayton.

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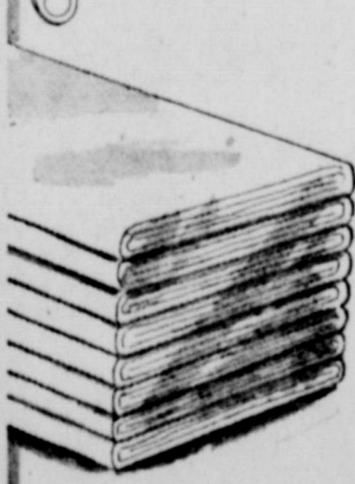
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