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A committee composed of F. M. Pearce, of the Ballinger Rotary Club; O. L. Huddleston of the Ballinger Jaycees; E. C. Grindstaff of the Ballinger Lions Club; and Troy Simpson, of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, met with the entire city commission Monday to obtain facts regarding the bond issue election Saturday, February 17. Members of the city commission attending the
meeting were: Bill Moore, mayor; Malcolm Morgan and Raymond Berryhill, commissioners; and Fred Underwood, city secretary.

Without any effort to color the issue, the following questions have been asked and the following answers are given:

Question-What is the amount of bonds asked in
Saturday's election? Question-Wha
Saturday's election?
Answer- $\$ 100,000$. They will be retired in 18 years with interest of $2 / 2$ per cent for the first ten years,
$2 / 4$ per cent for the next five, and 3 per cent for the ${ }^{23}$ per cent fors.
last 3 years.
Question-For what purpose are the bonds to be used?

Answer-They will provide money to be used by Answer-They will provide money to be used by
the city in meeting requirements at Bruce Field and
permit operators to secure at contract for a flight permit operators to secur
training school for cadets.
Question-Has a contract been approved for Bal
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Answer-No, but operators have been secured and Answer-No, but operators have bentract they must have assurance that the flying field here will be improved to mee requirements of the air force
Question-If these bonds are approved by the
voters, and contractors fail to get approval for a voters, and contractors fail to get approval for a
school at Ballinger, what would happen to the bonds? Answer-The bonds would not be issued, or sold, and the entire issue would be declared void

Question-Could these bonds be sold and the money used for any other purpose?

Answer-No, money from the sale of this issue
could only be used for airport improvement.
Question-Will $\$ 100,000$ meet the requirements, or ay a second issue be called?
Answer-Assurance has been given that the work can be done for $\$ 100,000$ and city officials have guar-
anteed that no second call will be made on the voters.

Question-What are the requirements?
Answer-The city will be required to provide three hard-surfaced runways 150 feet wide and 4,000
feet long, give the present ramp a seal-coat job, repair feet long, give the present ramp a seal-coat job, repair
streets inside the field and erect a specific number of field lights.

Question-Will the entire $\$ 100,000$ be needed? Answer-That has not been determined, but only
bonds for the needed amount will be sold.

Question-If thes
it effect our tax rates?
Answer-The city commission has given assurance that with the bonds approved, the tax rate for 1951
will not exceed $\$ 2.00$ on the $\$ 100$ valuation. This will be a decrease of 40 cents on the tax rate for 1950 .

Question-How can the tax rate be reduced when
an added expense such as retirements of the $\$ 100,000$ in new bonds, is added to the city's liabilities? Answer-The city collected $\$ 2.40$ on the $\$ 100$ in

1950 in order to clear up some past due obligations and get all departments out of the red. This has been
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(Uuestion-How will the field benefit the peeple of Ballinger?
Answer-lt will provide an annual payroll of around. In addition, it will proxide good emplowment ocal man local people who will be needed in the opera-
for man tion of the field and training program.
Question-How will the size of the proposed War II? Answer-lt will be much larger. Approximately peromenel will be erreaty increased and more civivian instructors and wher workeres wivi be enprovech In addition, the school may be expanded, and it is because
Ballinger has ample room for expansion, that we have a fair chance to secure a school.
Question-Will any of the money from the bonds
be used to replace buildings?
Answer-No. The building program will be up to the contractor, and the city will have no obligation
other than improvements in making runways meet approval.

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