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County's Club Boys Win 1 and 2 in Grass Judging

Runnels county grass judging teams had a perfect score at the State Fair in Dallas last Saturday. The Runnels county 4-H club team won first place and the Ballinger chapter of the Future Farmers of America took second place.

Alphus Hill, of Wingate, was the top individual with 210 points. Keith Ueckert, of Winters, second, with 203 points; and Harvey Wessels, third, with 199 points.

The FFA team was composed of Francis Fisher, Henry Wolf, Jr., and Wilburn Wehlman, Wolf scored 4th, Wehlman 6th, and Fisher 8th.

The Ballinger FFA chapter was represented by 65 boys at Dallas Saturday, attending the fair on Rural Youth Day. They made the trip in a big truck and left Dallas at 11 p. m. Saturday night, getting back to Ballinger shortly after sunrise Sunday.

Both the 4-H club and the Ballinger FFA will ship livestock to Dallas Sunday and a number of boys will accompany their entries and remain until after judging in the junior division. A large truck will be loaded here late Sunday afternoon and will go directly to the fair grounds.

In the swine division 4-H club boys will show as follows: Marcel and Harry Kalina, 3 Hampshires; Donald Dierschke, 3 Hampshires; Charles Hoelscher, 4 Hampshires; Clyde Halfmann, 2 Durocs; Bernard Halfmann, 3 Durocs; David Burleson, 3 Durocs; Victor Hoelscher, 3 Hampshires.

Marcel Kalina will exhibit two crossbred lambs and Harry Kalina one fine wool lamb.

Ferlich Brothers will show one Shorthorn steer in the calf division.

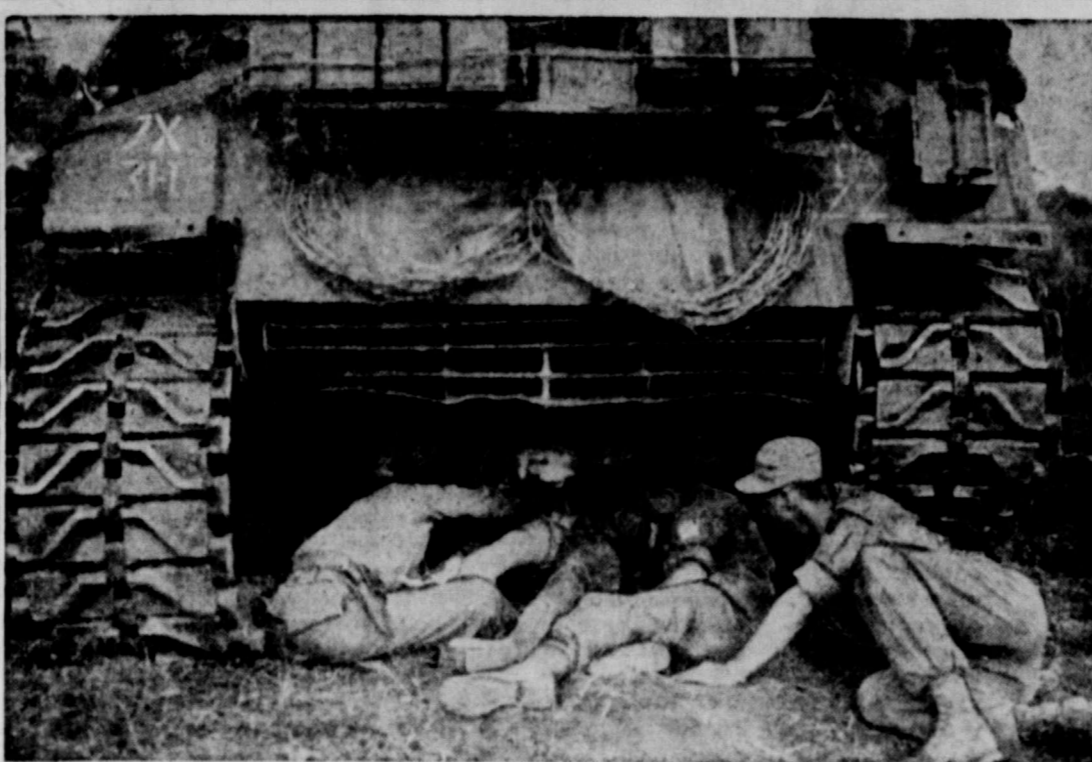
In the poultry show two 4-H club boys will compete, showing pens of three hens and a rooster. Alphus Hill will have two exhibits and Obie Dee Bradford one exhibit.

The Ballinger FFA will have five calves shown by Henry Stokes, Weldon Lange, Bobby Pieper and Smith Bros.

Smith Bros. will have one fat barrow in the swine division.

The chapter will exhibit about 15 lambs by Smith Bros., Weldon Lange, Bob Ransbarger, Henry Stokes and Bobby Patton.

R. A. Hanson, Ballinger V. A. instructor, will accompany the FFA boys, and assistant county agent, Joe C. Johnson, the 4-H club boys.



TANK SERVES AS PROTECTION FOR WOUNDED CORPSMAN... Protected by the armor of a tank, a couple of American soldiers and a war correspondent bandage the wounds of an injured GI, a tank corpsman with the seventh division in Korea. The corpsman was wounded by small arms fire when the tank patrol probed the territory for enemy bunkers and hill positions. The first aid group, left to right, Lt. Robert Gaul, tank commander of Agua Dulce, Texas, and war correspondent Don Dixon. Man at right is unidentified. The wounded man was loaded on another tank and run through enemy fire to safety.

Multiple Crop Insurance Policies to 815 Farmers

Officials in charge of the multiple crop insurance program for the PMA have checked results of the recent campaign in Runnels county and report that 815 policies have been sold for 1952. This is more than double the 397 policies in effect on 1951 crops.

The final date for making application for insurance in 1952 was September 30.

W. R. Gray, PMA administrator, stated that it was impossible to determine just how much

would be collected by Runnels county farmers on the poor crops in 1951. Final adjustments will not be made until after the cotton crop is gathered, but most of the policies which included small grain show total losses on that one crop.

Yields of grain sorghums and cotton are yet to be determined.

The increase shown by the Runnels county office is the best record in the state for counties eligible for multiple insurance.

Many Projects Finished Since '45 by Local PMA

A tabulation of accomplishments in the Runnels county conservation program and other activities aided by the PMA shows a vast amount of work completed. Total cash assistance in the many activities are not available, but in many of the programs the office shared half the cost.

Terracing and earthen dams perhaps lead in the totals. Since 1945 a total of 908 stock water tanks have been completed, 110 of which were built in 1951.

The projects and the amount of work done during the six-year period follow:

- Large ridge terraces, 23,441-845 feet
- Small ridge terraces, 134,801 feet
- Diversion terraces, 417,579 feet
- Damless tanks, 66,579 cubic yards
- Earthen tanks, 2,510,558 cubic yards
- Spreader dams, 473,576 cubic yards
- Water wells, 754 feet
- Eradication of prickly pears, 41,791 acres
- Eradication of mesquite, 15,200 acres
- Eradication of mesquite by spraying, 1,280 acres
- Eradication of cedar, 142 acres
- Eradication of underbrush, 178 acres
- Contour farming, 150,490 acres
- Pipelines, 4,400 feet
- Reservoirs, 2,899 cubic yards
- Subsiding, 3,764 acres
- In assisting farmers and ranchmen in securing seed and other materials in which the PMA shared the costs the following items were listed:
- Superphosphates, 948,800 lbs.
- Hairy vetch seed, 16,548 lbs.
- Dixie Wonder peas, 11,100 lbs.
- Huban clover, 5,200 lbs.
- Cowpeas, 500 lbs.
- Harvesting seed, 10,400 lbs.
- Winter legumes, 23,700 lbs.
- Summer legumes, 2,280 lbs.
- Potash, 667 lbs.
- Austrian winter peas, 13,850 lbs.

Candidates Named By School Classes For Royal Couple

Classes of the Ballinger schools have launched a contest to name the king and queen for the coronation at the annual Halloween carnival to be held on the night of October 27.

The carnival, sponsored by the senior class, includes many of the usual midway attractions, plus the climax in the crowning rites.

The contest will continue until the evening of the Halloween affair, final tabulations to be made shortly before the program. Votes are being sold at one cent each and the boy and girl receiving the largest number will be declared the king and queen.

The following nominations have been made:

- Senior class, Clyde Wilkins and Harlan Forbus
- Junior class, Carol Ann Bailey and William Morris
- Sophomore class, Joye Campbell and Mike Egan
- Freshman class, Diane Wilson and Pete Bryan
- Eighth grade, Delle Tisdale and Jimmy Hamner
- Seventh grade, Virginia Harral and Bobby Burton.

The carnival will be presented in the Army and Navy Club room of the library building and is to commence at 7:00 p. m. All members of the senior class are busy perfecting plans and arranging for the games and other entertainment.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES TO BE HELD HERE SUNDAY, 11 A. M.

Regular Episcopal services are to be held Sunday at 11:00 a. m. in the library building. R. N. Sands, a lay reader of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, San Angelo, will be in charge of the worship hour.

All members are urged to attend and the public is invited.

Good Production Report for Week in County's Fields

Oil activities in Runnels county the past week held the normal pace, a number of producers being brought in and several locations being made. A number of wells are nearing production depth this week.

Anderson & Reynolds No. 1-Mrs. J. F. Currie, located three miles north of Ballinger, is reported to have had a good showing and tests are due in a few days.

Jim McMurrey No. 3-I. W. Rogers was finished for 182 barrels of 46 gravity oil at 4,088 feet.

Robinson-Puckett No. 2-T. B. Poe made 84 barrels of 42.9 gravity oil at a depth of 3,499 feet.

E. S. Price No. 2-A. W. Malone, in the Beddo field, was good for 156 barrels of 46 gravity oil. Depth is 2,365 feet.

Bouchard & Callihan No. 2-J. S. Brown, in the Winters Caddo field, made 274 barrels of 47 gravity oil when completed.

N. P. Powell No. 1D-Sallie Odum, in the Fort Chadbourne field, flowed 141 barrels of 46 gravity oil when completed. The total depth is 5,290 feet.

J. K. Hughes Oil Co. No. 4-Minzenmayer was finished on pump for 20.66 barrels of 41 gravity oil. It is located in the West Winters Canyon field.

Union Sulphur No. 8C-O. C. Sykes, in the Cree-Sykes field, was rated at 17.98 barrels of 43.2 gravity oil when finished at a depth of 4,055 feet.

Union Sulphur No. 18C-J. M. Giles flowed at the rate of 170 barrels of 42.5 gravity oil. The depth is 4,004 feet.

Union Sulphur No. 7T-J. M. Giles was finished on pump for 5.33 barrels of 40.4 gravity oil at a depth of 4,059 feet.

Murray Petroleum Co. No. 1-Memry Hunt has been staked in the Jim Adams field.

Gulf Plains Corp. No. 1-N. J. Whitley has been staked and will be drilled to 5,000 feet. This wildcat is located three miles southeast of Crews.

Union Sulphur has staked a wildcat, its No. 1-Annie Bright, projected for 4,500 feet. The location is 1 1/2 miles northeast of the Cree-Sykes field.

George P. Livermore No. 1-Emma Lee will be a 5,000-foot test in the Maverick section. The location is 2 1/4 miles southeast of the Spartan Drilling Co. No. 1-Levy Lee, a failure.

B. C. Morrison No. 1-Billie Hanks will go to 4,800 feet. It is located five miles north of Winters.

Dalport Oil Corp. No. 1-L. F. Smith, a wildcat, has been staked 3/4 of a mile east of production in the Swastika field near Ballinger. Drilling is slated to 2,600 feet.

Saxon Exploration Co. has staked four locations for 4,500-foot wells in the Cree-Sykes field. They are to be known as Nos. 18-, 22-, 23- and 24- O. C. Sykes.

Humble No. 60B-Sallie Odum flowed 346.29 barrels of 45 gravity oil when completed at 5,477 feet.

E. S. Price has staked his No. 3-A. W. Malone in the Beddo field, to go to 2,400 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Keel will see the Texas-Oklahoma football game in the Cotton Bowl, Dallas, this week-end.

Norton Pilot's Body May be Returned To U. S. for Burial

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Compton, of Norton, have received information from the graves division of the war department, that the body of their son, Second Lieutenant David N. Compton, has been identified and is being held at a cemetery in France awaiting their instructions in regard to final burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Compton have asked for better proof of identification and if this is received will ask that the body be returned to San Antonio for burial at Fort Sam Houston.

Lt. Compton was killed in action on February 25, 1945, while on a mission over Linz, Austria. He was a pilot on a B-24 and four men were survivors of the last mission. His wife, who resides at Lubbock, visited some of the survivors after their return to the United States and since receiving a first-hand description of the fatal last flight, little hope was held for identification and recovery.

According to the letter from the war department, the body was buried at Leonding, Austria, and was recently removed to the U. S. military cemetery at St. Avoird, France, where official identification has been made, the body re-casketed and is being held in a morgue for instructions.

Besides his parents at Norton, his wife and six-year-old son reside at Lubbock.

Bureau Member Drive Launched

Runnels County Farm Bureau directors and their wives held the annual membership "kick-off" supper at the Central Hotel Thursday night of last week.

Elliott Kemp presided and introduced officers and their wives, chairman of the membership drive, and Joe Droll, the new service agent, and his wife.

Andrew Engert was the principal speaker, talking on the subject "What the Farm Bureau Has Meant to Me." In his talk he stressed a large number of benefits which the farmer receives from holding membership in the organization.

Kirby Robinson spoke on "What We Expect Out of Our Farm Bureau."

Every effort will be made to increase the membership of the county organization.

COTTON GINNING TOTAL FOR COUNTY 2,842 BALES

Tabulations of cotton ginned in Runnels county up to Tuesday night were made Wednesday, showing a total of 2,842 bales for all gins. The northern part of the county had 1,355 bales and the southern part 1,487 bales.

It is estimated that 75 per cent of the cotton in the county is open and ready to be picked but crews are scarce. Many farmers were here this week trying to get pickers but only a few are arriving in this section.

Mrs. E. C. Pape returned home Tuesday from a San Angelo hospital, where she recently underwent surgery, having her right arm removed.

Hospital Patient Seriously Injured

Jack Winchester, 38, was seriously injured Tuesday night about 8:30 when he jumped or fell from his room on the second floor of the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital. X-ray reports Wednesday indicated a broken shoulder, a dislocated left wrist and some injury to his neck. Late Wednesday afternoon he had not regained consciousness and was considered in a critical condition.

Winchester landed on his head on the roof of a small stoop over a door leading to the basement. The force of the landing caused his head to crash through the thin roof leaving him balanced there and hanging by his head.

Visitors had just left his room and heard the noise before they left the hospital. Hospital attendants and others got the injured man down and back to his room within a short time.

Winchester had been a patient in the local hospital about a week but had been ill about one month. He recently returned from Leuders.

Barbecue Planned For Legionnaires Preceding Drive

Members of the Pat Williams post, American Legion, will meet Tuesday afternoon and evening for a "kick-off" stag dinner which will launch their 1952 membership campaign.

The affair will be held in the club house at Bruce Field and activities will start around 4:00 p. m. with the barbecue dinner to be served at 7:00 p. m. Cards have been sent to 1951 members, urging them to attend this meeting and if possible to bring their dues for the new year.

Eugene Loika will have charge of the barbecue dinner and at the request of those who work late, will not start serving until 7:00 p. m.

Jack Nixon, Jr., membership chairman, will explain the plan for conducting the campaign, which will continue until Armistice Day. All members and veterans who desire to join are invited to the party.

\$30,000 LIVESTOCK SALE HELD AT LOCAL BARN

The regular Tuesday afternoon auction at the Ballinger Livestock & Commission Co. barns was well attended and sales totaled \$30,000.

During the afternoon 265 head of cattle, 125 sheep and a few hogs were put through the ring, buyers bidding fast on all offerings.

Fat calves brought 30 to 32 1/2 cents, fat cows 26 cents, heavy bulls 27 1/2 cents, good mouth ewes \$14 per head, lambs 26 cents and hogs 20 1/2 cents.

Another good sale is in prospect for next week and buyers and livestock raisers are urged to be here.

Mrs. R. E. Truly, and Mrs. Marguerite Dow and son, Jerry, of San Angelo, visited in Dallas the past week-end and were accompanied home by Miss Elizabeth Truly. Miss Truly, who is attending school at Fort Worth, went to Hamlin Monday to fill a speaking engagement. She returned to Fort Worth Monday night.

Roping Contests Offer Good Show Before Big Crowd

The largest crowd of the season was on hand Tuesday night for the roping contests at the rodeo grounds northwest of Ballinger on the Bronte highway. A large number of ropers participated and some excellent times were made.

These programs are held each Tuesday evening and local fans are invited to attend. Results of the various events Tuesday were as follows:

First Professional
First, Jack Newton, Abilene, 13.21
Second, Doyle Riley, Ballinger, 13.81
Third, Ted Powers, San Angelo, 16.22

Second Professional
First Herman Virden, Ballinger, 14.10
Second, Dayton Reighneau, Menard, 14.67
Third, Horace Lanthicum, Eldorado, 15.99

Third Professional
First, Jack Newton, Abilene, 13.67
Second, Ted Powers, San Angelo, 13.74
Third, John Powell, Eldorado, 14.55

First Amateur
First, Rube Rainwater, Crews, 20.25
Second, Bill Howard, Winters, 20.52
Third, Horace Gibbs, Crews, 20.66

Second Amateur
First, Connie Gibbs, Crews, 15.62
Second, Dayton Reighneau, Menard, 18.53
Third, Dan Vogel, Brady, 18.55

Third Amateur
First, Horace Lanthicum, Eldorado, 17.66
Second, Wanda Harper, Mason, 17.93
Third, Dayton Reighneau, Menard, 13.87 plus 10

Girls' Barrel Race
First, Luella Holley, Ballinger, 12.54
Second, Wanda Harper, Mason, 12.60
Third, Mrs. Bun Jeffrey, Talpa, 13.75

Clover Leaf Race
First, Peggy Sanders, 21.05
Second, Wanda Harper, 22.04
Third, Mrs. Bun Jeffrey, 24.75

Salvation Army Fund Campaign Nets \$1,400 Even

The campaign for Salvation Army finances was closed here this week, Ballinger and the southern part of the county contributing \$1,400. When final tabulations were made Monday, the fund needed only a few dollars to make it even money and the workers chipped in to bring the total to \$1,400, \$200 over the set quota.

The Rowena committee turned in \$70 Monday after finishing solicitations in the community. The total came from Rowena, Miles and Ballinger.

A drive was conducted at Winters and the northern part of the county, these collections going to the Winters chapter, which was organized last month.

A board has been established in Ballinger and a third of the money will be retained here for local charity. The donations are handled without expense and if the local chapter spends all its account and needs more, it can call on the state organization for assistance.

Clifford Cook served as chairman here for the drive.

LAYMEN WILL CONDUCT SERVICES FOR BAPTISTS

Sunday, October 14, will be observed as Laymen's Day in all Baptist churches. The First Baptist Church of Ballinger will observe the special day with laymen in complete charge of the morning service.

Judge O. L. Parish will preside and introduce the following speakers: O. C. Sykes, Drury P. Hathaway and Elliott Kemp. The choir will be composed of men and a special number is to be rendered.

The pastor will speak at the evening service at 7:30.

Al Dallinger left Tuesday for San Antonio, where he was called by the air force for a processing examination. Mr. Dallinger will be there for several days and will not know whether he is to return to active duty until he completes the processing.

Scrap Metal Campaign Will Start October 15

The Runnels county mobilization committee voted Tuesday to launch a scrap metal drive in cooperation with requests of administration leaders who have called a nation-wide campaign from October 15 through November 15.

Meade W. McShan, chairman of the county committee, states that with the step up in the defense program, demands are for millions of pounds of scrap iron, steel and other metals to keep the mills running at top speed. The "scrap harvest" is necessary to provide planes, tanks, ships and guns and at the same time maintain a balanced civilian economy.

The national production authority has already tapped many sources for scrap, including railroads, coal mines and old automobiles.

John A. Barton, publicity

chairman, points out that this is a good time for farmers and ranchmen to check their rusty, worn-out implements, old machinery and other pieces of metal. He suggests that scrap be separated, the parts which might be needed saved, and the others taken to salvage depots or scrap dealers. When selling it is necessary for metals to be separated as some bring a much better price than others. Steel scrap brings from \$18 to \$22 per ton, scrap iron \$28 to \$35 per ton, while light metals are worth about \$10. Old batteries bring from \$2.35 to \$2.50 and an engine block is worth about \$7.50.

The Runnels county committee believes many tons of scrap may be found on farms in the county and that the need is so great it should be moved at once. It urges full cooperation of all in this campaign.

Less Than 1,500 Visit Chest X-Ray Clinic Here

The mass chest X-ray clinic was closed here Tuesday afternoon after being operated three days and taking pictures of 1,487 people. At Winters 657 attended.

The state mobile unit opened the clinic in the display rooms of the Ewell Jones Motors Saturday morning and operated Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. It came to Runnels county on the invitation of the Runnels County Medical Society, and the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association cooperated in holding the clinic here and at Winters.

During the stay here students 15 years old and over from Ballinger, Rowena, Miles and Norton attended the clinic in groups. Ballinger women acted as hostesses, did clerical work and helped in other details.

Films were sent to Austin to be developed and read. People who show to have something wrong in the pictures will be notified to see their physicians for further examinations.

The total number attending the 1951 clinic was small compared with previous years.

The mass X-ray program is part of the work of the tuberculosis association and is made possible by the excellent sale of seals each fall.

The association will start the sale of bonds and seals in November and conclude it by Christmas. Preliminary plans have been made for this sale and it will be conducted on the same plan as in the past. Bonds are sold by personal solicitation and seals are mailed to all citizens of the county.

New School Lunch Room to be Opened for Service This Week

The last shipment of equipment for the new school lunch room arrived the past week-end and a large crew of workers was making final installations the first of the week, laying linoleum, finishing plumbing and doing electrical work in an effort to open the cafeteria this week.

Steel serving tables were the last items to be received and Tuesday morning they were in place. A switch for the dishwashing machine was due to arrive Tuesday and floors were to be finished and venetian blinds hung by Wednesday noon.

The new cafeteria is modern in every detail and will provide a larger place for banquets than the cafeteria on high school campus. There are some 200 more square feet of floor space in the new dining room than in the old one and a number of other features will make it more desirable.

Year-round Serval air conditioning has been installed and tested. The serving tables and kitchen are behind a wall with doors that can be closed to permit workers to go ahead with their duties during banquets. A large stove with separate oven and other modern devices will make preparation of meals faster and with less effort.

The dining hall and kitchen are well lighted, with convenient drops and switches where they are often needed. Several storage rooms are available, one equipped with an automatic washer and dryer for taking care of cup towels and other laundry.

The hall has seating capacity for 240. On the south side is a concrete sidewalk with covering where pupils can form lines and be under cover when it is raining. The route for the line will accommodate approximately 100 on the inside of the building, thereby making it possible for students to be protected in bad weather.

Mrs. W. E. Elkins will be in charge of both cafeterias, dividing time between the two places. A crew has been assigned to the new cafeteria and it will be cleaned and made ready for serving meals today or Friday.

All members of home demonstration clubs are invited to make the final tour Wednesday.

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**WEST TEXAS
NOTES**

Cotton is opening fast in Runnels county and pickers are coming in here in very small numbers. A few crews have stopped in the county but most of the larger groups headed on to the region northwest of Ballinger where cotton is better. A number of farmers have been in town this week seeking help. Many fields have not had a boll picked from them and two-thirds of the crop is open. While Runnels county's production will be very short this year based on the average, it now appears that it will be a big problem to get the picking done. The child labor law is keeping many Mexican laborers out of cotton raising counties since only adults can work during school hours.

Next week, October 14 through 20, is Oil Progress Week in Ballinger. Dealers here are actively observing the special period and are calling public attention to some of the progress which has been made in getting oil and by-products from producing fields into the channels of business. One item being pointed out is that more than ten billion dollars has been spent in the past five years for improved domestic plants and facilities. Practically all major companies are represented in Ballinger by wholesale houses and stations. These men are a big part of Ballinger and every other community. Probably no group renders more service than do the men who service our cars and trucks. These men are proud of their jobs and take a delight in bringing a report to the public once a year.

Ballinger students this week are learning ways to prevent fire. Excellent programs plus interesting demonstrations have been taken to all the local schools. The demonstrations deal with electrical devices, gas explosions, mishandled matches, etc., and make deep impressions on the children, who immediately put their knowledge into action. Students have been preparing fire prevention posters and have given the subject much attention.

Coleman county tax payers are having their delinquent bills brought up to date, and according to the tax collector, the total may run as high as a million dollars. The items on the delinquent accounts date as far back as 1919. Clerks started last week making up lists which will be used by the county and state in verifying payments on property from 1919 to 1950. The survey being made is required by an act of the legislature at its last session. The lists show unpaid taxes and the penalties. When possible, property owners will be notified of the amounts owed the county and state.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McDonald, formerly of Silsbee, have moved into the parsonage and a full time schedule of services has been announced.

Some 250 farmers, ranchmen and business men attended a mass meeting at Comanche last Thursday to hear a complete explanation of rainmaking. At the end of the meeting, \$850 was subscribed to a fund to make the experiment in 1952. If Comanche county land owners join those of other counties in that section to try for rain, a purse of about \$2,500 will be necessary. Representatives of several adjoining counties attended the meeting.

HAS YOUR ADDRESS BEEN CHANGED?

Ledger subscribers are requested to notify the publisher of any change in their address promptly. Under postal laws newspapers and periodicals must pay postage due for notices of any change in address furnished by the post office. Besides there always is the probability that your paper will be delayed or fail to reach you altogether if you do not give immediate notification when you move. The best plan for all concerned is to send the change of address in advance.

A new section of highway 80 east of Abilene was opened to travel Saturday. The last gap on the new route was 18.2 miles from Abilene to Baird. No formalities accompanied the opening, barriers being removed and the new pavement opened to through traffic. Contractors stated that the only work which remained was sweeping gravel

from the surface. Preparations are well underway for observance of "Lyndon Johnson Day" at Brownwood on October 24. A feature event will be the serving of 3,000 pounds of meat at the noon barbecue. Activities will start at 10 a. m. with a huge parade through the business district led by the 108-piece Brownwood high school band. Senator Johnson will speak immediately following the barbecue. Delegations from a number of West Texas towns will attend the celebration. The entire program is to be presented in Coggin Park. The Winters Sportsman's Club has extended its fishing rodeo to include all of October. Unsettled weather was the cause of

the extension, according to Loyd Robinson, club president. A large number of prizes have not been awarded and the club wants to dispose of these before the fishing season ends. A fish fry committee is arranging the annual get-together, to be held in the near future.

Three members of the Miles Parent-Teacher Association went to Midland last week for the district 16 board meeting. The Miles group attended the workshop on safety as well as the general assembly. The Miles P-T. A. has a large membership this year and has taken on a number of projects.

The fall membership drive for the Concho County Farm Bureau was begun today and a number of committees will canvass the county. Directors and their wives attended a "kick-off" dinner in the Eden school cafeteria and assigned territory for the campaign. The state organization has asked a quota of 325 for Concho county.

Carload shipments of 12-inch pipe have been received at Bronte, Ft. Chadbourne, Blackwell and Maryneal to be used in constructing a gas line from the Bronte field to the Lone Star cement factory at Maryneal. The Lone Star Gas Co. is laying the line. Fifty or sixty carloads of pipe will be required to complete the job. Company

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officials stated that the new line would make it possible to pipe gas from Bronte all over the West Texas system.

State Senator Carlos Ashley, of Llano, stated last Thursday that he was filing a protest with the board of state hospitals and special schools in regard to establishing a detention school for boys at Brady. His action was taken after conferring with numerous citizens

of McCulloch county. The board has planned to use the former German war prisoners camp near Brady for the boys reformatory.

Two boys from the Stephenville and Dublin chapters of the Future Farmers of America left the past week-end for Kansas City to attend the national F. F. A. meeting. The full program will include many special entertainment features. All dele-

gates will be given a tour of Kansas City with particular emphasis on packing plants, where judging contests will be held.

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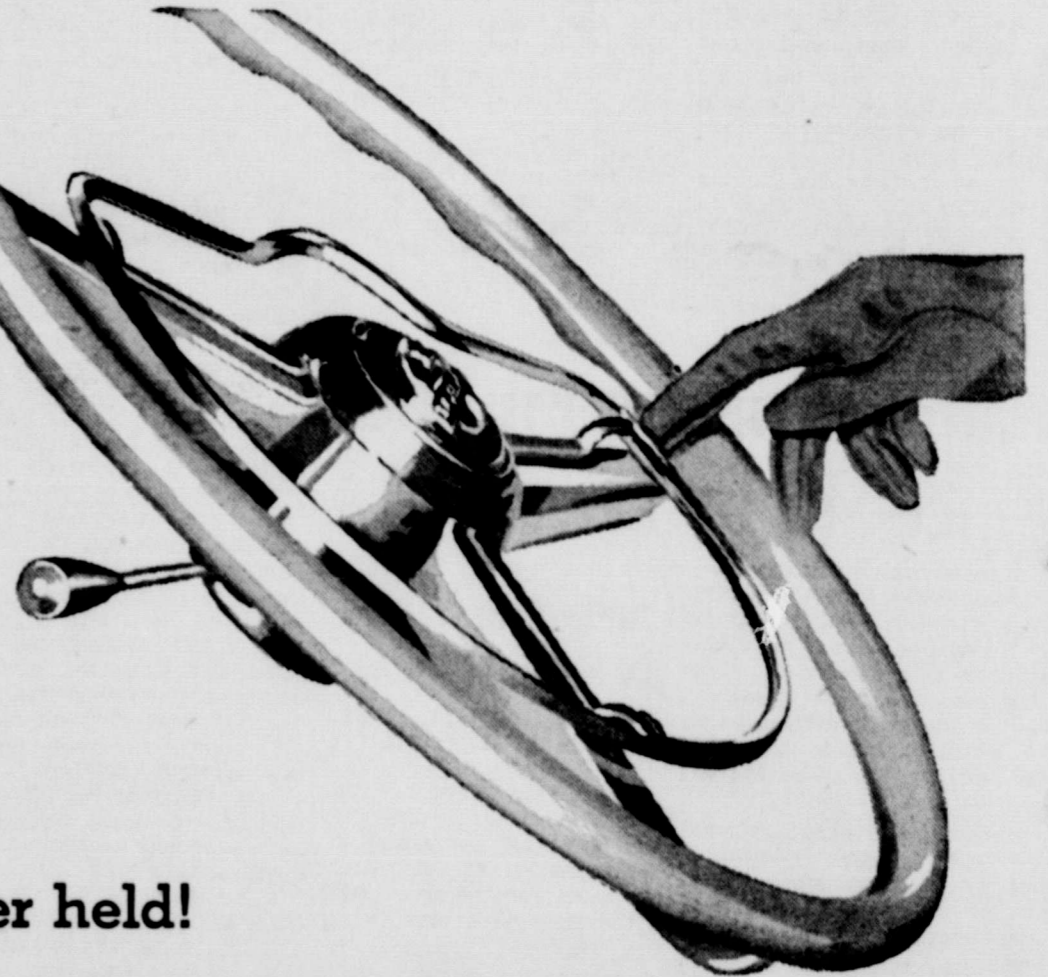
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IN SOCIETY

Mrs. Hodge Guest Speaker for Shakespeare Club

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, of Midland, president of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, greeted club women of this section and expressed grateful appreciation to all for contributions of time, money and effort in making her administration, and the General Convention held at Houston this summer, an outstanding success, before speaking on "Mobilizing Our Strength for Defense," at a luncheon meeting of the Ballinger Shakespeare Club last Thursday in the banquet room of the Central Hotel.

Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, president, greeted guests. Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh gave the invocation. Mrs. Dorsey Read, program chairman, outlined the year's study on the "American Way of Life."

Mrs. Satterwhite introduced the guest speaker. Mrs. Hodge made suggestions to the club women how they might help strengthen defense by improving our citizenship in voting, resisting communism by universal prayer, giving Red Cross service and contributing to the blood bank, buying bonds, becoming informed on what our country is going through by reading, practicing economics in the home and other suggestions to strengthen world peace.

Mrs. Hodge invited all club women to attend the annual T.F.C.W. meeting, to be held on the campus of Texas State College for Women, Denton, November 12-15.

The luncheon meeting opened the fall programs of the pioneer club which was organized in 1896. Mrs. F. C. Miller, who served as third president of the club, and the only living charter member, was presented by Mrs. Satterwhite. The U-shaped table was laid with a white cloth and bouquets of bronze and yellow chrysanthemums formed centerpieces, interspersed with autumn leaves and orange pyroanthia berries.

At the conclusion Mrs. Chester Cherry read the Woman's Creed.

Out-of-town guests were: Mmes. Ellen Sims, Bill Currie, Willard Estep, Winifred Wright, Harvey Hartgrove and Miss Pearl Currie, all of the Paint Rock Study Club; Mmes. A. V. Livingston, R. C. Terry, Joe Dobson, J. C. Smith, Milton Clayton, Matt Fox, W. Robertson, Andy Broyles, all of the Taipa Study Club.

Members of the Fannie Stephens Study Club present were: Mmes. Jack Seales, J. Dexter Eoff, Jack Moore, Joe Flynt, Malcolm Morgan and Price Middleton.

Other guests were Mrs. Elmer Shepperd, president of the Civic-Garden Club, and Mrs. W. D. Scales.

Serving on the decorating committee were Mmes. Joel Bates, R. O. Bobo, Arthur Giescke and E. A. Saunders. Mrs. Marvin Clark was in charge of the ticket arrangements.

Other Shakespeare Club members are: Mmes. C. F. Bailey, Edgar Boelsche, Chester Cherry, Sim Cottelle, J. B. Dankworth, Lanham Flynt, J. W. Guynes, Loyd Herring, B. C. Kirk, Lela McAdams, J. F. Currie, E. E. King, C. J. Lynn, T. J. McCaughan, O. L. Parish, Jr., Paul Petty, A. O. Rue, C. P. Shepperd, Powell Wear, R. F. Zedlitz, Oriand Middleton, Ray Graham, and Horace Murphy.

Fannie Stephens Study Club Meets in Davidson Home

The Fannie Stephens Study Club met Wednesday afternoon of last week in the Eighth Street home of Mrs. M. A. Davidson, with Mrs. Pauline Fragua as co-hostess.

Mrs. M. E. McClenny directed the business, at which time workers volunteered to clerical work in connection with the tuberculosis survey to be conducted in Ballinger next week. Mrs. W. K. Wheatly, program chairman, presented Mrs. Price Middleton, whose subject was "Television: Its Impact on Our Cultural Pattern." Mrs. Middleton stated how the television ranked and its effect on the family and home life, and that school children in New York viewed television 24 hours a week. She stated that in order for children to benefit from television, a higher type of program would have to be given, but the solution would have to be that the pictures would have to be supported by the viewers rather than the advertisers. Mrs. Ted Tisdale's topic was "What About Pay-As-You-Look TV?" She explained the phone-vision experiment which was conducted in Chicago by the Zenith Radio Co. whereby families could order a certain movie televised to their homes. This new form of entertainment is still in the experimental stage. The program was concluded with a parliamentary drill on standing rules, directed by Mrs.

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Kathy Dankworth's Birthday Anniversary Celebrated

Kathy Dankworth was honored on her second birthday anniversary last Thursday afternoon when her mother, Mrs. J. B. Dankworth, Jr., entertained in the garden of their home on Sixth Street.

After a period of play, gifts were opened. Mrs. Dankworth was assisted by the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. Arlie Miller, and her aunt, Mrs. Oren Dean. The pretty white birthday cake, decorated with blue designs on a musical plate, was served with ice cream. Blue candy mints spelling "Happy Birthday, Kathy" centered the refreshment table. Plate favors were baskets filled with assorted candies, and added gifts of miniature cars, chairs, whistles and other toys were received from a decorated tree in the garden.

Small guests were: Steve and Scott McCrary, Charles Wayne Swift, Jo Ann Webb, Mike King, Jimmy Gibbs, Tommy Thompson, Donna Thompson, Jeannie Loika, Bill and Susan Middle-

ton, Wendolyn Wear, George Nance, Pam Dean, Terry Gray, Johnny and Genie Keel, Jimmy Loika.

Adults were: Mrs. J. B. Dankworth, grandmother of the honoree, Mmes. Gene Keel, Virginia Nance, Buddy Gray, Jack Hampton, Powell Wear, Oriand Middleton, Eugene Loika, Mary Thompson, James Gibbs, Wayne Swift, Charles Webb and Max McCrary, Jr.

Stehle-Stanley Wedding Date Named

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Stehle announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Quinelle, to Lester Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stanley.

The wedding vows will be read in November 2. The couple will make home at Sonora.

Miss Stehle attended Ballinger High School, and the bridegroom-elect is a graduate of Ballinger High School.

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IN SOCIETY

Girl Scout Meetings Held at Scout House

Mrs. Oran Chandler and Mrs. Ray Graham met with members of Girl Scout troop No. 9 in the Scout House on Fifth Street Tuesday afternoon.

After a short business period the group folded tuberculous stamps for mailing. Sharon Tuckey was hostess and served Eskimo pies and suckers to Patsy Ashton, Frances Allen, Midge Adair, Pat Darby, Sarah Chandler, Margo Brunson, Linda Crockett, Nita Duke, Lynn Herring, Patsy Robertson, Gale Jennings, Nanette Holbrook, and Jane Wade.

Mrs. Alton Seidel and Mrs. Harold Mueller are new leaders for a Girl Scout Troop which met in the Scout Home Monday afternoon.

Edna Lou Cotham and Jane Nixon were welcomed as members of the troop. A hike was planned for the near future, and the project of making first-aid kits was discussed. Maudie Lee Brookshier will be hostess at the next meeting.

Others were: Linda Lou Sayers, Linda Crockett, Jimbeth Flynt, Sharon Cook, Lucia Clark, Glenda Cook, Dorothy Smith, Paula Bishop, Linda Wright, Neida Jo Barnett, Margaret Lou Campbell, and Rosalee Jones.

Paula Bishop served cookies and coca colas to the group.

Miss Grigsby Becomes Bride of Billy Wayne Scoggins

Miss Beth Grigsby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Grigsby, of Comanche, became the bride of Billy Wayne Scoggins, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Scoggins of Ballinger, in a beautiful double ring ceremony performed Saturday, October 6, at 8 p. m. in the First Baptist Church at Comanche, the Rev. Arthur Johnson officiating.

Miss Frances Dean gave a prenuptial program and also accompanied Dick Cope, when he sang "Because," and "The Lord's Prayer." Miss Dean also played the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a ballerina length dress of Chantilly lace over white taffeta, styled with a Peter Pan collar. The long sleeves tapered to points over the wrists and the skirt was very full. Her finger-tip veil of white illusion and lace, was caught to clusters of orange blossoms. She carried a white prayer book which was topped with a shower bouquet of white baby mums and stephanotis.

The bride's attendants were Miss Patsy McNutt, of Comanche, who served as maid of honor; Sherry Reith, niece of the bride, who was flower girl; and ring bearer, little Billy Adams, nephew of the bride.

Candles were lighted by Misses Morene Scott and Merle Payne, both of Comanche. S. M. Jonas, Jr., of Ballinger, served as best man. Ushers were James Grigsby and Gayle Odell, both of Comanche; E. L. Sparks, of Brownwood; and Grady Clark, Jr., of San Angelo.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Grigsby. Presiding at the wedding cake were Misses Patsy McNutt and Mrs. Dick Cope, of Brownwood; Misses Momena Scott and Merle Payne laded punch. Guests were registered in the bride's book by Mrs. J. T. Beatty, of Corpus Christi, sister of the bride. Music was furnished by Mrs. Clarence Reith, of Comanche, another sister of the bride.

When the couple left for a short wedding trip, the bride was wearing a gold velveteen suit with brown accessories.

Upon their return, they will be at home in Ballinger, where Mr. Scoggins is Junior High School coach.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding and reception were: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Scoggins, Mr. F. M. Powers, Tommy Lou Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cope, and S. M. Jonas, Jr., all of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Clark, and Grady Clark, Jr., and Mrs. J. W. Clark, of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Drake, of Brownwood; Mrs. Doris Holland, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beatty and children, Paul and David, of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Grigsby and Mr. W. C. Grigsby, of Eastland.

Baptist Training Union Primary Class Entertained

Members of the Primary Class, B. T. U., of the Seventh Street Baptist Church, was entertained with a wiener roast last Friday evening at City Park.

The leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ross and Clifford Crenshaw, accompanied the group and assisted in entertaining following the picnic supper.

Those present were: Marie Brooks, Barbara and Michael Conner, Walter Morgan, Cecil Williams, Billy and Ray Crenshaw, and Floyd Wimberly.

7th Street Baptist Brotherhood to Meet Monday

All of the Brotherhood members of the Seventh Street Baptist Church are urged to attend the regular meeting of the organization which will be held at the church next Monday night, October 15, at seven o'clock.

A good program will be furnished by the program chairman, M. J. Stehle, who will be aided by the Brotherhood president, Jack Ross.

Presbyterian Men's Council Elects Officers

About fifteen members of the Men's Council of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A.,

met in the church parlors Monday evening for their regular meeting, and to elect the following new officers: president, Mart Gorman; vice-president, Pat Wood; secretary-treasurer, Dr. L. L. Downing. Committees will be appointed later.

The Rev. A. O. Rue gave a talk on "Objectives and Goals of the Council." And Rev. Rue announced that Dr. J. W. Laurie, prominent Presbyterian minister of Buffalo, New York, had been made president of Trinity University, San Antonio. Dr. Laurie's acceptance of the office will make him the fifteenth president of Trinity University, a pioneer Texas College. Trinity, now in its 83rd year, is operated by the Synod of Texas Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. Dr. Laurie's term is to begin December 15.

Following the interesting council meeting, the Women's Council of the local church served a sandwich plate with cookies and coffee.

Juanita Thomasson Honored on Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. Buster Thomasson complimented her daughter, Juanita, on her eleventh birthday anniversary last Saturday afternoon when she entertained in her home on Twelfth Street. Hallows' decorations were used in the party rooms.

Plate favors were small Halloween baskets filled with candy.

Hot chocolate was served with the orange and green birthday cake to the honoree, Patricia Edwards, Linda Wright, Rosalee Jones, Ann Richards, Flora Bell Whitted, Sherry Strange, Juanda Thomasson, Roddie and Danny Hamilton, Ronnie and Dale Smith.

Those unable to attend but who sent gifts were: Neida K. Stanley, Maloy Bryant and Mickey Looney.

First Baptist Altar Class Has Installation Service

Mrs. Joe Jones, Mrs. Frank Kemp and Mrs. R. P. Canady were hostesses to members of the Altar Class of the First Baptist Church when they held their regular meeting at which time officers were installed for the ensuing year. The affair was held in the rural home of Mrs. Jones Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank Kemp presided at the business hour and also gave the devotional after Mrs. James Ed Jones gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Elmer Shepperd was the installing officer when the following were installed into office: president, Mrs. E. E. King, membership vice-president, Mrs. Joe Jones, class ministry, Mrs. Willie Stephens, stewardship, Mrs. R. P. Canady, fellowship, Mrs. L. A. Faubion; secretary, Mrs. R. E. Truly.

At the social hour, hostesses served apple pie topped with whipped cream, and coffee. Others present were: Mmes. G.

W. Dunlap, Annie Arterburn, J. A. Williams, O. L. Parish, A. M. King, W. A. Nance, Anna Lowrey, Joe Willeke, H. O. Campbell and A. O. Bartlett.

Vicky Faye Williams Honored on First Birthday Anniversary

Vicky Faye Williams was named honoree on her first birthday anniversary Friday afternoon when her mother, Mrs. J. V. Williams, entertained a group of small friends and their mothers with a party at the Williams ranch on the Concho River near Paint Rock.

Pictures were made and gifts opened. Mrs. Williams was assisted by the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. M. B. Wardlaw, and her aunts, Mrs. E. W. Stasney and Mrs. R. T. Hall, all of Ballinger.

The three ring circus theme was featured in the centerpiece for the refreshment table which was a big-top birthday cake topped with a large candle for the center pole, and festoons of red and blue crepe paper extended to the corners of the table. Other decorations were miniature animals about the cake, and flags and spinning windmills on the circus tent.

The table was appointed with red, white and blue napkins where the cake was served with ice cream. Favors were miniature toys. Small guests from Paint Rock were: Carolyn Currie, Nona Warren, Stephen Houston, John Tetens, Crystal Tetens, Sheryl Hadley, Timothy Hartgrove, Bryan Stephenson, Paul Spellman, Mike Hartgrove, Loretta Beach, of Eden; and Malcolm and Dave Hall, Ann and Buddy Stasney, Pamela and Paul Price, of Ballinger, were other guests.

Cubs Elect Officers

Mrs. Tom Medien met with a group of Cub Scouts in the home of Mrs. O. R. Lasater Tuesday afternoon. Plans and projects were discussed, and the following officers were elected: Eddie Wiginton, denner; Tipton Lee, assistant denner; John Bigby, keeper of the scrolls.

Following the business period Mrs. Medien directed a flag ceremony. Mrs. Walter Bigby assisted John Bigby in serving cookies and cold drinks to: Robert Fowler, Gordon Hays, Ysidro Martinez, Eddie Wiginton, Tipton Lee and Tommy Medien.

BETHEL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Claude Simmons was hostess when the Bethel home demonstration club met in her home last Thursday afternoon. The meeting opened with the group singing "America," which was followed by a prayer led by Mrs. Ben Liverman. Mrs. Simmons presided at the business session. Roll call was answered with "My Greatest Time Saver in Cooking." Achievement reports were given.

New officers were elected as follows: chairman, Mrs. Hedrick Shelburne; vice-chairman, Mrs. Ardell Richards; secretary, Mrs. Milton Harris; council delegate, Mrs. Mead McShan; alternate delegate, Mrs. Bob Fowler; reporter, Mrs. Charlie Dankworth.

The hostess served a sandwich plate with punch to fifteen members. The next meeting will be held on October 18, in the home of Mrs. L. A. Wilbanks.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients dismissed from the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week included: Miss Mary Ann Morgan, medical, Wednesday; Mrs. S. B. Caperton, medical, Monday; G. M. Whitley, surgical, Saturday; Lemmie Davis, medical, Tuesday; Helen Miller, surgical, last Thursday; Mrs. H. K. Corum, medical, Tuesday; D. B. Camp, Bronte, medical, Monday; R. C. Good, Norton, medical, Wednesday; Mrs. E. R. Whitesides and son, Paint Rock, Tuesday; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cox are parents of a daughter, born Saturday.

Patients receiving treatment are: Mrs. Delbert Vancil, medical; August Lange, medical; Jerry Turner, medical; Mrs. Lee Sykes, medical; D. B. Stinebaugh, medical; Jack Winchester, medical; Mrs. S. T. Clark, surgical; A. C. McAulay, Maverick, medical; Helen Miller, medical.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and at the death of our loved one, Dr. C. A. Watson.

The Family
11-11-51
Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Proctor, of San Antonio, visited here the past week-end with Mrs. Proctor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Evans.

Christian Church Revival Services To Start Sunday



Edwin Gorom

Dr. L. A. Eisenhuth, minister, has announced a series of services to be held at the First Christian Church starting Sunday night and continuing through Sunday, October 21.

Edwin Gorom, minister of the First Christian Church of Mathis, will be here for the entire series and will speak at each service.

Dr. Eisenhuth will conduct the music, which will include organ and piano duet numbers with Mrs. E. H. Crawford at the organ and Dr. Eisenhuth at the piano.

All evening services being at 7:30 p. m. The following subjects have been announced:

- October 14, "Seeking Jesus"
- October 15, "A Revival in Ballinger"
- October 16, "When Good People Look In"
- October 17, "What Must I Do to be Saved"
- October 18, "In Jesus' Name"
- October 19, "The Magnetic Christ"
- October 20, "Living Without Care"



Dr. L. A. Eisenhuth

October 21, morning, "The Man Nobody Ignores"

October 21, evening, "When Jesus Comes to Ballinger"

The public is cordially invited to attend these services and Dr. Eisenhuth reminds that this is the children's church too.

1952 FHA Loans To be Increased

John H. Curry, county supervisor of the farmers home administration, announced yesterday that farmers can borrow from the FHA more money this year, which will permit them to make adjustments in farm operations, increase production and work out a balanced farm management plan. The higher loans are made available under the newly enacted public law No. 123.

This law, which amends the FHA act of 1946, enables the agency to make initial loans for farm operating expenses up to \$7,000 and puts a ceiling of \$10,000 on the indebtedness outstanding at any one time. The maximum repayment period is seven years. Previously the initial loan was limited to \$3,500 and the maximum indebtedness to \$5,000.

Mr. Curry stated that in amending the law, congress

recognized that the cost of farm operating expenses had increased sharply. He added that a farmer who required \$3,500 in 1946 would need \$5,900 in 1951.

A sound farm and home management plan is drawn up for each family who receives a loan, and no loan is made unless the plan shows that the family will receive enough income to pay operating and living expenses and retire its debt.

Loans are made only to farmers who are unable to obtain necessary financing from other sources. Committees of three local farmers approve each applicant and veterans are accorded preference.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard K. Smith are at home at 209 Eighth Street, following their marriage on September 29 at Raton, New Mexico. Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Marilyn Storm, of Blanca, Colorado.

In December, 1820, the first known news-sheets in the English language appeared not in England but in Holland.



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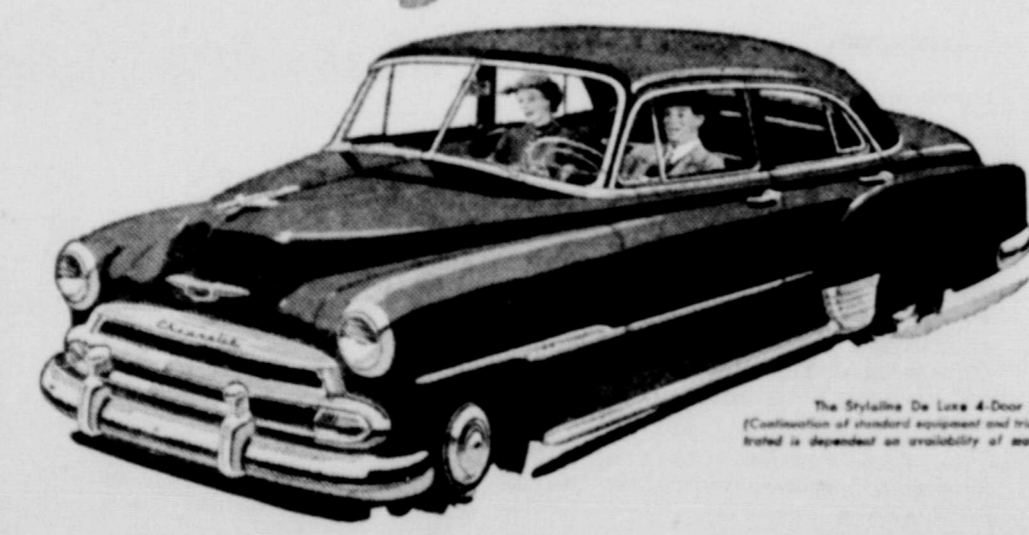
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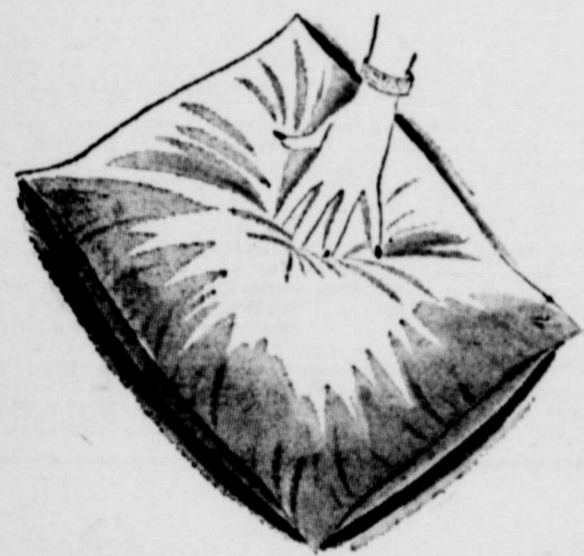


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DEATHS

Dr. C. A. Watson
Dr. C. A. Watson, 70, died Sunday at 5:15 a. m. at his home on Sixth Street following illness of four months duration. Decedent was born May 16, 1881, at Hemphill, Texas, and after high school graduation attended Southern Methodist University medical school and was graduated from Arkansas University medical school in 1908. He came to Runnels county in 1909, starting practice at Crews. In 1914 he moved to Ballinger and had an office here until 1937 when forced to retire from active work because of ill health.

He returned to East Texas and while recuperating did post-graduate work at Tulane University, New Orleans, after which he practiced at Hemphill five years before returning to Ballinger to resume practice in 1949. He had been a member of the American Medical Association 42 years and a member of the Methodist Church since early childhood.

He was married to Beulah Hill, July 24, 1912, at Crews. Survivors besides the wife include a daughter, Mrs. Jones Parrish, Ballinger; two sisters, Miss Eva Watson, Nacogdoches; Mrs. S. J. Davidson, Pasadena, Texas; two grandsons, Charlie and Johnny Parrish, Ballinger.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, Rev. C. D. Wooten, pastor, and Rev. Joseph Emery, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Pallbearers were E. T. Branham, Jr., Hugh Parrish, E. Y. Bailey, Charles Bradshaw, E. H. Forgy and C. D. Branham.

W. C. Fuller
W. C. Fuller, 62, Concho county ranchman, died Saturday morning from a heart attack suffered while en route to San Angelo in a pickup with his brother-in-law, Ben McCully.

The body was brought to Ballinger and prepared for burial and then taken to the Fuller ranch home, 13 miles east of Paint Rock, where it was held until time for the funeral Monday afternoon.

Decedent was one of the best known breeders of registered Rambouillet sheep in this section of the state.

His parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Fuller, moved to Concho county in 1879. Mr. Fuller ranched in Tom Green county for a time following World War I and then returned to Concho county where he operated since.

Survivors besides the wife include two sons, W. C. Fuller, Jr., Seminole, John Walter Fuller, stationed in Iceland; a daughter, Mrs. Frances Thomas Abilene; three brothers, a sister and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Paint Rock Monday afternoon at three o'clock, the pastor, Rev. C. W. Hedrick, officiating, assisted by Rev. P. T. Spellman, pastor of the Paint Rock Methodist Church. Burial was in the Paint Rock cemetery.

John P. Onderka
John P. Onderka, 62, died in a veterans' hospital at Houston Wednesday morning following illness of several months.

The body arrived here this morning and funeral rites will be conducted at St. Joseph's Church, Rowena, tomorrow (Friday) morning at 9:00. Rev. W. F. Bosen to officiate. Rosary service will be held tonight at 8:00 o'clock at the Newby-Davis chapel.

Decedent was an accountant and had lived at Liberty most of his life. He was a fourth degree Knights of Columbus member. His wife is the former Miss Mary Zak, of Rowena.

Survivors besides the wife include a daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Thomas, Houston; and a half-sister, Mrs. Florence Ullrich, Hobson.

**U. S. A. PRESBYTERIANS
TO HEAR GUEST MINISTER**
Rev. A. O. Rue has announced that Rev. James Logan, student at the Presbyterian Seminary at Austin, will be the guest speaker at the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., at the morning service Sunday.

Rev. Logan is supply pastor at Menard and an exchange will be made Sunday so that Rev. Rue can have charge of the communion service in the Menard church. He will return in the afternoon and be in his pulpit that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Young went to College Station Saturday to witness the Texas A. & M.-Oklahoma University football. They returned by way of Dallas and saw some of the state fair attractions Sunday.

**SOUTH BALLINGER CLUB'S
MEETING DATE CHANGED**

Due to the home demonstration tour of the northern part of the county, the regular meeting date of the South Ballinger home demonstration club has been changed from Tuesday, October 16, to Tuesday, October 23.

The all-day meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. J. Wesley Jones.

**FUTURE HOMEMAKERS
ATTEND STATE FAIR**

Two school bus loads of girls and boys of the homemaking class of the Ballinger high school attended the state fair at Dallas Saturday and were joined by some 200,000 other boys and girls for Rural Youth Day.

The group was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Billy F. Brown, Mrs. Mildred Bigby, Miss Erma Gray and Floyd Wimberly.

**BALLINGER FIREMEN
ANSWER TWO CALLS**

Ballinger firemen were called Sunday afternoon to the home of Roy Clack, four miles east of Ballinger, where a kitchen stove flare caused damage. The blaze was under control when the truck arrived.

Sunday evening a truck was sent to a gasoline tanker on Broadway, but no damage resulted. Hot brakes caused enough smoke for a call to the department.

No alarm was sounded for either call.

**BALLINGER BOY ELECTED
TO A.C.C. STUDENT GROUP**

John Carl Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis, 707 Bon-sall Avenue, has been elected to the Abilene Christian College student house of representatives. He was one of six junior students chosen to represent the class in the student council.

**AIR FORCE RECRUITER
TO BE HERE FRIDAYS**

M-Sgt. Winston B. Murray, of San Angelo, will be in Ballinger each Friday from 9 a. m. to noon taking enlistments in the air force. Those who wish to discuss the openings will find him at the postoffice.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hanson are parents of a daughter, Deborah Kristen, born at San Angelo last week. The young lady weighed 7 pounds 11 ounces upon arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Caskey, Reid and Ruthlene, spent the past week-end at Fort Worth, where they met Cpl. Diz Caskey for a short visit. Cpl. Caskey, stationed with the air force at Westover, Mass., flew to Fort Worth with a group of Texas airmen for the week-end.

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Miss Betty Sue Cloninger spent the past week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Elkins.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Boelsche returned Sunday from Industry, where they were called to attend the funeral of an aunt of Dr. Boelsche.

Mrs. Lillian Durham, of Comanche, and Mrs. John Kimble and son, of Gorman, sisters of Mrs. John Barton, visited here the past week-end.



INDESTRUCTIBLE G.I. . . . Cpl. Richard Webb, Geneva, N.Y., gets loving glance from wife after receiving purple heart and silver star. He was captured and shot in the head near Taecheon, but was saved by silver plate in his head.

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IN SOCIETY

First Baptist G. As Hold First Meeting

The Junior G. As of the First Baptist Church held their first meeting in the educational building Friday afternoon with their sponsors, Mrs. A. O. Bartlett and Mrs. William Hill, and counselors, Mrs. R. S. Lowrey and Mrs. Charles Riddle, president.

After a short business session, Dr. Conway T. Wharton, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, gave a very interesting talk to the girls on missionary work in Africa.

The parlors of the church were decorated with fall blossoms, where punch was served from a crystal bowl which centered the lace-laid tea table with assorted cookies.

Those present for the meeting were: Jimbeth Flynt, Patty Sweeney, Dorothy Bishop, Elva Lou Cotham, Dorothy Heath, Linda Kay Crockett, Sarah Chandler, Sharon Tuckey, Pat Darby, Marlene Isaacs, Marga Brunson, Tommye Lou Curry, Frances Allen, Neida Jo Barnett, Lanell Holbrook, Marilyn Mason and Judy Lowrey. Becky Davis was a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Morgan Making Home Here

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Morgan are making home in Ballinger. Mr. Morgan is employed at the Morgan Motor Co. and Mrs. Morgan is one of the high school English teachers.

They toured the Southern states for four weeks before coming to make home here.

Forty-Two Party in Cody Home

Mr. and Mrs. John Cody and Dr. and Mrs. J. Lester Ohlhausen were hosts to a group of friends when they entertained at a forty-two party in the Cody home, 200 Pou Avenue, Friday evening.

The season's colors, orange and black, were featured in table and refreshment appointments.

Arrangements of zinnias in fall shades were used for decorations and chocolate cake and orange punch was served following the period of games.

Those attending were: Messrs and Mmes. Arthur Hubbard, J. C. Smith, Charles Bradshaw, Roy Jacob, Ellis Lee, Everett Jacob, Jack Fry.

The children also enjoyed a party. They were: Johnny, Tommy and Kenneth Jacob, Jackie and Shirley Fry, Larry Smith, Stevie Hubbard, Leland and Norma Jean Ohlhausen, John Bob and Cordelia Cody.

Sally Bailey Given Surprise Birthday Party

Mrs. Charles F. Bailey was hostess at a surprise birthday party Wednesday afternoon of last week, honoring her daughter, Sally, on her sixteenth birthday anniversary.

Arrangements of fall blossoms gave added beauty to the home of Dr. and Mrs. Bailey on Fourth Street, where the group enjoyed an informal get-together. Mrs. Albert Purifoy presided at the punch bowl, and Tookie Wade served decorated cake squares to the honoree and Mary Jo Furman, Margaret Ann Hampton, Dian Tuckey, Ann Stasney, Pat Tisdale, Barbara Stuart, Theresa Elkins, Carolyn Bigby, Clyde Wilkins, Gale Hays, Fay Burns, Merle Richards, Carol Ann Bailey, Wynell Dodd, Cordelia Flanagan, Shirley Thompson, Mary Harrah, Deanie Rountree, Vivian and Pat Reese.

FOUR-COUNTY OFFICIALS TO MEET HERE OCTOBER 20

The Runnels county commissioners' court will be held at the commissioners and other county officials of Concho, Coleman and Coke counties on October 20 at the regular quarterly meeting.

Sessions will be held in the American Legion hall at Bruce Field. State Senator Dorsey Hardeman is scheduled to speak at 11 a. m. State Representative W. H. Rumpy also will attend and the two officials will discuss proposed legislation which will affect counties.

At the noon hour a barbecue chicken dinner will be served by the Runnels county officials to the visitors and a number of invited guests.

a hitching post or a signpost



BIRTHDAYS, anniversaries, graduations, a new job—all are occasions for rejoicing as well as for reflection and new resolve. Whether or not a list of resolutions is made, the accomplishments of the past can be either a hitching post or a signpost to a brighter future. Careful self-appraisal is often as revealing as a stock inventory. But no matter what the goal, the ability to reach it depends on health. Your physician stands ready to take your physical inventory at any time. Why not seek his advice now? His suggestions can be relied upon for a sound health program.

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Members of the Coleman-Runnels board received the order the past week-end and will start reclassification at once. When this work is completed boards will be told when to have the men mentally and physically examined and make ready for call.

Under the law, among examined and acceptable registrants, the oldest men take their turn for induction first when calls are received. Because of this provision, examined and acceptable married men in many instances will be inducted ahead of single men.

If a registrant has an unborn child, new regulations provide that he be deferred, provided he files with the local board the certificate of a licensed physician, stating that the child has been conceived, and further provided that he does this prior to the time the local

board mails him an order report for induction.

The seismograph, used to measure earthquakes, was first made by a Chinese named Choko.

INVITATION, BID AND AWARD HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS

Sealed bids, in original and three copies subject to the conditions attached hereto, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock a. m., C. S. T., on October 22nd, 1951, and they will be publicly opened for furnishing the following supplies, and/or equipment for delivery at Projects Tex-77-1, Ballinger, Texas.

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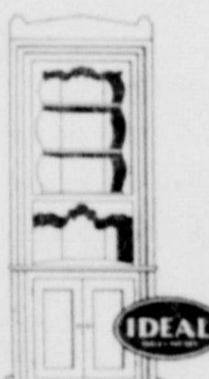
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described tract of land situated in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit: Being 241 acres of land out of the North part of Survey No. 150, originally granted to R. K. Wylie, by virtue of Certificate No. 2812, known as Abstract No. 937, and patented to said R. K. Wylie on October 24, 1895, per Letters Patent No. 144, Volume No. 14, said 241 acres being more particularly described by metes and bounds in that certain deed from C. A. Doose, et al. to Emil Ulrich, dated January 23, 1929, recorded in Book 146, Page 435, Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas, to which deed and the record thereof, reference is here made for all purposes; and that hearing on said application will be held in the Probate Court of Nueces County, Texas, at the Court House thereof, on the 22nd day of October, 1951.

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SPORTS

The Bearcats will play their last home game of the season tomorrow (Friday) night when they meet the San Saba Armadillos at Bearcat Field at 8:00 p. m. This will also finish the season-conference schedule and the following week the Bearcats will start meeting members of the A.A.A. and with all conference games on the road. They will play the Brady, Lake View, Coleman and Winters teams in that order, closing the season on November 16.

School officials are hoping for a capacity turnout tomorrow night when play will be concluded at the local field.

Tonight at 7:30 the Ballinger Juniors will meet the Winters Greeces in a conference tilt. The Juniors are out for another record this year, and speaking of records they have not been scored on in their last nine games. Last season they were district champions with their goal line uncrossed. So far this year they have not been scored on although they have played one 0-0 tie.

The past week-end the badly outweighted Bearkittens held the big Coleman team twice on their goal line to defeat them by 7 to 0. The game was played at Coleman and a large number of Ballinger fans were on hand to tender support from the bleachers.



GREEKS HONOR VAN FLEET . . . With the unveiling of this statue at Kastoria, northern Greece, General James A. Van Fleet becomes one of the few living men to be immortalized in marble. This is a scene of the unveiling ceremony. Standing at left is the mayor of Kastoria. At right is Lt. James A. Van Fleet, Jr., son of the general. The statue was erected in gratitude to Van Fleet for his faith in the Greek soldier and contribution in crushing the Communist revolt in Greece.



INDONESIAN CADETS . . . The Republic of Indonesia has sent some of its air force to an air academy in California for training in the little nation's program for modeling its air force on that of the U. S. Here, an Indonesian student is helped into his parachute by an instructor, as another student climbs into his plane. Dogfights are part of the 46 weeks' course. Sixty cadets were sent to California by Indonesia after extensive examinations. Course costs about \$10,000 per man.

Harold Merrifield displayed his speed last Friday evening against Cisco, but the speedy halfback had lots of help in getting started on his long runs. Those boys down in the line gave him the first running space and the downfield blocking of Payne and Egan was a part of the job well done.

Long Runs Featured In Bearcats' Victory

The Ballinger Bearcats staged a touchdown parade Friday night to hand the Cisco Lobos their first defeat of the year by the count of 41 to 13. Long-distance running was featured by speedy Harold Merrifield and 181-pound Elroy Payne.

The tally does not indicate the type of game, because the passing of the Cisco team was a constant threat to the Bearcats and during the evening the visitors piled up fifteen first down to the Bearcats' nine. The Lobos threw 25 passes, completed 14 for a total of 146 yards, had two intercepted and in addition made 119 yards rushing.

The game was only two minutes old when Cisco punted to Merrifield who gathered the pigskin in on the run and dashed 60 yards for the first touchdown. Payne added the extra point.

Again in the first quarter the Bearcats took the ball on the Cisco 41-yard line and after three first downs, Payne went over from the 6-yard line. Payne added the extra point with a place kick.

The Lobos broke into the scoring late in the first quarter when two passes clicked for good yardage and Doug Johnson found a scattered defense and raced 16 yards for the counter. Melton kicked goal.

The beginning of the second quarter found the Bearcats on the Cisco 1-yard line from where Jerry Bell pushed over on a quarterback sneak. The kick was low.

The half found the Cisco team near the Ballinger goal line still in possession of the ball.

Near the end of the third quarter, Merrifield pulled his longest run of the night. Taking the ball on his own 13-yard line he broke into secondary and went 87 yards. Payne added the extra point from placement.

Passes failed to click for the Lobos and the ball went over to the locals on their own 23-yard line. Payne and Merrifield made a first down and then Payne broke into a 65-yard gallop for a score. The kick was low.

A. Gallagher, a left-handed

passer, took two 20-yard losses in attempting to get away a long one, the second time being thrown behind his own goal line for a safety and two points for the Bearcats.

In the closing minutes of the contest, the Bearcats racked up three first downs and with the ball on the 20-yard line, Bell threw to Mike Egan in the end zone for the score. The kick for the extra point was wide.

The Bearcats amassed 337 yards rushing and in addition had a 60-yard punt return, a 26-yard pass return after interception, and had a 60-yard sprint called back because of a rule infraction.

TWO FOOTBALL GAMES SCHEDULED TONIGHT
Two football games are billed tonight at Bearcat Field and fans are urged to attend. The first contest will be a conference affair, the junior team meeting the Winters Juniors at 7:30.

Immediately following the first game the Ballinger B team will engage the Coleman B team in a regulation game.

The Juniors will play eight-minute quarters so the initial contest will not require much time.

Both Ballinger teams have been making good records this season.

Miss Gloria Jenkins and Miss Mildred Simco are visiting relatives at Mexia this week. They will go to Dallas this week-end to attend the state fair and see the football game between Texas and Oklahoma in the Cotton Bowl.

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IN SOCIETY

Presbyterian Conquest Class Meets in Webb Home

Mrs. Aurelia Webb and Mrs. Rufus Allen were hostesses to members of the Conquest Class of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., Monday evening, entertaining in the home of Mrs. Webb on Seventh Street, which was decorated with dahlias, queen's wreath and other fall blossoms.

Mrs. Webb conducted the business period when class projects were discussed and reports were given. Mrs. E. S. Malone gave the devotional on "Follow Me," and also gave the prayer.

At the social hour cake and coffee were served to Mmes. B. H. Erwin, Alvin O. Rue, Harper McFarland, Walter F. Lange, Altus Stokes, Malone and John Reese.

Local Women Attend Episcopal Council Meeting

Mrs. Frank Thomas and Mrs. Elmer Hubbell attended a council meeting of district 3 of the Episcopal Church, which was held at Coleman yesterday (Wednesday), October 10.

The program included talks on Christian Education and a luncheon.

U. S. A. Presbyterians Have Watermelon Feast

Approximately seventy members of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., and Sunday school attended a watermelon feast at City Park last Friday evening.

The melons were donated by

Oscar Pruser, who lives north of town, and Rev. Alvin O. Rue and Jake Brown made arrangements for the affair.

Civic-Garden Club Has Panel Discussion

Mrs. Elmer Shepperd directed the business session for the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club when it met at the library club room Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, civic chairman, reported 242 books had been in circulation at the library during September, and that twelve new books had been ordered.

A panel discussion on "Local Plants That Can Be Used" was presented. Mrs. J. W. Barr discussed "Rosebuds;" Mrs. Chester Cherry's topic was "The Lazy Man's Flower Bed—Perennials;" and Mrs. Estes M. Lynn talked on "Now is the Time to Plant Bulbs."

Displays of fall flowers were exhibited by Mrs. Shepperd, Mrs. R. A. Dickinson, Mrs. H. W. Lynn, Mrs. Beular Frazier, Mrs. Cherry and Mrs. Bill Clark.

Mrs. Jack Moore was introduced as a new member. Others besides those previously mentioned were: Mmes. A. O. Bartlett, T. J. McCaughan, Oscar Pearson, Joe Flynt, W. O. Irby, J. O. Satterwhite; Miss Jennie Bennett.

Rev. Postert Named Honor Guest on Birthday Anniversary

Members of the Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic Church complimented the Rev. Edward



RED PROPAGANDA . . . The famous "thumbs down" picture of General Dwight D. Eisenhower last January during a tour of military installations. Recently, the Reds of east Berlin caricatured it, adding the dollar sign and a grinning skull and carried the picture in a parade. The Reds have interpreted the picture as they chose, indicating that General Eisenhower turned thumbs down on using American youth in the armies of Europe.

Postert, O. M. I., local pastor, with a surprise birthday party Tuesday evening, entertaining in the Recreation Hall on Fifth Street.

An informal get-together was enjoyed and gifts were presented the honor guest. A sandwich plate was served with cookies and punch, and the "Happy Birthday" song was sung as the pretty white cake

decorated with florals was presented. Fr. Postert. Punch was served from the lace-laid refreshment table.

Mrs. H. J. Zappe, Altar Society president, was assisted by members in making arrangements for the surprise occasion at which about fifty were in attendance.

Fancy Doers Plan Initiation Party

Wynelle Dodd and Shirley Thompson were hostesses to members of the Fancy Doers Club Monday evening, entertaining in the Dodd home on Ninth Street.

Margaret Ann Hampton conducted the business period, at which time plans were completed for the initiation service, to be held next Monday, and the following committee to be in charge of the initiation was named: Mary Harral, Deanie Rountree, Gale Hays, Barbara Stuart, Carolyn Bigby.

Mrs. O. L. Hart, club sponsor and supervisor, instructed the group to have some handwork project ready next Monday to begin work on. A Halloween party was discussed.

Hostesses served a snack course with cold drinks to those previously mentioned and to: Merle Richards, Joyce Hite, Pat Tisdale, Mary Jo Forman, Ann Stasney, Carol Ann Bailey, Cordelia Flanagan and Clydelle Wilkens.

Christian Women's Fellowship Has Program

Miss Lilly Clayton directed the business for the meeting of the Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church, held in the church parlors Monday afternoon.

After the opening song, with



RUSSIAN HI-JINKS . . . One of two Russian soldiers who stormed into the U.S. sector of Berlin, fired their pistols and knocked down a woman before being fired upon by American M.P.'s, manages with great effort to walk to the M.P. jeep. He is a senior lieutenant. The Russians drove a Soviet car and were apparently drunk. They claimed to be fleeing from the Soviet zone and claimed the bullet holes in their car were from guns of Russian border guards. Names were undisclosed.

Mrs. E. H. Crawford at the organ, Mrs. Robert Lusk gave the opening prayer, followed by the meditation period. Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh was leader for the program and presented Mrs. Crawford, who spoke on "The Budget—Man's Best Friend," and reminded the group that eleven and two-tenths hours a week is supposed to be budgeted to the Lord, and that the three parts of budgeting are spending, sharing and saving. The program was concluded with the missionary benediction.

Others present were: Mmes. J. W. Longnette, L. A. Eisenhower, Herman Price, Charles F.

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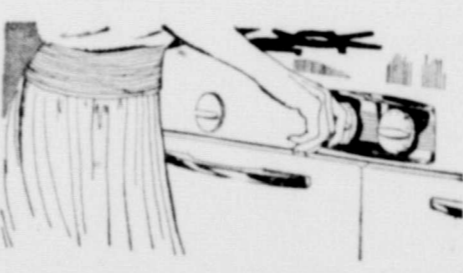
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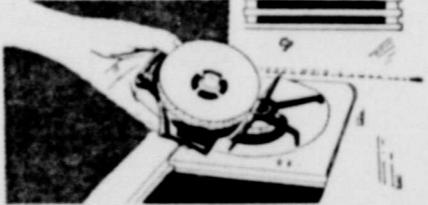
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"Force of Arms," the love story of a young lieutenant and a Wac set against the activities of the daring 36th Texas Infantry Division and its campaign through war-torn Italy during World War II, is the principal attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, October 14, 15. William Holden, Nancy Olson and Frank Lovejoy play the key roles in the Warner Bros. drama directed by Michael Curtiz.

In the film, Holden and Lovejoy portray members of the fighting infantry outfit which slugged its way through the Italian boot in a series of bloody encounters. It is during one of their infrequent, precious leave days that Holden, as the lieutenant, meets and falls in love with the Wac, as played by Miss Olson.

Not without its comedy aspects, "Force of Arms" has Dick Wesson and Paul Picerni supplying the laughs and gripes of a couple of G.I.s in the field.

Curtiz, regarded as an expert in this type of film, had some authoritative advice in achieving realism for the numerous battle scenes. Serving as technical advisors were Sgt. William J. Crawford, congressional medal of honor winner, and Capt. James J. Altieri, who fought with the commando unit, Darby's Rangers.

Gene Evans heads the featured players.

Paramount's "Passage West," being shown at the Texas today, tomorrow and Saturday, is an outdoor drama in Technicolor. Starring John Payne, Dennis O'Keefe and Arleen Whelan, the film deals with an escaped band of convicts who terrorize a wagon train of religious settlers heading for California.

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Warner Bros. "Sugarfoot," starring Randolph Scott, is one of the two features on Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre's program tomorrow and Saturday, October 12, 13. Also on the same bill is Columbia's "He's a Cockeyed Wonder," starring Mickey Rooney and Terry Moore.

Set in the days following the Civil War, "Sugarfoot" tells the story of a two-fisted Southern gentleman who seeks action and adventure in a turbulent frontier town, and finds it. Adele Jergens, Raymond Massey, S. Z. Sakall and Hugh Sanders head the featured players.

"He's a Cockeyed Wonder" is the gay story of a little guy who became the biggest man in town. William Demarest, Ross Ford, Charles Arnt, Ned Glass and Mike Mazurki provide supporting characterizations.

Paramount's "Here Comes the Groom," a comedy which has been the object of some of the most unrestrained praise that ever heralded a film, will be presented at the Hillcrest Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, October 14, 15, 16. This latest Bing Crosby starrer repeatedly packs all the charm, wit and melody that have marked the

An answer to the clamor for "something different" is promised by "The Second Face," to be shown at the Hillcrest next Wednesday and Thursday, October 17, 18.

"The Second Face" tells the story of a homely girl, played in realistic makeup by Ella Raines, who tries to find love and success in a world where beauty is considered a woman's primary asset. Co-starring are Bruce Bennett and Rita Johnson. John Sutton and Patricia Knight have strong supporting parts.

On the Texas Theatre stage next Tuesday and Wednesday, October 16, 17, the "Louisiana Hayride" will present in person the "Carolina Sunshine Girls," in an all-star hill-billy performance. Headlined are Jerry & Peggy, singing and yodeling popular songs; Lemonade Lucy, girl comedienne; and Sylvia Gay, doing things on a

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On the Texas screen for the same dates, Hollywood of today is cleverly blended with Hollywood of the fabulous "silent days" in the solving of a 20-year-old murder in Universal's "Hollywood Story."

Richard Conte is starred in the new movie with newcomer

Julia Adams. Featured are Fred Clark, Henry Hull and Jim Backus.

THREE BUILDING PERMITS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION

Three building permits were filed with the city secretary Monday for new construction and will be up for approval at

the regular meeting of the city commission.

B. C. D. Construction Co. asked for a \$5,000 permit for a new residence on Sharp Avenue between Second and Third streets.

S. Y. Jones filed for a permit in the sum of \$7,500 to erect a residence on Fifth Street

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WINE MISS . . . The sun bright smile of Jeri Miller, reigning as 1951 vintage queen over national wine week, October 13-20, expresses the gay spirit of the vintage. Nature will transform her basket of grapes into the wines that Americans enjoy at their tables, products of the sun and rich soil.

SERVING UNCLE SAM
Pfc. Bill St. John, with the marines and stationed at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, California, is at home for a 15-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams have received word from their son, Pfc. Kenneth Landers, that he had been assigned to the 4212th organized maintenance squadron at Barksdale strategic air command base, Shreveport, Pfc. Landers enlisted in the air force in January, and received his basic training at Lackland AFB, San Antonio. Upon completion of basic, he was sent to Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, for B-29 specialists training. He completed his training there last week and was second high in his squadron.

Capt. Arthur E. Speer, son of Mrs. Emma Speer, who has been stationed in Korea, has received his discharge and is at home with his wife in Winters. He had been in a hospital in Korea the past month and last week was sent to San Antonio, where he received his discharge.

Cpl. John Paul Strother is one of 5,000 men participating in "Exercise Desert Rock," near Las Vegas, Nevada. He is with service troops supporting the 3rd corps, which is headquarters for the operation. "Desert Rock" is a training exercise conducted by the army to familiarize ground troops with tactics, organization and problems of atomic warfare.

Major and Mrs. Q. V. Miller, Jr., and Margaret Ann are here for a visit with Major Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. V. Miller. Major Miller returned recently from Korea to Denver, and will be stationed at Travis AFB near San Francisco after October 15.

One of the oldest newspapers currently published in the United States is the Connecticut Courant, founded at Hartford in 1764 by Thomas Green.

Wedding announcements, wedding invitations. Ballinger Printing Co.

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Miserable
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- Peaches Highway Harvest No. 2 29¢
 - Peaches Highway Slices Yellow Cling No. 2 29¢
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 - Orange Juice Tropicana 46-Oz. 31¢
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 - AIRWAY MILD-MELLOW 69¢
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 - EDWARDS TOP QUALITY 75¢

- Banjo Hominy** Old Fashion 3 No. 2 Cans 25¢
- Crisco** Keen, Spry 3-Lb. Can 79¢
- Sugar** 10-Lb. Bag 79¢
- Pie Cherries** RSP No. 2 Can 17¢
- Soda Crackers Buy Baker 1-Lb. 31¢
 - Graham Crackers Proto Gold 1-Lb. 33¢
 - Cookies Sunshine Hydrax 7 1/2-Oz. 25¢
 - Cookies Sunny Cherry Cream Sandwich 4-Oz. 11¢
 - Cream of Wheat 28-Oz. 30¢
 - Quaker Oats Regular 48-Oz. 37¢

- WIN \$2000** for yourself
WIN \$2000 gift to your church or charity
56 OTHER PRIZES - GIFTS
\$11,000.00 TOTAL IN CONTEST BY
KITCHEN CRAFT FLOUR
10-Lbs. 87¢
- *With 10¢ Coupon attached to each 10-Lb. or larger bag. Coupon expires Oct. 14th.
- Pancake Flour Suzanne 20-Oz. 16¢
 - Fleet Mix Bisquick Mix 40-Oz. 45¢

- Canned vegetables
- White Corn Garden of Eatin' No. 303 15¢
 - Niblets Corn Del. Maize 7-Oz. 11¢
 - Early June Peas Garden of Eatin' No. 303 14¢
 - Sweet Peas Green Giant No. 303 19¢
 - Peas Del. Maize No. 303 20¢
 - Le Sueur Peas Very Small Extra Tender 8-Oz. 16¢
 - Spinach Garden of Eatin' No. 2 13¢
 - Tomatoes Garden of Eatin' Standard No. 2 25¢

- FRAPPE** all-purpose shortening 3-lb. carton only 65¢
- FOR CAKES, PIES, FRYING**
NEW low-cost all-vegetable shortening

- Values in soups
- Tomato Soup Heinz No. 1 11¢
 - Cream of Chicken Heinz No. 1 17¢
 - Tomato Soup Campbell No. 1 12¢
 - Vegetable Campbell No. 1 13¢

- Penny savers**
- White Beans Small 1-Lb. 16¢
 - Lima Beans Baby 1-Lb. 14¢
 - Pinto Beans Caffe 2-Lb. 25¢
 - Mince Meat True Blue 18-Oz. Jar 29¢
 - Pitted Dates Dramadary 7 1/2-Oz. 23¢
 - Seedless Raisins Caffe Pack 1-Lb. 21¢

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DUTCH IRIS
12 bulbs for 25¢

Magnificent, orchid-like blossoms on tall, stately stems!
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3-lbs. ROYAL SATIN 73¢
(Made in Texas)

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- Peach Preserves Same 3-Lb. Jar 49¢
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- Pork & Beans Standard 3 15 1/2-Oz. 25¢
 - Plain Chili Walker's Auster No. 300 51¢
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 - Beef Stew Walker's Auster No. 300 41¢
 - Salmon Old Cove Cham 1-Lb. 39¢
 - Sardines Sea Boat Natural No. 1 25¢
 - Catsup Tasty Taste 14-Oz. Bot. 19¢

Dr. Pepper
2 6-Bottle Cartons 25¢
Limit 2

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- Household needs**
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- Delicious fall fruits and vegetables.....
Many fall favorites are at their best now. Safeway has them "truly-fresh."
- Flame Tokay Grapes** 2 Lbs. for 15¢
 - Head Lettuce** Texas Crisp, Firm Lb. 12¢
 - Green Cabbage** Solid Head Lb. 3¢
 - Red Potatoes** Economy Pack 10-Lb. Bag 39¢
 - Red Apples Washington Delicious Lb. 15¢
 - Cranberries Cape Cod Lb. 25¢
 - Fresh Dates California Lb. 33¢
 - Sunkist Oranges Calif. Lb. 10¢
 - Coconuts Whole, Sweet Lb. 10¢
 - Yellow Onions Mild Sweet Lb. 5¢
 - Rutabagas Waxed Yellow Turnips Lb. 6¢
 - Pascal Celery California Crisp, Tender Lb. 12¢
 - Clip-Top Carrots Tender Sweet Lb. 12¢
 - Green Beans Valentine Lb. 19¢

- Guaranteed-to-please meats.....**
Top quality—we buy only choice and good Government graded beef and calf—top grades of lamb, pork, and veal, too! Top value—we trim before weighing.
- Cured Hams** Butt end Cuts lb. 55¢
Shank end cuts Lb. 51¢
 - Pork Sausage** Wingate Pure Pork 1-Lb. Cello 43¢
 - Cooked Picnics** Ready-to-Eat Lb. 45¢
 - FRESH DRESSED Fryers** Ready-to-Cook Lb. 49¢
 - Chuck Roast Government Graded Calf Lb. 69¢
 - Short Ribs Government Graded Calf Lb. 45¢
 - Rib Steak Government Graded Calf Lb. 89¢
 - Pork Roast 2 1/2 and 3 and 4 Lb. Sides Bone Out Lb. 61¢
 - Pork Chops All Center Cuts Lb. 81¢
 - Fresh Hens Ready-to-Cook Lb. 55¢
 - Hen Turkeys 10 lb. Avg. Ready to Cook Lb. 64¢
 - Frankfurters Skinless, Bulk Lb. 45¢
 - Bacon values**
 - Sliced Bacon Capital Super Cured 1-Lb. Pkg. 49¢
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See how beautifully this new washer fits into kitchens - as well as utility rooms and laundries. Fits close to the wall... new high back-panel puts all controls in easy, safe reach.

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Frigidaire's Rapsidy-Spin gets clothes far drier than most other washers. Many clothes are ready to iron at once. All are lighter, easier to lift and carry.

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Exclusive with Frigidaire! Beautiful lifetime porcelain-on-steel finish protects against rust, soap or bleaches. Cleans as quickly, easily as a china plate!



DUCK MAP . . . To find open season for state, note state symbol and check dates in following: (A) Oct. 5-Oct. 23 & Nov. 23-Dec. 10; (B) Oct. 5-Oct. 22 & Nov. 16-Dec. 3; (C) Oct. 5-Nov. 18; (D) Oct. 5-Nov. 23; (E) Oct. 12-Nov. 24; (F) Oct. 12-Nov. 25; (G) Oct. 12-Nov. 30; (H) Oct. 12-Dec. 10; (I) Oct. 12-Oct. 31 & Dec. 17-Jan. 5; (J) Oct. 13-Nov. 25; (K) Oct. 19-Nov. 5 & Dec. 7-Dec. 24; (L) Oct. 19-Nov. 7 & Dec. 14-Jan. 2; (M) Oct. 19-Dec. 2; (N) Oct. 19-Dec. 7; (O) Oct. 19-Dec. 17; (P) Oct. 26-Dec. 9; (Q) Oct. 26-Dec. 24; (R) Oct. 26-Dec. 24 or Nov. 7-Jan. 5; (S) Nov. 2-Dec. 16; (T) Nov. 2-Dec. 31; (U) Nov. 7-Jan. 5; (V) Nov. 9-Dec. 23; (W) Nov. 9-Dec. 28; (X) Nov. 16-Dec. 30; (Y) Nov. 22-Jan. 5.

SOCIETY

O. E. S. Celebrates Anniversary, Honors Past Officers

Order of Eastern Star chapter No. 266 held a regular meeting Monday evening in the Masonic Hall, with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams, worthy patron and worthy matron, in the East.

The chapter's 44th birthday anniversary was celebrated by Mrs. Mary Jo Kemp singing "Star of the East." A dedication service honoring the past worthy matrons and patrons was presented, and Mrs. Inez McEntire presented gifts from Mr. and Mrs. Williams to the honored officers.

The anniversary theme was featured with a large cake, decorated with pink florals and topped with "Happy Birthday, Ballinger Chapter No. 266, O. E. S." The cake was encircled with pink roses, and was served with punch from the linen-laid table, which was centered with salmon gladioli. Hostesses at the social

hour were Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Halley, Mmes. McEntire, Pyrie Gustavus, Lovedy Golden; and Miss Agnes Glover.

Officers assisting at the meeting were: Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Midgley, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harris, Miss Demma Barron, Mmes. Edrie Petty, Harriett Witter, Inez McEntire, Clemmie Mader, Mary Fitzhugh, Thelma Gabbert, Willie Hoover, Dorothy Moody, Stella Hargus, Nettie Edwards, Hilda Satterwhite.

Other members present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Beard, Mmes. Philonese Mackey, Faye Crockett, Rama Saunders, Bessie Cherry, Rachel Boswell, Odene Largent, Frances Zedlitz, Pauline Robinson; Messrs. J. O. Satterwhite, Henry Moody.

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TRAPPED UNDER BOXCAR . . . After two hours of torture under a railroad boxcar, John Clausen Heidt, 51, former middle-west football coach, lies in a grotesque position. The car is a Pacific Electric freight car on tracks near Gardena, Calif. The train ran over him, securing him in this position under car. Note his right foot and left elbow. The right hip was dislocated and the leg lay across his body. He suffered tortuous pain two hours before the boxcar was lifted. Police Sgt. Ben Smith feels his pulse.

at Wylie last Sunday. Several from this community attended the singing convention at the Grace Baptist Church in Ballinger last Sunday. They reported a large crowd and plenty of good singing.

'Handling of Oil' Speaker's Theme At Club Program

Ballinger Rotarians heard a program in observance of Oil Progress Week at their meeting Tuesday noon. The program was under the direction of Cal Adair, area chairman for the oil information committee.

George Ervine, assistant divisional superintendent of the Humble Pipeline Co., Cisco division, was the guest speaker. Mr. Ervine discussed the Humble station near Ballinger and gave the reasons for its reopening several months ago after new lines were built to take oil from Runnels county fields. He told of other extensions which will soon make it possible for the local station to carry 30,000 barrels daily.

The speaker then gave a brief history of oil since the discovery well in Pennsylvania and how the handling of oil has improved as demand increased.

The Ballinger club sent a letter of appreciation to the Dallas Rotary Glee Club thanking it for the concert presented here in September. The letter was signed by every member of the local club.

The first printing press in Philadelphia was set up by William Bradford in 1685 just two years after the town was settled.

CREWS
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Faubion and daughter, Brenda, attended the state fair, Dallas, Saturday. Mrs. Cecil Sprinkle, of Abilene, spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Traylor.
Rev. H. A. Schoenrock, who was called to the pastorate of the West Point Baptist Church in Yoakum county, moved his family there last Tuesday. We are sorry to lose him and his family from this community

but hope they will be happy in their new field of work.
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tounget, of Lubbock, spent the past week-end here, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tounget.
Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jayroe were: Mrs. Floyd Rodden and two daughter, of Voss; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Criner and two children, of Dallas; Mrs. Farrell Henderson, of Centennial.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mathis accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mathis and son, of Bal-

lenger, to Yorktown, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Minnis Mathis over the week-end.
Several from this community attended the funeral services for Dr. C. A. Watson, which were held in Ballinger Monday afternoon. Dr. Watson practiced medicine here several years and has many close friends here.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bates and Jackie Redwine, of Winters; and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bates were dinner guests in the F. L. Bates home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Norris attended a singing convention

Low Prices!

Orange Juice KIMBELL'S 46-Oz. Can	19c
Catsup LIBBY'S 12-Oz. Bottle	19c
Cheese GOLD CREST AMERICAN 2-Lb. Box	75c
Oleomargarine SUNSPUN QUARTERED Lb.	18c

MEATS

Chuck Roast Lb.	63c
Ground Beef Lb.	53c
Hens FULLY DRESSED Lb.	48c
Bacon HORMEL'S MID-WEST, SLICED Lb.	47c
Pork Sausage HOME MADE Lb.	39c

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MISSION PEAS
Case—24 Cans
\$3.29

Peanut Butter 12-OZ. MUG	3 for \$1.00
Pineapple Juice LIBBY'S 46-OZ. CAN	3 for \$1.00
Pinto Beans 5-Lb. Bag	45c

Flour GLADIOLA or GOLD MEDAL 25 Lb.	\$1.98
Pure Lard DECKER'S 3 Lb.	69c
Frostee Pkg. 11c	11c

TOMATO JUICE

LIBBY'S 46-OZ. CAN	31c
Corn KOUNTY KIST WHOLE KERNEL	16c
Cherries SUNSPUN Can	21c

Coffee

KREMEL DESERT 4 Flavors Box	5c
Coffee ADMIRATION Lb.	78c

VEGETABLES

Tokay Grapes Lb.	9c
Tomatoes Lb.	19c
Apples Red Delicious Lb.	15c

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<p style="text-align: center;">All-Wool Coatings Regular \$5.95 Now \$4.95</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">All-Wool 54-Inch Jersey Regular \$2.95 Now \$2.50</p>
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BETTIS & STURGES

The Ladies' Store in Ballinger

<p>Banks to Observe Holiday Tomorrow Ballinger banks will not be open for business tomorrow (Friday), October 12, Columbus Day. Patrons are asked to take notice of this holiday and attend to any necessary banking business before closing time today.</p>	<p>First National Bank Farmers & Merchants State Bank</p>	<p>several weeks. The grass greens had been damaged by an insect infestation. An expert was brought here and all greens were cleared of the old grass, new soil spread on the surface and bent grass seed sown. While the greens are not perfect, the new grass is doing well and the course will be in good condition in another ten days.</p>
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BALLINGER COUNTRY CLUB GOLF COURSE REOPENED
The Ballinger Country Club golf course was reopened Sunday afternoon after being closed

The first New England newspaper to be firmly established outside of Boston was the Connecticut Gazette of New Haven, founded in 1755 by James Parker, an associate of Benjamin Franklin.

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 BALLINGER, TEXAS

PROCLAMATION
 WHEREAS America's growing defense program is straining the production facilities of our nation, our state and our community and

WHEREAS many people are asking whether those facilities, and the natural resources upon which they depend, are equal to the demands being placed on them, and

WHEREAS it has been brought to the attention of this office that October 14th to 20th has been designated as Oil Progress Week, when members of the American petroleum industry strive to inform the public regarding what they are doing to produce more and better petroleum products to meet the growing civilian and military needs of the United States, and

WHEREAS residents of our community who are engaged in this important industry are desirous of participating in the observance of Oil Progress Week by arranging various exhibits and engaging in other activities which show how they, and their competitive progressive companies contribute to our high standards of living which must be preserved along with our democratic freedoms.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. W. Moore, mayor of Ballinger, do hereby proclaim the week of October 14th to 20th, inclusive, to be **BALLINGER OIL PROGRESS WEEK** and do call to the serious consideration of all citizens the many services and contributions which the oil men who work and live amongst us have made and are making to the betterment of our public, social, business and private lives, as well as to the security of our beloved country.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Ballinger to be affixed.

(SEAL) (Signed) J. W. MOORE, Mayor

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 We Cannot Use Heavy Stuff—so do not
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**Detective Yarn, Zane Grey Western,
 Tennis Story, Comedy to Horseshoe**

"The Fat Man," currently the most famous of radio detectives, has been brought to the screen in a thriller of the same title which is to be shown at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday in addition to a Zane Grey western, "Fighting Caravan," starring Gary Cooper.

whose character name is Brad Runyan on air and screen, but whom everybody calls "The Fat Man," because of his 260 pounds, is at once a most exciting and charming sleuth.

J. Scott Smart, star of the radio show, is the smoothie,

The big fellow, ably supported by America's No. 1 circus clown, Emmett Kelly; Julie London, Jayne Meadows, Clinton Sundberg, Rock Hudson and Jerome Cowan, glides and bounces

through his role with a light-heartedness and aplomb that makes dramatic situations all the more tense, and there are plenty of such situations in "The Fat Man."

Ida Lupino, who alternates between playing dramatic roles on the screen and directing motion pictures, brings as her current personally sponsored drama, "Hard, Fast and Beautiful," an RKO Radio release, to be shown at the Horseshoe Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, October 14 through 16.

Claire Trevor and Sally Forrest are starred in this first-run film which tells the engrossing story of a selfish mother's influence upon her daughter's tennis career, exploited for the mother's gain. Carleton Young, Robert Clarke and Kenneth Patterson are in featured support.

The young producers, Edward J. and Harry Lee Danziger, follow the successful formula of filming their stories on location—in whatever setting the plot calls for—instead of using Hollywood sets exclusively.

Their first run comedy, at the Horseshoe next Wednesday and Thursday, October 17, 18, "St. Benny the Dip," which co-stars

Dick Haymes, Roland Young and Nina Foch, is set on New York's seamier side-streets, and the Danzigers brought their technical staff and cast to the Big Town in order to play the hilarious, Runyonesque scenes against authentic backgrounds.

The film tells the story of three droll confidence men who hide out in a Bowery mission in clerical garb in order to elude the police. In featured roles are Lionel Stander, Freddie Bartholomew and Oscar Karlweis.

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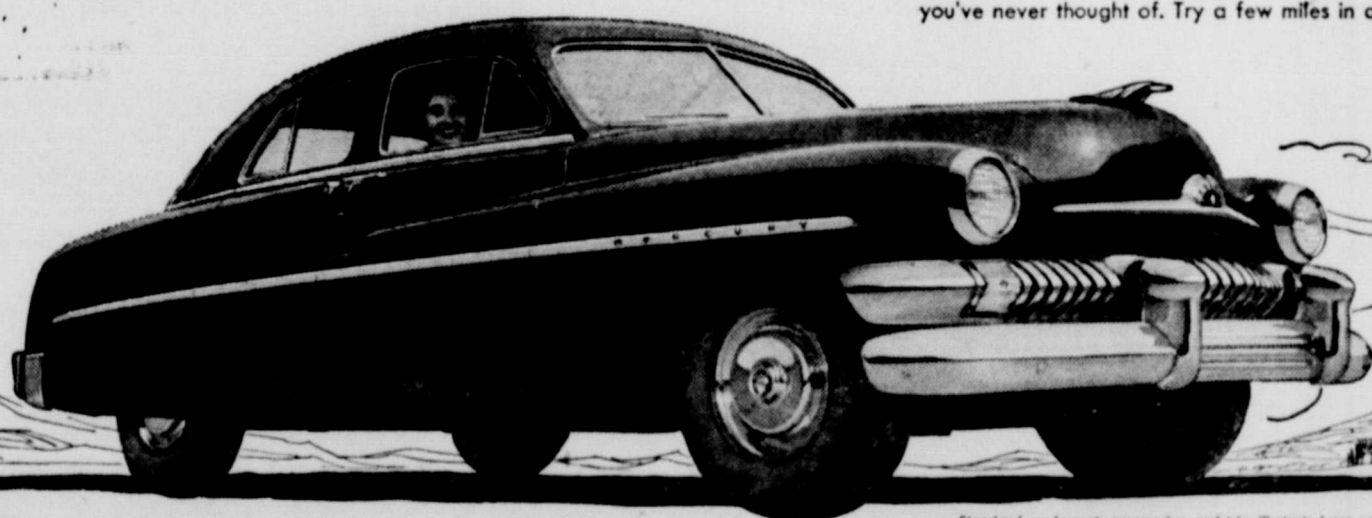
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Mr. Possey attended the rehabilitation breakfast Sunday morning which was held for service officers of the district.

The most important part of the convention was the election of officers. Earl Tate, of Brownwood, was named district commander; Alfred Neffendorf, of Mason, vice-commander; and

Rev. J. Cochran, of Brownwood, chaplain.

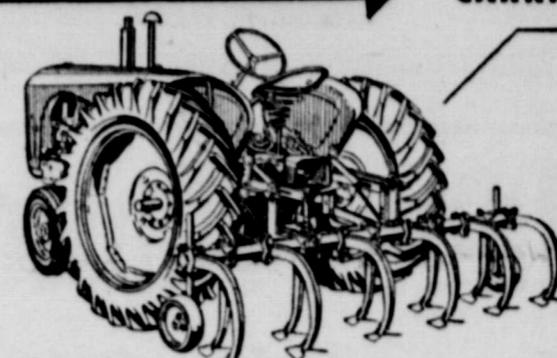
A meeting of the "40 and 8" was held in connection with the convention and the Legion Auxiliary also held a meeting Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas went to Odessa Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Thomas' nephew, W. V. Thomas. Decedent was the son of Roy Thomas, former Runnels county clerk. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas went on to Carlsbad, New Mexico, Saturday night to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas.

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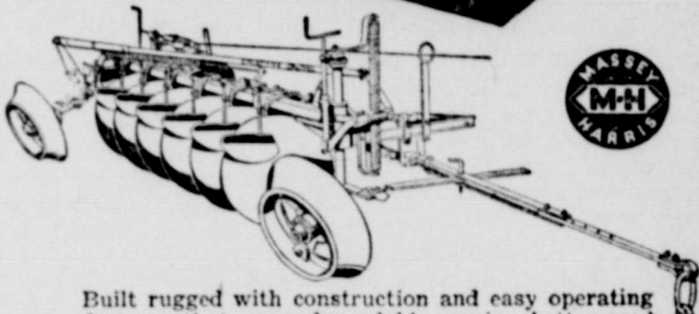
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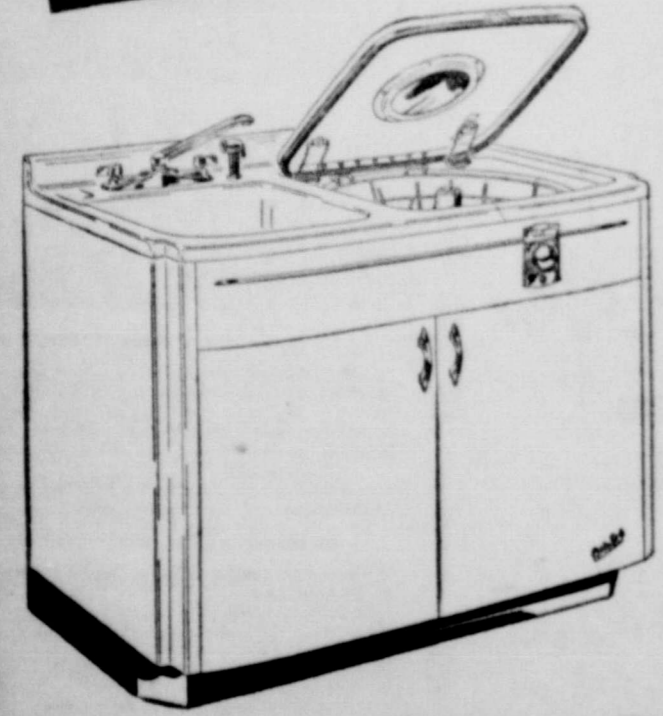
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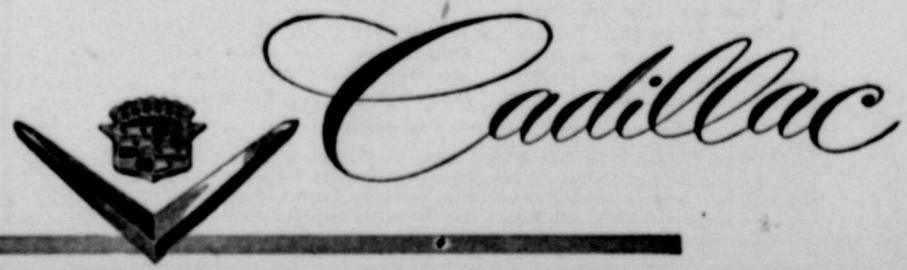
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