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County Chapter Initials \$6,000 Red Cross Quota

A meeting of the Runnels county chapter of the American Red Cross was held Tuesday night in the chamber of commerce office to plan the annual fund drive, scheduled in March.

Harry Williamson, field representative, Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, outlined the need of the Red Cross for the next twelve months and gave information on the organization of a county-wide campaign.

A quota of \$6,000 has been adopted by the Runnels county chapter and this will be broken down for each community.

Lee Roy McAulay and W. H. Rampy have been named co-chairmen to direct the fund campaign. Mr. McAulay will direct in the southern part of the county and Mr. Rampy will

have charge of the northern section. R. T. Gray has been named city chairman at Winters and a Ballinger chairman will be appointed this week.

The county quota was reduced from \$7,000 to \$6,000 Tuesday night when it was learned that no blood gathering drive would be necessary here. The field representative stated that centers at Fort Worth and Waco had all work scheduled for the year and that facilities in the two gathering centers were not sufficient to take on other towns.

Within a short time all community chairmen will be named and workers will be assembled later this month to receive complete information and supplies. Every effort will be made to complete the fund raising drive as quickly as possible.

County's Poll Taxes Total 4,358 for Year

Final tabulations of poll tax payments in Runnels county were completed Monday morning by Dalton Crockett, county tax assessor-collector, revealing a total of 4,358 issued for this year. This is the greatest total since it was compulsory to pay poll taxes when property payments were made.

Last year the total for the county was 2,785 and in 1948, last presidential election year, the total was 4,926. In 1948 every person who paid property taxes also had to purchase a poll tax receipt. Increased interest in poll tax payments was shown in the latter days of the 1952 tax paying period.

Mr. Crockett will soon make up poll tax lists by voting boxes. It required until Monday morning to work out all the late arrivals by mail and get a complete count.

Extension Service, T.H.D.A. Workers In Meeting Here

Extension service workers and home demonstration club members from fourteen West Texas counties assembled here Monday for an all-day meeting. In the group were county home demonstration agents, assistants, county chairmen of the Texas Home Demonstration Association and other club members, and Miss Thelma Casey, district agent.

The meeting was held for the purpose of planning the program for the district meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association at Colorado City on April 17. Mrs. Maxey Harvey, state vice-president, presided and talked on the programs at the district and state meetings. She also explained the work of the districts under the new arrangements which provide only twelve in the state and each larger than heretofore.

A short meeting of county agents was held at which time plans were made for the annual district encampment for 4-H club girls to be held in Ballinger on June 2, 3, 4 and 5. The group will gather for the four-day program at Bruce Field and will use the American Legion clubhouse for their programs.

Attending the meeting were the following delegations:

- Coke County**
Miss Minnie Mae Sharp, agent; Mrs. Gladys Waldrop, Mrs. Tom Schooler, Mrs. Tom Rives, Jr., Mrs. Barton Waldrop
- Coleman County**
Miss Marialice Smith, agent; Miss Wanda Miller, assistant; Mrs. Raymond McElrath
- Callahan County**
Mrs. H. H. Stephenson, Mrs. Fred Farmer, Mrs. A. L. Barnes
- Concho County**
Miss Laura Tharp, agent; Mrs. Joe Skipper, Mrs. Cecil Jones, Mrs. W. F. Miexner
- Fisher County**
Miss S. C. Kinsey, agent; Mrs. Walter Byrd, Mrs. Charles Rowland
- Jones County**
Mrs. Maxey Harvey, Mrs. Charlie Myratt, Mrs. Frank Carter, Mrs. H. H. Windham
- Menard County**
Mrs. Floyd Elliott, Mrs. J. H. Cannon, Mrs. Cecil Walston, Mrs. J. C. Harwell
- McCulloch County**
Miss Norma Pain, agent; Mrs. E. A. Taylor, Mrs. R. W. Cain
- Nolan County**
Miss Sue Hawthorn, agent; Mrs. Bob Potter, Mrs. Mondel Rogers
- Runnels County**
Miss Ollie Chenoweth, agent; Mrs. Robert Fowler, Mrs. B. M. Batts, Mrs. Thomas Egan
- Scurry County**
Mrs. J. W. Coffee, Mrs. M. L. Andrews
- Tom Green County**
Miss Doris Newman, agent; Miss Doritha Casey, assistant; Miss Thelma Casey, district agent; Mrs. Neff Johnson
- Taylor County**
Miss Brockie McCasland, agent; Mrs. Guy Vernon, Mrs. L. A. Groene, Mrs. Rhett Edson, Jr.
- Mitchell County**
Mrs. V. L. Moser, Mrs. O. L. Simpson

19 Lots Leased By Commission For Oil and Gas

The Ballinger city commission met Monday morning to attend to pressing business and hear reports. Fred Underwood, city secretary, reported 91 percent of collections on the current rolls for this year.

Sam Behringer and E. Shepperd were before the commission to discuss plans for installing additional street markers. Since markers were installed here several new streets have been built up and need proper designation.

The commissioners approved the leasing of some 19 city lots to the Aztec Oil Co., a well to be drilled in the near future. Location of the test has been made in the 1700 block between Sharp and Hamilton avenues.

Three building permits were approved. C. L. Armstrong received a \$3,000 permit to construct a triple garage and living quarters on Tenth Street between Sharp and Hamilton avenues.

Morris Stokes received a permit in the amount of \$1,000 for building an office on Hutchings Avenue between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Gib Smith received approval on a \$600 permit for an addition to a house on Fifth Street between Sargent and Sharp avenues.

SHEPHERDS TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF RELATIVE

Mr. and Mrs. E. Shepperd left Wednesday morning for Wynne Wood, Oklahoma, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Shepperd's brother, Ernest Keys, who died in an Oklahoma City hospital Tuesday.

Decedent had been in failing health and entered the hospital about two weeks ago. Funeral rites are to be held at Wynne Wood this afternoon.

Another sister, Mrs. W. A. Knight, of San Angelo, joined Mr. and Mrs. Shepperd here and accompanied them to Wynne Wood.

Mrs. Nina Gunyon and two children visited relatives and friends at Odessa the past week-end.

Runnels Baptist Brotherhoods To Hold Clinic Here Monday

The Runnels Association of Baptist Brotherhoods will meet at the First Baptist Church in Ballinger next Monday for a clinic. The clinic is mainly for officers of the various Brotherhoods, but others are expected to attend.

The following program will begin at 6:30 p. m.:

- 6:30 p. m.—Supper
- 7:15 p. m.—Song and praise, Otis Allen, chorister, with Jimmy Hamner at the piano
- 7:25 p. m.—Scripture and prayer, Judge O. L. Parish
- 7:30 p. m.—Definition and Purpose of the Brotherhood and This Clinic, J. Neal Gearhead, president of district
- 7:40 p. m.—Conference groups:
 1. Presidents and pastors, L. H. Tapscott, leader
 2. Membership, vice-presidents, secretaries, treasurers, and membership committees, W. J. Harris, Hamilton, leader
 3. Program, vice-presidents and choristers, J. Neal Gearhead, leader
 4. Activities vice-presidents, chairmen and members of all committees, Louis Newman, Goidbusk, leader
- 8:25 p. m.—Reassembly in auditorium.

Address, L. H. Tapscott, secretary of Baptist Brotherhood of Texas.

C. of C. Directors Talk Show Barns; 1952 Holidays Set

Directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce held their regular February meeting Monday night. Committee reports were few but most committee advisors handed in lists of their groups which will work on special projects during 1952. The remainder of the committee members will be named this week.

A discussion of the recent livestock show was held and plans started for making possible permanent show barns. The location for the 1952 show was excellent and attracted one of the largest crowds in several years.

The agriculture committee will work with school officials on the problem and make every effort to provide a show barn and judging arena by next year.

Several other items were taken up and special meetings of several committees will be held within the next few days.

The directors set up six holidays to be observed during the year. The same five were taken as heretofore and Labor Day was added. This was put on the list after requests from various groups and firms. Several firms have been closing for this holiday the past three years.

Holidays approved are: Friday, July 4, Independence Day; Monday, September 1, Labor Day; Tuesday, November 11, Armistice Day; Thursday, November 27, Thanksgiving; Thursday, December 25, Christmas; Thursday, January 1, New Year's Day.

FARM BUREAU MEMBERS ATTEND TWO MEETINGS

Ben Frerich, Davy Crockett and A. T. Halfmann, directors of the Runnels County Farm Bureau, attended a legislative conference at Waco on January 24.

Purpose of the meeting was to consider general resolutions and field crop resolutions to be presented at the state and national conventions.

On Wednesday of last week a group from this county attended a meeting at Paint Rock. Speakers at the meeting included Bob Lilly, field representative for this area; Mauries Howell, insurance service agent; K. O. Anderson, Blue Cross representative.

Attending from Runnels county were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Frerich, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Halfmann, Joe Droll, Evelyn Hill. Other counties represented at this meeting were Menard, McCulloch, Concho, Tom Green.

Bobby George and Terry Isbell, of Big Spring, spent the past week-end in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sykes, and other relatives.

Grand Jury Brings Fourteen True Bills

The Runnels county grand jury in session here this week, completed its deliberations at 7:00 p. m. Wednesday and returned 14 true bills.

As soon as the indictments were turned in by the panel two defendants asked to enter pleas of guilty. Mike Dennis Trammel, charged with driving while intoxicated, second offense, pleaded guilty and was fined \$150 and costs. Bruno Hohenberger, indicted for second offense driving while intoxicated, entered a plea of guilty and was given a two-year adult parole.

Other indictments were: Julian Chapa, burglary; J. A. Cavo, burglary; Lario Chapa, burglary; Marshall Leslie Johnson, forgery and passing forged instrument.

Andrew Deal Gardner, driving while intoxicated, second offense; Deibert Clifton Tucker, driving while intoxicated, second offense; Jesus Garcia, driving while intoxicated second offense.

Russell Daltrempie, forgery and passing forged instrument; Robert A. Thomas, forgery and altering forged instrument; Cynthia Choce, aggravated assault. She was charged with murder following the death of her son at Winters after he was stabbed in the arm. Evidence would not bear out a murder charge as death apparently resulted from other causes. The case will be transferred to county court.

One man was indicted for sale of whiskey in a "dry" area but arrest has not been made since return of bill.

Fund Campaign For Girl Scouts Slated March 4

Mrs. Nelle Lyle, of Brownwood, area representative of Girl Scouts, was here Wednesday for a meeting with the local council and announced the annual fund drive to be held here on March 4. Plans for the campaign were made at a meeting in December and the date set at that time.

A. H. Dallinger is the fund drive chairman and will form an organization of workers to contribute to area and local work.

About 1,000 letters will be mailed to Ballinger people, telling them of Girl Scout activities and the need of funds to continue this work. Many of the letters will request that contributions be mailed in.

On March 4 workers will call on every local business house to give managers and employes an opportunity to donate.

CONCHO COUNTY PIONEER BURIED AT EDEN SUNDAY

Dan Molloy, 77, early day Concho county ranchman, was buried at Eden Sunday afternoon. He died at the home of a son in Houston Friday following a heart attack.

Decedent came to Concho county with his parents in 1885. He spent several years in New Mexico and later returned to Texas and engaged in ranching near Eden.

Funeral services were held at Eden Sunday afternoon, Rev. Michael Moore, O. M. I., officiating. Interment was in the Eden cemetery.

Survivors include two sons, Dan Molloy, Jr., Houston, and Sam Molloy, Memphis, Tennessee; two brothers, W. T. Molloy, Eden, and Leo Molloy, district clerk of Concho county, Paint Rock; two sisters, Mrs. Nell Miller and Mrs. Ed A. Latham, Eden.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 30 WILL HAVE BANQUET

Boy Scout troop No. 30 will hold its father-and-son banquet on the evening of February 15. The boys and dads will meet at the Scout house at 6 p. m. and each member is urged to bring his father or a guest.

Following the dinner, Scouts will present a program of demonstrations and the evening will close with a court of honor at which a number of members will receive advancement.

Anderson & Reynolds Add Palo Pinto Well

A new oil well in the Ballinger Palo Pinto field and a location inside the city limits of Ballinger were highlights of the week just ending.

Production was found in both the upper and lower Palo Pinto levels in Anderson & Reynolds No. 1-Nettie Currie following a drillstem test Tuesday. Gas came to the surface in 20 minutes and the hole had 215 feet of oil and gas-cut mud. Bottom hole pressure was 800 pounds.

Casing and concrete were run Wednesday and probably will be drilled out for a production gauge Saturday.

Aztec Oil Co. has set surface pipe for its well in the western part of Ballinger. The location has been made in the 1700 block between Sharp and Hamilton avenues and a spudder was operated for setting the pipe. The slush pit is ready and the rig will be moved from the Anderson, Reynolds No. 1-Curie as soon as possible and tours started.

The operation inside the corporate limits is due to go to the Ellenburger, but operators stated that if oil was encountered soon, drilling would be stopped and production taken there.

Humble No. 45-Sallie Odum, in the Fort Chadbourne field, has been completed for a daily flow of 281.32 barrels of 45.9 gravity oil. Casing was cemented at 5,448 feet.

Humble No. 10D-Sallie Odum was finished last week for a daily flow of 445.74 barrels of 46.2 gravity oil. Top of pay is 5,305 feet.

Murray Petroleum Co. No. 1-Lillie Marks, three miles southeast of Winters, has been completed for a daily rating of 197.7 barrels of 46.6 gravity oil. Perforations in the casing were started at 4,516 feet.

Retail Drilling Co. No. 1-R. T. and R. L. Williams rated \$1.7 barrels of 42.6 gravity oil when gauged last week. Top of pay is 4,226 feet.

The Hull-Dobbs field, in northeastern Runnels county, was extended to the north when the Texas & Pacific Coal & Oil Co. No. 3-Carol Dickenson was brought in for a daily production of 420 barrels of 41 gravity oil. Pay depth starts at 3,982 feet.

Houston Show Pays F.F.A. Boys \$8,500

Members of the Ballinger Future Farmers of America chapter have returned from Houston, where they exhibited in the livestock show. They brought back from sales of animals and prizes approximately \$8,500, with capons still to be judged and sold this week-end.

Fifteen members of the local chapter had entries in the Houston show. H. B. Edmondson and R. A. Hanson, vocational agriculture instructors, accompanied the boys.

Mr. Hanson is still at Houston with Mike Egan, Bobby Pieffer and Edwin Walther. Egan is due to take part in the calf scramble this week. Pieffer and Walther are alternates.

Smith Bros. showed the first and third Hampshires in the hog division and also had the first pen of three hogs.

In the calf division Weidon Lanje took second place with his Angus and the animal was a close contender for the reserve champion. This animal attracted much attention at the show. Many breeders sought information and were told he was from the herd of Garland Nunn, local Angus breeder.

Other Ballinger chapter winners included: Henry Stokes—4th and 7th place Anguses; Bill Ashton—9th and 19th

place Anguses; Werner Halfmann—19th place Hereford; Smith Brothers—34th place Hereford; Bob Ransberger—37th place Hereford; Henry Stokes—2nd and 8th place medium wool lambs; Smith Bros.—7th, 15th and 35th fine wool lambs; Fred Vogelsang—27th, 34th and 35th fine wool lambs; Smith Bros.—3rd place trio.

Several other local boys won places in the lamb division and sold animals at good prices. Lambs brought from 40 to 12 cents, hogs from 26 to 30 cents, and calves from 55 to 68 cents. The Ballinger chapter was the largest single group from the state at the Houston show and received much favorable publicity.

A number of F. F. A. members who exhibited in the county show did not attend the Houston show but will participate in the San Antonio show. Mark Campbell, who had the grand champion calf in the county show, and ten or twelve other boys will exhibit at San Antonio.

Mr. Edmondson said that other shows to be attended would include the San Angelo exposition and possibly the Odessa show. He stated that local boys' winnings and sales probably would exceed \$15,000 before the end of the year.

Tractor Maintenance Course To be Conducted by Barton

John A. Barton, county agent and O. C. Hill, of Cochran, attended a tractor maintenance school at Abilene the past week-end. Specialists at the school stated that the proper care of a tractor would save an

average of \$100 per machine per year.

In Runnels county there are approximately 2,500 tractors and such a saving would mean \$250,000 annually to the farmers of this county.

The school was held to give first hand information to leaders on the importance of the program and also a plan for carrying on a tractor maintenance program during the year.

Mr. Barton is planning to offer two courses to the 4-H club boys of this county and climax the work with a field day for both 4-H boys and adults. At the field day there will be all types and makes of tractors for demonstrations and also to be used by the boys in finishing their course.

After taking the course the boys' knowledge would be tested by a written quiz, in actual demonstration on tractors and a demonstration of their ability to drive a tractor with trailer attached.

Boys would work on an individual basis and a district contest would be held in which one boy from the area would be selected to attend the state round-up at College Station in June and take part in the state contest.

A more complete announcement of the course will be made later this month.

Ballinger Gives \$3,482 To Dimes March Fund

The mothers' porchlight appeal for the polo fund last Thursday night proved to be the biggest money raising event of the entire March of Dimes campaign. Within an hour, the mothers brought in \$1,507 to top all other features.

Tuesday noon the Ballinger total was \$3,482.99 and money in coin collectors is yet to be counted. Leaders stated that other contributions are coming in every day and will swell the total.

Mrs. W. O. Irby headed the mothers' porchlight drive. Captains had been appointed for each small area of the city so that calls could be made within the designated hour. The detail was performed in clock-like fashion and residents of every section of the city were given opportunity to contribute.

Other local drives netted the following amounts:

- Business district, \$1,045.07
- Coffee day at drug stores and cafes, \$137.45
- Ballinger Jaycees, \$230
- Ballinger Lions, \$52.40
- Radio request program, \$250
- Negro school, \$75.24
- Fancy Doers, \$32.50
- Elementary school, \$43.04
- Junior high school, \$43.61
- Senior high school, \$43.08
- Home demonstration clubs, \$43.60.

A report from the Winters section indicated that about \$1,000 had been donated and the canvass of the business district had not been completed.

Drives have not been completed in other communities of the county but reports are expected this week-end.

C. of C. Banquet Has Capacity Attendance

The annual Ballinger Chamber of Commerce banquet Friday night drew capacity attendance and was one of the most successful meetings held in recent years. All available tickets were sold in advance and practically every ticket holder was present.

The dinner was served in the new school cafeteria on the junior high school campus. Table decorations were arranged by the Civic-Garden Club and high school homemaking class members assisted in serving the meal. Mrs. W. E. Elkins and the regular staff prepared the food.

Guests assembled in the new elementary school building where Toastmaster E. B. Underwood called the meeting to order and the invocation was given by Rev. Joseph Emery.

After the meal, Manager Jack Pridden introduced out-of-town guests, who included: O. C. Harber, Frank Pruitt and E. B. Yates, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cathey, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cos-

lett, San Angelo; Joe Ogden and Ross Hoffman, Brady.

Joe Forman, retiring president, expressed appreciation for the members' support for the past year and presented the ten directors who have completed their two-year term and retired. He also presented Jack Moore, new president.

Mr. Moore spoke briefly on the needs and opportunities of Ballinger and urged that all work for projects which would be best for the city and area. He presented other officers and directors.

The toastmaster introduced Dr. Carl Moore, of Austin, who delighted his audience with magic for about 40 minutes. Dr. Moore is one of the leading magicians in the country and his performance here was one of the most delightful ever offered. His equipment was good, his chatter was filled with wit and his feats were performed with perfect ease.

Printed reports beside each plate listed officers, directors, accomplishments of the past year and projects which will receive attention during 1952.

Bobby Smith Wins Registered Bull in Santone Club's Contest

Bobby Smith, member of the Ballinger chapter of the Future Farmers of America, has been informed by the San Antonio Rotary Club that he is one of the winners in the rural relations livestock program.

Smith has been awarded a registered Jersey bull, given by R. E. Hildebrand, of San Antonio. The animal will be kept at San Antonio and exhibited in the annual livestock show before it is given outright to the local youth.

Smith and members of the Ballinger Rotary Club will go to San Antonio on February 15 to attend a special luncheon, at which the special award is to be made.

Bobby entered an essay contest through the Ballinger club several weeks ago. The contest comprised 12 subjects and 12

Ballinger F. F. A. boys submitted essays. Smith wrote on the subject, "Value of Pasture Improvement in the Dairy Program."

REV. WOOTEN ATTENDS MEETING AT DALLAS

Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Wooten left Monday for Dallas, where he will attend ministers' week at Southern Methodist University. They plan to return home tomorrow and be here for week-end activities of the First Methodist Church.

All ministers in the South Central jurisdiction, including eight states, are attending the Dallas meeting.

Joe Vanell, student at A. & M. College, was at home the past week-end for a between-semester visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vanell.

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The "mothers' march on polo," held here Thursday night of last week was a revelation in cooperative work and excellent organization. Within an hour more than \$1,500 was raised to top all efforts of the 1952 campaign. Every section of the city had been organized, a worker being designated for each block. Ambulances covered the town with blaring sirens to remind all of the time for beginning the drive and immediately porch lights were turned on. Leaders are delighted with the manner in which the job was performed and the results. Only the one hour was required to call at every house where a light indicated a donation was to be given.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce began a new year's activities Friday night when the membership assembled for the annual banquet. Officers pleaded for the total support of business firms and employees and announced plans for numerous special projects. One of these is closer cooperation with oil people in this county. A petroleum committee, under the chairmanship of Doyle St. John, has been named and

efforts will be made to look after the needs and desires of these people, who have come to Runnels county to live and work. It is hoped that additional supply houses can be induced to come here to better serve the oil industry and that adequate housing can be provided all crews. To accomplish these aims the directors will put forth every effort.

Members of a committee to secure a public swimming pool in Ballinger are not accepting defeat. Although the sale of bonds has been disapproved by the state credit restraint committee, the local group is continuing its efforts and trying to find other ways of financing the project. The latest move is to try to interest local capital. If this plan should be successful, the city commission could go ahead and the pool could be built without the use of more critical materials than allowed. Several meetings have been held with individuals who have money for good investments, and considerable interest was shown. The bonds and accompanying transactions will have to receive the approval of the attorney general.

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Mayor C. S. Jackson, of Winters, has issued a warning that traffic violations in the future will be pressed by law enforcement officers. Every person receiving a ticket for any traffic violation is expected to appear at the city hall within five days and take care of the fine or a warrant for his arrest will be issued. Police have been very lenient in the past in giving tickets on parking meters, but city officials have decided to "crack down." Meters give one hour for five pennies or a nickel and two hours for two nickels.

The Paint Rock Lions club contributed \$128 to the March of Dimes at its last meeting. Mrs. Ellen Sims, county chairman for the 1952 March, is urging that every person in that county make a contribution. Members of the Paint Rock home demonstration club are assisting in the campaign in that immediate section.

The Comanche county commissioners' court last week announced that Miss Dorothy Carlson, of Fort Worth, has been employed as county home demonstration agent. The post has been vacant since September, 1951. The new agent recently completed a course at North Texas State College, Denton, and had training the past summer in extension service work at Carrizo Springs, where she was assistant agent. She will begin work at once with special emphasis on girls 4-H clubs.

Construction on the Coleman county court house is reported about on schedule and completion is expected sometime in May. Brick walls are about complete, steel window frames are being put in place, roofing will be started within two weeks and after that the contractors will move to the interior to start finishing work. When completed the building will be one of the most modern in this part of the state.

Petitions were circulated by the Rising Star section last week addressed to the U. S. secretary of agriculture, asking that no further cuts be made in peanut acreage in the drought-stricken area. Many

business and professional men signed the papers but no peanut producers were asked to sign. It was pointed out that further cuts have been contemplated and that in this particular section it would be bad for growers and business.

Consulting engineers in charge of drawing plans for the re-establishment of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, have received a defense department directive ordering greatly expanded plans for the camp. The department has given a date for seeking bids, however, or letting a contract for the construction. Reports at Brownwood were to the effect that the plans would be more than doubled in size.

John Royal, Menard ranchman, was elected president of the Hill Country soil conservation district at the annual meeting last week. This group includes the Concho, Edwards Plateau, Kendall, Kerr, Llano, Mason, Menard, Peralta, San Saba-Brady and upper Llano associations. One of the chief objectives of the area group is range improvement through sound conservation. Royal said the district association was perhaps the first to have soil conservation made a part of school work for students.

E. T. Stearnes, of the Fort Worth federal housing administration office, stated at Brady last week that he is ready to receive applications for exceptions from credit restrictions, for the building of 50 housing units. The critical housing need for defense workers was cause of the investigation and the announcement. The 50 units would include 40 for rentals and 10 to be sold.

Flood gates have been closed on the North Concho lake at San Angelo and approximately 1,000,000 gallons of water is being impounded daily. The new \$15,150,000 dam and lake is now completed, land has been acquired in the basin and cleared. San Angelo city officials praised the U. S. corps of engineers for getting the gates closed approximately two months ahead of schedule.

The Miles Baptist Church has completed the first phase of an

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Improvement program which included redecoration of the church auditorium and Sunday school classrooms. New pulpit furniture, put in use for the first time Sunday, was constructed and contributed by Melvin Boykin. Plans call for repainting the outside of the church, siding and finishing the annex. Men of the church plan to construct a softball field on church property and put it in the boys' summer program.

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- All of the following named persons:
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- The unknown heirs of said above named persons, each deceased respectively, and
- All persons claiming any title or interest in land under any of the following listed deeds, which said deeds are recorded in the Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, in the respective volumes and at the respective pages set out in connecting with each said deed:

- Deed to S. Williams as grantee, dated July 9, 1910, recorded in Vol. 68, page 342;
- Deed to S. Williams as grantee, dated September 15, 1910, recorded in Vol. 79, page 400;
- Deed to Edna Patton as grantee, dated September 15, 1910, recorded in Volume 83, page 382;
- Deed to John A. Olson as grantee, dated September 15, 1910, recorded in Volume 83, page 275;
- Deed to J. W. Saxon as grantee, dated September 24, 1930, recorded in Volume 151, page 561;
- Deed to Lydia Littman as grantee, dated September

21, 1931, recorded in Volume 154, page 276; (8) Deed to John K. Simmons as grantee, dated September 15, 1910, recorded in Vol. 83, page 150; GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 3rd day of March, 1952, at or before 10 a. m. o'clock, before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the Courthouse in Ballinger, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 15th day of Jan-

uary, 1952. The file number of said suit being 6038. The names of the parties in said suit are: J. H. Colclazer as plaintiff and all of the above named persons to whom this citation is directed as defendants. The nature of the said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Said suit is a trespass to try title suit, wherein plaintiff is claiming the fee simple title to the following described lots in the College View Heights Addition to the City of Winters, Runnels County, Texas, to-wit: The West one-half of Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 in Block No. 26; Lot No. 10 in Block No. 33;

Lot No. 8 in Block No. 38; Lot No. 6 in Block No. 30, and plaintiff especially pleads in said suit the ten year statute of limitation. If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Issued this 15th day of January, 1952. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 15th day of January, 1952. (Seal) **WILLIE STEPHENS** District Clerk 119th District Court of Runnels County, Texas. 17-4t

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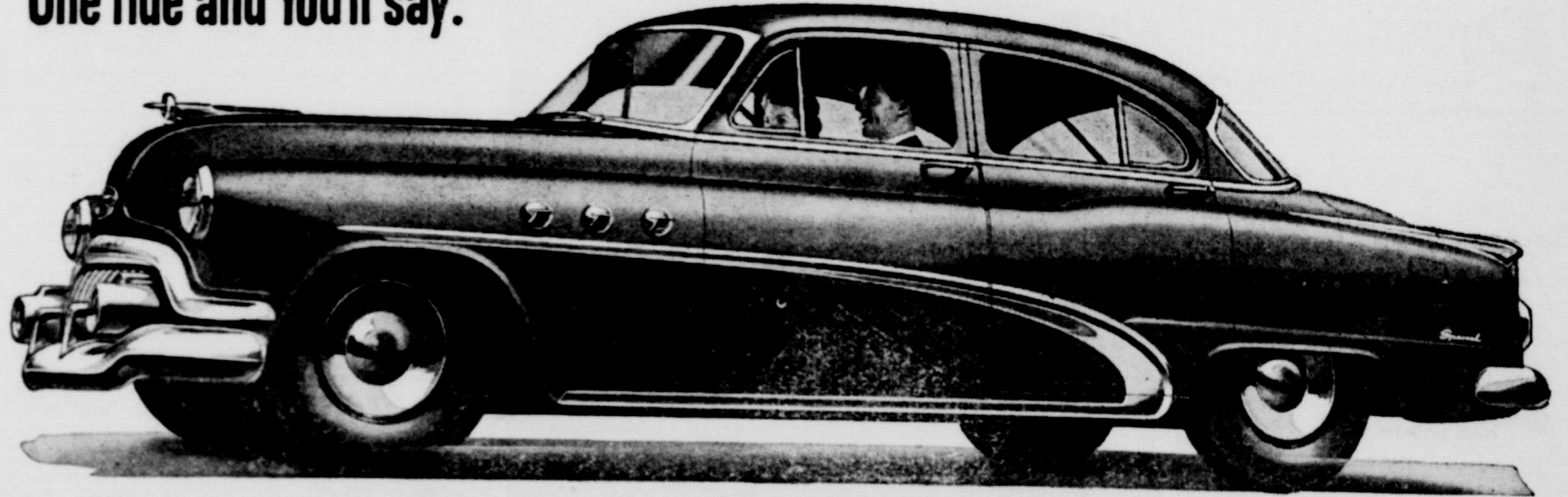
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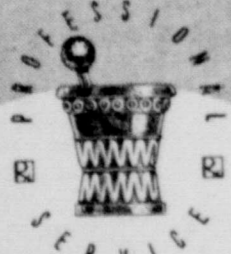
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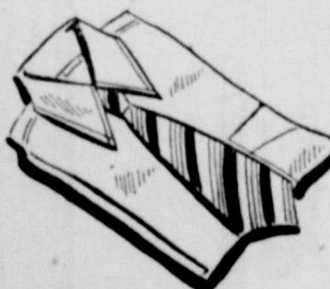
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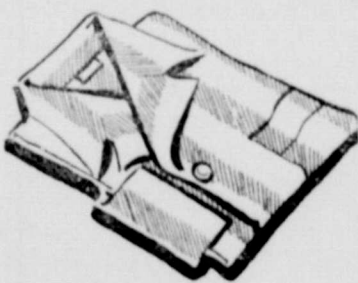
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Marvin Hambright was honored with a birthday dinner on his 50th birthday anniversary Sunday. Those attending were: his mother, Mrs. N. A. Hambright, of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baldwin and Jackie, Mrs. M. A. Osborne and Selma, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hambright and children.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Woods Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Dietz and Patsy, Bonnie Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Davis and Steve.

Rev. Jack Pape and two sons, of Scranton, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Dietz Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alcorn visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hale, of Glen Cove, Friday night.

Sam Polk and Clarence Hambright visited Mrs. Harvey Oneal, who is a patient in the Coleman hospital, last Monday.

Mrs. Bessie Baldwin honored her niece, Jerry Sue Hambright, with a birthday party last Friday afternoon. Refreshments of cake and punch was served to fifteen guests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Baker, of Winters, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Bridwell Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Pierce visited her father, Mr. Bridwell, at Dumas, who was hurt in an accident at a garage. He is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Boynton and Mr. and Mrs. Will Berry were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Berry.

Dennis McBeth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth, is on the sick list. We hope he will have a quick recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Phelps and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Davis, last week. They have been living in Nebraska but are moving to Fort Worth to make home.

J. B. Sullivan and daughters, Mrs. Vera Musgrove and Mrs. Vada Thomas, left Friday for their home at Scottsdale, Arizona, after visiting relatives here several days.

The Baptist District Union met at the Crews Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Eldon Joe Hambright has enrolled at McMurry College, Abilene, for the second semester. He has been attending Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

Ann Boatright, of Abilene, and Mike Boatright, of Big Spring, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boatright the past week-end.

Several young people of the Crews Methodist church attended the Youth Rally held in the First Methodist Church of Ballinger last Sunday.

The loose-leaf system dates back to the Garden of Eden.

TWO SPEECH CLASSES WILL PRESENT PLAYS

Two more one-act plays are to be presented Monday night at the high school auditorium by speech classes of the Ballinger high school.

Class 1 will present a comedy, "The Tantrum," featuring Ann Stasney, Maurice Carder, Sparky Evans, Dorothy Hocker, Gary Ferguson, Robert Wilson, Rosemary Bradley, Ruth Erwin, Bobby Winans, Billie Hamilton and Jack Reynolds.

Class 2 will offer a murder mystery, "High Window." In this case are: Mary Jo Forman, Charles Long, Lorene Kohutek, Jimmy Carpenter and Virginia Zedlitz.

The two plays last Monday, "Elmer and the Love Bug" and "Which is the Way to Boston?" drew good attendance and were well received by the large audience.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: R. T. Miller, H. N. Beckwith, E. F. Edwards, Mary E. Ferguson, J. A. Ferguson, Chas. H. Smith, W. D. Black, Wm. Golden, S. L. Yates, Will Chattam, Ernest Caldwell, Mary I. Barnes, V. V. Ashley, Tom S. Cox, Sam R. Beckham, R. R. Russell, E. M. Eubank, Della Neas, each deceased, and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators and legal representatives of R. T. Miller, H. N. Beckwith, E. F. Edwards, Mary E. Ferguson, J. A. Ferguson, Chas. H. Smith, W. D. Black, Wm. Golden, S. L. Yates, Will Chattam, Ernest Caldwell, Mary I. Barnes, V. V. Ashley, Tom S. Cox, Sam R. Beckham, R. R. Russell, E. M. Eubank, Della Neas, and the unknown trustees and stockholders of the Citizens Building and Loan Company, a defunct corporation, and the unknown trustees and stockholders of the Dublin Music Company, a defunct corporation, or the unknown trustees, owners, successors and assigns of the Dublin Music Company, and James Wear, Lucile Wear, B. J. Tyson, and Shirley Jean Tyson—GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1952, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable 119th District Court of Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 9th day of January, 1952. The file number of said suit being No. 6093.

The names of the parties in said suit are: A. M. King, Cecil C. Nell, D. B. Stinson, Sebero Flores, H. H. Holland as Plaintiffs, and those to whom this citation is addressed as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit in Trespass to try title by Plaintiffs against all of the Defendants, Plaintiffs alleging title to and the ownership of the following described tracts of land lying and being situated in the County of Runnels, State of Texas, to-wit:

1. All of Lot No. Two (2) in Block No. Three (3) of the Powell Addition.

2. All of Lot No. Eight (8) in Block No. Twenty-two (22) of

the Wilke Third Addition,
3. All of Lot No. Sixteen (16) in Block "A" of the Truly Addition,

4. All of Lots Nos. One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11), Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15), and Sixteen (16) of Block "A" of the Fairview Addition,

5. All of Lot No. Six (6) in Block No. Nine (9) and all of Lot No. Eight (8) in Block No. Fourteen (14) of the Guion Addition,

6. All of Lots Nos. Three (3), Four (4), and Five (5) in Block No. Nineteen (19) of the Guion Addition,

7. All of Lot No. Eight (8) in Block No. One (1) of the Lankford Addition,

8. All of Lot No. One (1) in Block No. Four (4) of the Hillcrest Addition,

9. All of Lot No. Six (6) in Block No. Twenty-five (25) of the Wilke Third Addition,

10. All of Lot No. Three (3) in Block No. Six (6) of the Wilke First Addition,

11. All of Lots Nos. Nine (9) and Ten (10) in Block No. One (1) of the Woodward Heights Addition, all of said additions lying and being situated in the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas,

as the same appear on the maps and plans of said additions now of record in the office of the County Clerk of Runnels County, Texas, to which maps and the plans thereof reference is here made.

12. 90 feet by 150 feet of Lot No. Two (2) of Block "E," a subdivision of the Thomas Largent Survey No. 366, Abstract No. 357, being the same land described in the

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deed executed by K. V. Northington to Fred Livermore, now of record in Vol. 198, page 297, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, and each plaintiff alleging ownership of the respective portions of said tracts as described in plaintiff's petition; that plaintiffs were the owners on the 20th day of December, 1951, and still are, and the defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and disposed of the same in violation of the provisions of said deed, and that plaintiffs claim title under the statutes of limitation of three years, five years, ten years and twenty-five years.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unrecorded.

Issued this 15th day of January, A. D. 1952.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 15th day of January, A. D. 1952.

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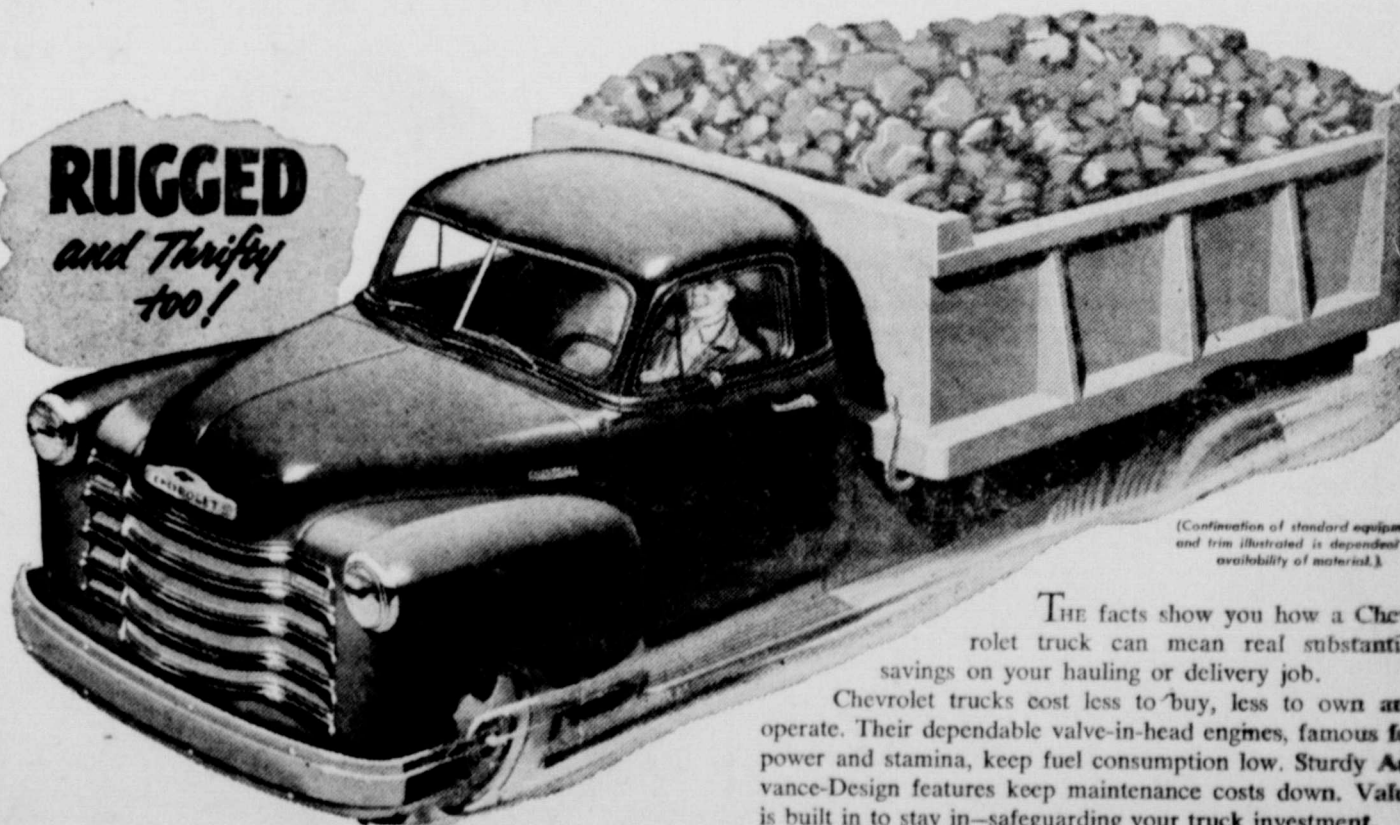
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A candlelight ceremony, read in the chapel of the First Baptist Church, united in marriage Miss Peggy Fox and Troy M. Smith. The double-ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Joseph Emery, pastor of the church, at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. P. G. Fuller of Ballinger and Neely Fox, of Bakersfield, California. Mr. Smith's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith of Ballinger.

Palms and ferns formed the background for the wedding setting. The church was lighted from cathedra tapers in seven-branched floor candelabra, flanked by baskets of white gladioli, and pews were marked by white satin bows. Pre-nuptial music was played on the organ by Mrs. Charles Hambrick, who also played the traditional "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" by Wagner, and the "Wedding March" by Mendelssohn. Accompanied by Mrs. Hambrick, Miss Clara Hill sang

"Because" and "Always", and "The Lord's Prayer" for the benediction.

Entering the church on the arm of P. G. Fuller, the bride wore a Queen Ann original gown of Chantilly lace over white satin. It was made with a deep vee neckline complemented by a roll collar. The elongated bodice was snugly fitting and self covered buttons accented the front. Long tapering sleeves came to points at the hands. The bouffant skirt was ballerina length. Her finger-tip veil of illusion fell from a Juliet cap of lace appliqued with clusters of pearls.

For something borrowed the bride carried a white satin Bible which two friends, Mrs. H. L. Athipp, Jr., and Mrs. Verne A. Scott, Jr., had carried at their weddings, topped with a white orchid from which cascaded white satin ribbons. Her jewelry was a strand of pearls belonging to Miss Betty Middleton.

Miss Betty Middleton was maid of honor. She wore a bal-

lerina-length gown of lime covered by matching fitted stole. Her mitts and headress were of green net trimmed with pink rosebuds. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink gladioli and wore green opera pumps.

Nora Lynn Fox, niece of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a floor-length frock of pink marquisette over taffeta. Pink mitts and a pink net headress completed her costume. She carried a white basket filled with pastel rose petals. Candlelighter was Douglas Smith, brother of the bridegroom.

Douglas Mapes was best man. Ushers were Ben Parrish, Glen Rowell of Odessa, and Alvin Spreen.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents on Twelfth Street. In the receiving line were the bridal couple, their parents, and the bridegroom's grandmother, Mrs. L. N. Graham.

The bride's chosen colors, pink and green, were featured in decorations. The bride's table was linen laid and centered with an arrangement of pink carnations flanked by crystal candelabra in graduated height holding green candles. The three-tiered wedding cake, iced in white and decorated in

pink and green florals, was served by Mrs. T. L. Epting, and Mrs. W. C. Brown, of Lampasas, presided at the punch bowl. Others assisting in serving were Mrs. W. O. Middleton, Miss Jackie Droll, of Rowena, Miss Joan McCurdy and Miss Billie Herring. Registering guests was Mrs. Frank Barnett and Miss Grace Ann Bryan, of San Angelo, displayed wedding gifts.

For a wedding trip to South Texas, Mrs. Smith wore a wool suit of red gabardine with a shoulder cape trimmed with white pique. With this she wore white gloves and other accessories were navy. Her corsage was an orchid. On returning, the couple will be at home at 405 Twelfth Street.

Both bride and bridegroom are graduates of Ballinger High School. Mrs. Smith is employed in the office of Dr. L. L. Downing. Mr. Smith attended Odessa Junior College after serving three years in the navy.

Mrs. Bailey Reviews Book for Methodist W.S.C.S.

Mrs. J. W. Barr conducted an executive group meeting preceding the program of the Women's Society of Christian green net over taffeta with strapless shirred bodice and

Service of the First Methodist Church which was held in the church parlors on Tenth Street Monday afternoon.

Arrangements of salmon pink gladioli decorated rooms. After the song "How Firm a Foundation," was sung in unison, and the opening prayer by Mrs. W. R. Clark, the program leader, Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., presented the study, "The Family—A Christian's Concern." Mrs. Wylie Hearn, with her children assisting, brought the devotional, "A Daily Family Devotional," taken from the scripture reading from Isaiah.

Mrs. Nixon presented Mrs. Charles F. Bailey, who reviewed the book, "Doorway to a Happy Home," by Mrs. Clarence Hamilton, which was in keeping with the study program.

Others present were: Mmes. Felix Itz, George Beard, Lee Evans, J. C. Reese, Halton Laxson, John Loveless, Troy Simpson, Tom Crockett, Jack Scales, Tom McEntire, Ewing Holt, Joe Forman, George Newby, Sam Conner, C. P. Shepherd, T. J. Forney, W. E. Midgley, O. R. O'Neill, Grady Richards, Tom Epting, W. C. Witt, H. Hanson, A. O. Strother, W. O. Irby, Bill Hays, Henry Moody, and J. W. Guynes. Mrs. J. R. Cusenbury was a visitor.

Presbyterian Primary Group in Gorman Home Mrs. Mart Gorman was hostess to members of the primary department of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., and added guests last Thursday afternoon, entertaining in her home on Pou Avenue.

After party games and contests, cake squares topped with whipped cream and cherries were served with cold drinks. Favors were story books and puzzles. Present were: Jerry Cabiness, Mike and Ronny Wilson, Millie and Rex Stultz, Michael Gor-

man, Deanna Riley, Richard Wayne Paske, Jerry Hovorka, Ronny and Gale Hovorka, Rev. and Mrs. Alvin O. Rue, Mrs. L. F. Wilson and Mrs. John Hovorka assisted in entertaining the small guests. Paper clips at Ledger office.

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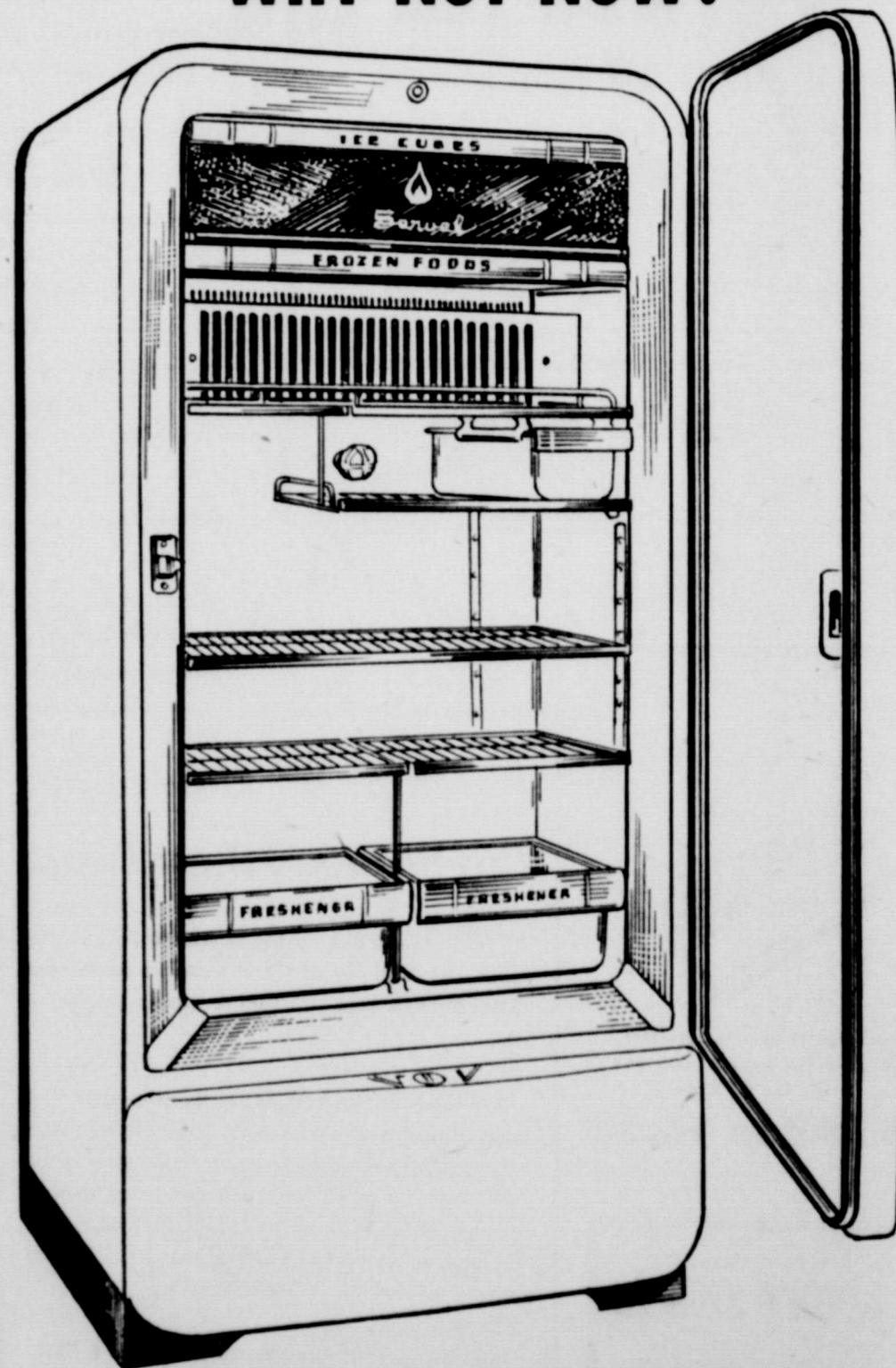


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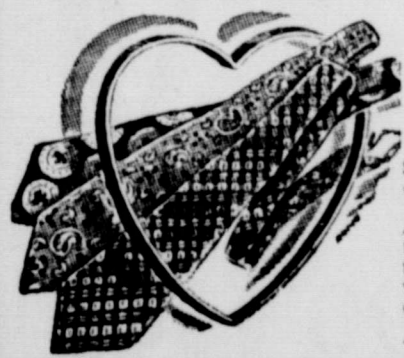
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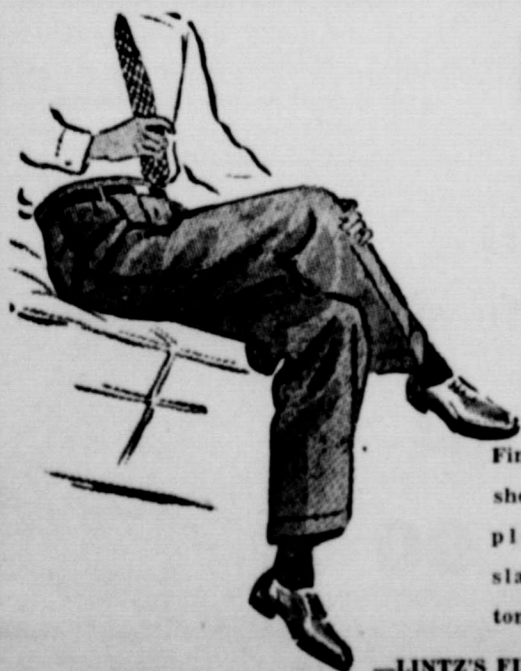
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TO B. W. Prewitt, B. W. Prewitt, J. W. Royall, B. W. Prewitt, J. C. Pruitt, and J. W. Royall, the unknown heirs of B. W. Prewitt, B. W. Prewitt, J. W. Royall, B. W. Prewitt, J. C. Pruitt, and J. C. Pruitt, each respectively deceased; and to all persons claiming any title or interest in land or lands under any of the following described deeds given to the respective persons hereinafter indicated, to-wit: (1) to B. W. Prewitt dated April 11, 1912, Vol. 88, page 110; (2) to B. W. Prewitt dated January 17, 1909, not recorded in any records; (3) deed of trust to J. W. Royall, dated August 27, 1915, recorded Vol. 15, page 387; deed of trust records, Runnels County, Texas, in the respective volumes and pages thereof hereinafter indicated, to-wit: (1) to B. W. Prewitt dated April 11, 1912, Vol. 88, page 110; (2) to B. W. Prewitt dated January 17, 1909, not recorded in any records; (3) deed of trust to J. W. Royall, dated August 27, 1915, recorded Vol. 15, page 387.

You are hereby commanded to appear and answer plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 25th day of February, A. D. 1952, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 29th day of January, 1952, the file number being No. 6048. The names of the parties to and in said suit are: T. G. Payne is plaintiff, and the defendants are B. W. Prewitt and the other persons to whom this writ is addressed and above named in this citation, and also The City of Winters, the Winters Independent School District, and The County of Runnels. The nature of said suit is substantially as follows: Suit in Trespass to try title filed by plaintiff against defendants to recover the title to and the possession of the following described lands situated in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit: Lots Nos. 9 and 10 in Block No. 9 of Dale West Addition to the City of Winters, in said county and state. Said suit also pleads the one year statute of limitation contained in Sec. 9 of Art. 7345b, Rev. Civil Statutes of Texas. The style of the suit is T. G. Payne vs. B. W. Prewitt et al. If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Given under my hand and seal of office, and issued, at my office at Ballinger, in Runnels County, Texas, this 29th day of January, 1952.

WILLIE STEPHENS

Bonzo, a five-year-old acting chimpanzee, now becomes a laugh threat to the popularity gained by Francis, the talking mule; and Harvey, the invisible rabbit, with his introductory appearance in the Universal comedy, "Bedtime for Bonzo," scheduled at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday. On the same bill is "Beyond the Pecos," western feature, starring Rod Cameron and "Fuzzy" Knight.

Bonzo matches his acting talents with Ronald Reagan, District Clerk, Runnels County, Texas, 31-4t

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TO: Ira H. Martin, GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's first amended original petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 25th day of February, A. D. 1952, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas.

Said plaintiff's first amended original petition was filed on the 11 day of January, 1952. The file number of said suit being No. 6024. The names of the parties in said suit are: Gervis M. Martin as Plaintiff, and Ira H. Martin as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit by said plaintiff against said defendant for divorce.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 12th day of January, A. D. 1952.

(Seal) WILLIE STEPHENS, Clerk, District Court, Runnels County, Texas, 17-4t

Too many people who won't stop at anything are behind the steering wheels of automobiles.

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Diana Lynn, Walter Slezak and Jesse White in "Bedtime for Bonzo."

Jane Russell, Groucho Marx and Frank Sinatra comprise the stellar cast of "Double Dynamite," RKO Radio's hilarious comedy about a girl whose young man doesn't dare spend a fortune which he has mysteriously acquired. The Horseshoe will present the first Ballinger showing of this feature Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, February 10, 11, 12. On the same program will be two cartoons.

Laughter-packed "Double Dynamite" also marshals Don McGuire, Howard Freeman and Nestor Paiva among the supporting players, with catchy song numbers written by Jule Styne and Sammy Cahn. Numerous amusing complications build to an uproarious climax.

The rousing days of pioneer

Texas, when the six-gun and marauding bandits wrote the law of "Fort Worth," are graphically described in the Warner Bros. Technicolor drama to be shown at the Horseshoe next Wednesday and Thursday, February 13, 14.

"Fort Worth" stars Randolph Scott, with David Brian and Phyllis Thaxter.

"Tomorrow is Another Day" is the second feature on the same bill. When an ex-convict tries to go straight and a dance-hall girl tries to do him wrong, there's bound to be a heap of trouble and action for both. Such is the story background for the Warner Bros. romantic drama which stars Ruth Roman and Steve Cochran.

In this offering Miss Roman appears briefly as a blonde to advance her portrayal of the taxi dancer who involves Cochran in a frame-up.

Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre

PAINT ROCK HIGHWAY
FRIDAY, SATURDAY
2 FEATURES

There's no business like **MONKEY BUSINESS!**

BEDTIME FOR BONZO

STARRING **RONALD REAGAN · DIANA LYNN**
WALTER SLEZAK · JESSE WHITE
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HE'S DYNAMITE WITH A '45'!

ROD CAMERON

BEYOND THE PECOS

with **FUZZY KNIGHT**
EDDIE DEW
JENNIFER HOLT · JACK INGRAM
and RAY WHITLEY and HIS BAR-6 COWBOYS

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY
3 BIG DAYS
FIRST RUN

Double Fun!
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Double Everything!

DOUBLE DYNAMITE!

starring **JANE RUSSELL · GROUCHO MARX**
FRANK SINATRA

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY
2 BIG PICTURES

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STEVE COCHRAN

Tomorrow Is Another Day

PRESENTED BY WARNER BROS.

RANDOLPH SCOTT
also starring **DAVID BRIAN**
PHYLLIS THAXTER
DIRECTED BY EDWIN L. MARIN

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Banks Announce Holiday
February 12
Ballinger banks will not be open for business on Tuesday.

February 12, Lincoln's Birthday
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Monday
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Girls' Basketball Play Slated Here Saturday

The Ballinger high school will be host to the district 9AA girls' basketball tournament here Saturday. Games are to be played in the high school gymnasium and the championship will be decided at 8:00 o'clock Saturday night.

Opening play at 10:30 a. m. will be a game between the Winters and Ballinger teams. The Lake View and Coleman teams will clash at 11:40 a. m.

The two winners in the morning round will meet for the championship at 8:00 p. m. and the two losers Saturday morning will play at 6:50 p. m. for third and fourth places.

The Lake View junior team will be here tonight for a contest with the Ballinger juniors. The Bearcat team will go to Coleman tomorrow for its final game of the conference season.

District 9AA for boys may end in a tie with several teams in the running for even honors. If there is a tie, the teams' coaches will meet in Ballinger Sunday to decide when and where games are to be played for the championship.

200 Young People Of Various Faiths At County Rally

Approximately 200 young people from various churches in Runnels county were present Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist Church to attend the county-wide youth rally. The meeting, part of a national effort, was planned by pastors of nearly all denominations. Bad weather kept some from attending but leaders were pleased with the response and the way in which the program was received.

Bob Shytle, of Winters, led the opening song service with James Everett at the organ. Miss Jean Parramore, of Winters, presided over the program, introducing each number.

Rev. Joseph Emery, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ballinger, brought a stirring message to the young people, taking for his theme the story of David and Goliath.

Dr. Anson T. Dewey, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., Winters, gave an explanation of the commitment and offering. Rev. Gerald Sharp, Methodist pastor at Drasco, gave a prayer, and Rev. C. D. Wooten offered the closing prayer.

At the conclusion of the service, young people assembled for a fellowship hour and refreshments in the church basement.

"SONNY" DAVENPORT GETS DEGREE AT HOWARD PAYNE

Curtis Wayne ("Sonny") Davenport graduated from Howard Payne College, Brownwood, at the end of the fall semester in January. He received his degree with a major in mathematics.

Davenport, an all-Texas conference football player for two years at Howard Payne, was the leading passer in the conference the past season. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Davenport, of Ballinger. He also was chosen for "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

Three Children Burn to Death In Winters Fires

Fires at Winters Saturday and Monday resulted in the deaths of three children and other members of two families are in the Winters hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Fred Ortegon is reported recovering from burns sustained Saturday when the three-room family home was destroyed. She succeeded in getting from the flaming house with her 3-months-old baby, but two other children, Fred Ortegon, Jr., 16 months; and Elmira, 3 years, were cut off and perished.

The three-room home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tagle was destroyed Monday. The parents led six children to safety, but noticed that Duis, 4, was missing. Tagle ran back into the burning house to find him, but when Mrs. Tagle and the other children tried to follow, the father had to carry them from the house. By that time the structure was completely in flames and the boy perished.

Rep. Sadler to Talk At Winters Meeting Of Region Firemen

The Winters fire department will be host to the regular meeting of the Hill Country Firemen's Association on February 12. The program has been perfected and delegations from all towns in the association are expected to attend.

State Representative Harley Sadler, of Abilene, will be the feature speaker on the afternoon program. The meeting will open at 9 a. m. The welcome will be extended by Mayor C. S. Jackson and the response will be by County Judge W. H. Rumpy.

At 11 a. m. the auxiliary of the Winters department will present a one-hour entertainment program. The auxiliary also will serve a luncheon in the basement of the First Baptist Church.

Highlighting the afternoon session will be the various races. A barbecue dinner will be served at the school cafeteria at night for all who register.

Delegations and racing teams are expected from Ballinger, Eden, Junction, Brady, Mason, Menard, Coleman, Miles, Santa Anna, Brownwood, Sonora, Ozona, Eldorado and San Angelo.

FRANKIE BERRYMAN SEEKS RE-ELECTION AS COUNTY CLERK

Frankie Berryman, incumbent, makes his announcement this week as candidate for reelection to the office of Runnels County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on July 26. He releases the following statement:

"To the voters of Runnels County: I take this means of announcing to the voters of Runnels County that I will be a candidate for reelection to the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

"I wish to take this opportunity to express my deep appreciation and thanks to the people of this county for their loyal cooperation and support in the past years. The cooperation that you have given makes it possible to serve you well and I realize that without your help it would have been impossible for me as well as my office personnel to serve you in the courteous and efficient manner we desire.

"In asking for another term in this office I do so with my past record open to the inspection of the public. I hope to see as many people as possible and personally solicit your support, but the duties of the office will make it impossible for me to devote all of my time to this campaign. Your consideration and if possible, your support and vote for another term as your county clerk, will be deeply appreciated."

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Posey attended a meeting at Eden Sunday prior to the Hill Country Firemen's Association convention to be held at Winters next Tuesday. The Eden meeting was for the purpose of completing final plans for the convention.

Our daughter is always ready for a swim, but complains that washing dishes ruins her hands.

RAMPY CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY JUDGE

W. H. Rumpy stated Monday that he would be a candidate for the office of county judge of Runnels county in the Democratic primaries this summer. He will submit a statement to the voters at a later date but in the meantime he wanted all to know that he would seek the office.

Mr. and Mrs. Rumpy will soon move into their new home on Fifth Street. Work is progressing well and will likely be completed this month.

SIX CASES HANDLED IN LOCAL COURTS

Six cases were heard the past week-end and this week in local courts and several fines were assessed.

Charles Edward Palmer entered a plea of guilty on a driving while intoxicated charge and was fined \$50 and costs.

Denver Watson pleaded guilty to a reckless driving charge in justice court and was fined \$38.50.

M. Leon Mayfield paid \$50 and costs on a DWI charge. Gusto Rosales was fined \$200 and costs on a charge of transporting liquor.

Bron L. Hines was fined \$25 and costs for driving a car without a license.

Madell Ralston, charged with driving while intoxicated, and involved in a wreck, was fined \$300 and costs.

The sheriff posted a notice of sale for a 1940 Chevrolet, which will be sold February 18.

CONNER MADE MANAGER MENARD W.T.U.C. OFFICE

R. L. Conner has been named manager of the West Texas Utilities Co. office at Menard and assumed charge last week.

Mr. Conner became associated with the company at Mason on October 7, 1941. After a period there he was sent to Junction and then moved to Ballinger with his family on March 1, 1946. While here he served in the capacity of district com-

mercial and residential refrigeration service and also had charge of air conditioning installation and maintenance.

Mrs. Conner and their three children will move to Menard in the near future.

Looks like everything that some people want to do is either illegal, immoral, or fattening.

WANT ADS

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FOR RENT—4 room unfurnished house EDWIN SMITH, 1305 Seventh Street. 1t-*

FOR RENT—Three room furnished ready for service, H. F. Tickle, phone 8550F13. 17-4*

FOR RENT—Unfurnished apartment, Mrs. C. J. Lynn, phone 7255. 1t

I am still sewing, children or grown, also alterations. Mrs. R. R. Holstead, South Ballinger. 7-1t-*

FOR SALE—Young Hereford bulls ready for service, H. F. Tickle, phone 8550F13. 17-4*

FOR SALE—Cyclone A and equipment, one-way, tandem disc, three Jennings chisels, A. W. Hoelscher, Rt. 1, Rowena. 7-1t-*

FOR SALE—Slightly used Kenmore electric range. Reasonably priced. 1200 Pou Ave. 7-11-*

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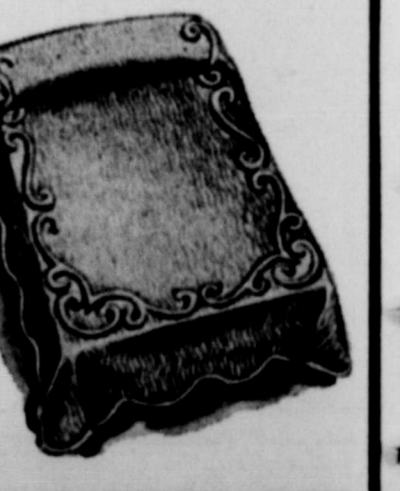
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SOCIETY

Civic-Garden Club to Install Officers Tuesday

The regular monthly meeting of the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club will be held at the club room at 4 o'clock Tuesday, February 12, at which time officers for 1952-53 will be installed.

Mrs. Chester Cherry, program leader, will be in charge of the program on Wild Flower Conservation and Restoration.

Music Club to Meet Tuesday in Giesecke Home

Mrs. Frank Pearce will be in charge of the regular February meeting of the Ballinger Music Club, to be held in the home of Mrs. Arthur Giesecke on Broadway next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Joel Bates and Mrs. R. T. Williams will present the program.

Miss Vorbeck Hostess to Sewing Club

Miss Mickey Vorbeck entertained members of the Sewing Club in her Ninth Street home at an all-day affair Wednesday. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon and the afternoon was spent in individual handwork.

Pal gifts were exchanged and names were drawn for secret pals. Refreshments were served in the afternoon. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Dewey Burk.

Those present were: Mmes. John Reese, J. V. Smith, Othell McCorsin, Paul Burk, Dewey Burk and Joe Beard.

Girl Scouts Talk International Friendship

International Friendship was discussed among members of Girl Scout Troop No. 5 in a regular meeting Monday afternoon at the Scout House. Mrs. Harold Mueller and Mrs. Alton Seidel, leaders, directed activities.

Plans were made for a hike next Monday.

Linda Lou Saylor was the hostess and served candy bars and cold drinks to: Nelda Jo Barnett, Paula Bishop, Maudie Lee Brookshier, Margaret Lou Campbell, Lucia Clark, Sharon Cook, Linda Crockett, Rosalie Jones, Dorothy Smith, Linda A. Wright, Linda Moncrief, Heddie Mae Herring and Pauline James.

Dorothy Smith will be hostess at the next meeting.

Wesleyan Guild Holds Regular Meeting

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church held its regular meeting Monday evening in the Doss Bible Class room at the church on Tenth Street.

After the opening song, "A Charge to Keep I Have," Mrs. Gertrude Woods presided for the business routine, during which the treasurer's report was given. The class voted to have a social at the meeting in March and members are urged to bring prospective members.

Mrs. Jack Pridgen was welcomed as a new member. Mrs. A. M. Smith was program leader. Mrs. Lee Parks brought the devotional from the book of Philippians, and Mrs. Troy Simpson gave the lesson on "Trouble Spots Around the World." The program was concluded with the love offering.

Eleven members were in attendance.

SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Calton Smith was hostess to fifteen members of the South Ballinger home demonstration club, entertaining in her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Smith directed the business after Mrs. Joe Thomas read the club collect and prayer. Roll call was answered by giving "Some task I have simplified." Club Recommendations were given to committee chairmen, the names were read, voted upon and approved.

A skit, "Personality Grows," on the order of a radio program was presented by Mrs. Tom Crockett and Mrs. Newman Smith, which was followed by a quiz contest.

The hostess served cake and coffee to members and one visitor, Mrs. Imogene Walters.

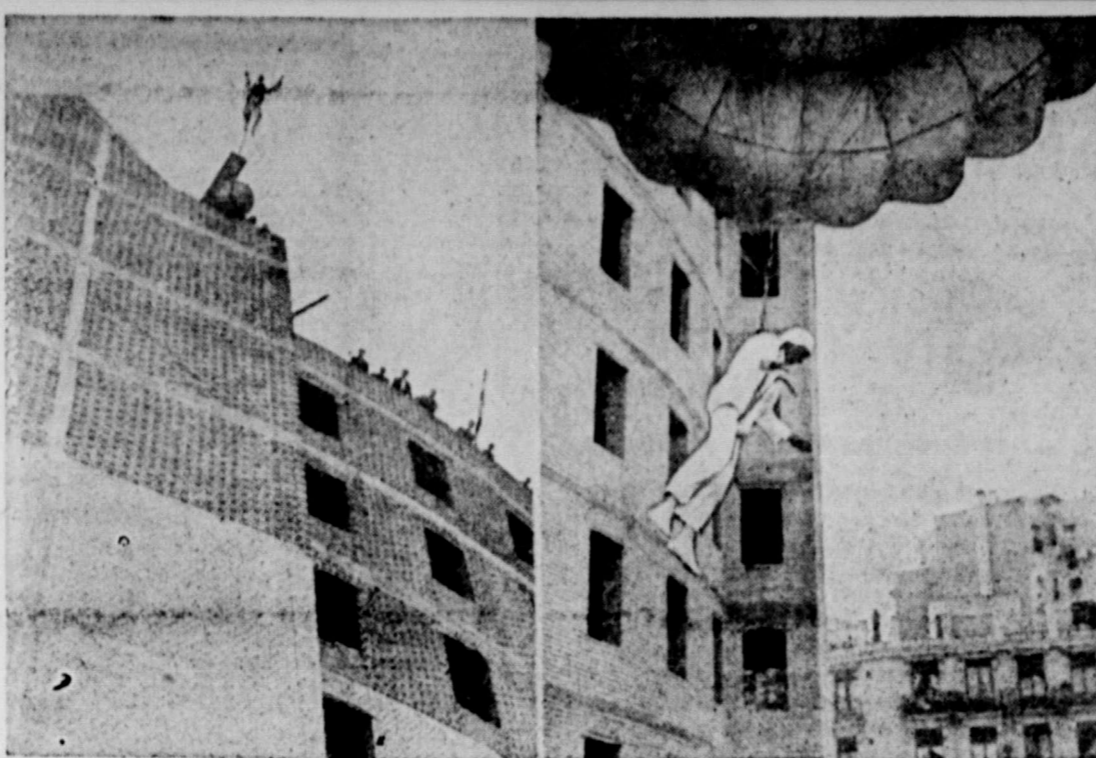
The next regular meeting will be an all-day quilting party held in the home of Mrs. Austin Williams on February 19. At noon a covered dish luncheon will be served. The business period will be held in the afternoon.

OWEN TEXACO STATION PURCHASED BY HEATH

Bob Owen has sold his Texaco station on Hutchings Avenue to Franklin Heath. Mr. Heath has assumed charge and complete statements and opening ads will be published next week.

BOWDENS ATTEND RELATIVE'S FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bowden returned Wednesday night from Pecos, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Bowden's brother, Jack Malone, yesterday morning. Mr. Malone died following a heart attack at his home.



NEW SPANISH CUSTOM . . . A senior who likes to play with gravity is Julian Zamarrigo, a 37 year-old Madrieno, whom you see here giving his latest performance. At left, Julian is just taking off from the top of a building under construction in Madrid. At right, he's getting ready to land after drifting down from the building by a parachute. Daredevil Julian has made a total of 86 jumps by parachute from airplanes, and this was his 65th from a building. Julian landed in the middle of a curious crowd that had gathered in the street in Madrid to look at his strange hobby.

13 New Members Received by Lions During Campaign

The Ballinger Lions Club concluded its 1952 membership campaign Friday. Alvin Holbrook, chairman, reporting 13 new members added in January. This brings the total membership to about 140 to start the new year. Several other prospects are expected to join within the next few weeks.

Jerry Hampton, tall twister, revealed that all fines and contributions would go to the March of Dimes and at the end of the program \$52.46 had been given by the members.

Mr. and Mrs. John Purifoy, Mr. and Mrs. George Newby and Mr. and Mrs. Gay Edwards attended the "ladies night" program of the Coleman club last Thursday.

R. Rivers Mizell was speaker for the program Friday, telling of land titles and abstract work in Texas. The speaker explained the origin of titles in Texas, when it first belonged to Spain, then Mexico, later the Republic of Texas and finally the United States, tidelands and all.

Mr. Mizell has served in the land title and tax divisions of two major oil companies and is well informed on Texas acreage titles.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Bell and Miss Carol Ann Bailey visited Glen Chapman and Roland Bell, students at Schreiner Institute, Kerrville, Sunday.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

- Mrs. Jack Nixon, Sr., surgical, Tuesday
- Melinda Mason, medical, last Thursday
- Mrs. Josephine Stallings, medical, Friday
- Frankie Corder, surgical, last Thursday
- Alta McKenzie, medical, Friday
- Sherrell McKenzie, medical, Friday
- Mrs. A. J. Thorp, medical, Tuesday
- Mrs. Iva Lee Horton, Norton, surgical, Monday
- Mrs. G. J. Smith, medical, Sunday
- Jimmy Crawford, medical, Saturday
- Mrs. Eva Wilson, medical, Sunday

Births recorded at the clinic the past week were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gilliam, a son, Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. June Milo, a daughter, Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bill Evans, a son, born Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lange, Norton, a son, Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Drake, a daughter, Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Parrish, a son, Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eggenmeyer, Miles, a daughter, Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. David, a daughter, Wednesday

Patients receiving treatment include:

- August Lange, Rowena, medical
- Mrs. E. C. Pape, medical
- Mrs. L. Daniels, Norton, medical
- Mrs. Hurlin Lee, Bronte, surgical
- E. A. Grimes, medical
- Miss Elverie Sorrels, surgical
- Mrs. Sallie Skaggs, medical
- Mrs. Wesley Wood, surgical
- Mrs. Elma White, Paint Rock, medical
- Marshall Northington, surgical
- D. B. Camp, Jr., Bronte, medical
- Willie Faye Hendricks, medical

CHURCH ANNOUNCES CHANGES IN SERVICES

Following is the new order of services at the Eighth Street and Bonsal Avenue Church of Christ:

- Sunday: Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching services, 11:35 a. m. Communion services, 11:35 p. m. Young people's meeting, 6:45 p. m. Services, 7:30 p. m.
- Monday: Ladies' Bible class, 4:00 p. m.
- Wednesday: Bible study, 7:30 p. m. Devotional services, 8:00 p. m.

John L. Davis, minister, invites the public to attend all these services.

Douglas Black has accepted a position with the Lintz Department Store and began work there Monday morning. For the past several years he had been associated with the Ballinger Dry Goods Co.

DEATHS

Mrs. J. W. Adams

Mrs. J. W. Adams, 65, Winters resident for the past 48 years, died in the Winters hospital Sunday morning following protracted ill health.

Decedent moved to Texas with her parents when she was 18 years of age. She was married to Mr. Adams at Winters in 1904 and during her lifetime was very active in affairs of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church of Winters Monday afternoon, the pastor, Rev. Bruce Weaver, and Rev. T. B. Granger, of Georgetown, officiating. Interment followed in Lakeview Cemetery.

Survivors besides the husband include three sons, Floyd, J. W., Jr., and Vernon, all of Winters; two daughters, Mrs. J. E. Hill and Miss Alice Adams, Winters; two brothers, C. F. Davis, Tahoka; R. D. Davis, Alice; three sisters, Mrs. J. E. Enes, Lamesa; Mrs. E. L. Rushing, Tecumseh, Oklahoma, and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry, Loraine.

SCHOOL MUSICIANS AT MINERAL WELLS

Miss Nelda Key, teacher of public school music in the Ballinger high school, left Wednesday for Mineral Wells to attend the state meeting of choral clubs. She was accompanied by Clydelie Wilkins, Nelda Faubion and Wanda Smith, three students who have been invited to sing with the all-state chorus at the Saturday program in Mineral Wells.

SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICIAL WILL BE HERE TUESDAY

A representative of the social security administration will be at the Ballinger post office at 9:00 a. m. Tuesday, February 12, to talk to anyone with special questions on social security.

Wage earners and self-employed people who plan to retire this year under the social security act are urged to get in touch with the field office at once to learn their exact rating before retirement.

Those who retire before July 1, 1952, will not qualify for the maximum benefits, except in rare cases. Only in a few instances can the maximum of \$80 be paid before January 1, 1953. That is the main reason why those planning retirement should learn just where they stand before stopping work.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allamon and little daughter, Linda, have returned to their home at Atlanta, Georgia, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allamon. They also visited his sister, Mrs. Howard Weiburn, and family, at Waco.

SERVING UNCLE SAM

Word was received this week by Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sykes that their son, Lt. Bob Sykes, landed at Mannheim, Germany, on February 4. He is with the 59th field artillery.

Cpl. Neil Byers, with the 194th combat engineers battalion, returned home last Thursday after one year in foreign service, eleven months of which was served in Korea. He is the son of Mrs. Bill Watkins.

Morris F. Wood, fireman apprentice, navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall F. Wood of Ballinger, is serving aboard the landing ship dock, U.S.S. Gunston Hall, operating with the American blockading and escort force off the coast of Korea. Landing ship docks carry smaller craft to landing areas by flooding their internal dock area and opening a stern gate. They also are used as dry docks for repairing smaller vessels.



EXIT SMILING . . . Gambler Frank Castello waves as he enters a taxi at federal court building in New York City after the jury deliberating his contempt of congress trial announced it could not agree on a verdict and was discharged. There will be a new trial.



LITVINOV DEAD . . . Maxim Litvinov, last of the "old Bolsheviks" (except Stalin), is dead at 75. He was Russia's first ambassador to the U.S. after the recognition and was regarded as the guiding light of the recognition.

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SGT. HARMON HERE TO SEEK RECRUITS

T-Sgt. Jack Harmon, marine recruiter, is here today to interview a number of prospects. He is making Ballinger regularly on his schedule in this section of Texas.

BIRTHS

Announcements have been received by friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cotton, of Sweetwater, of the birth of a daughter on January 5. Mr. and Mrs. Cotton formerly lived here.

Before you decide to go around with a married woman, be sure you can go two rounds with her husband.

Driving with one arm around the girl friend is sure to end in a church ceremony—either a wedding or a funeral.

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For County Judge: W. H. RAMPY
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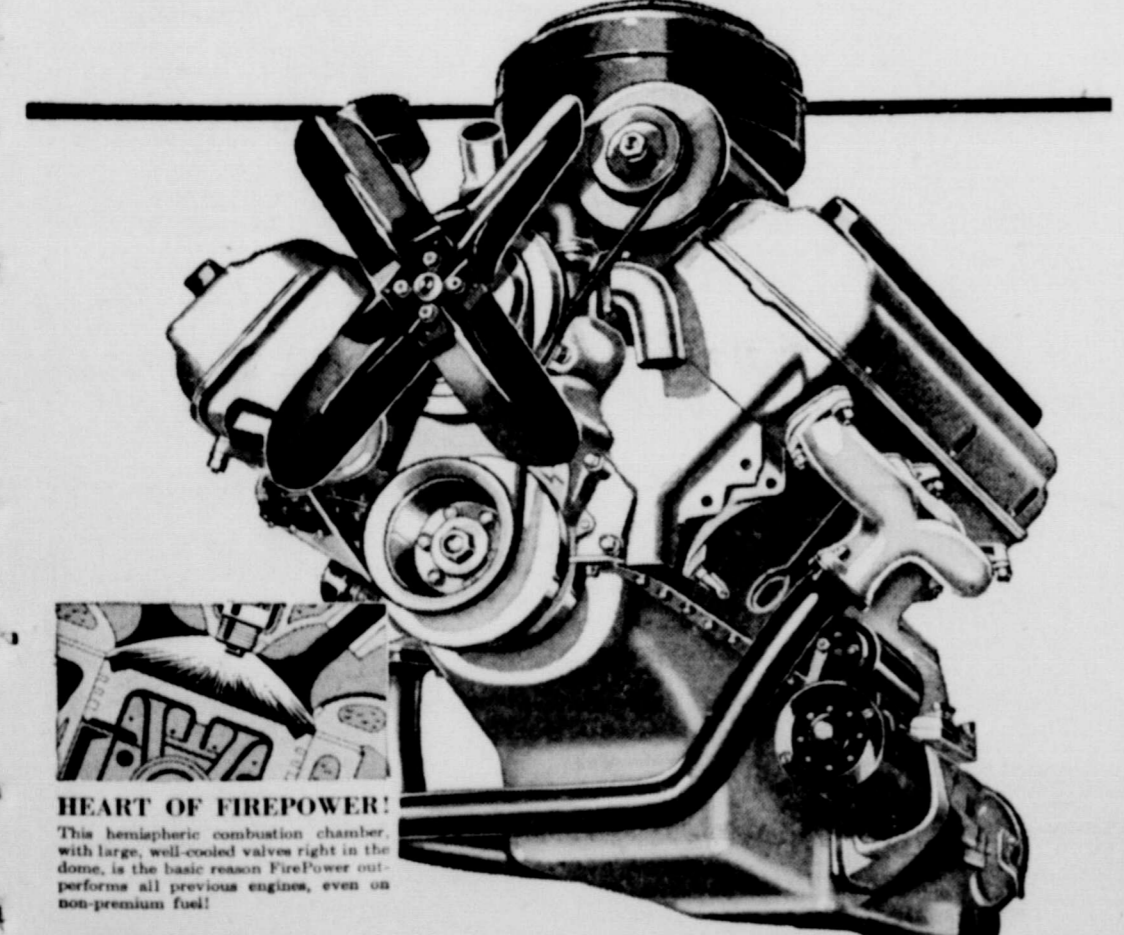
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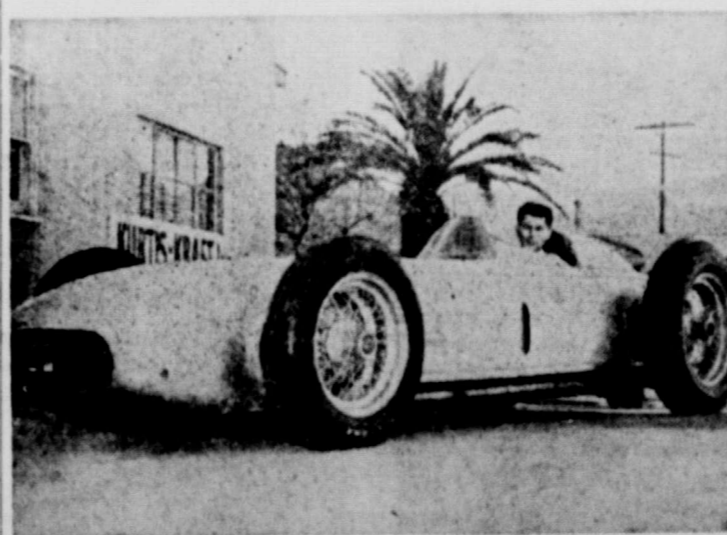
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Pal gifts were exchanged and names were drawn for the next three-month period. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Dewey Burk.

Refreshments were served just before the meeting was adjourned in the afternoon.

Miss Burke, James Read Wed at Victoria

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Betty Ann Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Storm, of Victoria, and James Read, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Read, of Ballinger.

Vows were exchanged on January 20 in the Lutheran Church of Victoria.

A graduate of San Jacinto High School, the bride is a junior student at Austin College, Sherman. Mr. Read, graduate of Ballinger High School, is now a student at Austin College.

The couple will live in Victoria after completion of their school work.

Fancy-Doers Have Twirp Dance

As an informal get-together, members of Fancy-Doers entertained their dates and a number of college students who were home between semesters with a Twirp Dance last Saturday evening in the Recreation Hall on Fifth Street.

The hall decorations were green and white crepe paper streamers festooned from the ceiling. Cold drinks were served. Chaperons for the occasion were the group's sponsors, Mrs. O. L. Hart and Mrs. Hal Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sweeney, Mr. Hart, Mr. Yoder and Mrs. Herman Rountree.

About 30 couples attended the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith Host Rehearsal Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith, parents of the bridegroom, were hosts at the rehearsal dinner Friday evening for the Fox-Smith wedding party in their home on Fourteenth Street.

Pink carnations were used to center the dining table and the buffet, where the menu was served.

Miss Fox and Mr. Smith presented gifts to their attendants.

Present were: the wedding party, parents of the couple, the Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hambrick and Miss Clara Hill.

Pamela Dean is Party Honoree

Honoring Pamela Dean on her ninth birthday anniversary, Mrs. Oran J. Dean entertained her daughter with a party in the Girl Scout Home on Fifth Street Thursday afternoon, including members of Brownie Troop No. 3.

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mint hearts in Valentine cups and chocolate candy hearts.

Games were played and gifts opened. Others besides the honoree were: Joyce Branham, Diane Beaver, Dona Atkins, Mary Frances Calvert, Martha Grant, Kay Dodson, Frances Dankworth, Nancy Hambrick, Nancy Lightfoot, Joan Morris, Ann Ransbarger, Linda Simco, Suzie McDonald and Linda Tuckey.

The members of the adult Training Union of the Seventh Street Baptist Church met Fri-

day evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crenshaw for a fellowship gathering.

After a series of games, refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, cocoa, pie and cake were served to: Messrs. and Mmes. A. L. Vinson, A. N. Wiley and Patricia, N. L. Stevens, E. V. Brooks and Marie, Roy Collins and Louise, Joinnie Jones, H. T. Montgomery, W. C. Dodson, Louis Walden and children, J. D. Moon, C. L. Crenshaw and Mrs. Martha Mize, of New Braunfels.

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Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Jacob



MEET GRANDFATHER . . . This is the first picture showing Susan Eileen Eisenhower, born Dec. 31, 1951, at Fort Knox, Ky., to Major and Mrs. John Eisenhower. The major is the son of General Dwight D. Eisenhower, supreme commander of the Atlantic pact forces who recently agreed to accept a Republican draft for the presidency of the United States. Here, the newcomer is introduced to Grandfather Ike, who beams from a portrait on the wall. Susan is held by her mother.



NINA WARREN TRIES HULA . . . Governor Earl Warren's daughter Nina "Honeybear," who recently conquered a serious attack of polio, got her first hula lesson from Dancette and Kaleinani Poepe, immediately after she stepped from the airplane which brought her and her parents to Honolulu from California. Her dad, California's governor and a candidate for the presidential nomination, was slated to be keynote speaker at the Pacific travel area conference.

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 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO: Prince Allen (Bud) Turner—GREETING:
 You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being

Monday the 24th day of March, A. D. 1952, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas.
 Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 1st day of November, 1951. The file number of said suit being No. 6009. The names of the parties in said

suit are: Thelma Ann Turner as Plaintiff, and Prince Allen (Bud) Turner as Defendant.
 The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit by plaintiff Thelma Ann Turner against defendant Prince Allen (Bud) Turner, in which plaintiff seeks judgment against said defendant for divorce and dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing

between them. That plaintiff have the care and custody of minor child; and that defendant be required to contribute a reasonable sum each month for the support of said minor child.
 If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
 Issued this the 5th day of February, A. D. 1952.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this the 5th day of February, A. D. 1952.
WILLIE STEPHENS, Clerk
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drilling obligation attached, of the following described lands and premises belonging to the Ballinger Independent School District, of Ballinger, Texas, for a period of five years; notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by said board of trustees, incorporating the conditions therein required and authorized on the following described real estate, to-wit:
 All of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 3 of the Lankford addition to the City of Ballinger.
 Bids must be in the office of the secretary of the Ballinger School Board not later than February 25, 1952, at which time said bids will be opened. The board of trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
C. A. BISSETT, President
 Ballinger School Board. 7-3t

STEPHENS OFFERS NAME FOR DISTRICT CLERK: THANKS FOR SUPPORT
 To the Citizens of Runnels County:
 In submitting my name for re-election to the office of District Clerk, subject to the Democratic primaries, first I would offer my thanks to you for the privilege of serving as your District Clerk.
 Since having some experience and being more familiar with the duties of the office, I am better prepared to render more efficient service in the future. If elected I have one promise to make: I will continue to care for the office in the way it should be.
 As there is no one in the office when I am away, it will be impossible to care for the duties of the office and see each of you personally, so please accept this as a personal solicitation.
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 Sincerely yours,
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SAILER IN TROUBLE . . . Somewhere in the North Sea off England, according to S.O.S. messages this sailing ship, the *Famir*, a West German craft was in serious trouble in heavy waters. The struggling vessel carries 75 men and passengers, including 40 who are merchant marine cadets. They are receiving their naval training, part of which must be the handling of this old type of ship. Tugboats were dispatched to the aid of the vessel which sent word it was at the mercy of the wind and the waves and near foundering. There was no word whether or not any of the men aboard had taken to the lifeboats.



TIME OUT FOR SOCIAL EVENING . . . Top statesmen of Great Britain and the United States take time out aboard President Truman's yacht, "Williamsburg," for a social evening before launching their formal discussions of world problems. This was during the visit of Prime Minister Winston Churchill and British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden to the United States. In this informal gathering are (left to right): Eden, United States Secretary of State Dean Acheson, President Truman and Prime Minister Churchill. The next day the men settled down to the more serious business of world crisis.

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Sewing Club Meets in Vorbeck Home

Members of a sewing club met on January 24 in the home of Miss Mickey Vorbeck. Each member brought a covered dish for the all-day program, the food being served at the noon hour.

Enjoying the luncheon and other activities were: Mmes. J. V. Smith, John Reese, Othell McCorstin, Paul Burk, Dewey Burk, Joe Beard, and the hostess.

Fal gifts were exchanged and names were drawn for the next three-month period. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Dewey Burk.

Refreshments were served just before the meeting was adjourned in the afternoon.

Miss Burke, James Read Wed at Victoria

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Betty Ann Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Storm, of Victoria, and James Read, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Read, of Ballinger.

Vows were exchanged on January 20 in the Lutheran Church of Victoria.

A graduate of San Jacinto High School, the bride is a junior student at Austin College, Sherman. Mr. Read, graduate of Ballinger High School, is now a student at Austin College.

The couple will live in Victoria after completion of their school work.

Fancy-Doers Have Twirp Dance

As an informal get-together, members of Fancy-Doers entertained their dates and a number of college students who were home between semesters with a Twirp Dance last Saturday evening in the Recreation Hall on Fifth Street.

The hall decorations were green and white crepe paper streamers festooned from the ceiling. Cold drinks were served. Chaperons for the occasion were the group's sponsors, Mrs. O. L. Hart and Mrs. Hal Yoder, and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sweeney, Mr. Hart, Mr. Yoder and Mrs. Herman Rountree.

About 30 couples attended the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith Host Rehearsal Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith, parents of the bridegroom, were hosts at the rehearsal dinner Friday evening for the Fox-Smith wedding party in their home on Fourteenth Street.

Pink carnations were used to center the dining table and the buffet, where the menu was served.

Miss Fox and Mr. Smith presented gifts to their attendants. Present were: the wedding party, parents of the couple, the Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hambrick and Miss Clara Hill.

Pamela Dean is Party Honoree

Honoring Pamela Dean on her ninth birthday anniversary, Mrs. Oran J. Dean entertained her daughter with a party in the Girl Scout Home on Fifth Street Thursday afternoon, including members of Brownie Troop No. 3.

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mint hearts in Valentine cups and chocolate candy hearts. Games were played and gifts opened. Others besides the honoree were: Joyce Branham, Diane Beaver, Dona Atkins, Mary Frances Calvert, Martha Grant, Kay Dodson, Frances Dankworth, Nancy Hambrick, Nancy Lightfoot, Joan Morris, Ann Ransbarger, Linda Simco, Suzie McDonald and Linda Tuckey.

day evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crenshaw for a fellowship gathering. After a series of games, refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, cocoa, pie and cake were served to: Messrs. and Mmes. A. L. Vinson, A. N. Wiley and Patricia, N. L. Stevens, E. V. Brooks and Marie, Roy Collins and Louise, Johnnie Jones, H. T. Montgomery, W. C. Dodson, Louis Walden and children, J. D. Moon, C. L. Crenshaw and children, and Mrs. Martha Mize, of New Braunfels.

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MEET GRANDFATHER . . . This is the first picture showing Susan Eileen Eisenhower, born Dec. 31, 1951, at Fort Knox, Ky., to Major and Mrs. John Eisenhower. The major is the son of General Dwight D. Eisenhower, supreme commander of the Atlantic pact forces who recently agreed to accept a Republican draft for the presidency of the United States. Here, the newcomer is introduced to Grandfather Ike, who beams from a portrait on the wall. Susan is held by her mother.



NINA WARREN TRIES HULA . . . Governor Earl Warren's daughter Nina "Honeybear," who recently conquered a serious attack of polio, got her first hula lesson from Danette and Kaleinani Poepe, immediately after she stepped from the airplane which brought her and her parents to Honolulu from California. Her dad, California's governor and a candidate for the presidential nomination, was slated to be keynote speaker at the Pacific travel area conference.

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Monday the 24th day of March, A. D. 1952, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 1st day of November, 1951. The file number of said suit being No. 6009. The names of the parties in said

suit are: Thelma Ann Turner as Plaintiff, and Prince Allen (Bud) Turner as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit by plaintiff Thelma Ann Turner against defendant Prince Allen (Bud) Turner, in which plaintiff seeks judgment against said defendant for divorce and dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing

between them. That plaintiff have the care and custody of minor child; and that defendant be required to contribute a reasonable sum each month for the support of said minor child.
 Issued this the 5th day of February, A. D. 1952.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 5th day of February, A. D. 1952.
WILLIE STEPHENS, Clerk
 District Court, Runnels County, Texas. 7-41

drilling obligation attached of the following described lands and premises belonging to the Ballinger Independent School District of Ballinger, Texas, for a period of five years; notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by said board of trustees, incorporating the conditions therein required and authorized on the following described real estate, to-wit:
 All of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 3 of the Lankford addition to the City of Ballinger.
 Bids must be in the office of the secretary of the Ballinger School Board not later than February 25, 1952, at which time said bids will be opened. The board of trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
C. A. BISSETT, President
 Ballinger School Board 7-31

STEPHENS OFFERS NAME FOR DISTRICT CLERK; THANKS FOR SUPPORT
 To the Citizens of Runnels County:
 In submitting my name for re-election to the office of District Clerk, subject to the Democratic primaries, first I would offer my thanks to you for the privilege of serving as your District Clerk.
 Since having some experience and being more familiar with the duties of the office, I am better prepared to render more efficient service in the future. If elected I have one promise to make, I will continue to care for the office in the way it should be.
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 You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 17th day of March, A. D. 1952, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 24 day of October, 1951. The file number of said suit being No. 6004. The names of the parties in said suit are: I. W. Colie as Plaintiff, and Thelma L. Colie, as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit by plaintiff I. W. Colie against defendant Thelma L. Colie, in which plaintiff seeks judgment against said defendant for divorce and dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between them; that the Court make an equitable and just partition of the community property.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
 Issued this the 31st day of January, A. D. 1952.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this the 31st day of January, A. D. 1952.
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WILLIE STEPHENS, Clerk
 District Court, Runnels County, Texas. 7-41

Notice of Lease
 By virtue of a resolution passed by the board of trustees of the Ballinger Independent School District of Ballinger, Texas, on February 5, 1952, authorizing the lease for oil, gas and other minerals, with

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Original Letters of Executorship upon the estate of W. B. Halley, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned on the 18 day of January, A. D. 1952, by the County Court of Runnels County, Texas.
 All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law.
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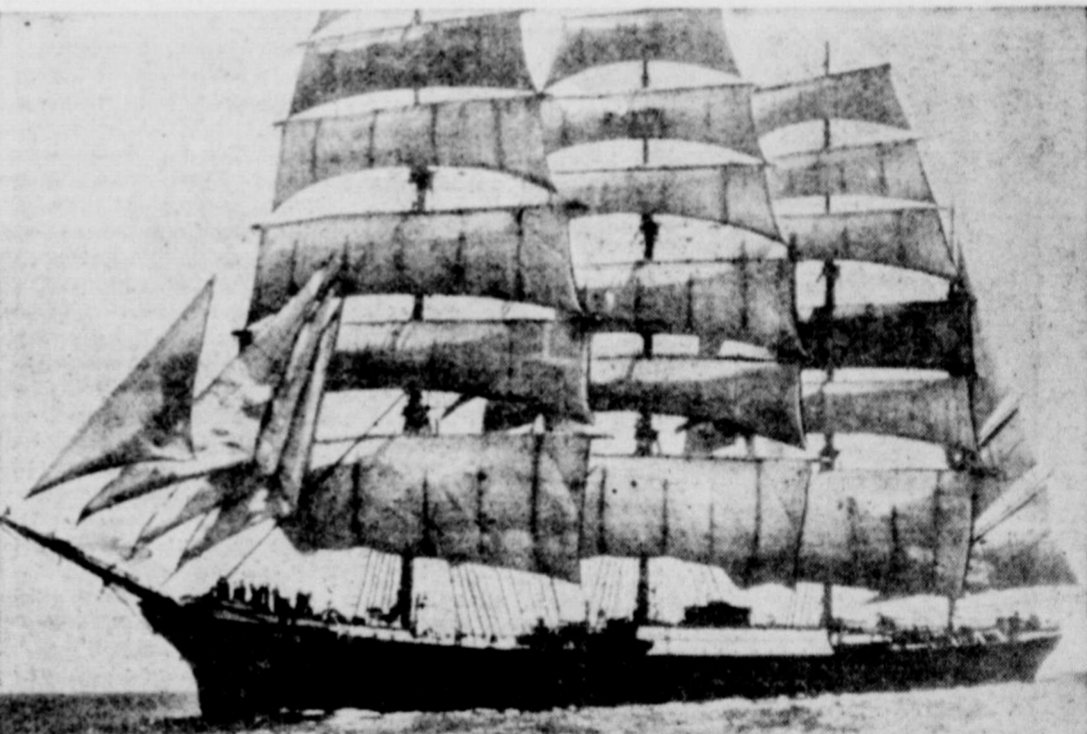
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TIME OUT FOR SOCIAL EVENING . . . Ten statesmen of Great Britain and the United States take time out aboard President Truman's yacht, "Williamsburg," for a social evening before launching their formal discussions of world problems. This was during the visit of Prime Minister Winston Churchill and British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden to the United States. In this informal gathering are (left to right): Eden, United States Secretary of State Dean Acheson, President Truman and Prime Minister Churchill. The next day the men settled down to the more serious business of world crisis.

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Miss Berry Weds L. K. Lankford
In a candlelight ceremony performed at four o'clock Sunday afternoon, Miss Barbara Berry became the bride of L. K. Lankford, Jr. Buster Mullin, minister of the Ninth Street Church of Christ, read the double-ring ceremony in the First Christian Church on Broadway.
The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berry, of Brady, and Mr. Lankford's parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. K.



HE WAVED GOODBYE TO FREEDOM... Detective Frank Farrel phones for pie wagon while Detective Arthur Damick holds gun on Joseph Riccardi in New York apartment. They saw Riccardi, carrying a fur coat and a radio, leave the apartment. He saw them too, and, as a ruse, turned to wave goodbye to someone in the apartment. There was no one inside. The detectives said Riccardi took furs, radio and jewelry from the apartment to the value of \$1,000.

MASTERSPIECE RETURNED... This war-damaged early 18th century painting of the assumption of the Virgin has been returned by this country to the monastery of Monte Cassino, Italy. It was discovered among the rubble of World War II by a German soldier and still bears the mark of the siege of Monte Cassino. The German took it to Austria, where it was found by the invading Americans. Our state department returned it, via the Italian consul at Munich.

Lankford, Sr. of San Angelo. Standard baskets holding salmon pink gladioli against a background of ferns and palms formed the setting which was lighted by burning white tapers in seven-branched candelabra. Pews were marked with white satin ribbons.

Mrs. E. H. Crawford, organist, presented a program of pre-nuptial music as guests assembled. She also played the traditional wedding marches.

Mrs. Buck Sanders served her cousin as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Charlotte Berry, of Sterling City, cousin of the bride, and Miss Margie Bartz, of San Angelo.

The attendants wore ballerina-length gowns styled similarly, fashioned of taffeta in winter shades of gold, dusty rose and fuchsia. The necklines were of deep V design. The bodice was snug fitted and the skirts were full. They wore waist-length veils the same shade of the dresses. Their bouquets were of baby gladioli of harmonizing colors.

The bride entered with her father, by whom she was given in marriage. She wore an original gown of satin designed and made by her mother, fashioned with a deep yoke of Chantilly lace. Small self-covered buttons

extended down the back of the fitted bodice, and the sleeves were long, ending in points to the wrists. Matching lace panels extended to the hemline at each side of the ballerina-length skirt. Her lengthy veil of illusion was caught to a tiara embossed with satin-covered scrolls. Her only ornament was a brooch belonging to her aunt, Mrs. Herbert Cotton, and for something borrowed she carried a white Bible belonging to Miss Tenny English, of San Angelo, topped with a white orchid showered with narrow satin ribbon.

Paula Scott, of San Angelo, cousin of the bridegroom, and David Berry, brother of the bride, were the candlelighters. Travis Lankford, of Snyder, served his cousin as best man. Ushers were Ferrell Humphrey and Don Modelling, both of San Angelo.

The reception, following the ceremony, was held in the church parlors. Guests were received by the bridal couple and their parents, and Mrs.

Herbert Cotton, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Christel Pursell, of San Angelo, cousin of the bride.

Baskets of pink gladioli were used for decorations. The bride's table was centered with a cascade arrangement of white carnations flanked by single crystal holders with white tapers. The four-tiered wedding cake, made by the bride's mother, was frosted in white. Pink rosebuds were interspersed with loops of pink icing in festoons on the cake, and topped by a bridal couple standing under an arch entwined with lily of the valley, love birds and a wedding bell. Misses Evelyn and Joan Sites, of San Angelo, served the cake and laded punch. Mrs. Ferrell Humphrey registered guests in the bride's book.

Leaving on a wedding trip, Mrs. Lankford wore a spring dress of gold with black velvet ribbon and rhinestone trim, with black accessories. She pinned a white orchid corsage at the shoulder.

The couple will live in San Diego, California, where the bridegroom is stationed in the navy. Mrs. Lankford attended Ballinger and Kerrville schools, and is a graduate of Abilene Christian Academy. She also attended Tarleton State College at Stephenville, and has been employed by the San Angelo Telephone Co. the past year.

Mr. Lankford attended San Angelo Junior College after graduating from San Angelo High School. He has been in the navy for three and one-half years, of which 16 months was spent in Korea.

Out-of-town wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Coughenour and daughter, Cathey, of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Engelman and Mrs. Carrie Goodman, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Berry, of Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. Musgrave and family, of Abilene; Mrs. D. L. Shelton, of Amarillo.

Gift Tea in Bowden Home Compliments Miss Bigby

The first of a pre-nuptial party series for Miss Evelyn

Bigby, bride-elect of Glen Miller, of Eastland, was a tea Saturday afternoon. The party was given at the home of Mrs. L. M. Bowden on Sixth Street, with her daughter, Mrs. Dave Coslett, of San Angelo, as co-hostess.

Miss Bigby will marry on February 16 in the First Methodist Church.

The bride-elect's chosen colors of yellow and blue were used in decorations, blue iris, yellow acacia and narcissus being used in the living room, where Mrs. Bowden greeted guests and presented the honoree and her mother, Mrs. W. N. Bigby. Others in the receiving line were Mrs. R. F. Miller, mother of the prospective bridegroom, and Miss Carolyn Bigby, sister of the bride-to-be.

The tea table, laid with a white organdy cloth outlined with floor-length ruffles, was centered with a reflected arrangement of blue irises and acacias. Mrs. Oran Bigby, aunt of the honoree, and Miss Margaret Korenek, of San Angelo, presided at the silver coffee service. Miss Gale Hays, cousin of Miss Bigby, and Miss Betty Parrish, of San Angelo, served cake squares led in blue and decorated with yellow floral designs. Others assisting in serving were Mrs. Marion Hays, Misses Carol Ann Bailey and Barbara Stuart. Crystal appointments, as well as silver, were used.

Mrs. Lee Puckett, of Abilene, sister of the bridegroom-to-be,

registered guests in the bride's book, and gifts were displayed by Mrs. M. D. St. John Adieus were spoken by Mrs. O. R. O'Neill.

A musical program was given by Miss Lucile Phillips, of San Angelo, during the calling hours between 3:30 and 5:30 o'clock.

Out-of-town guests included among the 125 attending the tea were: Mrs. J. C. Stephens, Mrs. M. D. Worsham, San Angelo; Mmes. P. M. Davis, W. J. Davis, Riley Marks, Lillie Marks, Ernest Marks, R. G. Marks and Frank Johnson, all of Winters; Mrs. S. K. Shelburne and Mrs. Nell Stewart, of Norton.

Miss Bigby returned Sunday to Eastland, where she is employed as assistant county home demonstration agent. She will be feted at several pre-nuptial affairs at Eastland this week.

V. F. W. REGULAR MEETING SCHEDULED THIS EVENING

The Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold a regular meeting at the city hall this evening and all members are urged to be present. This will be the last meeting where new members may join and their names will appear on the charter.

The meeting will start at 8 p. m.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Boelsche returned the past week-end from Dallas, where they attended a meeting of the Texas Dental Association.

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This unusual drama tells the story of a visitor from another planet and a giant robot who threaten earth with destruction.

Featured in the cast are Michael Rennie, Patricia Neal and Hugh Marlowe, with Sam Jaffe, Billy Gray, Frances Bavier and Lock Martin in important parts.

Back in 1880 it was considered an insult to receive a typed letter. The recipient's attitude was "I can read ritin'!"

To be screened at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday are two full-length features, "Kentucky Jubilee," with Jerry Calonna, Jean Porter and James Ellison in the top roles; and "Three Desperate Men," starring Preston Foster, Virginia Grey and Jim Davis.

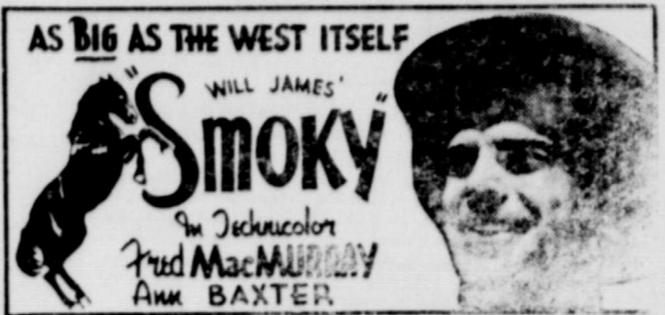
"Flight to Mars," a Cinecolor drama, starring Arthur Franz, Marguerite Chapman and Cameron Mitchell, is one of the two features to be presented at the Hillcrest Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, February 10, 11, 12. "Jinx Money," starring Leo Gorcey and with the Bowery Boys in support, is the

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"There is no role that fits Clark Gable as well as one which calls for him to be tough and tender with the ladies, and rough and ready with his fists. In "Lone Star" M-G-M has Gable cast in just this type of part that should bring his fans running to the theatre. Additionally, there's Ava Gardner playing opposite Gable. "Lone Star" is smoothly produced and capably acted with the supporting players including Broderick Crawford, Lionel Barrymore, Beulah Bondi and Moroni Olsen.

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"Romantic interludes between Gable and Miss Gardner are effective."

Filmed in Technicolor and starring Fred MacMurray and Anne Baxter with Burl Ives, 20th Century-Fox's encore triumph of Will James' beloved classic, "Smoky," will be shown at the Texas Theatre tomorrow and Saturday in conjunction with Columbia Pictures' thriller, "Never Trust a Gambler."

"Smoky," which is being brought back in all its rich beauty, is a story of the West today told in the spirit of the West of old. Others in the cast of over 100 players include Bruce Cabot, Esther Dale, Roy Roberts and J. Farrell MacDonald.

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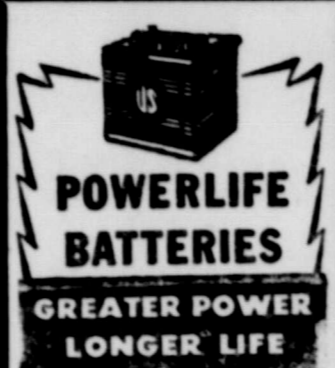
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