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## Red Cross Aid to Texas Heavy Past Seven Years

The annual Red Cross fund campaign is in the final week and this section, especially Runnels county, is still far short of the quota. Local Red Cross workers remind all of the important part played by this organization in disasters which are so common to West Texas.

The tornadoes which swept across Texas and other southwestern states during the week-end of March 13, served to emphasize in the minds of many Texans the vital role played by the National Red Cross and local chapters throughout the state for the past several years.

Since 1945, the Red Cross has expended \$4,900,678 in relief in Texas, helping 26,357 families to get back on their feet in the wake of disaster. Buildings destroyed in the seven-year period totaled 69,595. People killed in Texas disasters during the same period totaled 751 and 3,524 were injured.

The Texas disasters in which the Red Cross participated as the relief agency varied in

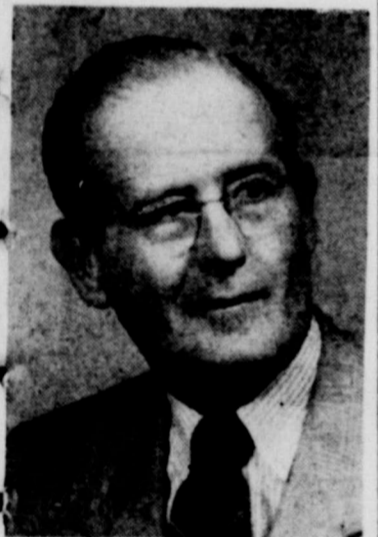
character and included floods, hurricanes, tornadoes, fires, explosions, wind and hailstorms and sudden cold waves. In every instance the Red Cross was on hand immediately following disaster, providing mass shelter and feeding the stricken communities. It supervised removal of the dead, often paying the cost of burial. It cared for the injured and many times paid the total cost of treatment. It also helped families to reestablish their homes through direct grants of money for building and refurbishing.

The assistance given to sufferers in such disasters included the storms of March 13 which struck at Knox City and other points in West Texas.

Texas suffers more natural disasters than any other state in the union. Gov. Shivers has called attention to the people of Texas and has urged that everyone contribute and that Texans do their full share in support of the organization.

## Williams Clay Deposits Leased by Abilene Man

H. P. ("Okra") Campton and Samuel G. House, of Abilene, were in Ballinger Monday to discuss the possibility of placing a new industry here or in this area. Mr. Campton recently leased the clay deposits owned by J. L. Williams, of Ballinger, and is planning to manufacture tile, pottery and china in the near future.



H. P. Campton

Mr. Campton is well known in this area as after-dinner speaker. In 1938 the American Legion designated him the "champion tall tale teller" and later he was featured in Robert Ripley's "Believe it or Not" column.

He spent 28 days in the front lines during World War I without a gun, pistol or knife and is said to be the only man ever without the aid of a weapon of any kind. His okra story, or how he won the war by planting 100 acres in okra and never selling a pod, has gained him national recognition.

Mr. House, an engineer, has just completed a survey of the Williams lease. From samples of clay taken from the lease he has made a number of items to show the possibilities of the deposits. He also made an estimate of the amount of clay on the place and finds it ample for many years operations.

Mr. Campton said he was not going to give details of his plan, but indicated he might form a corporation and offer stock in this section.

The rich clay deposits on the Williams farm near Bradshaw have been a matter of study and interest here for a number of years. Several efforts have been made previously to establish a manufacturing plant with local capital. Mr. Campton became interested several years ago and after employing a consulting engineer to roover the place, took a lease on the entire acreage.

While deposits are a red clay, by using a new method for instant cremation, Mr. House was able to drive off a pure metallic content, leaving a pure white volcanic ash resembling in many ways the highest type of boxite. He suggests making insulators, coatings, sheet-rock, porcelains, pure enamels, tile, queensware, statuary, etc.

## Red Cross Workers Meet to Map Plans For Raising Quota

Ballinger Red Cross workers attended a special meeting the first of the week to consider plans for meeting the local quota on the 1953 campaign. The Ballinger quota was about \$1,000 short Monday and most of the territory had been covered.

At the meeting Monday a list of names of those who had not been contacted was made up and workers will be asked to call on these or write them letters, asking for contributions. Near the end of the month a final check-up will be made of all funds and it will be decided whether the campaign will be kept open longer and a second canvass made.

It was pointed out that the local budget was increased a little for 1953 because of the cost of bringing a bloodmobile unit to Ballinger to collect 300 units of blood. There will be considerable expense in making arrangements, providing a suitable place and equipment for the clinic and operating a canteen.

## 3-Hour Service For Good Friday Arranged Here

The Ballinger Ministerial Alliance will present its second annual Good Friday service at the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., on Friday, April 3, from 11:55 a. m. until 3 p. m.

Eight local ministers will participate in the program, which is composed of eight periods. After each period there will be a five-minute intermission so that those who desire may come and leave. The public is invited to remain for the entire program, but if anyone can only be present for one or two periods, it will be all right to leave.

The minister in charge of each period will present his own special music if he desires to have music, or any other feature in connection with the service.

The following program has been arranged:

11:55 a. m.—Prelude and call to worship, Rev. A. O. Rue

12 noon to 12:20 p. m.—Rev. Hubert Smith, "The Word of Intercession"

12:25 to 12:45 p. m.—Rev. Ivan Kounter, "The Word of Authority"

12:50 to 1:10 p. m.—Rev. J. H. Shell, "The Word of Remembrance"

1:15 to 1:35 p. m.—Dr. C. T. Wharton, "The Word of Loneliness"

1:40 to 2:00 p. m.—Rev. Levine Beavers, "The Word of Suffering"

2:05 to 2:30 p. m.—Rev. C. B. Orabhood, "The Word of Victory"

2:35 to 3:00 p. m.—Rev. E. V. Brooks, "The Word of Refuge."

## Growers of Wheat Called to Meeting At Abilene April 1

Runnels county wheat growers and elevator men are invited to attend an educational day program at Abilene Christian College, on April 1. The meeting will start at 9:15 a. m. and close at 4 p. m.

Such problems as marketing wheat, new sanitation regulations, stored grain and insect control, actual grain judging under a licensed grain inspector and a report of the wheat research program by the superintendent of the Denton experiment station will be discussed. Several other matters that now face wheat growers will also be covered by specialists.

A question and answer period probably will be held so growers can get the latest information on control of weeds in the fields with the use of 2-4-D.

County Agent John Barton stated that he plans to attend the meeting and feels that it is an opportunity for growers of this county to secure beneficial information.

Mr. Barton stated Tuesday that small grain in this county was looking good and he considered this the best opportunity to make a crop since 1936.

## Car Owners Slow To Purchase New '53 License Plates

A check-up Monday showed that only between 30 and 35 per cent of the motor vehicles in Runnels county have been registered for 1953. Dalton Crockett, county tax assessor-collector, stated that approximately 3,000 would have to be registered by April 1 if the usual amount was paid before the deadline.

In order to help with the last minute rush, the tax collector's office will be open Saturday afternoon and a full crew will be on the duty to wait on those who desire to secure license plates.

Car owners will have until Tuesday night of next week to register their cars. All cars using public road must have numbers on them by April 1 which will be Wednesday of next week.

Stations for issuing plates are being operated at Rowena, Miles and Winters in addition to the office here. Those registering cars should take their certificates of ownership with them.

## Public is Invited To Easter Sunrise Service on April 5

All Ballingerites are invited to attend the sunrise Easter service on Sunday, April 5. The program will be presented at the Seventh Street Baptist Church, starting at 6:30 a. m. and lasting for one hour.

Mrs. J. D. Moon will be at the organ for soft music starting at 6:15 while the congregation is assembling. Louis Walden will direct the congregational singing at the opening of the service.

"Glad Notes of Easter," will be presented by a brass quartet from the high school band.

The scripture lesson will be read by Margaret Ann Hampton and Howard Hamner will bring the Easter prayer.

Special music will be rendered by singers of the host church.

The Easter message, "He is Risen," will be delivered by Rev. Ivan Kounter.

Following the congregational song, Rev. Emmett Brooks will say the benediction.

Members of the Knight Templars will usher and loud speakers will be placed outside the church for any who desire to remain in their cars.

John A. Barton, county agent; Jimmy Cusenberry, assistant county agent, and Mrs. O. D. Bradford will accompany the boys to Abilene.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Arthur and sons were Mr. and Mrs. George Payte, of Pampa; J. B. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooks and son, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Riley, Mr. and Mrs. F. Walker and children, Mrs. Ellis Denman and children, and Maynard Brown, all of Santa Anna.

## Seven Local Men In Next Month's Draft Board Call

Selective service board No. 21 (Runnels and Coleman counties) has called 17 men for induction into the service, seven of them from Runnels county. Those from this county to report are:

Henry Tepleek, Jr., Rowena  
Jesus H. Martinez, Miles  
Victor Lee Zak, Rowena  
Casimiro R. Moreno, Ballinger  
Forest L. Lancaster, Winters  
Andrew Don Holland, Ballinger  
Eldon Joe Hambright, Winters  
Marlin Dean Lee, Maverick  
The following are to report for pre-induction physicals on April 2:  
John D. Carter, Ballinger  
Raymond D. Zak, Rowena  
Winters Lee Zak, Rowena  
Alton R. Wilson, Winters  
L. G. Richard Sherman, Winters  
Prock David Richardson, Winters  
Elton E. Holt, Winters  
Wilson E. Andrews, Jr., Ballinger  
Lawrence Kenneth Marks, Winters  
Henry M. Guevara, Ballinger  
Dwayne H. Bryan, Winters  
Darrell Glenn Hamilton, Ballinger  
Alexander R. Dominguez, Winters  
Dennis Theo Rohmfeld, Ballinger  
Raymond Lewis Hale, Winters  
Bobby Lane Grey, Ballinger  
Lowell Ray Berryhill, Ballinger.

## Ballinger Students To State Meeting At Lubbock Today

A group of high school students left today for Lubbock to attend the state meeting of student councils. From the Ballinger school are Howard Hamner, Jerry Bell, Pat Tisdale and Ann Stansney. Miss Marryatt Smith accompanied the students.

The state meeting is in progress today, tomorrow and Saturday and the local students will return here Saturday after the final session.

Music students, both band and choral, will go to Winters Saturday for the district auditions. This will include solo numbers and ensembles. They will compete for grades and those ranking high enough will be sent to the area meeting later.

All Ballinger students will have a holiday on April 3, the regular long Easter week-end.

Ballinger girls will play the Talpa volleyball teams, both A and B, here this afternoon. Local girls teams were at San Angelo last Saturday, winning one and losing one.

## Four 4-H Club Boy Teams Will Enter Abilene Contests

Runnels county 4-H boys' clubs will be well represented in contests at Abilene starting Monday. Fifteen 4-H boys will enter the judging contests to be held at Abilene Christian College. One team from this county will be in each of the contests.

This county's grass team is composed of Harvey Wessels, Obie Dee Bradford and Keith Uecker.

The poultry team is made up of Jimmie Kruse, Wendell Gorsett, Wendell Hogan and Bobby Anderson.

On the livestock team are Jimmie Hoppe, Weldon Andre, Billy Jacob and Hugh Campbell, III.

Walton Jackson, Roy Burton, Winford Hogan and Weldon Minzenmayer are members of the dairy team.

Last year two Runnels county club boys' teams—in grass and poultry judging—were entered in the Abilene contests. The poultry team placed first and the grass team second.

John A. Barton, county agent; Jimmy Cusenberry, assistant county agent, and Mrs. O. D. Bradford will accompany the boys to Abilene.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dunlap and son, Sam Dunlap, II, of Dallas, were here the past week-end for a visit with Mrs. G. W. Dunlap and Mrs. Annie Arterburn, Sam, II, who came home from overseas about two weeks ago, has received his discharge. He was wounded in action in Korea but has completely recovered.

## Jaycees to Present Paint Rock Club's Play Friday Night

Ballinger Jaycees will present the Paint Rock Lions Club's show, "Ladies First" at the Ballinger high school auditorium tomorrow (Friday) evening. Admissions of 25 and 50 cents will be charged and the Jaycees have conducted a ticket sale and expect to have a capacity audience for the performance.

The play was written and is directed by M. Sansom, III, and has already been presented at Paint Rock and Eden to large audiences. A number of Ballingerites were in Paint Rock last Friday night to see the performance and declare that it is very entertaining and well produced.

The Paint Rock club has been presenting original plays the past three years and has made a reputation on its performances in a number of West Texas towns.

Mrs. Eugene Lofka will be at the piano for accompaniment. The play is loaded with comedy lines and also offers numerous musical numbers. Curtain time is 8:15 p. m.

## Church Council's Next Meeting Set Monday, March 30

The Ballinger Council of Church Women will hold its regular fifth Monday meeting on March 30 at 4 p. m. at the First Christian Church.

There will be a brief business session followed by a pre-Easter program, the theme being "Good Friday and Easter." Mrs. Felix Itz will be the program leader and the following talks will be heard:

"The Meaning of the Cross," Mrs. Itz

"The Resurrection," Mrs. Ivan Kounter

"The Lord's Supper," Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh.

The offering taken at this meeting will be used for the May fellowship honoring pioneer church women of Ballinger.

Used clothing for distribution in Korea will be shipped Saturday, March 28. Citizens who have garments they want to put in this shipment are requested to take them to the residence of Mrs. E. M. Lynn.

## Officers Report Several Arrests Past Week-End

Local officers had the usual run of arrests and investigations the past week.

R. J. Hutchcraft has been arrested at Tulsa and will be returned here to face a charge of removing mortgaged property.

Clyde Adams, a magazine salesman, was arrested here the first of the week and has been charged with several sex offenses in various places.

Cecil McNeal was fined \$72.80 and given a 10-day jail sentence on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

Officers reported the arrest of four juveniles on a charge of property destruction. These cases are pending the payment of damages by the parents.

Highway patrolmen disclosed 17 tickets were issued for speeding the past week. Most of these have reported to pay fines or make arrangements for hearings.

Police and county officers reported several drunks arrested and a number of investigations being conducted.

## TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION MEETING RESET FOR APRIL 7

The Runnels County Tuberculosis Association has postponed its regular meeting from March 29 to April 7. The change was necessary because of the many pre-Easter church services and for other causes.

The meeting will be held at the court house on April 7 at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dunlap and son, Sam Dunlap, II, of Dallas, were here the past week-end for a visit with Mrs. G. W. Dunlap and Mrs. Annie Arterburn, Sam, II, who came home from overseas about two weeks ago, has received his discharge. He was wounded in action in Korea but has completely recovered.

## Lions Education Subject of Talk At Club Meeting

The Ballinger Lions Club heard a talk on Lions education by John Purifoy at the meeting Friday noon. Mr. Purifoy told members of the recent growth of the organization which now has established clubs in 43 nations of the world and has approximately half a million members enrolled in more than 10,000 clubs.

Referring to the Ballinger club, Mr. Purifoy stated that there were 99 active members on the rolls and he listed activities for the past year.

Ernie Brook, Plainview business man, who owns the Plainview Ponies, here for spring baseball training, spoke briefly to the club and strongly urged the organization of a Little League for Ballinger boys.

Rev. Spellman, of Paint Rock, announced his club's show in that city for Friday night and sold a number of tickets.

Louis Walden rendered two sacred song numbers and George Newby closed the meeting with a short sing-song.

## Municipal Pool Work Finished; Driveway Built

The contractors gave the municipal swimming pool the final touches this week and it is now ready to be accepted by the city. The kiddie wading pool has been completed and walks built around it and the final interior work was being done on the bathhouses.

The pool was tested last week and the circulating system and other equipment worked perfectly. Poles are being set for the floodlights and the pool will be ready for use as soon as the weather is suitable for the formal opening.

One of the main jobs at the present time is the building of a wide, double driveway over the bluff at the east end of Croason Avenue. This driveway will enter the park near the pool and will be a divided right-of-way, one-way driving for each side.

B. C. D. Construction Co. crews have all been moved to the water plant and good progress is being made on the plant improvements which will provide more water for Ballinger. This job will be rushed in an effort to complete it before the peak water load is reached this year.

## MILES BOY DROWNS ON CHURCH PICNIC

Leon Richard Coleman, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coleman, of Miles, was drowned Wednesday night on the Main Concho River south of Miles. A group from the Miles Methodist Church had gone there for a picnic and the boy was said to have been swinging from a chain attached to a tree when he lost his grip and fell into the water.

The body was recovered within about 20 minutes and Miles firemen, officers and others gave artificial respiration for nearly an hour.

Rex Hudgins, a high school sophomore, jumped into the water and at one time had a hold on the drowning victim, according to by-standers. He had to release his hold when the boy started struggling.

Funeral services are pending this morning.

## TWO BASEBALL PLAYERS INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

Robert Edward Pate, 22, of Maude, Oklahoma, and John Arnold Jackson, 23, Oklahoma City, were injured Wednesday night when their car crashed into the Santa Fe railroad embankment one mile west of Rowena.

The men came into highway 67 from the road leading to Lowake and failed to make the turn before crossing the highway.

Both men had been working out here with the Plainview baseball team, however they are owned by the Lamesa club of the Longhorn League and were to report there within a few days.

Jackson suffered a broken pelvis, cuts and bruises, and was taken to the veterans' hospital at Big Spring by a Newby-Davis ambulance. Pate was treated in the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital and was resting well this morning.

## Fort Chadbourne Field Reopening on April 1

The state railroad commission has set April 1 as the date for reopening the Fort Chadbourne oil field in the northwestern part of Runnels county. The field was closed February 1, 1952, to prevent flaring of approximately 11 million cubic feet of gas a day.

The Lone Star Producing Co. has completed a \$3,000,000 gasoline plant and it will go into production on the above date. The plant has a capacity of 30 million cubic feet of gas daily and is expected to take 20 to 24 million cubic feet. The residue will be returned to the producing formation through injection wells.

Nineteen days of production will be allowed the field in April, the total daily allowable for the period being set at 27,000 barrels a day. This means the field can produce 513,000 barrels in April. When the field was closed down there were 217 wells making oil. Drilling has continued and there are now 290 wells in the field.

It is estimated that the ten operators in the field have lost 4,600,000 barrels of oil during the period the field was shut in. Humble Oil & Refining Co., largest operator in the field, was preparing five injection wells this week. Seven of the other nine operators were said to be preparing injection wells. Humble now has 174 wells in the field and about 62 per cent of the production.

The Humble Pipeline Co. has recently complete additional lines from the station southeast of Ballinger to a junction of trunk lines from the Fort Chadbourne and Cree-Sykes fields. The plant will be ready to take the increased load caused by the reopening of the Fort Chadbourne field.

The Pace (Pry sand) field gained its sixth producer with the completion of G. W. Strake No. 3-Charity Pace for a daily flowing potential of 385.95 barrels of 44.1 gravity oil. Top of pay was found at 4,438 feet.

Thomas D. Humphrey No. 2-D O Lee was completed last week for a daily pumping potential of 41.25 barrels of 41 gravity oil. Top of pay is 5,152 feet.

Geochemical Surveys No. 2-W. H. Whitley was finished the past week-end for a daily flowing potential of 320.24 barrels of 44 gravity oil. It is located in the South Crews (upper Gardner) field. Top of pay is 3,842 feet.

G. W. Strake has filed an application to change the location of his No. 5-J. A. Chisum, Jr., on the eastern side of the Lloyd field. The hole will be started at once and drilling is projected to 4,800 feet.

Union Sulphur & Oil Co. has filed an application to amend the location of its No. 1D-H. S. Bright, 3/4 of a mile east of production on the eastern side of the Cree-Sykes field. Permit depth is to 4,500 feet.

## R. R. Commission Meets At San Angelo April 17

The state railroad commission will hold its regular April meeting at San Angelo and interested Ballinger people have been invited to attend.

The meeting will be held at the municipal auditorium on April 17 and will start at 10:00 a. m. All members of the commission and the technical staff will be present.

The meeting is expected to be attended by about 250 representatives of oil companies as well as a large number of others. At the meeting evidence

will be submitted from which the commission will determine the amount of oil to be produced during the next month.

Invitations were received here this week from State Senator Dorsey E. Hardeman, asking local people interested to attend.

A number of oil men of this section will attend the meeting and the local chamber of commerce will be represented by a large delegation. The meeting is being brought to San Angelo because of the heavy production in this section.

## Plainview Ball Players Start Hard Grind Here

The Plainview Ponies, in spring training here, got down to hard work Monday with 19 men on hand. Manager Jack Sullivan stated that four more would report Wednesday and he expected 25 men here by tonight.

Of the group reporting here for training, ten are holdovers from the Lamesa club of 1952. It is planned to carry 5 veterans, 5 limited service men and 5 rookies when cut down to player limit.

Sunday afternoon, starting at 2 p. m., an intersquad game will be played and local fans are invited to Cat Park to watch this contest. Most afternoons a game will be played starting about 1 p. m.

Exhibition games arranged will bring some of the best clubs in the West Texas-New Mexico League and the Longhorn League to Ballinger. The schedule of the home games as follows:

April 5 (Sunday), Pampa  
April 10, Big Spring  
April 11, Lubbock  
April 12 (Sunday), Artesta  
April 15, Lubbock

Sunday games will be played at 2:30 p. m. and all other games will be at 8 p. m. Local fans are urged to attend these games which will be played under regulation league rules. Men training here this week were:

Catchers—Jim Callahan, limited service; Bob Connelly, rookie; Jerry Angeley, rookie; Billy Wilson, rookie.

Pitchers—George Payte, veteran; Lee Gatewood, limited service; Cliff Korendo, limited service; Frank Grande, rookie; Andy DeGeorge, rookie; James Stoeker, rookie; Joe Morgan, rookie.

Infielders—Lester Davis, rookie, first base; Frosty Kennedy, veteran, second base; Wallace Hanna, limited service, third base; Dick Thomas, rookie, shortstop. Sullivan is also a veteran infielder.

Outfielders—Howard Mergentheim, rookie; Thavis Shaw, rookie.

Reporting Wednesday were Don Stokes, veteran outfielder; John Ray Harrison, rookie first baseman; Billy Dubois, rookie infielder; Hermendo Reys, limited service pitcher.

Plainview is replacing Lamesa in the West Texas-New Mexico League and this will be the Ponies first year in organized baseball. In obtaining the Lobo franchise all players under contract and equipment of the club were taken over.

A large softball field at Plainview is being converted into a regulation baseball park and will be ready for the opening of the season on April 24.

## JACK NIXON TO ATTEND TAX INSURANCE SCHOOL

Jack Nixon, Jr., local representative of the Southwestern Life Insurance Co., has been selected as one of a group of agents who will attend a company-sponsored tax insurance school at Dallas, March 30 through April 1.

This school is the last of a series of five which the company is conducting over a period of years as part of its educational training program for agents.

E. C. Grindstaff and Jack Moore were in Austin Monday and Tuesday attending a meeting of prosecuting attorneys, called by Attorney General John Ben Shepperd.



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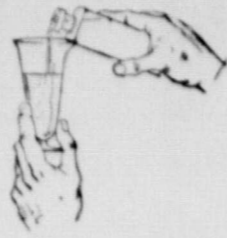
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## SOCIETY

Art and Needle Club Meets with Mrs. Rollwitz

Mrs. Lucy Rollwitz was hostess to the Art and Needle Club last Thursday afternoon. The Rollwitz home on Sixth Street was decorated with arrangements of irises, lilacs, and verbenas.

The president, Mrs. E. F. Krc, conducted the business and gave the prayer. Members answered roll call by giving "Short Cuts to Housekeeping and Helpful Hints."

The club's next project was started, which is making cup towels for a needy person.

A sandwich plate was served with coffee by the hostess.

At the April meeting, in the home of Mrs. Earl Crockett, a plant exchange will be held.

G. G. Club Elects Officers and Plans Easter Breakfast

Members of the G. G. Club met in the home of their sponsor, Mrs. H. G. Agnew, Monday evening of last week and elected new officers. Joan Blackmon presided for the business and named a decorations and arrangements committee to be in charge of planning the Easter morn breakfast to be

held at the Central Hotel following the sunrise Easter service. New officers elected are: president, Nancy Davis; vice-president, Shirley Jones; secretary, Patricia Davis; treasurer, Betty Berryhill; reporter, Barbara Medlen.

Following a social hour Mrs. Agnew served refreshments to: Joan Blackmon, Patricia Davis, Catherine Richards, Betty Jo Hennecke, Gwen Laxton, June Harris, Marvella Ashton, Peggy Branham, Nancy Davis, Betty Berryhill, Sue Herring, Barbara Medlen, Sally Underwood, Delle Tisdale, Shirley Jones, Martha Kay Northington and Pat Zappe. Emilie Burton and Delphine Berryhill were visitors.

Miss Halfmann, Louis Beuerlein to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halfmann, of Olfen, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lucille, to Louis J. Beuerlein, of Snyder, son of Joseph Beuerlein, of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee.

The wedding will be solemnized on Wednesday, April 8, at 8:30 a. m. in St. Boniface Catholic Church at Olfen, the Rev.

Hubert Halfmann, Sacred Heart Cathedral, Amarillo, to officiate. Rev. Halfmann is a brother of the bride-elect.

### Dr. Ohlhausen Honored at Surprise Party

Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen entertained Friday evening with a surprise party honoring her husband, Dr. J. L. Ohlhausen, who was celebrating his birthday anniversary. The party was in the Ohlhausen home on Hutchings Avenue.

Arrangements of white irises were used for decorations in rooms where games of forty-two were played. The birthday cake was iced with chocolate and decorated with yellow rosebuds. Other refreshments were cookies, coffee and hot chocolate.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mmes. John Cody, Johnny Baker, O. K. Reynolds, J. C. Hughins, Charles Bradshaw, Henry Rappy, Johnnie Bradshaw, and children: James and Steve Hughins, Cordelia Ann, John Bob, and Andy Cody, Barbara and Mae Reynolds, Ronnie Bradshaw, Randy Baker, Norma Jean and Leland Ohlhausen.

Another birthday affair in the Ohlhausen family was held Sunday following church services in Abilene, when Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen and children joined Dr. Ohlhausen's brothers, Dr. Orlan Ohlhausen, of Sweetwater; and Tommie Ohlhausen, of Abilene; and their families, and their niece, Mrs. Devie Bales, of Clyde, and her family at a celebration when five members of the family who had March birthdays were honored at the all-day affair in the home of their father, J. L. Ohlhausen, Sr., in that city.

After dinner was served, movie camera pictures were made while enjoying the get-together.

### NORTON HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Norton home demonstration club held an all-day meeting last Thursday in the home of Mrs. N. T. Gault. Each member took a covered dish for the noon luncheon.



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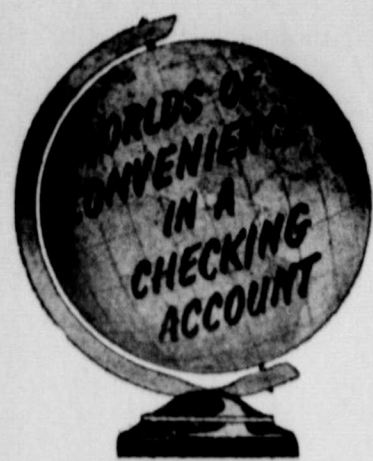
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19-3t

### Notice of City Officer Election

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF RUNNELS  
CITY OF BALLINGER

To the Resident Qualified Voters of the City of Ballinger, Texas, of Runnels County, Texas:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 7th day of April, 1953, in the City of Ballinger, Texas, of Runnels County, Texas, during legal hours and place for the purpose of electing a Mayor, a Corporation Court Judge, and two City Commissioners; one Commissioner to be the Water Commissioner and one Commissioner to be the Street Commissioner. The City Clerk shall forthwith post legal notice of such election.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this 3rd day of March, 1953.

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# SOCIETY

Easter Parade Begins Here with Style Prevue

The Easter parade was in full swing at a style show last Thursday evening at the Ballinger High School auditorium. The show was staged by Heidenheimers, Lintz's Department Store and George's Ready-to-Wear, directed by the general chairman, Mrs. Lloyd Downing, and sponsored by the Fannie Stephens Study Club. Commentators were Mrs. Hilton Morgan and Mrs. Tom Epting.

Theme of the style prelude was "The 1953 Look for Her." Music was furnished by Miss Bobbie Sue Stultz. Intermission numbers were by the High School Sextet, composed of Willena Plemmons, Mary Buchanan, Joyce Foreman, Twila Foreman, Faye McDorman and Nelda Faubion, under the direction of Miss Peggy Gaston. The sextet sang "A Pretty Girl is Like a Melody," and "Easter Parade." Willena Plemmons, soloist, sang "Liebestraum." A garden of spring was featured for stage decorations which included Easter egg trees, yellow and white tulips and potted hydrangeas in pastel shades. Ushers, Pat and Delle Tisdale, Brenda Bowers, Midge Adair and Carol Ann Bailey were dressed in formal fashions featuring shades of spring flowers.

The show included everything from bathing suits to evening dresses. Models were Paula and Diana Downing, Judith and Jane Hampton, Pat Bell, Suzanne Middleton, Georgia Newby, Glen Dena Holley, Susan Middleton, Misses Georgia and Joyce Hite, Pat Manning, Margaret Ann Hampton, Helen Kennedy,

Lou and Sue Manning, Joy Campbell, Ginger Gurley, Carolyn Bigby, Mary Jo Forman, Sally Bailey, Sue Underwood, Mary Joyce Bryant, Lynn Herring, Peggy Hays, Mmes. C. F. Bailey, Hill Hampton, W. O. Kirby, Al Purifoy, Buster Parrish, D. B. Crockett, Grafton Brookshier, Mike Black modeled a sport coat, gabardine slacks, and mesh shoes.

Despite the long drouth in West Texas, it seems that everyone will be prepared for "Ballinger Splash Day" with beautiful bathing suits. And it looks as if denim and chambray, the old standbys for play clothes, are setting the pace for spring and summer. Sport clothes fit every occasion during summer vacation, they can be mixed or matched with accessories. Add a chapeau, and it's a dress-up ensemble.

Summer cottons will be important this summer. There are casuals in everglazed materials, taffetized, embossed, and mist lawn. Some will be worn with boleros and stoles and costume jewelry. And do not forget your pretty sailor hats. They're just as smart as the small ones.

Among the styles with a spring look and a cool feel are the ever-popular box-jacket suits of rayon and acetate, nub-a-dub poodle and Moosatay fabric.

Correct and complete accessories are a must for all dress-up occasions. Among the presentations were sheers, crepes, shantung and linens with scooped necklines with detailing of lace inset and rhinestone trim. Without the boleros which some have, they are per-

fect for dances or dates.

On the glamorous side was a beautiful concoction of tulle, French imported lace, nylon marquisette, tiered net, coronation royal blue taffeta, Chantilly lace and chiffon, displayed at the conclusion of the show as a wedding reception scene. The wedding houseparty, which of course included the bride, wore formals. The bride, Mrs. Al Purifoy, selected an original gown from the Alfred Angelo collection of Chantilly lace over shimmering candlelight satin with the full, floating skirt and cathedral train. The imported illusion veil from Blossom Time, cascaded from a beaded Juliet coronet.

Floral arrangements were donated by the Phillips Shop and stage equipment by Newby-Davis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bates Reviews Wharton Book for Club

"The Age of Innocence," by Edith Wharton, has more than justified the nice things applied to it when it was first published 20 years ago. Then it was awarded the Pulitzer prize for literature, and ever since has been winning new favor in the eyes of judges of enduring American fiction. Mrs. Joel Bates told members of Shakespeare Club last Thursday afternoon at a book review in the club room on Eighth Street.

The story presents New York before it became the metropolis and preserves for us the social history of an era in the decade of the 1870s, when elegance and gallantry were on display on gas-lit Fifth Avenue.

Mrs. R. F. Zeditz, program leader, introduced Mrs. Bates. Mrs. Alex Saunders, president, conducted the business. The club voted to contribute

## 'Above and Beyond' and 'Zenda'

### Big Attractions Due at Horseshoe

The gripping and moving story of Col. Paul Tibbets, who piloted the plane which dropped the atom bomb over Hiroshima, is to be unfolded on the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre screen tomorrow and Saturday, March 27, 28, in addition to "Drums in the Deep South," starring Barbara Patton and James Craig.

With Robert Taylor and Eleanor Parker in the starring roles, "Above and Beyond" tells of the world's best-kept secret and of the man charged with the lonely responsibility for keeping it. Col. Tibbets is the man chosen from two million men of the United States army air force to carry out "Operation Silverplate." Every move he made from then on had to be top secret even from his wife. Inevitably, Tibbets' own happiness became forfeit in the months of tension leading to the instant when his B-29 ended a war and opened the atomic age.

Supporting players include James Whitmore, Marilyn Erskine, Robert Burton, Jonathan Cott, Larry Kenting, Patrick Conway and Jeff Richards. The production is a forceful documentation of one of the most momentous events in world history. It is also the story of a man and a woman which touches the heart.

"The Prisoner of Zenda," one of the great romantic adventure stories of all time, is to be shown at the Horseshoe Sunday and Monday, March 29, 30, plus a western feature "Rio Grande Patrol," starring Tim Holt and Jane Nigh.

The spectacular "Zenda" production, filmed by M-G-M in Technicolor, has an all-star cast headed by Stewart Granger, Deborah Kerr, James Mason, Louis Calhern and Jane Greer. The new picture, one of the most ambitious on the Metro production schedule, is set against a rich and colorful background of 19th century Europe and tells the story of conspiracy and intrigue that caused a royal scandal to be whispered throughout a mythical kingdom. It is based on the novel by Anthony Hope.

Lewis Stone, Robert Douglas and Robert Coote have featured supporting roles.

For Wednesday and Thursday, April 1 and 2, the Horseshoe will offer "Cattle Town," starring Dennis Morgan and featuring Philip Gary and Rita Moreno, and "Havana Rose," starring Estrelita Rodriguez.

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**First Christians  
Announce Plans  
For Easter Week**

The First Christian Church of Ballinger has arranged programs for worship and fellowship for Easter week. Great emphasis will be placed on the purpose of drawing every person in each assembly into an intimate fellowship with God.

Sunday, March 29, Rev. C. H. Orshood will speak at 10:30 a. m. on "The True Meaning of the Resurrection." At 7:30 p. m. the subject will be "Things That Pertain Unto God."

Wednesday, April 1, at 8 p. m., "The Magic Touch," a drama of the healing ministry of Jesus, will be enacted by women of the church, directed by Mrs. Orshood. The drama leads up to the procession into Jerusalem, the inauguration of Passion Week, a rich spiritual experience.

On Thursday, April 2, at 8 p. m., "The Lord's Last Supper" will be dramatized by men of the church. This setting is patterned after the great painting by di Vinci. Rev. Orshood planned the script, which is taken directly from the scriptures, except a few sentences for conversational connection. Mr. and Mrs. Orshood, as far as they have been able to learn, were the first in the nation to dramatize this scene, although many have followed the example.

Immediately after the drama everyone present, who upon examining themselves spiritually, judge themselves to be

Christian, will be invited to participate in the Memorial and Communion of The Lord's Supper.

The "Magic Touch" and "The Lord's Last Supper" will be enacted in dramatic make-up equal to the best professional, and in the costumes of the new wardrobe for religious drama, owned by the church. These are equal, if not superior, to any in America.

The church will participate in Good Friday worship planned by the Ballinger Ministerial Alliance and in the Easter sunrise service at 8:30 a. m. on Easter Sunday. The Faith class, of which Mrs. Horace Murphy is teacher, will breakfast Easter at the Central Hotel.

Sermon subjects for Easter will be morning, "Reasonable Proof of the Resurrection," and night, "The First Lord's Day Evening."

**FIRST ABSENTEE VOTES  
CAST IN CITY ELECTION**

The first absentee votes in the city election set for April 7 were cast Tuesday. Those who know they will be out of town on election day may cast absentee ballots until three days before the election.

The election is to be held at the city hall from 8:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.

The printed ballot contains the names of J. W. Moore and Charles Hambrick for the office of mayor. There is no opposition in the commissioners' race, Doyle H. John and H. J. Zappe being the candidates and two are to be elected.

Sigmund Freud is known as the founder of psychoanalysis.

**F.F.A. CHAPTER MEMBERS  
ENJOY BARBEQUE DINNER**

The second and third year classes of the Future Farmers of America chapter of the Ballinger high school held an interesting educational field trip on the Zappe farm north-west of town on Thursday, March 18. They were accompanied by the advisors, H. B. Edmondson and Keith McDonnell.

Woodrow Hoffman and Lee Botta, soil conservation scientists for this area, accompanied the boys on a tour of the farm, where they were shown many types of soil and the value of each, and how they may use the soil for different products. Mr. Zappe, one of the outstanding conservation farmers in the county assisted with the demonstration.

Jimmy Cusenberg, assistant county agent, conducted a grass and wool judging contest. The soil conservation service furnished grass samples and Willie Hearne, wool buyer, furnished the fleece samples. The boys weighed over 200 lambs for Mr. Zappe, which had been on a ration worked out by the second year agriculture class. The lambs had gained 11-14 of a pound per day.

At the noon hour a barbeque dinner was served at the Zappe farm home. Mr. Zappe was host to the group.

Teams are in training to take part in this year's competition in livestock, dairy, poultry, dairy products, meat, wool, cotton, grass and other crops.

The local chapter will have teams competing with other chapter teams at Sul Ross, Alpine, and at Coleman on Saturday, March 28. On Monday, March 30, several teams from here will be judges at the Abilene Christian College field day.

The Ballinger chapter has completed this year's show season and is now focusing attention on contests and the purchasing of show animals for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holland have as their house guest, Pico Joe E. Hawkins, who recently returned from Korea, where he was wounded.

**Training Schools  
Planned by Agent  
For Club Women**

Miss Olive Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, has arranged a special leaders training school to be held here on the afternoon of March 31. Two members from each club in the county will attend the program on "The Rule of Fourteen," a clothing demonstration.

The information given those who attend the school will be taken to each club and presented in the April programs. Miss Chenoweth has made plans for the first of two upholstery schools to be held in the county. The first of these will be held at Winters for club women in the northern part of the county on April 14, 21 and 28. This course will be open to all club women and the instruction is being prepared so that it can be given in three full days.

The school will teach repairing, refinishing, putting in and using springs, using bean rubber or cotton for padding and the selection of suitable materials. This course was given home demonstration agents in a special five-day meeting at San Angelo several weeks ago.

Later in the spring a three-day school will be held in Ballinger for club women in the southern part of the county.

**EAST SIDE HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB**

Mrs. Jack Kresta was hostess to ten members of the East Side home demonstration club Tuesday afternoon, entertaining in her rural home.

Mrs. Clyde Flanagan conducted the business session. Mrs. Everett Witter gave the council report.

Mrs. Willie Stephens gave an interesting talk on Brazil. Mrs. Kresta conducted the recreation period.

Mrs. E. W. Cook, Mrs. A. C. Newsum and Mrs. Joe Mueller were visitors.

Ice cream and angel cake were served.

The next meeting will be an all-day affair on April 14 in the home of Mrs. Tom Moreland.

Mrs. Walter Abernathy and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Turner of Fort Worth, were week-end guests in the homes of Mrs. Minnie Maud Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stone.

**Trustee Elections  
For All Districts  
Scheduled April 7**

School trustee elections will be held throughout the county on Saturday, April 7.

Members of the county board will be elected in precincts 2 and 4. Candidate in No. 2 is Henry Teplicko, of Rowena, who has served the past three years. In No. 4 W. T. Billups is certified for reelection.

Hold-over members of the county board are Dr. C. F. Bailey, precinct No. 1; W. L. Burns, precinct No. 3; and E. E. King, trustee-at-large.

Ballots for the county board will be sent to districts where other trustee elections are to be held.

In Ballinger two trustees are to be elected. Those whose terms expire J. O. Tuckey and Jack Hampton, have agreed to serve for another three years if elected. The election will be held at the downtown office of the school board. O. J. Harber has been named election judge.

All other school districts of the county will hold elections on the same date.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

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

- Mrs. James Colburn, Winters, surgical, Friday.
- Mrs. T. B. Robinson, Norton, surgical, Saturday.
- Mrs. D. E. Moody, medical, Tuesday.
- Mrs. West Talbot, medical, Sunday.
- Mrs. B. M. Batts, Jr., medical, Tuesday.
- Mrs. Herman Brown, Midland, surgical, Sunday.
- J. N. Key, medical, Sunday.
- Danny McQueen, surgical, Tuesday.

Births recorded at the clinic the past week were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Bartlett, Winters, a daughter, March 19; Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Yoder, a son, March 20;

Mr. and Mrs. Mattie Rodriguez, a daughter, March 21;

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Blackshear, a son, March 22.

Patients hospitalized at this time include:

- August Lange, Rowena, medical.
- Mrs. R. T. Trail, medical.
- Ray Diaz, Norton, surgical.
- Mrs. Florcia Moreno, surgical.

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**HOPEWELL**

The W. M. U. was well represented at Hopewell Tuesday. The women are preparing a gift Easter package to be sent to Buckner's Orphan Home. The Brotherhood presented a program Wednesday night at prayer meeting.

Mrs. Bob Erving was received into the church last Sunday night.

Sunday night a social was being planned for the Training Union to be held in the near future.

Our pastor, Rev. Newton, visited in the Arthur Kerby home Sunday.

Quincy Ray Traylor visited his sister at Abilene the past week-end. He also visited Mr. Crews, who has been ill.

Hopewell was well represented at Valley View Tuesday night at the workers' conference. Those from Hopewell who attended were Rev. and Mrs. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Traylor and Quincy Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kerby and Lydia, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Younger, Gloria and Ronnie, Mrs. Elsie Kerby, Joe Albourn and Loveta Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Minner, Marilyn and Ronald, visited the former's parents at Sundown last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fisher have received a letter from their son, Charles Fisher, who is with the air force in England.

Vayden Morrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jarm Morrison, is now stationed in Oklahoma.

Small grain crops in this community are beautiful and farmers are hoping for more rain soon.

Mrs. Maude Bannowsky has returned home after a month's visit with her two sons, Alton and Dell, and their families, at San Antonio.

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# SOCIETY

## Altar Society to Make Clothing for War Relief Children

The regular monthly meeting of the Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic Church met in the Recreation Hall Tuesday evening. Mrs. John McGrath conducted the business after she gave the prayer. Plans were discussed and completed for members to make infants' and children's garments which will be sent to the Pope's Store Room for War Relief Children. Rev. Pat Ward, O.M.I., talked on preparations

to be made for Easter which will include preparing the church and altar for Easter Holy Week; and members of the Altar Society will sponsor an Easter egg hunt for catechism classes to be held on Saturday, March 28.

Announcement was made that 11 books have been ordered for the Catholic Library. Mrs. David Haliburton was named treasurer to fill a vacancy for the remainder of the year. Mrs. Frank Kohutek and Miss Alice Kohutek were

welcomed as new members. The social hour hostesses, Mrs. Rob Wright and Mrs. R. C. Smith, served refreshments to ten members and Rev. Ward.

## Scout Troop Has Picnic Supper in Park

Boy Scout Troop No. 34, sponsored by the First Baptist Brotherhood and directed by Scoutmaster Jim Flynt, Jr., enjoyed a picnic supper last Friday evening in the City Park.

Included were the parents of the seventy members and their families.

Scoutmaster Flynt spoke the invocation and also gave a pep talk to parents following the covered dish supper.

Games were played on the park equipment following the program.

## Miss Vogelsang, Dwight Carson Wed

In a single ring ceremony performed in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Alvin O. Rue Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock, Miss Edwina Vogelsang became the bride of Dwight H. Carson, Jr., Rev. Rue, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., officiating.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vogelsang, of Ballinger; and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight H. Carson, of Malakoff.

The ceremony was read in the same room of the manse and by the same minister, who read the wedding rites of the bride's parents twenty-five years ago.

Floral decorations were orchid gladioli and trailers of bridal wreath.

The bride wore a two-piece suit of navy silk shantung with self-covered button trim. Her off-the-face pink straw had rhinestone trim. She carried a white Bible topped with white carnations.

The bride's only attendant, Mrs. Walter Weaver, of Abilene, was matron of honor. She wore a light blue shantung two-piece dress and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Jack Harris, of Jal, New Mexico, was best man.

Rev. and Mrs. Rue assisted the bride's parents at the reception immediately following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with a cloth of cut-work linen and centered with an arrangement of orchid gladioli and stephanotis. Mrs. Lyle Currie served the wedding cake, which was iced in pastel green, and Mrs. Weaver presided at the silver coffee service.

After a wedding trip to the Big Bend National Park, the couple will be at home at Malakoff, where the bridegroom is associated with his father in the lumber business.

After graduating from Ballinger High School, Mrs. Carson attended San Angelo Junior College. She is a graduate of Shannon School of Nursing. Mr. Carson attended A. & M. College. After three years ser-

vice in the Air Force, he received his discharge in January, 1953.

## Mrs. Caskey Reviews Book for Class

"How to Protect Yourself Against Women," by Charles W. Morton, was the humorous story Mrs. Ernest T. Caskey reviewed for the Virginia Douglas Class of the First Methodist Church Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Price Middleton in Wilke Terrace.

Other hostesses with Mrs. Middleton were Mrs. Tom McEntire, Mrs. M. T. Camp and Mrs. George Newby.

Mrs. R. A. Bagwell, class president, conducted the business. Mrs. Ted Tisdale brought the devotional from the 22nd chapter of Luke and from the Upper Room.

"How to Protect Yourself Against Women," Mrs. Caskey said, "was a message on how to handle husbands." She gave the several "take-offs" on women's clothes, their club meetings, luncheons and happenings in the home.

Mrs. G. M. Hargus, program chairman, presented Mrs. Caskey.

The Middleton home was decorated with a profusion of irises and white carnations, and the dining table was centered with royal red gladioli. Suzanne Middleton played several piano numbers during the social hour when hostesses served apple pie topped with whipped cream and coffee.

Others were: Mmes. Bill Bell, L. M. Bowden, Lynn Candier, W. O. Irby, Bill Witter, J. W. Jones, M. E. McClenny, Misses Bonnie Clark and Ann Midgley.

## Ballinger Clubs and Guests Hear Mrs. Dunn

Mrs. Keet Dunn, of Winters, Sixth District chairman of Promotion of Women in Public Affairs, a division of the new Americanism department of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, discussed "Interesting and Promoting Women in Public Participation" and reviewed an Easter story Saturday afternoon for the Ballinger Shakespeare Club and the Fannie Stephens Study Club and added guests in the chapel of the First Baptist Church. In her discussion, Mrs. Dunn

emphasized that to successfully promote women in public affairs work must begin at the community level where women often refuse to support women because of petty prejudice, jealousy or envy.

She branded the idea false that political and public participation by a woman is defiling. She said, "Politics can be good or bad depending entirely on those who make public affairs their personal affairs."

"The right kind of woman is needed in such activities," she stated, "although some men are not sympathetic to the promotion of women in public affairs."

In a resurrection story, "Our Christ Liveth," featuring a theme for all on Faith and Inspiration, Mrs. Dunn presented a warm and reassuring portrait of Christ, the Man, the Lord, and Master. She pictured the Resurrection as a drama centered around one key concept: "God is Love—His Existence, and that Jesus Christ is God."

Worth Howe, Jr., soloist, and Miss Marilyn Jones, pianist, both of Winters, presented Easter music.

Floral decorations in the chapel were irises, tulips, and daffodils. Mrs. Malcolm Morgan, president of the Fannie Stephens Study Club, introduced the speaker.

## Presbyterian Conquest Class to Hold Bake Sale

The Conquest Class of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., will hold a bake sale in the building adjoining Pearce-Bailey Drug on Saturday, April 4. The sale will begin at 9 a. m.

Members will have gift items for sale along with cakes, pies and cookies.

Everyone is invited to attend the sale and secure sweets for Easter.

Mrs. H. E. Steed and daughters, Monya and Sue, left Tuesday for Garland, where they will visit relatives the rest of the week.

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## WEST TEXAS NOTES

Ballinger and Runnels county officers are constantly conducting investigations in which youths are involved. They think some kind of a youth program is needed here to give young people more interest and keep them from violating laws. In recent months thefts have been reported in which a number of boys were participants. Just where the community fails is difficult to determine. Starting with the very young there is a very active cub program which provides interesting study for the boys and supervised play is under den mothers. For the next step Ballinger has one of the best scouting programs in this part of Texas and attendance is excellent. Ballinger school programs include music, manual training, vocational studies, athletics, dramas and varied social activities. Good playgrounds are provided but supervision is less than sufficient. Soon the city park facilities will be increased with one of the largest and most modern swimming pools in this region. Churches offer Sunday school training plus the various youth organizations. All local civic organizations have standing committees on youth activities. The problem needs more study and officers who deal with young people when they get into trouble should be the first to be consulted. It seems the churches, schools and civic groups are doing their part—maybe heads of homes should take a survey and see if the trouble is there.

Directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce are faced with the problem of trying to employ a manager who would be an asset to the city and still stay within the present budget. They find that the organization's income is just not on a par with chambers in other cities, and getting the right man is very difficult. Within a short time a large number of people will be called on to join the chamber, making monthly contributions to the organization, as well as giving some of their time in promoting projects. There are

Agreements have been reached for 7.2 miles of highway right-of-way from Coleman to Valera and deeds will be mailed to the state highway department soon. The new section of road will be a part of highway 67 but will be practically a complete new route. It will eliminate the hills and bad curves on the old route. The new highway will be 120 feet wide and will have new fences which will be built soon. In one place a section of REA poles and lines will have to be moved by Coleman county. This is the first phase of road improvement on highway 67 from Valera to Coleman, and a cut-off from Valera to Santa Anna has also been approved.

Sammy Baugh, nationally famous football player and for many years with the professional Washington Redskins, will be the guest speaker at Santa Ann tonight. The occa-

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more than sixty business and professional men here who do not belong to the chamber and all of these will be given an opportunity to join. There are also a number of members who are paying very small sums and increases will be requested. Every effort will be made by the directors to have the organization functioning at full strength as soon as possible. In the meantime, none of the business is being neglected and will continue to be handled by committee chairmen until a manager is employed.

sion will be the annual football banquet given by the Santa Anna Lions Club, honoring the high school football team. Baugh is now on the coaching staff at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene. He began his football career at Sweetwater and later was a star at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth.

James Buchanan Nabers, 96, a resident of Comanche county since 1857, was honored by friends last week. He helped to survey and lay out the town of Comanche and later built and operated the first hotel there. He served the town as postmaster several years, starting in 1869. He told friends of life in the early days in that region and declared that they had fun. He told of the pranks played on tenderfeet which included faked Indian raids, badger fights and snipe hunts.

Marine Sgt. James M. Williams, Jr., 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Williams, of Millersview, was recently killed in action in Korea. The parents were notified by telegram but no details of the death were given. Sgt. Williams arrived in Korea in February and was serving with the first marine division. He entered the service in August, 1950, and received training at San Diego.

John Q. McAdams, president of the Winters State Bank, has been selected as a member of the advisory committee to assist J. Everts Haley, director of the Institute of Americanism, Texas Technological College, Lubbock. The institute was set up in the summer of 1952 in keeping with a trust established by the Charles Ernest Maedgen Foundation. The purpose of the institute is to teach all students, especially those who plan to teach, the American system of free enterprise and the values of the American way of life.

The Rowena Lions Club is throwing full effort behind a move to secure a fire truck for the community. A benefit dance is to be held April 6, all the proceeds to go to the truck fund. The Happy-Go-Lucky Boys of Fredericksburg will furnish the music for the dance at the O.D.H.S. hall. Cost of the truck is about \$3,000, a small part of which has already been raised.

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A Red Cross bloodmobile unit will be at Bronte for one day, March 30. Arrangements have been made to use space at the First Baptist Church for the clinic and canteen. It is hoped to secure 120 pints of blood and committees started last week trying to sign 240 persons to pledge cards in order to be assured of the full number. It was pointed out that some would be rejected, that some would forget to come to the clinic and that double the number needed would have to be signed up.

Negotiations have been started to obtain 3.7 miles of right-of-way across a corner of Mills county leading from the Brown county line to a place on the Colorado River where a new bridge is to be built. This will permit an all-paved road from Brownwood to Richland Springs. Plans for the new Colorado River bridge were approved by the state highway commission last December. As soon as deeds to the right-of-way are signed work on the bridge is expected to be started.

The Brown County Sports-

man's Club will sponsor the regatta at Lake Brownwood and has set the date for March 17. This will be the 19th water show to be presented at this lake. A number of committees are to be named to look after the details. Already entries in the speed boat events have been numerous and the biggest show in the history of the regatta is predicted.

All Menard business men were called on for an afternoon of work at the city park Wednesday. The chamber of commerce asked for the special work and civic clubs joined the chamber in making the program a success. It was believed that one afternoon with a large crew would have the park in good condition. The district meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association will be held at Menard in April.

All schools in Erath county will take part in Save-the-Children "Bundle Week." From March 23 to 28 a state goal of 3,000,000 pounds of used clothing has been set. School officials have pointed out the need of clothing for use in this country and to be shipped overseas. The message stated that 5,000,000 in Korea alone were in need of clothing. Supt. Lewis E. Robinson, of Stephenville, is heading the Erath county campaign.

The old prisoner of war camp near Brady is to be disposed of by the government. Congressman O. C. Fisher reported last week that Karl Wallace, general service administration chief, of Dallas, has been directed to proceed with screening, advertising and disposing of the prop-

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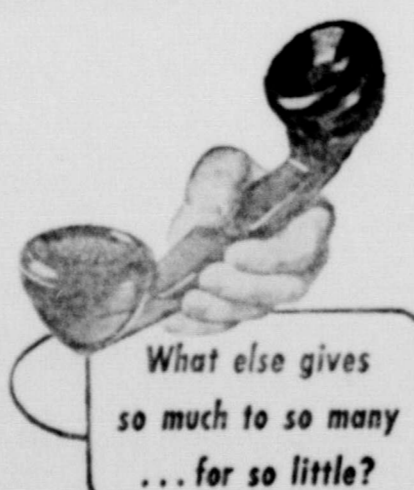
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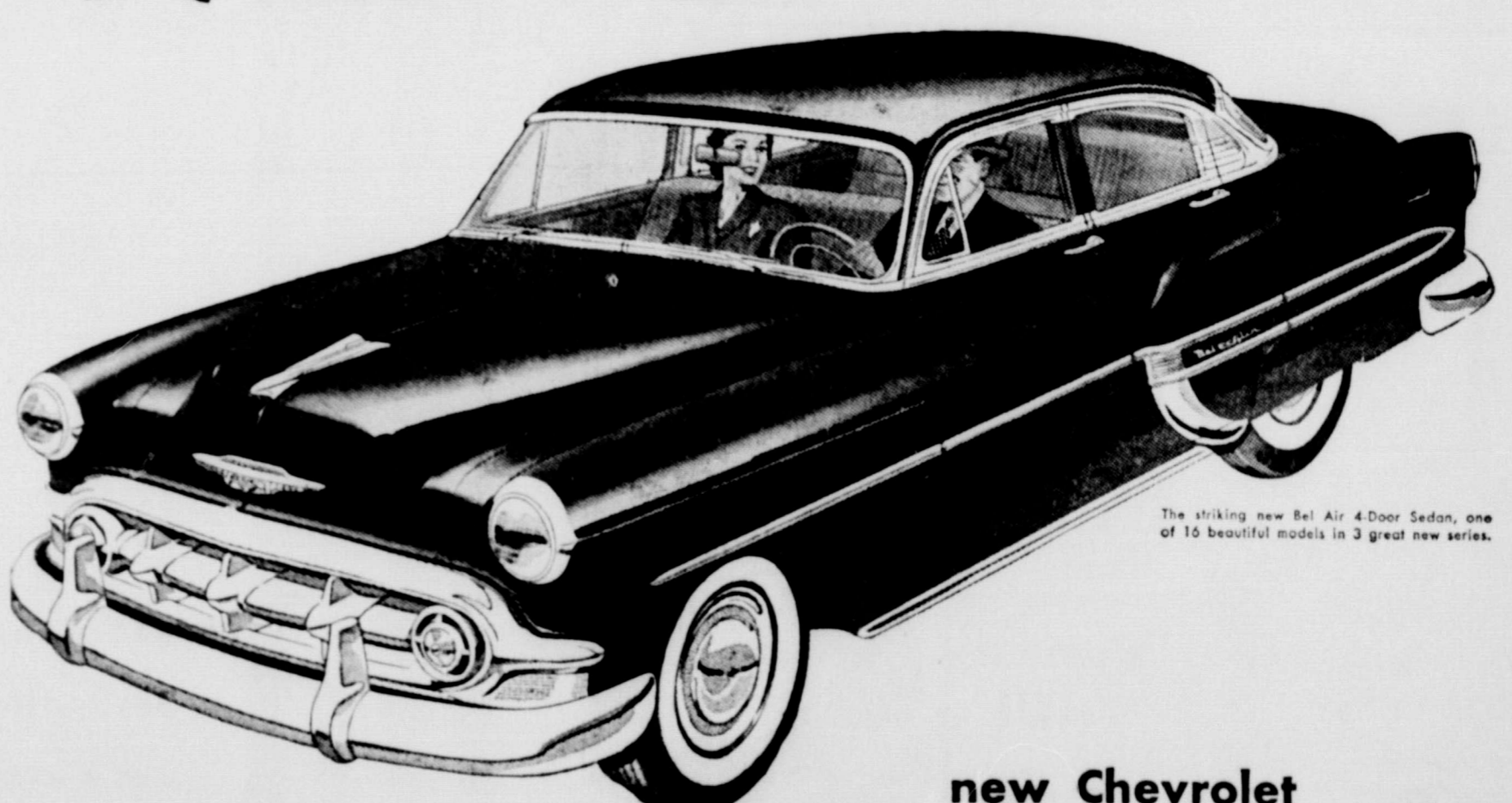


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### CREWS

Rev. and Mrs. Melvin Mathis and daughter, of Moran, visited the former's father, W. C. Mathis, Friday and Saturday. They and Miss Marguerite Mathis visited Mr. and Mrs. John Walraven, of Sterling City, and Mr. and Elvin Mathis, of San Angelo, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McIntire, of Littlefield, spent Thursday with the latter's niece, Mrs. Doyle Lee, and family.

Mrs. Carl Faubion and Mrs. James D. Carroll, of Talpa, attended the Women's Missionary Auxiliary meeting at the Baptist church Thursday.

Visitors in the Arthur Allcorn home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hale, Miles; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hale, Glen Cove; Mr. and Mrs. Noel Hale, Billie and Bob, of Talpa; Will Mathis and Miss Mar-

guerite Mathis were dinner guests in the J. O. Wood home Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Schwartz visited in the Steve Fulton home at Hatchel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nealon Stovall and daughter, of San Angelo, spent Wednesday and Thursday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stovall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Earhart and daughter and her husband, of Dallas; and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Klutz, of San Angelo, visited in the J. O. Wood home Saturday.

Cheryl Bragg visited Jerry Sue Hambricht Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vick, of Truth or Consequence, New Mexico are visiting this week in the W. L. Porter home. Mrs. Vick will be remembered as Burma Bates. Mr. and Mrs. Porter attended the singing at Winters Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bridwell went to church at Winters Sunday night to hear Fred Brown preach.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mathis spent the week-end at Dublin, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gray.

Elmer Lloyd, Dixon Phillips and Phyllis, Nancy and Jimmie Schwartz attended the Big State jamboree at Abilene Saturday night.

Dinner guests in the Marvin Hambricht home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Lange and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hambricht, Mr. Taylor and Dean.

### FRIENDLY FLOWER SHOP OPENED HERE THIS WEEK

The Friendly Flower Shop opened here Wednesday in the Talbot Building. Mrs. Dick Rhodes is the manager and operator and will carry a complete line of flowers for all occasions. She is an experienced operator and has spent several years in this business.

The firm is taking orders now for Easter flowers and Mrs. Rhodes extends an invitation to everyone to call, inspect the shop and get acquainted.

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You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, a newspaper printed in Runnels County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

### Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: Paul A. F. Cavadino, Defendant, Greeting:  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County at the Court-house thereof, in Ballinger, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 27th day of April, A. D. 1953, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1953, in this cause, numbered 6230 on the docket of said court and filed Juanita Cavadino, Plaintiff, vs. Paul A. F. Cavadino, Defendant.  
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit by plaintiff,

Juanita Cavadino, against defendant, Paul A. F. Cavadino, seeking annulment of their marriage, or in the alternative, a divorce; and that on final hearing plaintiff have judgment of annulment of the marriage, or in the alternative, judgment divorcing plaintiff from defendant, and that plaintiff's name be restored to Juanita Haupt, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.  
If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.  
The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.  
Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Ballinger, Texas, this 9th day of March, A. D. 1953.  
(Seal)

WILLIE STEPHENS, Clerk, District Court, Runnels County, Texas. 12-41

### "Pyorrhea" May Follow Neglect

Did you ever see an attractive person with irritated "GUMS"? Druggists refund money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to help. Pearce-Bailey Drug

## Susan Hayward in 'President's Lady,' Story of Andrew and Rachel Jackson

"The President's Lady," the story of Andrew and Rachel Jackson, is the major attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, March 29, 30.  
This production stars beautiful and tempestuous Susan Hayward, whose brilliant performances in the recent successes, "The Greatest Show on Earth" and "Ruby Gentry," have received universal acclaim.  
Andrew Jackson, familiarly known as "Old Hickory," was one of the most colorful characters in our political history. Jackson was a soldier, statesman and patriot—a man whose life was loaded with action, from the part he played in the Indian wars to his leadership in the battle of New Orleans, prior to his election to the presidency.  
The picture was adapted from the best seller, "The President's Lady," by Irving Stone.

## Noted Hollywood Stars, Lesser Lights Grace Hillcrest Drive-In Screen for Ensuing Week

"Soldiers Three," being presented at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre today and tomorrow, is Rudyard Kipling at his rollicking and adventurous best; a double-barreled action story of three fun-loving soldiers and their officers in the Rutlandshire Infantry of His Majesty's Army. Their adventures, varying from the hilarious to the dramatic in the heat of battle with the Indian forces at Hyderabad and the district of Mirzabad in the 1890s, add up to one of M-G-M's outstanding hits. The high-ranking cast includes Stewart Granger, Walter Pidgeon, David Niven, Greta Gynt, Robert Newton, and Movita Castenada.

Also billed at the Hillcrest Sunday and Monday is "On Moonlight Bay," starring Doris Day and Gordon MacRae.

The racy, romantic comedy, "Guest Wife," starring Claudette Colbert, is scheduled at the Hillcrest Tuesday and Wednesday, March 31, April 1, in conjunction with "Stand Up and Sing," a musical comedy.

In "Guest Wife," a fast-moving comedy of American life, Miss Colbert and the other players seem to get such a lot of fun out of the proceedings that their sparkle and enthusiasm are quickly absorbed by the audience. Don Ameche is co-starred and Dick Foran has a top supporting role.

Hilary Brooke plays a glamorous advertising executive in Republic's musical, "Stand Up and Sing." Constance Moore and William Marshall are other stars, while Bill Goodwin, Vera Vague, Johnny Coy, Dorothy Habb and Robert Homans have important supporting parts.

For its special anniversary program Saturday only, the Hillcrest will present a Bus Bunny revue and "Outriders," starring Joel McCrea and Arlene Dahl.

"The Ring," a first-run picture, to be shown at the Hillcrest Sunday and Monday, March 29, 30, was filmed to tell the truth about the prize-

## 'Naked Spur' Coming For Three-Day Billing

"The Naked Spur" will be shown at the Texas Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 2, 3, 4, with an all-star cast including James Stewart, Janet Leigh, Robert Ryan, Ralph Meeker and Millard Mitchell.

A hard-hitting adventure-drama of three men who are motivated by greed in joining up to track down a fugitive with a price on his head, this picture was filmed in Technicolor on locations in the Colorado Rockies, some of them in altitudes of 14,000 feet.

Stewart plays the man who pursues Ryan half way across the country in the hope of cashing in on the \$15,000 posted reward. The ruse by which Ryan is captured, the subse-

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The club expressed appreciation for a check donated by the Bethel Co-op Gin. Two members will be sent by the club to the district meeting at Menard in April.

Mrs. Ben Gully and Mrs. Ben J. Halfmann will attend the leader training meeting on "The Rule of Fourteen" to be held on March 31.

The Olfen and Rowena clubs will pack an Easter box for the children of the Abilene state hospital. Mrs. Theo Halfmann and Mrs. Ben J. Halfmann will assist with the packing.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on "Meat in the Diet." Outstanding points

were: why meat is needed, the amount of meat needed and cuts of meat.

Mrs. J. J. Hoelscher and Mrs. L. A. Halfmann served a sandwich plate with cake and coffee.

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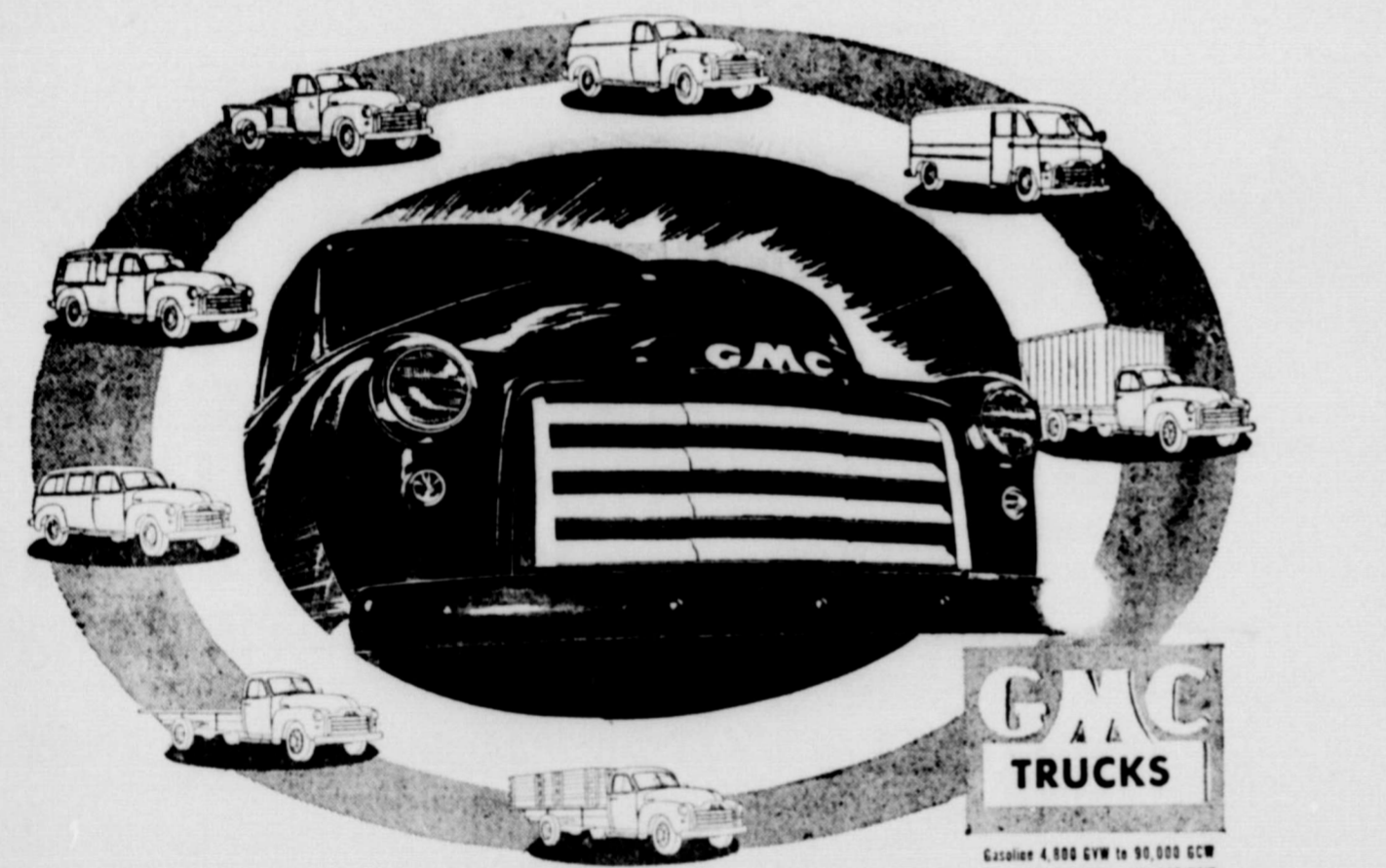
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FIRST RUN  
**RAW KID...**  
FORCED TO FIGHT LIKE A MAN BEFORE HE COULD LEARN TO LOVE LIKE ONE!  
**THE RING**  
GRETCHEN MOHR - RITA MORENO  
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**FOR SALE**—Milk cow with month old calf. Werner Niebus, Rowena. 1t

**FOR SALE**—Nice two bedroom home with bath. Floor furnaces, vented-in air conditioner, garage and well-kept yard. James Wear, phone 9875. 26-2t

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**COMING SOON**—New FHA houses, \$350 down plus closing fee. New addition, FHA approved. See **A. A. Watson**. 26-2t

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**CITY PERMIT ISSUED FOR NEW DWELLING**  
A city permit for Mrs. J. B. Turner was approved the first of the week. The \$3,000 permit is for a new residence on Fourteenth Street between Sharp and Hamilton avenues.

**BIRTHS**

Mr. and Mrs. Carley Watkins are parents of a son, Carley Lynn, who was born in a San Angelo hospital Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Patterson are maternal grandparents and Lonnie Watkins is the paternal grandfather.

**DEATHS**

**Mrs. Carrie Garcia**  
Mrs. Carrie Garcia, 26, died Sunday at the family home after being ill for a considerable time.

Decedent was born in Ballinger and attended local schools. She had made home here practically all her life.

Funeral services were held this morning at St. Joseph's Church and burial was to follow in the Latin-American cemetery.

Survivors include the husband, a son and her parents.

Mrs. Herman Hulsey and Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen visited their sisters at Hamlin Tuesday.

**Bob Vancil**, student at the University of Texas, Austin, was accompanied home the past week-end by his roommate, Cecil Sparks, of San Antonio, a senior. The boys visited Bob's father, Delbert Vancil, and his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shepperd and Mrs. Berta K. Spooner are at home after a visit at Waco with the Shepperds' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Graves, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wear returned home Sunday night after a visit with their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Wear, at Waco. They attended the play

"Othello," presented by the Baylor University Little Theatre. Miss Wear is business manager of the Little Theatre. On their return trip home the Wears visited the Dogwood Trail in progress near Palestine and Lufkin, and also visited sections of Texas where the redbud trees were at the height of the season.

**SOCIETY**

**Birthday Social Held in Gully Home**

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Gully honored their children, Diana Lynn and Pat, on their fifth and sixth birthday anniversaries Sunday. Also honored was Sgt. Jerome Hoelscher, who has just returned home from Korea.

The white birthday cake, decorated with red rosebuds, was made by the honoree's aunt, Mrs. Alex Halfmann, of Wall.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Halfmann, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gully, grandparents of the children, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Halfmann, Wall; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Halfmann, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Hillary Gully and Linda, Sgt. and Mrs. Jerome Hoelscher, and Annel, Mrs. J. J. Hoelscher and sons, Mrs. Ray Gene Hoelscher, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wenenschloeger, Rosie and J. J. Fuchs, Joan Goetz, Sandy and J. B. Gully, Jr.

**Dr. Wharton Installs Women of Church Officers**

A meeting of First Presbyterian, U. S., Women of the Church was held Monday afternoon in the church parlors on Broadway for the annual installation of officers.

Mrs. Estes Lynn, president, directed the business and heard annual reports from officers. Mrs. John I. Gulion was at the piano for the prelude and hymn accompaniments. Mrs. Lynn gave the devotional.

Dr. Conway T. Wharton, church pastor, used an impressive theme when he installed the following new officers and hold-overs: president, Mrs. Estes Lynn; vice-president, Mrs. Paul Trimmer; secretary, Mrs. E. W. Stasney; treasurer, Mrs. Alex Saunders; historian, Mrs. R. R. Migell; circle chairman, Mrs. F. M. Pearce and Mrs. Harry Lynn; Business Women chairman, Mrs. M. E. Bogress; Home Circle chairman, Mrs. Warren Lynn; Committee chairmen are spiritual life, Mrs. Joel Bates; world missions, Mrs. Conway T. Wharton; church extension, Mrs. W. B. Woody; Christian education, Mrs. R. T. Hall; annuities and relief, Mrs. B. W. Claunch; stewardship, Mrs. Alex McGregor; assemblies special causes, Mrs. Ernest Cozeaux.

At the social hour Mrs. E. M. Lynn was hostess and served individual pineapple cream pies with cheese balls and hot tea. Church parlors were decorated with tulips and daffodils.

Others present were: Misses Lela McAdams, Chester Cherry, Q. V. Miller, L. J. Campbell, and M. B. Wardlaw.

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Mr. and Mrs. Smith and another daughter, Mrs. J. Boothe, and Mr. Boothe, and grandchildren accompanied Mrs. Holton to Sunday services at the Eighth Street Church of Christ in the morning. The pretty white cake, decorated with yellow rosebuds, which was made by Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen, was served at the birthday dinner.

Friends called in the afternoon to present gifts and flowers to the honoree.

Mrs. Holton was born in Mississippi on March 22, 1870. She came to Texas with her parents when she was six months old. She and the late Mr. Holton, who passed away in 1933, came to Runnels county 45 years ago and engaged in farming. Mrs. Holton moved to her home on Seventh Street in 1937, where she lived until three years ago when she moved to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

She has one other child, A. R. Holton, Church of Christ minister at Nashville, Tennessee, who was unable to attend the celebration.

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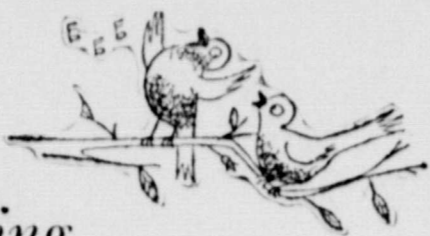
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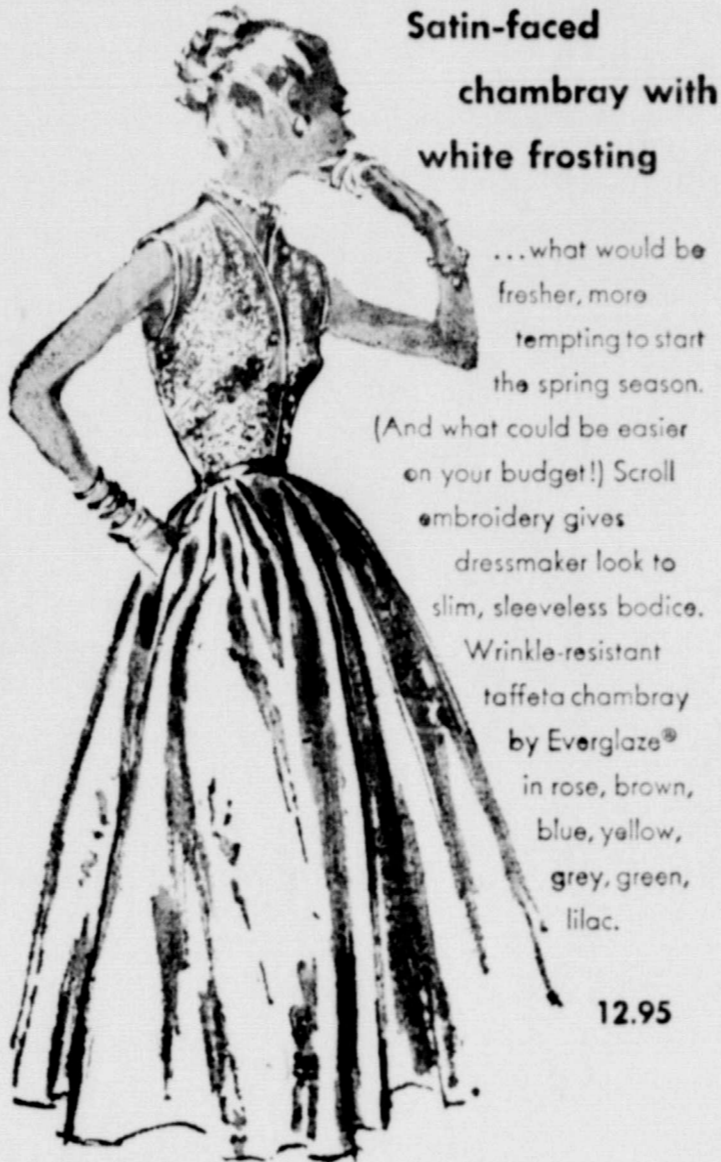
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Funeral services for R. L. Smith, brother-in-law of Mr.

and Mrs. E. S. Malone, of Ballinger, were held at Houston Wednesday. A resident of Houston, deceased.

ent suffered a heart attack Monday and died in a Houston hospital at 5:30 a. m. Tuesday. Mrs. Malone was notified of

the death of her sister's husband early Tuesday morning, and she and Mr. Malone left immediately for Houston to attend the funeral.

Bicycles to Move  
With Car Traffic  
On Local Streets

Supl. Ernest Caskey stated the past week-end that teachers and school officials were giving children instructions on the riding of bicycles in traffic. There has been considerable traffic on Eighth Street in recent weeks and this will increase with better weather.

Some of the children have been riding against the traffic and others with the movement of cars, making it difficult for motorists to dodge the youngsters. All children are being told to ride their bicycles with the traffic and car drivers urged to use every precaution on streets leading to the various schools.

The bicycle traffic is heavier on Eighth Street with so many going to the west ward school. School officials complimented local car drivers for their care and consideration during heavy kiddy traffic, especially early each morning.

There is no ordinance governing the manner in which bicycles shall be ridden on local streets. All parents are

urged to inform their children to ride in the same direction that cars are going and to stay as near the curb as possible to give room for cars to pass in the center of the street.

CABINET MAKES PLANS FOR LIONS CONFERENCE  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr. and Tommy, spent the past week-end at San Antonio, where Mr. Nixon attended the cabinet meeting for Lions clubs of district 2A.

En route to San Antonio they stopped for a visit at the Lion clubs' crippled children's camp at Kerrville. A major portion of the camp has been completed and it will be opened on June 1. Plans have been made to take 300 crippled children this summer.

At the cabinet meeting, plans were made for the district conference to be held at McAllen on May 10, 11, and 12.

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Mrs. Conway T. Wharton, retired missionary to the Belgian Congo, spoke on "The Women of Africa" to the Bethel home demonstration club Thursday afternoon when it was hostess to the South Ballinger home demonstration club and added guests in the Bethel Methodist church.  
The program was opened by the singing of "America." Mrs. Claude Thompson gave the prayer. Mrs. J. H. Shelburne conducted the business and

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introduced the speaker. A gift from the Bethel club was presented Mrs. Wharton at the conclusion of her interesting talk. Mrs. Wharton and her husband, Dr. Wharton, served as missionaries to Africa for a number of years.

The spring theme was carried out in white iris arrangements and other blois to ma. Punch and cookies were served following the program.

South Ballinger club guests were: Mmes. J. L. Ohlhausen, J. P. Boothe, B. M. Batta, James Boothe, Tom Crockett, Calton Smith, Neuman Smith, Tom McEntire, E. M. Walters, Roy Holstead, J. W. Jones, J. C. Reese, Dick Holstead, Jack Fry, Ed Farley, V. L. McShan, Archie Wallace. Added guests were Mmes. C. E. Cape, M. J. Winans, Sally McShan, Bud Gray, Frank Kre, J. W. Batta, Arbert Hoffman, Ross Smith Mr. and Mrs. Robert Batta, of Phoenix, Arizona.

Host club members present were: Mmes. L. T. Allen, Eugene Baker, Oran Bigby, J. W. Little, Herman Hallmark, Marion Hays, Louis Loika, Mead McShan, Charles Owens, Bill Ransberger, Ardell Richards, Grady Richards, Claude Simmons, Clyde Simmons, Shelburne, and Claude Thompson.

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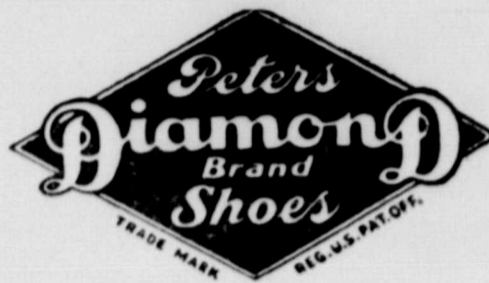
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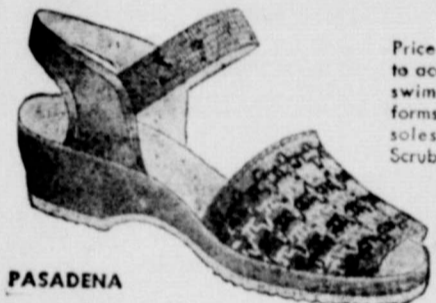
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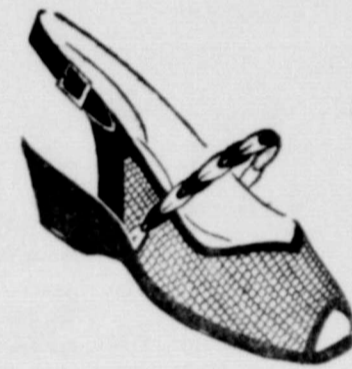


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Mr. and Mrs. Haupt and two children have already moved to Rockdale to make home. Mr. Clifton will remain here as manager of the Ballinger business.



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### CREWS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Crews home demonstration club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Arthur Alcorn. Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, gave suggestions on meat in the diet. "Meat cooked at low temperatures is necessary for tenderness and fine flavor," she told club members. She added that moist cooking should be used on the tougher cuts.

Members held a plant and seed exchange and it was learned that the Florida jasmine is a blooming shrub that holds its leaves through the winter.

Mrs. Marvin Hale gave the

council report.  
Mrs. Alcorn and Mrs. Hale served a salad plate and lead tea to: Meses. Will Porter, Ed McMillan, Elvin Bridwell, Edgar Jayroe, and Miss Chenoweth.  
The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Jayroe in April 3 and the program will be "The Rule of Fourteen."

In China, a dinner begins with the dessert course.

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## SOCIETY

#### Methodist W. S. C. S. Circles Meet in Homes

At regular circle meetings of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, which were held in homes, the Bible lesson "Unto the Mountains," and the devotional, "Unto You," were given.

Mrs. Arch Brookshier and Mrs. Lillian Holt were hostesses to the Sully Odom Circle in the Broadway home of Mrs. Brookshier, at which Mrs. Holt presided, as chairman. Mrs. P. L. Wells brought the devotional and Mrs. J. W. Barr gave the lesson.

#### Hostesses served cake and coffee. Others were: Mmes. Grady Richards, R. A. Dickinson, W. O. Irby, Sam Conner, H. G. Agnew, John Loveless, J. W. Gynes, Oliver Cochran, D. W. Donham, J. F. Carrie, D. L. Vestal and R. D. Midgley.

The Campbell circle members were entertained in the home of Mrs. George Newby in Wilke Terrace with Mrs. E. L. Rampy as co-hostess.

Rooms were decorated with bouquets of gladioli, carnations, and other spring flowers where Mrs. Tom Crockett conducted the business period. Mrs. Felix

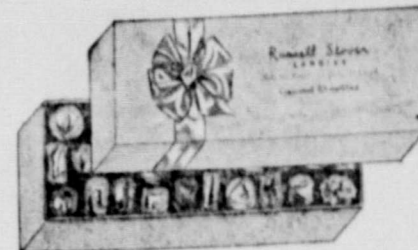
Itz presented the devotional and Mrs. Laura Crockett gave the Bible lesson. After the opening song members answered roll by giving Scripture verses.

Hostesses served a dessert plate with coffee. The Easter theme was carried out in plate appointments. Others were: Mmes. Hatton Laxson, Lee Evans, Sam Behringer, C. M. Gibson and George M. Beard.

Mrs. W. H. Coleman was hostess to Elsie Gressett Circle members, entertaining in her Sixth Street home, where arrangements of irises and bridal wreath were used for floral adornment.

Mrs. Coleman directed the business routine. Mrs. Marion Hays brought the devotional and Mrs. Tom Caudle gave the

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- Light Globes Frosted, 75, 100 Watt Tax Included Ea. 18c
- Light Globes Clear, 150 Watt Tax Included Ea. 22c
- Light Globes 100-Watt Yellow Bug Lamp Ea. 29c

#### Easter Candy Treats

- Candy Easter Eggs Hoxbury 13-Oz. Pkg. 29c
- Jelly Bird Eggs Hoxbury Candy 16-Oz. Pkg. 29c

We reserve the right to limit quantities and to refuse sales to dealers.

#### New Potatoes

- Crispy Red Radishes Fresh Mild-Flavored 3 Buns. 10c
- Red Potatoes Colorado McClures Economy Pack, All-Purpose 10-Lb. Bag 49c
- Florida Oranges Sweet Juicy 8-Lb. Bag 55c
- Winesap Apples Washington All Purpose 1-Lb. 17c
- Calavos California 30-Size 1-Lb. 19c
- Head Lettuce Crisp Tender 1-Lb. 12c
- Texas Carrots Firm, Smooth Tender, Sweet 1-Lb. 10c
- Pascal Celery Crisp Tender 1-Lb. 10c
- Yellow Squash Young Tender 1-Lb. 15c
- Mustard or Turnip Greens Non. 5c

Prices effective Thursday, Friday and Saturday in BALLINGER.

#### STORE HOURS

Mon. through Fri. Saturday  
8:00 a.m.—6:30 p.m. 8:00 a.m.—8:00 p.m.

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#### Canned Food Values

- Pineapple Lalani Crushed No. 2 Can 27c
- Spiced Peaches Del Monte Whole No. 2 1/2 Can 45c
- Bartlett Pears Harper House No. 1 Can 25c
- Cherub Milk Top Quality Evaporated 2 Cans 27c
- Chili with Beans Walker's Swift's No. 300 Can 32c
- Deviled Ham Libby's No. 1/2 Can 18c
- Potted Meat Libby's No. 1/2 Can 25c
- Luncheon Meat Swift's Prem. 12-Oz. Can 45c

#### Shop and Save... Safeway

If any item in this advertisement should fail to please you in any way, your full purchase price will be refunded.

#### Check These Low Prices

- Canterbury Tea Orange Pekoe 4-Oz. 29c
- Salad Dressing Duchess "Made in Texas" 12-Oz. Jar 55c
- Karo Syrup Red Label No. 1 1/2 Can 23c
- Powdered Milk Lar-Mix Makes 5 Quarts 1-Lb. Pkg. 37c
- Baby Cereals Gerber's Ready to Serve 8-Oz. Pkg. 17c
- Pinto Beans Sunny Hills Cello Pack 2-Lb. Pkg. 33c
- Toilet Tissue Suk 2 Reg. Rolls 15c
- Detergent Buy 2 Pkgs. Surf and Get 2 Bars Lux Soap 2 Lge. Pkgs. 58c
- Rik Rak Cleanser 14-Oz. Can 11c

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#### More Good Buys

- Fleet Mix For Better Biscuits 48-Oz. Pkg. 45c
- Pancake Mix Suzanna 40-Oz. Pkg. 30c
- Salad Oil Mayday For Tastier Salads 1-Gal. Bot. 67c
- Corn Highway Vacuum Packed 2 12-Oz. Cans 25c
- Tomatoes Gardendale No. 2 Cans 25c
- Margarine Sunnybank "Made in Texas" 1-Lb. Pkg. 26c
- Fresh Eggs Breakfast Gems Grade A, Large, White Doz. 71c
- Fresh Eggs Oak Glen, Grade A Large, Mixed Colors Doz. 65c
- Black Pepper Crown Colony 1-Oz. Can 23c
- Cream of Wheat 1-Minute Show 28-Oz. Pkg. 31c
- Long Grain Rice Shaw Boat 2-Lb. Pkg. 35c

#### Frankfurters

- Sliced Bacon Capitol, Sugar Cured 1-Lb. And Low in Price! Pkg. 49c
- Round Steak Top or Bottom, Boneless U. S. Choice, Heavy Beef Lb. 79c
- Smoked Picnics Short Shank Lb. 35c
- Bacon Squares Fine for Seasoning Lb. 25c
- Somerset, Fancy Grade Stock up for Picnics 1-Lb. Cello 39c
- Sliced Bacon Poppy, Fancy Northern Cured 1-Lb. Pkg. 65c
- Pork Sausage Brookfield Pure Pork Links 1-Lb. Pkg. 55c
- Pork Sausage Wingate Pure Pork 1-Lb. Pkg. 39c
- Cooked Picnics 1/4-Lb. Can Ready to Eat Ea. \$3.39

#### Smoked Picnics

- Ground Beef Freshly Ground We Guarantee You'll Enjoy It! Lb. 35c
- Chuck Roast U. S. Choice, Heavy Beef, Blade Cut It's Trimmed Before Weighing Lb. 43c
- Beef Plate Fine for Stewing and Barbecuing Lb. 23c

#### Pie Cherries

- Honeybird, Red, Sour Pitted... Bake a Pie Today! 5 No. 2 Cans \$1.00

#### Sausage

- Lil' Rebel Vienna Quick, Economical Snacks 2 3 1/2-Oz. Cans 15c

#### Tuna Fish

- Torpedo Grated California Light Meat 5 No. 1/2 Cans \$1.00

#### Sardines

- Tempest, Oil Pack Maine, Superior Quality 3 No. 1/2 Cans 20c

#### Kleenex

- Facial Tissue, 200 Count Stock up at this Low Price! 2 Reg. Pkgs. 25c

#### Scot Tissue

- Toilet Tissue Leader in Quality 3 Reg. Rolls 25c

#### Flour

- Harvest Blossom, Guaranteed All-Purpose Enriched Flour 10-Lb. Bag 69c

#### Pickle Strips

- Rainbo, Sweet Dill Crisp, Zippy, Cool 16-Oz. Jar 29c

#### Whole Pickles

- American Sour or Dill; Crispy, Tangy 22-Oz. Jar 19c

#### Marshmallows

- Snow Clouds Taste Treat 8-Oz. Cello 9c

#### Fresh, Fresh Coffee

- Airway Coffee Freshly Roasted Mld, Mellow 1-Lb. Pkg. 77c
- Airway Coffee Freshly Roasted Mld, Mellow 3-Lb. Pkg. \$2.29
- Nob Hill Coffee Freshly Roasted Rich, Robust 1-Lb. Pkg. 79c
- Nob Hill Coffee Freshly Roasted Rich, Robust 2-Lb. Pkg. \$1.57
- Edwards Coffee Top Quality Vacuum Pack 1-Lb. Can 85c
- Edwards Coffee Top Quality Vacuum Pack Can 2-Lb. \$1.67

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