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NO. 7

Humble Station Pumps 45,000 Barrels a Day

J. W. Guynes, manager of the Humble pipeline station, southeast of Ballinger, stated this week that the station was handling around 45,000 barrels of oil daily and he expected this to be increased.

The total per month will run about 1,300,000 barrels and pumping is east and west from the station to take care of the load. Mr. Guynes also stated that there were pipeline and machinery here to handle up to 70,000 barrels a day.

A new 4-inch line has been

Rotary's Pancake Supper, Program Scheduled May 5

The Ballinger Rotary Club is completing plans for the annual pancake supper. The affair will be held on the evening of May 5 at City Park and besides the supper, a good program will be presented.

Dr. Conway T. Wharton has named a number of committees to look after the arrangements. These details include installing a large number of hot plates and griddles, the Rotarians to do the cooking. The menu will include sausages, hot cakes, butter, maple syrup and a drink.

A ticket sale committee will start a campaign within a short time, the dinner tickets to sell for 50 cents each. Serving will begin at 6:30 p. m. and continue until everybody has been fed.

E. Shepperd will be in charge of the program and has announced a concert by the Bearcat Band, under the direction of M. T. Camp, starting at 8:30. At about 8:30, or when most of the customers have been fed, the student council of the Ballinger high school will present a one-act play. A special stage will be set up for this production and everybody will be urged to stay at the park until this feature is presented.

Committees are working out plans for handling the crowd better and faster than last year. Service lanes will be marked with posts and wire and several lines will pass by the hot plates at the same time.

The first pancake supper, held last May, attracted a much larger crowd than had been expected. This year the members are planning to take care of everyone much faster.

GLORIFYING THE TEXAS BLUEBONNETS



THE TEXAS BLUEBONNET PHOTO FIESTA at Marlin, Texas, will be the center for photofans of the southwest to take part in two days of field trips into vast areas here of Texas' official wild flower—the bluebonnet! Photographers gather for this annual event to record the pictorial beauty of the bluebonnets and pretty models like Doris Rogers add charm to the scenes when the flowers are in full bloom.

5 Wells Finalled For Production During the Week

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 1-John L. Barron, Palo Pinto discovery 2½ miles south of Winters, flowed 82 barrels of 42.3 gravity oil during the first 19 hours of a potential gauge. Total depth of the hole is 3,682 feet and the location is ¾ of a mile northwest of production in the Winters (Serratt) field.

The Jim Burt (Caddo) field has been extended ½ a mile southeast on the southern side with completion of E. P. Thomas and Ab-Tex Drilling Co. No. 2-W A. Parramore. The calculated daily flow is 339.51 barrels of 47.2 gravity oil. The potential was based on an eight-hour run from perforations between 4,391 and 4,399 feet.

Thomas D. Humphrey & Son, of Dallas, will drill a 4,200-foot try in the Lindemann-McMillan field, tours to be started at once.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 1-Mrs. Carrie Young will be a one-mile outpost of the South Winters field. A permit has been issued for 5,900 feet.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. No. 2A-W. L. Lafoon, ¾ of a mile west of production in the Hull-Dobbs field, has been staked for drilling to 4,200 feet.

Southern California Petroleum Corp. No. 1-Joe Sanger, wildcat, 15 miles northeast of Winters, has been staked and will go to 4,500 feet.

H. H. & L. Production Co. No. 1-C. C. McKnight, four miles northeast of Crews and one mile east of production in the East Cree-Sykes field, is projected for 3,800 feet.

E. K. and E. M. Burt No. 3C-D. J. Goetz, in the Jim Burt (Caddo) field, has been completed for a daily flowing potential of 760 barrels of 46 gravity oil. Top of pay was found at 4,372 feet.

Union Sulphur & Oil No. 2-A. B. Stovall was finalled for a daily flow of 190 barrels of 43.5 gravity oil. Production is from the Fry sand and top of pay is 3,510 feet.

S. C. Herring No. 7-Aldridge, in the Aldridge field, flowed 192 barrels per day upon completion. Pay was found at 3,950 feet.

City Will Seek Bids On New Water Lines

The Ballinger city commission held an all-day meeting Tuesday and transacted considerable business. Meeting with the city engineer, it was voted to ask for bids on the purchase and laying of 6,000 feet of new water lines.

The new lines are two locations and will eliminate two bottlenecks in water distribution. The first project is 3,000 feet of 8-inch pipe on a lead line from the plant into the city. This would be laid in the vicinity of the housing project to replace a small line which has been handicapping delivery of water to the storage reservoir.

Approximately 3,300 feet of

6-inch pipe would be put down in the new section of Wilke Terrace to improve distribution in the area and to make possible lines for contemplated new homes.

The commission also voted to ask for bids for the purchase of a new police car.

B. C. D. Construction Co. received approval on a new residence for A. G. Buchanan in the amount of \$9,000. The new dwelling will be located on Pou Avenue between Second and Third streets.

Numerous other routine items were discussed at the meeting and disposed of before the adjournment late in the afternoon.

Membership Campaign Launched by Chamber

The membership committee of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce has launched a drive for new members and last week began mailing cards to 194 prospects.

The committee is using a series of four cards to be sent to the new members and later personal contacts will be made of all who have not signed up as a result of the mailing. The campaign being tried is a proven plan which has been used in many towns.

Claude Mansell and C. A. Bissett are co-chairmen for the membership campaign and the

office secretary is mailing the cards and other materials.

As soon as the campaign is concluded, directors will check the monthly income with a view to employing a manager.

The office secretary and officers of the organization have been looking after the projects since the resignation of Jack Prigden several weeks ago.

The naming of a new manager has been postponed because the monthly income would not justify the expense of the kind of man desired by the directors.

Stock Raisers Derive Benefits From Conservation Practices

Herman Giesecke, Jr., of Ballinger, obtained a 105 per cent lamb crop from about 1,250 Rambouillet ewes on the Giesecke ranch, located in the southwestern corner of the Runnels county soil conservation district. He fed only 95 sacks of cake and no hay. His pastures are in good and high fair condition, the secret being deferred grazing and correct stocking rates.

Giesecke takes half and leaves half the growth of his taller, higher grasses. He completely rests one or two pastures each growing season and this permits better intake of water and less evaporation. This results in more vigorous plants to protect the soil from washing and blowing. It also leaves him some cured feed for the winter and a reserve against drought.

He finds that as his pastures improve, there are less harmful plant seedlings.

Giesecke has been carrying out a coordinated conservation program with the aid of the soil conservation service technicians who assist all farmers and ranchmen who request help through the county association. The district was established as a legal subdivision of Texas by vote of the landowners in the district, who in turn elected five supervisors to govern it. These supervisors requested the technical assistance of the SCS from the department of agriculture. Giesecke is chairman of the local board.

Lloyd Herring, of Ballinger, has gained some more dollar benefits on conservation ranching. He rested 2,260 acres of bare Harrison county soil for two years. Last year it was in fair to good condition and his sheep went through last fall and winter in good shape without a feed bill.

Soil conservation specialists state that livestock cannot be used to measure correct range use, because overgrazing a range can produce good animals for a while. A rancher's wealth is being judged more and more by the amount and kind of grass he has, rather than the number of livestock. If grass is holding nearly all the rain it gets, even the fast ones, there is enough cover and the range can improve.

A recent survey showed that ranches with the range in good condition annually produce 97 pounds more beef per breeding cow, or \$1,088 more per section than ranches with the range in poor condition. These specialists say, "take care of your grass and it will take care of you."

Mrs. Naomi Kothley and Miss Lillian Knowles, San Angelo teachers, visited in Ballinger Sunday.

Legion, Auxiliary Plan Two Special Programs in May

The Ballinger American Legion post has planned a dinner-meeting to be held on May 4 to which all members will be invited and other Legionnaires of this section will be included. W. B. Woody was named chairman for the special program.

The Auxiliary voted a \$10 contribution to the cancer fund and made plans for holding the spring poppy sale on May 23. A total of 1,500 poppies were ordered from the veterans' hospital at Legion and members will be on the streets for one day to sell them.

Mrs. D. G. Posey gave a report on rehabilitation work during the past month.

The Auxiliary voted to cancel summer meetings and will hold its next regular business meeting in September.

In a joint meeting of the post and Auxiliary Mrs. Dalton Crockett gave a report from the national child welfare department on youth delinquency.

Following the meeting the two units held a social hour with coffee and doughnuts for refreshments.

Members of both groups were happy to have a former member, Otis Jacob, back in the meeting after hospitalization several months.

JACK HAMPTON, JR., TO GO TO SOUTH AMERICAN FIELD

Jack Hampton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hampton, of Ballinger, has received an appointment by the Methodist Board of Missions for special work in South America.

Hampton has been with the First Methodist Church of Lamesa since finishing studies at McMurry College, Abilene. Several months ago he became an applicant for missionary work in Korea but the quota was filled. He was asked to apply for a field in South America and last week received his appointment for three years on his first tour of duty.

He will leave here June 27 for Hartford, Connecticut, and after special training there, will depart the first week in September for his assignment.

SPECIALIST WILL VISIT DEMONSTRATION AGENT

Miss Jimmie Nell Harris, extension service food specialist, will be here Saturday for a conference with Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent.

Missionary Here For Talk Tonight

Miss Ruth Matchett, R. N., missionary nurse for the Church of the Nazarene in South Africa, will speak at the local church tonight at 7:45. This was announced Monday by the pastor, Rev. Ivan Kountter.



Miss Ruth Matchett

Miss Matchett is now in the United States on her first furlough. She will engage in extensive deputation work while in this country.

Sailing for South Africa in 1947, Miss Matchett was stationed first at the Bremersdroop Hospital in Swaziland. She served there until 1951, when she was transferred to the health center at Stegi, Swaziland. Here she had charge of the outpatient department and frequently visited outpatient dispensaries to hold clinics. She also was head of the orphanage there.

The public is cordially invited to hear the talk.

Presbyterians Hold Dedication Service

Rev. Alvin O. Rue, church pastor, conducted a dedication service at the First Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

A number of brass articles for the altar had been given the church, commemorating pioneer relatives and honoring parents. These were dedicated and set apart in a ceremony.

The church gifts were: a brass cross as a memento for Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coulter, given by their children; two brass vases, one given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cockrell, by their children, and the other in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius P. Wood, given by the Wood children; two brass candlesticks, in memory of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hathaway, given by Drury Hathaway, two offering plates, one in memory of Mr. A. W. Sledge, and the other a memento for Mrs. A. W. Sledge, given by the Sledge children.

The service was also dedicated to pioneer members of the church, many of whom were in attendance.

A full vested choir presented appropriate music for the dedicatory ceremony.

Revival at Norton Will Close Sunday

A revival meeting was started at the Norton Baptist church Friday night of last week and will continue through Sunday night.



Rev. Ralph Perkins

Rev. Ralph Perkins, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ranger, is delivering the gospel messages.

Rev. Jim Houghton, pastor at Norton, is assisting in the revival.

The public is cordially invited to attend the closing services.

More Than Inch In Showers Here Wednesday Night

The official measurement of rainfall in Ballinger for last night and to 8:00 a. m. today was 1.15 inches. Accurate reports from over the county were not available this morning but all places heard from had received hard showers.

The downpour was accompanied by high wind and a severe electrical disturbance but this lasted only a few minutes.

Travelers arriving here from Bronte this morning said it rained all the way and seemed to be about the same as gauged here.

At press time today there were low hanging clouds and a possibility of more moisture.

All night baseball games in West Texas Wednesday were called because of rain.

PECAN DEMONSTRATIONS SLATED HERE TOMORROW

County Agent John Barton urges that all pecan growers attend the special programs to be held here tomorrow.

The morning session will be held at the Leo Slides place west of Ballinger and the afternoon session will be in the district court room of the court house. College Station specialists will give the demonstrations and talks.

INTERIOR OF KEEL DRUG GETS DECORATION WORK

The Keel Drug Store has a new interior decoration job which has added to the looks of the store and made it much lighter.

Most of the work has been done on Sunday and evenings without disturbance to business.

Coaches Contract Operation of New Swimming Pool

The Ballinger city commission in session Tuesday morning entered into a contract with the three school coaches for the operation of the municipal swimming pool.

Douglas Cox, Frank Barnett and Bill Scoggins will work out a schedule of operating hours and other details and submit them to the commission next week. It was said that a schedule would be set up whereby two of the coaches would be on duty at all times.

The three men will have charge of the concessions, life guards and every other phase of supervising the pool. They will make an announcement in regard to swimming classes and other special features to be included in the contract.

The commission also authorized a large number of small jobs at the pool which will be done within the next two weeks. Concession equipment will be set up, clothes hangers installed in dressing rooms, signs posted and additional doors installed so that all parts of the building can be locked.

A waterproof paint will be applied in the shower rooms so that water cannot soak into the tile construction.

20 Men Organize Downtown Bible Class at First Meeting

Twenty men were present at the Runnels Theatre Sunday morning for the organization of a downtown men's Bible class. Cold weather kept a number away from the first meeting but those present were enthusiastic in making plans for the next meeting.

It was decided to operate with temporary officers for two weeks, when the class probably will be built to full strength, and on Sunday, May 3, permanent officers will be elected. Bill Moore is acting as temporary president and O. L. Huddleston is the temporary secretary-treasurer.

Rev. A. O. Rue, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., made an inspiring talk in which he said he had long dreamed of a downtown class and believed there was a real need for such an organization. He also told of the success of a class here in 1928 and showed a scrap book and a picture of the class which met each week in the Palace Theatre. He pledged his support in any way he could be of service.

A committee was appointed to secure a teacher for next Sunday and another committee will attend to securing a piano, song books and a song leader.

All present Sunday agreed to work on a membership committee this week and will invite many men to attend the class. About 100 invitation cards will be mailed this week to prospective members.

The theatre will be opened at 9:00 a. m. next Sunday and there will be coffee and doughnuts as well as the morning papers. The program will start at 9:30 and will be concluded in time for those present to attend church services.

H.D. Club Women In Menard Today For Convention

A delegation of Runnels county club women left this morning for Menard to attend the district convention of the Texas Home Demonstration Association Official delegates for this county are Mrs. B. M. Batts, Mrs. W. W. Mitchell and Mrs. J. C. Jarrell, but every club in the county is expected to have representatives.

The one-day program opened with registration at 9:00 a. m. and general programs will be presented all day to which all members are invited. At the business session closing the meeting this afternoon only the elected delegates may vote.

The Runnels county women were hand-made badges showing a small map of the county and the location of each club. A small umbrella above the county is being struck by golden raindrops.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, stated that the group would not assemble here but that each club's delegation would arrive at Menard in time for registering.

Three School Bands To Present Concert Next Thursday Eve

The instrumental department of the Ballinger public schools will have three bands, intermediate, junior high school and senior Bearcat, in a concert on Thursday night, April 30.

A varied program has been arranged and the public is cordially invited to attend.

M. T. Camp, director, stated that the instrumental music program is a vast enterprise, the purpose of which is to provide, not only musical training, but an aid to character and personality development. Attendance at the concert should reveal the possibilities for service to an increasing number of talented pupils who have not, as yet, found a place in any musical organization.

Admission is 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students.

Various Affairs Take Attention Of BHS Students

Twirp Week began Monday for Ballinger high school students, to be continued through the week-end. This is a high-point of the student social season.

Students enjoyed one of the best Southern Assembly programs of the year Monday, presented by the Trampoline Stars, Ed and Betty Tennent. The performance was shifted to the gymnasium because of the nature of the act, which included tumbling and other stunts. It fitted in with the school's physical education course and after the performance an explanation of the feats was given.

A large group of students went to Bronte Wednesday to present a program. Acts from a recent talent show here were selected for this presentation. Bronte students will repay the visit by presenting a program here on May 6.

The Bearcat band will hold its annual banquet (Friday) night concert tomorrow (Friday) night. The choral club will have its annual outing at Ben Ficklin, near San Angelo, Saturday.

The annual concert by the Bearcat band will be presented in the high school auditorium the night of April 30. Tickets will go on sale in advance.

On Tuesday, April 28, the homemaking department will have a paid assembly program in the high school auditorium.

PAYNE ELECTED COACH AT McMURRY COLLEGE

Edgar Payne has been made assistant football coach at McMurry College, Abilene, and he and Mrs. Payne will move there about August 1.

Payne was coach at Dublin his first year out of college and last year coached the Killeen high school team.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Strother and Max Strother visited relatives at Dallas the past week-end. The main purpose was to see the new son, Lynn Alan, born to Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Strother, of Dallas, on April 3.

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Attention Fishermen!

We are Giving \$10 for the Biggest Bass Caught This Month.

Jodie Williams is Ahead with a 5-Lb. Bass.

TATUM GARAGE

IN SOCIETY

Art and Needle Club Has Pot Plant Exchange
Mrs. Earl Crockett was hostess to members of the Art and Needle Club and added guests Friday afternoon, entertaining in her rural home, which was decorated with irises and roses. Mrs. E. F. Krc conducted the business session and appointed Mrs. Joe Dierschke and Mrs. Charles Olsak to serve on the sick committee. The Bethel Gin contributed \$5 to the club to be used for charity.

A pot plant exchange was held at the next meeting on May 21 in the home of Mrs. Ralph Willingham the group will work on a quilt. The hostess served a sandwich plate with cake and coffee. Others present were: Mmes. L. T. Allen, Lucy Rollwitz, Walter Mueller, Louis Loika, Newt Stephens, E. C. Lindermann, Hugo Braden, Arbert Hoffman, Frank Lange, G. H. Dierschke, Raymond Bruchmiller of Paint Rock, and Miss Mary Krc.

Mrs. Tom Crockett conducted a demonstration on tri-chem painting. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in making cup towels for a needy family.

Brownie Troop Elects Officers
Mrs. O. L. Parish, Jr., Mrs. Dick Ayers, and Mrs. Herman Price, leaders of Brownie Troop



MADAM PRESIDENT — Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower is honorary president of the Girl Scouts of America and is seen above receiving her Girl Scout pin from Cynthia Beth Curtis, 12, of West Hyattsville, Md. Smiling girl in center is Virginia Ann Gray, 13, a Washington Scout.



THE CAT'S OUT OF THE BAG—Soaring through a bottomless bag is this well-trained lion doing his best to please trainer Vojtech Trubka. The act was at a Paris performance of the Medrano Circus.

Get an Extra Gift for Your Mother at LINTZ'S "QUEEN OF YOUR HEART" GIFT DRAWING



Registration Begins Monday, April 27 . . . Ends Wednesday, May 6

Nothing to Buy! Register as Many Times as You Like!

Here are the Simple Rules

1. Registration begins Monday, April 27, and continues through Wednesday, May 6, at the time of the drawing.
2. Only mothers can be registered. Any mother may register as often as she cares to come into the store to do so, or any member of her family may come in and register for her. Registration cards may be obtained from sales people in the store.
3. No employees or relatives of employees of the Lintz Department Stores will be eligible to participate in this drawing.
4. The winning registrants do not have to be present at the drawing to claim their gifts. Winners will be notified by phone or mail if not present at the time of the drawing.
5. Get registration cards from any of our sales clerks.

Drawing to be Held at 4 p. m. Wednesday, May 6, in Lintz's Store Not Necessary to be Present to Win!

Here Are The Exciting Gifts to be Offered

1st Prize---Ladies' Samsonite Over-Night Case

2nd Prize---Nylon Gown from a Famous Manufacturer

3rd Prize---Box of 3 Pairs of Famous Brand Nylon Hose

See Them in Our Windows

No. 2 met with the group Monday afternoon and work was begun on collector bags which will be used by Brownies during Day Camp this summer. At the business session the following new officers were elected: president, Mary Lou Middleton; secretary-treasurer, Diana O'Neal; reporter, Carolyn Kay Gurley. Others present were: Dina Lu

Afflerbach, Kay Ayers, Janabeth Conner, Gena Cox, Mary St. John, Barbara McNaley, Ginger Newby, Pamela Parish, Frances Kay Reese, Joan Marie Smith, Millie Stultz and Judy Sweeney.

Multiple births are very rare among cows.

Burton-Carter Rites Performed Here

Robert King Burton, of San Angelo, and Mrs. Minnie Buckingham Carter, of Memphis, Tennessee, were married here Monday afternoon, Rev. A. O. Rue, U. S. A. Presbyterian minister, reading the single ring

ceremony. The wedding was performed in the office of the Underwood Buick Co. Fred Holliday acting as best man for Mr. Burton, John Hollingsworth, of Miami,

Florida, and Arthur Underwood were witnesses. The groom, who has resided at San Angelo since 1939, is a semi-retired capitalist. The bride arrived at San Angelo

Monday morning by plane from Memphis. The couple left immediately after the ceremony for Del Rio and Mexico on a wedding trip. They will reside at San Angelo.



BON JOUR, SOLDAT—A pretty smile from the pretty wife of American Gen. Matthew Ridgway cheers up a wounded French soldier, Private Adrien Batifol. Mrs. Ridgway is seen above at the Military Hospital Val de Grace in Paris. She is holding a mirror so that the wounded man may examine his beard which has grown since he was injured while fighting Communists in the French colony of Indo-China.

City of Ballinger, Texas

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS for the year ended January 31, 1953

	Balance 2-1-52	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance 1-31-53
General Fund	\$ 38,518.35	\$ 48,860.84	\$ 78,622.73	\$ 8,756.46
Water and Sewer Operating Fund	9,734.18	83,062.10	78,703.47	14,092.81
Tax Collector's Fund		74,468.34	3,872.25	70,596.09
Street Improvement Fund	72.00		16.00	56.00
Sewer Construction Fund	1,404.01		736.80	667.21
Park Improvement Fund		60,000.00	36,916.52	23,083.48
Waterworks Improvement Fund		85,000.00		85,000.00
1960 Water and Sewer Revenue Bond Fund	9,549.70	30,029.98	29,786.00	9,793.68
1960 Water and Sewer Revenue Bond Reserve Fund	3,933.72	700.00	2,148.72	2,485.00
Interest and Sinking Funds—Tax Bonds				
1928 Street and Water Refunding Bonds	1,953.58	92.98	1,977.69	468.87
1930 Waterworks Improvement Refunding Bonds	7,899.25	168.53	7,437.32	630.46
1930 City Hall and Fire Station Bonds	2,101.86	92.98	1,728.07	466.77
1930 Refunding Bonds	2,759.03	133.66	2,328.25	564.44
1940 Refunding Bonds	4,594.34	224.70	4,120.00	699.04
1942 Refunding Bonds	3,411.31	168.53	3,151.25	428.59
1941 Airport Bonds	6,614.16	319.62	6,110.57	823.21
1946-A Street Improvement Bonds	5,043.95	244.08	4,646.93	641.10
1946-B Street Improvement Bonds	1,476.08	73.61	1,192.50	357.19
1952 Park Improvement Bonds	5,904.73	418.42	5,348.35	974.80
1952 Waterworks Improvement Bonds		79.89		79.89
TOTALS	\$104,970.25	\$384,256.48	\$268,158.42	\$221,068.31

Respectfully Submitted,
FRED UNDERWOOD
City Secretary
City of Ballinger, Texas

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ART TO AN ARTIST—Hearing of President Eisenhower's accomplishments as a portrait artist, 15-year-old Audrey MacAuslan, high school sophomore of Brockton, Mass., decided to present him with a sample of her own artistic talents. Seen above, she holds a portrait of the President which she painted after studying his face in photographs.

IN SOCIETY

Miss Hoelscher Becomes Bride of Lester Jansa

In a double ring service performed at 8:00 o'clock Monday morning, Miss Mary Lou Hoelscher became the bride of Lester Jansa, of Miles. The ceremony was solemnized and the nuptial mass read in St. Mary's Catholic Church, the Rev. Fr. Pat Ward, O. M. I., pastor, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Hoelscher, of Norton and Mr. Jansa is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jansa, of Miles.

Vows were exchanged before the altar enhanced with arrangements of white gladioli accented with altar candelabra holding white candles. Clifford Hoelscher, brother of the bride, and Alfred Schwertner were acolytes.

Wedding marches were played by Mrs. Sim Cottelle, organist, who also accompanied the church choir for "The Mass of the Angels."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of diamond white satin. A round yoke of Chantilly lace was joined to the molded bodice with a bias band of satin.

Small self-covered buttons extended the length of the bodice in the back, and fitted sleeves were petal pointed over the hands.

The bouffant skirt swept to the back to form a chapel length train. Her finger-tip veil of silk nylon, which was edged with Chantilly lace, was caught to a nylon straw halo designed with bugle beads and pearls.

She wore a silver miraculous medal, belonging to her mother, and for something borrowed she wore earrings belonging to her sister, Mrs. David Holder. The bridal bouquet was of white carnations and stephanotis centered with gardenias and showered with satin ribbons.

The bride's attendants were Miss Betty Lou Hrcncr, of San Angelo, maid of honor, and Misses Francine and Ethel Joan Hoelscher, sisters of the bride, bridesmaids. They were identically gowned in shell pink, blue, and yellow. The fitted bodices were of taffeta and floor length skirts were of net. They wore matching shoulder-length headdresses of net caught to a crown of flow-

ers, and they carried contrasting colonial bouquets of carnations. Each attendant wore a miraculous medal, gifts from the bridal couple's parents.

James Jansa, student at A. & M. College, attended his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Daniel Jansa, Miles, brother of the bridegroom, and Alton Halfmann, of Rowena. Ushers were Arthur Gottschalk, Sr., and Alfred Schwertner.

A reception was held at St. Mary's Recreation Hall following the wedding. Hosts were Messrs. and Mrs. Marvin Hoelscher, Glen Hoelscher, Emmett Hoelscher, David Holder, Robert Lee Holder, and R. B. Holder of San Angelo.

Mrs. David Holder registered guests in the bride's book. The bride's table was centered with the attendants' bouquets where Mrs. Emmett Hoelscher presided at the coffee service. Mrs. Marvin Hoelscher was at the punch service, and Mrs. Glen Hoelscher served cake squares iced in white and decorated with pastel florals.

Others in the houseparty were Mrs. Ed Moonen, V. O. Wade and R. C. Smith.

Members of the wedding party, relatives and friends were served a wedding dinner in the home of the bride's parents. The three-tiered all-white wedding cake, topped with a

OUR GOAL

It is the ambition of this bank to maintain an outstanding, safe and dependable institution. To achieve such a goal we must please you, **THE CUSTOMER**—we are never entirely satisfied with our achievements in the service we render.

You may have suggestions to make which will further improve our usefulness in the territory and the state we serve. Your words of praise are constructive criticism and will be gratefully received. We hope your relationship with us has been pleasant; we want to make it profitable also. Tell us about it, won't you? Such evidences of cooperation and friendship will be an encouragement to us. If some one connected with this bank renders outstanding service, give us the name of him or her and we will reward them with words of praise for you.

We are glad to have you as a customer and hope that we may travel this road of friendship and business together for many pleasant, happy and prosperous years.

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bridal couple, centered the lace-covered dining table. Assisting in serving were Misses Alfred Schwertner, Victor Sladek and Anton Franke.

After a wedding dance at O. D. H. S. Hall in Rowena, the couple left for a short wedding trip. For traveling, Mrs. Jansa wore a box suit of light brown wool with matching accessories and a gardenia corsage. The couple will be at home on their farm near Miles.

Mrs. Jansa attended the Norton School, and Mr. Jansa is a graduate of the Miles High School.

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SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

"Achieving Distinction in Dress" was the topic of a program demonstration presented Tuesday afternoon for the South Ballinger home demonstration club. Members met in the home of Mrs. Archie Wallace.

Mrs. Jack Fry and Mrs. B. M. Baits directed the program and stated that the art of dressing well is the most important of all distinctions in giving pleasure to one's self as well as making a good impression on friends. In discussing the subject, leaders remarked that care and study should be given to every angle for improving appearance.

Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen, president, conducted the business after the opening song, "Home on the Range," directed by Mrs. Calton Smith. Mrs. J. C. Reese read the Women's Collect, the club pledge and prayer. "Thoughts for the Week" was given by Mrs. M. S. Walters. Roll was answered by giving luncheon menus on wash day. Mrs. Calton Smith gave the council report.



MODEL MEETS MODEL—A not-so-plain model makes the acquaintance of a model plane at the National Hobby Industry show in Chicago, Ill. Dorothy Johnson, model, learns about the miniature planes from Lew Mahien of Compton, Cal. He has 14 international model-plane records to his credit, hopes to recapture with the above plane, honors lost to Russian model-makers. It is easy to see Miss Johnson is impressed by the plane.



CORONATION REHEARSAL—Fine male voices, young and old, will add their melody to Coronation rituals for England's Queen Elizabeth II in London's Westminster Abbey. Seen above in an unusual back-stage pose are members of the Westminster Abbey Choir going through rehearsals in preparation for the big event. The choir is directed by Sir William Walton seen with baton in hand at far right.

Dinner, Program In Honor 37 New First Christians

Members of the First Christian Church had supper together Sunday evening in the fellowship room of the church. There were 97 on hand to enjoy the baked ham and covered dish menu.

At the conclusion of the meal, a sing-song was held, cowboy songs, negro spirituals and favorite church songs being sung. Scenes from recent religious dramas were projected in color on a screen so that the dramatists might see themselves as others saw them.

The congregation then went to the sanctuary for the baptismal service and benediction. The supper was planned as recognition for thirty-seven who have entered the fellowship of the First Christian Church during the eleven months of the ministry of Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Orahoud.

Rev. and Mrs. Orahoud and Mrs. C. F. Balley are attending the sixty-sixth annual convention of Christian Churches of Texas at Lubbock this week. They will return before Sunday and Rev. Orahoud will preach on the convention theme, "That We May Know Him" at the morning hour Sunday. His evening subject will be "Witnesses for Christ."

METHODIST MEN TO HAVE APRIL MEETING TONIGHT

George M. Beard, president of the Methodist Men, has announced the regular April meeting and program for tonight. The men are asked to assemble at the church parlors at 7:30 for the meal and Rev. Ted Spellman, of Paint Rock, will be the guest speaker. All men of the church are invited to attend.

Miss Loretta Brown was in Ballinger Monday to attend the funeral services for Rodgers Jones. She returned to her home at Midland Wednesday after visiting Miss Shirley Jones.

W. J. Byler visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hamby Byler, the past week-end. He is employed by a company operating boats from Corpus Christi and Houston to Louisiana and Florida.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Elder the past week were the former's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris, of Visalia, California.

Mrs. M. B. Webb will leave Friday for a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Howard, and family, at Weslaco.

Mrs. Ivy P. Brown, of Ballinger, has received word that her grandson, Harry Herbert Brown, of Wichita, Kansas, has landed in Korea.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Brown, of Billings, Montana, are parents of a daughter, born April 18. The young lady weighed 7 pounds upon arrival and has been named Armour Amanda. Mrs. Estes Lynn left Sunday for Billings to be with her daughter, the former Cordelia Lynn.

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Lions Club Hears Lone Star Quartet

The Lone Star Quartet, composed of Louis Walden, J. W. Bahlman, Dude Smith and Delbert Smith, entertained the Ballinger Lions Club Friday noon.

A program of novelty numbers, negro spirituals and religious numbers was rendered and each number drew a heavy round of applause.

This group has been singing over a wide area of West Texas in recent weeks and has become very popular.

Lions were informed that officers would be elected at the meeting next week. This election will be for all regular officers except president and first vice-president, these posts having been filled two weeks ago.

It was also announced that a crippled child had been selected by the local club to attend the opening session of the crippled children's camp at Kerrville on June 6. A complete announcement will be made next week after the child has received a physical examination and been duly certified for attendance.

After the program, a short session was held by those who will attend the district convention on May 16, 11 and 12.

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Clubs of County Extended Thanks By State Hospital

A letter has been received from the staff, auxiliary and patients of the Abilene state hospital by the home demonstration clubs of Runnels county, expressing appreciation for the help extended during 1952 and so far in 1953.

During 1952 all home demonstration clubs of this county assisted the hospital by sending boxes and each child in the institution was remembered with a special gift on his birthday. All special occasions are being remembered this year with shipments of clothing and other articles by the Runnels county clubs.

The hospital will hold its observance of National Hospital Visitation Day on Sunday, May 10. Club women of this county have a special invitation to attend and a number probably will take advantage of the opportunity.

This hospital is the diagnostic and treatment center for all epileptics in Texas and the most modern methods are employed. The purpose of visitation day is to encourage relatives and friends to visit their people in the hospital and to acquaint the public with the program carried on in Texas for these unfortunate.

The architect will submit a sketch of the building in the near future for study by the committee and donors.

Local Parking Plan Praised by Visitor

Former Mayor J. W. Moore is in receipt of a letter from Roy A. Miller, of Orlando, Florida, in which he compliments the city for the method of issuing parking tickets. The letter follows:

"Recently I visited Ballinger on a business trip. I stopped downtown and found myself without a coin for the meter so I proceeded to the First National Bank to obtain change for that purpose. When I returned to the car, the policeman was writing out a ticket. I was a little disturbed at first that he did not seem to understand my explanation and finished the ticket. He then told me the way Ballinger handles these matters.

"This is what I want to say—this kind of courteous treatment of strangers and local people will mean much to the upbuilding of the town. I like the general attitude and compliment your community for it.

"While visiting there I found everyone proud of the new swimming pool, so I took time to look it over. It is the best investment Ballinger can make for its boys and girls. It will keep them safe at home on summer days and will bring their friends from other communities to come there for this clean and protected recreation.

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Students Informed Of Reserve Benefits By Marine Officer

Capt. Rod Eddy, advisor to the marine reserve unit, San Angelo, informally discussed individual problems with a number of boys at the Ballinger high school Friday. Earlier this year he talked to the students as a group, as well as to boys of other schools 85 miles distant from San Angelo.

The one big problem that was apparent in most of the schools was that the eight-year military obligation had boys worried to the point that they could not do their best school work and also interfered with planning for their civilian future.

To assist the faculties and parents, Capt. Eddy has set up a career consultation and guidance service for this area. In this service he or one of his assistants will be available for half-day periods each week at the high schools. He stressed that this was strictly a non-military effort and not a recruiting scheme.

Capt. Eddy stated that there was a way that this military obligation could be incorporated into each boy's career. By entering the reserve unit now, much of the eight-year obligation which is subject to recall, can be worked off while the boy is exempt from service because he is a student. By the time he is 20, and when he probably will be called into the service, from three to four years of this obligation can be erased and by the time he is discharged from the service only a short time will be left in which he is subject to recall.

Capt. Eddy pointed to the possible promotion of men subject to recall and stated that employers would not give them places of responsibility as quickly as one who had completed his enlistment and his time in reserve.

The captain will be here each Friday morning for several weeks and will be glad to talk to students interested in getting rid of part of this obligation before they enter the service.

DRIVER FINED \$100, COSTS IN COUNTY COURT HERE

David Arthur Cox was fined \$100 and costs in county court Monday on a charge of driving while intoxicated. This was the first of the week and the defendant entered a plea of guilty.

Local officers stated that it had been very quiet here, only a few investigations being made during the week-end.

Card of Thanks

I take this method of thanking the many friends for their cards of cheer and numerous flowers that were brought to me while I was in the hospital. They brightened my room and I appreciated the friendship more than words can express.

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AH-H-H—Tiny two-year-old Dutch miss, Maryke Ebbing of Madison, N. J., rubs her aching feet after trudging around New York's Rockefeller Center. The occasion was the observance of the city's 300th anniversary.

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SOCIETY

Clubs Entertained in Kitchens Home

Mrs. Albert Kitchens was hostess to her afternoon contract club last Thursday and was joined by Mr. Kitchens in the evening at entertaining a contract club for couples.

Arrangements of pink and red rosebuds along with bouquets of other spring flowers gave added beauty to party rooms. Mrs. J. W. Longenette won high score at the afternoon meeting and Mr. and Mrs. Powell Wear won high score prize at the evening party.

The hostess served a dessert luncheon in the afternoon to:

Price, John McDonald, O. L. Parish, Jr., Jay Garrett, Powell Wear and Lanham Flynt.

A dessert party was served at the evening party to: Messrs. and Mrs. Sam Conner, Herman Price, J. O. Satterwhite, Powell Wear, O. L. Parish, Jr.

Table Setting Studied by Troop

"Table Setting" was the study for the Brownie Troop No. 1, when the group met in the H. J. Zappe home on Broadway Tuesday afternoon, with leaders, Mrs. Zappe and Mrs. George Newby, directing the study. The Brownies are getting ready for their fly-up ceremony.

Doughnuts and punch were

served in the back garden, followed by games.

Members present were: June and Judith Hampton, Elaine Zappe, Georgia Newby, Nancy Hambrick, Dorothy Wilson, Vicki Lynn Pleasants, Kay Mansell, and Carol Kay Jobe.

Mrs. Matthews Honor Guest at Shower

Mrs. Lesley Busby, Mrs. C. W. Hendricks and Mrs. Ed McMillan were hostesses on April 9 to honor Mrs. Arval Matthews with a pink and blue shower in the Busby home on Tenth Street.

Following a series of games and the awarding of prizes, gifts were presented Mrs. Matthews.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Joe Havorak, Wallace Fikes, Pete Williams, Albert Hosers, Jr., Waneta Morrish,

Banquet Compliments Staffs Of School Paper and Annual

One of the most unique banquets of the year was held last week for the publication staffs of the Ballinger high school in the junior high school lunch room. The high school paper, "Cat Tracks," edited by Miss Mary Jo Forman, and Miss Ann Stasney, assistant editor, and sponsored by Mrs. Josephine Stallings, hosted the dinner for approximately one hundred guests, including the "Paw Prints" annual staff.

The pirate theme was carried out in decorations and table appointments. Favors were pirate hats and souvenir program folders containing pictures of the "Cat Tracks" and "Paw Prints" staffs, adorned with white skulls attached to small gold chains. The decorations centered around a gold treasure chest filled with jewels, gold coins and rare materials of cloth of gold and silver. A narrow path of white sand ran the length of the horseshoe-shaped table arrangement and this was centered with multi-colored bottles bearing black pirate flags embossed with white skulls and

E. C. Key, John Cody, Ruby Cormier, Ella Woods, A. A. Watson, Ruby Matthews, Marlon Woods, Tommy Blevins, Kenneth Wooten, Bill Sharpe, Herbert Dean and the honoree and the hostesses.

crossbones.

Capt. Mary Jo Forman was mistress of ceremonies. Principal Joe Forester gave the invocation.

A clever stunt followed the banquet. This was entitled "The Ship Wreck." Assuming character parts were: Mary Jo Forman, Ann Stasney, Jack Cook and Fred Holliday. Following the "walking of the plank," Anne Stasney, editor-elect, introduced the staff for 1963-64, as follows:

Assistant editor, Delphane Berryhill; secretary, Helen Kennedy; advertising manager, Bill Tatum; advertising solicitors, Bob Farley and Bill Flynt; feature writers, Bobbie Stultz, Emille Burton, Maurice Carder, Jerry Turner; typists, Pat Zappe, Ann McDonald, Doris Spreen; artist, Joann Nelson; sports writers, Bill Moss and Charles Parrish.

Pat Tisdale, editor-elect of "Paw Prints" announced this staff for 1963-64, as follows: assistant editor, Joyce Wigninton; advertising manager, Joyce Campbell; assistant advertising manager, Louise Miller; business manager, Glenda Harris; Kien Williams; artist, Jo Ann Nelson; secretary, Dorothy McShan; sponsor, Mrs. Helen Selby.

Mrs. Stallings presented pins to the Cat Tracks staff; Mrs. Selby to the Paw Prints staff, and Edson Cox, president of Quill and Scroll, honorary society for the high school journalists, presented the pins of the society to new members.

After presentations of gifts to both sponsors, Mrs. Ernest Caskey spoke the benediction.

An informal dance followed the banquet. This was given at the Ballinger Country Club. Chaperones were: Messrs. and Mrs. Joe Forester, Ernest Caskey, Foy Farmer, Joe Forman, W. E. Elkins, M. E. Sweeney, Herman Reuntree, Allen Davis, W. N. Selby, and Mrs. Josephine Stallings.

BROWNWOOD PRESBYTERIAL MEETS IN LOCAL CHURCH

Ballinger and Winters Presbyterian Churches, U. S. A. Women's Councils were hostesses to 130 women from San Angelo, Big Lake, McCamey, Mason, Miles, Brownwood, Menard, Santa Anna, Brady, Winters and Ballinger when they entertained at an all-day meeting of the Brownwood Presbyterian in the First Presbyterian Church U. S. A. Tuesday. The theme of the meeting was "Let Us Fulfill Our Commitment to God by Laying on His Power through Disciplinary Action."

Mrs. W. R. Gannaway, John Green, E. J. Barnes, of Winters; and Mrs. Paul Petty, of Ballinger, were in charge of the registration.

Call to Worship was given by Mrs. Richard Thompson, of Winters, and Mrs. Troy Simpson gave the prayer. Mrs. Roy Pedicord, of San Angelo, Presbyterian president, was presiding officer, and Mrs. Bill B. Stultz, local council president, gave the welcome. Mrs. G. A. Clevenger, of San Angelo, gave "The Year of Enlightenment," Mrs. Howard Holland, of McCamey, spoke on "His Disciplined Life as He Walked."

Mrs. John Jones, of Brady; Mrs. T. R. Coker, of McCamey; and Mrs. Austin S. Wilkins, of Brownwood, discussed "What I Think God Expects of His Church Today." A panel discussion on "World Fellowship Through World Service" was given by Mrs. James L. White, Brownwood; Mrs. John Gardner, Winters; and Mrs. William Howard, San Angelo. Miss Clara Hill, soloist, sang "I Walk Today Where Jesus Walked," with Bobby Sue Stultz playing the accompaniment. Mrs. John Olson, of Waco, synodical president, discussed "Our Commitment," and Mrs. Cecil Nellis, of Brady, gave the Prayer Calendar.

After the noon luncheon which was served in the dining room at the First Presbyterian Church, U. S., on Broadway, Mrs. Jack London, of Big Lake, opened the worship, and Mrs. J. N. Walton, of Brady, sang "O Master Let Me Walk with Thee."

Mrs. W. Verne Buchanan, of Steubenville, Ohio, president of the National Council of Presbyterian Women's Organizations, spoke on "Walk as He Walks." After the installation of officers by Mrs. L. C. Curdin, of Waxahachie, the dedication service of each and offering was by Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. C. R. Hendricks, Mrs. H. L. Way, all of Winters; and Mrs. Stultz, Mrs. Pat Wood, and Miss Eunice Lilly, all of Ballinger.

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Patients hospitalized at this time include: August Lange, Rowena, medical.

Paul A. Valdez, medical. A. A. Musgrave, surgical. Henry Dabney, medical. Mrs. W. L. Plemons, medical. J. W. McMillan, medical. Mrs. M. Farra, medical.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. R. T. Trail, medical, last Thursday.

Miss Samantha McElroy, medical, last Thursday.

Cecil Kemp, Bronte, surgical, Saturday.

Guy Edwin Garrett, Paint Rock, surgical, Saturday.

Mrs. J. G. Phipps, Winters, medical, Tuesday.

Owen Bragg, Talpa, medical, last Thursday.

Jimmie Slaughter, surgical, Monday.

Allen James Haechten, Rowena, surgical, Monday.

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Mrs. Robert Holder, medical, Saturday.

Herbert Goetz, Rowena, surgical, Wednesday.

Mrs. George C. Hall, medical, Wednesday.

Births recorded at the clinic the past week were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bullard, Winters, a son, April 16.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Halfmann, Talpa, a son, April 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Collins, a son, April 21.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gonzales, a son, April 21.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Galvan, a son, April 22.

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OFFEN HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Miss Geneva Eggemeyer and Miss Dorine Halfmann were hostesses to the Offen home demonstration club in the W. J. Halfmann home Tuesday.

Mrs. B. J. Halfmann presided and opened the meeting with a prayer for the boys in service. Roll call was answered with a suggestion for a wash-day lunch. Mrs. H. E. Halfmann gave the council report.

A letter was read from the Abilene state hospital, thanking the Offen and Rowena clubs for the Easter package.

Starting with National Home Demonstration Week the club will try to have at least one non-club member present at each meeting.

Mrs. B. J. Gully and Mrs. H. E. Halfmann gave a demonstration on "The Rule of 14" which included topics on how to dress.

Miss Dorine Halfmann read an article entitled "How to be a Cautious Clothing Consumer." Refreshments were served to eleven members, three visitors, Mrs. W. J. Halfmann, Mrs. J. T. Haechten and Mrs. W. J. Eggemeyer, and six children.

The next meeting will be held on May 19.

Card of Thanks

My husband joins me in thanking each and every one for every kind word and deed and the beautiful flowers. And I especially thank Dr. Green and the nurses for being so nice and kind to me during my stay in the hospital.

Mrs. J. G. Phipps

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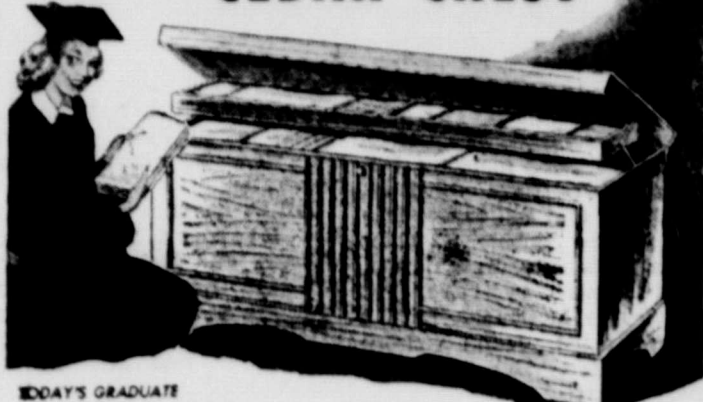
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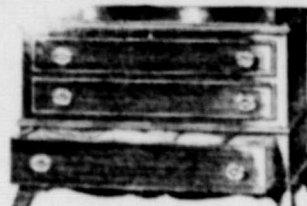
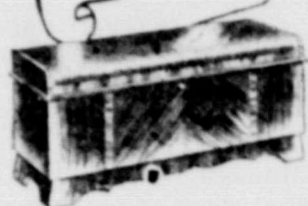
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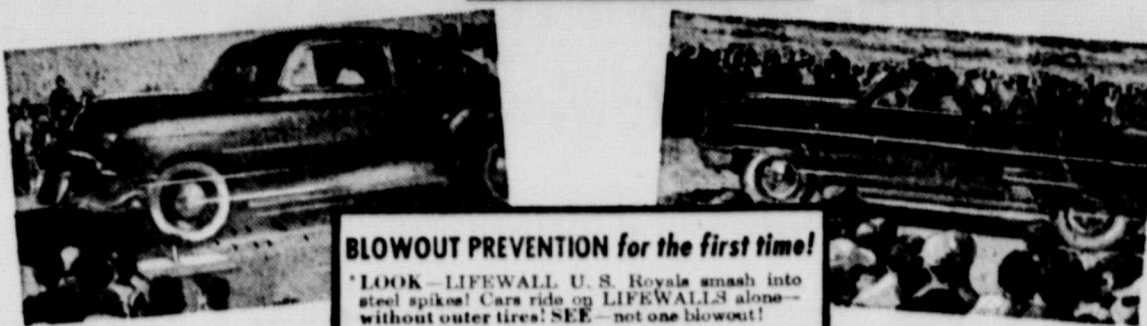


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Students of 6 8-A Schools Take Part In Literary Meet

Literary events for schools in district 8-A were held here Saturday, officials of the Ballinger school acting as hosts. Students from Brady, Coleman, Lake View, Winters, Edison junior high (San Angelo) and

Ballinger participated. Ernest Caskey, general chairman, gave the following results at the conclusion of the events:
Debate, Boys
First, Eitel Hahn and Terry Townsend, Brady
Second, Stan Wallace and Frank Roddie, Brady
Third, John Duke and Grider Hays, Ballinger
Debate, Girls
First, Doris Stone and Ann Hicks, Brady
Second, Ellen Sheburne and

Joan Wood, Ballinger
Third, Nancy Bruce and Sylvia Nixon, Brady
Declamation, Senior Boy
First, Billy Tatum, Ballinger
Second, Dwayne Brown, Brady
Third, Jesse Leija, Edison
Fourth, Pete Miller, Brady
Declamation, Senior Girl
First, Charlene Evans, Ballinger
Second, Jane Slav, Winters
Third, Cynthia Reynolds, Brady
Fourth, Sary Strickland, Brady
Declamation, Junior Boy
First, Wayne Irby, Ballinger

Second, Wayne Downhour, Edison
Third, James Hadley, Brady
Declamation, Junior Girl
First, Barbara Bodenhamer, Brady
Second, Hollis Smith, Edison
Third, Glenda Beddo, Ballinger
Ready Writers
First, Barbara Miller, Brady
Second, Johnny Green, Winters
Third, Lem Rallsback, Brady
Fourth, Lewis Pray, Winters
Spelling, High School
First, Lillie Mae Hermanson and Shirley Cubern, Brady
Second, Elyonne Tekell and Joyce Stanfield, Winters
Third, Vernelle Morgan and

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Vanna McFarland, Coleman
Typewriting
First, Sue Hamilton, Winters
Second, Adalene Williams, Winters
Third, Shirley Mills, Winters
Extemporaneous Speaking
First, Girl, Dee Ann Speers, Brady
First, Boy, Jerry Wood, Brady
Shorthand
First, Evalene Morris, Winters
Second, Virginia Gideon, Winters
Third, Ginger Harkrider, Brady
Slide Rule
First, Robert Jewell, Winters
Second, C. C. Koehler, Ballinger
Third, Lewis Pray, Winters

The dodo was a form of Halley's comet will reappear in 1985.

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IDENTIFICATION—Issued to members of the House of Representatives American Activities Committee, one's line that seen above will identify the investigators. Patented after those carried by F.B.I. men, this card belongs to Rep. Kit Caskey (R. Mich.) who holds it toward the camera.



LADY AT HER LOOM—Sliding her shuttle across the raceway of her handloom is Mrs. Robert Auxier of Pittsburgh, Pa. She weaves clothes for herself and her husband on the machine. In this picture she is weaving a banner to be used in a Chautauque ceremony.



LINEMAN—Guarding the line between United Nations territory and Communist North Korea is this American military policeman at Munsan. The stake, seen above, marks the border. Behind the guard can be seen the windows of the building where truce talks are being held.

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Mr. and Mrs. Reed McMillan had visitors the past week-end which included his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McMillan; his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McMillan, Bo McMillan and Sandra Davison, all of Wilmett.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Whitley, of Bangs, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rube Whitley the past week-end.

Guests in the W. L. Allcorn home the past week-end were Miss Ida Day, of Brownwood, a sister of Mrs. Allcorn, and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Morrison.

Miss Sharon Cook, of Ballinger, attended church Sunday with Miss Brenda Faubion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fisher and granddaughter, Judy Kay, were at church Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Fisher.

The Hopewell Y. W. A. had its first meeting Monday, April 13, at the home of Loreta Morrison. Mrs. Noel Brevard was chosen leader and Mrs. Ernest Tounget and Mrs. Quincy Traylor assistants. Charter members are: Ferrel Young, Joyce Pepper, Patsy Hale, Neva Brevard, Phyllis Schwartz, Patsy Fisher, Charlot Ferguson, Bonnie Pearce and Loreta Morrison.

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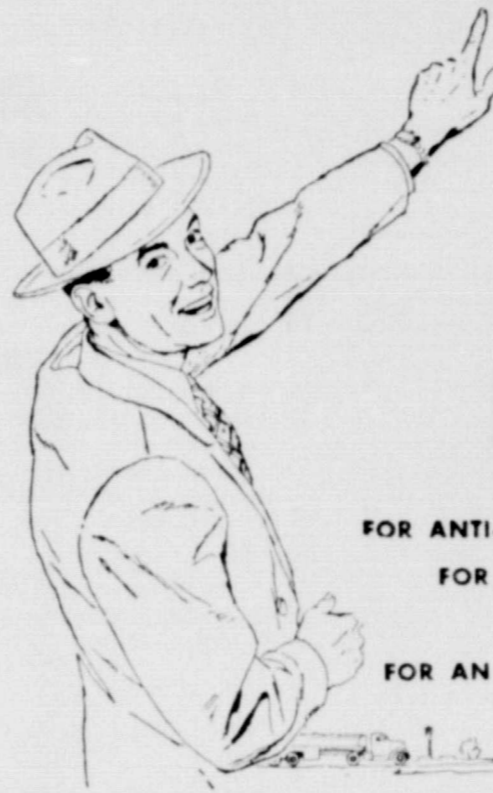


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COUNTY SINGING MEETING TO BE HELD HERE SUNDAY

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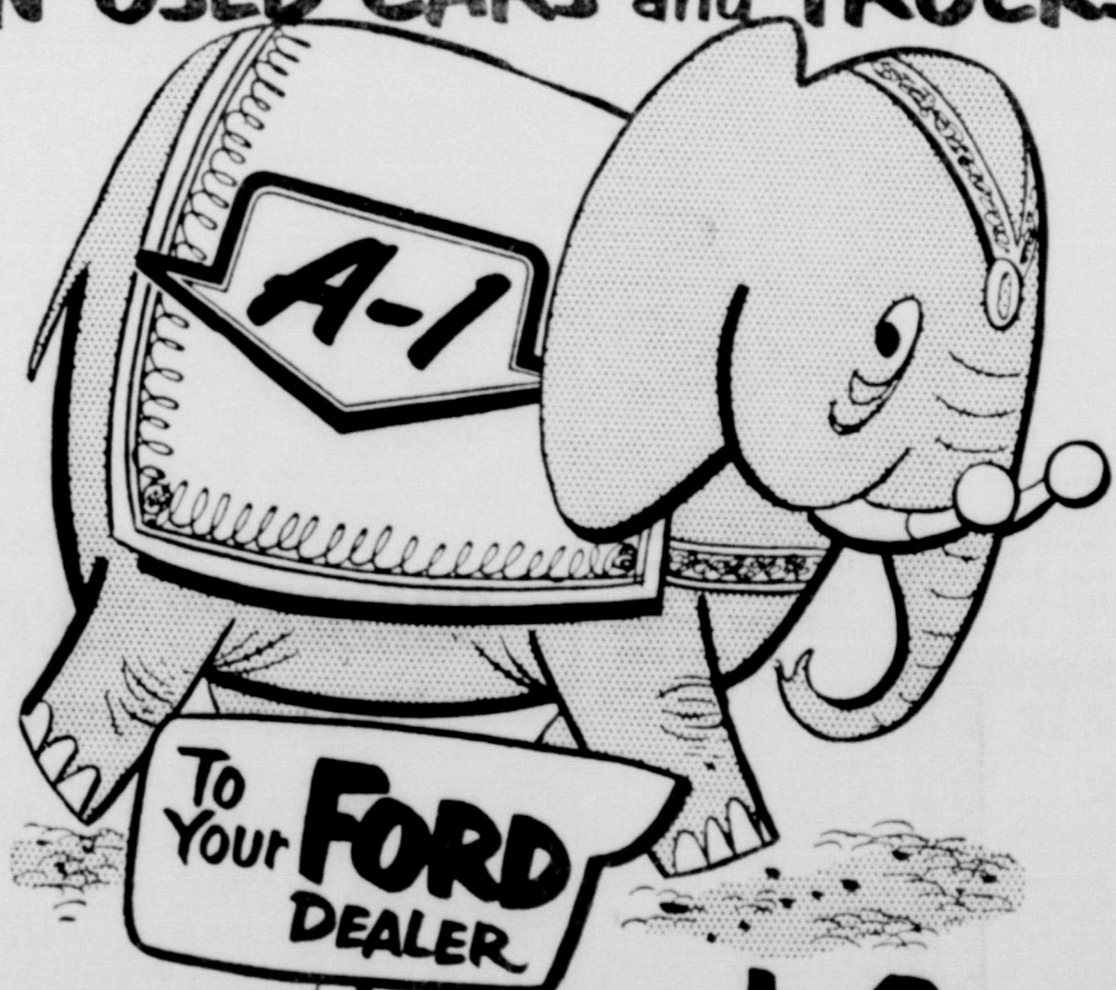
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FOR RENT—Five room house, 300 Eighth St. Miss Samantha McElroy, telephone 3261 or 8588F12. 26-1f

WANTED—White girl or young woman to live on place and do house work and cooking. Two in family. Mrs. A. C. Bledsoe, 421 West Twohigh, San Angelo. Telephone 3385. 11

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FOR SALE—One acre good soil, 5 room fieldstone home, well and mill, city water and Lone Star gas, one mile out in South Ballinger. A 4 room house at 1805 Ninth Street on four lots. A. F. BROCK. 11

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OFFICERS WARN FARMERS ON "SLICK" CHICK DEAL Local officers report that a number of "salesmen" have been covering this section, selling baby chicks to farmers, and representing them as first-line birds. Investigations proved the chicks are all cockerels and are sold at a higher price than on the local market. Any person approached by these "salesmen" is asked to call the sheriff's office, No. 3355. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tom Strother and daughter, Nancy Jane, of Houston, were guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Strother, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker and daughter, June, of Odessa, spent the past week-end in the Vorebeck home and with Mrs. E. D. Walker.

GRANT AGENCY Winans, junior representatives Charles Jackson, sophomore representative Bobby Burton, freshman representative Pat Tisdale and Pete Bryan, members-at-large. AIR FORCE SERGEANT TERRITORY RECRUITER T-Sgt. James O. Hendrick, new recruiting officer for the San Angelo office, will visit Ballinger on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. On his visits here he will be found at the Ballinger post office from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. Sgt. Hendrick will be glad to interview applicants for the army, air force, women's army corps, women in the air force, aviation cadets and persons qualified for the various nurse and medical groups. Special programs are now in effect for those graduating from high school this year. Rudyard Kipping was born in Bombay, India.



TEE-TOWER—This is not the golf tee and ball it appears to be at first glance. The odd shaped structure is a water tower at the Shell Pipe Line Corp. pumping station in Cush- ing, Okla.

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CREWS

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Peyton and boys, Donald Hambricht, Mrs. Hazel Dietz and children and Walter Pape were visitors in the J. O. Wood home Sunday. Mrs. N. A. Hambricht is on

the sick list this week. A successful revival in many respects came to a close at the Baptist church Sunday evening. The pastor, Rev. C. L. Carroll, delivered inspiring messages throughout the week. Among the visitors at the various services were Mr. and

Mrs. James D. Carroll and Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Pape, of San Angelo. Peggy Lee is at home after undergoing surgery in the Winters hospital Wednesday of last week. Officers for the Woman's Society of Christian Service

were elected at the regular meeting Monday. They are: Mrs. Clarence Hambricht, president; Mrs. M. R. Petrie, vice-president; Mrs. A. S. Allcorn, literature and publications; Mrs. C. D. Berry, spiritual life; Mrs. Owen Bragg, missionary education; Mrs. E. W. Bridwell,

Christian social relations; Mrs. Sam Mathis, status of women; Mrs. W. L. Porter, supply work; Mrs. J. O. Pearce, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. O. Wood, youth work. Mrs. J. G. Phipps has been a medical patient in the Ballinger hospital the past week. She is

expected home soon. James Lee spent the past week-end in the Mosley home at Talpa. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Pearce and Bonnie attended the funeral of his uncle at Tuscola Wednesday of last week. Rev. and Mrs. Payton and

boys were recent visitors in the Arthur Allcorn and M. R. Petrie homes. The sub-district M. Y. F. met with the Methodist church Monday night. The youth of the church presented the program and a film, "Protestant Way," was screened.

"WHITE WITCH DOCTOR" PREVIEW IS SCHEDULED
Dr. Conway T. Wharton received a letter this week from Otto Lang, 20th Century-Fox Film Corp. director, advising that the production, "White Witch Doctor," can now be considered complete. Lang also disclosed that a preview had been arranged at New York city for church and missionary representatives.

Lang wrote at length about the picture and recalled some of the most touching scenes, which Dr. Wharton helped plan. He expressed disappointment in that the picture was not all he had wanted in regard to the missionary angle. Lang declared, however, that it was a good picture and brings out the constant threat of the native witch doctors. Release date of the film has not been set but it is expected to be showing in major houses by mid-summer.



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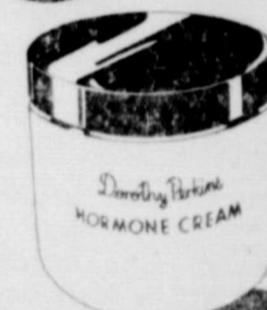
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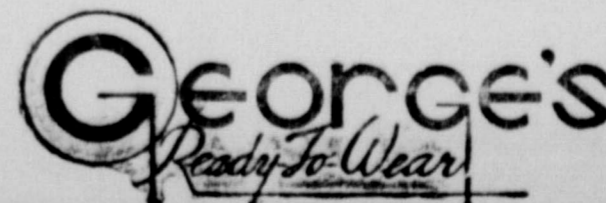
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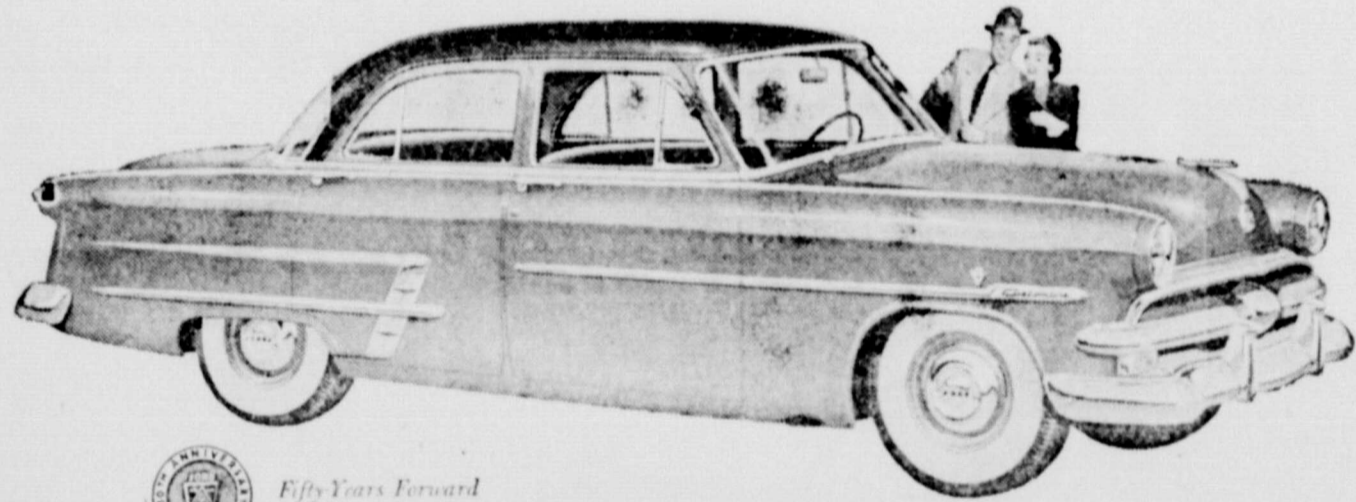
"Raising a Riot," by Alfred

Tombs, is the outstanding book that presents a riotous entertainment. Mrs. J. W. Jones told the Bethel home demonstration club members and guests Fri-

day afternoon at a book review which was held in the home of Mrs. Marion Hays on Ninth Street.

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decorated the entertaining rooms where Mrs. J. H. Shelburne conducted the business session when the club voted to save all good used clothing and send to the Abilene state hospital. Brahms' "Lullaby" was sung at the opening of the program, and Mrs. Claude Simmons gave the prayer. Mrs. Jones, the reviewer, was introduced by Mrs. Shelburne, and at the conclusion Mrs. Shelburne presented a gift from the club to Mrs. Jones.

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'3 Steps North,' 'Wyoming Redhead,' 'Highest Mountain' Horseshoe Films

"Three Steps North," an intriguing mystery packed with suspense, and "Mississippi Gambler," starring Tyrone Power, Piper Laurie and Julia Adams, compose the double-bill at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday.

A consuming desire by an ex-G.I. to retrieve a fortune made in the black market in Italy during the war, and hidden away for years, is the thrilling theme of "Three Steps North." Filming was in Rome, Naples and Amalfi. Lloyd Bridges is the only member of the cast brought over from America. The rest of the cast, stars and featured players alike, were recruited in Italy.

Western range war provides the exciting background for Universal's Technicolor "The Redhead from Wyoming."

The Redhead from Wyoming, to be presented at the Horseshoe Sunday and Monday, April 26, 27. Maureen O'Hara and Alex Nicol have the leading roles, and Robert Strauss, William Bishop, Jeanne Cooper, Palmer Lee, Alexander Scourby and Jack Kelly round out the strong supporting roster.

On the same program is "Singing Guns," starring the operating foreman in charge of the quarry for the same company at Fort Worth, and purchasing agent and plant foreman for Consolidated Cement Co. at Fredonia, Kansas, and Jackson, Michigan. He has 17 years of experience in the production phase of the cement business.

A patronymic is a family name. Loretta Young and Jeff Chandler star in a touching and tender drama, "Because of You," to be presented at the Horseshoe Wednesday and Thursday, April 29, 30, in conjunction with "The Yellow-Haired Kid." Alex Nicol and Frances Dee head the supporting players in "Because of You." In this story of a great love, Miss Young comes through with one of the most deeply emotional portrayals of her career. As the unwitting accomplice in a crime for which she serves a prison term, who falls in love and begins to build a new life, Miss Young reaches new heights in dramatic power. A raging gun fight is one of the highlights of "The Yellow-Haired Kid." Guy Madison and Andy Devine are starred as Wild Bill Hickok and his pal, Jingles.

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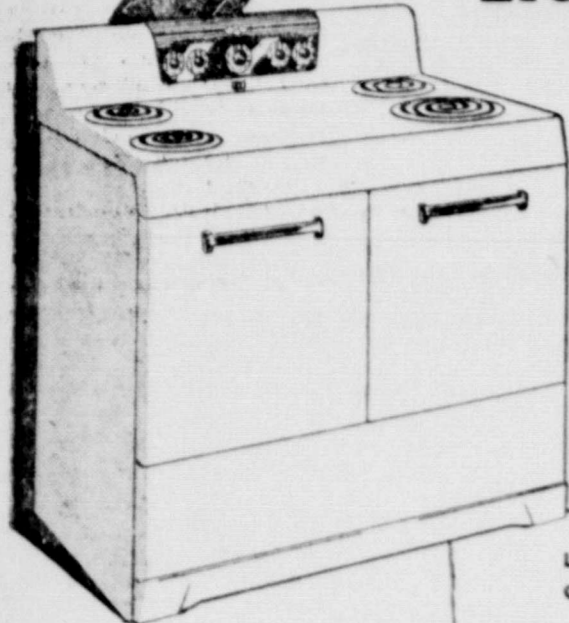
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SOCIETY

First Methodist Philathea Class Meets in Beard Home Mrs. George Beard, Mrs. C. L. Howell and Mrs. Lawson Allen were hostesses to the Philathea Class of the First Methodist Church Monday evening, entertaining in the Beard home on Third Street. Rooms were decorated with arrangements of garden flowers where Mrs. Paul Richardson conducted the business. Mrs. Felix Itz brought the

devotional taken from two parables, "The Rich Fool," and "The Laborers in the Vineyard." The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison at the conclusion.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. Marlon Hays, John Barton, Claude Stone, Cal Adair, Sid Caskey, W. H. Coleman, Tom Caudle, A. D. Barnett, R. D. Midgley, Jack Nixon, O. R. O'Neill, D. G. Posey, A. M. Smith, Eddie Trammell, Troy Simpson, Itz, and Richardson.

Mrs. Nixon Entertains Book Club

Garden flowers were used to decorate the Jack Nixon home on Eighth Street for the meeting of the Current Book Club, at which Mrs. Nixon was hostess.

Mrs. J. W. Barr, president, conducted the business and also presented the program on "The Legend of the Dogwood." She also gave a number of poems appropriate for the season. Mrs. O. C. Sykes' resignation as club secretary was accepted and Mrs. Alex Saunders was elected to fill the vacancy. Current books were exchanged.

The dining table was centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and statice where Mrs. Barr presided at the coffee service, and the hostess served a salad plate with cookies.

Others present were: Mmes. J. W. Guynes, Tom Caudle, J. O. Satterwhite, John Barton, O. R. O'Neill, Gertrude Wood, A. H. Dallinger, Chester Cherry, Sam Behringer, James A. Wear.



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CAMPBELLS CELEBRATE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A barbecue dinner on the old picnic and camping grounds on Coyote Creek, where pioneer stockmen held their annual picnics, was the scene Sunday where Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Campbell, who were celebrating their fiftieth wedding anniversary, were honored.

Hosts for the affair were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Campbell and sons, Hugh and Mark of Ballinger; and Mr. and Mrs. Randall Campbell and son, Damon, of Jonesboro. Relatives and close friends were included.

Following the barbecue menu with trimmings, the all-white three-tiered heart-shaped cake, topped with "Hugh-Minnie, 59 Years" in gold letters, was served.

The couple was married at Yareton in Milam county April 16, 1903. Mr. Campbell brought his bride to Winkler county where they lived on a ranch until 1917, when they moved to Runnels county. They have continued to ranch and farm near Ballinger. Mr. Campbell raises registered livestock.

The afternoon was spent in making pictures and reminiscing.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. Campbell's sister, Mrs. Helen Tubbs, of Valley Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Eastern Manley, Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Harvey, and Mrs. J. H. Goss, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hill, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Colburn, and children, Ben and Janice Colburn, all of Winters; Mrs. John Byler of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Byler and Sharolyn Byler, of Bangs; W. J. Byler, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Estep, of Paint Rock.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES

Ballinger people are showing more interest in park improvement at this time than they have in many years. Much work has already been accomplished by local service clubs and within a short time a park commission of seven members will be striving to make the city park more attractive and a bigger asset to the community. The Rotary Club is expanding a new section and building concrete tables for picnic parties. The Lions Club will have the concrete recreation slab finished by May 29. Citizens plan a work session to rid the park of dead shrubs, trash and weeds. Additional playground equipment will be installed later and the commission will try to make the park one of the most attractive meeting places in West Texas. The commission will also look after the needs of other parks in the city including the one on the Santa Fe right-of-way and see that trees and flower beds are properly cared for during the growing period.

City officials have issued numerous warnings about rushing to fires, but so far to no avail. When the alarm sounds, many people jump in their cars and rush to the scene of the blaze, often beating the fire equipment there. Firemen and a number of other people are needed at fires, but a big crowd of the curious are just in the way. Besides the firemen, police are needed to patrol the area, see that the lines of hose are not run over and that streets are kept open. Gas, telephone and electric service connections have to be severed and some others have business at fires. It is imperative that streets be kept open so that fire fighting equipment can be driven from the scene and returned. Often only one truck driver makes the run and others are called later, but when they arrive they have difficulty in getting to the destination. City officials are asking that the curious stay away and unless they do police will

The Erath County dairy clinic will be held at Tarleton State College tomorrow (Friday) and all dairymen of the section are expected to attend. County Agent R. A. Atkins has arranged a program which will include a number of dairy specialists from College Station. Milk production, forage and pasturage will be given considerable emphasis by the speakers as those are some of the big problems facing dairy operators at this time.

Henry Reeve, Menard theatre owner, was voted the outstanding citizen of his city for 1952 last week. Announcement of his selection and the award was made at a Rotary Club meeting which included wives as guests. Reeve was praised for his work with churches, schools, civic clubs and county projects. This was the second year in which an outstanding citizen has been honored. The selection was made by a ballot circulated county-wide.

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begin issuing tickets for appearance in court.

A large committee is trying to increase the chamber of commerce income so that a manager can be employed and operating expenses of the organization paid regularly. At present the monthly income has dropped so low that it is not considered good business to employ a manager. A series of cards are being mailed to a large number of prospects and later a committee will call on these, unless they have already joined. Officers and directors are urging that every business man and citizen interested in the growth and development of Ballinger become a paying and working member of the chamber at once.

Winters Girl Scouts held their Stable Stampede last Saturday at the Lazy N Stables. This is their annual method of raising funds. Entertainment included features for all ages—a pony merry-go-round for the kiddies, pony rides, cart rides, small truck and tractor rides, fortune telling and numerous other attractions. Cakes and pies were on sale during the afternoon. A large crowd attended.

Brown county pioneers gathered at Brownwood Sunday for their annual meeting. Those who have lived in the county 40 years or more were the honored guests at the program held in the recreational center on Adams Street. Ernest Kirkpatrick, life-long Brownwood citizen was the principal speaker and Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, presided. A basket dinner was served at the noon hour and the afternoon program got underway at 1:15 with a singing. Mrs. J. L. Cross, historian, read the names of 135 pioneers who had died since the last meeting.

Colorado City school trustees took steps in a meeting last week to curb rowdiness in the junior high school. They told school officials they had heard of dice shooting and of students breaking into candy wagons. Supt. El Williams replied that he knew of the few boys in the school causing the trouble and had taken steps to stop the trouble by instructing junior school heads to discipline the offenders. The board asked for less "horse play" between students and teachers.

Sheriff Paul Good, of Coke county, stated last week that a number of cases of theft had

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A dance sponsored by the Rowena Lions Club last week netted \$429 for the fund to purchase a fire truck for the town and community. Club officials stated the fund now totals \$817 and that efforts will be continued until enough money is raised to buy the equipment. The club has been working to secure a fire truck

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The Dublin Chamber of Commerce has launched a campaign to gain support for a proposed flood-control dam on the Leon River. Dublin workers were in Comanche last week seeking support there for the project. A dam near Proctor was approved by army engineers four years ago but so far no money has been made available for the project. The Dublin chamber plans to send a delegation to Washington soon to

make political contacts in an effort to get the work done.

Members of the First Christian Church of Coleman voted last week to construct a new \$100,000 church on a new location. The old church is located in the business section and members thought a new site with more room would be better. The new brick building will be constructed in a "U" and will house an auditorium, educational plant and fellowship hall. The old building will be put up for sale at once, according to the board of

deacons. The Miles Lions Club elected W. H. Hudgins president last week with a full staff of new officers and directors for the year starting July 1. Hudgins and other officers will be delegates to the district 2-A conference to be held at McAllen on May 10, 11 and 12. C. H. Ray is the retiring president. The club will cooperate with the city in conducting a clean-up campaign.

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A hilarious package of merriment is coming to the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, May 26, 27, in the form of Paramount's brand new Bob Hope-Mickey Rooney-Marilyn Maxwell starrer, "Off Limits." The laugh-loaded gag-a-minute traces the activities of Hope and Rooney as a pair of wackiest military policemen pressed into service.

Their extra-curricula interest prize fighting, with Bob as the trainer and Mickey as a young hopeful bent on winning the lightweight crown. They are both delightfully involved with gorgeous Marilyn Maxwell, who portrays Mickey's aunt, and Eddie Mayehoff, a rule-book corporal who rapidly works his way up to captain.

Sprinkled throughout the rollicking goings-on in "Off Limits" are three smash songs especially written for the film by Jay Livingston and Ray Evans.

"The Wac from Walla Walla," starring the inimitable Judy Canova, and Paramount's exciting tale of intrigue and violence set against the colorful background of a tiny Central American republic "Tropic Zone," make up the twin-bill at the Texas today, tomorrow and Saturday.

"Tropic Zone" stars rugged Ronald Reagan, lovely titian-tressed Rhonda Fleming and pert and peppery Estelita. Color is by Technicolor.

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A swashbuckling drama of action and adventure, "The Crimson Pirate" open a two-day engagement at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre tonight in conjunction with "The San Francisco Story," starring Joel McCrea and Yvonne DeCarlo.

"The Crimson Pirate," a Warner production in Technicolor, stars Burt Lancaster in the title role, supported by Nick Cravat as his faithful mate, and Eva Bartok as the romantic rebel girl who wins his heart. Acrobatic and daring to the point where the late Douglas Fairbanks would have been envious, the pirate leader and his buddy leap from fortress walls, swing high in ships' riggings and lead a platoon of troops on a merry chase.

"The San Francisco Story," a Warner Bros. release, is based on a series of dramatic incidents during an interesting period of American history. It tells of the Vigilantes, a band of masked riders, formed to create law and order in the San Francisco of the 1850s. Sidney Blackmer, Richard Erdman and Onslow Stevens are featured.

Broderick Crawford and Claire Trevor are the stars of "Stop, You're Killing Me," new Warner Bros. comedy offering, to be shown at the Hillcrest Tuesday and Wednesday, April 28, 29. Based on a play by Damon Runyon and Howard Lindsay,

Hemingway's 'The Snows of Kilimanjaro' Stars Gregory Peck, Susan Hayward and Ava Gardner

"The Snows of Kilimanjaro," 20th Century-Fox's heralded Technicolor production of Ernest Hemingway's classic story starring Gregory Peck, Susan Hayward, Ava Gardner and Hildegard Neff, will have its local premiere at the Texas Theatre next Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, April 28, 29, 30.

One of the year's major film achievements, "The Snows of Kilimanjaro" is the dramatic story of a famous writer and big game hunter who reviews his life, loves, adventures and frustrations while awaiting possible death beneath the shadow of Mt. Kilimanjaro in Africa. Via the flashback, the writer traces his career through Paris, the Riviera, Africa and the Spanish civil war.

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