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Mass Feeding Taught Civilians by Military

Mrs. W. E. Elkins returned recently from Fort Hood, where she attended a school and took the emergency mass feeding course conducted by the fourth army food service school. Military personnel was in charge of the entire course.

There were 40 people in the class, representing school lunch rooms, the American Red Cross, the home demonstration service, division of defense and disaster relief and American Hospital Association.

The instruction given was to make it possible for civilians to take care of inhabitants in emergencies following disasters. These were listed as tornadoes, hurricanes, floods, fires and other similar natural disasters. It also included disasters made by man such as would occur from thermonuclear warfare. It was pointed out that in any disaster, the army would be available as soon as humanly possible, but in some cases the army itself might be "digging out."

Survivors of any disaster must have food, water and shelter. The first thing to consider, it was declared, was water, and all methods of treating, storing and dispensing were taught. In case of thermonuclear warfare the handling of water through the radiological authorities was discussed in full. Also included were toilet facilities to be provided with care to prevent pollution and contamination of water supplies.

Next considered was prevention of food contamination, and

It was urged that only those who have been trained in food handling should manage the actual preparation of food and only those who are physically well. Five important items spotlighted in the course were refrigeration, sanitation, personal hygiene, thorough cooking and processing and control of insects and rodents. In case of thermonuclear warfare, canned foods should be used exclusively and every can should be washed before it is opened, it was said.

In the field area instruction was given on building expedients for preparing, cooking, storing and serving foods. Water was heated in salvaged vessels for purifying it and for affecting salvaged food, and eating utensils. Wash areas were set up where people wash hands and sterilize their own cooking utensils. Methods for building baking ovens from salvaged oil drums was demonstrated. Other demonstrations included making spoons, cups and bowls from tin cans and lamps and lanterns by filling cans with spent cooking fat and tallow.

The last day of the school was devoted to actual preparation of food, using these expedients and improvised cooking and serving utensils. Food was prepared in the open.

Interesting discourses were given on what communities have done to organize in the event of disaster.

Mrs. Elkins said the group at Fort Hood was told that all cities should "prepare for the worst and pray for the best."



HOW TO BULLDOZE A BULLDOZER—This ancient steam tractor pitted against a modern, diesel-powered bulldozer isn't going forward, but it's not being tugged away from its laurels, either. The onetime mechanical workhorse of the farm drew a "draw" decision from the judges at a corn harvest festival near St. Joseph, Mo.

Campbell to Probe Palo Pinto Level; 1,500 Feet Passed

Gilchrist Drilling Co. No. 1-Hugh Campbell was started this week and drilling Wednesday was below 1,500 feet. The location is due east of the Hamp Byler (Palo Pinto) producer, and will probe that formation.

The P.W.C. (Serratt) field has been extended 3/4 of a mile southeast with completion of Thomas G. Shields No. 2-A. N. Hoffman, nine miles east of Ballinger. It was gaged at 359.11 barrels of 47 gravity oil. Top of pay was found at 2,165 feet.

G. W. Strake has filed an application for a permit to change the location of his No. 9-Charity C. Pace, which will be drilled slightly east and south of production in the Pace (Fry sand) field, 1 1/2 miles southeast of Winters. Projection is to 4,700 feet and operations will commence when the permit is granted.

Sojourner Drilling Co. No. 1-J. Z. Byers, in the Ashton (Dog Bend) field, will go to 4,250 feet. The drilling site is 10 miles northeast of Ballinger.

Also projected for 4,250 feet is Sojourner Drilling Co. No. 1-Carrie A. Jeffries, 1 1/2 miles northwest of the Ogden-Mabee field.

T. F. Hodge, of Fort Worth, has filed an application for a permit to drill a 5,500-foot Ellenburger wildcat, 4 1/2 miles southeast of Maverick. It will be Hodge's No. 1-C. N. Patton. Rotary drilling will begin when the permit is issued.

The state railroad commission has allowed a new field designation for Runnels county, the Benoit (Serratt), opened by Thomas D. Humphrey & Sons on November 9.

Bill Anthony, of Seagraves, has filed an application for a permit to drill a 4,000-foot prospect, which will be his No. 1-H. H. Williams. The location is nine miles northeast of Winters in the one-well Will-Whar (Morris sand) field.

Xmas Parade Features Reported All Arranged

Ballinger's annual Christmas parade and visit from Santa Claus is all arranged and will be presented at 2:00 p. m. Saturday, November 27. The 1954 parade will be long and one of the most elaborate ever presented in Ballinger.

Leaders stated Monday that practically every detail had been arranged and they urge all residents of this territory to bring their children to Ballinger that afternoon to see Santa Claus and attend the big opening.

Allen Davis will be the parade marshal and with a group of others will meet the parade entries on Tenth Street and assign each its place in the procession. The entrants will move along Hutchings Avenue to Eighth Street, turn south for one block, then east along Strong Avenue to Seventh Street, north one block to Hutchings Avenue, west one block to Eighth Street, then north to Railroad Avenue, east to Seventh Street, south to Hutchings and then east past the court house.

Judges will view the floats decorated and entered by high school classes and organizations as they pass through the street.

After the parade ends, floats will be held on Sixth Street, east of the court house, while judges make a more careful inspection and decide the winners.

Immediately following the parade, children are invited to pass through the lower floor of the court house where they will meet Santa Claus and each receive a gift of candy from him.

There will be some 40 entries in the mile long parade and the invitation is still open for local firms who wish to enter a float, car or other vehicle.

The annual parade and other Christmas features are sponsored by the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce. Merchants are urged to decorate their show windows for the Christmas season and give their stores dressed and gift merchandise on display by November 27. Street lights will be installed by that time and will be turned on the night following the parade.

Homes and yards may be decorated at any time and judging of these will be on December 17, 18 and 19. No entry is necessary in this contest and all decorations on display the nights of the judging will be considered.

Jaycee-Ettes Head Gonzales Hospital Finance Drive Here

Ballinger Jaycee-Ettes will have charge of the fund raising campaign for the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children. While the drive is scheduled to start on December 1, the Ballinger women will make their first call on local people at the football game here tomorrow (Friday) night.

At the half time, an announcement will be made and members of the organization will pass jars among the fans to receive contributions.

Otis Jacob, who spent considerable time at Gonzales, is chairman for Runnels county and is enlisting helpers to make the campaign. Next week a proclamation from Mayor Charles M. Hambrick will be published and Cub Scouts will assist the Jaycee-Ettes in the downtown campaign starting December 1.

Funds are being sought to expand the facilities at the Gonzales treatment center which is dedicated to the welfare of the physically handicapped children of Texas.

More than 15 patients from Runnels county have been given treatment at Gonzales, most of them polio victims.

Highway Proposals Costs to be Talked By Commissioners

A special meeting of the Runnels county commissioners' court will be held some time this month to consider financing of proposed road improvements in the southern part of Runnels county.

The state highway department has programmed highway improvement on highways 83 and 67 which will require raising a considerable amount to meet the specifications on the county for additional right-of-way and other expenses.

Projects which have been approved include a new bridge across the Colorado River in Ballinger and the securing of right-of-way for a four-lane highway west to the Tom Green county line. Another proposal is for securing a completely new right-of-way on highway 83 from Hatchel to Ballinger.

All of this cost will be commissioner's precincts 1 and 4. A road precinct already covers all of precinct 1 and a large part of precinct 4 and this will simplify matters if a bond issue election is called.

County Judge W. H. Rampy stated that while the proposals had been discussed by members of the commissioners' court, they would be brought before a special meeting to get all views. It is probable that a public hearing will be called some time in the near future, when all information is available, and that meeting favors the requirements, it will be necessary to vote bonds and make the finances available.

Bigamy, Whiskey, Worthless Check Cases Booked Here

Runnels county law enforcement officers were busy the past week, investigating a number of cases. All the officers also are working on their part of the Christmas parade and will meet at 1:00 p. m. tomorrow with a group of citizens to make final plans for the safety section.

Junita Hester, of Ardmore, Oklahoma, has been charged here with bigamy and the case is being further investigated.

Foster Rose was filed on for possession of whiskey for the purpose of sale. His bond was set at \$1,000.

W. E. Fricke was charged with a violation of the pure food law and bond was set at \$500.

Joe Grisby, negro, was booked for the sale of whiskey.

Alfred Pearson paid a fine of \$47.50 on a worthless check charge.

Charlie Lawrence was charged with possession of whiskey for the purpose of sale.

Laquita Joy Davis is in jail at Alice on a charge filed here for worthless checking.

City police reported two cases of drivers without licenses and two for failure to yield right-of-way.

A juvenile case was heard in a local court and the defendant was taken to San Angelo yesterday for further questioning.

Demonstration to Show New Method for Killing Mesquite

A tour and a demonstration of killing mesquite, prickly pears and bear grass will be held Saturday morning on the Giesecke Ranch, about 25 miles southeast of Ballinger.

Those wishing to attend are asked to meet at the court house at 8:45 a. m. and cars will be available for all who want to go to the ranch. Others living south of Ballinger may go directly to the ranch. The group leaving here will arrive at the ranch about 9:45 and the tour will be started then.

The tour will cover approximately 2,500 acres of mesquite, pears, tasajillo, sachulista, Spanish dagger and various other brush that has been killed. In this ranch is one 1,200-acre block that was killed in 1953 and another of 1,300 acres that was killed this year.

Following the tour a detailed demonstration will be given on treating the above trees and bushes. The new control is with 2-4-5-T plus diesel oil and is applied as a basal spray.

This kind of treatment is designed for large or small acreage. Equipment is a knapsack sprayer, which costs \$20 to \$25. This makes the cost so small that it can be used for either small or large acreage.

Attending will be the owner, Herman Giesecke, Jr.; the ranch foreman, John Balken, and the new extension service range specialist, Garlyn Hoffman. Mr. Hoffman, a former Runnels county boy, is now a member of the extension service.

Every land owner in Runnels county who has mesquite, pears or other brush on his place is urged to attend the demonstration.

Stubble Mulching Gets Cooperation Of Many Farmers

Runnels county farmers are continuing the practice of stubble mulching, part of their cooperation with the Runnels county soil conservation district.

Reporting this practice last week were:

Winters area—George Lloyd, 140 acres; Bud Eoff, 120 acres; A. B. Hoppe, 15 acres; Earl Dorsett, 180 acres; Charley Chapman, 55 acres; Bill Bredemeyer, 30 acres; R. E. Duncan, 100 acres; W. H. Burleson, 100 acres; W. T. Colburn, 100 acres; Mrs. Minnie Minzenmayer, 60 acres; Bill Minzenmayer, 100 acres; D. T. Wiley, 27 acres.

Norton area—Joe D. Crockett, Leon Frerich, and Sidney Horton plowed stubble so that it remained on the surface for protection. They mulched 50, 100 and 30 acres respectively.

Miles area—Emil Urban, 200 acres; R. W. Straach, 80 acres; and Alphonso Book, 120 acres.

Rowena area—L. M. Laxson, 20 acres; Martin Maas, 60 acres; Willie Namkin, 70 acres; H. R. Fleming, 40 acres; Lee Jost, 80 acres; Alfred Jost, 100 acres; Elsie Jost, 75 acres; Raymond Wilde, 60 acres.

Ballinger area—Elwood Brown, 175 acres; and W. A. Ashton, 42 acres.

Program Arranged For Church Council On Community Day

World Community Day will be observed on Monday, November 29, by the Ballinger Council of Church Women in a program at the First Church of God.

"Let the Children Come Unto Me" will be the theme. Mrs. Joe Satterwhite will lead the worship service.

Mrs. B. B. Stultz, president of the council, said an invitation is extended to all women and to all pastors of the community. One purpose of the meeting will be to pray for world peace and to dedicate gifts of clothing, blankets and household linens. A special offering for relief will be taken. Part of the money and material will go to help Church World Service and to finance the sending of U. S. government surplus food overseas.

Part of the Church World Service funds help finance work of Margaret Jabour, child resettlement officer of the World Council of Churches, stationed at Geneva. Her work is with refugees.

A portion of the fund supports one United Church woman as official-observer at United Nations to keep women informed on international events.

A feature on the program November 29 will be "The Appeal of the World Health Organizations," a dramatic presentation to be directed by Mrs. C. B. Orahoud.

Study Club to Aid In Savings Bond Selling Campaign

The Fannie Stephens Study Club of Ballinger has pledged its help in expanding the U. S. treasury department's school savings program in Ballinger, according to Mrs. L. L. Downing, president. Members voted at a recent meeting to adopt the project as a part of the year's program, working with the county savings bonds committee and local school authorities.

Four national women's organizations, the American Legion Auxiliary, Daughters of the American Revolution, General Federation of Women's Clubs and National Congress of Parents and Teachers, have accepted leadership in backing this major project.

In addition to endorsing weekly savings stamp days in all local school and offering active assistance in servicing these stamp days, if desired by school officials, each local organization is asked to conduct an informational program on U. S. savings bonds. This program will stress series E and H bonds and the advantage of holding series E bonds after maturity, to distribute informational leaflets on these bonds and to urge members and their families to buy them.

Judge O. L. Parish, county savings bond chairman, welcomed the help of the Fannie Stephens Club and urged other women's organizations to accept the pledge of service.

Bureau Delegates At State Convention Report on Program

The Runnels county delegation to the state convention of the Texas Farm Bureau returned from Galveston the past weekend and will give reports at the next meeting of the county organization.

About 1,500 delegates attended the convention from all parts of the state. Voting delegates for Runnels county were Marion Hays, Ben J. Frerich, H. E. Halfmann, Ed Glass and Floyd B. Frerich. Others attending were Joe F. Droll, Mrs. Ben Frerich, Mrs. Halfmann, Mrs. Glass and Mrs. Floyd Frerich.

Many problems concerning agriculture were discussed from the convention floor. Representative Clark Thompson, of Galveston, spoke on the needs and problems of rice farmers and asked the convention to consider their difficulties.

Peanut growers were pretty well satisfied and had no resolutions to offer.

Cattlemen and other ranchmen asked that careful consideration be given them on acreage allotments so they would not be caused hardship.

Poultry raisers also came to the convention to ask the Bureau to help them work out a program to stabilize their industry.

The highlight of the opening day's program was the crowning of the queen, selected from a group of 13 contestants.

Patrolman Tells Of Speed Control With Radar Sets

A program on safety in traveling on Texas highways was presented at the meeting of the Ballinger Rotary Club on Tuesday by Bob Brookshire, district highway patrolman, and M. E. Gotcher.

An interesting phase of the program was Brookshire's description of a radar set and its use in controlling speeding. According to the speaker, these sets cost about \$500. The addition of a register and a recorder bring the cost to double that amount.

The department of public safety began its 21-county patrol district radar speed check Monday. In one hour on the Ballinger-San Angelo highway, only three cars were checked over the speed limit. No charges were filed but all three drivers were warned. Mr. Brookshire said: "We are not doing this to catch speeders and bring them into court to pay fines, we are doing it to make the speeders slow down. If we do not make a single arrest in a day but succeed in slowing down traffic, we feel we have accomplished our mission."

A total of 57 deaths has been reported in the San Angelo district this year. Reports from 31 states where radar is being used show a decrease of average speed of from 15 to 20 miles an hour. The radar device sends out waves which bounce back from a moving object, registering on a meter the exact speed of the object.

BALLINGER'S MOTHER SUCCEUMBS IN ILLINOIS

Mrs. L. C. Poyer, mother of Mrs. John McDonald, died at her home in Des Plaines, Illinois, Thursday of last week. She had been ill for some time and Mrs. McDonald had been at her bedside for the past several weeks.

Mr. McDonald received word of the death Thursday morning and left Dallas by plane to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Poyer visited her daughter here last summer.

LIONS CLUB ENTERTAINED WITH NOVELTY PROGRAM

The Ballinger Lions Club was entertained Friday with a novelty program. Mrs. Dick Ayers presented pupils in dance and acrobatic numbers and this was followed with Mrs. Bill Clark introducing her den of Cub scouts.

The Cubs gave the pledge to the flag and the oath and Mrs. Clark told Lions that there were about 60 members in 8 dens and 25 to 50 more boys would become Cubs if den mothers could be recruited.

VETERANS' DAY BREAKFAST DRAWS MANY LEGIONNAIRES

Members of the American Legion gathered at their hall at Bruce Field last Thursday morning for the annual Veterans' Day breakfast. A large crowd was present for the sausage, eggs and coffee and lingered after breakfast for fellowship.

Troy Moreland was in charge of the serving and Commander David Halliburton directed the program which followed.

BALLINGER HUNTER GETS LIMIT OF DEER

C. A. Berry returned home Wednesday of last week from a hunting trip in the Guadalupe Mountains of New Mexico. Hunters were allowed to kill does this year and found them fat and plentiful. Nearly all got their limit. In the party with Mr. Berry were his two sons, Hoyt and Paul; J. B. Hutchins, G. E. McGinley and J. D. Forest, all of Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Diana Downing, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Downing, underwent surgery at the San Angelo Clinic-Hospital last week.

MODERATE GENERAL RAINS FALL IN COUNTY SUNDAY

Moderate to light general rain fell in Runnels county Sunday, gauges registering from about a third to more than an inch.

The Ballinger reading was approximately 7/8 of an inch, while in the Winters section an inch was reported. The lightest showers fell just north of Ballinger, where only 3/8 of an inch was received.

This moisture, added to that of a few weeks ago, will help pastures and small grain.

CAPERTON TRANSFERRED TO TOPEKA, KANSAS, AFB

Capt. and Mrs. Seth B. Caperton and son left this week for Topeka, Kansas, after a visit here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Caperton.

Capt. Caperton has been transferred from the office of the inspector general, USAF, Norton AFB, San Bernardino, California. The past three years he had been an aircraft accident investigator in the Directorate of flight safety research.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moody, of Lamesa, were guests the past week-end of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Moody and other relatives and friends.

Utilities Co. Makes Line Improvement In Downtown Area

The West Texas Utilities Co. is improving its service in the business district. A complete double line is being constructed in the alley between Hutchings and Railroad avenues from the station.

New and larger poles are to replace the old ones and new and heavier wire is being strung on the poles. This will permit a much heavier load and give customers better service.

R. E. Rubie, assistant district manager, stated that the old line has been in service many years. The new lines will take care of the load for a number of years and permit an increase in current consumption.

The work is contracted to Battis Construction Co., of Abilene. Modern machinery is being used and the work will be completed soon. Holes for the new and larger poles are being dug by automatic machines which also set the new poles.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Bailey witnessed the T. C. U.-Texas football game at Fort Worth Saturday.

HAYS SUCCEEDS WHEELER IN INSURANCE POSITION

H. L. Hays, Jr., C. L. U., has been named agency manager of the American United Life Insurance Co., at Abilene, succeeding Rufus J. Wheeler. Mr. Wheeler will continue to be active in the organization and serve his policy holders.

Mr. Wheeler began his service with the company in Ballinger in the 1920s, representing the company here for a number of years before moving to Abilene. He has been with the company 35 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas went to Odessa Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Barnett and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas and family, of Hobbs, New Mexico, also were present for the reunion.

Dr. Lloyd Downing attended the University of Texas postgraduate seminar held at the Cactus Hotel, San Angelo, Sunday.

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Wardlaw Funeral Rites at Del Rio

C. B. ("Dutch") Wardlaw, 67, was buried at Del Rio at 4:00 p. m. Friday following his death at Austin Tuesday while attending the 39th annual convention of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association. Funeral services were held at the family home and interment followed in Westlawn Cemetery, Del Rio. Rev. Paul Weiss, Methodist minister, officiated for the rites, assisted by Rev. J. Hampton Bowman, Presbyterian minister.

Decedent was a civic, business and ranch leader in West Texas for the past 40 years. He was a charter member and past president of the T.S.&G.R.A. and a past president of the National Wool Growers' Association. At the time of his death he was an honorary president of the national group and a member of the executive committee of the state organization. He was a member of the board of trustees of Southwestern University, Georgetown, and a former president of the Citizens' Bridge Co. at Del Rio.

Survivors besides the wife include two sons, C. W. and H. W. Wardlaw, Del Rio; two daughters, Mrs. Lyster Brumley and Mrs. Lloyd Carter, Del Rio; five brothers, Judge L. J. Wardlaw, Fort Worth; Malcolm B. Wardlaw, Ballinger; L. B. Wardlaw, Del Rio; Newt Wardlaw, Waco; Jack Wardlaw, Sonora; three sisters, Mrs. Evan Dillingham, Dallas; Mrs. Maggie McCamey, Corpus Christi, and Mrs. Harrel Osborne, Glen Rose.

DR. JOEKEL EXPIRES AT HOME IN AUSTIN

Dr. Samuel Joekel, 61, professor of Bible at Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary, died at his home Friday following a heart attack. One of the most widely known churchmen in the state, he had served as professor at the seminary 25 years.

Dr. Joekel was the guest speaker at the First Presbyterian Church, U. S., in Ballinger on numerous occasions and only a few years ago held a series of services here.

COLORED SCOUT TROOP TO SPONSOR CONCERT

Boy Scout troop No. 113 will sponsor a gospel concert at the George W. Carver school at 8:00 p. m. November 22.

Prof. O. J. Carter and the evangelistic gospel singers will feature the Angelic News Sisters.

Admission for adults will be 75 cents if purchased in advance and \$1 at the door the evening of the program. Tickets for children will be 35 cents.

Bosen to Pastor Littlefield Church

Monsignor Wilfred F. Bosen, pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Rowena, the past 12 years, has been appointed pastor of Sacred Heart Church, Littlefield, and St. Michael's Church, Levelland. Rev. H. J. Halfmann, a former Runnels county boy, who has been serving as temporary administrator of the Littlefield and Levelland churches following the death of Rev. F. M. Higgins October 12, returned to his post as assistant in charge of

St. Mary's Church, Amarillo. Rev. Richard Maclellan, assistant at Rowena, remains as temporary administrator of St. Joseph's parish, Rowena. The appointments were made public last week by Bishop Laurence J. Fitzsimon prior to his departure November 10 for a month's stay in California. Msgr. Bosen was ordained to the priesthood in 1932 at the Pontifical College Josephinum, Worthington, Ohio. He has held six posts in the diocese of Amarillo prior to his present assignment. On July 1, 1932, he was assigned to Price College, Amarillo, where he was a member

of the faculty. He was assistant pastor of Sacred Heart Cathedral, Amarillo, in 1933. On June 11, 1935, he had charge of the missions at Sonora, Ozona and Eldorado. After that he served as pastor of Catholic churches at Littlefield from November 5, 1935, to May, 1937, when he was transferred to St. Alice's Church, Plainview. On January 31, 1942, he was named pastor of St. Joseph's Church at Rowena. While pastor of the Rowena parish, Msgr. Bosen was the spiritual director of more than 275 families. He also was superintendent of the parish school

(grades 1 through 12) which has an enrollment of around 200. He assisted in teaching Christian doctrine in high school. He also was instrumental in erecting the new \$125,000 rectory. He has assisted in making St. Joseph's school one of the best parochial schools in West Texas. Parish members were hosts at a reception honoring their former pastor before his departure on Thursday, November 11. The school children also gave a farewell party.

Magellan began his voyage around the world in 1519. Mrs. Bennie Ray Thetford and son, of Abilene, are spending the week here, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Smith.

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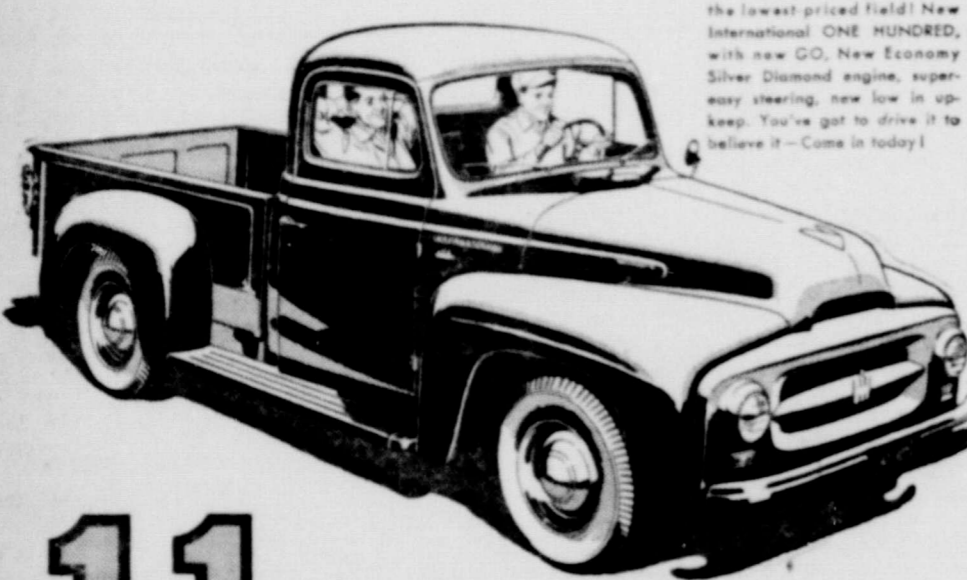
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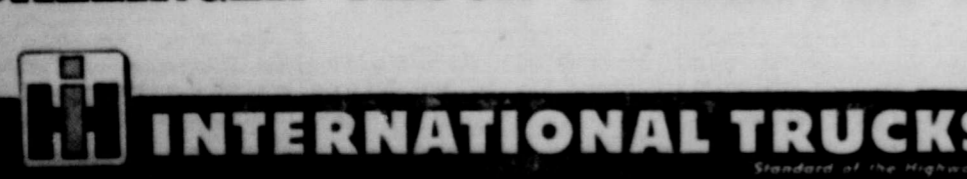
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SOCIETY

Church Council Members Attend District Meeting
Mrs. Bill Stultz, president of the local Council of Church Women, Mrs. J. W. Longenette and Mrs. Troy Simpson attended the annual district X meeting of United Church Women of Texas, at Abilene. This was an all-day assembly, held in the First Christian Church of Abilene Friday.
The theme of the program

was "The Power in Togetherness." Mrs. Longenette brought the morning devotion. Workshops on Christian World Missions, Social Relations, and World Relations were subjects in the morning. Following the luncheon, projects were discussed and the installation of officers was held.
Mrs. Stultz gave a report for the Ballinger council.

G. G. Club Meets at Library Club Room

Emilie Burton, club president, conducted the business for the regular meeting of the G. G. Club Monday night, held in the library club room.
Mrs. K. V. Northington, sponsor, assisted members in making plans for club projects and socials. Those present were: Betty Hennecke, Dee Ann Saylor, Linda Darby, Emilie Burton, Glenda Beddo, June Harris, Irene Piel, Pati Cockrell, Peggy Branham, Nancy Thompson, Susan and Lynn Herring, Marilyn Moragne, Ruth Ann Hen-

niger, Ann McDonald, Martha Kay Northington and Patsy Ashton.

Miss Hill, Robert Lee Nickell, Jr. Wed in Presbyterian Church

First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. was the setting for the Thursday high noon wedding of Miss Gladys Annette Hill and Robert Lee Nickell, Jr., of Del Rio.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Hill. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Nickell, of Alpine.

The Rev. Rodney Gibson, Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., of San Angelo, officiated at the double-ring ceremony which was performed on the thirty-first wedding anniversary of the bride's parents.

Baskets of white gladioli and chrysanthemums before a background of woodwardia ferns and palms, flanked by seven-branched candelabra entwined with greenery, formed the nuptial setting. Candles were lighted by Walter R. Hill, of San Angelo, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Willie Hoover played a prelude of organ music and accompanied Mrs. Eskell Powell, who sang "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer" before the benediction. Traditional wedding marches were used for the processional and the recessional.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a waist-length gown of white Chantilly lace and nylon net over white taffeta. The bouffant skirt was fashioned with lace panels which fell to the hemline. The fitted lace jacket featured a Peter Pan collar intricately embroidered with seed pearls and rhinestones. The long tight sleeves came to petal points at the wrists.

The fingertip veil of silk illusion fell from a lace band embroidered with seed pearls and rhinestones. The bride carried a white Testament which was used by Mrs. Walter Hill, a sister-in-law, at her wedding, topped with a white orchid encircled with lilies of

the valley and showered with ribbons. She wore her maternal great-grandmother's wedding band. Her pearl bracelet and earrings were a gift from the bridegroom.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Clara Hill. Her gown of plum velvet and peach taffeta was waist-length. It was fashioned with a fitted velvet bodice. The skirt of taffeta had a full overskirt of peach nylon net. A matching velvet jacket completed the costume, and she carried a bouquet of peach gladioli.

Robert L. Nickell, of Alpine, attended his son as best man. Walter R. Hill was usher.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the church parlors. Arrangements of white gladioli and chrysanthemums were used in decorating entertaining rooms. Lilies of the valley were used with the decorated wedding cake. Misses Marilyn and Helen Nickell, both of Alpine, sisters

of the bridegroom, presided at the punch bowl and served the cake. Mrs. Walter R. Hill registered guests.

Following a wedding trip the couple will be at home at 513 Johnson Street, Del Rio, after November 28. For traveling Mrs. Nickell chose a wool suit of dark purple with a lighter shade purple pin stripe. Accessories were a light purple blouse, a white velour hat trimmed with sequins, white gloves, black velvet bag and shoes. Her corsage was an orchid.

The bride is a graduate of the Ballinger High School and Texas Technological College, Lubbock, where she received a degree in Education. She also attended San Angelo College, Austin, and has done graduate work at Columbia University, New York City. She is employed by the Air Force at Laughlin AFB, Del Rio.

ated from Alpine High School and attended Sul Ross College, Alpine, and the University of Texas. He is an engineer with the International Boundary and Water Commission at Del Rio.

In an informal setting Wednesday evening at their Eighth Street home. Besides the wedding party and Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Nickell and daughters, of Alpine, Mrs. F. H. Hodde, of Brenham, aunt of the bride, was present.

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County Council Plans Christmas Dinner-Program

Plans for the annual Christmas dinner were made at the November meeting of the Runnels county home demonstration council. The meeting was held in the office of Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent. Mrs. Calton Smith, chairman, presiding.

The dinner and party will be at the Winters club house on December 9, all present and incoming council members to be guests. Each person attending will bring a gift to exchange from the Christmas tree.

The 1955 yearbooks will be distributed to each club president at this time by Mrs. J. W. Jones, yearbook chairman.

Each club will bring stuffed toys to the meeting to be packed for the children in the Abilene state hospital. Mrs. Obed Fuller, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. E. F. Albro will take the Christmas box to Abilene.

Mrs. Smith appointed a committee, composed of Mrs. Claude Simmons, Ed Farley, Jr. and Harvey Schroeder, to plan the program and menu for the Christmas dinner.

The finance chairman, Mrs. Neuman Smith, reported that the council cook books will be ready December 10. These books will sell for \$2.00 each and can be purchased from any club woman in the county or from Miss Chenoweth.

Mrs. Tom Egan, incoming T. H. D. A. chairman, reported on the planning meeting for the district meeting, to be held at Menard in February.

Miss Chenoweth has given demonstrations to all clubs on cooking meats. This program consists of new ways to prepare liver and tongue. Other programs were on "holiday salads," the making of stuffed toys and refinishing floors. Two members gave the copper tooling demonstration to Brady club members.

Miss Pauline Shiller, Mrs. Bud Farley and Mrs. Dick Holstead planned and directed Halloween parties for their communities. As delegates to the district recreation meeting, held recently in Ballinger, they will carry out plans to help each club with its recreation programs. At each council meeting

a game will be played and some member of each club will take this game back for her club to play. This is a new program and each club is asked to carry out the games and give reports at the next council meeting.

HOSPITAL NOTES

W. J. Green, of Winters, who was injured Friday in a traffic accident five miles south of Ballinger, remains in a critical condition. The car turned over several times on highway 83. Two others riding with Green were released from the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital after treatment.

Chester Cherry sustained a heart attack Sunday afternoon and his condition remains critical.

Patients dismissed from the hospital since Wednesday of last week were:

Mrs. Andrew Benitez, Rowena, Wednesday
 Joe Bubenik, Rowena, medical, last Thursday
 W. R. Clark, medical, Saturday
 W. E. Lee, medical, Friday
 Jimmy Renfro, medical, Saturday
 Mrs. Otto Lange, Rowena, medical, Monday
 Mrs. R. M. Keel, medical, Sunday
 E. B. Woodson, medical, Tuesday

Births recorded at the clinic since Wednesday of last week were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Corpus, Maverick, a daughter, November 11
 Mr. and Mrs. Modesta Nombreno, a son, November 10
 Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Knight, a son, November 12
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed Curry, a daughter, November 16
 Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stanley, a son, November 17

Patients hospitalized at this time include:

Mrs. Emma Nash, medical
 Mrs. W. B. Halley, medical
 Mrs. Maude Vancell, surgical
 Mrs. Clarence Hennig, Rowena, medical
 Mrs. J. E. Arthur, medical
 Mrs. C. C. Robinson, Talpa, medical
 Mrs. Hilda Mullins, Austin, medical
 Mrs. Bob Pete Boothie, surgical
 Miss Mary D. Hoelcher, Rowena, medical
 Mrs. Ernest Newsom, medical
 Frankie Berryman, medical

Rev. and Mrs. J. Perry King, of Amarillo, visited here the past week-end with their son, John King, and family, and with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. King.

Army Day is observed on April 5, the date the United States entered World War I, in 1917.

SPORTS

The Brady Bulldogs beat the Ballinger Beareats 3 to 0, the Coleman Bluecats won over the Bradytes 40 to 0 and the Ballingerites trimmed the Bluecats 19 to 0. Just goes to show that the dope bucket means very little in high school football.

The local team winds up its 1954 season at Bearcat Field tomorrow (Friday) night when it meets the powerful DeLeon Beareats. The DeLeon eleven has an excellent record for the year and is the only team in the district to play Comanche a good game. The Indians were only able to eke out a 14 to 13 win over the DeLeon boys.

The Beareats may be back in the crippled list this week. Wayne Johnson, Grady Curry and Dwayne Patton were injured in the Coleman game.

The Ballinger B team closed its season last Thursday night by defeating the Lake View B team 34 to 21. The game was played at Bearcat Field and witnessed by a large crowd.

The Bearcat band performed beautifully at Coleman presenting a fine between-half stunt which was appropriate to Veterans' Day. The musicians performed with speed and accuracy and left the field without killing any time. This is something the fans like, and Director D. Shazo proves his showmanship in the stunts at each appearance.

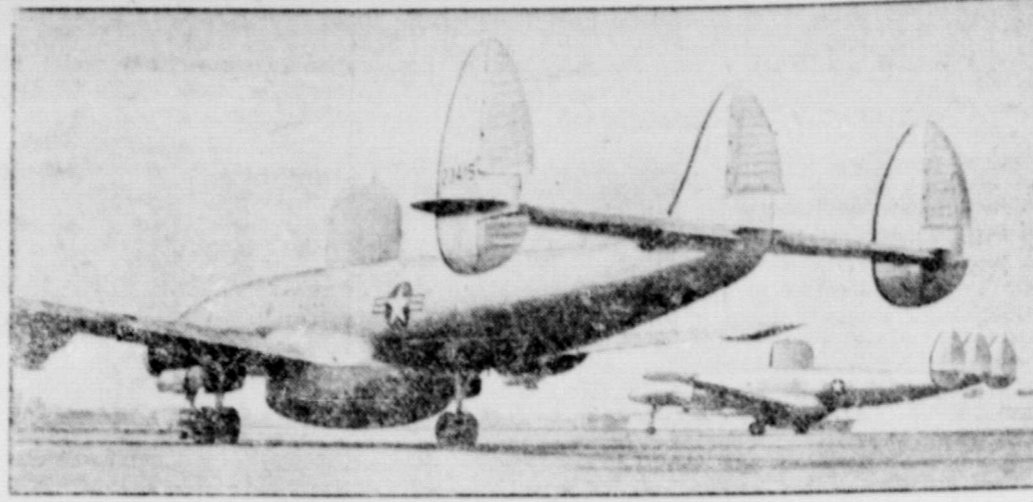
The Beareats have had a good season considering the heavy losses in personnel last year. The final game with the DeLeon team will be a good time for fans to show their appreciation of our fine group of boys by being present.

SISTER OF BALLINGERITE SUCUMB AT ABILENE

Mrs. J. W. Putrell, 65, died of a heart attack at her Abilene home last Thursday. The body was taken to Coleman for the funeral service and burial.

Mrs. Putrell was a sister of Mrs. Fred Mapes of Ballinger.

Literacy runs 25 per cent of the population of the South American republics.



BUMPS OF KNOWLEDGE—They're humpbacked and potbellied, but these specially equipped Constellations have perhaps the keenest eyes in the sky. The bulges are jam-packed with radar equipment and the planes, which are designed to cruise for 24 hours at a stretch, are part of the Joint U. S.-Canadian network now under construction. They'll be used in conjunction with surface units operating off the nation's coastline to guard against surprise attack.

BOBBY MOODY HONORED IN COLLEGE WHO'S WHO

Bobby Joe Moody, a senior at Baylor University, Waco, has been selected as one of the 31 members of the senior and junior classes by a special committee for the 1954-55 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.

Moody is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moody, former residents of Ballinger, now residing at Lamesa. He was one of the two nominees from the school of law he graduated from the Lamesa high school and Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, where he was a member of the Cowboy Band. He has attended Baylor three years and will receive his degree in law next June. This

year he is president of the Student Bar.

SOCIAL SECURITY AGENT TO BE HERE NOVEMBER 23

Holly Rees, field representative of the social security administration, will be at the Ballinger post office next Tuesday, November 23. He will arrive here at 9:00 a. m. and anyone needing information or assistance in filing an application for retirement and family insurance payments, is invited to be there at that time.

Mr. Rees states: "Beginning with your 1955 earnings, you will pay a social security tax contribution on your earnings as an employed or self-employed person up to \$4,200 instead of the former \$3,600. This increase

was written into the new social security law to assure you or your survivors of highest possible benefits when you retire or in case of your death."

VARIETY SHOW WILL BE STAGED BY TALPA LIONS

The Talpa Lions Club will sponsor a variety show at the Talpa high school auditorium on the night of November 22.

"Red" Fox and his band, of KRBC, Abilene, will play, and a number of other acts will provide a full evening of entertainment. Admission will be 25 cents for students and 50 cents for adults.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Young of Taylor, spent the past week-end here, visiting friends.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Dexter Eoff and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sweeney returned Sunday from Miami, Florida, where they attended the National Dental Association convention. Mrs. Sweeney was a delegate, being an independent dental representative and attended all the sessions. The group visited many historical cities and points of interest in Florida and in New Orleans.

B. N. Wilke, of Houston, was here Wednesday to visit relatives and attend to business.

Harry Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Floyd, of Otona, is in St. John's Hospital, San Angelo, recovering from eye surgery performed on November 9. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. George Dankworth, of Ballinger.

John Hoffer, of Denver, a pioneer resident of Ballinger the son of an early day mayor of this city, was here the past week-end for a visit with friends of former days. Hoffer was en route to San Antonio, where he will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard L. Greene and the latter's sister, Mrs. Wanda Kellogg, are visiting friends at San Antonio. They also will visit an old school friend of Mr. Greene's at his Bandera ranch before returning to Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob L. Davis spent the past week-end at Fort Worth.

Warren G. Harding is the only president of the United States ever to visit Alaska. He did so in 1923.

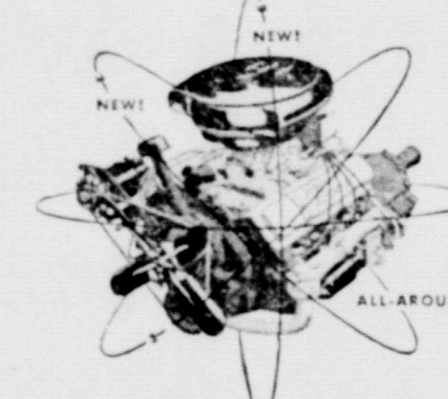
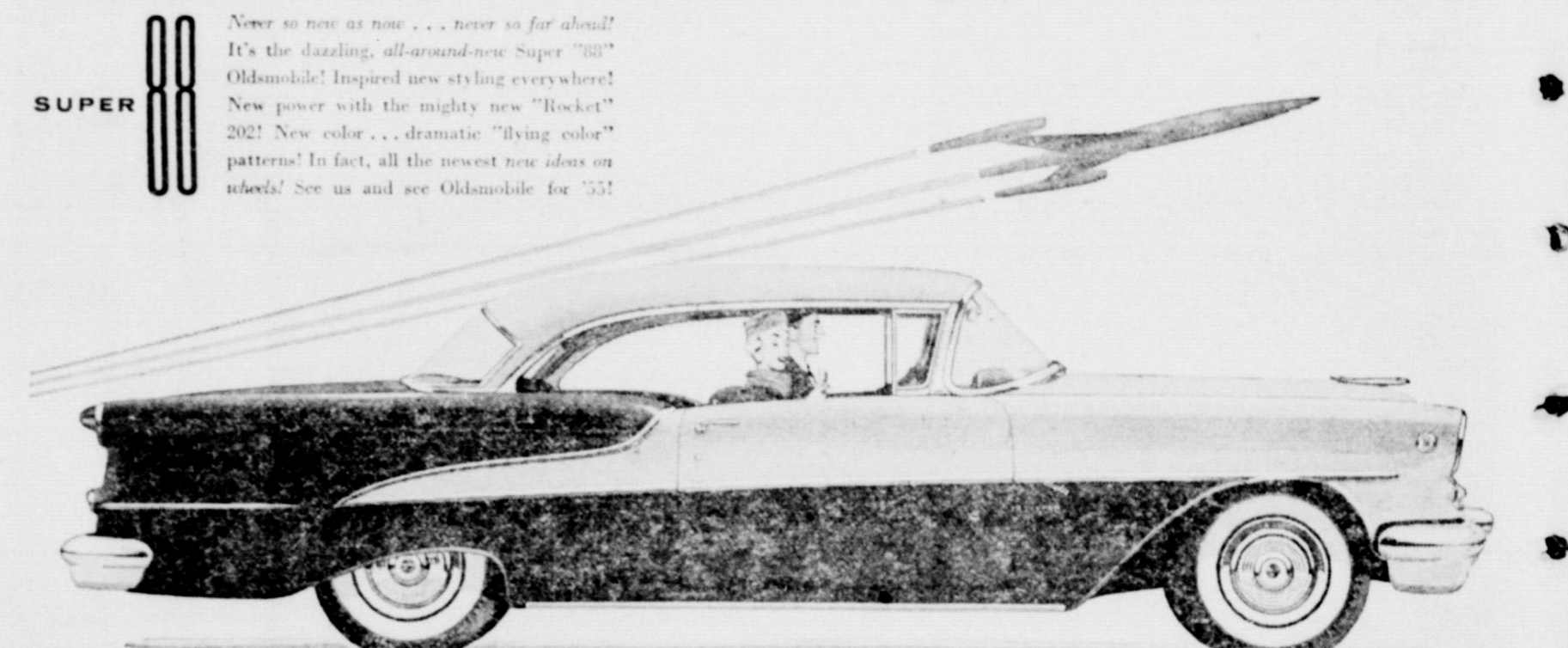


FISH 'N' CHEESE—A highlight to "sea" is Kathy Latta Smith who is fishing for visitors to come to St. Petersburg, Fla., for their winter vacations.

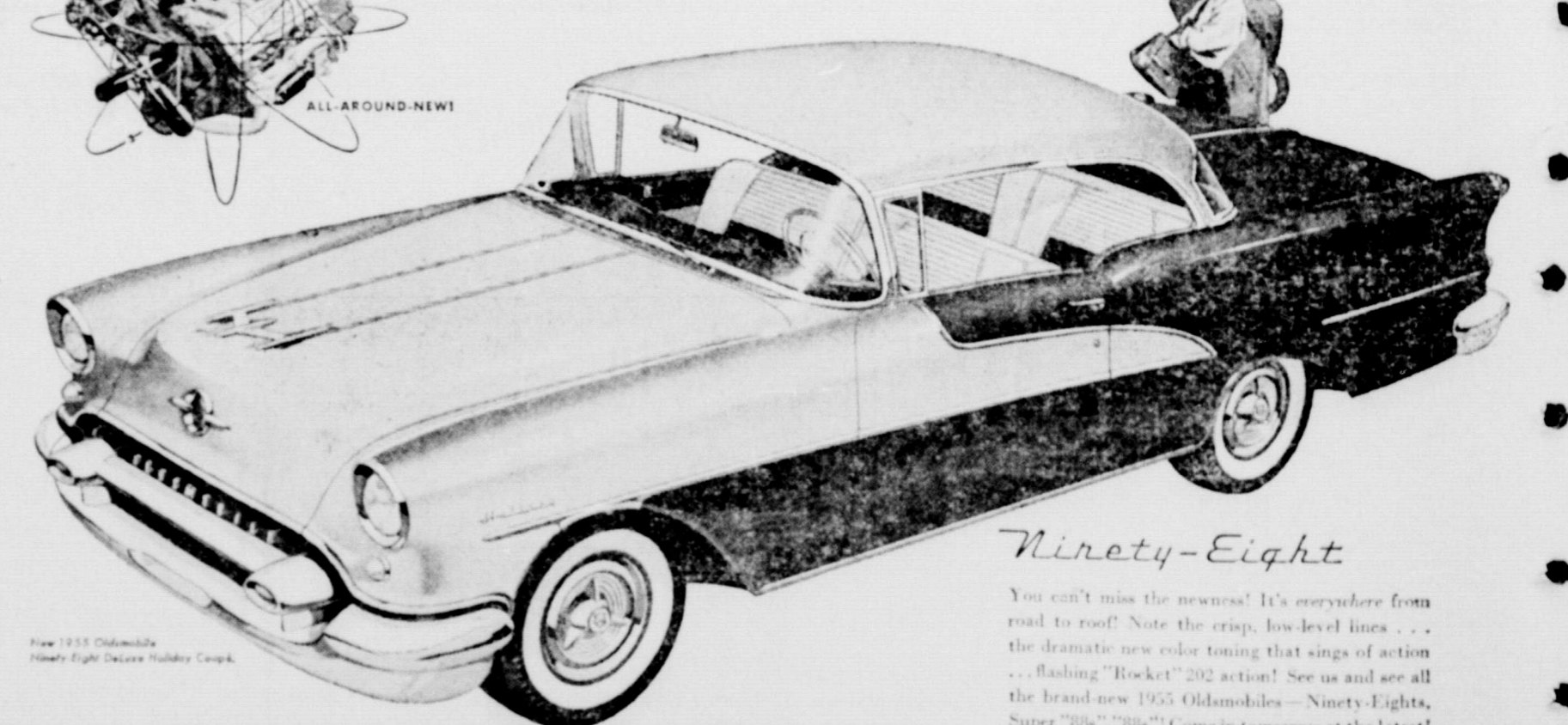
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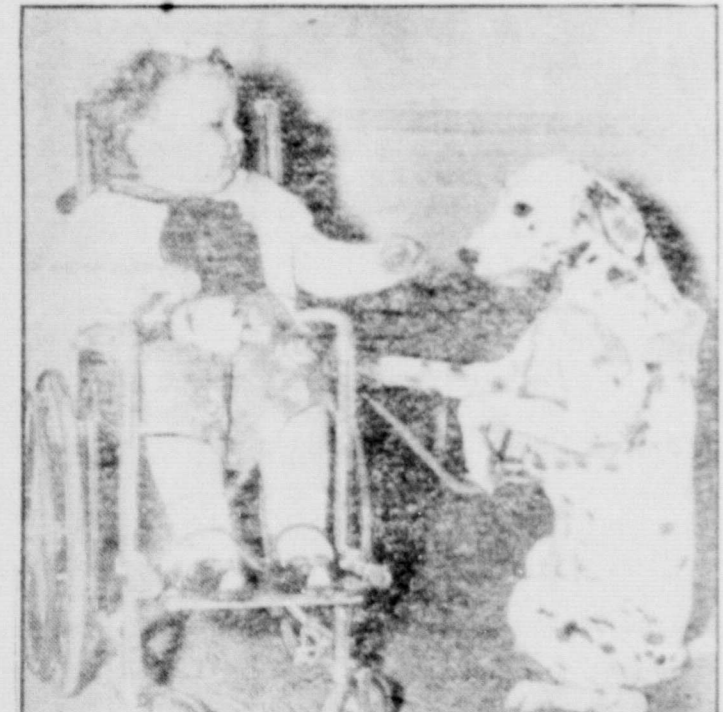
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WARMER THAN MARBLE
 More endearing but less enduring than the carved marble columns of the Acropolis in Athens, Greece, is Italian actress Irina Sarron. In Athens for filming of a movie, Irina is right at home—as she is of Greek descent.



REMEMBER BLACK TUESDAY?—Hundreds of dark-suited men and cortege-like lines of autos jammed Wall Street 25 years ago October 29, as bewildered investors witnessed the beginning of the disastrous stock market crash which was to usher in the biggest U. S. depression in history. While stock tickers lagged hours behind, a record 16,000,000 shares changed hands at the beginning of the financial debacle which was to eventually effect 25,000,000 people, and involve an estimated loss of some \$50,000,000,000 in 1929-31.



DAD PAYS "BAR" BILL—Youngsters who visit this Frankfurt, Germany toy store are always welcome at the bar—the doll bar. The "bartender" will always set 'em up, and the children can play to their heart's content. Only catch is that Dad must pay for any specialty the children want to keep.

SOCIETY

Miss James, Albert W. Rollins to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. William Hubert James, Jr., of Denton, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Martha Ann, to Albert William Rollins, of Dallas. The bridegroom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew P. Rollins, of Austin.

Miss James graduated from the Ballinger High School while her parents resided in Ballinger. She is a graduate of North Texas State College, Denton, where she was a member of Kappa Theta Pi sorority. For the past two years she has been teaching in Highland Park High

School, Dallas. Mr. Rollins is a graduate of the Highland Park High School and Texas A & M College. He served as lieutenant in the army in Korea, and is now employed as a civil engineer at Dallas.

The wedding will be performed in Slaughter Memorial Chapel of the First Baptist Church, Dallas, at 7:30 p. m. December 23. Dr. W. A. Criswell will officiate at the rites.

Attendants for the wedding include Mrs. Verne A. Scott, of Dublin, matron of honor; Mrs. Seidon B. Graham, Jr., of Duncan, Oklahoma, and Miss Cynthia Tuckey, of Ballinger, bridesmaids. Andrew P. Rollins

will be his son's best man, and Jack Rollins, of San Angelo, and Andrew P. Rollins, Jr., of Albuquerque, New Mexico, will serve their brother as groomsmen. Music will be furnished by Bill James, brother of the bride-elect.

Mary Martha Hoffman Honored on Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. Woodrow Hoffman hosted a party Friday to honor her daughter, Mary Martha, who was celebrating her fourth birthday anniversary.

The Hoffman home on East Avenue was the scene of the party, where games were played and playground equipment was enjoyed. Favors were horns.

Mrs. Charles H. Winkler, of Smithville, grandmother of the honoree; her aunt and cousin, Mrs. Charles J. Winkler, and Charles J. Winkler, Jr., also of Smithville; and J. Waldo Winkler, of San Antonio, the honoree's uncle, assisted in entertaining the group of youngsters. The all-white decorated birthday cake, topped with four pink candles, was served with ice cream and punch.

Party guests were: Janice, Joan, Mary Lynn and Glenda Nell Green, Aline Stuart, Dennis and Mary Z. Yoder, Belinda Sue, Patsy and Sharon Wright, Mary Frances Mueller, Stuart Earl Rogers and Carol Ann Hoffman.

Art and Needle Club Meeting Held in Schott Home

Mrs. Ernest Schott included Mrs. E. F. Kre, Mrs. Leuelia Rumpy, and Mrs. A. L. Guiley, of Wall, when she entertained members of the Art and Needle Club in her home on Fifth Street Tuesday afternoon.

Arrangements of yellow chrysanthemums were used for



POPEYED WITH INTEREST—These three Parisian lads are bodily in the Bois de Boulogne, famous park in Paris, France, but in their minds they're miles at sea, standing on the bridge of the French battle cruiser Richelieu. The scale model of the ship is radio-controlled, and was entered in competition with other scale-model craft on the famous pond in the Bois.

decorations in rooms where Mrs. Louis Leika conducted the business after Mrs. Walter Mueller led the group in repeating the Lord's Prayer.

The club voted to adopt a needy family at Christmas. Plans were completed for the Christmas party, to be held in the home of Mrs. Earl Crockett on December 14.

The hostess served a salad plate with coffee cake and coffee. Others were Mrs. Lucy Rollnitz, Mrs. Charles Olsak and Miss Mary Kre.

First Baptist Naomi Class Meets in Bailey Home

Mrs. E. Y. Bailey was hostess to members of the Naomi Class of the First Baptist Church

Tuesday evening, entertaining in her Third Street home, which was decorated with Thanksgiving arrangements of leaves, berries and pumpkins.

Mrs. Stanley Price, president, conducted the business and opened the meeting with a prayer. Mrs. Malcolm Morgan, class teacher, brought the devotional.

Refreshments were served to those previously mentioned and to Mrs. Pauline Fragua, M. A. Davidson, Lee Tabors and Doyle St. John.

Book Club Plans Christmas Dinner Party

Mrs. Gertrude Woods conducted the business meeting of the Current Book Club which

was held in the home of Mrs. James Wear on Tenth Street Tuesday afternoon.

Plans for the annual Christmas party at which husbands and a few added guests will be included were discussed. The date for the dinner is December 21 at 6:30 p. m. A party and Christmas tree social will follow in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barr on Seventh Street.

The president appointed the nominating committee, Mrs. Barr, Mrs. Tom Caudle and Mrs. E. A. Saunders, which will suggest new officers for the coming year.

At the social hour Mrs. Wear served coffee and cake. Others were Mrs. Jack Nixon, John Barton, J. O. Satterwhite, K. V. Northington and O. R. O'Neil.

The dining table was centered with a cornucopia filled with fall fruits and vegetables.

Penn-Thompson Nuptial Rites Performed in California

Capt. William H. Penn and his bride, the former Mimi Thompson, are on a wedding trip and will reside temporarily at Sacramento, California, when they return.

Parents of the newlyweds are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cain, of Corcoran, California, and Mrs. Ona Penn, of Ballinger. The bridegroom has been stationed at McClellan AFB, Sacramento.

The couple was married Friday, November 12, in the home of Mrs. A. O. Strother on Ninth Street Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. John Lowless as co-hostess.

The wedding vows were repeated before an improvised altar laid with lace and centered with an arrangement of flowers in autumn shades, with candleabra holding brown and yellow tapers at each side.

The bride wore a dress of silk shantung in iridescent antique gold with black accessories trimmed in pearls. She wore a strand of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom, and her corsage was of green slipper orchids.

Attendants at the wedding were Mrs. Q. V. Miller, Jr., of Travis AFB, California, and Marvin Cain, father of the

bride. Mrs. Miller wore a silk shantung dress of iridescent blue trimmed with rhinestones. Her accessories were black and she wore a white orchid corsage.

A reception was held at the Corcoran Club. The all-white decorated cake was cut by the bride and groom.

Following the wedding, the couple left for Texas, where they will visit Capt. Penn's mother, Mrs. Ona Penn, and his grandfather, U. E. Hartman, both of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Penn, of Corpus Christi, will join the newlyweds here for a visit with Mrs. Ona Penn and Mr. Hartman.

Reta Sigma Chapter Meets with Miss O'Neal

Mrs. W. E. Elkins, president, was in charge of the business of the Beta Sigma Phi Chapter meeting, held in the home of Miss Jewel O'Neal on Fifth Street Monday night.

Following the business session, pledge training was completed.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Elkins, T. L. Epling, H. B. Edmondson, B. J. Williams, Jr., E. Y. Bailey, and Miss Doris Queen.

Miss West, Dean Smith to Wed December 19

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. West are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lois, to Dean Smith.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Smith. He is the Abilene Reporter-News circulation agent and distributor.

The wedding will be solemnized in the Ninth Street Church of Christ at 8:30 p. m. December 19. W. J. Leach, church minister, will officiate at the service.

Duplicate Bridge Club to Meet Tonight

The Ballinger Duplicate Bridge Club will hold its regular meeting this (Thursday) evening at the Acapulco Cafe. The regular game nights are the first and third Thursdays of each month.

At last Thursday's meeting Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner tied with Mrs. W. N. Selby and Mrs. E. W. Stasney for first place, and Dr. E. W. Stasney and Sam Conner won second place.

Methodist Workers' Class Meets in Strother Home

The Workers' Class of the First Methodist Church was entertained in the home of Mrs. A. O. Strother on Ninth Street Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. John Lowless as co-hostess.

Mrs. W. E. Midgley conducted the business routine following the opening prayer given by Mrs. Bob Crockett. The group sang "Happy Birthday" honoring Miss Zadie Royalty, who was celebrating her birthday Wednesday. Reports were given by Mrs. C. F. Shepherd, secretary, and Mrs. Halton Laxson, treasurer. Miss Royalty gave the Scripture lesson on the twenty-third Psalm, and also read favorite poems. Mrs. R. A. Dickinson led the group in repeating the Lord's Prayer in conclusion.

The class will hold its Christmas party at 8:00 p. m. December 21.

ber 8, in the home of Mrs. J. W. Barr on Seventh Street.

The hostesses served pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream and coffee. Others present were: Mrs. C. D. Harris, Tom Crockett, Arch Brookshier, Letha Arrant, W. W. Chastain, Oliver Cochran, W. R. Clark, C. M. Gibson, A. J. H. Borders, Ed O'Kelly, J. F. Currie, Hamp Byler, J. C. Reese, J. W. Barr and Lee Evans.

Study Club Holds Book Review by Mrs. Elkins

A review of D'Arcy McNickle's "They Came Here First" was presented by Mrs. W. E. Elkins at the regular meeting of the Fannie Stephens Study Club Wednesday afternoon in the library club room.

The book is scientific and historical, dealing mainly with the Hopi Indians and their problems with the white man. McNickle, having lived among the Hopis, related information concerning their origin and background.

Mrs. L. L. Downing, president, was in charge of the business session. Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff reported that the Korean orphanage project the club sponsored had been successfully completed, two boxes of winter clothing, weighing approximately 80 pounds having been shipped. As a community project the club voted to "adopt" a needy family for Christmas.

Also, since another activity of the club is to assist the Girl Scout program, the club will aid in completing the renovation of the Girl Scout House and will help in buying a record-player for the Girl Scouts and Brownies.

Mrs. Preston Fitzhugh, who was a delegate to the Texas Federated Women's Clubs meeting at Mineral Wells two weeks ago, gave a report on the convention. Mrs. Wayne Reynolds conducted a parliamentary drill. Mrs. J. D. Benseu was club hostess, and Mrs. R. E. Rubie presided as program chairman. Others present were: Mrs. E. Y. Bailey, M. C. Broussard, E. R. Nolan, Ted Thistle, J. Dexter Eoff, H. G. Agnew, Tom Epling, Joe Forester, W. E. Moss, B. J. Williams, Jimmy Wilkins, H. B. Edmondson and Felix Keys.

BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. B. J. Williams, Jr., gave a very interesting review of the book, "I Led Three Lives," by Robert Fulbright, at the meeting of the Ballinger home demonstration club, held in the home of Mrs. E. S. Malone Tuesday morning. Mrs. Drury P. Hathaway was co-hostess.

Mrs. Williams, vice-president, conducted the business of the club in the absence of the president, Mrs. M. C. Broussard, who is ill. Mrs. Hathaway acted as secretary pro-tem.

Plans were made to collect toys for the children at the Abilene state hospital. Toys will be packed at the next regular meeting. The club Christmas party was planned to be held in the home of Mrs. D. J. Goetz. Sr. Members were reminded to take food and gifts to the elderly woman, "adopted" by the club.

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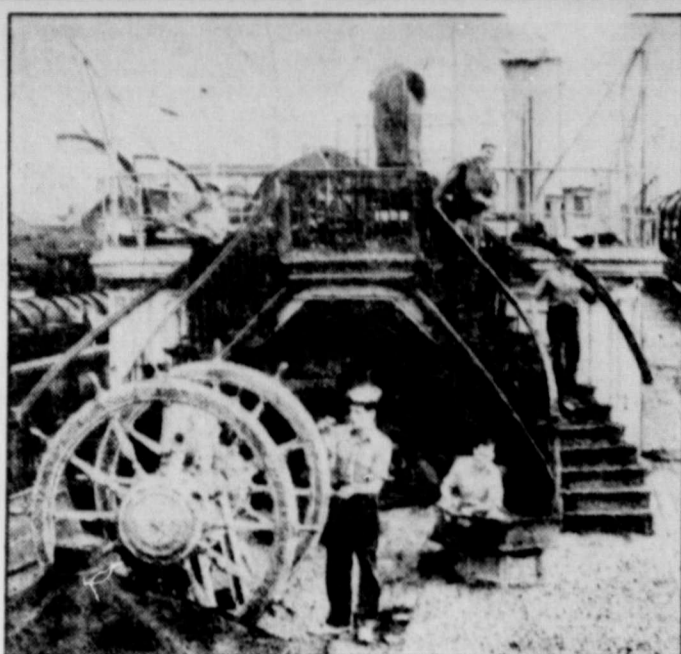
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CREWS
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hambright were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Petrie. Some of the hunters of our community who have joined the hundreds of others are Owen and Harold Bragg, Marvin Hale, Flay Brevard, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alcorn and Miss Willie Hale. We are expecting a num-

ber of deer and turkeys to be brought back home.

We are very thankful for the nice showers Sunday. It seemed almost everyone was afraid of getting wet and failed to attend Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Petrie and Neysa went to San Angelo Saturday to attend to business.

Miss Billie Hale, of Houston, is visiting relatives here. She intends to be here about two weeks.

Mrs. Owen Bragg and Glynn and Neysa Petrie attended the Talpa football banquet Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Giles and baby, Mrs. Florence Giles, Mrs. Toyde Giles and baby were dinner guests in the W. L. Porter home on Veterans' Day.

Mrs. A. S. Alcorn and Miss Billie Hale accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Flay Brevard to Abilene Saturday to attend the football game between the McMurry College and Gustavus Adolphus teams.

Those who attended the laymen's banquet at Brownwood, from the Methodist church here, reported a profitable and enjoyable evening.

Andrew Jackson, as a boy, received a sabre cut because he black an officers' boots.

LIONS CLUB TO CONDUCT CHRISTMAS BOND SALE

Homer Hudgins, of Winters, county chairman for the Christmas seal campaign, announces that the Ballinger Lions Club is sponsoring the Christmas bond sale in the business district here.

E. B. Underwood, club president, appointed Dick Ayers, A. H. Dallinger, E. Y. Bailey, Al Purifoy, Ray Nolan, R. D. Travis and Bob Bartlett to canvass the business houses for the \$5, \$10 and \$25 TB bonds.

The Runnels County Tuberculosis Association was given only thirty bonds to sell, but if anyone wishes to purchase the amount of a bond he will be issued that amount of Christmas seals.

Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, executive secretary, will mail more than 2,000 letters containing Christmas seals Saturday. If anyone who has bought a bond receives a letter with the seals he may disregard the appeal if desired.

Mr. Hudgins appointed LeRoy Schuhmann as chairman of the seal drive at Rowena; Dawson Coleman, Miles; and Jim Hamner and Jack Harrison, Winters.

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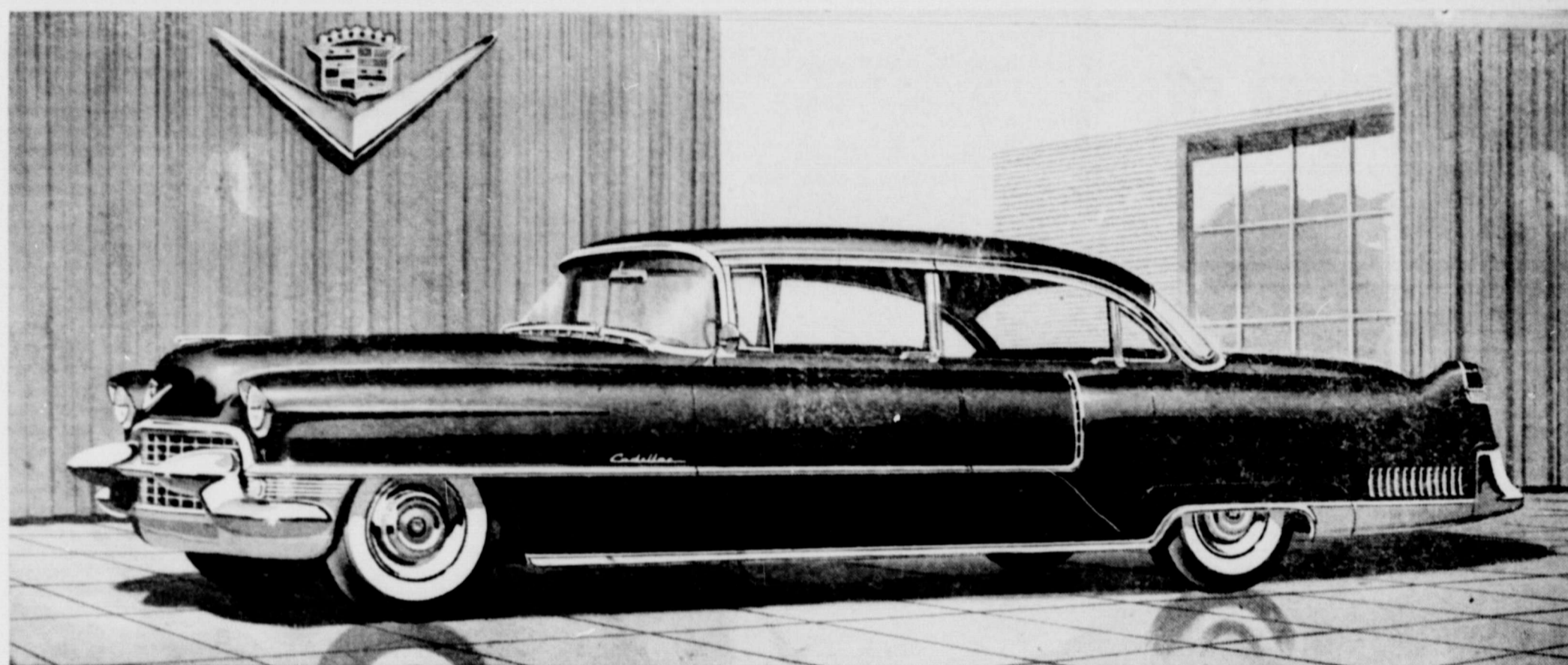
making the fight against tuberculosis more difficult, according to the Texas Research League. The staff reports that 60,000 people in Texas are tubercular, including about 20,000 active cases.

With the population of Texas increasing, unless numbers of these afflicted can be cured, the disease will infect many more thousands in the next decade or two, the researchers warn.

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1907 and the fight is still on. Last year nearly 5,000 Texans heard from their doctors these shocking words: "You have tuberculosis." There is no known immunity for tuberculosis. It is hoped one day there will be and this is possible through the purchase of Christmas seals and bonds.

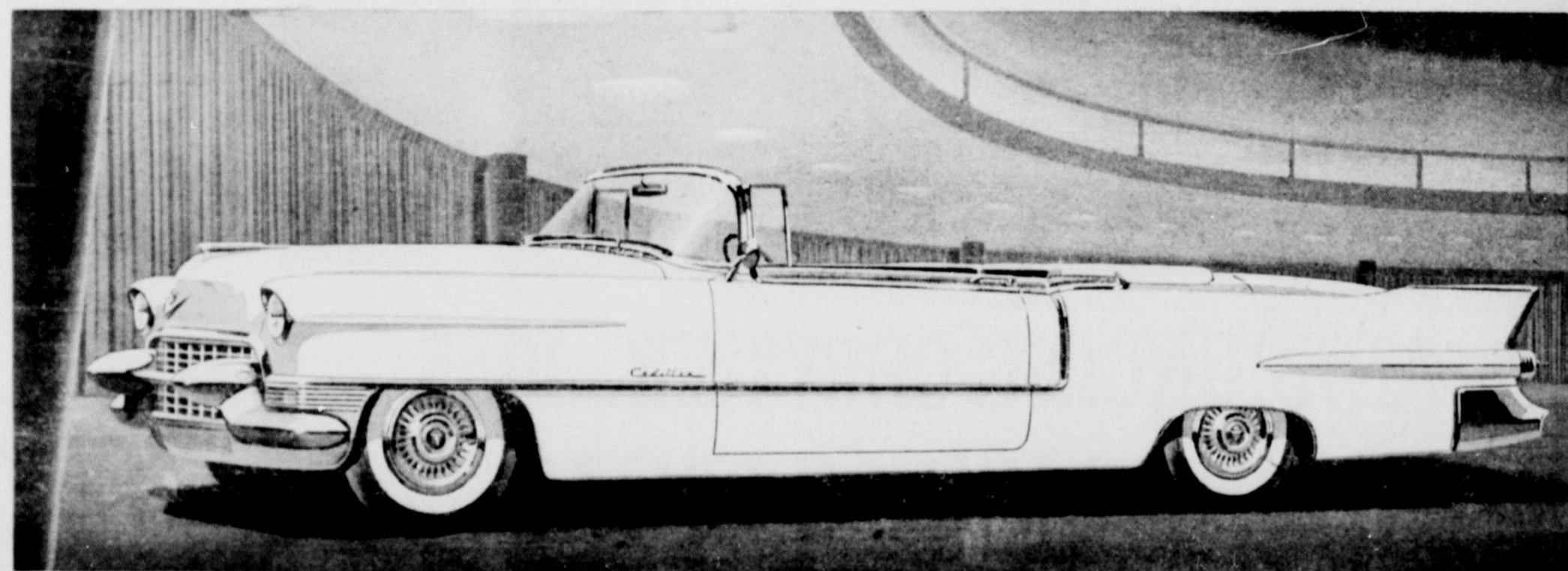
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SOCIETY

Presbyterian Women's Council Meets in Spreen Home

Mrs. Andy Spreen was hostess to the Women's Council of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. Monday afternoon, entertain- ing in her Eighth Street home, where arrangements of yellow and white chrysanthemums were used for decorations. The meeting was opened with the group singing "Faith of Our Fathers" and Mrs. Rufus Allen gave the devotional on Thanksgiv- ing. In presenting the regular missionary program, Mrs. A. O. Rue gave the Bible study

Philathea Class Has No-Host Dinner

The First Methodist Church parlors were decorated with pyracantha berries and chry- santhemums Monday evening when members of the Philathea Class held a no-host covered dish dinner. Mrs. Claude Stone, class pres- ident, presided, and Mrs. Felix Itz spoke the invocation. During the social hour Mrs. Robert Bruce read a number of Carlos Ashley's poems. The social service committee of the class was in charge of arrangements. Those present were: Mmes. Tom Agnew, M. B. Webb, Blair Hays, Tom Caudie, Stone, O. R. Lasater, Marion Hays, Bruce, Archie Smith, Ver- non Webb, R. L. Bell, Troy Simpson, C. L. Howell, Jack Nixon, George Beard, D. L. Ven- tal, R. D. Midgley, M. J. Clark, Itz and O. R. O'Neill.

TALPA P. T. A. HEAD THANKS MERCHANTS FOR ASSISTANCE

Mrs. Clinton Reis, president of the Talpa Parent-Teacher Association, reports that the Halloween carnival staged in October was the most successful ever sponsored by the organiza- tion. She extends thanks to the Ballinger merchants and to the Modern Woodmen of America for their assistance. The next meeting of the organization will be held tonight at which time Miss Eudora Hawkins, representative of the West Texas Utilities Co., will present a program.

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their coaches were guests of Hardin-Simmons University Saturday night at the Cowboys' game with the West Texas State College eleven. The entire team attended and sat together in a special section. Earlier Coach Douglas Cox

and several members of the team attended the home-com- ing activities and game at Mc- Murry College, Abilene.

Mrs. J. H. McClain, of Waco, visited friends in Ballinger the past week-end.



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Smoked Hams	12 to 16 Lb. Half or Whole Lb. 55c	Pork Sausage	Wingate 2-Lb. Pkg. 59c
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Jack Fry, cubmaster, urges full attendance at the meeting.

COUNTRY CLUB DANCE SLATED NOVEMBER 23
Directors of the Ballinger Country Club have scheduled a dance for members and guests on the evening of November 23. Any member may bring guests.

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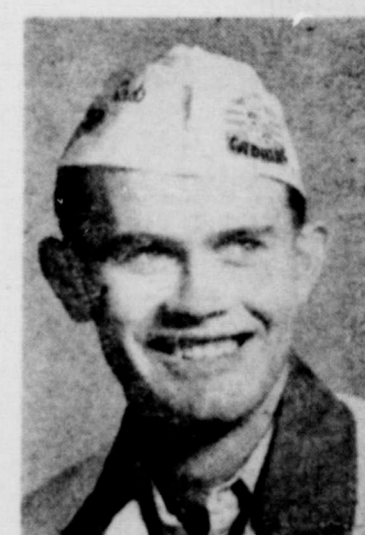
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Bearcat Defense Halts Coleman 11's Threat

The Ballinger Bearcats displayed their best defense of the year in defeating the Coleman Bluecats last Thursday afternoon at Coleman. The annual Veterans' Day game drew a big crowd and was the only afternoon game on the

schedule for the two teams this year.

The Bluecats had been a high scoring aggregation all year, piling up big tabulations in all games until this one. While they had lost to the district champions of Comanche, they were able to score 25 points against this heavy organization.

The style of defensive play exhibited by the Bearcats held the Bluecats scoreless and limited the Coleman lads to a total of 16 yards on rushing plays.

After a scoreless first half, the Bearcats came back to rack up three touchdowns in the last half and had another called back after a beautiful 65-yard run by Grady Curry. Off-setting penalties by both clubs nullified the beautiful run.

Early in the third period, John Duke hit Don Winchester for a 12-yard pass and a minute later shot one to Ronald Maedgen for 18 yards. Runs by Duke, Curry and Charles Holloway plus a five-yard penalty put the ball on the Coleman 4-yard stripe. On the first play Holloway plowed over for the first six points. Gary Ferguson's kick was low.

In the first of the final period, Curry and Holloway began a running attack which carried to the Coleman 4. The Bearcats failed to gain on their first two attempts, then cut

off-tackle into the end zone for the second counter. Ferguson's kick was good to make the score 13 to 0.

Later in the fourth quarter Dwayne Patton, Holloway and Duke started a ground game which paid off with the final touchdown. This drive was highlighted by a beautiful 36-yard scamper by Patton and made possible a first down after the Bearcats had been inflicted two heavy penalties. With the oval on the Coleman 20-yard line, Patton took a

pitch-out from Duke and went the distance without being touched. Ferguson's kick was wide of the uprights.

After the Colemanites found they could not gain on the ground, they took to the air but with poor results. They threw 20 passes, completed 5 for a total of 72 yards. The Ballinger eleven went to the air six times, completed 2 for 30 yards and had 2 intercepted.

On the ground the Bearcats rolled up 329 yards and lost 10. The Coleman lads gained 69

yards but lost 53, leaving them a net of 16 yards. First downs were Ballinger 23, Coleman 8. Each club was penalized 7 times for a total of 55 yards.

THREE BALLINGERITES HUNT IN MASON COUNTY

A hunting party composed of J. V. Smith, Sam Jones, Joe Jones and Bennie Ray Thetford, of Abilene, left Monday for their deer leases in Mason county. They plan to spend all this week hunting before returning home.

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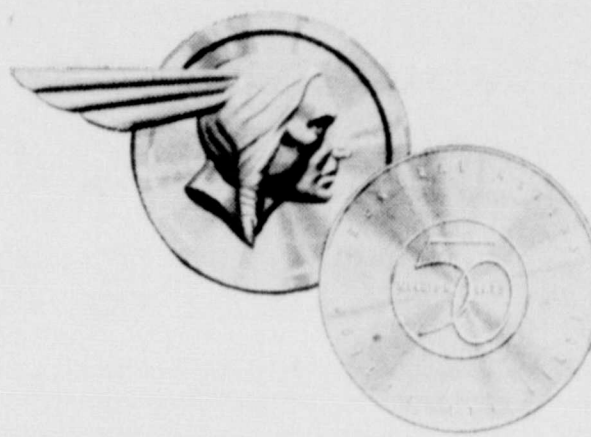


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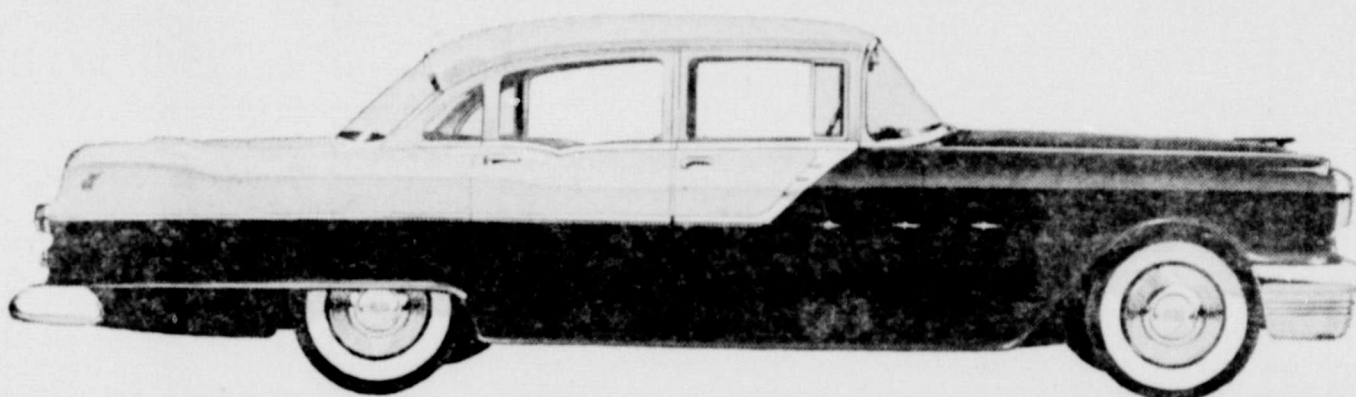
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Young Adult Class	25
Nursery	20
Kindergarten Class	45
Primary Class	45
Junior Class	45
Intermediate Class	35
Senior Class	45

SOCIETY

Woodsons Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Woodson, residents of Ballinger since 1908, observed their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house in their home on Ninth Street Sunday afternoon between 2:00 and 5:00 p. m.

Mrs. J. L. McAllister, of Fort Worth, a granddaughter, greeted guests. Mr. and Mrs. Woodson were assisted in receiving guests by their two sons, Milton Woodson, of El Paso, and Elmo Woodson, of Dallas.

Miss Betty Joe Woodson, of Dallas, another granddaughter,

registered guests.

The table was lace laid over gold, and centered with yellow mums topped with the numbers "50" in gold and gold ribbons. Crystal candelabra holding gold tapers were on either side. The three-tiered white and gold cake was topped with a miniature bridal couple. Napkins were inscribed in gold with "Bettie and Ernest, 1904-54".

Mrs. Milton Woodson served the cake, and Mrs. Lonnie Woodson, of Oklahoma City, presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Elmo Woodson and Mrs. Ruth Daniels, of Floydada, assisted in serving.

Entertaining rooms were decorated with bronze and gold chrysanthemums which were gifts from friends to the honored couple. An arrangement of bronze and gold leaves and berries, with money in gold paper hanging from each spray was a gift from the First Baptist T. E. L. Class, of which Mrs. Woodson is a member.

The couple was married at Burleson, Johnson county, on November 13, 1904. They moved to Ballinger in 1908. Mr. Woodson has been engaged in the barber business since coming to Ballinger.

Three sons were born to the couple, Milton, Lonnie and Elmo. Lonnie passed away on July 6, 1954. They have three granddaughters, Mrs. J. L. McAllister, of Fort Worth; Betty Joe and Lilly Ann Woodson, of Dallas. Seventy-five friends called during the open house hours. Out-of-town relatives were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lankford, Mrs.

Anita Mosby and son, Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Woodson and daughters, Betty Joe and Lillie Ann, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gray, of San Angelo; Harrell Woodson, Mrs. Ruth Daniels, Bill and Julia Ann Daniels, of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McAllister, Mrs. Ernie Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawson, of Fort Worth; Mrs. Lonnie Woodson, of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Woodson, of El Paso.

Presbyterian Young Adult Class Has Party

The Young Adult Class of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., was entertained at a "tacky party" Friday night in the home of Dr. and Mrs. John E. Green on Fifth Street. Mrs. Bobby Curry and Mrs. Ailus Stokes assisted in hosting the affair.

The dining table, where the buffet supper was served, was laid with newspapers. The entire setting for the party was the tacky theme. The menu included sausage-links, red beans, cab-

bage salad, garlic French bread and pecan pie.

Judges determined that Mrs. Jack Ashton and Jake Brown were dressed the tackiest and they were awarded prizes. Pictures were made of the group and games of 42 were played following a short business session.

A nominating committee was named. Class projects were discussed and plans made to assist with church improvements. The class also voted to give a basket of food to a needy family at Thanksgiving.

White elephant gifts were exchanged at the conclusion of the party. Others present were: Rev. and Mrs. A. O. Rue, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ashton.

First Baptist T. E. L. Class Has Luncheon Meeting

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church held its regular meeting in the church chapel Wednesday morning of

last week.

Mrs. W. E. Harvey gave the opening prayer. The devotional, on "Love," taken from First John, chapter 4, verses 7-21, was given by Mrs. L. L. Stroble. Mrs. Carl Smith, president, conducted the business and heard reports.

Luncheon was served at noon. Mrs. Doherty spoke the invocation.

Others present were: Mmes. J. C. Sturges, B. C. Kirk, C. J. Lynn, Sallie Cole, Emma Speer, T. J. McCaughan, A. F. Brock, G. B. Nixon, C. C. Robertson and J. W. Blasdel.

Gift Party in Hargrove Home Compliments Mrs. Perry

Mrs. Joe Perry was complimented at a gift party Thursday in the home of Mrs. L. O. Hargrove on Eighth Street. Other hostesses were Mrs. John Cody, Mrs. Caleb Brown and Mrs. Harmon Boothe.

The pink and blue theme was used for decorations. A pink floral arrangement was used to center the dining table. Baby articles filled with mints

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were plate favors. After gifts were presented, chiffon pumpkin pie was served with coffee. Included were: Mmes. Fred Moncrief, David Haliburton, A. G. Buchanan, R. W. Talbott, James Stewart, George Hall, I. B. Funderburk, Elliott Kemp, Gene Heidenheimer, Melvin Beddo, Sterling Lindsey, H. P. Largent, M. C. Broussard, France Jones, Lee (Pat) Yookum, K. I. Sharpes, Jr., Latham Flynt, J. O. Little, Tony Morgan, M. A. Davidson, C. A. Bissett, Kelly Chapman, Jack

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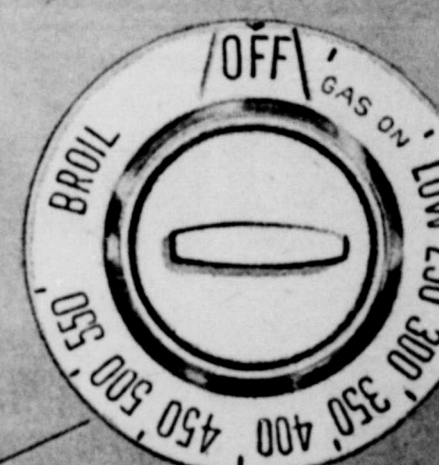
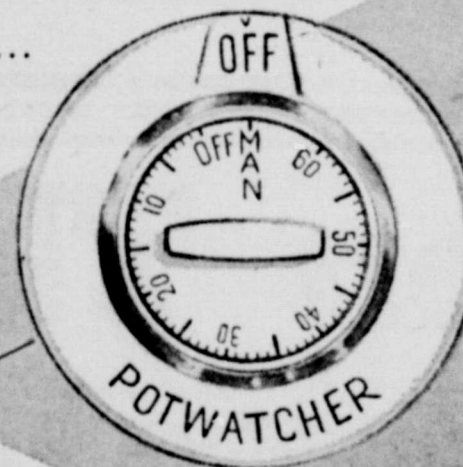
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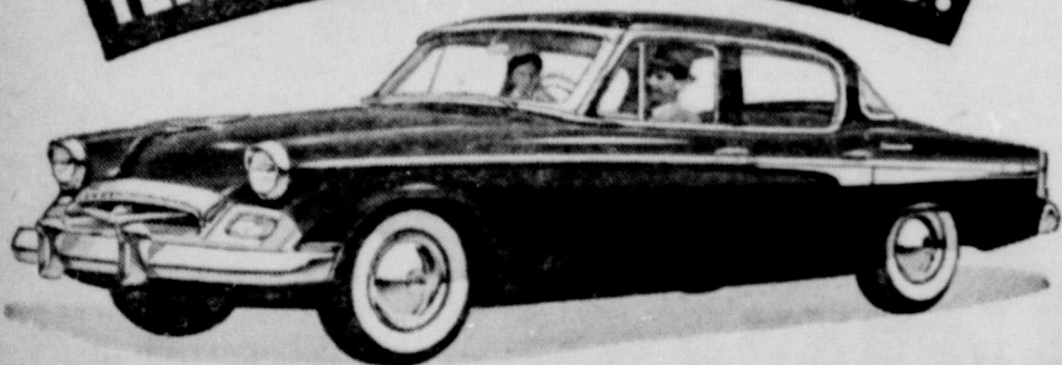
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'Brigadoon,' in CinemaScope, Color, Musicomedy Starring Charisse, Kelly

"Brigadoon," screen version of the Broadway musical hit, in CinemaScope and Ansoco Color, will be the major attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, November 21, 22.

The new M-G-M musical stars Gene Kelly, Van Johnson and Cyd Charisse. Supporting players are Elaine Stewart, Barry Jones, Albert Sharpe, Virginia Joster of the original stage cast, and the noted Broadway dancer, Hugh Laing making his film debut after starring with the New York City Ballet Company.

As a stage musical "Brigadoon" won the New York Critics circle award and ran in New York for 581 straight performances, later repeating its success in England and Scotland. Its story, drawing a fine line between reality and fantasy,

tells of a Scottish village rising out of the Highlands into one day in each century and of a stranger who gives up the mundane world for love and the enchantment of the village of Brigadoon.

The picture reunites Gene Kelly and Cyd Charisse for the first time since the successful "Singin' in the Rain," and also marks the first time Kelly and Van Johnson have worked together in a musical-comedy since 1941, when both appeared on Broadway in "Pal Joey."

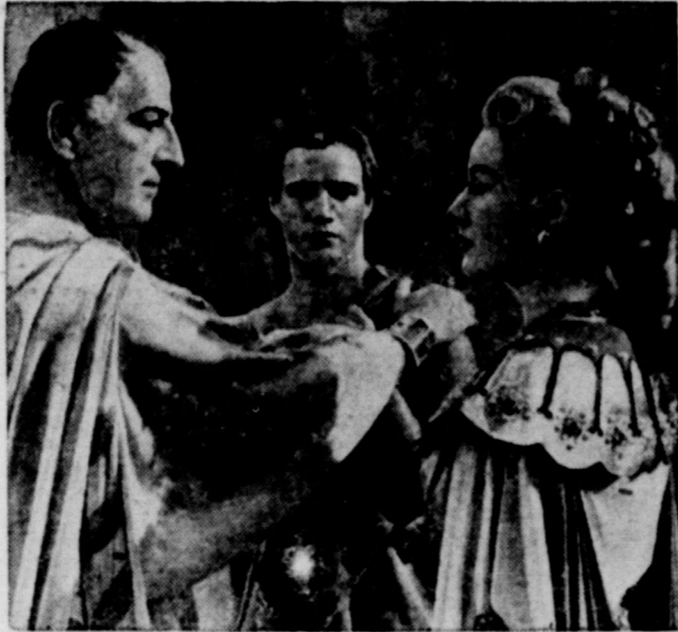
A three-fold conflict between a man who dreams of building a cattle empire in the Far West, the trigger-quick foster brother of a ruthless outlaw vaquero, and the girl they both love, forms the basis of the dramatically powerful story of "Ride,

Vaquero," to be shown at the Texas today only. Robert Taylor, Ava Gardner and Howard Keel are the stars of this fast-paced, hard-riding, hard-shooting M-G-M outdoor drama.

The turbulent India-Afghanistan border with savage clashes between wild tribesmen and crack British lancers is the colorful background for "Khyber Patrol," on the double-feature program at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday. Starred in the United Artists release are rugged Richard Egan and lovely Dawn Addams. Supporting players are Raymond Burr, Patric Knowles and Paul Cavanaugh.

On the same bill is "Hollywood Thrill Makers," starring James Gleason and Bill Henry.

Shakespeare's immortal play, "Julius Caesar," produced on film by M-G-M, is to be shown at the Texas next Tuesday and Wednesday, November 23, 24. Comprising one of the most distinguished casts ever assembled for a motion picture are Marlon Brando in the role of Mark Antony, James Mason as Brutus, John Gielgud as Cassius, Louis Calhern as Julius Caesar, Greer Garson as Calpurnia, Edmond O'Brien as Casca, and Deborah Kerr as Portia, together with 50 players in speaking roles and thousands of extras.



Mark Twain Comedy Starring Peck, Martin-Lewis Farce, Hillcrest Billings

The new Dean Martin-Jerry Lewis Technicolor laugh hit, "Living It Up," is to be shown on the twin-bill at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday, November 19, 20. A

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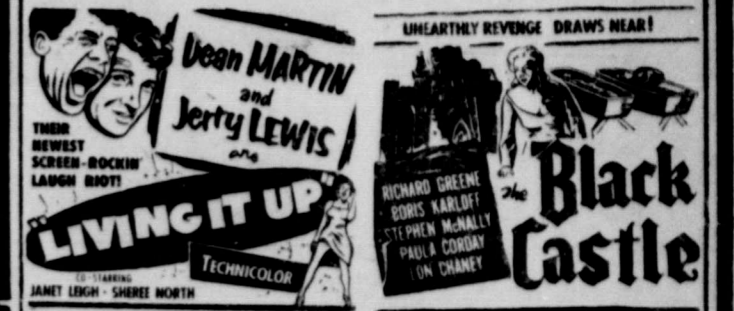
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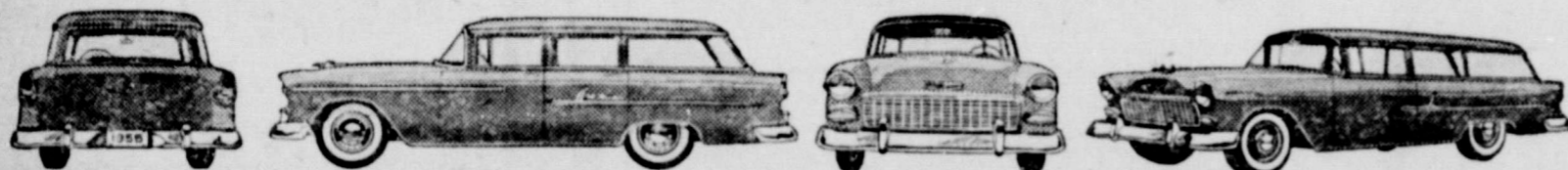
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SOCIETY

Brownie Troop 7 Takes Hike
Brownie Troop No. 7 met with the leaders, Mrs. Bob McGarvey and Mrs. Child Stone, at the Girl Scout house Wednesday afternoon of last week to plan for a hike Saturday.

After being served nibbles by Bobbie Balkum, the group practiced laying trails in preparation for the hike to city park. The leaders assisted the troop members in preparing a first aid kit to be taken on the hike.

Members who went on the hike were: Jon Ella Fragua, Jo Lou Putman, Theresa Green, Betty Allen, Beverly Dobbins, Carla Murman, Rebecca Bigby, Brenda Joyce Owens, Betty Jane Reynolds, Sandra Mercer, Jeanette McGarvey, Penny Stone, Elaine Muckelrath, Linda Sue Burgess, Karen Schroeder and Bobbie Balkum.

St. Mary's Altar Society to Hold Pancake Supper
Mrs. Harold Mueller conducted the business routine when St. Mary's Altar Society met in the parish hall Tuesday night of last week.

Plans were made for a pancake supper to be held on Tuesday, November 30. The public is invited to attend the supper which will begin at 5:30 p. m. It was announced that the no-host Christmas party for members would be held on December 14. Committees reported on the Christmas card sale and the making of altar covers.

The Rev. Patrick Ryan, O.M.I. met with the group and discussed local church activities. Hostesses were Mrs. Rhineholt Hoelacher, Mrs. Glen Hoelacher and Miss Alice Kohutek. Refreshments were served to Rev. Ryan, Rev. Robert Vretleau, Miss Lucy Rollwitz, C. T. Moonen, John McGrath, M. L. Hodges, James Mueller, W. J. Curtis, Charles Olsak, John Kuen, Frank Kohutek, Alton Seidel, Woodrow Hoffman, Al Kohutek, and Miss Mary Krc.

Baptist Easter Class Meets in Lowry Home
Mrs. Charles Lowry and Mrs. Chester Cape were hostesses to the Easter Class of the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening of last week, entertaining in the Lowry home on Broad Street.

Mrs. Leonard Bryan, president, was in charge of the business. Mrs. Foy Farmer, class teacher, brought the devotional on "Stewardship."

The hostesses served refreshments to those mentioned and Misses Bud Farley, Earl Brennan, Shirley Cook, Catherine Chase, Joe Johnson, Zane Robinson, Carley Watkins and Bob Bartlett.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES

Decorations of stores, homes and yards does much to build up an early Christmas spirit in a community. Realizing this, the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce each year offers cash prizes for the best in home and yard decorations.

Every year some kind of city-wide program is conducted here to help needy families who will have a barren Christmas unless it is supplied by those able to help.

Runnels county will have a number of problems in 1955 which are of much interest in certain sections. Plans have been made for highway improvement which calls for heavy expenditure by the commissioners.

Paint Rock telephone patrons received improved service last week when the exchange was converted from the magneto crank type to the common battery system.

City officials and members of the national guard company at Stephenville were told last week that they can expect a new national guard armory in either 1955 or 1956.

Has your address been changed? Ledger subscribers are requested to notify the publisher of any change in their address promptly.

Under postal laws newspapers and periodicals must pay postage due for notices of any change in address furnished by the post office.

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Sunday morning and in the afternoon singers of the Comanche section gathered for a special musical program.

A gift show and merchants fair at Brownwood last week attracted thousands of shoppers. The affair was arranged and sponsored by the Brownwood Jaycees and held in the municipal auditorium.

Interesting newspapers and other items were recovered last week when the columns were torn down in front of the First Coleman National Bank building.

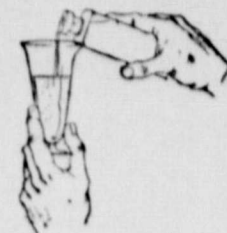
Monahans city officials have denied the request of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. for a rate increase.

investment of \$300,000. City officials did suggest approval of the raise after the company had installed dial equipment.

The Schleicher county commissioners' court has rejected a proposal that the county furnish right-of-way for a farm-to-market road from the Sutton county line northeast to the Menard county line.

Mrs. Freddie Gallas was hostess to the Rowena home demonstration club on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Rudolph Franks with the reading of the thought for the day.

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Rev. Wiley still enjoys preaching and has a heart that yearns for the cause of Christ and the souls of men.

Rev. Brooks stated that on this special day, every elderly person is given a special invitation to attend the service. If there are any who need a ride, they are asked to telephone and a car will be sent. Rides may be secured by calling 21099 or 9845.

The public is cordially invited to join in the special service.

OFFEN BOYS' 4-H CLUB

A meeting of the Offen 4-H boys' club was held on November 8, all members being present. Sterling Lindsey, assistant county agent, directed the pro-

gram. Letters which had been received in regard to the major livestock shows were explained and a demonstration was given in the selection of good laying hens and how to cull flocks. Some of the members will bring tractors to the next meeting and they will be taught the careful use of butane in tractors.

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"Three Hours to Kill," Columbia's western drama of a man who purposely returned to the frontier town where he had barely escaped a lynching, is the first-run feature on the double-bill at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday, November 19, 20. Dana Andrews, Donna Reed and Dianne Foster star in the action-packed drama in color by Technicolor. "Three Hours to Kill" is more than an ordinary western. Properly speaking, it belongs in the same class as "The Ox-Bow Incident," in which Andrews also appeared as a lynch victim. It is an extraordinary drama of crime detection, with plot and counterplot intertwining into a whole.

As gay a romp as has ever graced a motion picture screen is the new Dean Martin-Jerry Lewis comedy, in Technicolor, "Living It Up," second feature on the Friday-Saturday bill. Based on a Broadway musical hit, the hilarious package also stars Janet Leigh and Edward Arnold with Fred Clark and the new dancing sensation, Sheree North.

From the pages of one of the best-loved best-sellers, "The Keys of the Kingdom," by A. J. Cronin, 20th Century-Fox's film version, an encore triumph, is the top attraction at the Horseshoe Sunday and Monday, November 21, 22.

The role of Francis Chisholm, the young Scotsman, whole life

story is the basis of the film, is taken by Gregory Peck. The role is one of the most ambitious and difficult he has ever attempted. Other important parts are essayed by Thomas Mitchell, Vincent Price, Roddy McDowall, Rosa Stradner, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Peggy Ann Garner, Edmund Gwenn, James Gleason, Anne Revere and Jane Ball.

On the same program is a Walt Disney special, "Stormy." A bachelor and a couple of beauties provide the conflict and boudoir bedlam supplies the laughs in "Dream Wife" to be presented at the Horseshoe next Tuesday and Wednesday, November 23, 24. M-G-M's hilarious romantic comedy stars Cary Grant, Walter Pidgeon, Deborah Kerr and Broadway's Betta St. John. This is the picture which reunites the academy award trio responsible for that earlier box-office smash, "The Bachelor and the Bobby-Soxer"—star Cary Grant, the writer-director Sidney Sheldon and producer Dore Schary.

In pivotal roles are Les Tremayne, Buddy Baer, Bruce Bennett, Richard Anderson, Dean Miller and Steve Forrest. Settings range from the satinpillowed and gold-walled rooms of eastern royalty to the striking contrast of glassed-in New York penthouse apartments.

The No. 2 feature on the same bill is "Battle of Rogue River," in Technicolor, starring George Montgomery.

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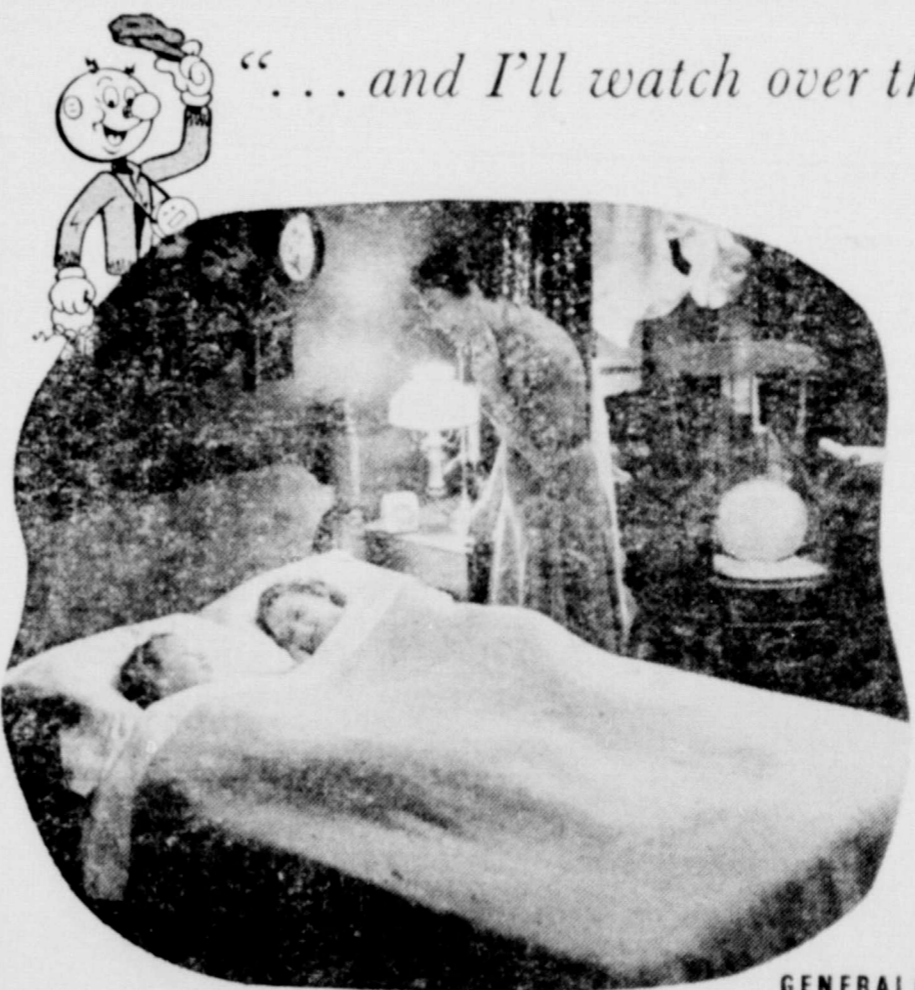
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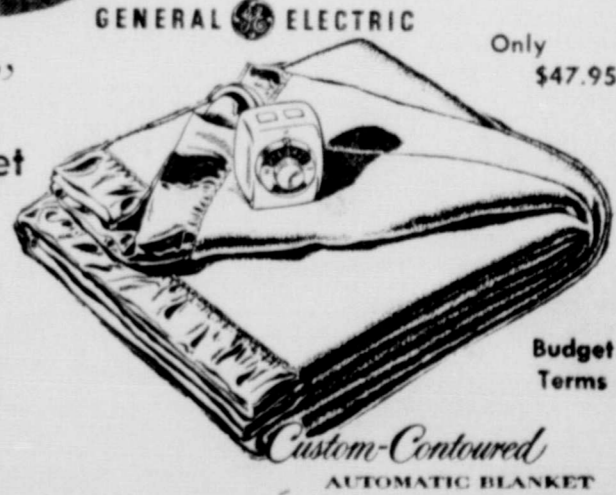


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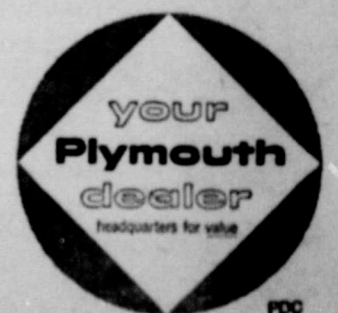
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