500 Attend Barbecue At City Park Friday

proximately 500 people at City Park Friday noon, one of the Political Rally feature parts of the Ballinger 70th birthday anniversary proam. Most of the local stores at 11:30 a. m. Friday remained closed until 1:30 p. m. so that clerks and families might attend the barbecue.

The serving was started coals along with red beans, potato salad and all the trimmings were served.

hour, George Newby was mas- to the crowd. ter-of-ceremonies for a short program and the awarding of facilities of City Park.

Ballinger on being a good place cials who have opposition in to live and rear a family. He the first primary to be held on urged the younger citizens to July 28 were given time on the follow in the footsteps of the follow in the footsteps of the program to ask the public for pioneers who planned and built their support and outline their so well. He praised the city for qualifications. their excellent recreation pro- In district offices, E. J. religious program which makes that he might be here 30 years 77th district. hence when the town of Ballinger celebrates its 100th birthday.

Mrs. Middie Turner was attorney. awarded the prize for being the meeting with old friends.

Mrs. R. A. Dickinson received the prize for being the oldest citizen, living in Ballinger which he has sponsored, in-Ballinger town lot sale and much. came here with her family

A. H. Thurman received the May 24 of this year.

New Rotary Year Started Tuesday

The Ballinger Rotary Club began a new year Tuesday with John King taking over as year. J. Milton Clayton is vice- candidate for governor. president and Charles Hambrick was re-elected to serve

There was no special installation program. President Ruble, after making his report for the year, turned the gavel to Mr. King. King gave a t report of the district assembly held recently at special instructions.

with a growing membership Lieut. Mankin is a chaplain

At the meeting to be held 27. held in Philadelphia, will give the service for the time being. time for the speakers.

President King has named completed. ce and Weyman Mason, in- tives here.

ternational service. named later.

Draws Big Crowd **Friday Morning**

The 70th birthday anniversary of Ballinger opened here last Friday morning with a promptly at 11 o'clock and late political rally on the court comers continued to arrive at house lawn. Bob Dickinson, the park until around 1 o'clock. president of the Ballinger Jay-Barbecue cooked over the open cees, called the meeting to order with some 200 people present and presented Buddy At the close of the dinner Gray who extended a welcome

Judge W. H. Rampy acted as master of ceremonies and exnumber of prizes. Mayor Bill plained the new election law Moore gave the welcome in which requires that one-half which he urged the use of the of the county officers seek their offices on each election year Rev. Felix Keys gave the and that for a four year term.

min talk and complimented All precinct and county offi-

gram for the youth and for the Grindstaff and A. J. Bishop were on hand to discuss their it a city of churches. The qualifications for the office of speaker expressed the hope state representative from the

Louis Hart and E. C. Grindstaff spoke in behalf of their races for the office of district

Ernest Caskey spoke in beperson present. She is half of Senator A. M. Aikin, 96 and was on hand for the candidate for Lieut.-Governor barbecue and to enjoy the of Texas. Mr. Caskey outlined his work in the state government for the past 23 years and discussed some of the bills for 75 years. Mrs. Dickinson cluding the Gilmer-Aikin bill, was at Runnels City before the which has helped Texas so

Reuben Senterfitt, of San Saba, candidate for governor, was represented by his law prize for the newest citizen, partner, who explained that having moved to Ballinger on the candidate could not be in Rallinger because of a pre-Mrs. Harvey Beckendorf, of arranged schedule. He added Alta Loma, was given the prize that he would visit Ballinger for coming the longest distance, later at which time he would meet as many of the voters as 6:00 Keel Drug vs. Co-op Gin day. It is expected that the

> Other candidates appearing on the program were: Commissioner, Precinct No. 1,

Jim Duncan, Marvin Clark 8:00 Rockets vs. Bradshaw and Clyde Chapman. King Installed County Treasurer, D. W. Turner, Earl Cope and Steve

Ashton Tax Assessor-Collector-Pannell Legg, Jr. and Otis Jacob A. M. King, Ballinger real president, succeeding R. E. estate man, spoke in the in-Ruble who has served the past terest of Ralph Yarborough,

the club as secretary-treasurer. Chaplain Mankin Here From Korea **And Japan Tours**

First-Lieutenant J. W. Man-Seguin, where new presidents kin, a former resident of Baland secretaries were given linger, was here the first of the week with his wife and two The Ballinger Rotary Club adopted children, visiting his has just concluded a good year grandfather, Mr. W. H. Wilder

and a good program which in- in the service and has served 6:00 cluded a number of local ac- the past several years in Korea 8:00 *Christian Guild tivities. The staging of the and Japan. They arrived in the annual pancake supper was one United States from Japan some of the highlights for the year ten days ago and after a num- 6:00 and money cleared on that ber of visits in various sections project will be used for civic of the nation, will report to the 8:00 projects during the ensuing Atomic Testing Center at Camp Hanford, Washington, on July

July 10, E. E. King, delegate to Mankin has served as a chap- 8:00 'WT Utilities vs. Lions the International convention lain and plans to continue in his report. This meeting was Later he will drop out to at- 5:45 also attended by Mr. and Mrs. tend either Harvard or Prince-R. E. Ruble. The report is being ton University for three years delayed in order to give more and will likely reenter the ser- 6:00 vice when his education is

the four important committee | They have an adopted son chairmen who will be respon- who is 7 years of age and a 5:45 sible for much of the work daughter who is three years during the ensuing year. They old. They were adopted in 5:45 are: C. T. Parker, club service; Korea and this is their first R. E. Ruble, vocational service; visit to the United States and Garland Nix, community serv- also their first visit with rela- 5:45

Mankin says that the child-All sub-committees will be ren, whose parents are American soldiers and Korean girls, 5:45 creates a problem as the people Beverly Dobbins, Mary Lou in Korea do not accept them. Middleton, Pamela Parish, and He says that the social prob-Becky Bigby attended the lem in the future will also be a Methodist Junior Camp at Glen problem. He stated that up to Rose last week. The group was this time some 500 of the 5:45 Keel Drug vs. Bradshaw his platform and some of the and son, Kent, spent Sunday anied home by Mrs. American-Korean children have been adopted.



NO "CONDOMINIUM" FOR HER-Melody Sachko, 13, left, can spell "conde ing joint rule or sovereignty—but she rules alone as the nation's top speller. The Pittsburgh, Pa., girl spelled down all entrants in the 29th annual National Spelling Bee by correctly spelling "condominium." Other half of Vice President Richard Nixon's double armful is Sandra Owen, 13, of Justus, Ohio, runner-up in the contest. The trio are shown on steps of the Capitol in

Second Half Schedules Lions To Install Of Pony-Little Leagues Chairmen Named

The Keel Drug entry in the Little League won the first half of the season which closed this 5:45 *Methodist vs. WT Utilities at a special program Friday, and shale.

The second half schedule will open tonight and continue until August 14. The play off 5:45 series for both the Little and Pony Leagues will be arranged after the close of the second 5:45

Thursday, July 5 Co-op Gin vs. Nix Rockets Friday, July 6 Heidenheimer vs. Medics Saturday, July 7 Keel Drug vs. Texas

Monday, July 9 Higginbotham vs. Bradshaw Tuesday, July 10 :45 Medics vs. Rockets 8:00 *Methodist vs. Christian

Wednesday, July 11 Open Thursday, July 12 :45 Higginbotham vs Hei-

denheimer Friday, July 13 8:00 West Texas Utilities vs. building will be completed by Lions Club Saturday, July 14 Texas Theatre vs. Medics

Monday, July 16 Co-op Gin vs. Bradshaw Tuesday, July 17 *Methodist vs. Lions Club Wednesday, July 18

Thursday, July 19 Christian Guild vs. Utilities

Higginbotham vs. Medics Friday, July 20 Heldenheimer vs. Co-op Gin Saturday, July 21 Higginbotham vs. Nix

Rockets Monday, July 23 Keel Drug vs. Heidenheimer Tuesday, July 24

5:45 'Lions Club vs. Christian Guild Wednesday, July 25 Texas Theatre vs. Higginbotham

Thursday, July 26 Medics vs. Bradshaw Methodists Friday, July 27

Co-op Gin vs. Higginbotham Texas Theatre vs. Nix Rockets Saturday, July 28 Medics vs. Keel Drug

Monday, July 30 Keel Drug vs. Higgin-Tuesday, July 31 Nix Rockets vs. Heiden-

heimer 8:00 Co-op Gin vs. Medics Wednesday, August 1 *Lions Club vs. Methodist Thursday, August 2 Texas Theatre vs. Heid-

enhelmer Friday, August 3 Keel Drug vs. Nix Rockets Saturday, August 4 *WT Utilities vs. Methodist Monday, August 6 Bradshaw vs. Helden-

heimer Tuesday, August 7 5:45 'WT Utilities vs. Christian Wednesday, August 8 Thursday, August 9

Friday, August 10

Saturday, August 11 Monday, August 13 Texas Theatre vs. Brad-Tuesday, August 14 Co-op Gin vs. Texas

Clifton to Build **New Shop-Office**

the Acme Sheet Mctal Co. has let a contract for a new buildbe used by the firm as soon as Hampton, lion tamer. Directors completed. The 60 by 90 foot building, across the street from tor Co., was started this week Clayton Davis has the contract for the building and the foundation was started Mon-

will be occupied by the Acme Sheet Metal Co. at that time. Mr. Clifton has moved his shop to a building on Ninth Street and will leave his office Flynt on Hutchings Avenue in the former location until the new

September 15 or October 1 and

building is ready. The new building will be constructed of tile and will WT have 5,400 square feet of floor

New Books Added To Library Here

Members of the Carnegie Library Board announced this week that a number of new Bailey books have been added. The new shipment has been unpacked and placed on the shelves for local reading.

The list includes the followng books for adults: "Profiles in Courage," by Kennedy

"An Episode of Sparrows," by Goddan "The Restless Heart," by Gennari "Ten North Frederick,"

O'Hara "The Arts," by Van Loon "Jeweled Sword," by Hill

"MacArthur—His Rendevous Company, at Dallas. With History," by Whitney (do- A native of Ballinger, Robin-Foundation Official Baseball Annual-

Books for children: "The Art of Story Telling,"

y Shedlock "Lonesome Bear," by Kinney Coatsworth

"The Moffats," by Estes RALPH YARBOROUGH

for governor of Texas, was in activities. He returned to Sul were set up on the street and courses. he made a short talk to a small crowd of local people, outlining matters which are issues in here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Troy Midland 5:45 *Christian Guild vs. Lions his campaign.

Officers Friday;

The meeting last week was by the Ballinger Jaycees. Homer Hudgins of Winters,

be the installing officer. Jack Moore, incoming presi- ing below 3,293 feet. dent, attended the Internationthe Ballinger club. Other offi- W. A. Puckett. cers to take office Friday are dent; Felix Keys, second vice vice-president: R. D. Travis Jr. secretary-treasurer: Frank! Berryman, tail twister; Jerry for the new year will be W H. Rampy, A. E. Holbrook, Guy

White and John E. Green. Attendance-H a rold Adling Finance-R. D. Travis Jr. Program-John Purifoy Constitution and By-Laws-

Greeters Price Middleton and all past presidents. Lions Information-Lanham

Convention-L. C. Adair Blind-J. Dexter Eoff Boys and Girls-Jay Garrett the season. Crippled Children-John E.

Citizenship and Patriotism-E. B. Underwood United Nations E. C. Grind-Military Affairs-Price Mid

Publicity-Wayne Fiveash Health and Welfare-E. Y.

Agriculture-Woodrow Hoff-

Civic Improvement and Comnunity Betterment—W. C. Witt a five day stand, playing six given each swimmer. Education-Ernest Caskey Safety-Jerry Hampton

Board-Dick Ayers Thought for the Week-Joe

Football Rides-Otis Jacob FORMER BALLINGERITE

Seldon C. Robinson, a gradu-"Prize Stories of 1956," com-late and star football player

from the Ballinger High School "Robber's Roost," by Zane has been appointed to the town for three games. position of personnel director "Black Mesa," by Zane Grey of the Southern Union Gas

nated by Remington-Rand son received his B. A. degree games. from Sul Ross State College at Alpine and his master's degree in business administration from Texas Christian University at Fort Worth. He has recently completed work for a doctor's degree in education which he "The Peddler's Cart," by will receive in August from Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

He served as a football coach for five years at Sul Ross Col-SPEAKS HERE MONDAY lege and was in the navy dur-Ralph Yarborough, candidate ing World War II in personnel Ballinger Monday morning for Ross as dean of student's life a short stop. Loud speakers and instructor in management

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDade Ballinger Simpson and other friends,

has been extended one location has been extended one location north with the completion of Humble Station the Humble Oil and Refining Co. No. 3-Lange and Dierschke two miles east of Rowena. It was finaled for a daily flowing potential of 416.64 barrels of 46.1 gravity oil. Top of pay was

Chapman & McFarland will attempt to open Gray sand Dankworth, 5 miles northeast of Ballinger. The well formerly

Robert and King of Breckenof production was picked at be completed.

No. 1-J. A. Broadstreet, 11 men to get the station ready miles west of Winters, recover- for service. The station re-80 feet of heavily oil and gas landmarks, the Massey Hotel. cut mud on a drillstem test in ger Lions Club will be installed drilling below 4,596 feet, in lime day Saturday. A green thumb

Sunray Mid-Continental Oil day celebration being staged school land, east of Ballinger, recovered five feet of drilling mud, no show of oil or gas on district deputy governor, will a drillstem test in the Dog Bend lime. The project is drill-

Gulf Oil Corp. has filed apal convention in Miami, Florida plication to drill a 4,950 foot last week and will be back in test four miles northeast of time to take over as head of Wingate. It will be their No. 1-

Hobbs Moves Here For Three Games Starting Tonight

cellent games against Midland Committee chairmen for the Indians with the Westerners taking both with late inning rallies. Tuesday night a two run home by Vince Magi put the Membership Jerry Hampton locals ahead 8 to 7 and hung

the fans the biggest thrill of justify.

ninth on the short end of a 6 to Sunday hours will be from 1 to score, the Westerners got a hitting rally started and when ing, afternoon and evening on it cleared away the crowd was holidays. eaving after seven hits and six runs to take their second win 7 to 6. A triple off the ginners interested in learning Green County line, centerfield wall by Joe Giel drove in the final run. Ralph Mason went all the way for

games. The Midland Indians

header on July 4. the Runnels County team, morning. closing out Saturday night, TO DALLAS POSITION After that the Westerners will NEW VOTING BALLOTS hit the road and will not return to the home park until

> straight games to El Paso and bond elections. then defeated Clovis a pair of Last Saturday there were 12

Thursday, June 28 000 000 000 0 110 000 000 2 El Paso

Friday, June 29 Ballinger 000 002 000 2 111 018 02x 14 17 Saturday, June 30 023 010 30x 9 Sunday, July 1 300 001 001 5 000 002 000 2 Monday, July 2 202 002 001 7 13 5 legal and properly counted. Tuesday, July 3

040 120 000 7 11 401 003 00x 8 8 Wednesday, July 4

Humble Completes \$300,000 Road Bonds 416 Barrel Well In Rowena Field Voted for Highway 67

To Open Here

opening here Saturday. The Humble Service Station, located at the corner of Broadway and service to the people of this lost by only 5 votes. area Saturday

Joe Hambright, well known service station operator here, the vote was 1,166 for and 541 ridge No. 1-J. O. Smith, five will be the manager. Until a miles southeast of Wingate has few months ago he was in Balbeen completed for a daily linger with a modern station flowing potential of 208.50 bar- and for several weeks he has rels of 48 gravity oil in the Paul been waiting for the new and Thomas (3000 sand) field. Top well located Humble Station to

Excellent time has been made Dalton H. Cobb. Greenbrier on the construction job. Just Oil Co. and Delaware Drillers 60 days were used by the worked 60 feet of drilling mud and places one of Ballinger's old

Mr. Hambright stated that the Capps lime. The project they would have free gifts for scheduled for 5,400 feet was the ladies, men and kiddles all ladies visiting the station. called off because of the birth- Co. No. 1-Harrison county There will also be balloons for the kiddies and key chains and cigars for the men. Announcement was made that the station will give S&H Green Stamps to all customers.

The station will handle all Humble Products, including tires, batteries and accessories, and will render a complete

will be asked to register. At, the end of the day gifts will be iven to two persons. A White Mountain Ice Cream Freezer will be one of the free gifts

Local fans watched two ex- Morning Swims Will Be Stopped

Dick Richey, manager of the construction, a detour will be on until the ninth for a win. Municipal swimming pool, an- set up here which will direct Wedesday fans were all set nounced this week that morn- traffic south on Highway 83 to for the big double-header but ing swimming would be dis- the Horseshoe Theatre and storm warnings, a fierce black continued this week. A trial then back over a road to an cloud and a small sprinkle kept was made for the opening of intersection with highway 67 many at home. The first game the pool each morning at 10 in South Ballinger. was postponed but one game got a. m. but business has not been The construction of the Sight Conservation and underway at 7:30 which gave sufficient in the mornings to bridge will also have some re-

After this week the pool will Going into the last of the open each afternoon at 1 p. m. nue from Tenth Street to the 7 p. m. It will be open morn-

to swim are urged to register for these classes. The ages will be from 5 years old up to bonds Saturday which will pr adults. The ten day course will be \$4 and classes will be limit-The Westerners returned ed to 6 persons so that more home Tuesday night to begin personal instructions can be

Mr. Richey will be assisted by were on hand for a game Tues- Paul Stewart in the instruc-Representative City Park day night and the double- tions. Classes will start at 10 a. m. and will run from Mon-The league leading Hobbs day through Friday. In case No. 1 Highway 67 For 243, team will move in tonight for enough are interested two Against 29. Proposition No. 2, three important games with periods will be taught each Highway 83, For 223, against

CONFUSE MANY HERE

Voters have not been ac-July 16 when Roswell comes to customed to the ballots with the small square in front of No. 2 For 4, against 12. On the road the past week the candidate's name or in the Westerners dropped three front of the for and against on 12, against 45; proposition No.

mutilated ballots in one local 87, against 99; proposition No. Following is a line score of box because the square was used wrong. These votes would have changed the result of one proposition on the election. Some placed a check-mark in

the square and then scratched the printing after the square, 0 making it impossible to tell how the person actually voted. The law still permits the scratching of a candidate or an issue but when this is done the check-mark is unnecessary. When a check is placed in the square, that is all that is necessary for the ballot to be

Those who cast a ballot in

urday resulted in one issue passing and the other being Saturday, July 7 used on Highway 67 for improvements between Coleman Park Avenue has been complet- chase right-of-way on Highway ed and will be ready to start 83 from Hatchel to Ballinger

> On proposition No. 1, which included work on Highway 67, tion No. 2, Highway 83 improvements the vote was 1,106

for and 561 against. Members of the Runnels County commissioners' court noon to check and retabulate the ballots. Election boxes were received here by Sheriff Don Atkins and held in his care until

that highway engineers for has been completed on oth

The new bridge across the Colorado River at Ballinger and eight-tenths of a mile of four lane highway will be the first work done. The money for this job has been appropriated and all engineering work com-

pleted. right-of-way must be purchas-

After This Week as soon as possible. While the bridge is under

quirements on the city for curbs, etc. on Hutchings Ave-

city limits. The second project for construction is expected to be the four-lane highway from a point Classes in swimming will be eight-tenths of a mile west started on July 16 and all be- the Colorado River to the Tol

San Angelo and Tom Gree County also approved ros vide money for the purchase C right-of-way on Highway 67 County line and a connection with the four-lane project in

this county. Here is a breakdown on vot-

ing by boxes:

Benoit Proposition No. 1 For 4, against 26; proposition No. 2 For 4, against 25. Brookshire Proposition No. 1 For 5, against 11; proposition

Olfen Proposition No.1 Fer For 15, against 37. Miles Proposition No. 1 For

2 For 83, against 94, Rowena Proposition No. 1 For 70, against 114; proposition No. 2 For 69, against 103. Ballinger 24 Proposition No

1 For 318, against 69; proposi tion No. 2 For 292, against 8 Ballinger 28 Proposition N For 284, against 79; proposi tion No. 2 For 272, against of Ballinger 29 Proposition No. For 130, against 35; proposition No. 2 For 129, against 33, Bethel Proposition No. 1 For 13, against 34; proposition No. 2 For 15, against 32.

Glen W. Tabor, 13-year old the primary this month should son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee W. remember that to vote for a Tabor, of Ballinger, was adcertain candidate, all that is mitted on June 27 to the Scot-000 050 001 6 11 0 necessary is to place a check in tish Rite Hospital in Dallas for 010 000 006 7 12 0 the square in front of the name. crippled children.



daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe She wore a gown of white M. Fgan of Dallas, and grand- emboidered organdy, with a daughter of the late Mr. and decollete neckline edged in tiny

Skelly Burford of St. Louis, and valley lilies.

Lolah Mary Egan is Bride the wedding vows. Robert Evans Of William Skelly Burford presented music. Joe M. Egan Miss Lolah Mary Egan, gave his daughter in marriage Mrs. Tom Egan of Ballinger, ruffles. A wide court train was who were pioneer residents of formed by the bouffant skirt. Ballinger, and William Skelly Her veil of illusion fell to waist Burford of Baltimore, Mary- length from a halo of organdy land, son of Freeman W. Bur- flowers. She carried a cascade ford of Dallas, and Mrs. Carolyn bouquet of orchids, stephanotis

Missouri were married Thurs- Honor attendants were Miss day in Perkins Chapel, SMU. Alice Hendrick of Washington Both formerly were members D. C., and Joseph E. Stamey of the English faculty at the Ushers were Leon ard Volk, Walter Schmucker, Jr., Sam The Rev. Charles E. Fike read Brock, Jr., Joe Mike Egan, Jr

The Bible Teaches:

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The Gospel of Christ

Keys To Bible Understanding RIGHTLY DIVIDING THE NEW TESTAMENT

Past lessons have shown the need of rightly dividing the Bible (2 Timothy, 2:15). We have learned that both of the Old Testament dispensations have been abolished and that Christ is our authority today.

We must be able to rightly divide the New Testament to understand the plan of salvation and Christ's will concerning us. Christ told people to keep the law of Moses (Mat-thew 23:2-3); yet Paul said Christ took away the law of Moses and that we are saved by the law of Christ (Heb. 10: 9-10; Col. 2:14; Gal. 3:24-25). Is there a contradiction? Not when you understand that CHRIST LIVED AND DIED UNDER THE LAW OF MOSES and was speaking to Jews before his death brought the old law to an end. Paul spoke of all people today since the law of Christ went into effect

Christ told his apostles to preach only to the Jews and not to Gentiles (Matt. 10:5-7); and he said "I am not sent but unto . . . Israel" (Matt. 15:24). In the Great Commission, however, Christ told his apostles to "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature" (Mark 16: 15). Did Christ contradict himself? Not when you rightly divide and understand that the limited commission was given during His lifetime under the law of Moses but the Great Commission was given after His death and after the old law was nailed to the cross (Col. 2:14).

EXCEPTING THE CLOSING VERSES, THE EVENTS OF THE FOUR GOSPELS—MATTHEW, MARK, LUKE AND JOHN—TOOK PLACE UNDER THE LAW OF MOSES. They are the events of the life of Christ and are of necessity under the old law of Moses because it did not end until the death of Christ (Colossians 2:14). Christ lived and died under the law of Moses.

THE EVENTS OF CHRIST'S LIFE TOOK PLACE BEFORE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF HIS KINGDOM OR HIS CHURCH. In Matthew 16:18 Christ promised to build his church (or Kingdom v. 19). In Acts 1:6 (which was after the death of Christ) the kingdom or church had not been established. Christ promised the kingdom would come when the power (Holy Spirit) came (Mark 9:1). The power came on the day of Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4); therefore the church came then. Acts 2:47 proves it, because people were then added to the church; but in Acts 1:6 (before Pentecost) the kindom hadn't come yet. Thus we see plainly that the events of Christ's life occurred before the establishment of His church.

Paul identifies the facts of the gospel as the death, burial, and resurrection of Christ (1 Corinthians 15:1-4). Obviously THE GOSPEL COULD NOT BE PREACHED DURING THE LIFETIME OF CHRIST because His death, burial and resurrection were not facts as yet, only promises. Thus it was after His resurrection that Christ said, "Go-preach

CHRIST'S WILL OR LAW DID NOT GO INTO EFFECT UNTIL AFTER HIS DEATH. Paul plainly says in Hebrews 9:16:11 "For where a testament is, THERE MUST OF NECESSITY BE THE DEATH OF THE TESTATOR. For a testament is of force AFTER MEN ARE DEAD: Otherwise IT IS OF NO STRENGTH AT ALL WHILE THE TESTATOR LIVETH."

Just like in men's wills today, Christ could dispose of His property (blessings, forgiveness, salvation) as He desired for example, forgiving the thief on the cross); but after his death and the probation of His last will and testament he condition of His will became fixed and unchanged.

CHRIST'S WILL DID NOT GO INTO EFFECT UNTIL THE TRST PENTECOST AFTER HIS RESURRECTION when it may probated by the executors, the apostles. Peter, as the loor teeper (Matthew 16:19), announced the terms of pardon or christ's will on that memorable Pentecost. The contions never shall be changed.

YOU ARE ALWAYS WELCOME TO THE EIGHTH STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

and David Ruffin.

Hockaday School, magna cum ompleted her Master's degree Tom Egan of Rowena. at SMU. She is a member of he Junior League of Dallas. Mr. Burford attended Texas Country Day School and the Johns Hopkins University. He Eastern Star, June 26.

nome of Mr. and Mrs. Egan, studying in Paris. He is the shal; Mrs. Zada Lewis, instalthe bride's parents, 3628 Lem- holder of the Texas Institute ling chaplain; Mrs. Ida Roe of Letters award for his book Gentry, secretary. The bride graduated from of poems, "Man Now."

Mrs. Burford is the niece of laude from Bryn Mawr College, Mrs. W. J. Curtis, Mrs. C. T. linger, associate matron; Mrs. Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, and Moonen, both of Ballinger, and Dorothy Collins, associate con-

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clark To Head Norton O. E. S. Shattuck School, Faribault, stalled as worthy matron and shal; Mrs. Lois Renfro, Adah; dinnesota. He was a graduate her husband, Clifford Clark in- Mrs. Altha Carter, Ruth; Mrs. Marvin Bird, worshipful mas- time residents of Runnels all colors. Special designs for of Amherst College and receiv- stalled worthy patron of the Dorothy Wilson, Esther; Mrs. ter; Eskell Powell, senior war- County, met in the Cameron anniversary celebrations and d his Master's degree from Norton Chapter, 280, Order of Adele Baker, Martha: Mrs.

s a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Mrs. Extelle Pruitt, past Phi Kappa Psi, the Institute of worthy matron of the Norton Henry, sentinel.

The reception was at the Fulbright Scholar in 1954, P. Largent of Ballinger, mar-

Other elective officers were Mrs. Lillian Jennings of Balductress; Mrs. Gentry, secretary; Mrs. Betty Lee, treasurer: Mrs. Roy Roper, organist; Mrs. trict deputy, was the installing DRAKE FAMILY REUNION Gladys Fletcher, Chaplain; Mrs. Mrs. Clifford Clark was in- Bennie L. Stubblefield, mar-Eddie S. Carter, Electa; Mrs. Sybil Henry, Warden; J. T.

Club of Baltimore, and was a Others assisting were Mrs. H. Stevens will be installed con- F. L. Wells, senior steward. ductress, and Hollis Stevens will be installed associate patron.

Ballinger A. F. & A. M. Holds Installation Meeting

Ballinger A. F. & A. M. 643 held an open installation June 26 at 7:30 o'clock.

C. H. Ray Jr. of Miles, disofficer and H. P. Largent was installing chaplain. The following were installed:

warden; Melvin Patterson, annual get-together. Letters, the Tudor and Stuart Chapter was installing officer. At a later date Mrs. Hollis con; Ralph Ballou, tiler; and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Newsom, ing Co., Phone 6522.

Ralph Ballou has served the local lodge as tiler for twenty

Following the installation service, cake and ice cream was served to 40 masons and their

worshipful master.

HELD AT WACO SUNDAY The descendents of the late

Mr. and Mrs. S. Drake, long- Cocktail and luncheon sizes in den; Elmer Rodgers, junior Park in Waco Sunday for their parties. These can be bought

deacon; M. A. Foy, junior dea- ing. Those from Ballinger were: silver and gold. Ballinger Print-

Mrs. J. A. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hambright, Mrs. Alma Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett and children, Mr. and Mrs. August McWilliams Jr.

Others attended from Angelo, Bronte, Winters lene, Eastland, Fort Worth, Stephenville, Dallas, Austin, Marlin, San Antonio, Houston, Alamogordo, New Mexico, Boston, Massachusetts and Waco

NAPKINS for every occasion. with printed names and dates secretary; B. B. Stultz, senior There were about 130 attend- in all colors of ink including

Bananas

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3 For 89¢

4 For \$1.00

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Libby Peas

Early June

Potted Meat

Tuna

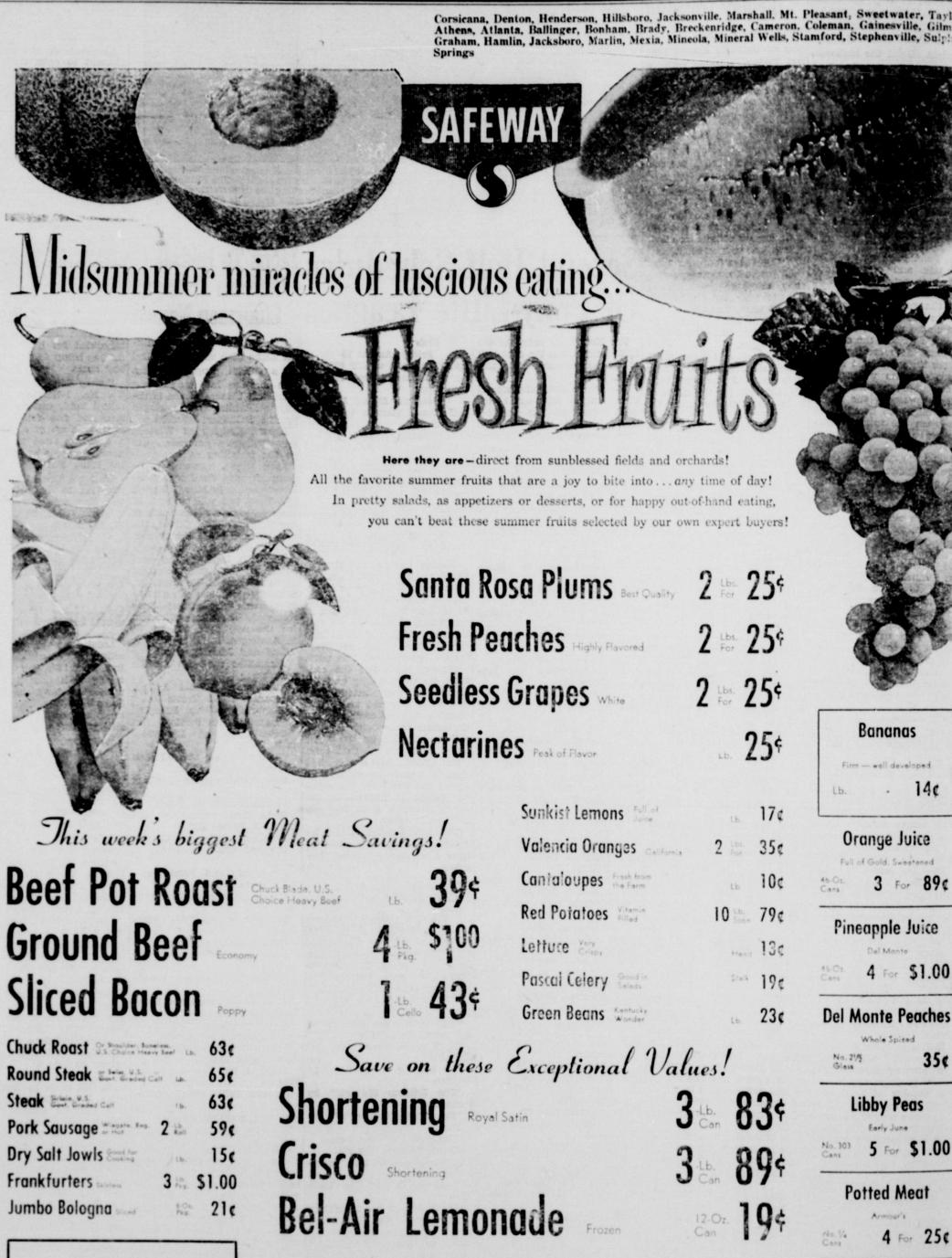
5 For \$1.00

4 For 25¢

4 For 25¢

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EDDINGS ARE HEAVY DURING JUNE LOCALLY

The county clerk's office issued a total of 21 marriage licenses during the month of Miss Jeanette Pauline Hirt June, one of the heaviest for this year. Those included in the list are:

Jack Wesley Burns and Miss Miss Glenda Sue Sullivan adean Graves

ames Nelan Bahlman and Miss Celesta Lee Damron

Shirley Yvonne Blackmon Robert Jerome Kohutek and Frankie Eugene Berryman and Mrs. Mary Brown Roy

Jim Junior Bailey and Miss

Franklin Lanier Milliff and Herrington Ellsworth Sealy Herring and Miss Melva Louise Miller Temple Gayle Klipple Jessie Escobar Gomez and Miss Mary Jo Forman Miss Monica Martinez Rodri- David Clarence Kraatz and

Miss Martha Sue West Orville Vernon Slate and Miss

Mary Ellen Connor

Alton Edward Halfmann and Miss Francine Leona Hoelscher Roger Q. Mills Holder and and Miss Adalene Fawn Wil-Mrs. Fern Elizabeth McDonald liams

Senion Bura Rodriguez and Juanell Odell Miss Lupe Mora Guevara Bobby Glenn Mullips and Miss Sandra June Patterson William Joe Binder and Miss Betty Jean Johnson.

At Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Tom Crockett, who was celebrating her birthday anniversary on Monday, July 2, was honored on Sunday with a dinner at which her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude R. Simmons and their sons, David, Don, and Tom A. Simmons, were hosts in their Bethel home.

Following the dinner, homemade ice cream was served with the cake to the honor guest, her children and their families. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crockett of Rowena; Mrs. Bill Warren and children of Paint Rock: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crockett and children of San Angelo; Ralph D. Crockett of Midland; Mrs. Editha Pierce of El Paso; Mrs. Nina Gunyon and children of

Junior Bible Class, Story Hour Held at First Presbyterian U. S. The Rev. Felix Keys, Jr. pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S., is conducting a

Bible Study Class for juniors which includes 4th, 5th and 6th grades, at 10:00 a. m. each Wednesday in the church, and story and recreation hour for the primary department, including the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd grades, on Thursday mornings at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. L. J. Campbell, Mrs. Alex McGregor and Mrs. Virginia Nance are assisting in the primary department. All children in the com-

munity and visitors in Ballinger, as well as the children of Lonnie Alton Cantrell, Jr.

and Miss Mary Minette Hin-Robert Lucien Reed Statham

Weldon Jane Lange and Miss Leonardo Rodriguez Tala-

mantes and Miss Maria Teresa Carolyn Adell McClenny



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the church, are invited to at- Sixth Street.

Miss Burton Complimented

At Gift Tea Miss Emilie Burton, brideelect of William E. Morris, was honored at a gift tea Saturday

Sally Underwood. The bride-elect's chosen Edwin Fanell Cotton and Miss afternoon in the home of Mr. colors, aqua and yellow, were

> on the living room mantel and Allen will succeed Bill Harman at other vantage places. Miss Sally Underwood greet- Other officers elected were ed guests and presented Mrs. T. K. Martin, first vice-presi-A. J. Hendricks and her daugh- dent; Vester Perrish, second

with a cream colored lace cloth vey Medlock and Bill Harman over a yellow cloth and cen- Installation of officers will be tered with a formal arrange- held at a later date. ment of aqua munis and fern n a milk glass bowl, with love JUNIOR GOLFERS AT pirds. A miniature bride and

Hostesses were Mrs. Blackmon, Mrs. Luther Parker, Misses Jo Anne Blackmon, Shirley Jones, Betty Jo Hennecke and

and Mrs. Cam Blackmon on used to decorate entertaining rooms which included an araqua mums and yellow gladioli who becomes a two-year direc-

Mrs. W. H. Morris, mother of third vice-president; Jim King

of San Angelo, aunt of the Abilene the past week end onoree, served white iced cake Boys were on hand from man

presided at the punch service. divisions. Assisting in serving were Jo

WINGATE LIONS ELECT

OFFICERS THURSDAY Cloy Allen, postmaster at Wingate, was elected president rangement of yellow gladioli lar meeting held last weeks John T. King of Anson, who Methodist Church. tor of the club.

ter, Miss Emilie Burton, and vice-president; Ben J. Williams, Ballinger, the prospective bride-groom, tail twister and W. M. Knox, and his sister, Miss Joan Mor- lion tamer. Directors of the

ABILENE TOURNAMENT groom completed the center- Three Ballinger Junio dece. Table appointments were golfers made good showings is nilk glass. Mrs. J. C. Baldwin the junior tournament held at

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squares decorated with aqua towns in Texas and low scores florals, and Miss Alma Lee Ray were posted in the various

Anne Blackmon and Betty Jo ger, Truman Conner, Teddy Triplett and J. T. White all Mrs. Parker displayed gifts played in the 16 to 17 year old and bid adieus, 115 friends of division. Conner was sixth. the bride-elect were included. Triplett was eighth and White

> score of 319 for the 72 holes. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Davis and daughters were in Abilene Saturday to attend the marwere married at St Paul

fourteenth. Conner posted a

The three boys from Ballin-

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Glover of Abilene, former residents of

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assisted by Mrs. Albert Lippe in blue shells, iced in white and of homes. and Mrs. Guo Behnke in entertaining members of the entertaining in the games. Mrs. Floyd Wiginton some of Rev. and Mrs. Ring- assisted in serving. lardt on Eighth Street.

president, conducted the business routine. Rev. Ringhardt Houston. gave the prayer and discussed Mothers of guests were Mmes the program topic, "Prayer." Don Stephens, James Stewart, The local church will be host L. O. Hargrove, Jack Scales; to the district church rally and added guests were Mrs. which will be held on October Tony Queen and Miss Doris 7, and towns included in the Queen. district sending representatives will be San Angelo, Menard, Brady, Eden, Eola, along with Ballinger.

Goetz was awarded the game Street. Street. Sarah Chandler, president. At the social hour shadow cream roll was served. Plate was in charge of business Hand names were revealed and new garments filled with candies.

Meredith Jackson Honored On Second Birthday

of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson. Bill Mathis gave a talk on the Mrs. Austin Williams. who was celebrating her second care of hands and the hair. birthday anniversary on the The next regular meeting will Fourth of July, was feted at a be held next Monday evening FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME . party in the City Park late at six o'clock, with Midge Adair Tuesday afternoon. Her mother, as hostess. Mrs. Jackson, was hostess to a Strawberry shortcake was

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and gifts were opened by the topped with tiny blue candles and red and white mints, were

Guests were Kevin Stephens, Rooms were decorated with Scott, Randy and Linda Stewrchid, white and pink gladioli art, Bill and Sheri Hargrove, where Mrs. William Goetz, Sharon Scales, Ginger Newby, and Phyllis MacGowen of

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Fancy Doers Plan 'Sock Hop'

favors were miniature baby books for the year were dis- pal names were drawn. Cookies tributed. The group made plans and fruit was served. Others Others present besides those for a Sock Hop to be held on were Mmes J. C. Reese, Andrew nentioned were Mmes. Carl July 17 at the Country Club, Flint, Austin Williams, R. R. 3ckhausen, Otto Goetz, Fred and a slumber party will fol- Holstead, Jack Fry, J. L. Ohl-Mr. and Mrs. Cal Adair Added Tom Crockett, J. P. Booth, Mrs. guests and dates for members J. W. Jones was a visitor. will be included at the dance. The next meeting will Meredith Jackson, daughter For the club program, Mrs. held July 17 in the home of

Mrs. Edward J. Moonen and

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Sharon Tuckey, Midge Adair, Pauline James, Dorothy Lange, Sarah Chandler, Rebecca Davis, Martha Gallant, Jackie Bramey, Hettie Mae Herring, Jane Wade, LaNell Holbrook, Ellen Herring, Patty Sweeney, Linda Crockett, Pat Bell, Marcia Murchison, Gayle Jennings, Frances Schraeder, Jane Nixon, Frances Stokes; added guests were Merrill Burnett of Dublin and Sharon Jones of Brownwood.

Mrs. Mary Thompson Honored At House Warming

Mrs. Mary E. Thompson and her small son, Tommy, who reently moved into their new nome on Thirteenth Street, were given a surprise house warmng Tuesday night.

Hostesses were Mrs. Melvir atterson. Mrs. Carley Watkins irs. Odell Howard, and Mrs. A . Buchanan.

Gifts for the new home were presented Mrs. Thompson and er son, by more than forty ive friends. Cookies and punch was served by hostesses.

SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

At the regular meeting of the south Ballinger home demon- the show. tration club Tuesday afteroon, held in the home of Mrs. oe Thomas in South Ballinger, Miss Ollie Chenoworth, county home demonstrator, discussed "Kitchen Arrangement and a Mrs. Wesley Ringhardt was "Happy Birthday" as cup takes showed slides on the interior angered at the assignment of relentless fight of Father Juni- mit to use it.

Mrs. Archie Wallace, presi-Ladies Aid Society of the Bethel served with red punch. Favors Mrs. B. M. Batts read "The Lutheran Church Monday were sand pails and various Primary Purpose of Home Demonstration Clubs." Mrs. Dick Holstead, the secretary. read a number of Thank You notes, Mrs. Neuman Smith gave past week were: the council report. The club voted to hold the H. D. Rally Day on August 1, and the club nade plans for a skit to be presented at the Rally Day program. It was announced that urday four women from the various county clubs had been selected o sing a special number at the National and State H. D. Club Meeting which will be held in San Antonio the latter part of September. They are Mrs. Dick Sharon Cook was hostess to Holstead from the South Bal-Goetz was honored with a pink members of Fancy Doers Club linger Club, Mrs. Harold Routh and blue baby shower. Follow- Monday night entertaining in and Mrs. Elliott Kemp from the ing, games appropriate for the the home of her parents, Mr. East Side Club, and Mrs. Ralph Saturday occasion were played and Mrs. and Mrs. Rex Cook on Tenth Russell from the Friendly

hausen, C. D. Harris, John Cody,

group of small guests and their served to the club sponsors. Neighbors home demonstration Following games on the park Miss Delphane Berryhill, and to club Tuesday afternoon in her

plefield directed the group in ouncil report. Members made plans for their part in the Rally Day menu and also discussed the skit which they will present at the Rally Day pro-

For the program, Mrs. George Hall, president of the Ballinger H. D. Club, gave a review on "The Life of Mary, the Mother of Jesus," from the book Women of the Bible," by E Deane. The book will be donated to the Runnels County H. D. Library in memory of Mrs. George Beard.

Mrs. Moonen served a sandwich plate with cookies and fruit punch. Others present were Mmes. Hugo Vogelsang J. J. Wessels, L. C. Sibley; Robbie and Marcia Ann Hall, and

Carol Sue Stubblefield. The next meeting will be held at 2:30 p. m., July 17, in the home of Mrs. E. S. Morgan.

METHODIST YOUTH

PLAN DALLAS TRIP up of young people from the First Methodist Church is being formed from the intermediate and senior departments to make a trip to Dallas and Waco on July 12. Leaders expect about 20 to be ready to take off in cars that morning for Dallas where they will visit the Methodist Publishing House

and other places fo interest. That afternoon they will go to Waco where they will spend the night in the Methodist Home and will return to Balinger the next day.

Altar Society Sponsors Show Cervenka to Test



local people to purchase tickets Jeffrey Hunter, Michael Ren- pay off. from them prior to the date of nie, Rita Moreno and many | Some of the things that the

them to found missions in the Cities of God.

H. H. Watkins, Big Spring, medical, Monday

Mrs. R. E. Davis and son, last

Jessie Cortez, accident, Sat-

Kathryn Garcia, medical,

Vershel Smith, medical, last

a son born Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monroe, HOSPITAL NOTES Winters, a girl born Tuesday. Patients dismissed from the this time are: Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the

Mrs. Ivy P. Brown, medical Mrs. F. M. Steele, medical Becky Herbert, surgical Mrs. L. A. Cantrell, medical Mrs. Clovis Smith, Winters,

medical Mrs. R. E. Davis, surgical Malcolm Morgan, medical

WORK IS STARTED

Clyde Lee, Maverick, medical, missioner from precinct No. 4, by the technicians of the conwas here Monday and stated servation service. Mrs. Bob Poindexter, medi-that his crews were working d, last Thursday
Mrs. E. C. DeLay, medical, on the new farm-to-market Mrs. A. W. Gully and son, road north of Miles. The rightof-way has been secured and Lucy Smith, medical, Mr. Gordon is getting the Wednesday J. W. Wiginton, medical, fences built along the 8.2 mile

Mrs. J. D. Pryor, medical Fri-A contract for the actual ay construction and topping will Members of the Ballinger be let around August 1. This Country Club gathered at the

Mrs. Jack Ashton, medical, Alan Evans, Norton, surgical, ger, along the Colorado River of the program. Mrs. Lee Boatright, Winters, and back southwest to Rowena Mrs. Sam Conner was winner has been completed and is now of the bridge tournament held Births reported at the Bal- in use. This route is only eight- Wednesday morning and in inger Clinic-Hospital the past tenths of a mile further from bingo play, Dr. C. F. Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Grindstaff, Ballinger to Rowena than along Miss Sally Bailey were winners.

Irrigation Plan On 60-Acre Farm

Farmers in this area of West Texas are becoming more and more interested in irrigation and have been studying various possible plans. The following release by the Runnels Soil Conservation services regarding one Runnels County farmer shows some of the problems.

Will irrigation pay off? This is the question Bill Cervenka is asking himself as he kets his first crop underway after completely revising his old irrigation system. The Cervenka farm joins the Colorado River about 8 miles west of Ballinger. As Cervenka puts it, irriga-

tion is much more intensive than dry land farming. If handled right the returns are high, but the expense and risk Altar Society are sponsoring The DeLuxe color film pro- the farmer must take are also the showing of "Seven Cities of duced by Robert D. Webb and high. One of the big costs the Gold" at the Horseshoe Theatre Barbara McLean tells of the of getting his irrigation system Members of the society will historic expedition and their installed, and the more near share in the receipts of the ad- trials. The picture stars Rich- perfect it is, the better are his vance ticket sale and they urge ard Egan, Anthony Quinn, chances of making irrigation

others in the big cast. It is a farmer must do to plan and put A Spanish land and sea ex- 20th Century Fox production his irrigation system to work championship of the Ballinger third flight with George Newby

claim the territory of California padre, they brought California has a plentiful supply of suit- July 4 tournament. Conner deor Spain and to locate the into history as the Conquista- able water and if the water feated Buster Parrish in the fabled Seven Cities of Gold. dores' lust for the Seven Cities supply is to come from a pond finals Wednesday afternoon for honoree. The group sang Well Dressed Home," as she Leaders of the land force are of Gold gave way before the or stream, get the proper per-

map made of his field to help round. gation system.

in the hospital at tem is the one decided upon, on the consolation flight. next comes the job of staking | In the second flight, Charles see C. L. Lange at Lange's Dry the cuts and fills and moving Webb went all the way to take Cleaners in Rowena. dirt to level the field.

stalled. Cervenka started leveling his 60 acre field last fall and just got it ready in time to plant cotton.

This work is being done as a part of the conservation plan ON MILES ROAD Cervenka has with the Run-Mrs. Bob Beard, Paint Rock, Paul Gordon, county com- nels County soil conservation district. He is being assisted

Conner Champion In Golf-Tourney At Country Club

Mrs. D. S. Crockett, Norton, will be in time to complete the club house Wednesday for their medical, Saturday road before the cold weather usual activities which was ell-Fred Farmer, medical, Sat- when topping is discontinued. maxed with a barbecue dinner The farm-to-market road at the noon hour with several from one mile west of Ballin- hundred on hand for this part

Sam Conner won the golf Ninth and Hutchings



supplied a welcome oasis in a financial desert for Razouk Malik, 26, above, Lebanese student at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, III. Shipped here from dollar-short Lebanon by his father as a means of supplying the boy with funds, the sheepskin-covered hardwood saddles are finding a ready market for use as TV viewing stools.

City in 1769 to make haste to rogant leaders and the devout 1. He must be sure that he Country Club in their annual the runner up. W. E. (Buck)

honors defeating M. M. Cope It takes a lot of time as well in the finals. J. T. White was Box letter files, letter size, as expense to get a system in- winner of the consolation play. \$2.25 each. Ballinger Printing David Haliburton took the Co.

Elkins was winner of the conso-

SPECIAL BULLETIN

the honor. Teddy Triplett was C. J. Lange has completed a a lame padre to accompany per Serra to build seven new 2. He should have a contour winner in the consolation three year course in radio and building of a 21-meh T. V. set. him plan the best adapted irri- D. B. Crockett won the first with the DeVry, Technical Inflight when he defeated Allen stitute. He is well qualified to 3. If the level border sys- Davis in the finals. Bill Clark do your radio and T. V. service. So for T. V. and radio service



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Soil Specialist Soil Conservation Service

Getting water in the ground sub-soils and dusty, powdery in the ground? I have seen the soil in which to grow. Air is still the number one con- surface soil. Wind erosion, high water standing behind terraces is a requirement of the bacserva on problem in the Run- runoff and ponded water be- six days after a rain. There are terial life that decays dead oil Conservation District. hind terraces for ten days are several things wrong with that vegetation in the soil. An im-We often wait a long time for all symptoms of poor soil con- First, that is too much water rains, and then watch it hit dition.

the ground and start running. In the last three or four years inches of water, an average

off. We watch it collect in gul- we have seen dust blow from soil that is completely dry will lies, behind dams or terraces our fields, and the Runnels be wet five or six feet deep, of rain. Start with terraces to and realize that this rain is Soil Conservation District has Cotton and maize do not bene- stop erosion, but add conservanot doing as much good as the watched a wind erosion prob- fit much from moisture stored tion practices like contour rain that soaks into the ground lem develop. The drought has below a four foot depth. This cultivation, basin listing where it falls. This is the re- brought the wind erosion prob- means that part of this water chiseling, stubble mulch, cover sult of poor soil condition, in- lem on us, but the poor soil is not used effectively by the crops, deep rooted crops and adequate cover, compacted condition was made by man, growing crops. Another disad-

all stubble on the surface. Most of the farmland in this soil must have air and this District is terraced, but is this water replaces the air. Plant cents. Ballinger Printing Co. all that is needed to get water roots must have air spaces in on one place. With twelve

drainage problem. Life in the Order book in triplicate, 40

proved soil condition would A combination of practices is

crops that add large amounts

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Explorers Slate

through 14 at the Goodfellow division. Air Force Base in San Angelo. Saturday marked the end of is in Austin visiting her son,

demonstrations, fire fighting soldier. demonstrations, recreational facilities, rifle range, weather trainer and actual flying.

the Honor award by achieving the greatest number of points cipline and cooperation. Boys tory. to attend from Ballinger are Board Meeting

Angelo. The meeting will be combat readiness. held in the officer's club be- Members of the Ballinger

Slated to attend from Ballin-

Business of the council for the best of physical condition the remaining months of the year and plans for 1957 will be

Officers Report 6 Cases Handled

office has handled a number of health for several years. cases the past week and one Decedent was born July 19. In accordance with the visions of said House Bills,

warrant for his arrest sent to this city. McIntosh, South Dakota.

Epp Waits was filed on for tery.

given three days in jail.

three days in fail. In justice nia and two grandsons. court he was charged with leaving the scene of an accident and drew a fine of \$25.50. on a charge of burglary.

GASOLINE TAX REFUND FORMS AVAILABLE HERE

Farmers can secure the gaso- Mexico. ne tax claim form and the 15- Funeral services will be held federal tax paid on gasoline REVIVAL WILL START ordered for farming purposes, ccording to A. E. Fogle, Jr.

Revenue Service in supplying daim their gasoline tax refund. The Internal Revenue Service has supplied each county agent with a sufficient supply of forms for each farmer in the county. Farmers are urged to The public is cordially invit. drop by the county agent's office to get Publication No. 308, entitled "Farmer's Gas Tax

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Price where they will spend the holidays at "Heart O Hills" girls camp and witness the camp

Guard Unit Home First Air Camps | After Two Weeks Goodfellow Field Summer Training

Members of Company I, 142 Announcement has been Infantry, returned to Ballinger nade that thirty explorers Sunday after being at North for a visit with their grandfrom the Tri-River District will Fort Hood for two weeks. The mother, Mrs. W. L. McMillan. participate in the air encamp- Ballinger unit attended 100 per They will return home with ment slated from July 9 cent this year and was one of their other grandmother, Mrs. the outstanding units of the Verna Lively, who lives in

This is the first camp of the the summer camp for the boys Truett Lively and family kind to be held in the council in the 36th division of the The boys will have an op- Texas National Guard. For two for the past week-end and has portunity to do many things weeks the T-patchers, 10,000 returned to Austin to enter the hat an aviation cadet does in strong from every corner of University of Texas for the his training program. This will Texas, have changed their second six-weeks of summer include going through the dress, titles and attitudes from school. shops, control tower, altitude their normal civilian associchamber, jet classes, parachute ation to living the life of a

camp that the 142 infantry and Mrs. Alfred L. Burden, Sr., stations, communications, link regiment has been on summer maneuvers since the end of Jr., of San Antonio; Mrs. Ar-There will be 144 boys divid- World War II. It is the great- thur Richardson and son, ed into six flights. Each flight est strength and as the com- Bobby, of Corpus Christi; Mr. will have an opportunity to win manding general, Carl L. Phin- and Mrs. Malcolm Mullins and ney of Dallas has stated, "Shows the best state of trainon barracks inspection, person- ing and the most successful Mrs. Wesley Urbantke, Gilbert al inspection, formation, dis- maneuvers in the guard's his- Tishner and Nolan Hoelscher

The summer camp was held Kennedy Whiteley, Skeet at North Fort Hood where the Pearce, Jim McWilliams, Don- troops lived for one week in ald Dusek and Robert Ledford. garrison (tent city) and one week in the field under simu-A number of scouters from lated battle conditions. Tests the flowers, the food and the this district will attend the were conducted by Continental council executive board meet- Army replacement command. ng on July 10 at the Good- the first in national guard hisfellow Air Force Base in San tory, to see if the guard is in

inning with a dinner at 7 p. unit were glad to be home and ger are John Purifoy, Bob field maneuvers in 100 degree Dickinson, Guy T. White and heat. All showed signs of the SH outdoor work but all were in

early Sunday morning a short The Runnels County Sheriff's treatment. She has been in ill intended to be in conflict with

A burglary was reported at the Bernice McMillan, daughter of ascertained and set forth in the late W. L. McMillan and the proposal the wage rates, as the late work. and so far no arrests have been Mrs. McMillan of Ballinger, for each craft or type of work-made.

Acrido Parres was filed on 1998 to Version 1 Acrido Parres was filed on 1928 to Horace Atnipp, owner named project, now prevailing here for non-support and the of the Atnipp Dry Cleaners of in the locality in which the

was fined \$20. The case was Orland W. Rury officiating man or mechanic employed on handled for officers at Lubbock. Burial was in Evergroon Come. nandled for officers at Lubbock. Burial was in Evergreen Ceme-

checking at San Angelo and a Survivors are her husband, ing rates.

Warrant sent to the Runnels her mother, Mrs. W. L. McMillan one son H. L. Atnipp Midavailable at the office of C. C. Ray Gray was charged with land; a brother, W. L. McMildriving while intoxicated and lan Jr., Tuscola; four sisters, received a fine of \$77.80 and Mrs. R. F. McGarvey, Ballinger; Mrs. Elmer Greenwood Alberta Luera was filed on Corpus Christi; Mrs. Marvin for driving while intoxicated Miller, Georgetown; Mrs. Guy and was fined \$77.80 and given Lively Jr., Hawthorne, Califor-

Isaiah Dabney Jr.

Isalah Dabney, 29, died of Arthur Carroll Jonas was gunshot wounds in Lovington, returned here from Big Spring New Mexico, Sunday. He was born here and made this his home until a few years ago. Recently he and his wife have been living in Hobbs, New

page booklet from their county in Hobbs Friday and burial will gent to claim a refund on be here in Evergreen Cemetery.

VALLEY VIEW FRIDAY

View Baptist Church will start cooperating with the Internal ices will be held each day rt 10:30 and evening services have been set for 7:45 Rev. Bob Cooksey of Leander

The public is cordially invit-

ed to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ramey Refund," and their form 2240. of West Virginia were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. eft Tuesday for Hunt, Texas, and Mr. Fry were in World War II together.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred W. King activities for the 4th of July, and children, Carolyn, Elaine, Pamela Price will accompany David and Frances, of Three her parents home Thursday Rivers, are here this week for after spending a month at the a visit with his parents, Mr and Mrs. A. M. King.

and children, Barbara and Richard of Fort Worth, are visiting in the home of Mrs. L. L. Stroble and other relatives and friends.

Susan and Linda Lively of Hawthorne, California are here Santa Monica, California, and

E. B. Blackburn was at home

Out-of-town guests here to attend the Patterson-Mullins This year marked the ninth wedding Friday night were Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. Burden three children, and Miss Polly Klien of San Angelo; Mr. and of Rowena.

Card of Thanks

To those who were so kind and thoughtful in our recent sorrow, we deeply appreciate sympathy extended. May God

The Dabney Family

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE CONSTRUCTION

Nolan C. L. on Highway No. US 277 & SH 70, covered by S 213 (3) & S 663 (4), in Coke and Runnels County, will be

and Runnels County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., July 17, 1956, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital early Sunday morning a short time after being entered for Bills. No provisions herein are

the provisions of said Acts. investigation is still underway. 1910 in Ballinger, the former State Highway Commission has work is to be performed, and McIntosh, South Dakota.

J. W. Nesbitt was filed on a prear and he street Church of the Eighth shown in the proposal for each for failure to appear and he Street Church of Christ with craft or type of laborer, work-

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bond election and July 4 have ment there. Last week-end a week was busy days for a lot about half completed with at age and has been city editor of also included the ladies. of local people who sponsored least 120 loads to be hauled the Sherman Democrat for the terest has been slow in the resulted from the storm. Crews moved to Menard to make their June 19 at Fuller Park. Alarge and that water was being fed events out of the way, voters tion in that city. will show more interest in the Five boys have been selected later was in the publicity de- ing. Cowboy Dixon was on hand 480 gallons per minute. seek votes.

Towns are always looking for the park here, the place would late in September. be reserved full time at a good rate of pay per day. Some rebe here again this summer. want to have suitable halls row was a disaster. away from flies and mosqui-

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WEST TEXAS NOTES

The Menard News was sold

ast week to R. S. Weddle, for-

A wind storm at Colorado Winters and other area shows. City last week caused consider-Ballinger's birthday, the road able work for the street depart-

selection of the officers who from the Winters vocational partment at A & M College. and provided a musical proare to serve them in fature school to receive their Lone A meeting of the Rowena gram. E. C. Grindstaff of Bal-Stephenville on the south side rades, pageant, rodeo and many years. Primary tickets are Star Farmer Degrees. The boys Lions Club held last week had linger had charge of the in- of the city on highways 67 and other features are included in years. Primary tickets are state convention a full discussion of the road stallation. About 80 plates were 377, is due to hold its formal the daily programs which are being printed and absence will get underway 20 to be held in Dallas where they situation in the south part of served to the lions and their opening soon. The ultra-mod-expected to attract huge crowds days before the date of the will get their coveted awards. Runnels County. A letter from guests. Officers were elected ern, fire-proof motel consists of each day and evening. election and continue until Dates for the state meeting the Ballinger chamber of com- several weeks before at a eight units and offices. These three days before July 28. In have been set for July 25 merce has been sent to the special club meeting. the meantime a number of through 28. Those selected have Rowena people agreeing to The city of Bronte has an- three double units with con- are at Camp Christian at Lake political rallies are likely to be carried a number of special assist them in their effort to nounced that negotiations necting doors between two units Brownwood this week. They are held to give candidates an op- projects which they have com- secure a farm-to-market road started several months ago are to accommodate large families, instructors at the camp. Paul portunity to make talks and pleted with good records. All east from Rowena. The Row- nearing completion and that The motel is built so that ad- Price, son of Mr. and Mrs participated in livestock feed- ena Lions also agreed to spray a 50,000 gallon water tank will ditional units can be construct- Herman Price, is a Life Guard

they were prepared to take care tions on such facilities is a Angelo recently. of family reunions. Many small part of the money spent A group from Miles attended specifications of the highway linger Printing Co. family gatherings are held at when these groups come to the Future Homemakers meet- department and will be trucked City Park and a large number a town for several days. All the ing held at Tarleton State Col- to Bronte and placed by the of others are held at the visitors spend money and such lege in Stephenville last week. side of the present standpipe American Legion Hall. If a a program here would repre- The conference was held for The storage tank in use at suitable building similar to the sent a good sized summer in- the local, district and area Bronte ony holds 35,000 gal-Legion Hall, with air condition- come. Most of the family re- groups. Joan Barron, Mona lons. Need for the additional ed sleeping quarters were near unions here are from May until Schwertner, Beverly Curry, storage has been felt at Bronte

DOOM Runnels County people for ter. Joan Barron is vice-presiunions have been coming here the past several years have dent of District 3 and met with to the American Legion Hall watched good crop prospects members of her group to make commerce has asked the city for the past four years and will get up to about June and then plans for the district meeting council to take immediate steps burn up for need of moisture. to be held in Brownwood on to secure water rights on a Such gatherings do not want In the past, a one year dry October 27. to camp out in parks as was spell was considered bad, but Water consumption at Cole- kell as a future source of water. the custom in the past. They to catch more than one in a man last week was setting new daily records with consumption

The farmers and ranchmen nearing the 2,000,000 gallon toes, air-conditioning, refriger- of this county have not had a mark. The city water head ation, and good kitchen facili- good year since 1949. Beautiful stated that a two million galties. They also like the use of feed crops have burned the lon consumption was expected playgrounds and swimming last two weeks and in the best at any time and that it would sections of the county, the row be the first time in history crops are failing fast. Cotton there. The extreme dry weather must have rain within a short has caused heavy irrigation of Follow Neglect time to keep it going The finest of yards and gardens. Pressure Did you ever see an attractive thing that could happen to was light there for one day section of West Texas while a pump at Lake Scarwould be a series of general borough was out. The city announced that repairs had been

to normal.

Anna Lions Club were installed committee told members of the in a special program held Tues- city council that a survey had day of last week. E. C. Grind- been made of the proposed site staff of Ballinger was the in- where by building a dam, a stalling officer and Homer lake of water could be im-Hudgins of Winters, district pounded which would supply deputy governor, attended the the city of Haskell. meeting. Sandy King, who has Brownwood Lions Club for 20 lawns or use water unnecesyears, attended the meeting sarily until repairs are made Tilden Jones is the new presi- at the city's No. 2 well. The passed for local people and now total of 65 truck loads of tree passed for local people and now total of 65 truck loads of the Menard staff of officers and directors duction dropped some 400 gal-

ing and showed animals in the the town to keep down flies be moved there. The tank was and mosquitoes. George Rup- contributed to Bronte by the reservoir is being cut down to duplicates, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Bal-

Fayetta Goff and Mrs. Coleman this year because of the inattended from the Miles chap- creased use of water.

tee of the Haskell chamber of potential lake site east of Has-

made and pressure was back The request was presented at ed when needed. a regular meeting of the coun-

New officers for the Santa cil held last week. The chamber Brady residents were asked

served as tail twister of the last week not to water their back and wait for the first the residential area and it was paper for the past 5 years, made have been elected to serve with lons per minute. A crew was on single day to supply the camp democratic primary. The past estimated that the job was only the sale. Weddle is 35 years of him. The program Tuesday hand from San Antonio to pull the 8-inch casing and make The Paint Rock Lions Club the needed repairs. Operators the various events and all were before the streets were clean last four years. He and his held their annual barbe cue at Brady stated that they felt that city Monday and will constitute the streets were clean last four years. staged very satisfactory. In- again No other serious damage wife and two children have supper and installed officers there was a leak in the casing first primary and little politics were rushing in order to have home and take over their new crowd was on hand for the an- back into the well. No. 2 well have been discussed so far this all trash removed before the business. He has worked at nual party and the finance ordinarily pumps around 980 year. Maybe with all other opening of the July 4 celebra- Lubbock and also with the committee announced that \$71 gallons per minute and when it United Press at Dallas and was taken in during the meet- was shut down had dropped to

units include five single and

Receipt Books-singles for 10 new industries which bring in- pools and are willing to pay the pert gave a report on the civil Santa Fe Railroad and will be cents per book, large books with come. Ballinger could profit if price. The charge for reserva- defense meeting held at San moved from Mertzon. The water 4 to 8 receipts to the sheet and sett and daughters, Betty and

Will Appreciate your vote for County Treasurer

New water consumption records for the month of June were set at Brownwood. Thursday of last week an all-time high for 1955 was recorded when 8,580,000 gallons were pumped by the Brownwood municipal plant. This included 300,000 gallons for the town of Bangs which is supplied by a special pipeline from the Brownwood plant. Higher use of water was recorded back in the days when Camp Bowie was a large training area at Brown wood and more than ten million gallons were pumped in

and city. The Comanche centennial and rodeo program opened in tinue through this week Many booked for the one-week show Boyce House, who has spent many years gathering historic legends, traditions and humo

at Camp Christian.

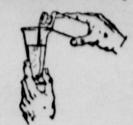
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gres-Cheryl of Los Angeles, California are here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Brookshier and other relatives

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Roy, Frankie Berryman In Church Ceremony Paso and Ruidoso, New Michael Jr.

Mrs. Berryman, the former the Book Review Club. he bridegroom is the son of American Legion. rank Berryman of Winters.

riage. She wore a late Hotel, Sweetwater. ternoon dress of mauve hantilly lace over taffeta Shioned waltz length. She rried a bouquet of pink fleurce of the bride, was maid of meeting. or. She wore a waltz-length atching flowers.

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Frank Berryman attended tary, Mrs. E. H. Crawford. son as best man. Ushers re Dr. Troy Taylor of Austin d Price Middleton of Ballin-

George R. Wilson, orrches. She accompanied Bob ford of Ballinger, as he sang plate with coffee. ause" "All Through The "and "The Lord's Prayer." burning pink tapers Crawford. at each side of the arch. candelabra on the chanrail completed the setting. reception was held in the

over taffeta. Swags of ivy linger. ned with fern and pink union because of illness.

and Mrs. Ardis Gaither. Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Eugene were Mrs. May Fred Croan, Mrs. J. Z. Harvey, and Mrs. A. Mrs. J. Z. Harvey, and Mrs. A. McGuire. Good-byes were Others in the houseparty nger, 800 Murrell Avenue, B. McGuire. Good-byes were slowing a wedding trip to spoken by Mr. and Mrs. H. C.

exico. The cople was married | Mrs. Berryman served three 4 p. m. June 17 in the First terms as county clerk of Nolan Zappe, Oscar Zappe, Mrs. Pyrie aptist Church of Sweetwater, County and is a former Sweet- Gustavus, and Mr. and Mrs. ith the Rev. George R. Wil- water city hostess. She is a Mack Bowers and daughters, n, pastor, reading the double member of the Business and Brenda and Becky of Abilene. Professional Women's Club,

rs. Mary Brown Roy, is the Runnels County Clerk since aghter of Mr. and Mrs. Wil- 1947, Mr. Berryman is a memam S. Brown of Sweetwater. ber of the Lions Club and the

Frank Berryman was host at Roy and Tommy Roy, the rehearsal dinner in the by the pastor, the Rev. E. R. of the bride, gave her in Gold Room of the Bluebonnet Gordon, has completed plans

F. Meets in H. Murphy Ranch Home

The Christian Women's Fellis centered with a purple lowship of the First Christian on August 12. hid. Her headdress was a Church met in the ranch home andeau of matching flowers. of Mrs. Horace Murphy Mon- ter prior to the evening service Miss Ann Stephens of Odessa, day morning for their regular and remain for the worship

In the absence of the newly s of aqua crystalene over elected C. W. F. president, Mrs. from 9:00 a. m. to 11:00 a. m. ffeta and carried a colonial A. B. Stobaugh, Mrs. Herman The closing program will inuquet of Frenched carna- Price, the retiring president, clude the showing of all the ms, and wore a bandeau of conducted the business and craft work and other accomheard reports from the secre- plishments completed at the

Mrs. Price gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Murphy gave under the supervision of the the dedicatory prayer for the following: Four year old group, missionary offering.

st, played nuptial selec- orating rooms where Miss Lula the kindergarten department, s and traditional wedding McElroy assisted in serving will be assisted by Mrs. John cinnamon rolls and a fruit E. Green, Jr. and Mrs. T. E.

Others present were Mmes. C. B. Orahood, Archie Parr, J. and assistants are Mrs. Paul skets of pink Majestic R. Lusk, C. T. Parker, Minnie Richardson and Mrs. R. A. Bagies formed an arch en- Kitchens; Miss Agnes Glober, well; Mrs. Curtis Stacey will be ed with greenery and pink Miss Lilly Clayton, Susan Par- in charge of the junior departes. Seven branched can- ker, Glorianna and Jimmy ment and the assistants will be

> G. W. Kemp Descendants Meet For Reunion

Descendants of Mr. and Mrs. owship Hall of the church. G. W. Kemp, pioneer ranchers E. J. Yates greeted guests of Concho County, met Satursented the wedding day and Sunday for their annual family get-together on the table was laid with pink Zappe farm northwest of Bal-

pink rosebuds were caught | Two of their eight children the sides of the table which are living, M. C. Kemp of Paint centered with a five Rock and Mrs. J. B. Stout of Bailey, Jr. who are spending ched silver candelabra Elk City, Oklahoma. Mrs. Stout the summer with his parents sing pink candles and en- was unable to attend the re- Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bai-

the punch and serving the Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kemp of Galveston. Mr. Pollock and Mr. ed white wedding cake dec- Paint Rock; Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Jr are medical students with pink florals, were James Trail and daughter, Sal- and fraternity brothers at the Garland Binson, Mrs. V. lie, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. School of Medicine at Galves-Jackson, Mrs. Harl Pinkard Horace Sessions and sons, Bob ton.

Tom, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. George Kemp and son, Jimmy of Richardson; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kemp of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Charley Goodrun and daughter, Norma Lynn of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Brady Shadel and children of Aspermont; Mrs. J. W. McGall of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Zappe and daughters, Pat and

Added guests were Mrs. A. J . . .

Methodist Vacation School To Be Held August 5-12

Mrs. W. C. Witt, director of the First Methodist Church's Vacation Bible School, assisted for the school, which will be held at the church beginning at the Sunday evening service on August 5, and continuing though to the evening service

Children are urged to regis-

Sessions will be held daily

The four departments will be Mrs. R. W. Smith; Mrs. J. B Bluebells were used for dec- Dankworth, superintendent of Foreman; Mrs. Bill Witter will direct the primary department Mrs. Clyde Simmons and Mrs. J. D. Reneau.

Mrs. Witt announced that the registration and the concluding programs are being held at the evening services to encourage children to attend those services as well as the morning Sunday School and the worship service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. ley, have as their guests, Mr buds. Alternating in serv- Relatives attending were: and Mrs. Arliss Pollock of You're Invited

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Regardless of how you voted, we want to express our appreciation for your interest in this issue and in taking time to go to the polls and register your vote.

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Beautiful Yvonne De Carlo atroduces a spectacular song pecialty, "Bahama Mama," it epublic's exciting new drama Flame of the Islands," which omes to the Hillcrest Drive Ir Theatre Sunday and Monday with Howard Duff and Zachary Scott co-starring with Miss De

This patient will commit rder unless he is restrain-These words from a bril nt woman psychiatrist, set

orms of communication ar ther inadequate or impossible ave penetrated the surround

Jeffrey Hunter co-starred, is a Buena Vista release.

Filmed on location it was Francis D. Lyon directed. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Georgia, and the ancient Civil Friday and Saturday is "Devil a medical apparatus called an

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MEHODIST JUNIORS WILL GIVE REPORTS

torn front.

Juniors of the First Methodist Church that attended camp this summer will have a part in the evening worship pronineteen boys and girls will the message on "The Way of

Juniors attending camp were Betty Jane Reynolds, Suzanne work on July 15. Witter, Sharon Scales, Grace During his stay Pamela Sue Underwood.

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In the new U-I picture Miss Oberon is an overly ambitious career woman who causes a hit-and-run accident, manages to divert suspicion from herself to Barker, then feigns love for him in order to delude him into further incriminating himself. This is the first time in her nore than two dozen top film oles that Miss Oberon has trayed to the hissable side of creen in a succession of exotic les for such films as "Dance

"The Scarlet Pimpernel" "Wuthering Heights." but

career came when producer Samuel Goldwyn took her out of the heavy exotic make-up and transformed her into a modern young woman in "The Dark Angel." Another modern role, in "These Three," led to an Academy Award nomination. "Every actor or actress should shake up one's career at regular intervals" is the way Miss

Oberon explained her taking the part in "The Price of Fear." first unsympathetic role, I'm also appearing in my first modern suspense story. The combination of the two has given trigue movie audiences as much

"Naturally, for the sake of the story, I want audiences to but I hope they'll continue to like Merle Oberon. Whether I shall do any more characters of this sort will depend a good deal upon the reaction of movie fans to my performance in The Price of Fear.

KING ACCEPTS CALL TO TEMPLE CHURCH

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. King of give reports of camp activities.

Rev. E. R. Gordon will bring restorates at Three Plyers after pastorate at Three Rivers after serving there for the past four years. He has accepted a call to the Heights Baptist Church Johnny Parks, Paul Hollis, in Temple and after a short Denna Forman, Linda Ford, vacation will begin his new

Ann Parrish, Bobby Tom Bal- Rivers, King was active in deley, Gary Brown, Larry Dob- nominational and community bins, Mary Lou Middleton, affairs. He has held a number Pamela Sue Parrish, Beverly of special assignments on Bap-Kay Dobbins, Rebecca Bigby, tist boards in that area. He was Bill Clark, Carolyn Huddleston, also a director of the Rotary Club at Three Rivers and served the club as secretary for

School of Medicine at Galves- Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson ton, returned home Sunday to and daughter, Meredith, have Miss Patricia Davis was in spend the remainder of the returned home after visiting in the reception houseparty held Worth, is visiting her summer with her parents, Dr. Livingston and other East Tex- in the church parlors following aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. 1 as cities.

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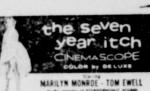


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neckline, outlined by appliques bons.

She wore a pearl necklace, month of June was that which gift of her great aunt, Mrs. united in marriage Miss Earl Jones of Fort Worth, a Carolyn McClenny and Edwin pearl bracelet which had be-Cotton of Aspermont. The Rev. longed to her great grand-E. R. Gordon, pastor, perform- mother, Mrs. Ollie Hiner, and ed the double ring ceremony at ear clips which were a gift from

and Mrs. M. E. McClenny Loma, and brides-maids were and a granddaughter of Mrs. Miss Patsy Maberry of McCaul-L. McClenny, 3122 Ave. H. ley and Miss Geneva Knox of and Mrs. L. B. Hiner, 3520 Ave. Fort Worth, cousin of the bride. G, both of Fort Worth. The They were identically attired in gowns of white nylon lace over and Mrs. H. C. Cotton of Clyde. pastel blue taffeta fashioned A sunburst arrangement of with a decollete neckline which calla lilies centered the altar, came to a point in the back rangement were large brass long torso lines with blue satin candle holders holding burning piping, and the circular skirts White candles in were ballerina length. They wore circular veils with che with emerald ferns and clusters nille dot trim and they carried Ninth & Hutchings pom-poms lighted the scene. | colonial bouquets of yellow he wrought iron prie dieuroses backed with blue and ormed the focal point of the white lace and showered with bridegroom were placed. Table ren of Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. J

Connie Cotton of Pecos, niece ands of pom-poms and fern of the bride-groom, was flower rirl She wore a ballerina length traditional wedding marches Her headdress was a bandeau Darris L. Egger of Hamlin, who Baird, nephew of the bride- guests.

Entering on the arm of her Patsye Rogers of Llano, cousin wearing a light blue orion and Serving tables were centered ather, who gave her in mar- of the bride, and Georgia Mc- cotton dress with a matching with floral arrangements in the riage, the bride was attired in Donnell of Hamlin. They wore jacket with white trim. She a gown of white imported gowns made similar to the wore white accessories and the yellow. The couple presented Chantilly lace over white crisp bridal attendants', and wrist- orchid from the bridal bouquet gifts to the attendants. crystalette. The bodice was lets of yellow roses nested in Mrs. Cotton graduated from fashioned with a decollete blue and white lace and rib- Ballinger High School and re-

petal motif encrusted with seed tended his brother as best man. pearls and irides ent sequins. Groomsmen were Bill Teel and School Music at Hamlin the son, Lieut. Daniel J. Hallmark, The brief sleeves accented the Wesley Robbins, both of Asper- past two years. Mr. Cotton is left Korea on June 21 for the matching opera length gaunt- mont. Ushers were Truman a graduate of Clyde High United States. He will dock in lets, coming to points over her Sherrod and Burl Jameson, School. He received his B. S.

olonial bouquet of white roses was topped by an arch under C. Cotton of Clyde; Mr. and Fort Worth visited with Ballinand stephanotis centered with which a miniature bride and Mrs. Connard Cotton and child- ger relatives the past week-end.



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J. L. Ault of Baird and Mrs. L. Knox, Mrs. L. B. Hiner, all of C. Daugherty. Mrs. Bill Stultz Fort Worth; Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. Jack Ashton ladeled Rogers, Llanc were played by Mrs. Bob Bart- of blue and white carnations. punch. Patsye Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cotton lett. She accompanied Mrs. Ring bearer was Edwin Ault of Georgia McDonnell registered were hosts at the rehearsal

Candles were lighted by wedding trip, the bride was 25 attended.

ceived her B. Mus. from North of the lace in a flower and Connard Cotton of Pecos, at Texas State College, Denton. She has been teaching Public degree from Abilene Christian came to long torso points in the A reception was held in the College, and his Masters deback. From the church parlors. The bride's gree from Hardin Simmons table was laid with a white University, Abilene. He was in

with vellow and blue ribbons. in Asperment where Mr. Cot- Hallmark will be stationed at tered the table. The three- Cotton will teach public school at home. He expects to receive lace encrusted with tiered, all white wedding cake, music in Asperment schools. ed pearls and iridescent se- decorated with white bells and Out-of-town guests for the The bride carried a roses and edged with silver, wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fraser of

appointments were crystal and L. Ault and children of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Doug Keene and Serving the cake were Mrs. daughter, Glenda, Mrs. D. F.

dinner at the Acapulco Cafe When the couple left for a Friday evening. Approximately

bride's chosen colors, blue and

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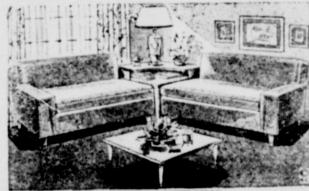
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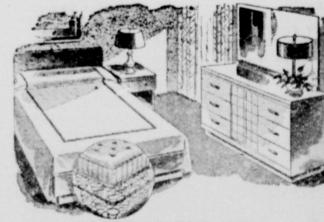
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has prepared the copy for the ticket and all candidates have been given places on the ballot. The state ticket was received already arranged and other candidates were drawn from a hat to get their place on the

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tion this year will be named for four year terms to their offices. This will be true on all but county treasurer. This office is included in the 1956 election because of a resignation. In such cases where a man is appointed to fill an unexpired term, the law states that he must be elected at the next regular election. In the case of Runnels County, the treasurer will be named for only two years and will have

run again in 1958. All election managers have been designated and they will secure the necessary helpers for holding the election and tabulating the votes.

C-C Directors Meeting Monday To Hear Reports

er Chamber of Commerce met Monday night for their regular business session for July. Tom Caudle, new manager, was presented to the full board for his

first meeting. A report was given on a trip by local members of the Runnels County Water Conservaion Board to the dams bein built in the Brady Creek project. Members of the new board and several others visited in the McCulloch and Concho areas where dams are being constructed on the tributaries of Brady Creek for flood control. The men were impressed with the project and will give

a study to applying such a lake building idea to this county. A report on the Ballinger Chest was presented to the board and announcement was made that a meeting would be

held on July 10. C. T. Parker gave a short report on the soil bank plan and stated that he had attended a number of meetings to get all the information on the new farm and ranch plan of the

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