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Officials Talk Resumption Of Runnels County Fair

Directors of the Runnels County Fair Association have been hearing many requests to resume the fall entertainment and exhibits of club and farm products. They have been waiting to see what the prospects will be for show produce and if conditions appear favorable may soon announce dates for five days and nights.

In checking up on the situation this week, J. D. Motley, manager of the county fair, stated that it would be possible to book any type of shows and special programs desired this year. There will be a number of large carnivals touring this section which are anxious to make bookings now for next fall. It was also pointed out that the best rodeo performers in the Southwest would be available and that afternoon and evening performances of this kind could be made very attractive.

The directors believe a good feature could be added to the fair by taking one of the large buildings formerly used for exhibit purposes and turn it into an auditorium where a special performance could be presented each evening. If this is decided feasible a stage would be built in one end of the hall and seats inclined so everybody could see. The style show, a pageant, and other big features could be presented on this stage and offer a new and more pleasing attraction for the evening. By using this building for an auditorium and not having a merchants' exposition there would still be as much room for other exhibits as previously.

Officials also think a much better livestock show could be arranged next fall. Already 4-H club boys are feeding calves and others plan to start feeding lambs soon, which would supply some fine animals for this division.

A meeting of the board will be held the latter part of June to determine if the fair will be resumed this year. The directors desire to get expressions from citizens all over the county relative to the fair, then determine if such a program is possible.

43 4-H CLUB BOYS START THEIR ANNUAL PROJECTS

Forty-three Runnels county 4-H club boys have been enrolled for special work this year. All the boys have accepted projects and most of them have commenced these projects which will be completed in the fall of this year or next spring.

Seventeen boys have bought calves and started feeding them for show purposes next spring, one has a dairy heifer, ten have milo maize projects, six are feeding pigs, one has taken a capon project, three are feeding lambs, two have planted cotton, three corn, one hegar, one ajax, and one is raising poultry.

Their club boys will be assisted in their work by the county agent.

W. L. Ellis, of Brownwood, is spending a few days here this week on business.

Bacterial Disease Destroying Milo Maize Crop in County

The disease affecting approximately 50 per cent of the grain sorghum crop in Runnels county is causing alarm and the Texas A. & M. College experiment station advises replanting some other kind of grain rather than milo maize. Experience with the bacterial disease for the past ten years shows that it prevails in milo first of all, especially in early planted fields.

Samples of the diseased plants have been sent to the experiment station and the disease is being closely watched on farms where it is the most serious.

In a letter to the county agent the experiment station stated that the first occurrence of the blight was reported about ten years ago at the Chillicothe station. Later it affected crops in the Beville sector but has not spread over the state to any extent previously.

The best method of combating the disease is to plant more resistant sorghums such as hegar, kaffir, feterita, and sumac. Little yield can be anticipated from crops badly affected by the disease. A paragraph in the letter from College Station says, "Your moisture

Shoplifters Caught After Fast Chase By Chief of Police

Chief of Police Lee Moreland arrested two Mexicans here Tuesday for shoplifting. The men, Paul C. Hernandez and Frank Gonzales, arrived in town on a freight train a few minutes before noon and visited Perry Brothers store where they stole eight pairs of men's socks. From there they went to The Hub and stole several dollars' worth of women's hose.

Chief Moreland located the pair on Strong Avenue. When he approached to make the arrest one man ran away. He left the arrested man in charge of Malcolm Morgan and chased the other to a point near the Ballinger Laundry where he also was arrested. Neither of the store managers was aware of the thefts until Chief Moreland asked them to identify the hosiery.

The men were arraigned in justice court Tuesday afternoon. Hernandez was fined \$5 and costs, a total of \$18.50; and Gonzales was fined \$1 and costs, a total of \$14.50.

Both Mexicans stated that they came here from Sweetwater where one had been in jail on theft charges. The merchandise was returned to the stores. The men are working out their fines.

HOME OWNERS LOANS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER JUNE 27

Information has been received by C. P. Shepherd, attorney for this county for the home owners' loan corporation, that no applications will be accepted under the new appropriation after June 27.

Blanks have been received here and home owners who have property in distress are eligible for these loans. The rules of eligibility clearly point out, however, that only applications for loans on homes that are about to be lost will be accepted.

Mr. Shepherd asks that anyone who is eligible and desires to make application to do so before the closing date on June 27.

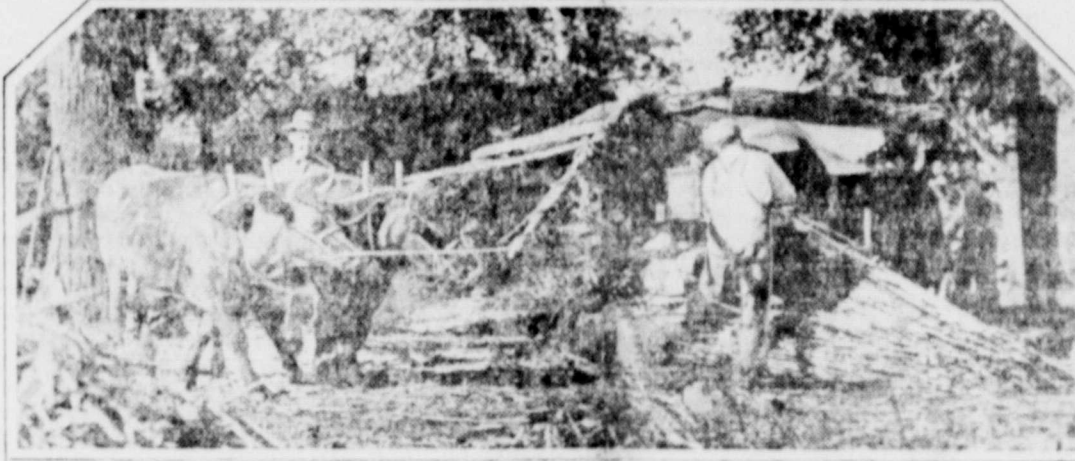
"BAIL JUMPER" RETURNED HERE FROM RANGER

Deputy Sheriff Gerald Black returned Tuesday from Ranger where he had been to get J. D. Echols, wanted in this county on burglary charges.

Echols was supposed to appear during the past term of 119th district court in Ballinger to answer the charges, but he "jumped" bail. He was located at his home in Ranger this week. The defendant is now in the county jail here and unless bond is made again will remain in a cell until the next term of district court in November.

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Above, a glimpse into primitive farming methods employed by the quaint Ozark hill folk, who will soon be transplanted from barren to productive lands. Below, a typical federal home, being provided for a stranded family.

Rain, Hail, Floods and Wind Do Heavy Damage in County

Three Tests are Drilling; 1 New Location is Made

A slush pit and cellar are being dug for Art Tucker's new test on the T. B. Wade farm in the McMillan field. This well will offset one of the Golden Petroleum Company wells. A rig will be moved to the location at once. This is the first test drilled in proven territory in the local field for some time.

Ten-inch casing was set to about 1,400 feet in the Bean-James No. 1 last week and drilling continued to about 1,600 feet. Drilling will be resumed at once on this test when a bit is fished from the hole.

The Wolverton-Willingham No. 1, two miles southeast of Ballinger and near the Colorado River, was down about 675 feet Thursday morning. All machinery and equipment are on the ground to push this test to the contract depth unless oil is found in paying quantities before.

Citizens' Real Estate & Loan-G. W. Ash No. 1 was spudded near Crews last week and drilling is underway this week. The exact depth of the hole could not be learned today (Thursday).

Mrs. E. R. Walker and Miss Edell Belle Walker, of this city, and Mrs. Lawrence Boynton and little daughter, Marilyn, of San Angelo, are visiting at Houston, San Antonio and various other points in South Texas. They left Tuesday, expecting to be gone about three weeks.

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CORN-HOG COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE CHECKS-UP

The county corn-hog compliance committee will begin a check-up of acreage and production in Runnels county this week. The following men will begin the work tomorrow (Friday) morning: Lon Muncy, county chairman; W. J. Halfmann, Reese L. Jones, Kenneth Fletcher, and A. W. Gannaway, field supervisors.

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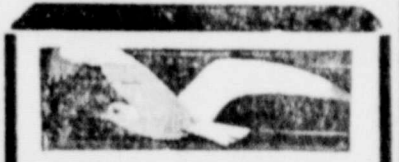
DETA'S BEAUTY SHOP
In Rear Security State Bank

The official rainfall records for May and to date in June give 9.24 inches for May and 5.72 inches for the first six days of June. These figures were announced by E. M. Eubank, government weather recorder here.

On June 1 1.80 inches was received; on June 2, 3.50 inches; and on June 4, .42 of an inch.

Rains ranging from 5 to 12 inches fell in the Talpa-Benoit section Sunday afternoon and evening resulting in heavy damage to property and farms. In the vicinity of Talpa 12 inches and more was reported and fields, roads and railroads were considerably damaged. Hail spotted

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Biggest Relief Project Here to be Finished Soon

June 10 Final Date To Apply for 1935 Cotton Certificates

Runnels county farmers are urged to make application for their 1935 cotton exemption certificates before June 10. This is the last and final date to make application and while this announcement has been made a number of times in various ways, there are still some who have failed to apply.

County Agent Elmo V. Cook wants to get all applications made out and in the mail by the afternoon of June 10 and asks that any cotton producer who has not attended to this, to do so at once.

Those who have unused certificates and desire to exchange them for the 1935 issue are requested to bring their old certificates to the county agent's office and they will be sent to Washington with the proper papers so new ones can be issued. There has been no deadline set for the exchange yet but Mr. Cook urges that it be attended to as soon as possible.

Frank Barnes returned Friday from Quanah, where he had been visiting the Earl Morley family. On his return trip he was stopped by the sheriff of Hardeman county and questioned about a bank robbery which Frank did not even know had been committed.

Roy Jacob has returned from Temple, where he spent several days with relatives.

Ballinger's biggest relief project, the new drainage system will be completed this week. Construction has been underway for the past two years on the storm sewer and lateral ditches and all that remained Monday was the underpass on Sixth Street. All excavation has been made on this and most of the masonry is completed. Those in charge of the work expected to complete the underpass this week and open the street to traffic.

This work has continued steadily, being interrupted only a few times when funds were not available. The city has cooperated by furnishing materials and at times trucks and teams. The original cost of the project was estimated at about \$40,000 but no official check-up has been made to determine the actual expenditures of the city and relief commission.

Some work remains to be done which will require several weeks. Dirt from the ditch will be spread on the Santa Fe right-of-way which will be leveled and landscaped for a park. Several additional culverts will be built.

All drain lines will be opened into the ditch this week and the next rain will demonstrate how well it can divert flood water from the business district.

The ditch received a very good test Sunday night when for several hours it ran full of water. Many who witnessed the down-pour in the business district declared that stores would have been flooded had it not been for the new drainage system.

When this project is finished it will release a number of men on relief rolls who probably will be employed on some other project.

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Health Nurse Gives Report for School Year in the County

Mrs. Georgie Stephens, county health nurse, has completed most of her work in the schools for the year with the exception of summer round-ups for pre-school age children...

Her report for the school year shows 89 school visits were made during the year, 4,133 pupils inspected, and 2,660 found with defects. There were 44 children who had not gained in weight during the past term...

Children in five communities were given the Schick test and toxoid was given children of two communities. She reported that three children had their vision corrected, the Ballinger Lions Club aiding in securing glasses and examinations.

Mrs. Stephens assisted Miss Helen Hady of Austin, in conducting a social service institute and attended the public health association meeting.

District Supervisor For Rehabilitation Praises Work Here

B. Miller, of Abilene, rehabilitation supervisor for region 6, spent Monday in Ballinger inspecting leases and livestock in Runnels county. Accompanied by Will H. Scott and Raby Padgett, Mr. Miller visited about one-third of the leases in this county and complimented the Runnels county work highly.

Mr. Miller has a large territory and at this time is visiting each county on his spring inspection tour. He stated that the rehabilitation work was more or less at a standstill now due to the recent court decision affecting the administration program and on account of the season of the year.

The work in Runnels county has advanced as well as in any county in this region. There are a number of families on leases who are being financed by government loans to raise diversified crops this year. These people have been taken from the relief rolls and are now on a self-sustaining basis.

Mr. Miller left Tuesday morning for Coleman where he will spend a few days with the county supervisor.

500-Mile Race Winner



Blazing his car over the course at a record pace of 104.240 miles per hour, Kelly Pettilo, above, young Californian, eclipsed a field of America's finest drivers to win the 23rd running of the 500-mile Indianapolis Memorial Day race. Down to his last cent before the event, Pettilo won \$27,850.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner went to Abilene Sunday to attend the baccalaureate service for the Hardin-Simmons University graduating class. They were caught in the downpour on the way back and spent the night at Winters.

Expert Ropers And Riders at Bronte For 3-Day Rodeo

The Bronte rodeo opened this (Thursday) afternoon and will continue through Friday and Saturday with a performance at 2 p. m. daily. A large group of Ballingerites will attend this weekend to see the various events in which some of the best cowboy performers in the Southwest are entered.

Promoters were here this week distributing advertising matter and making special announcements. According to advance entries the calf roping contests will present some of the strongest competition seen in this section in years. Such riders as Bob Crosby, Dick Truitt, Ray Matthews, Cleve Kelly and Howard Westfall were at Bronte early to enter various events and all entered the roping division.

A feature of the 1935 rodeo is a group of 15 bucking horses, the wildest to be found. They are the same as used at the San Angelo fat stock show last spring and there are plenty of riders to try all the mounts.

All performances are to be held at Hearne Park, half a mile east of town. The Jolly Time Shows are on the grounds to furnish amusement before and after the rodeo events and will have a midway open at night. Admission

DEALERS, GROWERS TO PRESENT WOOL MARKETING VIEWS

COLLEGE STATION, June 5.—A proposal to license dealers in wool and mohair, under which certain trade practices which act to reduce returns to growers would be prohibited, is being considered by the agricultural adjustment administration. Hearings on the proposed license will begin July 2.

One hearing has been scheduled at San Angelo, for July 29 and 30, and other hearings will be held as follows: July 1 and 2, Boston, Mass.; July 8 and 9, Denver, Colo.; July 11 and 12, Billings, Montana; July 15 and 16, Portland, Oregon; July 18 and 19, San Francisco, Calif.; July 23 and 24, Salt Lake City, Utah; August 1 and 2, Kansas City, Mo.; and August 5 and 6, Columbus, Ohio.

Texas ranks first among the states in the number of sheep and goats and also in the production of wool and mohair. Sheep on Texas farms numbered 7,644,000 on January 1, 1933, according to an estimate of the United States department of agriculture. This was approximately 14.7 per cent of the sheep in the United States. Texas also has about 83 per cent of the Angora goats of the United States and produces a like percentage of mohair. Figures from the United States department of agriculture for 1934 show that

7,668,000 sheep were shorn in Texas in 1934 and that 80,385,000 pounds of wool were shorn.

The two provisions of the license that are of particular interest to growers are the one requiring a licensed dealer to confine his transactions either to consignments, or to outright purchase and the other which would base deductions for 'tags' and other off-sort wool on actual condition of the lot, and not on a flat average basis.

The first provision would remove the grower's fear that the products to which he has title may not be marketed as advantageously as products to which the dealer has acquired title. The second would remove the dealers' practice of giving arbitrary flat average deductions from the basic price for 'tags,' but would require them to base deductions on the actual condition of each lot of wool.

HIGH WATER MAKES CAMPERS MOVE OUT

There were dozens of parties in Ballinger Monday morning who left the streams where they camped the past week-end. Heavy rains and high water caused them to hurriedly break camp and start for home. Several local parties, who were fishing on the Concho River Sunday came in when rains began to fall.

The merchant who advertises wants your business.

Soil Conservation Conference to be Held Here June 17

A soil conservation conference has been called to be held in Ballinger on Monday, June 17. Elmo V. Cook, county agent and member of the Runnels county committee, stated Wednesday that every farmer and land owner was urged to attend. It is hoped that a definite program can be arranged for this county with the cooperation of state and federal agencies which will cover a long period of time.

The committee has invited the following to attend the meeting and explain the program anticipated for this section: W. M. Burkes, supervisor of soil conservation for the Texas relief commission; M. R. Bentley, extension service engineer, College Station; T. B. Wood, district extension service agent; L. T. Merrill, of Lindale, regional director of soil conservation; and the state director for designating the location of CCC camps.

Mr. Cook said it was hoped that several hundred farmers and land owners would attend this meeting. Those on the program would like to talk to every person in the county engaged in farming to determine the interest in a long time program for soil conservation.

IN MEMORIAM

In Memory of Mrs. G. T. Gibson

On Wednesday morning, May 29, at 7:25 o'clock, death opened the doors of eternity and the angels took charge of our beloved friend, Mrs. G. T. Gibson, and conveyed her sweet spirit to the Heavenly Mansion. After three years of poor health and much suffering, she is now enjoying that sweet rest she so much needed and so often longed for. Her condition became critical a day or two before death and loved ones were informed there was no hope for recovery. They remained patiently at her bedside, doing all loving hearts and hands could do, until the end came.

Mrs. Gibson had lived in this community several years, where she was a faithful Christian and mother. Prior to her illness, she was an active member of the Barnett Sunday school and was active in all community affairs. She was a member of the Norton Methodist church.

Her pleasing ways and friendliness to everyone made and held for her many friends who mourn her death.

Mrs. Gibson is gone but will not be forgotten. Never shall her memory fade. Sweetest love will ever linger. Around the grave where she is laid.

Mrs. Gibson, again we hope to meet you. When this weary life is over. And with joy in Heaven to greet you. We shall meet to part no more.

—A Friend.

HAIRSTONES WEIGHING QUARTER POUND FOUND

During the hail storm Sunday afternoon many large hailstones fell, but only one man reported weighing any of the frozen pellets. Fred Woods put two of the largest ones on the scales and found they weighed half a pound or an average of a quarter of a pound each. Many of the stones were as large as golf balls and some as large as pullet eggs.

Lawson Allen of Norton, was in Ballinger Monday and reported a 3-inch rain at his place, the rain being accompanied by some hail. Mr. Allen said he had replanted twice already and would have to plant part of his crop again.

CLUB WOMAN FINDS EASY WAY TO MAKE RUGS

PLAINVIEW, Tex., June 5.—"It's easy to make rugs from the threads of burlap sacks," says Mrs. O. E. Faver, of the Stone-back home demonstration club, according to Mrs. Julia E. Kelley, Hale county home demonstration agent. "You pull three threads, twist them, and thread your needle. That's much quicker than cutting one-fourth inch strips of material to use. Good burlap sacks are plentiful and easy to dye. They do not kink the dye as woolen materials do, so this makes them cheaper."

Mrs. Faver has sent one of her burlap rugs to the extension specialist in home industries for standardization.

WOMAN MAKES GOOD PROFIT WITH CHICKENS

CALDWELL, Tex., June 5.—A net profit of \$31.15 for the month of April from her flock of 183 hens is reported by Mrs. Walter Duwall, of Burleson county, according to G. C. King, county agricultural agent. Mrs. Duwall says that her hens laid 3,786 eggs, or 313 dozen, which sold for \$58.70. In addition, she sold three chickens for \$1.50, bringing her total receipts to \$60.20.

She bought 1,190 pounds of mash which cost \$20.45, and 400 pounds of grain which cost \$8.60, making a total expense of \$29.05.

Francis Holliday, of Abilene, transacted business and visited relatives and friends here Monday.



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Our Food is Not Equaled for Goodness

We buy Runnels county beefs that are fattened at home. We have our own refrigerating system and cool a whole beef at a time and pass the saving on to you. We have our own equipment for cutting meat and have the equipment for handling this product from the whole beef to the time it is served to you. We have our own meat block, our own meat slicer, our own meat grinder, and can give you what you want when you want it.

Our Kitchen Equipment is the Best

We have one of the latest type gas ranges, which is sufficiently large that we may have a regular dinner cooking all at one time and then can cook short orders at the same time. The very flavor given food that is cooked on this range is that different taste afforded only by this system of cookery. Our kitchen is also equipped with an electric mixing machine.

Our Dishes are Thoroughly Sterilized

Having at our command at all times plenty of hot water and having the equipment makes it possible for us to serve you food in dishes that are really clean and sanitary. The glasses used for water and in serving beer are given their washing in a special sterilization vat.

Summing it all Up in a Few Words

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Table with columns for tire types (Century Progress, Golfed Type, Sentinel Type, Courier Type) and their prices. Includes a 'High Speed Type' section with a price of \$7.45.

Advertisement for Scalyte Leakproof Tubes, Batteries, and Spark Plugs. Includes images of the products and their prices.

Firestone McShan Motor Co.

Advertisement for Jack Jobe's Place, featuring 'Something New Under the Sun' and 'Double Dip Cones for 5c'. Includes text about fountain drinks and ice cream.

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HARMONY HERALDS

Sunday school and church were well attended Sunday. Rev. F. R. Cole, of Abilene, filled his regular appointment. Mrs. Cole accompanied him here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Mosley and Zelma Mae visited Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Branham, of Ballinger, Monday.

Miss Mary England, of Content, was a guest of Miss Ruth England Sunday and attended church here.

Mrs. W. T. Billups and daughters, Jean and Jackie, visited Mrs. T. A. Lewis, of Dale, Friday.

Pauline and Gaylon Worthington, of Victory, visited Marcene and Clifton Pumphrey Saturday night and Sunday.

T. F. Bains returned to his home this week. He had been in school at John Tarleton College, Stephenville.

HATCHEL HUMMINGS

Heavy rains and hail fell in part of this section late Sunday afternoon. Crops were badly damaged. Miss Gladys Lehman left Sunday afternoon for a six weeks' stay at A. C. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Mathis and children, of Ballinger, and Betty Jo Mathis, of Hatchel, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mathis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reagan.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Caudle took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Graves Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Conway, of Wilmett, and Mrs. Alton Gideon, of Poe, spent Sunday in the C. F. Broadstreet home near Hatchel.

Elmer Barnhill has been very low. He is going to leave for Dallas soon for an operation.

A large crowd attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday. Several of the Baptist people attended.

Miss Lois Broadstreet spent the week-end in the Poe community. Leman Barnore took dinner with Fuller Chandler Sunday.

Theron Spradley, of Eola, spent the week-end at Hatchel.

BETHEL BEAMS

The hail storm Sunday afternoon did quite a bit of damage in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Greenhill, Sr., accompanied Mrs. Lon Mapes and daughter, Miss Anna B., of Ballinger, to San Antonio Saturday to visit relatives of Mrs. Mapes and the Greenhill family.

Mrs. Sam Blalock and daughters, of Barnhart, are spending the week with Mrs. Blalock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Benfer.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Davison and children visited relatives at Bradshaw Sunday.

Miss Corene Nunley is visiting relatives at Concho this week.

Miss Freda Lampe underwent an operation for appendicitis last Wednesday. We hope she will soon be able to return to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Manson Causey and family visited relatives at Oxien Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Nunley celebrated their fifteenth wedding

anniversary Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nunley and sons, of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Nunley and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Greenhill, Jr., and daughter, of Concho; Hugh Tankersley, Carl McMurray, and Leon Greenhill, of Bethel, enjoying a picnic dinner.

Rev. Williams held services at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

Henry Travis, of Concho, spent Saturday night with Foster Greenhill.

Mrs. I. F. McMurray and son visited in the J. M. Nunley home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chapman are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born Friday morning, May 31. Quite a few from this community attended the "donkey ball game" at Ballinger Monday afternoon.

Miss Wanda Davison visited Miss Artelia Benfer Monday.

Mrs. Frank Kre and daughter and Opal Bradshaw visited in the J. M. Nunley home last Thursday afternoon.

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BARNETT BELL RINGERS

There was good attendance at Sunday school Sunday. B. Y. P. U. was not held Sunday night on account of the big rain that fell earlier in the evening.

Miss Ruth Morgan, of Norton, spent Wednesday night and Thursday in the D. C. Camp home.

Mrs. Leonard Laxton returned home last Thursday from Corpus Christi and San Antonio, where she had been visiting.

Our community was grief stricken last Wednesday morning at 7:25 o'clock when the death angel came and took home our loving friend, Mrs. Tom Gibson, 47. She had been in bad health for the past three years and confined to bed several months. Mrs. Gibson had lived in this community for five years. Her smiling face will be missed by all that knew her, but loved ones, we should not grieve for she is rejoicing in heaven with the angels, waiting for us to meet her there. She was a great worker in all religious movements and always ready to wait on the sick.

Rev. Henry Hughes, of San Angelo, preached an interesting sermon Sunday afternoon.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. H. Lander had to be taken to the Halley & Love Sanitarium Tuesday for an operation.

We are sorry to report several on the sick list. We hope for each of them that they have a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duke and daughter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyree and son Sunday.

A Brookshier and Mrs. Bob Sims, of Roscoe, were here to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Tom Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tyree and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett and family.

W. B. Thompson was in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyree Sunday.

We are proud of the rain that fell Sunday night and Tuesday night. It will be a great help to get up the cotton that the farmers had to plant over.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norman and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Norman and daughter, of Ballinger.

Mrs. Maxwell, of Ballinger, spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. D. C. Camp.

A. N. Wiley is spending this week in Temple. He is staying with his brother-in-law, Oscar Pascal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ellis and family spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woods and family.

Pauline and Almeda Norman visited in the Lewis home Wednesday morning.

Calling Cards on short notice, Ballinger Printing Co. Phone 27.

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Statistics of deaths from diabetes in 1933 show Utica, N. Y., to be the American city with the highest diabetic death rate, amounting to more than sixty in each 100,000 of population. Lancaster and Williamsport, Pa., and Paterson, N. J., come next, each with approximately forty-nine deaths per 100,000. Fall River, Mass., is in fifth place, with a death rate of forty-six. Scranton and Allentown, Pa., and Concord, N. H., show diabetic deaths amounting to thirty-eight or thirty-nine per 100,000. New Haven, Conn., and Jersey City, N. J., are tied for tenth place, each with nearly thirty-seven diabetic deaths per 100,000 people. The average rate for fifty American cities in 1933 was twenty-six. How to explain the high death

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T. S. Lankford, A. B. Lankford and little daughter, of Abilene, were here Saturday, visiting relatives and friends and transacting business.

H. J. Zappe and Mrs. Albert Afferbach, of Winters, accompanied their mother to Slaton Sunday. Mrs. Zappe was met there by another son, O. O. Zappe, of Pampa, and will spend part of the summer with him. H. J. Zappe returned here Sunday night.

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Sam Malone, Jr., visited his parents here over the week-end. Sam has recently taken a position with the Owl Drug Company at Coleman, beginning work there June 1.

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SOCIETY.

Philathea Class Entertained

On last Friday evening thirty members of the Philathea Class of the Methodist church school were entertained in the home of Mrs. C. A. Watson on Tenth Street with Mrs. E. C. Tinsley joint hostess. A wealth of pink roses graced rooms where guests assembled for the regular business session and the entertainment which followed. Piano numbers were given by Eloise Carsey and Lolita Morrison, and readings by Mary Evelyn O'Neill.

Flower corsages accompanied the refreshment plate of sandwiches, olives, potato chips, cookies and iced tea.

Dessert Luncheon for Club

Friday Contract Club members were guests of Miss Virginia Holman last week at a dessert luncheon in her home on Eighth Street.

Pink and blue corn flowers centered foursome tables while roses decked spacious rooms. High score award went to Mrs. Loyd Herring, second high to Mrs. George Kirk and the traveling prize to Miss Adda Ward in games with Miss Delbert Vanell, Ernest Nance, Leslie Baker, Alex McGreger, Jack Ruid, Arthur Oleske, W. B. Woody, Robert Bruce, and Mrs. George Holman.

Mrs. Peoples is Hostess

Mrs. Herbert Peoples was hostess to her contract club last Friday afternoon in her home on Broadway.

Pink larkspur gave floral beauty to rooms where floral tallies were used for denoting places and recording scores with prizes being won by Mrs. Lawrence Grier and Miss Bernice Simmons.

A molded salad plate with iced tea was served to Misses Rothal O'Kelly, Edward Sommer, Henry Doss, Towner Dickinson, Grier, Cicero Smith, Misses Simmons and Fay Clark.

Bryan Visitor Entertains

Mrs. Jack Sanderfer, of Bryan, who is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mann, at the Humble Station, entertained a group of friends at auction bridge last Friday evening.

A lavish decoration of pink roses and blue corn flowers was given rooms. Awards went to Mrs. Clifford Orr for low cut, and Frances Jones for low cut, while "galloping" prizes went to J. C. Wilson, Rothal O'Kelly, Clifford Orr and John Stitt.

Guests were: Messrs. and Misses Stitt, John Albright, Orr, O'Kelly, Mann, Misses W. E. Midgley and Blanche Thompson; Miss Thelma Midgley; Messrs. Wilson, Jones, and John B. Jones.

O. E. S. Installs Officers

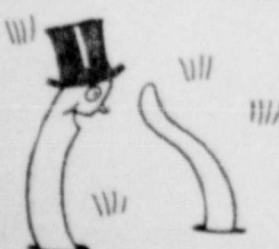
At a closed meeting of the Ballinger chapter No. 266 O. E. S. officers were installed last Friday evening with Mrs. Mina Lasater, retiring worthy matron, and E. E. King, retiring patron, planning the affair.

The following were installed: Miss Loyce Fowler, worthy matron; Paul Petty, worthy patron; Mrs. Mae Jennings, associate matron; Jim Duncan, associate patron; Mrs. Kathleen Bailey, conductress; Mrs. Beulah Rape, associate conductress; Mrs. Etric Petty, secretary; Miss Agnes Glover, chaplain; Miss Kathleen Connolly, marshal; Mrs. Rama Saunders, organist; Miss Marie Norwood, Ada; Miss Pauline Morley, Ruth; Mrs. Zella Duncan, Esther; Mrs. Dale O'Neill, Martha; Miss Ada Allen, Electa; Mrs. Pearl Gustavus, warder; J. A. Reese, sentinel. Grand installing officers were: Mrs. Velma B. Halley, Mrs. Bessie Cherry and Mrs. Annie Pearce. A special musical number was sung by Mrs. Hester Simpson. Gifts were presented Mrs. Lasater by the chapter and chapter officers. A social hour followed.

Celebrates Fifth Birthday

On Monday afternoon the fifth birthday of Eloise Wood was the occasion for a gay celebration when her mother, Mrs. Wesley Wood, entertained for her with a party at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. L. P. Wood.

Favors for the girls, were toy wrist watches with gay colored



The lowly earthworm is pretty lucky after all. At least he can make both ends meet. By the way, if both YOUR ends are in danger of meeting the street (right and left), drop in—we'll half sole and heel 'em for you while you wait.

BOB CARSEY SHOE SHOP

wrist bands. Miniature nigger shooters were favors for the boys. The pretty white and pink birthday cake topped with five pink tapers was served with lemonade to: Dorothy Daugherty, Edwina Vogelsang, Elizabeth Routh, Virginia Henniger, Jimmie Louise Michaels, Dorothy Linderman, Barbara Helen Davis, Eloise Wood, Lucius Stokes, Leo Michaels, and Raleigh Reese, Jr.

Mrs. Hugo Michaels, Mrs. Edwin Vogelsang and Mrs. Pat Wood assisted in serving.

Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued by the clerk of the District Court of Travis County, 53rd Judicial District, in cause No. 95,103, on the 4th day of June, 1935, in a certain cause wherein D. J. Pfluger, L. W. Pfluger, Hulda Pfennig, John Pfennig, (pro forma) Matilda Pfennig, Rudolf Pfennig (pro forma), Nettie Malmquist, Oscar Malmquist (pro forma), Lydia Muery, Arnold Muery (pro forma), Alwine Speckels, J. A. Speckels (pro forma) are plaintiffs and A. T. Pfluger and the First State Bank of Pflugerville, Texas, are defendants, in favor of the said plaintiffs, D. J. Pfluger, L. W. Pfluger, Hulda Pfennig, Matilda Pfennig, Nettie Malmquist, Lydia Muery, and Alwine Speckels, against A. T. Pfluger, for the sum of four thousand one hundred and twenty-three and 42-100 dollars with interest on \$3,748.57 thereof at the rate of seven per cent per annum from date of judgment, and with interest on \$374.85 thereof at the rate of six per cent per annum from date of judgment together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of a judgment recovered by the said D. J. Pfluger, L. W. Pfluger, Hulda Pfennig, Matilda Pfennig, Nettie Malmquist, Lydia Muery, and Alwine Speckels, plaintiffs in the District Court of Travis County, Texas, 53rd Judicial District, on the 18th day of April, 1935, and said judgment being for foreclosure of deed of trust lien on the premises herein mentioned against both defendants above named to satisfy said judgment, and further providing for foreclosure of deed of trust lien on the premises herein mentioned against both defendants above named to satisfy said judgment, and further providing for foreclosure of judgment lien of defendant First State Bank of Pflugerville against A. T. Pfluger for judgment in the sum of \$3,587.40 with interest from October 25, 1934, at the rate of eight per cent per annum and costs of suit in cause 54,193 in the District Court of Travis County, Texas, that being the number of the cause in which said judgment of First State Bank of Pflugerville was obtained, and said judgment directing that the lien of First State Bank of Pflugerville against the property herein mentioned is second and inferior to the lien of plaintiffs above named, and said judgment in said cause 53,103 directing that the proceeds of lands in Runnels County, Texas, described herein and in plaintiff's judgment be applied first to payment of \$125.00 to D. J. Pfluger and L. W. Pfluger as trustees for Ella Pfluger, Frieda Pfluger, Erna Pfluger, Lester Pfluger, and Alma Pfluger, children of Emil Pfluger, then to the satisfaction of the judgment of plaintiffs as above mentioned, and after satisfaction in full of plaintiff's judgment then to the payment of said judgment of defendant First State Bank of Pflugerville, and the balance if any to be paid to defendant A. T. Pfluger, and there being a credit of \$433.80 (net credit) in the said judgment in favor of plaintiffs D. J. Pfluger et al.

I have on the 5th day of June, 1935, levied upon, and will, on the 2nd day of July, 1935, at the Court House door in the City of Ballinger, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of A. T. Pfluger in and to the following described property, levied upon as the property of A. T. Pfluger to wit:

All of the right, title, share, interest and claim of any kind of said A. T. Pfluger in and to the land of the estate of Fredericka Pfluger, deceased, situated in Runnels County, Texas, including: 25 acres of land out of the Jno. Bickelmeier Survey 425 acres out of the T. J. Alcorn Survey together with all improvements thereon or thereafter to be placed thereon and all and singular the rights and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise incident or appertaining all as more fully described in plaintiff's judgment.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Four Thousand One Hundred and Twenty-three and 42-100 dollars and interest as above set out in favor of D. J. Pfluger, L. W. Pfluger, Hulda Pfennig, Matilda Pfennig, Nettie Malmquist, Lydia Muery, and Alwine Speckels, also the payment of said sum to the trustees for said minors and also to the payment of the judgment of First State Bank of Pflugerville, all as above provided and all as set out in the judgment of said cause 55,103, which judgment is hereby made a part hereof and hereby referred to for particulars, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

W. A. HOLT, Sheriff, Runnels County, Ballinger, Texas, June 5, 1935. 6-31

C. W. (Bill) Johnson was here Monday from his farm between Bethel and Pony. He stated that rains in that section since last Thursday amounted to from a foot and a half to one yard, Thursday, Friday and Sunday approximately 1 1/2 inches fell on his place.

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MOST AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS ARE BELOW 10 YEAR AVERAGE

COLLEGE STATION, June 6.—Imports of competitive agricultural products for the eight months, July 1, 1934, to March 1, 1935, were lower than the average for the same month of the previous 10 years in every case except feed and sugar, according to a study made by the bureau of agricultural economics of the United States department of agriculture.

The figures show that imports of fruits, excluding bananas, were 25 per cent below the 10 year average for the July to March 1 period; vegetable oils and seeds, 14 per cent below the 10 year average; meats, 17 per cent below; wool, 56 per cent below; dairy products, 61 per cent below; and eggs and egg products, 78 per cent below.

Sugar imports from July 1, 1934, to March 1, 1935, were 5 per cent above the 10 year average for these months and imports of feed 188 per cent above. The most severe damage resulting from drought was to grain and forage crops. Drought damage to the 1934 corn crop is estimated at about one billion bushels and to the wheat crop about 300 million bushels. Production of oats and barley was reduced about 50 per cent by drought.

Imports of wheat for domestic consumption from July 1, 1934, to March 1, 1935, were 9,511,000 bushels. About half of this amount was low-grade wheat for feed, and about half was durum wheat for seed and the manufacture of macaroni and similar products which require this particular kind of wheat. Production of durum wheat in 1934 in the United States was approximately one-tenth of average.

Corn imports for the eight-month period totaled 6,509,998 bushels, less than one per cent of the estimated loss due to drought. Non-competitive imports, including coffee, tea, spices, cocoa, rubber and silk were about 99 per cent of the 10 year average.

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Multiple Births Yield More Girls Than Boys Known Cases Prove

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The publicity given to twin births makes them seem more common than they really are, yet it is probably their very rarity that makes them arouse so much interest.

In one year in the United States more than a million births were reported (the exact number was 1,339,975). The twin births reported for the same year numbered only one for each ninety-three births. Only about one person out of every forty-seven has a twin.

Births at which three infants put in an appearance coincidentally are in the proportion of only one to 8,649 births in the United States. It is interesting that this number, 8,649, is exactly the square of ninety-three. This indicates to scientists that the formation of triplets is caused by the action of two causes. When only one of these biological accidents occurs, twins appear. Occasionally, however, two occur at the same time and the result is triplets.

The proportion of girls is larger for multiple births than for single births. Among single births there are usually 1,057 boys born for each 1,000 girls. Among twins there are 1,043 boys to each 1,000 girls. Among triplets there are only 1,007 boys to each 1,000 girls. And among quadruplets, there are only 948 boys to 1,000 girls.

Scientists do not consider that the original sex ratio is any different for multiple births than for single births, but that the vicissitudes of development are much more of a burden to members of a multiple birth, and girls are constitutionally better able to withstand the difficulties and survive birth.

The fact that the Dionne quintuplets have lived and grown under such very difficult circumstances may be due to the fact that they are all girls.

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DAVENPORT HOLDS SUICIDE RECORD IN UNITED STATES

DAVENPORT, Iowa, May 22.—The unenviable distinction won by Davenport in 1932 as the city having the highest suicide rate in the United States is repeated in suicide statistics for 1933 reported by Dr. Frederick L. Hoffman, consulting statistician.

In 1932 Davenport had 50.3 suicides per 100,000 of population. In 1933 the number of suicides decreased but still was 40.3 per 100,000, more than two points above the next highest rate reported, that of 38 suicides per 100,000, in San Francisco.

"It would be interesting," Dr. Hoffman remarks, "to determine why the Mid-Western city in the heart of an agricultural section should have a rate almost twice the average for the country at large." The only other Iowa cities reported, Des Moines and Sioux City, had suicide rates in 1933 of only 29.1 and 26.9 per 100,000.

Next to San Francisco the cities of highest suicide rates in 1933 were Denver, Atlantic City, Tacoma, San Diego and Sacra-

mento, Washington, D. C., also was relatively high. The city with the lowest suicide rate in the country was Williamsport, Penna., where there was only one suicide in a population of nearly 50,000.

Other exceptionally low rates were in Troy, N. Y.; Lansing, Mich.; Holyoke, Mass.; Hamilton, Ohio; and, curiously, in one spot especially famous for spectacular suicides, Niagara Falls. In the United States as a whole the suicide rate for 1932 was 21.3 per 100,000. In 1933 this declined to 19.1 per 100,000, the first such decline since 1923.

Must Have Been Several

A Civil War veteran had spent a week at a New York hotel. When he went to pay his bill the clerk asked:

"What was your rank?"

"Oh, just a private," the old soldier replied.

"Well, I won't charge you anything. You are the first private I ever met."

Miss Verda Belle Allen is visiting her aunt, Miss Georgia Singletary, at Abilene.

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62nd Anniversary Is Observed By Gressetts

Sunday, June 2, was the 62nd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gressett, of this city. No special observance was held this year, but many friends remembered the date and called during the afternoon to express congratulations.

The marriage of this couple was performed at the home of a friend, A. D. Carey, in Crockett, Houston county, Texas, at 4 p. m. June 2, 1873. Rev. Rogers, a Baptist preacher, performing the ceremony. They lived there until in 1881 when they hitched two oxen to a wagon and moved west. Their first stop was at Coleman and then on to Runnels county and to Runnels city. There was no road from Coleman to Runnels, not even a cow trail. They followed a path of cut mesquite limbs which some party coming a few days in advance of them had left to guide them to their new home.

They landed in Runnels on June 20, 1881, five years before the founding of Ballinger. Mr. Gressett built the first house in the then county site about where the Runnels district school stands today, and constructed the first cistern at a cost of \$215. He conducted the first livery stable, meat market and blacksmith shop at Runnels.

He assisted in the organization of the first Methodist church in the county in 1882 and his stories of the first services are amusing. The services were often disturbed, he said, by the cowboys getting a little too happy in the saloon beneath and using their firearms to help celebrate with. The first place of worship was upstairs over a saloon but later was moved to a building some distance away.

When the Santa Fe Railway extended its system into the county and Ballinger was put on the map, Mr. Gressett opposed a proposal to move the county site to the railroad. He canvassed the county against the proposition and helped defeat it in the first election. Later he realized his mistake and favored moving the court house to Ballinger, and at a later election this issue was given a majority.

The family did not move here with the rush. Mr. Gressett came, but left his family at Runnels until living conditions were better before moving them here where they have resided for the past 49 years. He and his wife helped to organize the Ballinger Methodist church and are the only living charter members who still have their membership here at this time.

Both are the only living members of their immediate families. Mr. Gressett's four brothers and four sisters are dead, and Mrs. Gressett has no living brothers or sisters.

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Car Registrations Make Slight Slump During Last Month

New motor vehicle sales in May were slightly off, only 36 passenger cars and 4 commercial cars being registered, according to the records of County Tax Collector W. A. Forgye.

Sales recorded were as follows:

Fords
Harwell Motor Co., Ballinger, 9 passenger cars and 1 commercial car
Nance-Brown Motor Co., Winters, 5 passenger cars and 1 commercial car
Miles Motor Co., 2 passenger cars
Miller Motor Co., Bartlett, 1 passenger car

Chevrolts
Patrick Chevrolet Co., Ballinger, 4 passenger cars
Jones Chevrolet Co., Winters, 4 passenger cars
C. & C. Motor Co., Miles, 1 passenger car

Plymouths
Sykes Motor Co., Ballinger, 3 passenger cars
Hoover-Bourne Motor Co., Winters, 2 passenger cars

Oldsmobiles
Patrick Chevrolet Co., Ballinger, 4 passenger cars and 1 commercial car

Studebakers
Cooke Motor Co., San Angelo, 1 passenger car

Although the sale of new automobiles was slightly off, many used cars were sold during the month it was said.

RUNNELS BAR ASSOCIATION ENTERTAINED BY PARISHES

Judge and Mrs. O. L. Parish were hosts Monday evening to members of the Runnels County Bar Association and their wives, serving a chicken barbecue at city park. A delicious menu was prepared. The principal speaker was Judge Robert T. Neal, of San Angelo.

Those attending the affair were: Messrs. and Mmes. O. C. Fisher, San Angelo; H. W. Bigler, Miles; E. C. Grindstaff, Drury P. Hathaway, C. P. Shepherd, Frank C. Dickey, Thomas G. Patteson, Paul Trimmer, Horace Sessions, C. C. Sessions, and R. G. Erwin.

It was the regular monthly meeting of the organization but no business session was held.

Tommy Hall returned Sunday night from Killeen, where he spent the week-end.

Marriage Licenses Issued During May Show an Increase

An increase of two marriage licenses was made in May over the previous month. Eighteen couples, as follows, applied for the permits last month:

Alfred Russell and Mrs. Claudia Reel
Price Middleton and Annie Newby
J. C. Blake and Francis Stockton
Henry Bert Smith and Mrs. Ada Adams
Allen G. Neeley and Marie Jones
John W. Jackson and Cora Colwell
Ewell Frazier and Minnie Jean Marsh
Ralph Hutcheson and Jewell Steele
T. E. Land and Myrtle Constable
M. M. Jones and Mrs. Bernice King
Henry Brown and Mattie Colman
W. L. Hampton and Estelle Ingle
Elo Wilde and Cordelia Kahlig
Hubert Gerhardt and Elsie Mae McCoy
David Bryan and Mrs. Ruby Hall

Three couples requested that their names not be published.

FARM PURCHASING POWER UP, CHEVROLET MEN SHOW

Chevrolet Motor Company officials from Detroit, headed by Felix Doran, Jr., assistant general sales manager, conducted in Dallas recently, an important two-day business meeting, where selling plans for the balance of 1935 were presented.

Attending this conference were various managers and department heads, representing the Chevrolet organization in six southwestern states. H. C. Howard, Dallas zone manager, in commenting on this important meeting, stated, "The proof of our present large markets for Chevrolet cars and trucks in the state of Texas during the balance of the year, as brought out by statistics presented during the meeting, lies in the fact that Texas farm products have a much greater buying power today than they have had at any time during the past recent years.

Mr. Howard further emphasized, "that to illustrate the actual gain in farm prices in this area, as compared to previous years, the present day farmer in Texas in buying a Chevrolet standard coach with factory list price \$465, can purchase this car on a price basis equivalent to 31 hogs on the 1935 market as compared to the price

of 67 hogs on the farm market two years ago.

"Further proof of the increase in farm product values as compared to the price of the standard Chevrolet coach reveals, that in today's market 516 bushels of corn is equivalent in value to approximately 1,751 bushels of corn two years ago. Also 480 bushels of wheat today is equivalent to 941 bushels of wheat two years ago. The value of 62 lambs at the present time is equivalent to the value of 89 lambs a few years ago and in butter fat, 644 pounds has the equivalent purchasing power of 2,553 pounds of butter fat just

POISON BRAN USED TO KILL WORMS

WHARTON, Tex., June 5.—That poison bran mash is effective in controlling cut worms in young cotton fields has recently been proven by Earl Frels of Wharton county, who satisfactorily poisoned worms on 65 acres of young cotton with the mash, according to J. A. Scofield, county agricultural agent. The mash cost about 31 cents per acre for the ingredients, Frels said.

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W. J. Halfmann, of the Offen community, attended to business in Ballinger Monday. He reported a 2½-inch rain Sunday night with some hail which did little damage.

12 Local Scouts Go To Camp Louis Farr; Will Return Sunday

Twelve Ballinger Boy Scouts left Sunday afternoon for a week's stay at Camp Louis Farr near Mertzon. The boys, who are under the supervision of Horace Sessions, camping chairman, will return here next Sunday.

A number of Ballinger people took Scouts to the camp in their cars. Those making the trip were: Judge Paul Trimmer, Raby Padgett, M. Howell, Dr. E. W. Stasney, and Clarence Richards. J. A. Schnable drove a truck and hauled bedding and supplies the boys needed for their week's stay in camp.

The boys will receive intensive training and be instructed how to complete some of their work for special merit badges.

Ballinger Scouts at Camp Louis Farr are: Raby Padgett, Jr., Forrest Routh, Jack Thorp, Clarence Richards, Jr., Paul Trimmer, Jr., Arthur Wiesepape, Jr., Franklin Allman, Joe Simmons, Jr., Cecil Roe, Corbett Davis, Lonnie Parrish and Jack Bandy McGregor.

A local delegation will go to the camp next Sunday to bring the boys home.

Softball Contest Gets 'Hot' as First Half Nears Close

With only two more weeks of play scheduled for the first half of the softball season in Ballinger the fight is getting hotter for top positions in the league standing. Star Light is in first place today (Thursday) with 13 wins and 3 losses, but in case the referees lost two of their remaining four games and the Methodist juniors won the remainder of their six games, the first half would go to the Methodist team. This is not likely, considering the playing that has been done heretofore by the Dean men, but the hope can be upset occasionally.

The Methodist seniors also have a chance to tie for first or second in the event the two leaders, Star Light and Methodist juniors, lose a few tilts. This also is highly improbable.

One game, Firemen vs. Methodist, Jr.s, was rained out this week, but probably will be played off next week.

At a meeting of the board of managers of the league Wednesday afternoon, two players, Elwin Williams and Floyd Jones, were suspended during the remainder of the first half. Both were alleged to have signed contracts with two teams. Their contracts with both clubs were annulled and they cannot participate in any game until the beginning of the second half. Both were alleged to have signed contracts with Star Light and the Methodist juniors.

Results of the past week's play are as follows:

Methodist, Sr.s, 14	Firemen, 3
Methodist, Jr.s, 10	Baptist, Sr.s, 4
Star Light, 5	Baptist, Jr.s, 2
Firemen vs. Methodist, Jr.s	rained out.
Methodist, Sr.s, 7	Baptist, Jr.s, 3
Star Light, 4	Firemen, 3

The league standing today (end of Wednesday's games) is:

Club	W	L	Pct.
Star Light	13	3	.812
Methodist, Jr.s	9 1/2	4 1/2	.678
Methodist, Sr.s	8	7	.532
Firemen	5 1/2	9 1/2	.360
Baptist, Jr.s	4	10	.285
Baptist, Sr.s	3	11	.214

RED RIVER COUNTY MAN HAS GOOD ALFALFA YIELD

CLARKSVILLE, Tex., June 5.—From four and one-half to six tons of alfalfa per acre have been harvested by Martin Stiles, of Annona in Red River county, who has 21 acres in alfalfa, according to C. M. Knight, county agricultural agent. The lowest price paid for alfalfa hay, according to the county agent, is \$20 per ton.

"This new feed crop almost eliminated the need of corn and other grain crops that are selling at such high prices. It permits me to sell a few bushels of corn that I would otherwise have to feed my livestock in order to finish spring farming operations," Stiles says.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nance and children visited in San Angelo Sunday afternoon.

H. G. Agnew returned Monday from Rising Star where he attended to business.

Harris Evans, who has been attending Baylor University, Waco, is at home for the summer.

Miss Nell Shepperd, student of Baylor University, Waco, is at home for the vacation period.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klechle visited in San Angelo Sunday.

CHURCHES

First Presbyterian Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school.
11 o'clock, morning worship.
8 o'clock, evening worship.
If you do not worship elsewhere, you are cordially welcome at all of our services.
E. W. McLaurin, Pastor

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Carl Black, superintendent.
11 a. m., morning service.
7:15 p. m., senior Endeavor.
9 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting, followed by choir practice.
8 o'clock, evening worship.
W. H. F. MOORE, Pastor

Church of the Nazarene
(Ninth Street and Harris Avenue)
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., M. D. Freeman, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor. Junior Band at 6 p. m.
N. Y. P. S. at 7 p. m.
8 p. m., preaching by pastor.
Evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.
W. M. S. each Thursday at 2:30 p. m.
R. E. CUMMINS, Pastor

Ballinger Baptist Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, E. E. King, superintendent.
11 a. m., preaching by pastor.
6:30 p. m., B. T. S. meeting, Ernest Moody, director.
8 p. m., preaching by pastor.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting.
8 p. m. Wednesday, choir practice, R. E. White, director.
J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor

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Prayer meeting and young people's service at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday.
The public is invited to attend and all these services.
HARVEY CHILDRESS, Minister

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11 a. m., worship and communion service.
8 o'clock, evening worship.
LEE WHIPPLE, Minister

Old Fashion Baptist Church
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
The Sunday morning service will be held in the American Legion Hall, and Sunday night's service will be in the tent.
GILBERT W. WILSON, Pastor

Church of God
(Corner of Sixth and Strong)
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., S. H. Skelton, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor.
Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.
Preaching at 8 p. m. by pastor.
Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
Woman's Missionary Society each Thursday.
W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor

First Methodist Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Sam Schringer, superintendent.
11 a. m., morning worship.
8 p. m., vesper service.
A cordial welcome awaits you at all our services.
W. H. VANDERPOOL, Pastor

HALF OF WALLS ON JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL FINISHED
The rock walls on the junior high school building are completed up to the first story and girders for the floor will soon be laid. Good progress has been made on the masonry, practically all stones having been dressed and are ready to place. As soon as the girders are finished the masonry work continue until the second story walls are up and ready for the roof.

Hard rains the past week-end did some damage at the athletic field by washing the turtle-back. This has been repaired, however, and grass planted several weeks ago is up and doing fine. The keeper expects to have a good turf before time to use the field next fall.

Asa Layton, 3 years old, arrived Wednesday from Fort Worth to spend two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Cordill. He made the trip by bus from Fort Worth by himself. The little fellow seemed to have rather enjoyed the trip unaccompanied.

Joe Forman began his two weeks' vacation this week. He will remain here but plans to spend some time fishing in the streams of this section.

B-r-r! Spr-r-ing Is Her-r-re!



Out-of-season weather certainly plays havoc with our sheepdogs, as these pictures indicate. A cold snap would have to come along just when Old Man Polar Bear, above, had his fur coat only half grown. But "Jimmy," the cross-bred dog shown below, knew a thing or two, and used a big blanket to advantage. These scenes were

Local Odd Fellows To Attend District Meeting at Coleman

A number of delegates from the Ballinger I. O. O. F. Lodge will go to Coleman June 26 and 27 to attend the two-day district meeting. This district comprises seven West Texas counties. T. M. Marsh, local official, said Thursday that about ten would represent the Ballinger lodge at Coleman and that the grand master and a number of past officials of the state chapter would appear on the program.

Mr. Marsh also stated that he hoped to secure the consent of the local lodge to invite the next district meeting to Ballinger. The district meeting was held here two years ago and many Odd Fellows remember the successful convention.

The Ballinger lodge's degree team will go to Winters Tuesday evening, June 18, to put on work for the lodge there. The team will not take part in the contests at Coleman, however.

The local lodge is carrying on in an enthusiastic way and is having excellent attendance at all meetings.

Mrs. Sam Dunlap and small son have returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Boothe, of Farwell.

G. M. Gilstrap, coach of Behreiner Institute, Kerrville, transacted business in Ballinger Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sykes visited in San Angelo Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meaders visited in San Angelo Sunday.

MISS BRIDWELL ELECTED TO SAN ANGELO FACULTY

Miss Willwood Bridwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bridwell of Ballinger, recently completed her third term with the Brady schools and was elected for another year. She tendered her resignation, however, to accept a position in the San Angelo school system.

Miss Bridwell will spend part of the summer in the North Texas State Teachers' College, Denton, and the remainder at home here.

The Rowena Press, of which Nile Broyles is editor and manager made its appearance last week. Mr. Broyles until recently operated a job printing plant in Ballinger, moving his equipment to Rowena two weeks ago to start a paper there. For a number of years he was connected with the Concho Herald at Paint Rock and has had other newspaper experience.

The Press, to be issued weekly at Rowena, is the first paper published there for several years.

Mrs. M. C. Smith and daughter, Miss Maryatt Smith, are visiting relatives at Gainesville.

Mrs. Neil McAlpine has gone to Bryan to spend several weeks with relatives.

Mrs. J. H. McClain and Miss Elizabeth Truay visited friends at Abilene Friday.

Mrs. J. H. Stobaugh, of Coleman, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Elwin Williams came in Saturday from Texas Military Academy, Terrell, where he attended school the past year.

Ramblers Bump Rowena Nine 5-4 In Final Rally

In a ninth inning rally Sunday afternoon the Ballinger Ramblers defeated the Rowena nine by the small margin of 5 to 4. In the last half of the ninth the Ramblers were trailing 4 to 2. With one man out the locals got "high behind" and scored three tallies to automatically end the game. The winning runs were made by Reneau, Corbett and Williams, the latter scoring when there were two outs and two strikes on the batter.

This was one of the fastest games played here in some time and it looked like the Ramblers were whipped until the last time around.

Pelot, Rowena hurler, allowed the Ramblers 8 safeties, while Corbett, Rambler moundsman, let the Rowena boys have 7 safe wallops. One of the spectacular plays of the game was the home-run inside the fence by Malish, Rowena outfielder.

The Ramblers will go to Ver-

best Sunday for a double-header with the Veribest club. Manager Earl Schuhmann said he hoped a large group of fans would attend the game from here as he expected his club to play a better brand of ball than it has been playing heretofore.

SHIPMENT OF RENTAL CHECKS TOTALS \$3,611.64

A shipment of first rental payment checks on 1935 cotton contracts arrived here Wednesday. The batch of 119 checks aggregated \$3,611.64. This brings the total to approximately 2,500 checks received for this county's growers out of about 3,000 to be paid.

All contracts have been perfected and mailed to Washington and checks on the remainder are expected here soon.

Miss Helen Moore, who has been attending Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, the past year, is at home to spend the summer.

Little Miss Helen Jo Cole, of Temple, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woody this week.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

'Donkey' Baseball Game is Attended By Large Number

About 500 or 600 fans turned out Monday afternoon for the season's first "donkey" baseball game. The Methodist seniors defeated the Baptist seniors 11 to 6 in this spectacular contest.

Every player except the pitcher, catcher and batter rode the Mexican "nightingales," as the burros were called. As soon as the batter hit the ball he got on his steed and tried to ride to first base. Some of the animals refused to be hurried and many times the "runner" was thrown out at first before the donkey and his rider arrived. To field the ball the fielder had to dismount, get the ball, get back on his jacks before he threw in.

The game was a benefit performance for the Ballinger Cherry Band and proceeds netted about \$60. The sponsors, players and spectators were highly pleased with the contest and many expressed hope another would be played soon.

Celebrating National TOMATO-WEEK

Friday and Saturday, June 7 and 8

A Grower-Consumer Sale, featuring delicious, fresh vine-ripened Tomatoes—grown in the great Southwest.

Eat Tomatoes Daily
Fresh, Juice, Canned

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Canned **Tomatoes** 3 tall cans **25c**

Fresh Tomatoes
lb. 4c

Plain or Sulphur
Salt
4 lb. block **10c**

BEETS 3 bunches 10c
CARROTS ONIONS RADISHES
Corn, fresh ear 2c
Cucumbers for slicing lb. 1c
Potatoes No. 1 10 lbs. 19c
Oranges Balls of Juice doz. 23c

Sour or Dill
Pickles
12-oz. jar **10c**

Heinz' Cider or Malt Vinegar
Quart Bottle **18c** Pint Bottle **12c**

FREEZING Salt
10 lbs. **9c**

Kellogg's Cereals
Corn Flakes Regular 46c Value All for **30c**
Rice Krispies
Whole Wheat Biscuits
Kellogg's Pep

Certo
bottle **25c**

Regular Kerr Lids 2 doz. 25c
Sealing Wax 1-4 lb. 4c
Fruit Jar Rings doz. 4c

AIRWAY Coffee
3 lbs. **49c**

Bacon Sliced in Our Market **pound 25c**
Veal Roast Chuck cuts **pound 10c**
Stew Meat Meaty Ribs **pound 9c**
Pork Liver Sliced or Piece **pound 12 1/2c**
Lunch Meat Fine for Picnics **pound 19c**
Salt Pork Clear Plates **pound 17c**

Prince Albert
TOBACCO
Pocket tin **10c**

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Leg'o Lamb lb. 17c

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Carrots and Beets 3 bunches **5c**

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Red or White

Blackeye Peas 3 lbs. **8c**

Squash White or Yellow **3 lbs. 7c**

Cucumbers **1b. 2c**

Cucumbers Pickling Size **1b. 3 1/2c**

Fresh Corn doz. **25c**

Tomatoes fresh Basket **25c**

Potatoes Old No. 1 **10 lbs. 19c**

Fresh Peach Double Dip
Ice Cream **5c**

Candy, Orange slices lb. **10c**

Blackberries No. 10 **42c**

Peaches-Apples No. 10 **35c**

Kraut No. 2 1-2 can **10c**

Miller Corn Flakes pkg. **10c**

Shelled Pecans lb. **59c**

Bird Seed 2 lbs. **25c**

Cherries Red Pitted 2 No. 2s **27c**

Steamboat Syrup No. 10 **59c**

Arbuckle Coffee 3 lbs. **50c**

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Dishes See Our Attractive Offer on These Beautiful Dishes

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Salt Pork No 1 **1b. 23c**

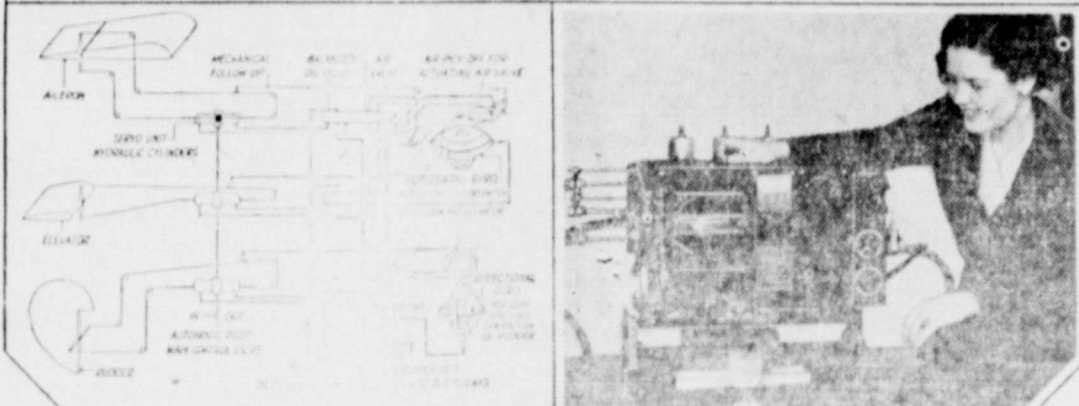
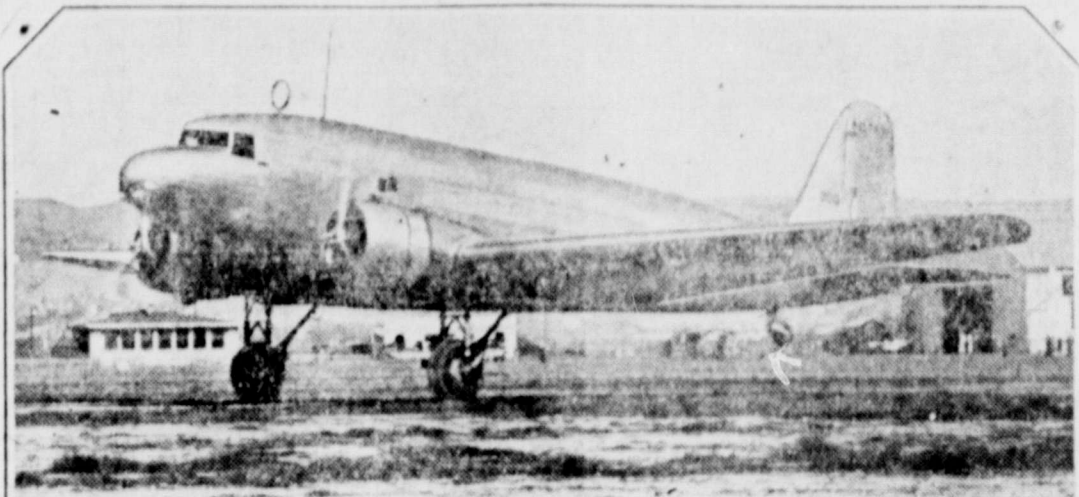
Beef Roast choice **1b. 12 1/2c**

Kraft Cheese **1b. 18c**

Sliced Bacon Dexter **1b. 32c**

Leg o' Lamb Milk Fed **1b. 17 1/2c**

With 'Robot' Pilot, New Landing Methods, U. S. Aims for Air Supremacy



Above, at a California airport, the "mystery" Douglas airliner which, piloted mainly by a robot mechanism, recently set a new world record. The automatic pilot is pictured below, with a chart showing how it operates.

In the campaign for world air supremacy and the necessary greater safety in flying, American pilots are relying more and more upon mechanical aid. A bent radio beam which provides a path which a plane may follow to the very center of the airport is one idea being tried out which bears promise for the future.

The radio compass is another device being tested which may help end for all time such tragedies as the recent Missouri plane crash which sent a New Mexico senator and four others to their deaths.

Two small radio transmitting stations are installed at known distances from the airport. The means of signals from these stations and his compass, the focused stream "beats" his way to a perfect landing in the airport.

Another safety device is the gyro-pilot. Equipped with the "robot" mechanism, the new Douglas "mystery plane" recently

set a new transcontinental record. Encouraged by this success, its sponsors immediately began planning assault on foreign air records, as part of the drive for American leadership in the sky, to which other air lines are also taking part.

In a plane equipped with this automatic pilot, the aviator can set his dials before taking off. Safely in the air, he connects the robot, assured that it will continue the ship's climb to the altitude set on its dial, level off, set a course as desired, and maintain level flight on that course.

With a perfected method for "blind" landing, this invention, a product of the genius of the late Elmer Ambrose Sperry, is expected to eliminate from flying the human element responsible for most mishaps.

In stabilizing a ship, the "robot" pilot reacts far more speedily than the most experienced aviator. To it, the dreaded fog means nothing. And during war-

time it should prove most invaluable, the human pilot being enabled to devote his entire attention to his maps, guns, or bombs.

ANY small boy knows how strongly a whirling gyroscope resists any attempt to upset its equilibrium. The automatic pilot consists of two of these gyroscopes, one operating on a vertical, the other on a horizontal axis.

The slightest swerve of a plane off its prescribed course causes one or the other of the gyroscopes to react, turning an attached shutter. This sets in motion hydraulic controls applied to ailerons, rudder or tail fin, whichever is needed to correct the plane's course.

This little "robot" pilot, a tiny, two-pound box of gears, is expected to prove a mighty factor in winning out any remaining risk involved in flying, a necessary accomplishment if America is to reign in the air.

Fellowship Day to be Observed by Local Baptist Congregation

Due to the heavy rain last Sunday night there were no services at the revival tent on Eighth Street, but a great crowd greeted Rev. Raymond C. Wilson, of San Angelo, Monday night, following which an inspiring service was held, including one profession. Rev. Gilbert W. Wilson spoke in San Angelo Monday night, having exchanged pulpits with his brother.

In spite of the inclement weather the revival will continue. Several loads of sand have been deposited under the tent, which dries quickly, making it possible to meet there soon after a rain. Friday night the evangelist will speak on "The Unpardonable Sin." He urges all who are troubled about what constitutes this sin to hear the message. His subject for Sunday night will be "The Signs of the Second Coming of Christ and the End of the World."

Friday, June 14, is Fellowship Day for the Old Fashioned Baptist churches. Pastors and evangelists from Coleman, Abilene, Big Spring, San Angelo, Dublin, Eola and Stamford will meet at the Carnegie Library, where the sister churches of Ballinger and San Angelo will entertain the guests for the day. Services will begin at 9:30 a. m. with Charles E. Sparks in charge of the singing. Rev. Sam Morris, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Stamford, will preach at 11 a. m. Members of all churches and members of no churches, the saved and unsaved, are invited to come and enjoy this occasion, the pastor said.

Miss Marcella White has returned home from Mary Hardin-Baylor College, Belton, where she was a student the past year, and will remain here for the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. White.

J. M. Williams, of Content, attended to business in Ballinger Monday. He stated that Content received about one inch of rain Sunday and had no hail damage.

Jack Lynn, student at Rice Institute, Houston, is at home to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lynn.

Ulmer Bird, of Bronte, transacted business and visited friends in Ballinger Monday.

Ben Currie, of Norton, transacted business in Ballinger Monday.

Home Gardeners Are Requested to Donate Flowers for Shut-ins

Flowers for shut-ins are being concentrated by florists all over the nation and Mrs. J. W. E. Meaders has been appointed local chairman for the shut-in committee.

The plan is to not let any flowers go to waste on June 10, but to assemble them from home gardens at floral establishments so they can be made up in bouquets and delivered to invalids and others unable to get out.

In the larger cities names of many people who rarely receive flowers have been turned in and these will get remembrances during the national observance. Saturday, June 8, has been designated as the final date for listing names and this will give time to prepare the flowers for distribution. Flowers will be accepted until the morning of June 10.

This day has been observed for the past two years. Last year more than half a million bouquets were delivered in the United States.

Due to drought last year flowers were scarce and all shut-ins could not be remembered. This year there is an abundance of flowers, however, and if citizens will cooperate by sending their surplus to the florists they will be used for this cause.

TEN VACANCIES HERE
JUNE 1 SURVEY SHOWS

A survey made June 1 revealed there were ten vacant houses in Ballinger and 15 were without city water connections. In checking up on these vacancies most of them were found to be uninhabitable shacks on the outskirts of the city and three or four good houses, which were being repaired or remodeled and will be occupied later.

There are fewer houses without water connections than there have been for some time, practically every resident using and paying for city water service.

There is still a shortage of houses and apartments, but the demand is not so great at this season as it was during the school term.

W. B. Woody underwent a tonsil operation at the Halley & Love Sanitarium Monday morning.

E. A. Shepperd and Carl Henslee, of Winters, attended to business in Ballinger Tuesday.

Canning Expert Gives Talks And Demonstrations

Mrs. Alisse Chaptman conducted a canning demonstration at the Higginbotham Bros. & Co. store here Friday and Saturday of last week and a large group of women was present each afternoon. A kitchen was arranged on the second floor of the store. Chairs were provided for the audience so all could see and hear the demonstrations and lectures.

Mrs. Chaptman gave many useful recipes for canning and showed how to prepare the food, putting special emphasis on sealing in jars.

The management of the Higginbotham store was highly pleased with the engagement and those attending were very complimentary of the demonstrations.

Mrs. Chaptman is a graduate of East Central State Teachers' College in Oklahoma and was formerly connected with the extension service of Oklahoma A & M College. She taught in various places for fifteen years. She has been employed as demonstrator by Ball Bros. for the past several months, and has given demonstrations at Coleman, Comanche and several other cities in this part of the state. Cross Plains will be the next place for her demonstrations.

Below is a favorite recipe of Mrs. Chaptman's for preparing and canning sweet dill pickles. It has been tested and proven to be both delicious and practical.

"Two medium dill pickles, 2 tablespoons mixed pickling spices (in bag), 4 cups sugar, and two buttons of garlic. Method of placing in jar, or jar stewers, (do not use aluminum); first spice bag, pickles sliced one-half inch, sugar, then the garlic, cover and stand four days, pack sold in sterilized jars and seal. Sweet pickles may be made from ordinary sour cucumbers, fresh ones cannot be used. An attractive decoration is to punch a ring in the center of the slices and fill with orange peel, which gives a delicious flavor. For immediate use, beets, piments, apples with peel, cheese or red cherries. Small pickles obtain better results."

Graham Fowler, student in North Texas Agricultural College, Arlington, is at home to spend the summer with his mother, Mrs. W. W. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huffman and children, of Anson, spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

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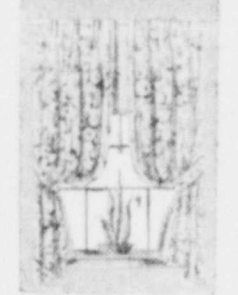
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The Cinderella Sandal

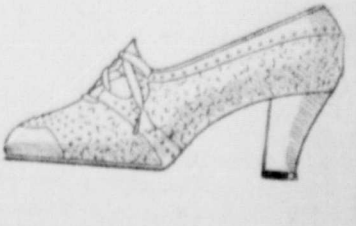


Present warm weather emphasizes the desirability of the novelty, inexpensive, toeless White Sandal (exactly as pictured here.) It is made of white kid, good quality all leather, kid lined sole, kid covered heel. Priced extremely low at only

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The First Monday crowd in Ballinger this week was large but not as much trading as usual was done. The condition of roads in this section and because streams could not be crossed made it almost impossible to bring livestock and other produce here. Fields were too wet to be worked and many came here to send to business.

Flood waters on streams have taken a heavy toll of livestock in this section. Motorists waiting for streams to run down near Talpa Sunday evening reported seeing many head of sheep washed away. Most sheep have been sheared but little loss has been reported from the cold. High waters also have retarded the fishing season here and streams had not been in condition for god angling so far.

Runnels county farmers would like to see about ten days' sunshine, clear weather. Heavy downpours accompanied by some hail damaged fields badly and much planting needs to be done as soon as it is possible to get into the fields. Hot weather would start everything to growing rapidly and advance crops already up. It is also nearing harvest time for a large small grain acreage in the county which is practically made unusable destroyed by storms. Some oats fields suffered the past week-end from wind, rain and hail, and some report they lost approximately 75 per cent of their grain.

Resumption of the Runnels County Fair this fall seems to have the approval of many local business men who think an excellent celebration could be held. The fair association has large holdings here, valued at around \$20,000, and every effort should be made to revive interest, raise enough money to pay off the small amount of indebtedness against it and save it for the use of the entire county. Many of the fairs held here have been very successful and at one time the Runnels county show was rated as one of the best county fairs in the state. With a varied program the fair could be made to appeal to everyone and thousands would flock here for the week.

INSPIRING OPPORTUNITIES

Young people interested in early incomes should write at once for current Employment Report issued by Draughon's Business Colleges, showing long list of recent placements and many unfilled positions—proof that the world-famous Draughon Training brings inspiring opportunities during good times and bad.

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 Name _____
 Address _____

Robert Bruce returned home Sunday night from Stephenville where he accompanied his wife and children. Mrs. Bruce was met there by her father and taken to Arlington where she will visit several weeks. Mr. Bruce was in the cloudburst near Talpa Sunday night and remained there until a late hour, assisting stranded motorists.

Calling Cards on short notice. Ballinger Printing Co. Phone 27.

Off With the Old, On With the New



WEST TEXAS NEWS NOTES

Hints for the Farm
 Furnished by the Extension Service A. & M. College

Although not completed yet, the new relief cannery at Menard is expected to be one of the greatest assets to the relief division of that county. Approximately 300 cans per day can be turned out by the 18 employees who will operate the plant and will provide produce for relief clients this summer and most of the winter. Like other relief canneries in the state, it will be operated on a 50-50 basis, the producer getting half of the amount he brings in.

Building permits at Brownwood were greater during May than in any other month so far this year. The total was \$5,600. Permits for the year total \$13,027. It is asserted that building in Brownwood is on a decided increase and this year is expected to rate with the best years.

The 1930 graduating class of the Miles high school held a reunion at Christoval last week, in accordance with an agreement made five years ago. The class agreed to hold a reunion five years from the date they graduated and last week's event was the fulfillment of the agreement. Various forms of entertainment were provided during the day. The celebration started early in the morning and lasted until late afternoon.

A 30-gallon still and 800 gallons of mash were confiscated by Coke county authorities last week. The still was found near Tennyson and when officers arrived two men ran from the spot. However, an automobile, probably belonging to the owners of the still was taken by the sheriff and his deputies along with the still and mash.

Seven lease contracts have been filed by Mason county farm owners with the TRC and an eighth lease has been approved making a total of 27 1/2 acres of farm land under lease to the state government under its rehabilitation program. Lease payments amount to approximately \$4 per acre and the land is contracted for a period of three years.

Application was made last week to the state PWA engineer for a \$73,000 loan and grant with which to construct a junior high school at Brady. The application requests a loan of \$55,000 and/or a grant of 30% of the amount of the labor and material, which latter amounts to \$18,000. Security offered is general obligation bonds, to be covered by a 30-year serial issue of \$55,000 at 4% interest.

Beginning today (Thursday) and continuing until Saturday night hundreds of people of the Bronte territory will be attending the Bronte rodeo. All kinds of events will be offered during the three days with large cash prizes being awarded winners each day. The best bucking broncos and Brahma steers available will be used.

Two Winters boys, J. W. Dixon and Winford Broadus Smith, were graduated from Baylor University, Waco, last week with high honors. Both of them received master of

arts degrees and were the only two boys that received an M. A. degree who made high honors. Only one person made higher marks than Dixon.

Section by section, gaps in state highway No. 4 are being closed. Plans and specifications are being prepared now for the section from Menard to Eden. The right-of-way has been secured for some time and it is expected that contracts will be let before long. Soundings are being made for a bridge over the South Llano River that will serve highway 4.

The city of Coleman has begun issuing "courtesy tickets" to violators of traffic laws in their city, who are visitors. These tickets list the "don'ts" for the driver and he can readily understand just what traffic law he has been guilty of violating. This applies only to minor violations and it is said to be working out to the complete satisfaction of everyone, especially the visitors.

The Brownwood Public Service Co. has been incorporated for \$43,000. The corporation holds a franchise from the city to build and operate a power and light plant in Brownwood. Work will begin on the plant immediately. Equipment has been ordered and will be shipped in a short time.

Mrs. F. W. Wellhausen has returned from Temple, where she recently underwent an operation.

Sales Books at Ledger office. BAY CITY—4-H club garden

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ON TEXAS FARMS
 By Minnie Fisher Cunningham
 Extension Service Editor

If they "haven't a thing to wear" at the end of 1935, it will be because they are not among the 1,778 rural women in 107 Texas counties who are serving as wardrobe demonstrators for home demonstration clubs, according to Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, extension clothing specialist.

Nor can they be listed among the 504 4-H club wardrobe demonstrators and 7,831 cooperators in the 65 counties where 4-H club girls are doing clothing work coached by home demonstration agents.

Because this extension wardrobe demonstration includes taking a clothing "census," planning and making clothing to turn you out well and suitably dressed for all occasions of your life; facilities for care and storage; and keeping clothing accounts.

Like this they work—In Hunt county an all day county-wide meeting of wardrobe demonstrators was held and each "foundation pattern" owner learned how to cut collars to her taste. Collars becoming to round faces, long slender faces, and perhaps, square jaws and receding chins were made up and tried on.

Sleeves, too, were cut and tried with regard to implying pleasant curves for the too slender person and decreasing the ponderosity of that "too, too solid flesh" so deplored by the stylish stout.

CLUB WOMEN HOLD SALES EVENT AT KERRVILLE

KERRVILLE, June 5.—Forty-eight dollars was made recently by the Kerrville home demonstration club at a sales day at which aprons, children's clothing, quilts and pillow protectors, home made bread, cakes, pies, jelly, native ferns and cacti were among the articles sold. All home demonstration clubs in the county contributed and cooperated in the sales and the proceeds were turned over to the county home demonstration

demonstrators in Matagorda county are getting off on an early start toward completing paying demonstrations, according to Mrs. Leola Cox Sides, home demonstration agent, who cites the case of Ellen Byers, of Cedar Lone, who has already sold enough onions to start a \$650 bank account. Ellen has 13 varieties of vegetables in her garden. Angeline Watzlavik, of Blessing, has 18 varieties in her garden and has sold \$2 worth of plants.

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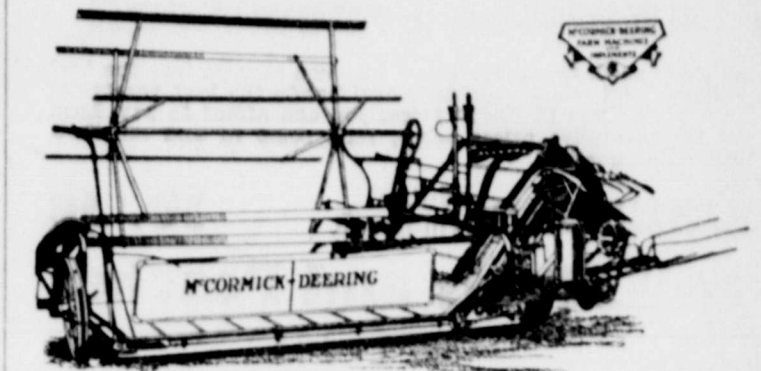
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council to help fill the budget of \$162.25 for the year. Another sales day will be held June 22, in connection with the wardrobe achievement day, according to Miss Frances Wilroy, Kerr county home demonstration agent. Each club will sponsor one event until the full amount called for in the budget has been raised.

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WEDDINGS

Wilde-Kahlig

The beautiful wedding of Miss Cordelia Kahlig and Elo Wilde was solemnized in St. Boniface Church, Offen, Tuesday morning, May 28, at 8 o'clock.

The Rev. G. A. Boeckman performed the double ring ceremony. A wedding march was played by Miss Bobbie Hafernik.

The bride was dressed in white net with accessories to match. The groom wore the conventional black suit.

The bridesmaid was dressed in blue silk organdy. The couple was attended by Miss Cora Wilde, sister of the groom, and Willie Kahlig, brother of the bride.

After the wedding ceremony dinner was served to members of the immediate families, at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride is the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kahlig, a prominent family of the Offen community. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilde, who have extensive farm interests in the Bethel section.

The young couple will reside on their farm near Wall.

Reams-Smith

The marriage of George Reams and Miss Angie Smith was solemnized this (Thursday) morning at the home of Rev. Sharrutt, pastor of the Winters Methodist church, in the presence of a few friends.

Both the young people have lived at Hatchel for some time and are well known in Ballinger. They will continue to make home in this community, where Mr. Reams is farming.

To the Public

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CLUB BOYS MAKE MONEY ON CALF FEEDER PROJECT

DICKENS, Tex., June 6.—A return of \$234.35 for their work and investment has been realized by three Dickens county 4-H club boys who fed four calves and exhibited them at the Lubbock meat show, according to G. J. Lane, county agricultural agent. The calves were fed farm-grown grains and roughages at a cost of \$212.64, and were sold at the auction sale at an average price of 12 1/4 cents per pound.

With the impetus which resulted from feeding grade calves, five pure bred calves have been selected from recognized breeders of the state to be used in feeding demonstrations for the ensuing year, Lane said.

FORMER BALLINGER WOMAN IS VICTIM OF AUTO WRECK

Mrs. C. A. Freeze, of Graham, was fatally injured in an automobile wreck near Cisco last Friday, while en route to Ballinger with her daughter to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeze formerly resided here, the former having been in the sewing machine and furniture business in Ballinger several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marsh, Ray Marsh, Mrs. Winnie Jean Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Powers, of Ballinger, attended the funeral which was conducted at Graham Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Dickson and Drew, Jr., went to Dallas Sunday to visit their son and brother, William Dickson, who has recently moved to Dallas from New York city.

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Very Few Calories Used by the Brain Research Reveals

WASHINGTON, June 5.—There is not much energy concentrated in half a peanut, in a gram of cane sugar, in 1 1/2 grams of white bread, or in 4 grams of the edible part of a banana, yet little as there is, there is enough in each of these portions to supply the surplusage of energy that an hour of intense mental effort requires.

Indeed, so small is this demand that a housemaid engaged in sweeping and dusting the study of a college professor would expend as much extra caloric energy in three minutes as the professor would expend in excess of his basic needs during an hour of intensive work at his books.

These surprising statements were made by Dr. Francis G. Benedict, director of the nutrition laboratory of Carnegie Institution of Washington, in summing up the results of an experimental investigation of mental effort as it affects the metabolism of the body.

After many observations, it was found that body metabolism is sensitively responsive to conditions and influences. A hearty meal, for example, will increase the heat output as much as forty per cent, and the increase, gradually lessening, may last from ten to twelve hours. In prolonged fasting, on the other hand, heat production falls off rapidly for a time and then becomes relatively constant at a lower level. Exercise in any form meets a quick response in heat production and so do fluctuations in the state of one's health.

Through application of this method of measuring the metabolism of the body many interesting and important facts have been learned.

It has been found, for example, that although the basal metabolism of individuals differ, the heat-energy production of the average man in a group of one hundred when lying quietly in bed before breakfast, is about one calorie per minute, just about the amount produced in the same length of time by a 68-watt electric light, or a burning paraffin candle of ordinary size. This represents the overhead cost, the cost prior to production, as Dr. Benedict puts it.

He adds: "Two lumps of sugar would run a man resting quietly for about an hour; a pat of butter, for one and one-half hours, and a doughnut would furnish the calories he would need for about three hours. Now when he begins to move about the costs mount. Just sitting up increases the cost five per cent; standing up, ten per cent; a brisk walk will increase it by 200 per cent; and a man working up to the limit of human endurance will increase it to 1,000 per cent or more."

Putting the matter another way, many studies made by Dr. Benedict and his coworkers in this

'Fruit Salad' That Grows



A "fruit salad" concocted by Chef Nature is shown above. When the petals drop off this lily-like flower, a ripening stamen is revealed that has a delicious taste, in which one can detect the flavors of many fruits. The flower grows in Australia.

field show that, in general, a person engaged in a sedentary occupation requires 2,500 calories per day to cover basal needs and the energy expenditure because of work. Farmers, on the average, consume about 3,500 calories a day. Maine lumbermen have been tested whose energy expenditure reached 7,000 calories; while Dr. Benedict reports a study made of a professional long-distance bicycle racer who developed a metabolism of the rate of 10,000 calories per day.

Such energy provisions, it should be said, represent the need of the average member of the respective groups; they must be modified to suit individual requirements. Thus, for example, experiments show that a heavy man expends more heat-energy in support of basal metabolism than a thin man of the same height, that a tall man expends more than a short man of the same weight,

that a man of 25 years of age expends more than a man of 70; and, as to sex, even though weight, height and age are taken into account, a man's basal metabolism will run about ten per cent higher than that of a woman.

Dr. Benedict says that in the great proportion of cases the only reason people grow fat is that each day they eat a little more than they require.

To quote from his discussion of this matter:

"If you eat the equivalent each day of an ounce of butter more than you need, what happens? You don't lose it; you don't burn it; it is digested, assimilated, and note this, it is deposited as fat."

"One extra ounce of fat means a pound in about two weeks or twenty-five pounds a year. All this from but one ounce, say three pats of butter extra each day. Please note that I emphasize extra; that means three pats of butter above your daily needs. This goes on gradually, I might say insidiously, until the weight increases, the girth increases, the creases increase, and there you are."

"The best way of all to lose fat is not to get fat. If you are fat then it is nearly hopeless to attempt to 'work it off.' There is only one way to lose it intelligently, and that is to limit your intake slightly and burn it up slowly. Fats are, so to speak, twice as concentrated as starches and sugars; hence it is helpful if

one avoids all visible fats in the food.

"Cutting out visible fats is usually not a great hardship, but of itself it is of no value if one overeats other equally fat-producing materials. It is useless to cut out any particular article of the diet, such as bread or potatoes or butter, and then fill up on ice cream. Diets of salads and greens are sound in principle but may be easily overdone and produce digestive disturbances."

"There is no royal road to slimmess. Diet reduction, at times demanding a Spartan-like abstinence from especially loved foods, is the only really logical procedure. It all boils down to a careful, intelligent, curtailment of food or fuel intake. It might be termed 'scientific stocking.'"

MRS. JACK NIXON ATTENDS FUNERAL OF HER FATHER

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon returned Wednesday morning from Mt. Pleasant, where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Nixon's father, Rev. W. J. Baker. Rev. Baker had been in a serious condition for the past year and died at 11 o'clock Sunday night, two hours before Mr. and Mrs. Nixon arrived. Funeral services were held for the retired Methodist minister, who was 79 at the time of his death, Monday afternoon.

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Gold Mine Imperils Old Temple in Mexico

MEXICO, D. F., June 5.—Guanajuato state authorities are facing a dilemma. They must choose between continuing their exploitation of immediately negotiable wealth that has raised the state far out of the depression, or sacrificing a venerable church, a gem of Spanish colonial architecture that is conceded to be one of the most beautiful temples in the Americas.

Development of an amazingly rich gold and silver deposit, which demands long and numerous blasting operations, has so weakened the foundations of the Church of San Cayetano, in Guanajuato (dedicated in 1788), that the edifice is in danger of collapsing. If mining operations cease, a serious material loss for Guanajuato will result. If they continue, it is almost certain that the old church will have to be razed, an action that will entail another heavy loss, as the temple is one of the chief attractions for tourists, who visit the little old city that once was one of the hubs of gold and silver mining in central Mexico. This dilemma has given the Guanajuato officials and the national properties department, owner of the church, a nervous headache.

The church was built by the Spanish Conde de Rul as a monument to his Valencianna mine, once the richest in the Guanajuato sector, as its verified production in the bonanza period was more than \$400,000,000. When the church was half completed, it was found that it covered one of the richest gold deposits of the region. Other mining men offered the conde a princely sum for the privilege of working the deposit. He promptly rejected the offer, as he did the mining men's second proposition that they take the church down and rebuild it stone by stone, and in exact accord with the original plan, on another site.

The church's design is different from that of any other place of worship in this country. It has happily been spared by renovators; it is today almost as it was a century and a half ago. Its interior masonry is elaborately carved and is unique, for the stone-cutters were given free hand in executing the relief embellishments of the arches, piers, etc. Each design is different in delicate variations. The coloring of the interior is unusually beautiful and imparts a sense of singular tranquility. The walls are creamy white and the arches, etc., have relief ornaments that are white on a pale yellow ground, a like color effect that is followed in the dome. Much pure goldleaf, product of the Valencianna mine, was used in embellishing the temple.

The church has three exquisitely fashioned altars, the retabes of which occupy the full length of the chancel and transept. It is a landmark, visible for a great distance.

This church once supported a service of surpassing magnificence, as it was maintained by the numerous miners who were employed in the Valencianna. Each of these several thousand workers made a weekly donation to the church to the value of a piece of ore known as "pieda de mano" (a stone the size of a man's hand). The scale of the expenditure lavished upon the construction and adornment of the church may be gauged from the fact that the elaborate temporary ornament that was fashioned for its dedication was composed of cloth that cost 300 pesos (\$150) a yard. It is time numerous priests attended the church. But nowadays only one father is in charge.

BALLINGER WOMEN WILL HELP WITH CEREAL SALE

Members of the Workers' Class of the First Methodist Church Sunday school will be found in nearly every grocery store in Ballinger Saturday, helping to hold demonstrations of Kellogg products. They will demonstrate these well-known cereals, assist in making sales, and will share in the proceeds.

John H. Webb reports considerable damage from the recent rains on his place about 10 miles down the Colorado River. He stated that he lost a dam, located in a draw, and other damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gillespie and daughters, Grace and Jeanette, of Temple, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Jacob Sunday. Mr. Gillespie accompanied his daughters and Miss Maola Jacob to Abilene Monday to attend the summer session of A. C. C. Mrs. Gillespie remained here for a few days' visit with the Jacob family.

Douglas Jackson, student of St. Edwards University, San Antonio, is at home to spend the summer.

Rev. W. H. Vanderpool returned Sunday night from Rising Star, where he had been for the past ten days conducting a revival.

Her Feathered Friend



This picture seems to depict a Sioux squaw sending her warrior mate off to battle. In reality, however, the "squaw" is Mrs. Charles Smith of Santa Barbara, Calif., her companion, a cigar store relic clothed in the authentic fighting regalia of a Sioux chieftain.

RUSSIAN ENGINEERS BUILD AIRSLEDS FOR MARSHLAND

MOSCOW, June 5.—Problems of transportation on the hundreds of extremely shallow lakes and rivers which exist in Russia have been solved, Soviet engineers report, by high powered airsleds, able to run on ice, on the wet surfaces of marshlands or even on the ocean if the waves are not too rough.

Wide flat bottomed boats are equipped with engines like those of airplanes, mounted on supports some feet above the boat bottom and connected with air-screw propellers like those used for airplanes. These propellers drag the boat along by their hold on the air, just as an airplane is propelled. Meanwhile, the flat bottom of the boat skims over the surface of the shallow river or marsh or over the ice in winter.

For use on rivers as deep as three or four feet another design has been perfected for steamers drawing only a foot or two of water, but equipped with special screw propellers small enough to clear the river bottom. These crafts are less speedy than the ones worked by air propellers but are said to be more economical as cargo carriers.

Over large areas in Siberia and southern Russia most of the rivers are extremely shallow, like many rivers in arid parts of the United States. It will be years before railroads can be extended to serve all this country. Building of automobile highways also will take much time.

In the meantime, watercrafts on these shallow waterways are expected to provide quick transportation for goods and passengers more cheaply than by aircraft.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Wright and children returned Friday from Junction, where they had been visiting since school closed. Mr. Wright has accepted a position with the Ballinger Ice Company for the summer.

Modern Equipment For Street Work Is Bought by City

The city street department is waiting for new machinery recently purchased by the commission, subject to demonstration and entire satisfaction before beginning to recondition dirt streets here. The machinery, which should arrive soon, is an Adams road maintainer with 60-horsepower Case engine and weighs about 16,000 pounds. It will do any kind of road or street work and is recognized as one of the best machines of its kind on the market.

Ballinger has 35 miles of dirt and gravel streets and K. V. Northington, city secretary, stated Tuesday that the streets were in the worst condition they had been in for the past five years. Hard washing rains cut deep into the surface, and filled in culverts and drainage ditches with silt. When the new machines arrive to replace obsolete and worn-out equipment a crew will be put to work.

The drainage system was not extensive enough for the recent unprecedented rains with the result that erosion has been very bad.

A crew is employed on the north end of Broadway to lower water lines and set meters back so they will not interfere with the work on highway No. 109. The water lines are being put down deeper now and later will be replaced with 3/4-inch copper pipe under the pavement so repairs will not be necessary for many years.

As soon as weather conditions permit and the new machinery is here, street work will be pushed as fast as possible.

SOD DISEASE AFFECTING YOUNG CHICKS IN COUNTY

Runnels county poultry raisers are experiencing trouble with their small chickens and have sought advice from the extension service at College Station. The chicks develop sore feet, blisters forming between the toes. Later these blisters turn into scabs and cause the toes to turn up. Many have died and others are left with deformed feet.

Information received at the county agent's office this week names the malady as sod disease caused by chickens running on unplowed or unbroken ground. It is advised that the chickens be turned loose on broken ground and their feet dipped in kerosene or rubbed with carbolated vaseline.

TUBERCULAR TESTS TO BE FINISHED HERE THIS WEEK

A number of government veterinarians continued testing dairy and range cattle in this county for tuberculosis this week. The last tabulations made by the inspectors revealed 1,715 herds inspected, 10,984 animals tested, and only one found infected.

The work in this county probably will be finished this week.

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Improved Range Conditions Cut Livestock Shipments

AUSTIN, June 5.—Although shipments of Texas cattle and calves to Kansas and Oklahoma during April declined drastically, a substantial increase occurred in forwarding to other points, notably to California, Arizona, Illinois, and Iowa, according to Dr. F. A. Buechel, assistant director and statistician of the University of Texas bureau of business research. There also was a sharp increase in shipments of cattle and calves to Fort Worth in comparison with a year ago.

"April is the peak month for livestock shipments, especially cattle and calves, from Texas to out-of-state points," Dr. Buechel said. "The bulk of these shipments are destined for the Flint Hills of Kansas and Osage country of Oklahoma where the cattle are pastured through the summer and marketed in the fall. Pasturage is leased at so much per head for the summer, the cost varying from season to season in accordance with supply and demand conditions. A recent report of the United States division of crop and livestock estimates states that lease prices range from 25 to 50 per cent higher than last year and are the highest since 1931. The percentage of pasture leased is substantially larger than for the past four years as well as the ten-year average from 1924-1933."

"Forwardings of cattle to the Kansas Flint Hills totaled only 58,827 head and of calves 2,134 head, against 102,245 head of cattle and 9,012 head of calves during April, 1934. Shipments of cattle to the Osage country of Oklahoma totaled 35,337 and calves 4,429 head, against 45,873 head of cattle and 5,908 head of calves during April a year ago.

"This sharp decline in numbers of cattle and calves shipped to the grass lands of Kansas and Oklahoma is partly due to the depletion of herds as a result of the drouth and excessive commercial marketing in 1934, and to improvement in range conditions which has occurred in recent weeks. It is probable that farmers and ranchmen are retaining a larger proportion of cows and heifers on the farms and ranches than in former years for restocking, especially in the areas which suffered most severely from the drouth.

"As a result of the partial compensation of the drastically reduced shipments of cattle and calves to the grasslands of Oklahoma and Kansas by increased shipments to the other points mentioned, total out-of-state shipments plus those to Fort Worth stockyards during April declined only moderately. Aggregate shipments for the month were 7,066 carloads, against 8,293 cars a year ago, a decline of 15 per cent. Practically all of this decrease occurred in restricted shipments of cattle since the total number of calves and sheep actually increased.

"During the first four months of this year a total of 17,501 carloads of livestock were shipped to Fort Worth and out-of-state points, against 18,783 cars during the corresponding period last year. The decrease in the total was entirely due to smaller forwardings of cattle and sheep.

"The only section of the state to report larger shipments of cattle during April in comparison with last year was South Texas. Reports from the high and low plains areas of Northwest Texas indicate sharp curtailment of shipments. As range conditions improve and new feed crops become available the disparity between shipments during the current year and a year ago will widen for the next several months. With the sharp rise in price, however, and the improvement in quality resulting from more abundant feed, the financial return to cattlemen promises to improve substantially by next fall and winter."

DOCTOR TOLD HER HOW TO LOSE 17 POUNDS OF FAT

Gossipers Peeved

Mrs. Robert Hickey, of Roseville, Calif., writes: "My doctor prescribed Kruschen Salts for me—he said they wouldn't hurt me in the least. I've lost 17 lbs. in 6 weeks. Kruschen is worth its weight in gold."

Mrs. Hickey paid no attention to gossipers who said there was no safe way to reduce—envious women who don't like to see others youthfully slim. She wisely followed her doctor's advice. Why don't YOU?

Get a jar of Kruschen today (lasts 4 weeks and costs but a trifle) and if you don't lose 12 lbs. and feel years younger and healthier—money back. Simply take half teaspoonful in cup of hot water every morning (tastes fine with juice of half lemon added). Weeks Drug Store, J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. and L. C. Daugherty Drug Store sell lots of it.

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and acts of kindness during the recent illness and death of our sister, mother, and wife. Especially did we appreciate the flowers sent as a remembrance and to make her last resting place beautiful. All these things meant much to us in this hour of sadness and we will never forget those who were near us in this time.

G. T. Gibson and children
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Shirley Temple and Lionel Barrymore Star in New Film

The movie news of the day is that America's golden-haired sweetheart arrives in her latest picture.

Shirley Temple, the five-year-old screen miracle who was unknown less than a year ago, and who now ranks among the ten world's outstanding box-office attractions, co-stars with Lionel Barrymore in "The Little Colonel," which will be shown at the Palace Theatre Sunday and Monday.

Through her marvelous performances in four pictures, Shirley has become the nation's idol, adored by young and old. Her innocent romp through the land of fairy tales is one of the bright fairy tales of modern days.

Fox Film combed all the available fiction, past and present, for a suitable vehicle for Shirley and found it in one of the "Little Colonel" stories of Annie Fellows Johnston, which have been eagerly read by millions. Drama and comedy, pathos and humor, vie for supremacy in this tale of a wrecked Kentucky family, during the Reconstruction era, reunited by the determination of a lilliputian dimpled colonel.

For the first time in her short, brilliant screen career, Shirley Temple will be presented to the world precisely as she is. A part of the film is shown in Technicolor.

Among the supporting players are names that have glittered on the marquee of Broadway's theatres. They include Evelyn Venable, John Lodge, Sidney Blackmer, William Burress, and Bill Robinson, celebrated negro dancer.

As for Shirley, she acts, sings, and dances. Her featured song, "The Little Colonel" is "Love's Young Dream," a melody based on one of the world's oldest-known folk tunes, which was especially popular during the late '70s in which the picture takes place.



SHIRLEY TEMPLE, America's screen darling, as she appears in Fox Film's latest picture, "The Little Colonel," co-starring opposite LIONEL BARRYMORE. 1PB

Girl and Gangster Tangle in New Damon Runyon Picture

How a dizzy young heiress "adopts" a gang of Broadway "citizens" and changes them to polished gentlemen is the basic story of Paramount's "Hold 'Em Yale," the new Damon Runyon story, coming to the Palace Theatre tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday.

Adapted from Runyon's widely-read short story of the same title, "Hold 'Em Yale" features Patricia Ellis, Cesar Romero and Larry Crabbe in the leading roles.

In the picture the gang of "citizens" really adopt the girl to make her father pay, but she turns the tables on them. When, however, her father sees what a swell job they do of making the girl worthwhile, he tells them that he will pay handsomely if they make her marry the man of his choice.

The humorous manner in which they use persuasion and per-

suaders" in order to accomplish this, is shown in the climax which takes place in the Yale Bowl at the annual Harvard game.

Featured in the supporting cast of "Hold 'Em Yale" are William Frawley, Andy Devine, George Barbier, Warren Hymer and George E. Stone.

Fields Starred in "Mississippi" as Comedy Lead

As the "biggest liar on the river" and the champion callopie player of seven continents, W. C. Fields, dean of film comedians, plays his new starring role in Paramount's "Mississippi," to be shown at the Palace Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

A medley of song and entertainment, centering about Fields, the picture stars the famous comedian with Bing Crosby and Joan Bennett.

Crosby plays the part of a Yankee youth in the old South of erioline days who falls into disgrace and loses his sweetheart because of his unwillingness to duel with every belligerent stranger.

The Old Commodore takes Crosby in tow, and between them they soon establish a reputation for the boy as the "Singing Killer," the most dangerous man with the sweetest voice on the father of rivers. Crosby falls in love again, this time with a girl who abhors duels, and then the commodore and Crosby are forced to unravel the reputation.

One of the largest production numbers of "Mississippi" is written about a novel arrangement of that favorite of all river songs—"Swanee." Crosby introduces "It's Easy to Remember" and "Soon." The picture is based on Booth Tarkington's play "Queens of the South Seas" and the Cabin Kids are featured in supporting melody roles. Gail Patrick, John Miljan, Fred Kohler and Claude Gillingwater take featured dramatic roles.

Constipation

ADRIKA
J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.—In Rowena at Shiller's Pharmacy.

10,000 PECAN TREES TOPPED

CORSICANA, Tex., June 6.—More than 10,000 pecan trees in Navarro county have been top worked, according to reports given to county agricultural agent C. C. Morris, and many farmers report that they will have from 100 to 500 trees budded during the 1935 season.

Considerable interest also exists in control measures for the case bearer Mr. M. Kamen, of Kernes, reports that he saved at least half of his 1934 crop by spraying with arsenate of lead solution.

Carbon paper for tracing embroidery patterns at Ledger office.

4-H Club Girls' Bedroom Contest Will Close June 7

The Runnels county girls' 4-H bedroom contest will close Friday afternoon, June 7. On this date a committee from the Ballinger Shakespeare Club will visit the 13 bedrooms of demonstrators and decide the winners. The girl showing the most improvement for the least amount of money will receive a free trip to the farmer's short course at College Station this summer, given by the West Texas Cottonseed Company, Ballinger. The second prize will be a free railroad ticket to the short course given by the same concern.

The 13 demonstrators have had the assistance of 245 cooperators. Winners will write a story of their work in which they will include a report of the goals reached by the cooperators of their clubs. These goals are for every cooperator to provide a mattress pad, to provide a permanent means of raising bedroom windows and to provide a bed slat for each row of coils in the springs.

One June 17 Miss Minnie Mae Grubbs, district home demonstration agent, will visit this county's winners and judge the rooms for the district contest.

Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, county home demonstration agent, stated this week that excellent work had been done by the club girls in improving their rooms.

Demonstrators in the contest who have their rooms completed and ready to be judged are: Margaret Sallings, Miles; Adeline Halfmann, Offen; Lillian Mae McShan, Bethel; Oma Lee Toungel, Blanton; Inez Clark, Benoit; Wilma Walker, Hatchel; Juanita Weardon, Dale; Thelma White, Victory; Pattie Louise Smith, Wingate; Novie Moreland, Mazeland; Joan Conger, Norton; and Ara Davis, Maverick.

Harry Lynn returned Monday from Kerrville, where he spent several days with his family in a camp there.

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CLUB BOY MAKES NICE PROFIT FROM 5 CALVES

PANHANDLE, Tex., June 5.—Five calves, valued originally at \$70, brought \$328.65 profit to Walter Britten, 18, Carson county 4-H club boy, according to M. P. Leaming, county agricultural agent.

All feed for the calves was purchased, since the drouth ruined the feed crops on the farm. No nurse cow was used. Walter attributes the success of his demonstration to comfortable quarters, an abundance of good, clean water, and the regular feeding of a balanced ration supplemented only by a little charcoal as a conditioner, a little molasses, and a mineral mixture for good growth. The net return per animal averaged \$65.73.

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TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY
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Come aboard the River Queen for an evening of unparalleled entertainment. We're off on a merry melody cruise to Dixie. Laugh your way down the river with Commodore W. C. Fields.

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FOR CASH SALE—217.14 acres, 182 tilled, three miles from Ballinger on highway. All or 100 acres at \$30 per acre. A. S. Page. 23-17-eow

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment near town. Phone 179, Mrs. D. C. Simpson. 28-17

FOR SALE—Plenty of nice Tomato and Pepper plants. Several varieties. Our prices are right. Whitaker Brothers, Ballinger. 25-17

CHOICE planting cottonseed, second year from Bagley & Sons breeding farm. Ginned from cotton yielding over 200 pounds lint average per acre with 15-16 inch staple. Price \$80 per ton in bulk, f. o. b. San Marcos. Address T. C. Johnson, Sr., San Marcos, Texas. 14-17

Mrs. Mary Massey and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Blake and daughter, Marrison, are visiting here for a few days with Mrs. May Lloyd, Mrs. J. B. Arterburn and Mrs. G. W. Dunlap.

Mrs. W. B. Halley installed new officers of the Abilene chapter of the Eastern Star Monday.

PWA Grants Loan For Winters Hospital

The public works administration in Texas has approved an application from Winters for a hospital estimated to cost \$79,500. The PWA approved a loan for \$54,500 with a grant of \$25,000 for the construction of the building and its equipment.

Repayment of the loan would be with 30 years with 3 per cent interest. Approval is tendered on the basis that citizens of Winters sanction the loan by a bond issue election which probably will be held in July.

The application for the loan and grant was filed from Winters in November, 1933. It provides for a two-story building to furnish 21 beds, 15 of them in private rooms and two wards of three beds each. The site offered is where a hospital is now operated by three Winters physicians.

John T. Becker, of San Angelo, drew the plans for the building. Senator Tom Connally announced from Washington that the PWA had requested the national emergency council make the allocation at once and that he was sure it would be made without delay.

DEATHS

Roge Rodriguez
Roge Rodriguez, 80, died at his home in Mexican town at 3 o'clock this (Thursday) morning. He had been ill for a long time and had not been able to work for several years, but had been seriously ill only three weeks.

Decedent was born in Mexico, but had lived in Texas many years. Survivors include three daughters, all of whom reside here, and two sons. One of the sons resides at Sonora, Texas, and the other in Mexico.

Funeral services were to be held this (Thursday) afternoon at 4 o'clock at St. Joseph's Church. Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

BEES CAPTURE CHURCH

HINDS, New Zealand, May 1—Bees took possession of the church in Hinds recently, and when the congregation arrived for the monthly service they found three swarms of buzzers enjoying life in the pulpit and pews. The service had to be held under the trees in the churchyard.

Having His Fling
"I wish to goodness we could go home, mother, but dad wants to stop for three more dances."
"Yes, dear, your father is a trial isn't he? But after all, one can be old only once."

Gone in a Cloud of Dust
Sign on a farm gate in Ohio: "Peddlers beware! We shoot every tenth peddler. The ninth one just left."

Old Timer Provides Capital Sight



Memories of the colorful schooners that sailed the bounding main at the turn of the century were revived when the Presidente sarmiento above, fast training ship of the Argentine navy, hove to in the Washington, D. C. navy yard. With a record of more than 1,000 sea miles in her 25 years of service, the ship is heading for Europe.

Rain, Hail—

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over a large part of the county, destroying crops and beating in roofs.

Train service was stopped here

Sunday night. The east bound Santa Fe passenger train was held here because several hundred yards of track two miles west of Taipa was washed from the dump and into the ditch. A trestle across Mustang Creek became unsafe for trains. A crew headed

by the general engineer from Temple began repairing the damage early Monday morning and regular service was resumed on the line Tuesday.

The train held at Ballinger Sunday night went to the scene of the washout Monday morning and passengers, express and mail from the west were transferred.

In some places where hail was the worst feed crops were stripped of foliage, small grain was beaten into the ground and much of it washed from the fields. In the area covered by the heavy downpours fields were washed level and cotton will have to be replanted. Many farmers here Monday reported hail and wind damage to insurance companies.

In Ballinger the precipitation amounted to 3.37 inches Sunday evening. Elm Creek was at the highest stage it had been in years at midnight Sunday but fell rapidly because the rains on the upper watershed were light. City officials stated Monday that there was no damage in city park or about the pumping plant. Dirt and gravel streets in the city limits were washed by flood waters. The new drainage line here, practically completed, stood a good test Sunday night when it ran full of water for several hours. Much water was on the downtown streets but none entered store buildings.

Some of the largest hailstones ever seen here fell in Ballinger and many roofs were riddled.

Highway 23 between Benoit and Taipa was damaged but traffic was halted for only a few hours Sunday night while Mustang Creek ran over the highway and bridge. At that point a large amount of asphalt was washed from the

roadbed and will have to be replaced. Maintenance men began removing rocks and trash from the pavement Monday morning preparatory to repairing the breaks.

In the flat between Taipa and Benoit water ran over the Santa Fe tracks for about two miles. Drift along the right-of-way consisted of field crops, tree limbs, and a rocking chair lodged in the center of the tracks. Most of the right-of-way fences were gone and guard fences on the approach to the highway bridge were rolled up by the water.

The Taipa lake was washed out Sunday night when the emergency spillway broke. Stores in the lower part of Taipa had more than a foot of water inside the buildings.

Parties arriving here from Abilene Sunday night were halted by high water and submerged pavement. One man reported driving about five miles on pavement under water.

South Ballinger was a solid pond and highway 30 was under water from the A. J. Voelkel place to the Parr garage.

Damage from high water at Hatchel was almost impossible to estimate Monday but about 200 feet of track on the A. & S. Railway was washed from the roadbed into a ditch at the side and train service between Ballinger and Abilene was stopped until repairs could be made. Stores were flooded with about a foot of water and cross ties, oil barrels and other articles were washed miles away.

Many automobiles were stalled on the highways north and east of Ballinger Sunday night, some having to spend the night out. One woman reported two dogs drowned. The animals were sleeping under the house and the

water trapped them there. Stockmen were unable to figure their losses on sheep which were caught in swollen streams and washed away. Precipitation in and near Hatchel varied from 5 to 7 inches.

RAVEN KILLED ON BRUCE FARM WAS BANDED NEARBY IN 1932

R. W. Bruce recently killed a raven on his farm south of Ballinger which had a band on one leg. He reported the band number to the biological survey, Washington, and this week received a letter stating that the bird was banded by Shaler E. Aldous in this locality on June 5, 1932.

The raven evidently had not strayed far away, being killed at about the same spot where it was banded three years ago.

MR. AND MRS. OTWELL LAYTON TO ATTEND BANKERS' MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Otwell Layton, of Fort Worth, will leave soon for Omaha, Nebraska, to attend a meeting of the National Bankers' Association. They will spend five days in Omaha and then go to Chicago where they will visit five more days.

Mr. Layton will represent the First National Bank of Fort Worth at the national meeting. He is an official of the Fort Worth institution.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton will be remembered as former residents of Ballinger.

O. F. Wilson, employee of the Sam Behringer store, left this week for a two weeks' vacation trip. He will visit a number of points in West Texas before returning home.

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