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The Darby Construction Co. was low bidder on the job to remodel the courthouse...

Miles Man Killed In Wreck Sunday; 3 Others Injured

Billy Norman Stegall, 28, of Miles, was killed instantly early Sunday morning in a three-car collision on Highway 67...

Juveniles Given Court Hearings; Officers Rushed

Law enforcement officers had a busy week-end with a number of arrests and several investigations underway...

Firms Employing Four Must Pay Tax on Payroll

A change in the law will bring about 2,800 more West Texas firms under the Texas Employment Commission program...

Ballinger Jaycees Stage Goat Raffle Raise Polio Funds

The Ballinger Jaycees held their regular meeting Monday at Lowake and staged their annual polio program...

Polio Fund Programs Scheduled This Week

This will be a big week for the March of Dimes with some of the most outstanding programs to be presented...

McAdams Receives Promotion at Bank

John Q. McAdams, Jr., of Houston, has been promoted to the position of active vice-president of the Fannin State Bank...



McAdams is a graduate of the Ballinger High School and for a short time was an employee of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank...

Sheriff's Posse Will be Planned At Meeting Here

Citizens from Miles, Winters and Ballinger will meet tonight in the district court room to discuss plans for organizing a Sheriff's Posse...

Church Council Install Officers; Name Committees

An executive committee meeting of the Ballinger Church of United Church Women was held Monday afternoon...

Rowena Producer For No. 1-Lange; New Norton Pay

A new pay, the Goen lime, has been assured in the Rowena field with completion of the Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 1-Isabella Lange...

Hostess Service Organized Here; Firms Cooperate

A city hostess service has been organized in Ballinger by Mrs. Patricia R. Batts. The service consists of welcoming new families, congratulating the parents of new babies...

Directors Hear Houston Speaker On C of C Work

A small group of local businessmen and members of the chamber of commerce met Thursday to hear Lester Flesner, manager of the Houston branch of the United States Chamber of Commerce...

Special Program For C-C Banquet Makes Fast Sales

Tickets are selling fast for the annual meeting and banquet of the membership of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce to be held February 3...

Moisture is Help For Small Grain In This Section

The recent snow and rain has benefited small grain in this area, and many fields that were believed to be past help are showing up with a fair stand still alive...

Rev. Ivy Now Pastor of Ballinger Church

Rev. John Ivy, formerly of Florence, Texas, has just become pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church at Healdsburg, California. He arrived there with his family on December 18...

Farm Bureau Office Moved to 9th Street

The Runnels County Farm Bureau office is now located in the Ballinger Truck & Tractor Co. building on Ninth Street. The office has been in the building with the Runnels County Implement Co. for a number of years...

Barbara Reynolds State Candidate

Barbara Jean Reynolds, a senior in Ballinger High School, has been chosen by the faculty and members of the 1956 senior class, as Miss Good Citizen of B. H. S. Her name has already been entered in the Daughters of the American Revolution state contest...

BEARCATS LEADING IN DISTRICT 7-AA

The Ballinger Bearcats took undisputed lead in district 7-AA Tuesday night when they defeated the Coleman Bluecats by a score of 62 to 50. It was the first loss for Coleman in the district in two years...



Barbara is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Reynolds and has been very active in all high school activities during the last four years.

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to contribute the two magazines. Other members present were: Meses. E. A. Saunders, Joel Bates, Edgar Boelsche, Homer Daniels, B. W. Claunch, Estes M. Lynn, T. J. McCaughan, Howard Bramley, and Guy White.

First Christian Faith Class Honors Mrs. Longenette

Mrs. J. W. Longenette, who was president of the Faith Class of the Methodist Church, was honored by class members at a party Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. D. B. Crockett on Fifth Street. Co-hosts with Mrs. Crockett were Mrs. Herman Price and Mrs. A. E. Kitchens.

Arrangements of rose pink carnations centered the coffee table. Winter pot plants were used in other entertaining rooms where Mrs. Crockett presided for the business. Mrs. Jarvin Clark led the group in singing the class song, and Mrs. Charles F. Bailey gave the prayer. The Bible lesson, "Treachery to the Kingdom," was given by Mrs. Lynn D. Burkes.

Following the program, gifts from both the class and Christian Women's Fellowship were presented Mrs. Longenette. Mr. and Mrs. Longenette and two sons are moving from Ballinger to San Angelo.

Hostesses served ice cream, cake and coffee.

Other class members present were: Meses. Charles Clifton, M. A. Foy, C. T. Parker, E. L. Rogers, and H. B. Edmondson. Added guests were: Meses. J. R. Lusk, W. B. Halley, R. E. Porter, C. B. Orakoh, John Allbright, R. R. Williams, Misses Lola Eubank and Lula McElroy.

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SOCIETY

Indian, Negro Music Discussed at Shakespeare Club Meeting

"American Music Festival" was the topic discussed at the regular meeting of the Ballinger Shakespeare Club Thursday afternoon in the library club room.

Mrs. John Miller presented the program on "American Indian Music and its Great Importance to American Music," and "American Negro Earliest American Folk Songs." Mrs. Miller gave illustrations of that type of music by playing recordings.

Mrs. J. B. Dankworth, president, conducted the business session at which the resignation of Mrs. J. W. Guynes was accepted. The International program, which was to have been given on March 15, was canceled, and the club voted to

sponsor an art exhibit from the Laguna Gloria Art Gallery, Texas Fine Arts Association, Exhibit C. Mrs. Dorsey Read and Mrs. Fred Harwell will assist Mrs. John McDonald, program chairman, in making arrangements for the exhibit, which will be shown March 1 through 16, the place to be announced later. Students from Ballinger schools will be invited to attend the showing. Mrs. Read, chairman of the library board, announced that a number of new books had been added to the library shelves and urged club members to do more reading. Mrs. John Miller, conservation chairman, suggested that the club subscribe for the magazines "Soil and Water" and "Texas Game and Fish," and place them in the high school library. The club voted

SOCIETY

BALLINGER-BETHEL 4-H CLUB

The girls of the Ballinger-Bethel 4-H club met January 21. Jimbeth Flynt called the meeting to order and Glenda Cook acted as secretary. Norma Ohlhausen was in charge of games.

Jimbeth Flynt, Dixie Wilbanks and Ann Richardson received pins for work done during the past year. Miss Cillie Chenoweth gave a demonstration on the use of yellow vegetables and made sandwiches from carrots. The club welcomed Susan Middleton, Karen Curry, Carolyn Kotriik and Melvena Wright as members.

Other members present were Linda Wright, Margaret Campbell, Deanous Landemann and Mary Etta Bagwell. The next meeting will be on February 10 in the office of Miss Chenoweth.

wishing to attend these classes to be present to discuss new programs and decide what they wish to study on homemaking education. Preceding the discussion, Mrs. Brown will give a demonstration on "How Shall Salads be Prepared," and "The Making of Salad Dressing."

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SOCIETY

Miss Donna Jean Wallis Bride of Lowell Ray Berryhill

Miss Donna Jean Wallis and Lowell Ray Berryhill were married at 7 p. m. Saturday, January 21 in the First Methodist Church, the pastor, Dr. Wayne Reynolds, officiating.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. James Wallis of Dardanelle, Arkansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Berryhill of Ballinger.

The double ring ceremony was read before an all white altar. A large fan shaped arrangement of white gladioli centered the altar where white burning cathedral tapers in single tall holders were at each side. Branded candelabra burning white tapers and tree palms were on either side. Pews were marked with white satin ribbon bows.

The wedding party included Luther Parker, best man; Miss Mary Jo McGuire of Dardanelle, Arkansas, maid of honor; Misses Delphane and Betty Berryhill, sisters of the bridegroom, bridesmaids; John Weeks Earnshaw and Elsworth Herring, groomsmen.

Mrs. Bob Bartlett played organ wedding selections, and accompanied Mrs. Charles Webb who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride's father gave her in marriage. She chose a gown of white tulle and Alencon lace. The lightly molded lace bodice fashioned on long torso lines, was accented with a yoke of tulle with lace insets and a lace

bridegroom.

The maid of honor wore a dress of pink, designed with a lace bodice and a waltz length tulle skirt with a matching tulle stole. Her headdress of tulle matched the dress and her satin shoes were matching pink. She carried a nosegay of split carnations set in loops of pink and silver satin ribbons with long pink ribbon streamers. Bridesmaids wore dresses styled like that of the maid of honor. Miss Delphane Berryhill wore gold net and lace and carried a nosegay of gold carnations. Miss Betty Berryhill wore blue net and lace and carried a nosegay of blue carnations set in loops of silver and blue

ribbons. They wore bandeaus and satin shoes matching their dresses. A reception was held in the church parlors, which were decorated with white gladioli. The bride's table was laid with a white linen cutwork cloth. Crystal candelabra held burning pink tapers garlanded with fern. Centerpiece was a bouquet of pink carnations and candytuft in a crystal epergne. Appointments were in silver and crystal.

Mrs. Cal Adair served the

wedding cake, and Miss Susan Herring presided at the punch service. Mrs. D. W. Turner and Mrs. Myles Nixon assisted in serving. Miss Midge Adair registered guests in the bride's book. For a wedding trip to Cloudcroft and Carlsbad, New Mexico, the bride wore an avocado wool suit with beige accessories. She wore a small hat of beige velvet leaves that was jeweled. Her corsage was the orchid from the bridal bouquet.

Following the wedding trip,

the couple will be at home in Alpine. The bride is a sophomore at Sul Ross College, Alpine. She is a graduate of Mount St. Mary's Academy at Little Rock, Arkansas. The bridegroom graduated from Ballinger High School, and is now a senior at Sul Ross. They will both continue their studies at Sul Ross College, Alpine.

JUNCTION WINNER OF FIRST-AID MEET
A first aid team from boy

scout troop at Junction took first aid honors at the Tri-Rivers District held at Eden Monday night. A Junction team also took first place in the explorer contest. Second places went to scouts from Eden and explorers from Bronte.

The purpose of the meet is to increase the knowledge and skill in first aid of as many scouts and explorers as possible so they will be prepared to render skilled and effective aid in emergencies at home, school

or in the community. Each group was given four problems and graded on how they handled it as a team.

The meeting was followed by a meeting of the district committee where plans were made for the 46th anniversary of scouting in America. Other events planned are: An explorer marksmanship meet in March, A district exposition in April, Camporee in May, Summer camp in June and swim meet in July.

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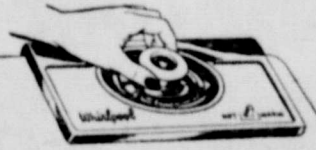


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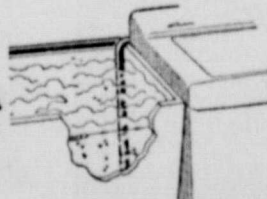
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BELL'S

SOCIETY

Beta Sigma Phi Chapter Studies "Printed Word and Your Life"
Mrs. Jack Moore was hostess to members of Omicron Psi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi society Monday evening, entertaining in her home on Sargent Avenue.

Members repeated the opening ritual in unison. Mrs. E. Y. Bailey, president conducted the business, at which time the chapter voted to contribute \$5 to the March of Dimes campaign.

Mrs. B. J. Williams presented the program, "The Printed Word and Your Life," and showed pictures as an illustration of drama. She also discussed prose and poetry.

The meeting ended with the closing ritual.

The hostess served cheese roll and cake with coffee. Others present were—Mmes. H. B. Edmondson, Clarence Wiedenfeld, John E. Green, Jr., Dick Owens, Charles Webb, Foy Farmer, J. D. Renaud, John King, Veima Lee; Misses Betty Middleton and Doris Queen.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. E. Y. Bailey on February 13.

Miss Gideon, James H. Black to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gideon of Winters have announced the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Ann Gideon, to James Harold Black of Ballinger. Mr.

Black is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Black Sr of Ballinger.

Miss Gideon is a 1953 graduate of Winters High School and is employed at Winters State Bank. Her fiancé operates a service station in Ballinger.

Banquet Served G. A. Girls

The Seventh Street Baptist Church honored their G. A. girls with a daddy and daughter banquet Friday night.

The banquet room was decorated in G. A. colors of gold, white and green. The tables were in white with tall yellow candles set in low holders and green streamers running from each candle. Silver stars were added as table decorations. A silver star decorated the corner of each napkin.

After the dinner the girls presented the program of song and scripture and Rev. O. D. Carpenter brought a short meditation.

Present were: Curtis Jones and Barbara, Roy Forbus and Pamela, Mr. Gamble and Wanda, Jimmie Wilson and Beverley, Oscar Parker, Mildred and Linda, J. D. Kelly and Elaine, O. D. Clark, Cecelia and Dolores, Cestia Kilgough and Charlene, Mr. DeLay and Joy Neil, H. T. Montgomery and Dortha, Glenn Green, Joan and Janice, O. D. Carpenter, Mary and Diane. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Liso, Mrs. DeLay, Mrs. O. D. Carpenter and Mrs. H. T. Montgomery.

Runnels County 4-H Club News

Ollie Chenoweth
C. T. Parker
Jim Harralson

Runnels County 4-H club boys made a good showing in the annual livestock show held here on January 14. There were 51 club members with 136 animals entered in the show this year. The group showed a number of grand champions and reserve champions in the various classes.

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Red
Harvey Eggemeyer 3, Leroy Hoelscher 2, Mack Wood 2, Larry Wilde 1, James Halfmann 1, John Middleton 1, Jerome Smithwick 1, Stanley Book 1, Lindy Mason 1.
White
Richard Busenlehner 1, Leroy Hoelscher 1, Benedict Hoelscher 1, Larry Wilde 1, James Halfmann 1.
Ribbon winners in the medium wool lamb division were:
Blue
Hugh Edmondson 3, Kenneth Wendland 3, Stanley Book 2, Stacy Granzin 1, Harvey Eggemeyer 2, Joseph Busenlehner Jr. 2, Clyde Halfmann 2, Gordon Hays 2, Larry Wilde 2.
Red
Joseph Busenlehner Jr. 1.
White
Charles Williams 1, Lindy Mason 1, Stanley Book 1, Jerome Smithwick 1, Gary Weatherby 2, Stacy Granzin 2.
In the Rambouillet ewe lamb division, Mike Tounget of Miles placed 2nd, 4th and 5th and Hugh Edmondson of Ballinger placed 6th and 7th. Edmondson also took 3rd and 4th places with his Rambouillet rams.
In the swine show, James Fuchs showed the grand champion boar and Clifford Frey took first place with his fat hog trio and Lawrence Halfmann showed the 4th place trio.
Ribbon winners in the light swine division were:
Blue
Wilbourn Frey 1, James Fuchs 2.
Red
Clifford Frey 3.
White
James Fuchs 1, Clifford Frey 1.
Ribbon winners in the heavy fat hog division were:
Blue
Lawrence Halfmann Jr. 1.
Red
Kenneth Eggemeyer 1, Allan James Haechten 1.
White
Emmett Eggemeyer 1.
In the light breeding hog class, Clifford Frey of Olfen placed 4th. In the heavy breeding hog class, Charles Ben Lee of Norton had the reserve champion gilt and also first place with a heavy gilt. Emmett Eggemeyer took 4th and 6th places. Others showing light and heavy gilts were: Kenneth Eggemeyer, Charles Halfmann, Patrick Halfmann, James Fuchs, Wilbert Halfmann. These were judged from places 1 through 8.
Jerry Smith of the Ballinger club showed the grand champion capon. Ribbon winners were:
Blue
Truett Bryan 5, Jerry Smith 1.
Red
Truett Bryan 4, Bernard Halfmann 1.
White
Truett Bryan 1, Bernard Halfmann 1.

Truett Bryan also showed the second place trio.
In the rabbit division, Clifford Watkins, Ballinger club, had the champion doe and Valton Hoffman the reserve champion. Other winners were: Clifford Watkins 4th, Clyde Halfmann 5th, Valton Hoffman 6th. Valton Hoffman had the reserve champion buck and the third place doe and litter.
The St. Joseph's senior girls' 4-H club met on January 16 at the parish hall. The highlight of the regular meeting was a demonstration by Miss Ollie Chenoweth in preparing peanut butter and carrot sandwich spread.
Hawaii's highest peak, Mauna Kea, rises to 13,794 feet.
Schmiedekamp, gave a report of the 4-H club dance which was held on January 10. Sister Mary Lucia was a visitor.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Canady Mark 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Canady, residents of Ballinger since 1934, observed their 50th wedding anniversary with a tea Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m. in their home on Tenth Street. Their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Truitt of Fort Worth were hosts at the affair at which 140 friends of the honored couple were included.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt assisted Mr. and Mrs. Canady in receiving in the hall, where a large white burning candle, with a gold "50" standing before it nestled among gold magnolia leaves on a table.

Miss Judy Truitt, a granddaughter, registered guests at the registry where a gold ceramic bell vase held white carnations and staties by the wedding picture of the couple.

Other floral arrangements in the living room were white and

gold gladioli combined with acacia in fan shape on the bookcase before a large mirror, and gold chrysanthemums in a gold container.

The centerpiece for the dining table, laid with a white felt cloth edged with gold and white fringe, was a gold styrofoam wedding bell made with narrow arched panels and topped with a gold ribbon. White carnations and gold sprayed fern formed a bouquet in the bell. Gold ribbon runners traced the length from the top of the bell to the large gold "50" at the corner of the table. At opposite ends of the table were the all white four-tiered wedding cake decorated with gold roses, and the silver service. White tapers burning in triple crystal holders completed the table decoration. White napkins designed with gold bells were embossed with the dates 1906-1956, and their names, "Lizzie"

and Parrish," in gold.

Presiding at the silver service and serving cake were Mrs. Murray Canady of Seguin, and Mrs. R. H. Canady of Midland, daughters-in-law of the couple. Mrs. W. H. Barnes of Cleburne, sister of the honoree, and Mrs. J. L. Pickens of Lometa, a sister of Mr. Canady.

Others in the house party were the couple's sons, Murray Canady and R. H. Canady, Mmes. Foy Farmer, George Schruggs, H. H. Hamner, A. O. Bartlett, and Frank Kemp. The entire house party wore carnation corsages tied with gold ribbons.

Judy and Danny Truitt.

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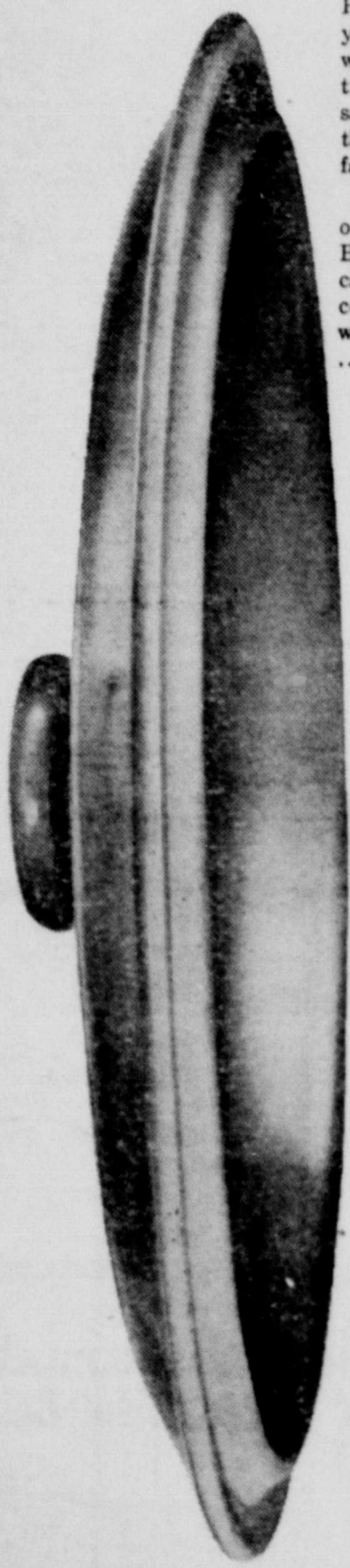
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GROUND BEEF CASSEROLE

1½ pounds ground beef • 1½ teaspoons salt • ¼ teaspoon pepper • 1 cup chopped onion • 1 tablespoon oil • 1 No. 2½ can of tomatoes • 1½ cups uncooked rice • 4 cups water • 1½ teaspoons salt • 3 green peppers, halved and cleaned • 3 large or 6 small onions, fresh cooked or canned, OR 1 package, or can, mixed vegetables, or whole kernel corn drained • ¼ pound sharp Cheddar cheese, grated.

Mix together beef, salt and pepper. Fry onions in oil until golden. Stir in beef, lightly brown. Add tomatoes. Set aside. Place rice, water and salt in casserole. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) for 35 minutes. Set green peppers down in rice. Place onion or mixed vegetables inside green peppers with cheese. Pour meat mixture over all; cover and return to oven. Bake 20 to 30 minutes longer.

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- Rice** Short Grain, Show Boat 2-Lb. Cello 25¢

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- Red Pepper** Ground, Crown Colony 1½-Oz. Can 17¢

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Try different combinations...

- Onion Salt** Or Garlic Salt, Crown Colony 2¼-Oz. Can 17¢
- Bay Leaves** Crown Colony ½-Oz. Box 11¢
- Shrimp Spice** And Crab Boil, Crown Colony 2-Oz. Box 16¢
- Cheese Spread** Van Zee 2-Lb. Box 73¢
- Cheese Whiz** Kraft 8-Oz. Jar 31¢
- Sharp Cheese** Cracker Barrel 8-Oz. Pkg. 43¢

Here's a hint that will save you kitchen-time...

Casserole Meals may be prepared ahead of time and frozen... either right in the casserole or in metal, plastic, or glass ovenware containers. Cover casserole with aluminum foil, cellophane or freezer paper. Seal with freezer tape. Thaw in refrigerator. Reheat slowly, starting with cold oven.

Keep these on your pantry shelf...

- Grated Cheese** Kraft, American 2½-Oz. Pkg. 19¢
- Parmesan Cheese** Kraft Pkg. 1½-Oz. 18¢
- White Eggs** Large A, Breakfast Gems Dos. 64¢
- Buttermilk** Lucerne ½-Gal. Ctn. 43¢
- Sweet Milk** Lucerne, Homo ½-Gal. Ctn. 45¢
- Vegetables** Mixed, Bel-Air, Frozen 10-Oz. Pkg. 19¢
- Peas & Carrots** Bel-Air, Frozen 10-Oz. Pkg. 17¢
- Shrimp Creole** Frozen, Golden Shore 2-Lb. Pkg. 133¢
- Cream of Shrimp** Frozen Soup, 10-Oz. Can 34¢
- Ocean Perch** Cod, Haddock, Capt. Choice 3 16-Oz. Pkg. 100¢
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- Jowls** Dry Salt Lb. 13¢
- Bologna** Jumbo, Sliced 16-Oz. Pkg. 39¢
- Salami** Large 8-Oz. Pkg. 29¢
- Canned Picnics** 4½-Lb. Can 27¢

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- Yellow Onions** For Soups and Stews Lb. 5¢
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DEATHS

Hugh Claberon Harris
Hugh Claberon Harris, 60, died at his home at the Federal housing project at 11:50 p. m. Monday. He had been ill for the past year.

Decedent was born February 10, 1895 at Georgetown and moved to Runnels County from San Saba in 1930. He was keeper at the City Park for a number of years before he became ill. He was married to Bernice Brown on December 24, 1938.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Newby-Davis Funeral Chapel with W. J. Leach and Buster Mullin officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors are his wife, two step-sons, John E. Campbell, Austin; Calvin B. Campbell, Abilene; two step daughters, Mrs. Fern Terrell and Mrs. Sterling Jameson, San Angelo; three half brothers, Eli Solsberry, Oklahoma City; G. A. Solsberry and L. W. Solsberry, Richland Springs; six sisters, Mrs. Jack Cavanaugh and Mrs. J. P. Burnett, Ballinger; Mrs. C. T. Russell, San Antonio; Mrs. Emily Snow, Muleshoe; Mrs. J. D. Hagar, Bangs; Mrs. Eva Shugart, Austin; and 11 grandchildren.

Mrs. Sudie Strickland

Mrs. Sudie Strickland, 70, a former resident of Ballinger, died at 6:10 a. m. Saturday at the home of a son, Elbert M. Strickland, in Lubbock. She had been in ill health for the past two years.

Decedent was born October 18, 1885 in Sulphur Springs and had lived in Ballinger for about 20 years before moving to Lubbock.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Monday at the Newby-Davis Funeral Chapel with Rev. George R. Harrington of San Angelo officiating. Burial was in the Runnels cemetery under the direction of Newby-Davis Funeral Home.

Survivors are three sons, Elbert M. Strickland, Lubbock; Alvin Strickland, Abilene; Ardis Strickland, Ballinger; one daughter, Mrs. Edna Holland, Chester Oklahoma; and 14 grandchildren.

C. C. Mosier

Carl C. Mosier, 56, died at 4:00 p. m. Wednesday in the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital after a long illness.

Decedent was a farmer of the Norton community and was active in church and civic affairs in that community. He was born December 19, 1899, and came to Runnels County from Comanche after living there for 25 years. He was married to Ruby Eckert at San Angelo on December 18, 1924. She died in 1945.

Funeral services were held at 3:00 p. m. today at the Newby-Davis Funeral Chapel with Rev. Doug Crow, pastor of Norton Baptist Church, officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors are a son, Larry Mosier, student at Texas University, Austin; a daughter, Mrs. L. M. Carter, Norton; a brother, Rubin Mosier, Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Henry Psenick, Ballinger; Mrs. V. A. Kirby, Eden and one grandchild.

Card of Thanks

Through our sorrow we have learned more fully the true meaning of friends and to each of you who helped in any way during the illness and at the death of our loved one, Ira Brannon, we wish to express our sincerest appreciation.

To Dr. McCreight, the nurses at the hospital and the men who helped care for him at night, to Mr. Afferbach for his sympathetic understanding and to all who expressed words of sympathy and condolence, we are deeply grateful and wish each of you to take this as a personal message of our thanks.

The beautiful floral offering and the food that was brought and served helped so much at a time when we needed your friendship most. May we be as comforting to you in your time of sorrow as you have been to us, is the wish of Mrs. Ira Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Heldenheimer, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hutchins.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to those who were so kind to us in our recent sorrow. We especially thank those who prepared food, for the beautiful flowers and the kind expressions of sympathy. We also want to thank Dr. Downing, Mrs. John Albright, Mrs. Marvin Phillips, Mrs. B. H. Erwin and the entire staff at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital and all the ministers for their kindness and services. May God bless each of you.

The family of
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WEST TEXAS NOTES

Just 4 more days left in which to secure your poll tax receipt. If you expect to take part in the important elections in 1956, visit the tax collector's office before Tuesday night.

The annual meeting and banquet for the chamber of commerce will be held February 3. This year an excellent program has been arranged which will present one of the best after-dinner speakers in the state. There will be very little business and the program is planned to not take up much time, allowing people to get home early. The menu will be good, and the junior school cafeteria offers an excellent place for holding the banquet. Only 300 tickets will be issued and when these are gone there will be no more. If you have not already bought tickets, call the chamber of commerce office and have plates reserved.

Many compliments have been heard on the annual livestock show held here on January 14. The facilities at Bruce Field made it possible to take care of all animals in the big hangar and also to provide room for a judging ring with seats for those who wished to watch. A number of livestock people of the area have expressed the hope that arrangements can be made to hold the show there each year. It is only a short distance from town with a good paved road all the way. Around the hangar is a large amount of pavement which provides space for loading and unloading and in addition there is plenty of parking space for exhibitors and visitors.

There is still time to contribute to the annual March of Dimes. Workers have been busy most of the month staging various kinds of programs with all the funds going to this cause. The annual dance Saturday night and the Mothers' March Tuesday are yet to come, and all local people will have an opportunity to give to one of the most worthy causes sponsored locally. Before polio is stamped out there is still much to be done. Research must go on until a vaccine is ready to make all children safe against this crippling disease. Then, there are thousands who still suffer from the awful paralyzing effects of polio and who must have the best of care if they ever learn to use their legs and arms again. The money given to the March of Dimes is used for these patients, and each one is given the best in hospital care that is known to this time. The overhead is light in the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis and practically all of every contribution goes to research or patient care. The Runnels County chapter will keep a part of all funds collected locally, and it will be used in caring for boys and girls of this county who need help.

Petitions are being circulated at this time asking that the commissioners' court of Runnels County call another road

The Painted Bluffs at Paint Rock will again be open to the public Sunday afternoon. The special conducted tour of the Painted Bluff is being sponsored by the March of Dimes committee in Concho County and all money collected for admissions will go to that cause. O. L. Sims, Archaeologist, will be on hand Sunday afternoon and will give a lecture on the bluff and tell the meaning of the symbols. Gates leading to the bluff will be open from 1:30 p. m. to 5 p. m. Sunday and admission will be \$1 per car.

Citizens at Melvin will take part in the "Pint a Year" club being formed to secure blood for the Red Cross bloodmobile unit. An effort is being made to sign up enough to secure 70 pints on each visit of the unit and this will insure free blood for hospital units in the county. The next visit of the mobile unit will be on March 1 and 2 and all persons are expected to sign by that time.

Enrollment in schools at Menard has increased since the opening in September until one new teacher was added to start the second semester. School officials stated that the increase since September 5 amounted to 65 students. Only one teacher was used in the fourth grade for the first semester but a second teacher was added to help with that grade for the remainder of the school year. Mrs. William A. Nauwald was hired by the board to teach in the elementary school.

Following publication of announcement of proposed salary increases for several county officials in Concho County, petitions were filed with the court protesting the raises. As a result Judge Carl Peek stated that no salaries were raised. The proposal was to hike the salary of county commissioners, who draw \$2,812 each and have a travel expense account of \$900 per year. The petitions also asked the court to consider salary reductions instead of raises.

A civil suit has been filed against Alex Rodgers and the City of Eden in which \$27,569 are sought in damages. The plaintiffs are Dr. Rex R. Conyers and his wife, Barbara Conyers. The suit covers an accident which occurred on January 29, 1954 at Eden. It was tried once in justice court and is now filed in federal court at San Angelo. In the petition the Plaintiff asks for \$1,268 in medical costs, loss of clothing valued at \$62.45, physical and mental damage to wife, \$15,000 and loss of time and physical damage to self, \$10,000.

Citizens and Brady and McCulloch County are holding meetings to decide if a Centennial celebration will be held this year. It will be the 100th birthday anniversary for the county and in addition will be the 50th birthday anniversary

bond election. The petitions seek an election to authorize \$275,000 in bonds which could be used in road district No. 3 of Runnels County to purchase right-of-way to meet proposed highway construction needs. Money allocated for work in this county is still available and two of the major jobs could be started within a short time after right-of-way was provided.

Directors of the Upper Colorado River Authority held their annual meeting at Bronte last week and waded through a large number of business items. All officers were reelected by the directors. They heard a report on the proposed Yellow Wolf Creek dam which set the cost of that project at about \$400,000. They authorized a meeting with farmers of the area in regard to forming an irrigation district and setting cost for water. They instructed their attorney to draw up papers to be presented to the state water board renewing permits for Colorado River rights.

Roger Gideon was named president of the Stephenville community chest at a meeting held last week. He was instructed to notify each participating organization that their funds were ready and would be paid when an itemized statement was presented for the money. Stephenville has operated a chest for several years and have made one big drive cover about a dozen of the organizations which depend upon contributions from the public. The operation of the chest has been successful with the quota reached each year.

Members of the senior class of the Miles High School staged a pancake supper last Saturday. A dining hall and kitchen was opened in a downtown business house and pancakes with butter, syrup and bacon was served from 11 a. m. until 6 p. m. During the afternoon the class presented entertainment and this kept a steady business for the entire day. The class is raising money for their annual trip and other activities of graduation week.

Plans are being made for the

annual football banquet for the Comanche Indians. The affair will be held on Monday, February 13 and Sam Baugh, head coach at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, will be the main speaker. Baugh, the ex-Texas Christian University and Washington Redskins great, will present the entire program. The affair is being sponsored by the chamber of commerce, Lions Club and Jaycees. Tickets are being offered to all fans at \$1.50 each.

John D. Allen, divisional manager of the Southwestern States Telephone Co., has announced additional work to be done at Winters. A new building is now under construction which will house the dial equipment to be installed there. In addition, a 400 pair lead covered cable will be part of the outside improvement of the system. He stated that the company will bring a more modern and complete phone service to Winters. New cables will cover a big part of the town and will provide service to all areas there.

Coleman buyers paid a total of \$9,572 for calves, lambs, swine and capons at the close of the annual Coleman County Livestock Show last week. A number of animals were placed in the auction sale at the close of the show and all brought a good price. Calves brought from 25 to 26 cents and were sold to Swift & Co. for 20 cents by the buyers. Lambs brought an average of 28 cents and hogs sold at from 17 to 18 cents. Top animals in the show were not included in the sale and will be shown in other exhibits in the state later.

Every man buried in Boothill Cemetery, Tabasco, Texas, died with his boots on.

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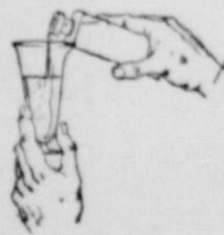
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Also on this program is "The Cimarron Kid," in Technicolor, starring Audie Murphy.

Audie Murphy's biography of his World War II combat experiences, "To Hell and Back," is dramatically brought to the

screen as a powerful and heart-warming tribute to the youngster who won the plaudits of the allied world when he emerged from World War II as its most decorated hero.

The new Audie Murphy starring film, opens tonight at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre and runs through Saturday. Added for Saturday night is "Bronco Buster," filmed in color and starring John Lund and Scott Brady.

Two features will be run on Tuesday and Wednesday nights of next week. Admission is 50c per carload.

J. Scott Smart is the leading actor in "The Fat Man," and "Cave of the Outlaws" features Macdonald Carey and Alexis Smith. The latter picture is in Technicolor.

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Michael Whalen, a professor who specializes in marine science, creates an underwater atomic light and a mutant which guards it. The creature is responsible for the deaths of several persons and the case is investigated by Kent Taylor, a radiation authority, and Rodney Bell, of the defense department. Realizing his guilt, Whalen ultimately destroys the monster, the light and himself by means of a time bomb.

At the Texas . . .

That Alfred G. and Elma Milotte required no less than three years in the African plains country, and the cooperation of at least a half-dozen African Governmental game and park authorities, is immediately apparent on seeing "The African Lion," at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. This latest of the feature length True-life Adventure series is beautiful pictorially, intensely interesting and highly informative.

Audiences at the Texas Theatre Wednesday only, February 1, will be swept into the Cinderella land of present-day, oil-rich Texas and treated to a moving story of both the courage and the fool-hardiness of an amazing woman, as "Lucy Gallant," Paramount's spectacular tale of an oil-rich Texas boomtown roars across the screen.

With Jane Wyman and Charlton Heston starred, "Lucy Gallant" is the lusty drama of a woman ruled by a passion for success.

Ougo Naas, a man of many talents, has scored another success in "Hold Back Tomorrow," a Universal-International release at the Texas Theatre Friday and Saturday, starring John Agar and Cleo Moore.

Naas wrote, directed and produced the unusual romantic drama, a poignant story of a condemned murderer who falls in love with an easy-virtued woman on the night before his execution.

John Agar as the condemned man gives a strong, convincing performance. His portrayal calls for a complete change of character as the film progresses, and he carries it off with delicate shadings that add up to a polished performance.

Cleo Moore is tops as the woman who is brought to Agar in his cell on his last night and changes both his life and her own. She is both beautiful and talented.

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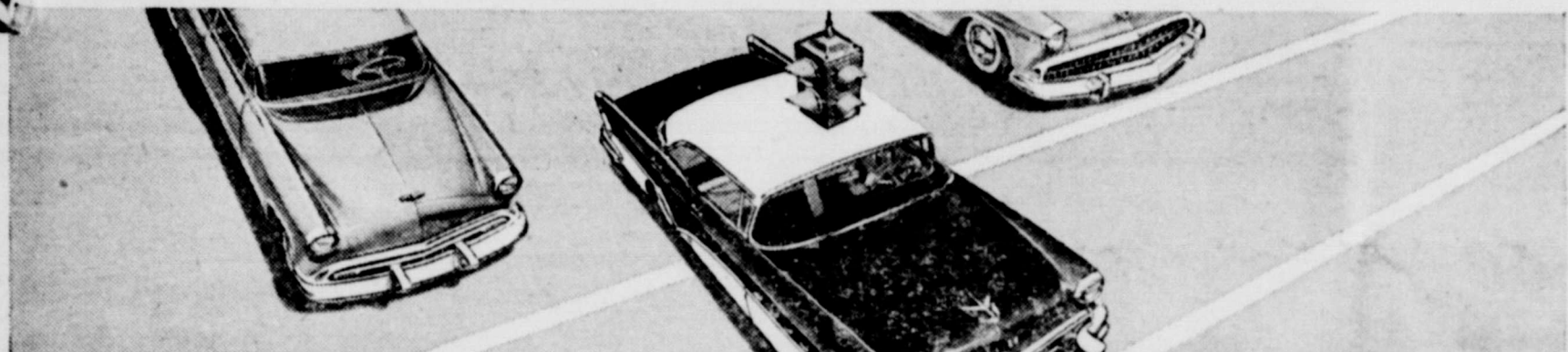
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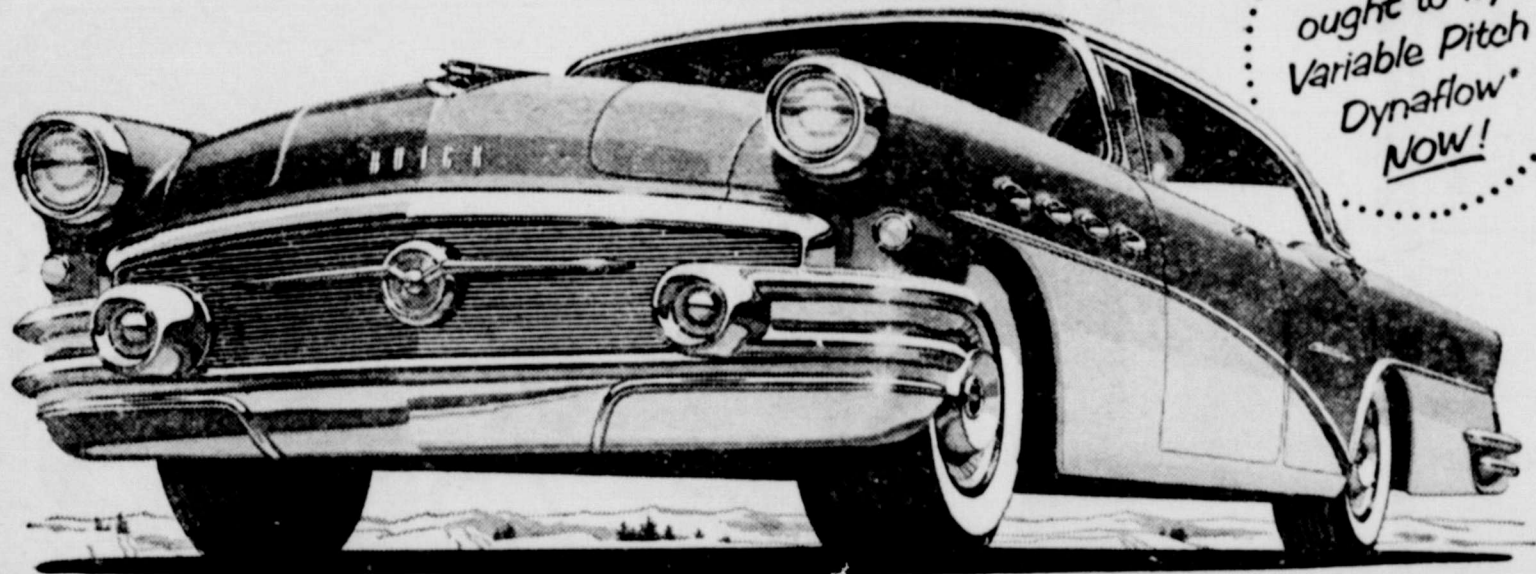
LUSTY IS THE WORD FOR LUCY GALLANT
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John Ericson ably carries on the family tradition set by Mark Stevens in an earlier picture in "The Return of Jack Slade," which plays at the Texas Theatre with Mari Blanchard and Neville Brand as his co-stars Friday and Saturday.

Slade, the father, was a gun-sliding agent for the Wells Fargo company, a phenomenal marksman and sudden death to any outlaw within miles of Julesburg, Colorado. In this new Superscope film, young Slade also becomes an agent for the law, working with the Pinkertons to stamp out a murderous band of bank and train robbers who break tradition by having a group of tough young women working as accomplices. Miss Blanchard is cast as one of those women.



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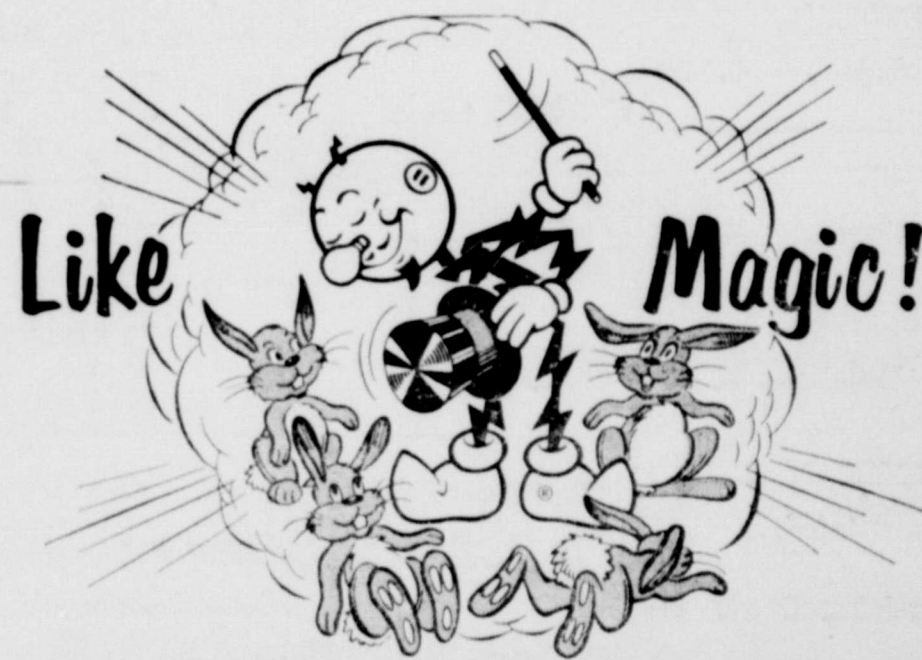
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TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION HOLDS QUARTERLY MEETING

The Regular quarterly meeting of the board of directors and officers of the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association was held Thursday night at the Acapulco Cafe.

Rev. Felix Keys, Jr., president of the organization, spoke the invocation. Following the dinner menu, he was in charge of the business. Alvin E. Holbrook, treasurer, gave the association's financial report, which showed a balance on hand January 19 of \$2,341.87. He reported that X-ray case finding, office expense, seal sale expenses and other items had been paid. The Christmas Seal sales amounted to \$1,729.87. Outstanding accounts payable is 18% of 1955-56 seal sales, which at this time would be around \$300. It was announced that the seal sale was about \$700 less this year than last year.

The chest X-ray mobile unit was discussed, and Homer Hudgins of Winters was named chairman of that project when it will be available to procure the unit in the county.

It was announced that the committee had not named an executive secretary to take the place made vacant by Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, who had moved from Ballinger, and that it would be several months before a secretary would be named.

The resignation of Mrs. E. H. Voelkel as recording secretary was accepted. Mrs. W. I. Dixon

of Winters acted as recording secretary.

Dr. John E. Green, Jr., a director, gave a report on the quarterly state meeting, held in Austin in November, and made announcement that the next meeting would be held on April 6 and 7 in Midland. Dr. Green was appointed by the president to serve as state director in 1956, and Dr. L. L. Downing was named alternate.

The election of officers for the coming year will be held at the next regular meeting, the third Thursday in March, which will be an open meeting. The president named the following to serve on a nominating committee: W. H. Rampy, chairman; and Walter Eggemeyer, Olfen, R. W. Balke, Winters, Joe Simmons, Miles, Ralph Kettler, Rowena, Mrs. Roy Roper, Norton, Mrs. Marion Wood, Crews, and Mrs. Raymond Lindsey, Wingate.

Dr. Downing, program chairman, showed an interesting movie film, "146,000 Will Live."

Others attending the meeting were: Joe Guevera, representative from the Latin-American Tuberculosis Association; Homer Hudgins, Elzie Cox, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Balke, all of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simmons of Miles; Mrs. W. A. Schuhmann, Mrs. John Schuhmann and Mrs. Ralph Kettler, all of Rowena; Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Downing, Jr. and Mrs. John E. Green, Jr., Judge and Mrs. W. H. Rampy, and Mrs. Sim Cottle.

CREWS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. W. H. Pape was hostess to the Crews Home Demonstration Club in her home on Friday of last week. The president, Mrs. Fuller, presided at the meeting and after club singing the prayer was read in unison.

Mrs. E. W. Bridwell gave a very interesting and complete report of the council meeting. Mrs. Fuller read the club recommendations which were discussed and then accepted by a vote. Committees were appointed as follows:

Finance and safety—Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. Wood

Yearbook—Mrs. Walter Schwartz

Mrs. Bridwell and Mrs. Hale are to attend the meeting in Ballinger on January 27, when the discussion will be "Jury Duty."

Mrs. P. R. Dietz and Mrs. Owen Bragg will attend the program on "Eat and Grow Slim."

The club voted to send cookies next Thanksgiving to the Abilene home.

Community interests were discussed and will be given a definite decision at the next club meeting. Refreshments were served to eight club members.

The next club meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Melvin Bridwell on February 3.

SCOUT COMMITTEE MEETING AT EDEN

The district scout committee met Monday evening at Eden following the first aid contests held for scouts and explorers.

On February 7 the committee will meet with the operating committee for a dinner at the Sonora High School. The March meeting will be held in Ballinger with a dinner starting at 7:30 p. m.

Attending from Ballinger were John Purifoy, Foy Farmer, Jerry Hampton, H. M. Dooser, Carl Murman, W. W. Hoffman, Alvin Holbrook and O. K. Reynolds.

JAYCEES ANNOUNCE SPECIAL MEETING

The Ballinger Jaycees will have a special meeting at noon on Thursday, February 2, at which time Ed Stumpf, state president of Houston will be present. All members will be

urged to attend this meeting at which time the state president will be the principal speaker.

On February 4 and 5, a delegation from the local club will go to Midland to attend the winter tri-region meeting. David Batts, local president, stated that a strong delegation would be taken to the Midland meeting, which will be attended by the state president.

HARMAN ANNOUNCES FOR COUNTY OFFICE TO THE PEOPLE OF RUNNELS COUNTY, PRECINCT NO. 3

Dear Friends:

This is election year, and I am announcing now that I will be a candidate for re-election as your Commissioner. It has been a real pleasure to have the opportunity to serve you in the past and I here and now pledge you, that if I am re-elected, I will continue to serve you to the best of my ability. I believe that the experience I have gained through the past years will be helpful to me in rendering the service that you are entitled to your confidence, co-operation and support in the work of the Precinct which has been done, and with your con-

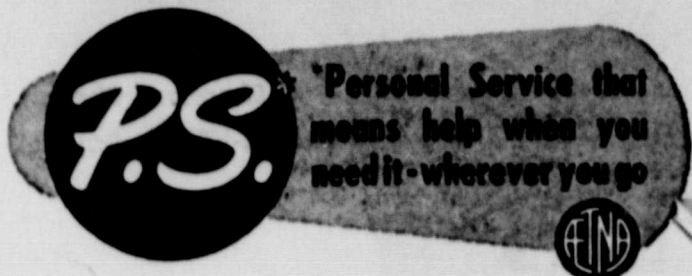
tinued co-operation, I feel that I can serve you better in the future.

I want you to know that regardless of who is elected commissioner, my first and foremost concern is the welfare of the people of the Precinct. I appreciate very much the privilege of serving you thus far, and will be grateful for your

support and influence in the coming election. My only promise is to do the very best that can be done for the people of the precinct and the County, and to everyone of you before election.

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Brussel Sprouts	8-Oz. Pkg.	27¢	Swift'ning Shortening	3-Lb. Can	73¢
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SOCIETY

Methodist W.S.C.S. Circles Meet for Program Study

At regular circle meetings of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, held Monday afternoon in homes, the study, "The Changeless Gospel in a Revolutionary World," was the topic for both the lesson and devotion.

Mrs. Price Middleton and Mrs. O. L. Daniel were hostesses to the Sally Odom Circle in the Middleton home on Hamilton Avenue. Mrs. D. L. Vestal, chairman, conducted the business after Mrs. A. O. Strother gave the opening prayer. Mrs. E. L. Rampey brought the devotional and Mrs. R. D. Midgley gave the lesson.

At the social hour, cake was served with coffee and punch to those previously mentioned and to: Mmes. Oliver Cochran, Troy Simpson, John Loveless, J. L. Davis, Hamp Byler, Guy T. White, and to a visitor, Mrs. J. H. Goss of Abilene.

Mrs. Tom Agnew was hostess to members of the Ida Campbell Circle in her home in Wilke Terrace Mrs. Agnew, chairman, was in charge of the business. Mrs. Sam Behringer gave the devotional, and the lesson was presented by Mrs. Marion Hays.

At the social hour, cake and coffee was served to: Mmes. Hatton Laxson, Behringer, Sid Caskey, George M. Beard, J. W.

Harr, Henry Moody, Hays and Jack Nixon.

Mrs. Tom Caudle entertained members of the Ettie Grasset Circle in her home on Fifth Street. Mrs. C. P. Shepherd, chairman, directed the business. Mrs. O. R. O'Neill brought the devotional and Mrs. Job Crockett gave the lesson.

Pie was served with fruit juice to: Mmes. W. E. Midgley, C. I. Stone, Grady Richards, A. J. H. Borders, Tom Crockett, R. A. Dickinson, Shepherd, O'Neill, Bob Crockett, R. A. Dickinson and Bill Witter. Mrs. R. Lowe and Mrs. Carlton of Norton were visitors.

Presbyterian Women of Church Study "Forward in Family Life"

Mrs. Alex McGregor was leader at the general meeting of the Women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church, U.S., which was held Monday afternoon in the church parlors on Broadway.

The study, "Forward in Family Life," was presented by Mrs. McGregor, and she was assisted by Mmes. B. W. Woody, E. W. Stasney, W. B. Woody, Estes M. Lynn, Bill Stultz and Harry Lynn. Mrs. Ida Guion, pianist, played the accompaniments for the hymns sang by the group.

Mrs. Stultz, newly elected president, was in charge of the business. Other new officers

are: Mrs. Alex McGregor, vice-president; Mrs. Harry Lynn, secretary; Mrs. E. A. Saunders, treasurer; Mrs. Paul Trimmer, historian; Mrs. Clauch, spiritual growth; Mrs. Woody world missions; Mrs. Joel Bates, church extension; Mrs. E. W. Stasney, Christian education; Mrs. Felix Keys, annuities and relief; Mrs. E. S. Malone, stewardship; Mrs. R. E. Hall, general fund agencies; Mrs. N. B. Creasy, orphans' needs; Mrs. E. M. Lynn, social chairman; Mrs. Orland Middleton, Mrs. Q. V. Miller, circle chairmen; Mrs. Warren Lynn, chairman of the Home Circle; Mrs. John Purifoy, chairman of the Evening Circle.

Social hostesses were Mrs. Q. V. Miller and Mrs. Harry Lynn. They served cherry pie and coffee. Red berries and greenery decorated the parlors.

Mrs. R. E. Porter was an added guest.

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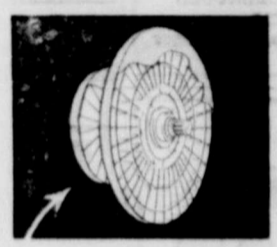
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HOSPITAL NOTES
Patients dismissed from the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week were:
Frank Haverland, Miles, medical, Friday
Mrs. D. R. Johnson and daughter, Friday
Mrs. Sarah Steele, Norton, medical, Wednesday
Mrs. Berta Spooner, medical, Monday
J. Rites Yarnell, medical, Thursday
Rodney Flanagan, medical, Thursday
Mrs. N. E. Moeller, Rowena, medical, Thursday
Mrs. John Reese, medical, Friday
Ronald Jones, Millersview, medical, Friday
Mrs. Frank Haverland, Miles, medical, Friday
Emilio Sebilla, Rowena, medical, Friday
Edgar Stone, surgical, Monday
Mrs. B. J. Gully, medical, Tuesday
E. B. Blackburn, medical, Tuesday
Wayne Wood, medical, Sunday
Births reported the past week were:
Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Garcia, a son, born January 20
Mr. and Mrs. John Soto, a son, born January 20
Mr. and Mrs. Joe White, Eola, a daughter, born January 21
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jansa, a daughter, born January 24
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Garcia, a daughter, born January 24
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Foreman, a son, born January 25
Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Parsons, Talpa, a son, born January 25
Patients in the hospital at this time are:
Mrs. D. E. Moody, medical
Homer E. Johnson, Winters, surgical
Mrs. J. E. Arthur, medical
Mrs. H. Clark, medical
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to Sam Mathis, whose birthday was January 20; C. H. Hambricht, whose birthday was January 22; Mrs. Edgar Jayroe, whose birthday was January 23; and Mrs. Orville Pearce, whose birthday is January 31.
Mr. and Mrs. George Lange and family of Abilene; Eldon Jo Hambricht and Aubrey Faubion of Lubbock were visitors in the Marvin Hambricht home Sunday.
Mrs. A. S. Allcorn visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dub Hale of Abilene, Tuesday.
Mrs. and Mrs. E. W. Bridwell attended a piano recital of their nephew, Tommy Mayhew, at Winters, Tuesday evening.

SOCIETY
Miss Middleton's Engagement Announced
Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Middleton, 401 Eleventh Street, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Betty Jo, to Ben Sims Parrish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Parrish, 511 Twelfth Street.
The wedding date and further plans will be announced in the early spring.
Mrs. Wells Presents Program for Virginia Douglas Class
Mrs. F. L. Wells presented

the program on "The Life of William J. Hyde" for members of the Virginia Douglas Class of the First Methodist Church, when the regular meeting was held Tuesday evening in the church parlors.
Azalia pot plants gave added beauty to rooms where Mrs. L. W. Fiveash presided for the business after the opening prayer was given by Mrs. Wayne Reynolds. Mrs. Bill Witter brought the devotional, "My Gift."
Class hostesses were Mrs. L.

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