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BALLINGER, TEXAS, THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1929

MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

"Old Gray Mare" Band Coming Here

The local American Legion post is in receipt of a letter from Commander Gus Rosenberg of the Brownwood post, stating that the famous Old Gray Mare Band will be in Ballinger Sunday, April 21 for a two hour concert from 2 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The band will bring with them a large group of singers and will stage a two-hour entertainment that will be pleasing to everyone.

The Brownwood post is covering the entire Seventeenth District with the band in order to advertise the district convention of the American Legion which will meet in Brownwood on May 25th and 26th. Most of the trips will be made on week-ends when they will have plenty of time to stage long programs. The band will come to Ballinger wearing their new uniforms and with a large number of musicians.

The Old Gray Mare Band is perhaps one of the best known bands over the entire nation anywhere in the South. They have about 60 members and are always rehearsed in their programs to a stage of perfection that make them favorites on any program.

In coming to Ballinger on April 21, the band urges that publicity be given to their concert here and that people from all Runtels county be invited here to hear the concert. This request will be complied with and an effort made to have several thousand people here on the courthouse lawn to hear them play and sing.

A good crowd of Brownwood people will come to Ballinger with the band and they will arrive here shortly after lunch time Sunday. The concert will be free to everyone.

Five Gravel Pits To Open Here Soon

Within a short time there will be five large gravel pits in the vicinity of Ballinger in operation. The shipping of gravel from here has become a very important industry and lately several large pits of gravel of the finest type for construction work has been discovered and are being prepared to be opened at once.

For several years gravel has been hauled from the bed of the Colorado River but the demand for gravel from here has caused pits to be opened at different places in the county where large quantities have been found. The Shaw Gravel Company has been operating a pit here for some time and is now opening another pit at the old pecan mott on the C. A. Dooze place on the Colorado River. This company has its washing machinery here in town and will haul all gravel here to be washed before delivery to the buyers is made.

The Douglass Land Company is preparing to open one of the largest pits in West Texas on the W. W. Farmer place several miles from town. This pit is said to have over a million yards of gravel in it and will be opened just as soon as the preliminary work can be finished.

A large pit has also been opened on the R. L. Sides place and gravel is being taken from this pit at the present time.

H. E. Fitzgerald and John Castor are preparing to open a large pit on the George Dean farm several miles west of town. They are installing a large amount of machinery and will have the pit ready for production within a very short time.

Dump trucks have been becoming more numerous on the streets all the time and men who are watching this work progress state that within a very short time the city will be full of trucks. The road work here is just starting and this will require lots of gravel to be hauled from pits in this vicinity. Shipping of gravel will also open full blast soon and gravel will be shipped from here to all parts of the country.

U. S. Regulars Go to Border

(By International News Service)
SAN ANTONIO, Apr. 11.—Orders are in effect today for the movement of units of the field artillery and a force of cavalry from Fort Bliss to Fort Hachita, N. M., and also one regiment of infantry from Fort Russell, Wyo., to Bisbee, Ariz. A statement was issued by Col. Robert McCleave, chief of staff of the Eighth Corps Area, authorized by Maj. Gen. William Lassiter, commander of the Eighth Corps Area, says that troops are being sent to these points as a precautionary movement due to the increased military operations in the state of Sonora.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 11.—With the dispatch of 1500 more American troops to the Mexican border there are now about 7000 soldiers of the infantry, cavalry and artillery strung along strategic points on the border to protect American lives.

EL PASO, Apr. 11.—The concentration of Mexican rebel forces in the small strip of Sonora lining the international border, where escape to the United States will be open, appeared to be the strategy of revolution leaders today. Less than a hundred miles of border territory is now controlled by rebels. All sea-ports have been closed and strong federal columns are reported to be closing in on the insurgents from all sides.

MEXICO CITY, Apr. 11.—An alleged plot to dynamite the private train of General Plutarco Elias Calles, commander in chief of the federal army, is under investigation at Torreon by military police, says a dispatch from Torreon today. Details of the plot are vague.

Waco Boy Naval Aide To President Hoover

(By International News Service)
WACO, Apr. 11.—Beginning April 15, to serve until July 15, Commander William R. Munroe, United States Navy, son of Judge R. I. Munroe of Waco, will have the distinction of serving as naval aide to President Hoover. This information is contained in a telegram recently received by Judge Munroe from his son.

Commander Munroe was attached to the submarine forces during the World War, and following that service he was First Lieutenant on the battleship Mississippi. In 1922 he was appointed a member of the United States Naval Commission to Brazil. In 1925 he succeeded to the command of the destroyer Paul Hamilton, later being sent to the Naval War College at Newport. His present duties are with the planning division of naval operations, Navy Department, Washington.

310 New Oil Wells Record for March

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Apr. 11.—During the month of March there were 310 new oil producing wells brought in in the various fields of the state, which is an increase of 140 over the previous month, it was disclosed in a statement released by the oil and gas division of the railroad commission.

There were 741 permits to drill issued during the month as compared to 573 for the month of February. In March there were 66 permits issued to shoot; 338 permits to plug; 300 dry holes, 28 being plugged.

Winkler county field led with 55 new producers; Young county was second with 38 and Archer county third with 30 new producers. Archer county led in the number of permits to drill, having 70 during the month of March; Shackelford county was second with 55 and Wichita county third with 43.

Have you read the want ads?

Temple Records Read at Trial

(By International News Service)
SACRAMENTO, Calif., Apr. 11.—Attorneys for Superior Judge Carlos S. Hardy, charged with attempting to obstruct a fair investigation of the Almee Semple McPherson kidnapping case, today were unsuccessful in keeping the financial records of Angelus Temple out of the jurist's impeachment trial. The books were read into the court records after a spirited fight and revealed thousands of dollars had been expended by Angelus Temple in defense of Mrs. McPherson, including a check for \$2500 which was accepted by Judge Hardy, which the evangelist contends was a "love offering" and not for legal services.

BALLINGER HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA TO BROADCAST

The Ballinger High School Orchestra under the direction of Miss Dorothy Chancey will broadcast a program over the San Angelo broadcasting station next Saturday night. This announcement was made by Supt. H. C. Lyon Thursday morning.

The local orchestra will not enter the competition at San Angelo Saturday in the district meet on account of their instrumentation not being what is required and some students other than high school students being in the local orchestra. Local radio fans will be able to hear the local musicians at an early hour Saturday night.

LINDBERGH REFUELS IN MISSISSIPPI TOWN TODAY

MERIDIAN, Miss., Apr. 11.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh landed at Bonita Field here today, refueled and took off immediately for an unannounced destination.

Plans Finished On Highway 30

State Engineer G. M. Garrett returned Wednesday afternoon from Austin where he had been to file the completed plans on the west end of Highway No. 30 in this county. Mr. Garrett and his crew of helpers have been busy for several months on this 18 miles of highway and as soon as their plans were all in shape he personally took them to Austin to file them with the highway department for approval.

If these plans are approved by the State Highway Commission, this contract should be ready to submit for bids within a short time and work started during the spring months.

Mr. Garrett left Thursday morning for an inspection of the new gravel pits in the county and will also inspect the part of Highway No. 30 where work is ready to start. He stated that Mr. Thompson, the contractor on this piece of road, had been called out of town on account of the death of a relative, and that no concrete would be poured until he returns. He is expected to return this week-end and a part of the north end of this road is rolled and ready for the concrete. Mr. Garrett thought that probably some concrete might be poured this week.

Crews will start working on the final plans on Highway No. 23 now and will run these lines from the Concho county line through Ballinger to the Coleman county line. This road is likely to have several changes made in the right-of-way. The old road leading south out of Ballinger has a number of bad crooks which will be eliminated and the highway east to the Coleman county line is likely to be changed entirely. State and federal engineers have always thought that this road should go south of the Santa Fe railroad because of shortening the distance. Local people and citizens about Benoit have always wanted the road to remain where it is now on account of serving more people. Both these lines will be run and the best route selected by the state and federal authorities.

Schumann-Heink Has Lunch in City

Madam Ernestine Schumann-Heink stopped in Ballinger Thursday at noon for lunch with her party. The party arrived here at shortly before noon travelling in a large Packard car and went to the City Cafe for their noon meal. Madam Schumann-Heink ordered a West Texas steak and L. L. Stroble, manager at the cafe, declared one for her that she declared later was the best steak she had ever eaten. As soon as the meal was over they left for San Angelo where the party will rest until Friday night at which time she will give her concert there on her farewell tour.

When approached by a reporter from The Ledger she stated that she had just finished the best steak she ever had. "You have a beautiful little town and I just love it," the celebrity stated. Madam Schumann-Heink said that this was her first visit in this part of the state and that she liked it very much. She has been to Abilene before but never south of that city in this territory.

When she learned that the reporter was a member of the American Legion she grabbed him and said, "My son, you are truly my son. Tell the people that I am an American and that I am loyal to the flag of our country. Tell your comrades to come to San Angelo and I will be happy to sing for them." Schumann-Heink had sons in the American army and in the German army, yet she remained truly loyal to the United States and since the war has been called "The Mother of the Legion." She has attended many conventions and sang for the Legionnaires.

Although old in years, she is hale and hearty and gets about much better than most women many years younger than she. It is a pleasure to listen to her talk as well as sing and Ballinger people who have never heard this grand old lady sing, should not miss the opportunity afforded them by her visit to San Angelo on her farewell tour.

NOTICE

If there are those residing here who were residents of this school district on April 1st, and who have children between the ages of 7 and 18 who have not been visited by an enumerator, they will greatly oblige by calling either 184 or 511 and an enumerator will visit you, as the children can yet be enrolled.

Respectfully,
A. F. BROCK.
11-1d

J. J. Beck, Santa Fe agent here, left Wednesday afternoon for Houston where he goes to attend a meeting of Santa Fe officials. It is a big meeting of this company and men from all over the line will be there to discuss every problem of the railroad business. Mr. Beck will return to Ballinger the first of next week.

If you want to buy something, ask for it through the classified column of The Daily Ledger.

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Toilet line added to our many others. See our window.

The most complete toilet counter in West Texas. We feature:

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The Rexall Store

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Two Texans Hurt in Storm; Towns Razed

Files Motion to Quash One Charge

(By International News Service)
BATON ROUGE, La., Apr. 11.—Governor Huey P. Long will file a motion to quash one of the impeachment charges voted against him by the lower house of the state legislature when the senate convenes at noon today to adopt rules of procedure in his impeachment trial. Administration leaders denied the report that an attempt had been made to secure an agreement to have the governor apologize for his alleged misconduct and defer impeachment during his good behavior period.

MILLER BUILDING TO BE OCCUPIED NEXT WEEK

E. Sheppard & Company and the Guaranty Title will move next week to the Miller Building on Hutchings Avenue. This building has been completely overhauled from the front to rear and made into one of the nicest offices on this street. The stairway has been removed from the inside of the building and placed between this building and the Ballinger State Bank Building. A partition has been built across the inside of the building cutting off the back for a storage room. A large steel and cement vault has been constructed on one side of the wall running through under the steps which will be large enough to house all the valuable records for the firms. The building was rented jointly by E. Sheppard and Mr. Howerton and they will occupy the front offices with no partitions being built. The new location gives both these firms a better location on a good front street. E. Sheppard and Company has been occupying an upstairs office over the Tigner Jewelry Company for several years and Mr. Howerton has had his offices in the rear of the Ballinger State Bank Building.

Yorktown—The Gillad Highway is now under construction.

The quickest way to keep abreast with the times is to read the ads

(By International News Service)
VICTORIA, Tex., Apr. 11.—Two persons were injured and considerable property damaged today as the result of a wind-thunder-and-hail storm which struck Bloomington, in this county, last night. The Guadalupe River is almost out of its banks at this point because of continued rains.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Apr. 11.—Two score persons are reported dead and many injured from a tornado which struck in the northern part of the state last night. More than five towns were said to have been wiped out. According to the sheriff at Newport 21 persons were dead at Swifton, where the fatalities are expected to be heavier. The sheriff also said that 30 persons had been taken to hospitals from Gulon, Ark., another town hit by the twister. Almond, a small town that was hit, is said to have three dead and a large number injured. This town was directly in the path of the tornado. Two persons were reported killed at Moorefield and the toll is expected to increase. The twister is reported to have cut a swath two miles wide. In addition to the storm damage, swollen rivers are reaching flood stages today. The American Red Cross has been appealed to for aid for the five counties in the storm's path.

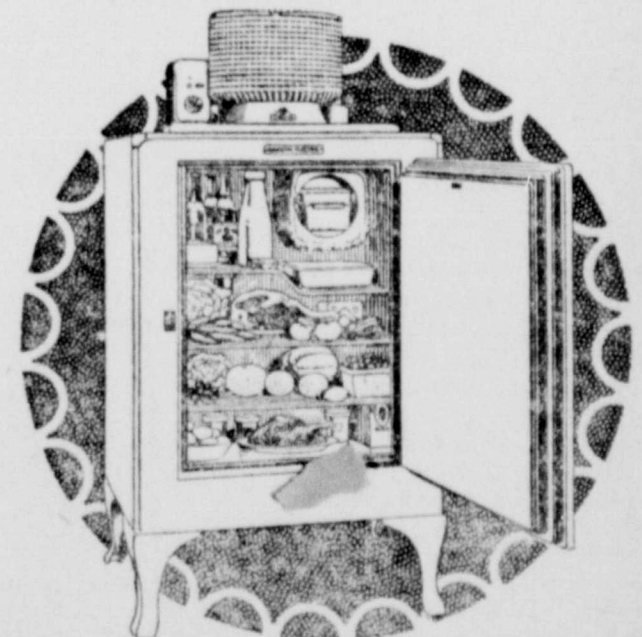
Miss Katherine Hagquist, state advisory nurse of the Bureau of Child Hygiene, of the State Health Department at Austin, was in Ballinger Wednesday conferring with County Health Nurse Addie Alexander. Miss Hagquist came to Ballinger from Brady and left Thursday for San Angelo on her tour of inspection.

Highway No. 106 is to be hard-surfaced from Groveton to the Neches River.

WEATHER FORECAST

East Texas: Fair and cooler on the coast tonight; rising temperatures Friday. West Texas: Fair and increasing cloudiness; warmer Friday.

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Who started that clean-up campaign and what became of it? Many have already cleaned up their premises but there are others which need it very badly and nothing short of a stem-winding campaign will get these people in line.

Vacation time for school folks will soon be here. There is only one more month of school and already the seniors will soon be finished except those that have to take all their exams. The kiddies of the town will be turned loose before long and we still do not have that park and playground for them.

Better be getting ready for the opening of the baseball season here. The umps will sing out "Play ball!" in less than three weeks and the race for the championship will be started. Baseball, like everything else, is something that needs co-operation to win. We have a good manager and should help him in making a good team instead of knocking and trying to tear down. We can't win all the games. It would not be interesting if we did, but the team, if they receive good support at home, will be in there fighting all the time for love of the town and the game and a team like that will win and stay close to the top of the column.

A LABOR ANALYSIS

The American wage earner's economic status not only remains considerably higher than that of his fellows in foreign countries, but the gap between the American and foreign purchasing power of wages, as measured in the cost of food and shelter, has noticeably widened during the past three years, according to the National Industrial Conference Board.

An analysis of foreign wages and their purchasing power, made by the conference board on the basis of data collected by the International Labor Office at Geneva, discloses that the American wage earner in corresponding trades in October, 1928, received "real wages" ranging from one-third to four times higher than workmen in European countries and about one-fifth higher than in Canada.

THE NECESSARY EVIL

Taxes are a necessary evil. We must have courts, roads, armies, schools and all those things which are a part of society.

It has often been said that the taxpayer has no complaint; that for his tax dollar he gets a generous return. But no matter how true this may be, it is no reason for not protesting against inefficiency and waste.

Modern business is remarkable chiefly because, through sounder economic practices and greater efficiency, it has been able to give more or less money. Government has failed to keep step.

Our local units of government, especially, grow more and more expensive to maintain. Their slightest act entails duplication of effort and waste motion and unnecessary expense. And the taxpayer pays.

Only public protest and public action can raise the standards of government routine to a high state of efficiency and economy. There is too little sound business in modern government.

Lampasas is to be the home of a salt factory as soon as the proper location in the city can be found. It is expected that work will be started on the building in a few days, and it may be completed during the month of April.

Young Business Woman in Charge
Coffee Shop of Naylor Hotel,
San Angelo, Praises
Orgatone

"I have gained wonderfully in health on three bottles of Orgatone and feel like my old self again," said Miss Billie Preston, in charge of the coffee shop, Naylor Hotel.

"I was in a very much rundown condition," she explained, "from stomach disturbances, and most everything I would eat gave me trouble. My food would sour on my stomach and form gas that made me miserable for hours. My nerves were all on edge so I got little rest at night and when morning came I was most as tired as I was when I went to bed. I had headaches most all the time and I felt so wretched and no account I hardly had any life or energy left to do anything."

"I heard so many people telling about the good that Orgatone had done them that I decided to try it. The way it took hold of me was one grand surprise and I hardly know how to begin telling of all the benefits I have derived from using it. I can say, though, that it has made a new person out of me. The gas has stopped forming in my stomach, my complexion is clearing up. I can eat anything I want without trouble. I sleep well at night and feel well all the time."

Genuine Orgatone is not a so-called patent of secret remedy but a new scientific bile treatment directly stimulating the liver cells and can be obtained in Ballinger at the Weeks Drug Store, who are direct and exclusive laboratory agents for this city.

CREWS CLIMBING CLUB

The Crews Climbing Club was organized January 18. Mrs. Hollingsworth came to the Crews school and outlined the club work, for the different years work, for the girls. After which the officers were elected. The officers elected were:

Thelma Cox, president; Frankie Pierce, vice president; Alma Phipps, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. H. C. Grounds, club leader, and Norma Bradley, Reporter.

The club colors are blue and silver, the flower is a white rose, and the motto is "Forever Onward." The club is to meet twice a month. Mrs. Hollingsworth is to be with us every second Thursday of each month. Twenty-five members were enrolled, but only 12 are remaining in the club.

"REPORTER"

"Wunder Powder" Say Beauties
MELLO-GLO Face Powder is preferred by beautiful women because it leaves no trace of flakiness, pastiness or irritation. Stays on long—no shiny noses! Made by a few French process—prevents large pores. Spreads more smoothly—gives a youthful bloom. Very pure. Use MELLO-GLO Face Powder. It's wonderful. J. Y. Pearce Drug Company.

Watch the bargain counter at the City Grocery Saturday, April 13th.

Shannon McWilliams of the Norton community was in Ballinger Thursday looking after business.



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Just Arrived

We have just received a shipment of fresh Flower Seeds from one of the largest concerns in the country. They give you the most beautiful flowers.

Most any flower seed you wish may be found in our complete stock.

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Rotary-Lions Tilt Tomorrow

The baseball season will open in Ballinger Friday (tomorrow) afternoon when the Lions and Rotarians out a few times and postponed on account of snow and ice but the management of each team has held on to their club with the determination to meet the foe and conquer them before the official league season opens. Manager Jack Holloway is hurrying home from East Texas to scout the game and possibly pick some fast scampers for the opening of the West Texas League season on May 1st.

B. N. Wilke, manager of the Lions Club, and W. C. McCarver, manager of the Rotarians, will have lots of reserve strength on the bench besides the two fast teams that will take the field. They do not plan to leave players in the game until it is lost but will substitute as fast as the necessity requires. Both teams are in fairly good condition, the most of having played college ball about 1899 and some since that time. Others have kept in good physical condition playing dominoes and pool and both teams will be able to go hard from the start.

An admission of 25 cents will be charged for the game and the money will go towards paying for the state highway sign to be erected at the intersection of Broadway and Hutchings Avenue.

Following is the line-up that will start the game:

Rotary	Pos.	Lions
McLaurin	c	Brady
Woody	p	Stone
Motley	1b	Hooper
Simmons	2b	Kiechle
Stobaugh	3b	Caudle
Sykes	ss	Jones, A. R.
Garrett	lf	O'Neil
George	cf	Carsey
Smith	rf	Gates

All members of both clubs are requested to be on the players' bench ready to get in the game at any time.

Special arrangements have been made and as heretofore announced Teague and Strain will umpire the game. This is a guarantee that everything will be done exactly right and that no decisions will be disputed.

The game will start at 4 o'clock and will continue until all players and fans are tired.

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CALIFORNIA MINER HAS A LAMB WITH SEVEN LEGS

RED BLUFF, Calif., Apr. 8.—Grover Long, Battle Creek section sheep-man, claims the prize for freak lambs. It had seven legs, four in front and three behind, and two tails. The lamb and its mother died soon after the freak was born.

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Our service to local business men is designed to promote the progress of their respective businesses. In good times and bad ones, you will find this bank a sympathetic and dependable friend.

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HERRING TOPICS

Herring Topics failed to appear in last week's issue on account of both the writers having measles.

Some of the people from this community attended the singing at Ballinger Sunday and reported some fine singing.

A few of the young folks of this community attended the party at Oxien Saturday night and all reported a nice time.

There are several new cases of measles in our community.

Grandma Clark is still ill at the home of Mrs. S. H. Miller. We hope she will soon be better.

Mrs. Addie Grace and her three children, of Floydada, are here visiting Mrs. Grace, mother and sister, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. S. H. Miller and other relatives.

Misses Willie and Myrtle Ruth Hale spent Sunday with Mrs. Arthur Alcorn.

Mrs. Docia McMillan of San Angelo spent a few days last week with G. C. Aven and family, helping wait on the measles patients.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Kerry of Roscoe visited relatives in this community last week.

Miss Myrtle Ruth Hale spent Tuesday with Miss Mona Aven.

The place: City Grocery; the date: Saturday, April 13th. Real Bargains—See for yourself. d&w

Since the establishment of the third class tourist traffic across the Atlantic, a new era of low travel rates has dawned. You can go from the United States to Italy or Greece for but two cents a mile, with meals and berth included.

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Louisiana Lady States That
The First Bottle of Cardui
She Took, Helped
Her.

Montgomery, La.—"I was in a dreadfully run-down condition," says Mrs. Charles L. Lacroix, of this city. "I suffered a great deal of pain. I was in misery all over. I could not sit up and I could not lie down. I couldn't sleep and at times I would have dreadful vomiting spells. The aches and pains seemed to cover my whole body."

"I had taken Cardui, off and on, since 1903. It had always done me good, so when I got in this bad condition, I thought I would take it again."

"One night, my husband brought me home six bottles of Cardui and I began to take it. I could tell that I was improving from the first bottle, but I kept on taking the medicine, for I knew that I needed a tonic that would build me up and strengthen me where I was weak and run-down. That is exactly what Cardui did for me. After I had finished the sixth bottle I felt fine. I feel truly thankful for what Cardui has done for me, for I could not have gone on living in the desperate condition I was in."

Cardui is a harmless extract of valuable, medicinal herbs, and acts as a strengthening tonic. NC-200

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CARDUI
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- 1755-D My Angeline (My Angel-eeen) Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
- Coquette (Theme Song from motion picture "Coquette") Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
- 1756-D Mean to Me Ted Wallace and His Campus Boys
- The One That I Love Loves Me Ted Wallace and His Campus Boys
- 1742-D Plodding' Along, fox-trot Anson Weeks and His Hotel
- Senorita, tango Mark Hopkins Orchestra
- 1752-D Susanna Lee Morse and Her Blue Grass Boys
- Main Street Lee Morse and Her Blue Grass Boys
- 1754-D A Precious Little Thing Called Love (Theme Song from motion picture "The Shopworn Angel") Oscar Grogan
- Caressing You Oscar Grogan
- 1753-D The Big Rock Candy Mountains Frankie Marvin and His Guitar
- Riding on the Elevated Railroad Frankie Marvin and His Guitar

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TIRES

Cameron's Garage

Winters Wants Legion Players

If plans now under way work out the American Legion show, "The Cat and the Canary," may be taken to Winters for a one night performance next Tuesday. The Forum Club of Winters called the local Legionaires Wednesday to see about staging the show under their auspices and a committee of Legionaires went to Winters to discuss the proposition with the club Wednesday afternoon. An agreeable plan was reached by both parties but a meeting of the Forum Club was to be called Thursday afternoon and the plan presented to the club membership by their president for final settlement.

In case an appearance is made by the cast in Winters it is likely that another performance will be given here. Those in charge of the play stated Thursday morning that they had received something like 75 requests for another show here. Many of the local people were busy with the teachers' meeting here on the day the play was presented and were too tired to attempt to go that night. If the play is presented here again a personal canvass will be made by ticket sellers and when enough are sold to guarantee the heavy royalty and other expenses the night will be announced and the tickets placed on sale again.

If the trip is made to Winters the Legion will carry scenery from here and have it set in the high school auditorium at that place for the performance Tuesday night. Winters teachers and members of the Little Theatre group at that place were very loud in their praise of the local show and met with the committees Wednesday afternoon to personally recommend the performance to the Winters club.

Red Hot Specials to fit your pocketbook at City Grocery, Saturday, April 13th. d&w

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published, once a week, for ten days, exclusive of the first day of publication, before the return day hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation published in said county, which has been continuously and regularly published in said county for a period of not less than one year, the following notice:

The State of Texas

To all persons interested in the Estate of Robert Jarisek, Deceased.

You are hereby notified that Ed Jarisek has filed in the County Court of Runnels County, an application for Letters of Administration with the Will Annexed upon

the Estate of said Robert Jarisek, Deceased, and for such other and further orders as to the Court may seem proper, which will be heard at the next regular term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1929, the same being the sixth day of May, A. D. 1929, at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are hereby cited to appear and contest said application, if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 2nd day of April, A. D. 1929.

Iman McKOWN, Clerk.
County Court, Runnels
County, Texas.

d-4-11

MOVIES

Cast of War Birds in Flying Picture at Palace

There have been many aviation pictures set to the screen since the Armistice was signed, but never until now has there been an aviation picture in which such an imposing cast of War Birds appear, as in the "Legion of the Condemned," showing today and Friday at the Palace Theatre under the auspices of the local post of the American Legion. Not only does this picture of the air boast of its authentic cast, but the production itself was directed by a former member of the Lafayette Flying Corps, William Wellman.

Heading the list of aviators who fought in the air during the war is Captain Sterling Campbell, one of the five ranking aces of the Royal Air Force, who has many planes to his credit. On the enemy side is Lieutenant Rudolph Schad, a member of the famous Richthofen's Circus, No. 15, who has 12 Allied planes to his credit. Others who saw service, and who have more than five planes each to their credit, are: Ted Parsons, of Detroit, who flew for five years

with the French; Ross Cook, Robert de Courde, Tom Watton and Al Johnston.

Director William Wellman, who also directed "Wings," for Paramount, was a member of the Lafayette Escadrille during the war. J. Monk Saunders, the author of the story, and who also wrote "Wings," was an instructor of aviation.

LIONS ATTEND ANGELO MEETING ON THURSDAY

Fred Klechle, Frank Dickey, C. R. Stone, A. L. Brady, Tommie Hall and B. N. Wilke left Thursday morning for San Angelo to attend a luncheon of the Lions Club at that place. These gentlemen are attending the San Angelo meeting by invitation to discuss the coming to San Angelo of the state convention at a near date. San Angelo was selected as the place for the state convention after it became necessary to change it from Austin. Neighboring clubs are being asked to assist in the entertainment of Lions from this state and the Ballinger club will have many in attendance at the convention and will be ready to assist San Angelo in any way they are called upon.

Muleshoe's record million dollars worth of farm products, including sudan, maize, kafir, corn and wheat made already this year is growing continually. A low estimate by local buyers is that at least 150 more cars of grains of all kinds will move from the town before April 15.

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BENOIT ITEMS

A heavy rain fell here Saturday night and Sunday night and the result is that the grass looks very fresh.

Our school enjoyed a weiner roast at the school Thursday at noon.

J. P. Martin of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gibson of Benoit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hill accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rumpy attended the singing convention at Ballinger Sunday.

Little Miss Charlene Martin of Brownwood spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Blanche Clayton and Laura B. Gibson.

Misses Lois and Louise Shipp and Miss Dorothy and Arnold Werner spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cox and family and a good time was reported by all.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cox and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gibson and family attended the singing Sunday afternoon.

Misses Louise and Lois Shipp spent Tuesday night with friends at Ballinger.

Mrs. C. M. Gibson and Mrs. O. C. Cox visited Mrs. W. T. Hill on Monday.

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Card of Thanks

We wish to take this method of thanking our many friends for their kindness and lovingtender care shown us during our dear mother and grandmother's sickness and death. Also the beautiful floral offering given as a token of sympathy in the hour of our great sorrow, was appreciated.

We pray that when such an hour comes your way you may have

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CITY COMMISSION IS TO BE IN SESSION MONDAY

A meeting has been called for Monday night, April 15, at which time the old city commission will turn over the affairs of the city to the new commissioners. The audit of the city's books has been completed and all other matters gotten in shape for the incoming administration. After a very little business Monday night the new commission will be sworn in with W. C. McCarver taking the chair as mayor and O. L. Parish and E. Sheppard as commissioners.

Money savers on the Bargain Counter at the City Grocery, Saturday, April 13th. d&w

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Fans Watching Baseball Work

Local fans are getting their afternoon sun baths at Fair Park this week each afternoon watching the West Texas League recruits in their limbering up work. The workers are getting a lot of good exercise each afternoon and some of them are already showing up like veterans.

Wednesday afternoon a fast infield was setting a pretty lively pace and some of the boys were getting warm enough to cut loose with a few fast ones around the horn. A flock of outfielders were out in centerfield getting their eyes trained to judge a high one and some of the boys were making the job look easy. Others it appears are wasting their time trying out for the club band no doubt. Manager Holloway will not have much trouble in deciding to let them go.

Catchers and pitchers are now warming up each morning and all who have reported are in fine shape and cutting loose with some pretty fast ones.

Work on the diamond is coming pretty slow and will be several days before it is in good shape for playing. No infield work has been held there yet and infielders are working on the temporary infield in the right field territory.

You'll find the specials worth while at the City Grocery Saturday, April 13th. d&w

METHODIST CHOR REHEARSAL

All members of the choir and singers of the Methodist church are requested to meet tonight at the church at 7:45 to prepare music for the Sunday services. Bishop Jno. M. Moore will be at the church Sunday morning and a special musical program will be arranged for this occasion and the choir and outside help will render a sacred concert Sunday evening. For these two services all members of the choir are urged to be present.

Real Money Savers at the City Grocery—Come see Saturday, April 13th. d&w

FORKED TAIL SNAKE IS FOUND IN GEORGIA

WAYCROSS, Ga., Apr. 11.—A freak specimen of the "glass snake" family with a forked tail is on exhibition here. The queer reptile was killed by D. W. Smith, a local man. The tail is divided into two prongs.

Cleveland, Cincinnati, Teams Have Corner on Major League Midgets

By Les Conklin

(International News Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, Apr. 11.—Ohio, the state that is round at both ends and high in the middle, presents equally striking contrasts this year in the make-up of the infields of its two major league ball teams. The infield of each team is composed of one tall player and three short ones.

George Kelly, rangy Cincinnati first, stands head and shoulders above Hugh Critz, Jitney Ford and Chick Dressen. A group picture of the quartet looks like a tangle of Grandpa and the Kiddies. Ford's head does not reach Long George's shoulders. Dressen is next in height and Critz the shortest.

Carl Lind, standing more than six feet in his holeproofs, is the lighthouse of the Cleveland infield. Jackie Tavener at short and Joey Sewell at third are genuine midgets. Luis Fonseca, holding down first base while Johnny Hodapp is out of the game, never has to duck his head while descending the cellar stairs.

Many a hit that taller infielders would sear, sail over the heads of these six short men for Texas Leaguers, but they make up in nimbleness what they lack in height.

Tavener's team-mates on the Cleveland club believe he will enjoy a big year this season. A wound on the second finger of his tossing hand was responsible for many errors charged against the midget last year when he was with Detroit. He was making sandwiches for a party at the Tavener home and mistaking his finger for a bologna, sliced it with a carving knife. The wounded digit is now in good shape and does not bother the shortstop in throwing.

Tavener uses a long bat for a little man and when he connects he frequently gets more than one base, although his home runs are few and far between. The "Big Brute," as he was known on the Detroit club, also is a corking base runner.

Another Cleveland player who is counted upon to give a good account of himself this season is Luis Fonseca, one of the champion hard luck players in the big leagues. Luis was injured with the Cincinnati Reds, his first love, and was shipped to the Phillies. More accidents at Baker Bowl resulted in his release to Newark in the International League. He was a big shot with the Jersey team and Cleveland bought his release for \$50,000.

The injury jinx again nailed the

little fellow at Cleveland, culminating with a broken leg last summer. Luis was slated to serve as a pinch hitter this season but will start at first base due to injuries suffered by the slugging Johnny Hodapp. Fonseca can slug the ball also, as his .327 average in 75 games last season will attest. Fonseca, although out of his natural position at first base, is a better fielder than Hodapp. He accepted 528 chances without an error in 56 games last year.

Tourists still flock to the woods left of the ancient Forest of Sherwood in Nottinghamshire in England to see where Robin Hood roamed with his archers in Lincoln Green. These woods can be found at Birkland, Bilhaigh, are parts of Mansfield Wood, Harlow Wood and Sansen Wood.

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MAVERICK NEWS

The young folks of the community and several from the Norton community sallied forth to a party at Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore's Friday night, and a huge time was had by all present.

The Young Men's Business League, which was recently organized, has installed electric lights in the auditorium. They are now planning on painting the interior. We extend our heartiest thanks to them for the nice lights.

The Willing Workers Club is progressing nicely—we might add real nicely—since the recent installation of the new stove and the nice table presented by the 4-H Club girls.

The Maverick "Panthers" with their new manager, Lokey Horn, were all present on the baseball diamond Sunday afternoon for a workout. Prospects for an A-1 team are very promising—all they lack being like John McGraw's Giants is another Babe Ruth.

A nice shower fell here Sunday

night and was welcomed by all.

Barney Keating of Norton spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Martin as a guest of Wilbur Martin.

Bob Frazier, Dabney Tomlinson and Claud Powers were visitors in the home of Archie Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballis Fletcher and small son, Roy Howard of Ballinger, spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Halsey Hardy and Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fletcher.

The 4-H Club Girls will soon begin rehearsing on a play entitled "Breezy Point," which they will present at Maverick. The proceeds are to go towards the expenses of these girls to the short course at A. & M. this summer.

"JOSEPHINE PUGUGLY."

R. G. Erwin left Wednesday afternoon for Dallas where he goes to attend to business.



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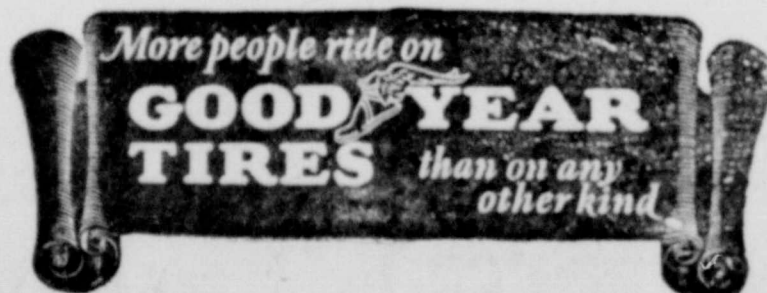
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