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14 INCHES OF RAIN AT NEW ORLEANS

(By Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, April 16.—Government engineers here today said the most damaging flood of all time in the Lower Mississippi River would strike on Monday when the great river would reach its crest at Cairo, Illinois.

NEW ORLEANS, April 16.—Fourteen and one-hundredth inches of rain fell here last night, the Weather Bureau reported today.

This rainfall breaks all records for the last 56 years, the highest previous record being 9.22 inches. Hundreds of blocks in the residential sections were flooded and thousands of persons were unable to get down town to their business.

Business, already largely suspended for the Easter holidays, virtually came to a standstill today with many of the thoroughfares which are high and dry under normal rains under from four inches to three feet of water.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Apr. 16.—The Mississippi River levee, 25 miles south of Charleston, Missouri, broke today. The water inundated thousands of acres of lowlands in that vicinity.

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GIVES SELF UP AFTER KILLING

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, April 16.—Victor Delgado was shot and killed here today in the home of Pedro Guerra, who surrendered to the police shortly after the shooting.

LEGISLATURE OUSTS GOVERNOR

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO, D. F., April 16.—Shortly after President Calles was notified today that the legislature of the state of Chihuahua had deprived Governor Almedia of his office on the allegation that he had rebelled against the government, the charge was made by Esther Estrada, federal senator from Chihuahua, that Almedia was forced to leave by his enemies.

Estrada declared that the maneuver was brought about by a majority of the legislature which had supported Marcelo Garayeo as a candidate for the governorship.

The Chihuahua legislature's communication to the president said that an effort was being made to capture Almedia and deliver him to the authorities for trial.

SOS for Ratcatchers
MOSCOW—(AP)—All the best ratcatchers in Russia have been summoned to Moscow to exterminate a plague of rats which have destroyed hundreds of valuable documents.

ROCKSPRINGS DEAD LIST 48

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, April 16.—The death toll of the Rocksprings tornado crept to 48 today with the death of Andrea Perez, a 5-year-old Mexican child, in a local hospital.

PREBLE USES FOUR INCH GUNS AGAIN

EIGHT DIE IN CHICAGO FIRE

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, April 16.—Eight persons were killed and their bodies burned beyond recognition when four buildings were razed by fire as the result of an explosion on the West Side today.

The dead, who are members of two families, are: Barnett Levin, his wife and their two sons; Harry Sokolsky, his wife, son and daughter.

Police immediately began an investigation as to the cause of the explosion which was apparently due to a gas pocket in the tailor shop operated by Levin.

ACQUITTED OF WIFE MURDER

(By Associated Press)
DENTON, April 16.—C. J. Howard, tried here this week on a charge of murder in connection with the death of his wife, was acquitted in a verdict returned today.

Mrs. Howard died about a month after being found on a road near here in a dazed condition.

Romance Preferred
NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Romance, preferably in a rural setting, is the first choice of New Orleans citizens in literature, a survey shows. Adventure and mystery stories are next.

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MARBLE FALLS HAS BAD FIRE

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, April 16.—An entire business block of Marble Falls was wiped out by fire today which started at 5:00 o'clock this morning. The blaze threatened the entire city.

The flames were brought under control only after ten stores and offices had been razed. Little of the merchandise was saved. No one was injured.

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MANIAC KILLS FOUR IN ARK.

(By Associated Press)
LITTLE ROCK, April 16.—A request for tear bombs with which to subdue a man said to have killed his wife and three other members of his family, who had barricaded himself in a house, was received from Newport today by local police. The request described the man as being a maniac.

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Subject 11:00 a. m.

"The Empty Tomb"

Subject 8:00 p. m.

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Fells Sleeping Grizzly
REVELSTOKE, B. C.—(AP)—
A settler near here had the start-
ling experience of killing a huge
grizzly bear with the same stroke
of an ax that felled the tree.
The tree was hollow, and the
bear had curled up in it for his
winter's nap. The settler's ax
sunk into the animal's skull.

CHILDRESS—The fourth West
Texas Chamber of Commerce con-
vention of the year will be held
in this city May 5th, when repre-
sentatives from the Green Belt
and Lower Panhandle district
gather here. More than thirty
towns are expected to send dele-
gates.

Alaskan Ice \$4 a Ton
FAIRBANKS, Alaska—(AP)—
Even in Alaska, ice isn't given
away. It sells here for \$2.50 for
half a ton, or \$4 a ton in amounts
of more than 2,000 pounds.

Alcohol Plant Opened
BRISBANE, Australia—(AP)—
A plant capable of producing
20,000 gallons of power alcohol
weekly from sugar has been
opened at Planet Creek, Queens-
land.

Get today's news today—read
The Daily Ledger

Winters Wins County Meet for Third Time

By a narrow margin of eight
points, the Winters high school
contestants in the Runnels Coun-
ty Interscholastic Meet won from
the Ballinger contestants last
week. The score was 78 to 70.
Ballinger scored second and
should have been first in the meet
but due to the obstacles that
usually show up at such meets,
the Bearcats were out from the
very start.

Winters won the three cups at
the last meet for the third suc-
cessive time, so the cups now be-
come the permanent property of
the Winters contestants. The
trophies were offered in the boys'
and girls' debate and for the
entire meet.

Miles won the Class B cham-
pionship cup for the third suc-
cessive year. Mazeland took over
the rural championship cup and
will keep it until the next meet.

Coach Felton Wright had his
Bearcats going strong in the Win-
ters meet and many of the Ballinger
boys took first and second
places in several events, however
Winters came out on top. Win-
ners of first places in last week's
meet will go to the district meet
to be held later, in San Angelo.

Following are the results of the
county meet:

Girls' volleyball—Miles, first;
Ballinger, second.

Boys' playground ball—Ballinger,
first; Dale, second.

Girls' playground ball—Hatchel,
first; Winters, second.

Tennis, boys' doubles—Ballinger,
first; Cooper and Bigler; Winters,
second; Reid and Burton.

Tennis, boys' singles—Ballinger,
first; Bigler; Winters, second;
Bedford.

Tennis, girls' doubles—Miles,
first; Winters, second.

Tennis, girls' singles—Winters,
first; Layere Neely; Miles, second.

Debate boys—Winters, first;
Neely and Barber; Ballinger, sec-
ond; Alagood and Arthur.

Girls' debate—Winters, first;
Hill and Griffin; Ballinger, sec-
ond; Holt and Smith.

High school senior boys' decla-
mation—Ballinger first, Allen
Mason; Winters, second; Truett
Barber.

High school senior girls' decla-
mation—Winters first, Christine
Barnett; Rowena second, Esther
Helwig.

High school junior boys' decla-
mation—Ballinger first, Dalton Mc-
Williams; Winters second, Low-
ell Stacy.

High school junior girls' decla-
mation—Winters first, Geraldine
Gaston; Miles second, Dorothy
Bates.

Rural school senior boys' decla-
mation—Mazeland first, J. S.
Ensor; Maverick second, Albert
Jackson.

Rural school senior girls' decla-
mation—Drasco first, Opal
Baker; Mazeland second, Lucille
Ensor.

Rural school junior boys' decla-
mation—Runnels first, Clarence
Morris; Hagan second, Allan
Rankin.

Rural school junior girls' decla-
mation—Mazeland first, Mil-
dred Fowler; Maverick second,
Ruth Seipp.

Extemporaneous speaking—
Winters first, Parham Witt;
Miles second, Neil McDonald.

Senior spelling—Ballinger first;
Rowena second.

Junior spelling—Miles first;
Winters second.

Sub-junior spelling—Winters
first; Bethel second.

Musie memory—Rowena first;
Winters second.

Arithmetic—Ballinger first;
Miles second.

Three R contest—Bell first, E.
H. Farrow.

Essay, rural—Drasco first, Opal
Baker; Hagan second, Christine
Rankin.

Class B essay—Miles first, Glen
Raley.

Class A senior essay—Winters
first, Jack Callan; Ballinger, sec-
ond, Henson Alagood.

Class A junior essay—Winters
first, Altus Shipman; Ballinger
second, Margaret Smith.

Track and Field

120 yard high hurdles—Ala-
good, Ballinger; Roberts, Win-
ters; Tuckey, Ballinger; Neely,
Winters. Time 18 2-10 seconds.

100 yard dash—Newby, Win-
ters; Key, Winters; Cervenko,
Ballinger; Tuckey, Ballinger.
Time 11 seconds.

880 yard run—Alagood, Ballinger;
Singleton, Winters; Clark,
Ballinger; Keifer, Winters. Time
2 minutes 10 seconds.

220 yard low hurdles—Newby,
Winters; Cervenko, Ballinger;
Lowe, Winters; Bedford, Win-
ters. Time, 55 seconds.

220 yard dash—Newby, Win-
ters; Key, Winters; Clark, Ballinger;
McAdams, Winters. Time
22 seconds.

One mile run—Neely, Winters;
Hardegree, Winters; Parrish,
Ballinger; Fraeiss, Ballinger.
Time 5 minutes 10 seconds.

One mile relay—won by Win-
ters, Bedford, Singleton, Lowe,
Roberts. Time 3 minutes 43 sec-
onds.

Pole vault—Mareek, Ballinger;
Cervenko, Ballinger; Arthur, Bal-
lenger; Phillips, Winters. Height

9 feet 6 inches.
Shot put—Mareek, Ballinger;
Smith, Ballinger; Dedmon, Win-
ters; McAdams, Winters. Dis-
tance 41 feet 6 inches.

Discus throw—Dedmon, Win-
ters; Hardegree, Winters, Mare-
cek, Ballinger; Mason, Ballinger.
Distance, 99 feet 8 inches.

Running high jump—Mason,
Ballinger; Marecek, Ballinger;
Holliday, Ballinger; Roberts,
Hardegree and Newby, Winters,
tied for fourth place. Height, 5
feet 4 inches.

Running broad jump—Cerv-
enko, Ballinger; Mason, Ballinger;
Newby, Winters; Lowe, Win-
ters. Distance 20 feet 8 inches.

Javelin throw—Keifer, Win-
ters; Bishop, Winters; Neely,
Winters; Parrish, Ballinger. Dis-
tance, 132 feet 2 inches.

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German Glide Flyer Attaches Machine to Regular Plane

KASSEL, Germany, April 15.—
Gliding with a machine towed to
a regular airplane is the latest
stunt achieved by one of the most
daring glide flyers of Germany,
Espanlaub. It is claimed that
this thrilling experiment was
made for the first time in the
history of aeronautics.

After being towed to the air-
plane by means of a long cable
both machines started at the same
time and Espanlaub loosened
the cable when both machines had
reached a considerable height.
Severed from the "air locomotive"
the glider kept in the air
for some time and flew back to
the starting ground after some
beautiful curves.

A large crowd viewing the sen-
sational experiment cheered the
daring glide flyer on his return.
Espanlaub plans exhibition
flights all over Germany. Ac-
cording to the opinion of the
pilot of the motor driven plane,
gliders will be able to make much
longer flights when started by an
"air locomotive."

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RANGER MAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE

A man giving his name as S. E.
Vire, 426 Hunt Street, Ranger,
driving a Pontiac coupe, narrow-
ly escaped serious injury or death
when his car caught fire east of
the city near the Santa Fe stock
pens Saturday morning about
2:30 o'clock. The car turned
over at the embankment at this
Santa Fe crossing.

Highway Inspector R. M. Miller
was in the city Saturday and in-
vestigated the affair. Mr. Vire
said he had started to McCamey
from Ranger to be at the bedside
of a daughter who was operated
on there Friday and who was not
expected to live.

The Ranger man said he was
driving pretty fast when the car
caught fire and that he saw the
railing by the crossing. Instead
of going straight over the track
Mr. Vire applied the brakes and
left the car. It went through the
railing, turned over and landed
upright, where it continued to
burn. The man was only slightly
scratched and cut. He came on to
Ballinger and took a bus for Mc-
Camey later in the morning.

The automobile was a total loss.

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RAINFALL HERE TOTALS 5.30 INCHES TO DATE

Rainfall in Ballinger since Jan-
uary 1, 1927, has amounted to
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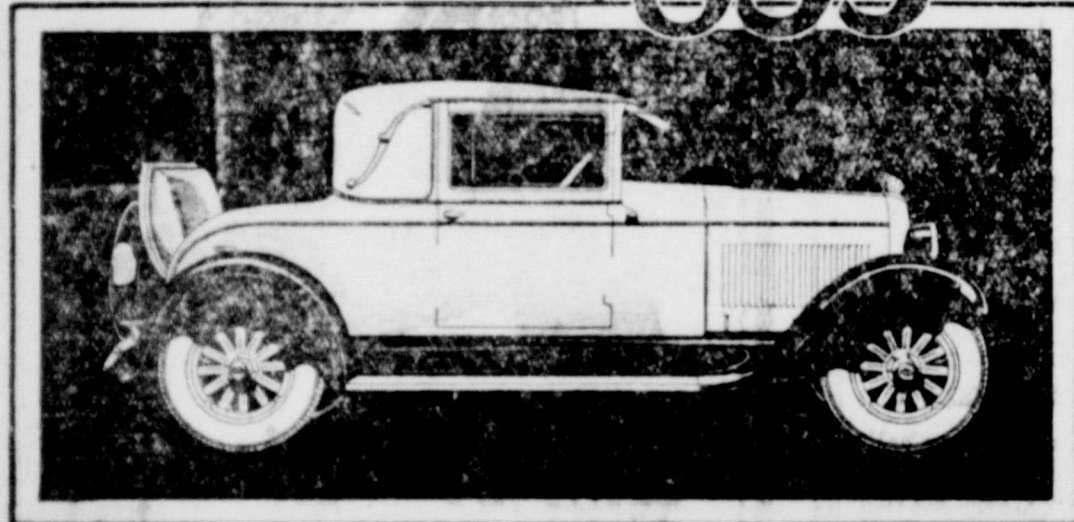
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Two Affairs Honor Bride-Elect

A deep rose color predominated in the appointments for the breakfast given Tuesday morning by Mrs. Malcolm McGregor in her pretty home on Broadway to honor Miss Mildred Herring, popular bride-elect. A profusion of spring flowers were used in the rooms and dainty place cards marked places for the guests at the beautifully laid table with its centerpiece of mammoth verbenas and maiden hair fern. Rose tapers in rose candle sticks finished the table appointments. The hostess served the breakfast in four courses after which a round table discussion on marriage provided much fun. The gift to the bride-to-be from the hostess and her assembled friends was a lovely sewing basket filled with the needed accessories and accompanied by a lovely corsage of geraniums and ferns from Mrs. Jack McGregor.

Those enjoying this pretty affair with Mrs. McGregor and Miss Herring were: Meses, Floyd Carr, A. R. Jones, Leslie Baker, James Wear, D. C. Middleton, Homer Carsey, L. R. Tigner, Ross Murchison, Sim Cottelle, K. V. Northington, Claude R. Stone, C. W. Cheatham, Harry Lynn, R. L. Stephenson, J. R. Lusk, R. W. Earnshaw, Alex McGregor, M. H. Watson, Robert Bruce, Oscar Williams, Cecil Thorp, Clint Penn and Troy Simpson.

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Card of Thanks

I wish to take this method of expressing my thanks and appreciation of the many good words of my friends, who aided in my appointment as Chief of Police, and also to the City Commission of Ballinger who appointed me.

I will do my best to make Ballinger a good officer in this position.

WILLARD McMILLAN,
Chief of Police.
16-1td

Human Pulse Broadcast by Radio in Japan

OSAKA, Japan, April 15.—Human respiration and pulsation has been broadcast here successfully for the first time in Japan. Dr. Shun-ichi Mashita, after a health lecture, connected a stethoscope with a microphone and enabled listeners-in to contrast the pulsation and respiration of a healthy person with that of a diseased one.

Claims Oldest Songbird

Ballymahon, Ireland.—(AP)—John Sparks has a skylark that has sung in his cafe here for 21 years.

Too Many Teachers

GHEENT, Belgium.—(AP)—There are 34 professors for only 29 students at the University of Ghent school of commerce since it was restricted to teaching in the Flemish language.

WINTERS OPENS NEW HI SCHOOL

The board of trustees of the Winters school district have accepted the new \$110,000 high school building that had been under construction there for several months, and a special section of the Winters Enterprise this week was devoted to telling of the merits and advantages of the institution, of the students and of the athletes that have defeated Ballinger so often.

The new school in Winters is one of the best in the county and Winters citizens should be very proud of such a structure in which to educate the future men and women of West Texas. Winters is one of the best towns in West Texas and therefore should have one of the best schools in this section.

Ballinger wishes to congratulate the Winters citizens on the fine building and the citizens of Ballinger are glad to know that they have neighbors who are doing things for the betterment of Runnels county and West Texas.

R. J. Wheeler and son, Jack, and Herman Giesecke Jr., of San Antonio, are here spending the week-end with relatives and friends.

ACHED ALL OVER

Was Suffering Dreadfully, Just "Wasting Away." Took Cardui, and Says It Helped Her.

Arlington, Texas.—A resident of this town for many years, Mrs. J. H. Jackson, says: "I had suffered dreadfully with an aching all over my body. At times my head would give me so much trouble I could hardly stand it. I had been in bed for weeks and it looked like I was just wasting away. I took 9 bottles of Cardui and my strength began to slowly return. Since that time I have used this medicine a good many times and it has always helped me."

"At one time I took Cardui for several months regularly. I would be afflicted with sudden spells of dizziness when I could not stand on my feet. Everything would turn black before my eyes and I would feel as if I were going to faint. At times I would be quite nauseated. I turned at once to Cardui and took it till I was safely through." Cardui is a mild, medicinal tonic, made from purely vegetable ingredients. It has been in use for over 50 years, and in that time thousands of women have written that Cardui helped them back to good health. Sold by all druggists. NC-182

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Movies

German Stars Seen in "Variety" at Palace Monday-Tuesday

Persons who have seen Lya de Putti, featured with Emil Jannings in Paramount's "Variety," declare that not in many moons has a more fascinating actress come to the American screen. In her beauty there is a provocative strangeness, and the almost child-like naivete with which she exercises her allurements is absolutely puzzling.

Miss de Putti is a slight girl, just two more inches than five feet, who weighs 103 pounds. She has black bobbed hair and flashing brown eyes that are so dark they're almost black. Her mouth is small and frequently an expres-

sion not unlike the Mona Lisa smile hovers around its corner.

The leading lady of "Variety" first saw the light of day in Budapest, some twenty-two years ago. Little Lya studied dancing, and in her early teens went to Berlin and became a member of the Winter Garden ballet. Strangely enough, this same Winter Garden was to be the scene of her latest triumph, "Variety," a story of backstage life at that theatre.

In the Winter Garden ballet Miss de Putti's talent was soon recognized and she became the premiere danseuse. While there, Joi Mai, well known German motion picture director, saw Lya and placed her under contract.

Since then, she has appeared in many films and acquired a large European following.

"Variety," which comes to the Palace Theatre Monday and Tuesday of next week, serves as her American debut picture. Emil Jannings, the second featured player, needs no introduction to local audiences. He has played leading roles in "Passion," "The Last Laugh," and many others.

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Easter Dance

A dance will be given Monday night, April 18th in the O. D. H. S. Hall, Rowena.

Music will be furnished by the Rainbow Dance Orchestra. Committee. 15-2td-1tw

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CHURCHES

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. S. P. Hathaway, Superintendent. A wide-awake Sunday school and competent teachers. A most cordial welcome to visitors and strangers.

Morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. Subject, "Christ's Easter Greeting."

Mrs. Jo Wilmett, of Ft. Worth, a former member of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, will sing at both morning and evening services.

Senior C. E. at 7:00 p. m. Evening worship at 8:00 o'clock. Subject, "The Devil of Today."

As Easter comes only once a year, all members of the church are urged to make a special effort to be present at all services. Visitors and strangers are cordially received. If you have not a spiritual home, worship with us. ALVIN O. RUE, Pastor. 1td.

Baptist Church

9:45 a. m., Sunday school; E. E. King, superintendent.

11:00 a. m., preaching service. Subject, "The Crowning Incident of Christianity."

2:00 p. m., Sunbeam Band and Royal Ambassadors.

7:00 p. m., meetings of B. Y. P. U. 8:00 p. m., preaching service by pastor. Subject, "Skylights to Heaven."

8:00 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting. I. Cor. 15.

We are having additions each Sunday both to our Sunday school, B. Y. P. U. and Church. Come and be one among us. J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday school promptly at 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Junior League at 6:00 p. m.

Senior League at 7:00 p. m.

Branch prayer meetings at 7:30 p. m.

A number have given their names for church membership during the meeting. All these and others who wish to unite with

the church will be received at the 11:00 o'clock services.

Tomorrow is the last day of the revival. We hope that you will make a sacrifice if necessary to be present. The musical program will be soul-stirring and inspiring. You have a cordial welcome. R. B. HOOPER, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunrise prayer meeting at 6:30 a. m.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Ross Black, superintendent.

Preaching services at 11:00 o'clock. Subject, "Wonder of the Ages."

Junior Endeavor at 2:30 o'clock.

Battalion for God, No. 1, at Miles, 2:00 o'clock.

Intermediate and Young People's Endeavor at 7:15 o'clock.

Evening sermon subject, "Character Building in Young People."

The public is cordially invited. "The church with a program."

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Church of the Nazarene

(Corner of Ninth Street and Harris Avenue)

9:45 a. m., Sunday school

11:00 a. m., preaching

6:30 p. m., N. Y. P. S.

7:30 p. m., preaching

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

NELLIE A. HILL, Pastor.

Episcopal Church

Sunday school at 10:00 o'clock.

Everyone invited to attend.

Eighth Street Church of Christ

(Corner of Eighth Street and Bousal Avenue)

Bible study 9:45 a. m.

Communion service at 10:30 a. m.

Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at

7:30 p. m. Everyone has a most hearty welcome to each of these services.

First Presbyterian Church

9:45 a. m., Sunday school

11:00 a. m., morning services.

7:00 p. m., Intermediate Christian Endeavor.

7:45 p. m., evening services.

If you do not have a church home, you are cordially invited to worship with us.

E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor.

DAIRY CASHIER IS FOUND DEAD

(By Associated Press)

HOUSTON, April 16.—Charles Black, 23, cashier of a dairy company here, was found dead under an automobile in a ditch near here today.

DEATHS

M. H. Forgey

M. H. Forgey, age 73 years, 1 month 27 days, died Saturday morning at his home, 902 Seventh Street, after a serious illness of several weeks. Death came at 4:45 o'clock in the morning.

Mr. Forgey was a native of Arkansas but has lived in Runnels county for many years. He is survived by a family of several children.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Nazarene church on Ninth Street, with Rev. Nellie Hill in charge.

Interment will be made in the Old Runnels cemetery.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co., undertakers prepared the body for burial.

Pallbearers will be W. C. Mc-

Carver, E. A. Jeanes Jr., Jess Jones, Richard Ransbarger, M. D. Freeman and Perry Boswell.

YOUNG MAN KICKED BY HORSE AT RANCH

Floyd Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, received a painful cut over his right hip when a horse kicked him Saturday morning, at the Russell ranch, east of Ballinger.

Young Thompson was brought to Ballinger for medical attention and returned to his home. He was resting very well Saturday afternoon.

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If the tragedy at Rock Springs Tuesday night had been in Ballinger would the casualty list have shown some members of the Methodist Church who could have been at the revival meeting but were not?

This is not a grave yard story but cold facts. Ballinger is not immune from tragedies.

Some people are crucifying Christ afresh in Ballinger.

It is high time that some people in Ballinger are awaking from that Spiritual Lethargy that will destroy them and others Eternally.

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