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BOYS' AND GIRLS' CLUBS HOLD GREAT ENCAMPMENT

The night program Thursday of the Boys' and Girls' Club encampment, which was here in two day meeting Thursday and Friday, was the high point in the meeting. Following the street parade and activities in the two departments at Fair Park and the tourist park, a swim at the Ballinger Country Club where refreshments were served, the boys and girls and others interested gathered in the grandstand at Fair Park for the program.

About 150 boys and girls took a dip in the beautiful little lake at the country club, while others enjoyed themselves in various ways. Some 250 or 300 were served with ice cream, following which the club members and friends drove back to their quarters in the parks. After the evening meal the speaking and other events were staged in front of the grandstand at Fair Park.

Secretary J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, was introduced by County Agricultural Agent C. W. Lehmburg, after which Mr. Motley presented the other speakers on the program. Judge Paul Trimmer delivered the address of welcome. County Supt. E. E. White spoke on a special subject. Judge O. L. Parish then followed with the main address of the evening. The speeches were interspersed with club yells and songs. Judge Parish who is representative of this district in the Texas Legislature, told the club members and their parents that the future of the boys and girls depended on their taking advantage of their opportunities, which are greater than were before their parents. Success is in store for the boy or girl today who does his or her best, the speaker said, and he enumerated some of the opportunities before the youths of the day. Judge Parish brought out the opportunities to be found by the boys in working their way through the new Texas Technological College at Lubbock, and gave some facts that were not generally known about the school.

The Girls Club of Miles presented one of the most unique plays ever offered here, to conclude the program Thursday night. The girls showed a group arriving at camp, the preparations for the stay in camp, and the activities that are carried on in their annual encampments. First aid was given to those injured in various accidents. After medical attention had been given girls injured in a fall from a tree, and a victim of drowning, someone announced that a girl had sat down in some chewing gum and was in need of first aid. "There is no first aid for that" the young actors chorused. The play was frequently applauded and was complimented as one of the best things on the program.

Judging of dairy stock occupied the attention of the boys on Thursday afternoon, and judging of sheep was carried on Friday morning. Some of the boys are

RATES UNFAIR ON GALVESTON

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 17.—Galveston was held today by the interstate commerce commission to be receiving unfair treatment as compared with New Orleans in fixing freight rates for the South west on exports and imports in coastwise traffic. It is expected that steps will be taken to equalize the rates.

The commission laid down a plan for correcting the condition in new schedules which will become effective on October 2nd. All commodities moving to or from points in Louisiana, west of the Mississippi River, Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma and Southern Kansas, which are given export and import rates were affected by the order. Railroads were ordered to make rates to or from New Orleans identical with the Galveston rates to all points where differences in distances are not greater than one hundred miles. Where differences in distances are greater than one hundred miles and are in favor of Galveston, the railroads were instructed to make lower rates to Galveston than to New Orleans.

MAN FOUND DEAD AND CAR MISSING

(By Associated Press)
TULSA, Texas, July 17.—The body of Fred Conner, an automobile man of this city, was found today on the highway near Kress. There were two wounds on his body.

The automobile in which Conner was returning to Tulsa from Baird was missing.

STORMY SCENES IN COURT; SCOPES TRIAL MAY END MON.

(By Associated Press)
DAYTON, Tenn., July 17.—After Judge Raulston had excluded scientific testimony in the John Scopes evolution case here, the court was adjourned until Monday. The intervening time will be spent by the counsel for the defense in preparing a statement for record of what their witnesses would have testified had they been permitted to take the witness stand.

Judge Raulston's decision to exclude expert testimony from the witness stand developed sharp clashes between Arthur Hays and Clarence Darrow, counsel for the defendant, and Judge Raulston, who is presiding over the court. The thirty-minute court session this morning was stormy, after the defense attorneys had raised their voices in protest at the court's ruling.

Another argument developed on the question of the week-end recess. The defense insisted on this step, while the state protested the move. The court finally ruled for a halt in the proceedings.

Judge Raulston indicated, however, that on his return to the bench Monday he would insist on the case moving more rapidly. This was taken to mean that the case might end Monday.

GRADE CROSSING ACCIDENT KILLS 5, INJURES TWO

(By Associated Press)
BILLINGS, Mont., July 17.—Five members of a Santa Rosa, California, family of eight persons were killed, another fatally injured, and a seventh seriously hurt in an automobile-train crash today.

The family was traveling in a sedan when run over by a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad train at a grade crossing near this city today.

SCENE OF HAMON SHOOTING BURNS

(By Associated Press)
ARDMORE, Okla., July 17.—The Randol Hotel and four adjoining stores were destroyed by fire early today, and the loss was placed at \$300,000.

It was in the Randol Hotel where Jake Hamon, republican National Committeeman from this state was fatally shot by Clara Smith Hamon in November 1923, and from which he later died.

WILL TAKE HAND IN COAL STRIKE

(By Associated Press)
SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., July 17.—The government will take a hand in the anthracite coal field negotiations should an agreement not be reached and the miners' strike called off before September 1st.

The program which the government will pursue in the event of the strike was discussed at a conference here today by President Coolidge and Secretary of Labor Davis. However, the specific plan of the government was not disclosed to the press representatives.

COLLECTORS TO CORPUS NEXT

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, July 17.—Corpus Christi was today selected as the next convention city of the Tax Collectors Association of Texas.

Guy Raley, of Wichita Falls, was elected president of the association.

DR. SMITH OUT SEPTEMBER 1ST

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, July 17.—Dr. Carrie Weaver Smith, who was replaced by Mrs. Agnes Stephens as superintendent of the Girls' Training School at Gainesville, Texas, did not get a vote at the meeting of the state board of control yesterday, it was learned today.

Dr. Smith's tenure of office will expire on September 1st.

Bill Humphrey, accompanied by Mrs. Humphrey, passed through Ballinger Friday morning en route to Buffalo Gap—to visit friends they had not seen in many years. Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey were citizens of Ballinger for many years and are now living at San Angelo.

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PLANES COLLIDE; 3 ARE KILLED

(By Associated Press)
CHARLON SUR SAONE France, July 17.—Three aviators were killed today in mid air collisions between two planes which were training at an aviation school here. The accident happened when a student flier cut across the route of an instructor's machine and rammed it in midair.

HARWELL PLAYING OTHER GARAGES THIS EVENING

The Harwell Motor Co., baseball team will meet a team made up from the other garages of the city this afternoon at 6:00 o'clock at Fair Park. The other automobile men declare the Harwell team is not the only bunch who can play baseball, and intend to show up the tin lizzies. Ladies and children will be admitted free and men will be charged twenty-five cents admission this evening.

Next week will see more games in the inter-city series when the city fire department plays either the West Texas Utilities, the Humble pipe line crew, or Harwell's aggregation. The drugist will play the grocers on Monday, and a hot game is also expected in this contest.

J. C. Swift, of Eastland county, is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. A. Dickinson. Mr. Swift is one of the pioneer citizens of Runnels City.

Carnival OF Bargains

We have replenished our depleted stock of bargains and below we list a few extra specials for SATURDAY:

40c 9 1-4 inch Decorated Salad Bowls	25c
\$1.25 19 oz. H. H. Goblets, 6 for	\$1.00
75c Colored Pearl Beads	49c

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lished herein.

The vital statistic law is not being complied with. Parents should insist that the birth of their child is recorded. It is the duty of the attending physician to do this.

The sheriffs' convention in session at Beaumont this week, by an almost unanimous vote, condemned the search and seizure law as passed by the last legislature. The officers branded the law as a protection to bootleggers, and one which made it difficult for them to enforce the liquor law. The sheriffs should know what they are talking about for they get the blame when the bootlegging business thrives in a community.

When it comes to getting publicity our neighbor city, San Angelo, is in a class with Dayton. All news stories breaking in the territory from San Angelo to the Mexican border are carried in the daily papers under San Angelo date lines.

If the plans and desires of some of the ex-open range cow punchers are carried out, Dudley Tom, one of the first cow punchers to blaze a trail through Runnels county, will be here next month to attend the old cow punchers reunion. An effort will be made to bring him here from Fort Worth to Ballinger to attend the reunion.

We are brought face to face with automobile casualties thru the daily papers every day, but when one stops to consider that everybody is riding on rubber and at a break-neck speed, the fatalities are remarkably low. Not so very long ago it was not uncommon for people to be killed or injured in buggies by runaway teams, and in that day people did not make three hundred mile trips in one day over rough roads.

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ADDS NEW STALLS TO AUTO FILLING STATION

Hamil Ward is adding twelve more new stalls to the facilities for motorists at the Ward Filling Station on Eighth Street. Work on the new sheds is expected to be finished this week, and will be rented to regular customers by the month or longer. This improvement doubles the capacity of the Ward Station, which was unable to take care of all those applying for space to park their cars.

Miss Malone Will Assist In Runnels Encampment

Miss Mayesis Malone will spend Thursday and Friday near Ballinger, assisting Miss Eula Key, Runnels county Home Demonstration Agent, in holding the county encampment of girls' and boys' demonstration clubs.

Miss Key attended the Brown county encampment held about two weeks ago and was so impressed with the good work being done that she wanted Miss Malone to help her and supply her methods to Runnels encampment. —Brownwood News.

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If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

Weeks Drug Store

C. A. Orbeck, formerly cashier of the Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co., of this city, and now of Clifton, where he is engaged in the mercantile business, was a visitor to Ballinger Friday. Mr. Orbeck was accompanied by W. H. Robertson, of Paris, and the gentlemen were seeking a man who sold a mortgaged automobile. Mr. Orbeck was greatly impressed with the growth of Ballinger since he left here several years ago, complimenting the city on its paved streets, fine business houses and the increase in business.

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Another home force revival will begin Sunday, July 19th at the Church of God. This revival will be held under our large tent which will be erected between Eleventh and Twelfth Streets in the 700 block.

We are expecting this meeting to be one that will be long remembered by all lovers of the truth. W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor.

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The Ledger is in receipt of a letter from Stuart L. Williams, Mr. Williams writes from Los Angeles, where he is now living and says everything is moving along nicely in their new home. "We felt the Santa Barbara quake, but there was no damage in Pasadena, of course," says the letter. Mr. Williams is associated with the Mexico Timber Corporation in Los Angeles, but his home is in Pasadena.

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G. A. Keith, representing the Westinghouse Company in the sale of electric farm lighting equipment, has located at Ballinger, after canvassing other sections of the state for a location. Mr. Keith has been living at Temple, and when asked about conditions in that section he said "just about as bad as they can be." Mr. Keith stated that he traveled more than 800 miles in his car seeking a location and chose Ballinger as being in the heart of the best territory. His wife will join him here as soon as he can arrange for living quarters.

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BOARD TO PASS ON BIBLE STUDY

There will be a meeting of the school board at eight-thirty tonight for the purpose of considering a plan to be presented by a committee representing the various churches of the city on the question of Bible study in connection with public school work.

It is not the purpose of those promoting the Bible study to get the Bible taught in the public schools, but to have approved a plan whereby pupils who take a systematic Bible course can receive credit in the public schools for an approved and systematic Bible course taught in the various churches. Accredited teachers will be in charge of the Bible classes and the work will be graded and credit given the same as on any other course taught in the schools.

The committee composed of E. M. Lynn, R. E. White and Mrs. W. A. Taylor, representing the churches of the city who are fostering the move will meet with the school board at the office of the Bennett Abstract Company tonight, and the school board will hear the plan as agreed upon, and will either approve or reject it.

In case the plan is approved and credits allowed on courses taught in the Bible, the pupils desiring to study the Bible will be permitted to attend the classes held in the church of their choice, where instructors to be provided by the churches will be in charge, and where examinations will be held as in any other course of study, and the work graded and credits allowed.

The matter has been under discussion for some time, and the joint meeting of the committee and the school board to be held tonight is the result of several meetings held by representatives from the various churches, and the committee named was delegated to present the matter to the school board and get definite action on it.

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Mrs. R. E. McWilliams and children were among Ballinger people who attended the picnic at Pecan Springs, Thursday.

DEPUTY GAME COMMISSIONER VISITS CITY

Fred E. Morris, Deputy Fish, Oyster and Game Commissioner for this district, known as District No. 10, was a visitor to Ballinger Friday. Mr. Morris' district takes in twelve counties: Runnels, Taylor, Coleman, Callahan, Brown, Eastland, Mills, Comanche, Erath, Hamilton, Bosque and Semervill.

The deputy commissioner declared that his district was the best in Texas, and the citizens were of the highest class, and real sports. While commonly called West Texas, the district takes in the center of the state, and is called "the Heart of Texas district" by Mr. Morris.

A number of game preserves are found in District No. 10, and the commissioner is trying to get these connected up all in one big preserve. The largest preserve is probably that in Coleman county, stretching from the city limits of Coleman to the Runnels and Taylor county borders. Not far away is a game preserve around Buffalo Gap in Taylor county, and others are to be found in Erath, Comanche and Eastland counties. In these preserves the land can be used for farming, ranching and other purposes but all game is protected and full cooperation is given by the state fish, oyster and game department. Special deputy wardens are furnished by the state. Mr. Morris stated that there was much game and fish to be found in the confines of his district, and with proper supervision it would be made a much better place for sportsmen.

Mr. Morris makes headquarters at Meridian, Bosque county, on the Eastern boundary of the district, and Runnels County is the western boundary of the district, making it a little difficult for him to supervise the area properly at present, but he will soon move to some more centrally located point. He is considering an educational campaign to secure respect for the game and fish laws, and will issue some important announcements through the newspapers of this section as the season for certain fish and game open.

While in Ballinger Mr. Morris called on some of the business men of the city, and will appoint special deputy wardens for Runnels county. These men will serve gratis, and will do the work from a patriotic duty standpoint—

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BALLINGER IS BUSY CENTER

"This is the busiest and most stirring little town I ever saw," said a stranger who was here Thursday when the streets were crowded with people who came in to attend the boys and girls club encampment. The stranger was informed by a booster standing near by that it was not such a little town as he might think.

A prominent citizen who motored in from another part of the state last Saturday, and passed through several towns en route

home, was heard to remark that Ballinger had more of the appearance of a city than any town through which he passed, and he passed through places with much larger populations than Ballinger. He could not find a place

to park when he drove into the business district here and was "bustled" off the side walls by the crowd after leaving his car on a side street.

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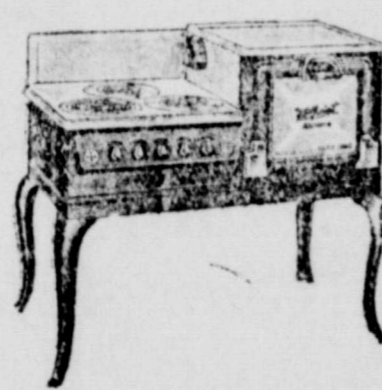
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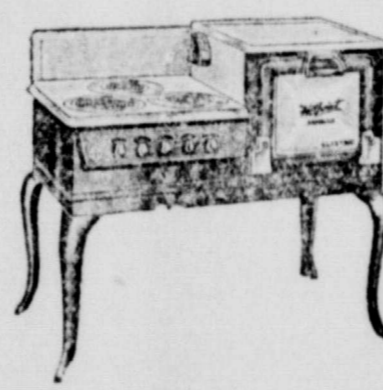
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FINDS COTTON IN GOOD SHAPE ON 10-DAY TRIP

J. F. McMillan, engineer for the Texas Compress Company at this place, who has been making a trip of inspection over the district served by the Ballinger press, declared Friday that this part of the state is in fine condition and bids fair to raise a big crop of cotton with little more rain. Forrest, or "Mac" as he is known among his friends, did not take hearsay for his report on the crop condition, but personally visited the farmers in the fields, and made a close survey.

Mr. McMillan has been ten days on his inspection trip, and declares that cotton in Runnels, Coke, Concho and part of Tom Green counties is good, with the northern part of Runnels county probably the best, although crops in the other counties visited will turn out more than they ever did. Increased acreage in this section is partly responsible for an optimistic view, he said, but cotton is in much better shape than has been reported by superficial observers.

"Mac" also stated that he saw some fine feed crops, and that while maize and other feed products needed rain in places, that if moisture was received in the next ten days or two weeks much grain would be marketed.

LIGHT SHOWERS OF LITTLE BENEFIT

A light shower of rain fell at Ballinger and in spots south of the city Thursday afternoon. The rain was beneficial only to the extent of cooling the atmosphere for an hour or two. The shower was heavier out some distance and between Ballinger and Paint Rock. The cotton crop is entering the critical period when rain would add a few million dollars to its value, while feed is going to the bad for the lack of a good feed making season.

Attention, Royal Arch Masons
Special called meeting of Ballinger chapter No. 184, tonight at 8:00 p. m.
For work in Royal Arch degree, all members requested to be present, visitors cordially invited.
Refreshments.
Attest, J. McGregor, Secy.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Thomas spent Thursday at Pecan Springs, where a big picnic and rodeo was pulled off.



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This morning service was the best this far of the revival. Rev. Hoeker brought a great sermon on the atoning blood of Jesus Christ.

The altar was lined with seekers.

The evangelist will tell tonight "Why God Did Not Make Man With a Tail."

Be sure to be on hand. At the evening services there will be a pounding for the Pastor, Rev. Willis French.

Everyone come and bring something.

"REPORTER"

C. W. Evans, who lives in the Eastern part of the county, was in the city Friday and placed an advertisement in The Ledger offering some of his real estate for sale. He says in his adv. "oil development soon."



At the Queen Theatre Tonight.



Stone Supplies Plot of Buck Jones Film "Gold and the Girl," is the William Fox photoplay running

today and tomorrow at the Fo-To-Sho Theatre. It is a picture of life west of the Rocky Mountains and stars Buck Jones, the popular cowboy actor.

Edmund Mortimer, who is responsible for a number of Fox pictures of this type, directs this picture from an original scenario by John Stone. Elinor Fair has the leading feminine role, and the cast includes Bruce Gordon, Claude Peyton, Lucien Littlefield and Alphonz Ethier, as well as a remarkable new canine actor

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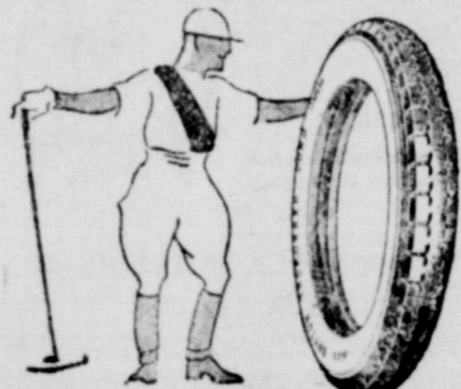
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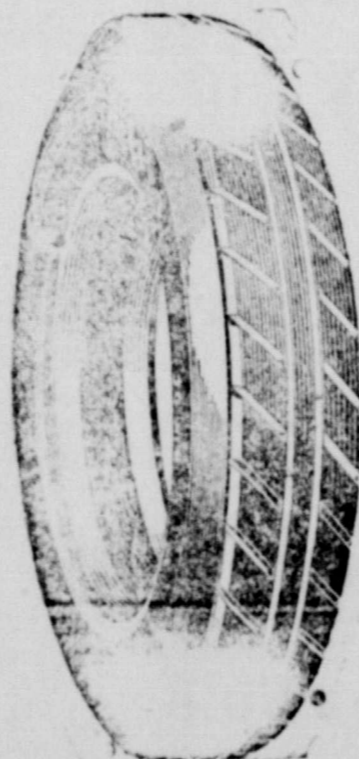
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