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## EXPLOSION IN DANCE HALL CLAIMS 34

### Bremen Will Continue Hop

Captain Herman Koehl and Baron von Huenefeld, German aviators, and Col. James Fitzmaurice, head of the Irish Free State air force, today are planning to hop off from Greenly Island, near Labrador, to Mitchell Field, N. Y., after being forced down in their flight from Baldonnel airdrome, Dublin, to the United States. The flyers were not injured in their forced landing and were reported to be well and happy over their experience.

To these three aviators goes the distinction of being the first to span the Atlantic Ocean on a westward flight.

(By International News Service) BERLIN, April 14.—What yesterday was characterized as "a foolhardy sporting event," was hailed today as a triumph for Germany as Berliners celebrated the first westward spanning of the ocean by two Germans and an Irishman.

Homes of relatives of the flyers are deluged with flowers and congratulatory messages.

DUBLIN, April 14.—Free State officials and the family of Commandant James Fitzmaurice are elated over the success of the Bremen negotiating the first westward flight over the Atlantic.

NEW YORK, April 14.—A. A. Schroeder, general passenger agent of the North German Lloyd steamship line, announced this morning that the Junkers' plane Bremen will attempt a hop-off from Greenly Island "some time today."

Word to this effect from the trio of airmen was relayed to Schroeder by Canadian officials.

CURTIS FIELD, N. Y., April 14.—Fraulein Berta Junkers, daughter of the famous German manufacturer of the Bremen, today announced the proposed flight of a sister plane here to Greenly Island to rescue the three flyers who were the first to span the Atlantic Ocean in an airplane flying westward, yesterday, was definitely cancelled owing to unfavorable weather conditions.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—President Coolidge today congratulated the German-Irish aviators who spanned the Atlantic Ocean yesterday.

MONTREAL, Canada, April 14.—The Canadian government ice breaker, Montcalm, is proceeding under forced draught for Point Amour, Labrador, to pick up Captain Herman Koehl and Baron Von Huenefeld, German aviators, and Colonel James Fitzmaurice, commandant of the Irish Free State air forces, who were forced down there in the Junkers' trans-Atlantic monoplane, Bremen, yesterday, according to radio advices received from the Montcalm's captain today.

### EAST TEXANS TO DISCUSS POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

TYLER, April 14.—Livestock and poultry problems of almost every conceivable nature will be discussed by eminent specialists at the East Texas Livestock Short Course to be held here April 18 and 19. The meeting is being held under the auspices of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce.

It will be the first short course devoted exclusively to all phases of livestock and poultry raising ever held in East Texas, according to J. E. Stanford, agricultural director of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams has returned from San Angelo, where he had been looking after business.

### WINTER PUSHES SPRING OUT HERE

(By International News Service) FT. WORTH, April 14.—Livestock warnings were issued for the northern and eastern sections of the state this morning.

Much colder weather is forecast for south and east Texas and frost if the weather clears is predicted for the southeastern portion of the State.

Slightly warmer weather will prevail Sunday.

Spring weather was knocked for a row of bean-stalks late Friday night and early Saturday morning when a driving wind from the north accompanied by rain, sleet and snow shoved out the torrid zephyrs which had kept the temperature around 90 degrees here most of the day Friday, and lowered the mercury 63 degrees to the 33-degree mark for a new low.

The mercury was around 96 degrees for a high mark on Friday, while Saturday morning the thermometer showed 33 degrees.

Sleet which started early Saturday morning turned into snow about a o'clock and continued for some three or four hours.

This moisture will be of much benefit to growing crops and pastures of Runnels county.

BONHAM, April 14.—Snow and sleet fell here this morning.

### 1 ARRESTED IN BOMB OUTRAGE

(By International News Service) ROME, April 14.—An important arrest was made in connection with the Milan bomb outrage where many persons were killed in a supposed attempt to assassinate King Victor Emanuel this week.

A man named Romeo Tranquilla was arrested at Anzio today with a map in his possession showing where the bomb exploded.

### SPANISH FAMILY NOW ANNOUNCES 25TH CHILD

(By International News Service) MADRID, April 14.—The newspapers of Sanlucar de Barrameda in the province of Cadiz, announce the birth of the twenty-fifth child to a resident only forty-four years old.

The mother has had triplets once and twins four times. All but three of the children are living and doing well.

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### FARM RELIEF BILL SHELVED

(By International News Service) WASHINGTON, April 14.—

The McNary-Haugen farm relief bill passed by the Senate, was quickly shelved by the House today and its own measure substituted.

The Senate bill differed only in minor portions from that of the House.

This necessitates the bill being returned to the Senate after the passage by the House.

### OPENS RACE FOR GOVERNOR

(By International News Service) CENTER, Texas, April 14.—

Approximately 6,000 persons gathered here today to hear Louis L. Wardlaw open his campaign for the governorship of Texas.

### GIRL LOSES EYE, ASKS \$8,300 DAMAGES

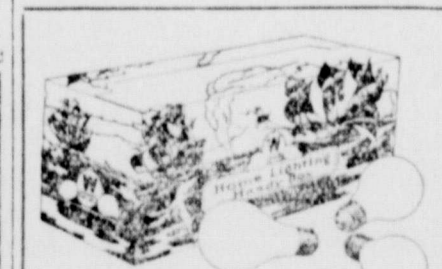
E. W. Sanders, a farmer residing in the northern part of Runnels county, has joined his daughter, Verdine, age 13, in a suit filed at Abilene against N. F. Tate and Joe Dennison, alleged operators of a patent medicine show, for damages totaling \$8,300.

The petition alleges that Verdine Sanders was watching a nail driving contest between two women on the stage of the patent medicine show at Lawn on March 30. A glancing nail from the stage struck the girl in the eye causing the loss of the member. She was taken to a hospital in an effort to save the eye.

### WINTERS PASTOR GOES ON THE RETIRED LIST

Rev. Hal F. Smith, for five years pastor of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. at Winters, and for many years in the ministry, is retiring from active work, and Sunday night the churches of Winters will meet in a union service honoring Rev. and Mrs. Smith. Rev. Smith has passed his three score and ten, and failing health makes it necessary that he go on the retired list. He and his wife will go to Amarillo to make their home near their children.

Frank M. Pearce has returned from Dallas, where he had been looking after business.



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### SNOW SLOWS UP OIL OPERATIONS

There has been little change in oil activities in Runnels county during the past two days and operations Saturday were slowed down due to the inclement weather, but they are expected to increase next week.

Vacuum Oil Company's No. 1 Flanagan is to be spudded some time next week. Rigging has been underway this week and would have been completed Saturday night, but the bad weather halted the work.

Cementing of casing is going on at Vacuum-Owenswood Fowler No. 1.

The three producers, Vacuum's Nos. 1 and 2 McMillan, and Gibson & Johnson's No. 1-A, P. Serrett, were still pumping Saturday. No. 1-McMillan is making about 58 barrels daily; No. 2 about 95 barrels, and No. 1-Serrett about 22 to 25 barrels.

Nine tests are shut down for various causes, seven are active, and five or six new locations have been made with derricks up on some of these and rigging.

Other locations are in the preliminary stages and announcements are expected next week for new wells in the county, most of which are to be north of the Colorado River.

### FREED IN ROBBERY CASE, NOW FOR "HIGHER AIMS"

(By International News Service) WACO, April 14.—Walter Ratliff, former police officer of Shreveport, La., who was freed by a jury here of robbery charges, will go in for "higher things," he announced here. He was charged with participation in the robbery of the negro Farmers Improvement Bank here last year.

Ratliff has begun practicing tricks at Rich Field here. He stated that he will tour Texas with Tom Cook, aviator. Ratliff will do wing walking stunts.

Grady Kinsolving, formerly with the West Texas Utilities Company, and who recently retired from the power company to engage in the newspaper business at Corpus Christi, was in Ballinger on business Friday.

John Look, of the Pure Oil Co., who had been here for the past few weeks looking after work being done on the Giesecke wells, 18 miles east of here, has gone to Fort Worth to look after business.

### Monday Morning SPECIALS

from 7:30 to 8:30 a. m.

### PINEAPPLE

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### PIGGLY WIGGLY

(By International News Service)

WEST PLAINS, Mo., April 14.—Thirty-four persons were killed and many others seriously injured when a terrific gasoline explosion wrecked a crowded dance hall here last night.

The fire which followed the explosion made an inferno out of the building.

Two adjoining buildings were ignited and added to the night's horror.

Many relatives of the victims joined the rescuers and some are believed to have perished in vain attempts at a rescue.

Communication with the outside world is seriously handicapped because of only one outside telephone wire.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., April 14.—

Police today expressed the conviction that an explosion of gasoline in the Weiser Motor Company's establishment here destroyed the dance hall above

while a dance was in progress last night.

Twenty-three persons were killed, of whom 14 are known to be missing, and 30 were injured. The fire which followed the explosion burned many of the bodies beyond recognition.

The conflagration was brought under control at 1 o'clock this morning.

### MOODY GIVES NEGRO LIFE

(By International News Service)

AUSTIN, April 14.—Gov. Dan Moody today commuted to life imprisonment the death sentence of Pete Banks, scheduled to die in the electric chair for the murder of C. P. Jones, LaGrange station agent.

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15227 Bucking Mule—Gib Tanner and His Skillet Lickers.  
75c Casey Jones

15230 We Shall Rise—Smith's Sacred Singers.  
75c I Want To Go To Heaven—Smith's Sacred Singers.

1303 Let A Smile Be Your Umbrella On a Rainy Day—Vocal.  
75c There Must Be a Silver Lining—Lee Morse.

1315 Mamie's Gone Young-Papas 'Gone Old—Vocal.  
75c Mine, All Mine—Vocal by Ed. Lowry.

1286 Somebody Lied About Me—Vocal, Oscar Grogan.  
75c Who Knows?—Vocal, Violin, Cello and Piano Accomp.

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75c Hum All Your Troubles Away—Ford and Glenn.

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**CHURCHES**

**Eighth Street Presbyterian Church**

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
S. P. Hathaway, Superintendent.  
Men's Bible Class, Palace Theatre, 9:30 a. m., M. J. Collins, president.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock; at which time we will observe "The Lord's Supper."

Intermediate C. E. 6:45 p. m.  
Mrs. M. J. Collins, president.  
Evening worship, 7:45 o'clock. Subject, "The Excellent Exchange."

Adult C. E., Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.

If you are not in Sunday school or church we cordially invite you to visit us.

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ALVIN O. RUE, Minister.

**First Christian Church**

Broadway and Murrell.  
Bible school, 9:45.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Sermon, "Loose Him and Let Him Go." Music, "I Know My Redeemer Liveth." (Messiah) Handel; "Morning." (Peer Gynt Suite), Mrs. W. B. Halley.

Evening worship, 7:45 o'clock. Sermon, "Dodging God's Will." Music, "Melodies from Beethoven," "Goodnight," Nevin; Mrs. W. B. Halley.

Evening worship 7:45 o'clock.  
ALFRED CRAGER, Minister.

**Episcopal Church**

Sunday school at the regular hour.

The public invited to attend.

**Ballinger Baptist Church**

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

11:00 a. m., preaching service by pastor. Job 38:22 "The Treasures of the Snow."

3:00 p. m., Sunbeam Band, Mrs. Velma Hale, leader.

6:45 p. m., meetings of the B. Y. P. U.'s. R. E. White, director.

7:45 p. m., preaching service, by pastor. Baptizing at close.

7:45 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting. Choir practice will be held immediately after prayer meeting.

J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor.

**First Presbyterian Church**

9:45 a. m., Sunday school.

11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
4:00 p. m., Junior Christian Endeavor.

6:45 p. m., Intermediate Christian Endeavor.

7:45 p. m., evening service.  
E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor.

**Methodist Church**

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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T. P. PERKINS

For Sheriff:

R. E. (EARL) McWILLIAMS

For Tax Collector:

W. L. BROWN  
ED J. O'KELLY

For Tax Assessor:

MIKE C. BOYD  
SID CASKEY

For District Clerk:

MISS GEORGIA SINGLETARY

For Treasurer:

MRS. JENNIE KIRK

For County Judge:

PAUL TRIMMIE

For County Clerk:

MISS IMA McKOWN  
T. F. BRIDWELL  
C. A. WOMACK

For County Attorney:

C. P. SHEPHERD  
ROY L. HILL

For County Superintendent:

R. E. WHITE

For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1:

C. H. WILLINGHAM

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:

R. J. DEENS

For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1:

O. R. JONAS  
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For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:

H. B. POE

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:

R. A. PERRY

**Junior Epworth League at 5:30 p. m.**

Senior Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

Services every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Woman's Missionary Society every Monday at 3:30 p. m.

R. B. HOOPER, Pastor.

**Church of the Nazarene**

(Corner of Ninth Street and Harris Avenue)

9:45 a. m., Sunday school

11:00 a. m., preaching

6:00 p. m., N. Y. P. S.

7:00 p. m., preaching.

W. LAWSON BROWN, Pastor.

**Church of God**

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m.

Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.

Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.

J. A. PYBAS, Pastor.

**Eighth Street Church of Christ**

(Corner of Eighth Street and Bonsal Avenue)

Bible study, 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Young people's meeting 7 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

W. R. YOWELL, Minister.

**UPSHUR COUNTY STARTS TICK CAMPAIGN MAY 1**

(By International News Service)

AUSTIN, April 14.—Governor Moody today proclaimed a tick eradication campaign for Upshur county starting on May 1st, under the direction of the Livestock Sanitary Commission.

Troy Simpson and Marvin Atkins left Saturday morning for San Antonio to look after business and to attend to Legion matters in Austin.

**Auto Registration In Texas Now Near 950,000 Mark**

(By International News Service)

AUSTIN, April 14.—Automobile registrations in Texas have reached close to the 950,000 mark for the first three months of the year, according to figures furnished by the State Highway Department.

Registrations up to April 1, amounted to 941,523, as compared with 1,123,779 for all of 1927.

Harris county, of which Houston is the county seat, is leading all counties of the state, having registered 61,946 automobiles during the first quarter.

Dallas county is second, having registered 59,128 cars. Harris county was second in 1927, but judged by its present showing will move into first place this year.

Bexar county is third with 57,815, and Tarrant fourth with 37,622.

The result of the discovery of the Winkler county oil pool is graphically revealed in the records of registration. During 1927 Winkler county registered but 221 cars. During the first three months of this year there has been 1,161 registered.

Crane county, also in the West Texas oil section, likewise shot up from 126 cars last year to 1,025 during the first three months of this year.

**BOB OWEN SLIPS ON BANANA PEEL**

Bob Owen, Monday, slipped on a banana peel with a fruit jar in his hand, the jar broke and cut Mr. Owen's hand, not seriously, but pretty bad. Looks kinda suspicious toasting a fruit jar around.—Rotan Advance.

**Cuff Band Effect at Top of Sleeve Finds Fashion Favor**

LONDON, April 14.—A cuff band at the top of the sleeve, just where it joins on to the body of the dress, is one of the latest vagaries of fashion. Sometimes this novel shoulder decoration takes the place of a cuff at the wrist, but in other cases the shoulder cuff is repeated by another cuff in the normal position on the sleeve.

A little turn-down cuff at the shoulder, with a button or two added for decoration, and a similar cuff at the waist, is a striking effect found on the very latest models.

A modified form of the same is shown with a strip of contrasting material let in at the shoulder of the dress or jumper, instead of a regular cuff.

Tom Penn, who is attending Howard Payne College at Brownwood, came in Saturday to visit relatives.

**ALANREED—The chamber of commerce here is meeting every Tuesday to care for the pressing needs arising from oil development in this section.**

ALVORD—A 50x70 mill house is to be erected here.

Engraved calling cards, business cards, wedding stationery, birth announcements, and correspondence stationery. Ballinger Printing Co. 13-1fd

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No. 2 Del Monte Fruit Salad, 3 cans **85c**  
No. 2 Van Camp Sifted Peas, per can **15c**  
1-lb can Barden's Malted Milk (reg. 60¢ size)  
1 Barden's Improved Mixer both **\$1**  
No. 2 1/2 Sun Kist Apricots, 3 cans **85c**  
No. 2 1/2 Del Monte Peaches (Melba Halves or Sliced) 3 cans **70c**  
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# MOVIES

**Hoot Gibson's Latest Picture is a High-Powered Western**

It is generally conceded there are more thrills to the reel in Hoot Gibson's Universal production, "Painted Ponies," showing for the last time tonight at the Palace Theatre, than the sterling western actor has ever offered in one picture before. In addition to a stirring drama that keeps the audience in suspense, lightened with frequent laughter, there are shown a group of rodeo shots than which none more exciting have ever been seen in this city.

Ethlyne Clair heads a feature cast in this production, which was directed by Reaves Eason from the story by John H. Hamlin.

Five quilts or blankets washed for \$1.00. Ballinger Steam Laundry. 10-5td

## DICKSON AND COOPER WIN

Drew Dickson and James Cooper, of Ballinger high school, won the boys' doubles in the district tennis match held at San Angelo Friday afternoon.

Dickson and Cooper won easy sets in the preliminaries, defeating Sonora, Sutton county entry, two love sets, 6-0; 6-0; and defeating Eden, Concho county entry, 6-0; 6-2.

The Sterling City team from Sterling county, went into the finals with the Ballinger players only to lose three sets out of five. The count was as follows: 6-8; 7-5; 8-6; 8-10 and 11-9. Dickson and Cooper worked hard in the last set to defeat the Sterling duo.

In girls' tennis, Miss Lois Alexander, winner of the girls' singles in the county meet, won second place, losing to the Paint Rock, Concho county entry.

Paint Rock entries won the girls' doubles and the boys' singles, also.

Dickson and Cooper will participate in the state meet to be held at Austin in the early part of May.

## SNOW DELAYS DISTRICT MEET

Inclement weather Saturday delayed the annual district Inter-scholastic League meet to be held at San Angelo, according to a telephone message from the San Angelo Standard Saturday morning.

Several contestants from Runnels county schools were already in San Angelo for the meet while others planned to go over Saturday for the field and track events and for the finals in the literary events.

The finals and the field meet have been postponed and will probably be held Friday and Saturday of next week in San Angelo.

Be wise and advertise

## BEARCATS HOLD LOBOES TO TIE

Coach Felton Wright's Bearcats of Ballinger high school battled the Big Dam Loboes from Cisco high school to a 6-6 tie here Friday afternoon before a fair sized crowd in the first spring football game ever played in this section of West Texas.

The Bearcats got off to a flying start by Middleton, Bearcat center and captain, recovering a fumble and racing to the Loboes 15-yard line. From that distance the Bearcats took the oval over the goal line for their only touch-down of the game, on a lateral pass, Parrish to Beck to Coker. Arthur missed the try for extra point after both teams were off-side.

The Loboes scored in the second quarter when Kellogg, quarter, passed over the goal line to Pinkerton, Lobo center. Eddleman, full and captain of the Loboes, missed the try for extra point.

There was no more scoring, however the the Loboes were on the Bearcat 6-inch line for several downs during the last quarter, but "Smoky" Lusk, Bearcat tackle saved the day when he recovered a fumble on the Bearcats 8-yard line and Beck booted the pigskin out of danger.

The locals outfought the Cisco eleven in the first half, making two first downs to the Loboes' goose-egg, but in the second half the visitors scored eight first downs while the Bearcats played defensive football.

Coach Wright's first eleven played the entire game without a single substitution, while Coach Chapman of the Loboes, used three subs.

The thermometer stood around 90 degrees throughout the entire game and it was an afternoon that would have been more suitable for a baseball game. Neither players nor fans, however, showed any signs of the hot weather, and

stuck it out for the entire game.

Eddleman, Lobo full, proved to be the best ground gainer on either team. He would go thru the line from 4 to 14 yards on almost every try, however the Bearcat forwards would sometimes stop him for a loss.

In the second half

In the second half, James Parrish, last year's captain, came near getting away for a touch-down on the kick-off. He was stopped by a lone Cisco Lobo after he had passed the half-way mark to the goal.

The entire Bearcat team played good football and had they been in the spirits last fall they were Friday afternoon, not a single game would they have lost. The entire line showed lots of pep and fight and were in good condition. The backs played nip and tuck ball through the 48 minutes of play.

Coach Chapman brought 32 Loboes and whelps with him here for the game. The Bearcats play a return game at Cisco in May. Next week the team meets the San Angelo Bobcats here and the next week they go to San Angelo for a game. Efforts are being made to get a game with the Abilene Eagles, runners-up in last year's state race.

The starting line-ups were as follows:

Ballinger—ends, Jones Parrish and Robinson; tackles, Lusk and Smith; guards, Reese and Daugh-

erty; center, Middleton (c); quarter, Beck; halves, James Parrish and Arthur; full, Coker. Cisco—ends, Stoekard and Meaders; tackles, Barham and Coldwell; guards, McCaulies and Wagner; center, Pinkleton; quarter, Turkinett; halves, Coates and King; full, Eddleman (c).

Penalties: Bearcats, 3 times for 30 yards; Loboes, 1 time for 20 yards.

First downs: Loboes, 8; Bearcats, 2.

Officials: Wooden, referee; Earnshaw, umpire; Penn, time-keeper; Brady, head linesman.

Five quilts or blankets washed for \$1.00. Ballinger Steam Laundry. 10-5td

### NOTED SURGEON TREATS RICH MAN'S CHILD BY FILMS SENT FROM U. S.

(By International News Service)

LONDON, April 14.—An American millionaire, it is divulged recently wanted a famous London surgeon to go to New York to treat his small child. Though the surgeon was offered a very large fee, he was not prepared to make the journey.

He was surprised shortly afterwards, however, when an American doctor arrived with a complete cinema film of all the child's movements during the period of 24 hours.

To exhibit the film a local cinema was hired. The British surgeon carefully examined the film and drew up a report, which the American doctor immediately took back to America.

Later he arrived again with another film showing the result of the treatment in detail, together with a big cheque, and a letter of thanks from the relieved father.

Miss Marjorie Violet, superintendent of the Halty & Love Sanitarium, has gone to Tennessee where she will visit for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dickinson and son, of Carrizo Springs, are here visiting Mr. Dickinson's mother, Mrs. R. A. Dickinson.

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**SUNDAY SCHOOL  
REPORT**

Baptist

Enrollment, 455  
Present, 321  
New members, 12  
Offering, \$16.98

First Presbyterian

Enrollment, 130  
Present, 110  
Visitors, 2  
Offering, \$14.15

8th Street Presbyterian

Enrollment, 173  
Present, 146  
Offering, \$8.92

First Methodist

Enrollment, 309  
Present, 227  
New members, 5  
Offering, \$10.02

**OPEN FLYING SCHOOL  
AT ROOSEVELT FIELD**

(By International News Service)

NEW YORK, April 16.—Roosevelt Field, where Lindbergh, Byrd, Chamberlin and other famous flyers hopped off on their trans-Atlantic flights, is to be a flying school.

The school will be operated by Lieut. Henry B. Clark, an experienced flyer. He will be the manager. Four planes have been purchased for delivery shortly. Office space has been mapped off in one of the hangars on the field.

Practically all flying activities have centered in this region. Curtiss Field adjoins Roosevelt Field, and there are always airplanes zooming overhead in the vicinity when the weather is propitious. Aviation fans on occasions have flocked to Roosevelt and Curtiss fields by automobile.

The Roosevelt Field runway, nearly a mile long, is to be moved a short distance to the south, but will remain the original length. It is to be graded and surfaced.

The field is owned by J. J. Lannin, former owner of the Boston Red Sox. He possesses large parcels of land on Long Island, near Garden City. A portion of Roosevelt Field has been purchased by the Meadowbrook Club for polo practice fields, but there is enough left for the air school.

Aviation clubs report a tremendous increase in interest among young men in flying.

Misses Lenora Smith and Fannie May Jackson have gone to Hillsboro and Waco, where they will spend a week with relatives and friends. They will return next Sunday.

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SID CASKEY
- For District Clerk:  
MISS GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For Treasurer:  
MRS. JENNIE KIRK
- For County Judge:  
PAUL TRIMMIER
- For County Clerk:  
MISS IMA M-KOWN  
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- For County Attorney:  
C. P. SHEPHERD  
ROY L. HILL
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C. H. WILLINGHAM
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- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1:  
O. R. JONAS  
PAT TILLERY
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:  
H. B. POE
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:  
R. A. PERRY

**Fifty Years To Come Will Bring  
Great Changes, Says Philip Gibbs**

By James L. Kilgallen  
(International News Service Staff  
Correspondent)

NEW YORK, April 16.—Fifty years from now, in the opinion of Sir Philip Gibbs, British journalist and novelist, there will be—  
No motor cars  
No restaurants  
Perhaps no telephone or telegraph  
And maybe no newspapers.

By 1978 all this thing will be out of date, he says in his new book, "The Day After Tomorrow," which concerns conditions that will exist a half century from now.

**Aerial Highways Crowded**  
"The ordinary man will take the air as now he gets into a motor car," he writes. "The aerial highways will be crowded with the traffic of tourists, trippers, traders and persons paying social visits to friends and families hundreds of mile away."

Fifty years from now there will be no restaurants, according to the picture he envisions sitting before his typewriter as if it were a crystal glass. He says there will be "no public banquets with seventeen courses to poison the guests, no anxiety for the young married woman who has been advised to feed the brute."

"There will be," he explains, "a few bottles of A, B, C or D vitamins on the mantel shelf from which the family and friends will help themselves—just a drop or two on a dry biscuit—when their intellectual activities call for a little refreshment."

Thought transference or mental telepathy will be in use years from now. It probably will have displaced the telegraph and telephone, he thinks by 1978. He visualizes the hard-working business man going into a darkened room, where he can concentrate and establish mental communication with a client or a prospect in another country, thousands of miles away.

**Newspapers in Museums**  
Newspapers may become curiosities, to be found only in museums, because, he believes, television will permit movie audiences to watch and hear the scene of contemporary history as it is being enacted all over the globe. When television reaches its full development, it is Sir Philip's idea that reading may become

only a hobby to the old-fashioned folk and great students.

Sir Philip insists that what he has written in his new book is not fantastic. He cites the cold statement of scientists to establish that his theories are logical in view of the irresistible march of progress. This is not his first venture in prophecy. In a previous volume, "Ten Years After," he made predictions that since have been verified, particularly ones that related to aviation and its possibilities.

**SWEETWATER SELLS  
WATERWORKS BONDS**

SWEETWATER, April 16.—The \$250,000 waterworks and sewer bonds that were voted by this city on February 29 were sold by the city commission Saturday to the Brown Crummer Investment Company at an interest rate of 4 3/4 per cent plus a premium of \$5,095. Eleven companies participated in the bidding. A new commissioner, Carl Ragland, who was elected on April 3rd, was sworn in at this meeting.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

- W. H. Harrison and Miss Ethel Murrell.
- B. F. Low and Miss Katie Ray Weems.
- Jimmie Barfield and Miss Callie North.
- Esekuil Gomes and Miss Macaria Lara.

Mrs. Gib Gilchrist, district deputy of the Royal Neighbors, is in Ballinger spending a few days looking after R. N. A. interests.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henson are the proud parents of a baby girl born to them at their apartment on Twelfth Street last Saturday. Mother and daughter are resting very well.

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**Elsie Mackay's Pet Dog  
Cries for Lost Mistress**

(By International News Service)  
LONDON, April 16.—"Duff," a huge mastiff which was for many years the pet of the Hon. Elsie Mackay, is feeling keenly the loss of his mistress, who was lost in an attempt to fly the Atlantic Ocean with Capt. W. G. R. Hinchliffe.

Ever since she started on the flight, the dog has gone whining about the house in search of her. Miss Mackay had five dogs, but "Duff" was the favorite. Members of her family declare that all attempts to reconcile the dog to his mistress' loss are unavailing.

Neil McAlpine has gone to Dallas to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McAlpine.

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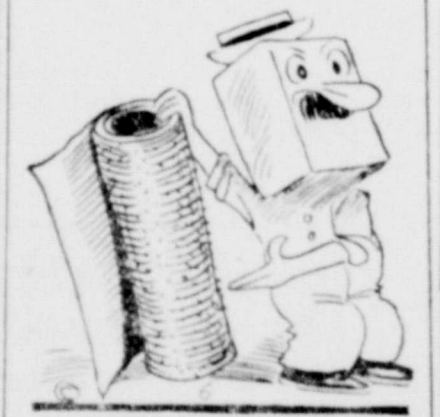
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**SMALL TRADERS  
GET FINANCIAL  
HELP FROM U. S.**

By Robert S. Thornburgh  
(International News Service Staff  
Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Opening up a correspondence school for the "little fellows" of the retail business, the department of commerce has launched a movement to help the small merchant make profits and to steer him clear of the reefs of bankruptcy.

A special section of the domestic commerce division was established for the purpose of co-operating with "merchants in helping them to help themselves," according to an announcement by Dr. Frank Surface, assistant director.

The "little fellow" is the vulnerable spot in America's business picture—true in the cases of trading establishments, manufacturing, and banking. Most of the losses from business failures arise from these classes and according to Dr. Surface it is "the so-called little fellow in business, who can profit to greater advantage from governmental assistance."

Business failures for 1937 reported by the Federal Reserve Board showed that 16,082 trading concerns "went to the wall," with average liabilities of \$14,262. Total failures including 5,682 manufacturing establishments and 1,382 brokers and agents, had aggregate liabilities of \$520,195,000 for the year, as compared with \$409,232,000 in 1926.

January failures numbered 2,643 of all classes, an increase of nearly 200 over the same month last year. Considerably over half of the failures were trading concerns.

Information collected by the commerce department showed that 79 per cent of all retailers operating in the United States may be termed "small business establishments."

"Information has been compiled dealing with a wide range of retail store problems, such as location and planning, education

of retail sales forces, budgetary control, traffic congestion and retail markets, which is available to merchants on application," Surface said.

"As the department's work develops a much greater range of information will be available to the business man to assist him in avoiding the mistakes which have wrecked so many small firms."

**TEMPERATURE CHANGE  
BURSTS GLASS EYE**

BALLINGER, April 16.—Walking from a heated room into nearly freezing weather caused the glass eye of T. M. Brown, a driller for the McAlester Oil Company, to burst, one day last week. The eye socket was severely cut by the flying glass particles.

The embedded glass was removed from the socket and the wounds dressed by a local surgeon.

**Read This! If You Have  
Varicose Veins**

If you or any relative or friend are worried or suffer because of varicose veins, or bunches, the best advice that anyone in this world can give is to get a prescription that literally hundreds of people all over the country are using with complete satisfaction.

Simply ask your druggist for an original two-ounce bottle of Emerald Oil and apply night and morning to the swollen, enlarged veins rubbing gently upward and towards the heart as the blood in the veins flows that way. Soon you will notice that they are growing smaller and the treatment should be continued until the veins are of normal size. Emerald Oil is a powerful, yet harmless germicide and results are guaranteed by Weeks Drug Store and all good druggists.

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**BANKRUPTCY NOTICE SMITH ANNOUNCES  
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To the Voters of Runnels County: It is after due consideration that I have decided to ask your support in my candidacy for District Clerk of Runnels County. I have been a resident of Runnels County for six years, living at Winters almost three years and at Ballinger the remainder of the time. I served as assistant to Mr. White in the County Superintendent's Office almost three years and have been working for Mr. E. Shepperd the past several months. For references as to my character and ability I refer you to either of the above mentioned gentlemen and to any business man in Winters or Ballinger who knows me.

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, at San Angelo, Texas, April 13, 1928.  
In the matter of John Leeberry Seals, Bankrupt.  
No. 443, in Bankruptcy  
San Angelo, Texas, April 13, 1928.  
Creditors of John Leeberry Seals, a Farmer, of Winters, Runnels County, Texas, are hereby given notice that John Leeberry Seals was duly adjudicated a bankrupt upon his voluntary petition filed herein on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1928, and that the first meeting of creditors herein will be held at the office of the Referee in San Angelo, Texas, April 27, 1928, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupt, elect a trustee and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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**Notice**

The regular monthly business meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the club rooms this evening at 7:30.

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I realize that it is an honor to be entrusted with the responsibility of a public office, and should I be fortunate enough to be your choice, I pledge you my most sincere efforts in discharging the duties of the same. I shall endeavor to meet each and every voter in the next few weeks.

Respectfully submitted,  
E. HOYT SMITH.  
16-1td-1tw

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**ADVANCE FASHIONS FROM ABROAD**

By Ethel Marshall

(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

**Bizarre Fashions are Seen This Year**

LONDON, April 16.—Some of the most bizarre fashions ever conceived will be worn by women this year, according to the dress experts who attended the Drapery, Textile and Women's Wear Exhibition, recently held here.

Three typical fashions are: Skull caps that hide the last remaining vestige of woman's hair.

Sports costumes with geometrical designs and with necks deliberately askew.

"Not since the days of be-wigged Georgian ladies have women so completely concealed their hair," one of the manufacturers in attendance stated. "The caps mostly have picturesque ear pieces that hide the ears too. Women will wear them instead of evening scarves at theatres, and even at private dinners.

Fashion has, literally speaking, gone crazy so far as sports wear is concerned. Mannequins paraded one hall at the exhibition in jumpers in which the necks were purposely crooked. In one jumper, for instance, the V, instead of coming in front, was

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twisted around almost to the shoulder.

There is a craze for applique and for patchwork—on jumpers, on coats and on hats. Some of the models wore sports jumpers boldly marked out in brilliantly colored circles, triangles and diagonal stripes. One model was outlined in orange triangles and rising suns.

For morning and afternoon wear, skirts are to be barely to the knees. Two color stockings are the rage in Paris, it was said, and flesh colored stockings with emerald green heels, or grey legs and scarlet heels, strike the predominant note.

**SPANISH SINGING AND DANCING TAKE PLACE OF RUSSIAN IN PARIS**

(By International News Service)

PARIS, April 16.—The Spanish craze is now replacing the love for everything Russian in the French capital. Spanish dancers and singers are looming up on every music and concert-hall programme and "Ole, Ole," shouted to the click of the castanets, has taken the place of the much-beloved "Volga Boat Song."

The Opera Comique has been having record-breaking houses for Manuel de Falla's Spanish festival, with the charming Spanish dancer, Argentine interpreting "L'Amour Sorcier."

Vincente Escudero, another dancer from little Spain, is also in Paris, giving example of the popular steps of Spain, the seguidilla, the jota, and gitana dances.

Clarence Allrey, of Brownwood, was in Ballinger during the week, and visiting friends.

**96 HEAD OF POLO PONIES SHIPPED TO EFFETE EAST**

(Brady Standard)

Whatever else may be said of the effete East, one thing is certain, and that is that the sportsmen there know and appreciate good horse-flesh. This is proven by the fact that for the past several months 96 head of McCulloch county's hand-picked horses have been in training a mile south of town on the London road, for polo ponies. Messrs. Ben Strickland, J. E. White and Tom Ford have been putting the animals through their paces, and to such good purpose that the majority are now finished products and ready for market.

Word has been received that the first shipment of 30 head, sent to Red Bank, N. J., in charge of

Hobart Reed, and consigned to J. E. Myers, arrived safely on Friday, March 30th. A second shipment of 30 head will be loaded out next Monday night, consigned to Long Island City, N. Y., with Tom Ford in charge of the shipment.

The remaining 36 head will be shipped out within the next few weeks with Ben Strickland in charge.

McCulloch county's fame for raising the best polo ponies in the U. S. dates back 20 or more years ago when Conover made this section renowned because of the fine animals trained by him. This splendid reputation has been fully maintained for the past number of years through the animals trained and marketed by White and Strickland, with Ford joining them in their successful efforts.

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