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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

\$50,000 Purse For Dallas To Hong Kong Hop

(By International News Service)
 LOS ANGELES, Aug. 14.—A \$50,000 prize will be given the first flier who makes a successful hop from Dallas, Texas to Hong Kong, China, according to an announcement made public today by William (Col. Bill) Esterwood, Dallas millionaire and aviation enthusiast.
 Three stops will be permitted under his offer, at San Francisco, Honolulu and Tokio.

Permits Issued Total \$10,512.50

Permits issued by the city commission in accordance with the new building code recently adopted have totalled \$10,512.50 since August 1. The figures for the month indicate that building activities, consistently brisk throughout the summer, are facing a slight lull at the present time. Several residences were improved, and a number of alterations were made. An itemized building report follows:

- J. H. Wilke, to construct new floor in a building on Railroad Avenue, \$80.
- C. D. Mills, to construct a residence on Hamilton Avenue, in Wilke Terrace, \$4,000.
- Ballinger Independent School District, to build a water closet, \$10.
- Sam Behringer, to build a temporary shed on Hutchins Avenue, \$50.
- Mrs. C. C. Sannaway, to improve roof on residence on Fifth street, \$450.
- J. M. Fields, to repair residence on Sealy Avenue, \$72.50.
- C. A. Womack and R. E. White, to construct a three brick garage on Tenth street, \$900.
- Henry Jones, to repair gas pumps and sidewalk on Hutchins Avenue, \$10.
- R. J. Kelly, to alter building on Broadway, \$95.
- T. M. Marsh, to remove old building on Strong Avenue, \$95.
- G. G. Odum, to build sleeping porch on residence on Tenth street, \$780.
- B. F. Cortum, to construct garage on 12th street, \$75.
- Hans Gottschalk, to construct garage and fence on Ninth St., \$475.
- R. M. Williams, to construct 2 residences on Third street, \$2,000 each, \$4,000.
- B. M. Smith, to install new porch floor on residence on 13 street, \$25.
- A. L. Spann, to construct awning on building on Hutchins Avenue, \$5.

COMANCHE CONTRACTORS ERECTING BUILDING FOR NEW CHEVROLET FIRM

Gage Brothers, building contractors of Comanche, have begun construction work on the building to house Healer Chevrolet firm here. J. A. and E. E. Gage are the members of the partnership. They have done considerable building for Higginbotham Bros. & Co., in Comanche and other points.
 The new building will be 80 by 140 feet, and will be of stucco. The contractors are uncertain as to the approximate date on which it will be completed, as two small buildings on the site are yet to be removed. However, work will be rushed, they declared.

This represents the first work of the contractors in this section of West Texas. They have had contracts in Goree, but with this exception have not been in West Texas building activities.

M. B. Healer, manager of the Healer Chevrolet Company, of Ballinger, left Tuesday for Dallas on a business trip.

Be wise and advertise.

Cleans Up Plotters



One of the latest pictures of President Plutarco Elias Calles of Mexico, who, following the assassination of President-elect Alvaro Obregon, massed the federal army and rural units to run down anti-Obregon plotters. He has announced he will remain in office only long enough for Mexico to choose a successor to the martyred leader.

Police Seek To Protect Negro

(By International News Service)
 EVANSTON, Ill., Aug. 14.—Police are taking unusual precautions to protect from mob violence Davis Shanks, negro who late yesterday confessed to murdering Jennie Meta Constance, 42, Peoria school teacher and summer student at Northwestern University.
 The negro was traced through a wrist watch stolen from the dead woman, Shanks confessed. The negro is hidden away in an outlying police station.

Moody Supports National Ticket

(By International News Service)
 AUSTIN, Aug. 14.—Governor Dan Moody said that he was uncertain as to whether or not he would stump the state for the national ticket.
 He declared that he would support the national ticket, however, and would make speeches for the national ticket if requested to do so.

Card of Thanks

We are very grateful to the merchants of Ballinger and the Chamber of Commerce for their resolution pledging their support to the selling of Ballinger made bread and urging the public to buy it.
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Mrs. J. F. Currie and Mrs. G. G. Dunlap spent Tuesday in Abilene.

New Hurricane Is Headed For Florida Coast

(By International News Service)
 JACKSONVILLE, Aug. 14.—The Florida coast between Pensacola and Apalachicola will feel the effects of a tropical hurricane sweeping inland now sometime today or tonight, the local weather bureau revealed today.
 Apalachicola is in the direct path of the storm, which is expected to reach as far westward as Pensacola.
 Much suffering is reported along the west coast, due to heavy rains following the recent storms. The lowlands around Tampa are reported submerged.

Boynton Named City Attorney

M. H. Boynton was selected as city attorney by the commission to succeed A. K. Doss, whose resignation was accepted by the body recently. Mr. Doss offered his resignation in view of the fact that he is removing to Abilene on September 1.
 Mr. Boynton is associated with Mr. Doss in the law firm of Doss and Boynton. Mr. Boynton has accepted his appointment, and is now legal representative of the city of Ballinger.

Smith Firm for Debate In Church

(By International News Service)
 ALBANY, Aug. 14.—Unless Governor Alfred E. Smith is permitted to defend his political career from the pulpit of Calvary Baptist church, of New York, he will not engage in a debate with the Reverend John Roach Stratton, pastor of the church.
 The governor made this plain in a letter to the minister today. "The answer to my request to appear in your church before your parishioners is 'yes' or 'no' the governor's letter stated.
 "Unless, and until, I hear from you in the affirmative, the matter is closed."

COLORADO GOVERNOR ACCEPTS NOMINATION IN EIGHT WORD SPEECH

(By International News Service)
 DENVER, Aug. 14.—Governor William H. Adams, of Colorado shattered two records here recently in his acceptance, formal or informal as you like it, of the Democratic nomination for reelection.
 The first record broken was in regard to brevity. His talk consisted of a total of eight words. They were:
 "Well, I guess I've got to do it."
 The second record to fall before his unordinary character was in regard to the size of his audience that heard the acceptance. This number reached a total of one Thomas Annear, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee was the only other person in the room.

Mrs. Chester Cherry, Mrs. M. B. Wardlaw, Misses Malcorine Wardlaw, Katrina Dooze and Margaret Morley, left Tuesday for Carlsbad, New Mexico, and other points, on a week's trip.
 Mrs. Max Russell and two daughters, Maxine and Nell, left on a sightseeing trip to Colorado.

Bill Pagles left Monday night for Dallas and other North Texas points, where he will spend his vacation.

H. L. Thompson, shop foreman of the Sykes Motor Company, is attending a 30-day mechanical school conducted by Willys-Overland, Inc., at Dallas.

Quits Calles Cabinet



Openly accused with other leaders of the Mexican Labor party of being one of the "intellectual authors" of General Alvaro Obregon's assassination, Luis N. Morones, minister of industry, has tendered his resignation to President Calles. He denied sympathy for Obregon opposition.

Republicans Of Texas In Meet

(By International News Service)
 FORT WORTH, Aug. 14.—The Republican state convention opened harmoniously here today. The credentials committee yesterday settled disputes of five county delegations, those of Bexar, Erio, Robertson, Hidalgo and San Augustine.

A contest loomed today over chairmanship of the Hidalgo county executive committee. However, the convention has recognized Harry M. Carroll, of Donna, who left the regulars at the Dallas convention and joined the group opposing the instructed delegation to the national convention. Claims of William Ferguson, of Mission, have been rejected.

Name Assistant Att'y General

(By International News Service)
 AUSTIN, Aug. 14.—Galloway Calhoun was today appointed first assistant attorney general by Claude Pollard. He succeeds D. A. Simmons, who resigned to practice law in Houston.
 Two vacancies are now left on Pollard's staff, and will be filled on September 1. West Texas is favored for the posts, Pollard intimated.

Cap. Named for the Bremen Crew

(By International News Service)
 BERLIN, Aug. 14.—American girls had their "Lindbergh hat" and German girls are now wearing their "Huenefeld cap."
 The "Huenefeld cap" is modeled after the fier's cap of Baron Guenther von Huenefeld member of "Bremen" crew that flew to America.
 The "Huenefeld cap" has a monocle sewed to it.

This because the monocle is one of the characteristic symbols of the "flying baron" and though the number of monocle-wearing girls has been increasing in Germany as well, it is not so easy for every girl to hold it steadfastly and still make her face look natural.

The "flying baron" wore his monocle all across the Atlantic and lost it only when a rose thrown by a fair hand at the auto of the "Bremen" crew during the reception in Bremen hit him in the eye.

Plot For Uprising In Mexico Is Discovered

Defeated Man Files Contest

(By International News Service)
 FORT WORTH, Aug. 14.—Jesse Martin, district attorney, announced today that he would file a contest against R. A. Sturgis, who defeated him for office in the primary election by 271 votes, after a bitter campaign.

Good Will Fair Trip Scheduled

August 28 and 29 were selected as dates for a "good will" trip over the county and neighboring sections by boosters of the Runnels County Fair at a meeting of the board of directors in the offices of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday morning. J. D. Motley, secretary of the organization and directory of the cooperative fair, announced.
 A complete itinerary for the "good will" trip will be announced at an early date, and further plans will be made, it was said. Routine business was disposed of the meeting.

Hoover's Speech Is Ranked High

(By International News Service)
 SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 14.—Herbert Hoover's acceptance speech is a document ranking high in political discussion, is the opinion of President Coolidge.
 After thoroughly digesting the pronouncements of the former secretary of commerce, the president today sent the following congratulatory message to the nominee: "Your speech of acceptance ranks very high in political discussion. I congratulate you upon it and upon the reception which has been given it by the country."

Last Test For Separation Of Siamese Twins

(By International News Service)
 NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Final tests are being made today to determine when and how an operation to separate Mary and Margaret Gibbs, Siamese twins, will be performed.
 Margaret's blood pressure, high through excitement for several days, is reported normal.
 The twins are determined to go through with the operation in order that Mary may marry the man she loves.

THE WEATHER

 (By International News Service)
 West Texas: Partly cloudy, local showers in the extreme west.
 East Texas: Generally fair.

(By International News Service)
 MEXICO CITY, Aug. 14.—Discovery of a plot for a simultaneous uprising in the states of Durango, Guanajuato and Coahuila was announced today by General Lescobar, chief of military operations in that district.
 A roundup is being made of members of Catholic Leagues of these states, and twelve leaders have already been arrested.

Du Pont Donates \$50,000 To Fund

(By International News Service)
 NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Democratic national headquarters today received a \$50,000 check from Pierre H. DuPont, chairman of the board of General Motors, who recently announced his support of Governor Al. Smith for the presidency, even though he has hitherto been identified only with the Republican party.
 This check was the largest received to date, and is one of the largest ever recorded in any campaign. DuPont stated that he is supporting Smith because of the candidate's attitude toward modification of prohibition.

MRS. GUION DISPLAYS HOME-GROWN PEACH

The following article concerning Mrs. John I. Guion, who moved from here several years ago, appeared in the Monday Dallas News:
 "A 3-year-old Dallas Elberta peach tree has produced nearly a pound-weight peach, according to the ocular evidence forwarded to J. J. Taylor of The News staff by Mrs. John I. Guion, 5526 Monticello avenue. The unusual bearing quality of the tree set out three years ago by Mrs. Guion is noted. It bore one peach last year. This year it has produced several dozen, none weighing less than half a pound and many up to three-quarters. The peaches are of exceptional juicy quality and sweetness. The peach in question barely missed weighing an even sixteen ounces."

BORGER—Work has been started on laying 2500 feet of sewer mains in South Berger.

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An editorial in The Ledger Monday revealed the sentiment of a number of citizens who contended that parking markers and signs should be provided by the city commission, in line with the recently enacted traffic ordinance. News is herewith brought that such signs will be provided, an order having been placed for 40 signs. These will be placed at proper intervals in the restricted regions, and will be an easy matter for a driver to recognize points at which parking time is limited.

The new traffic code becomes of force and effect on Thursday, August 16th. Every citizen should read the official rules published in The Ledger, and familiarize himself with the various provisions of the ordinance. There should be little necessity for arrests on violations of the traffic code; it is most reasonable and is easily understood.

Rumors are current to the effect that the proposed bond issue, involving \$525,000 on the part of the special road district of Runnels County, to be matched dollar for dollar by both the state and federal departments provided the required majority in favor is received in the election September 1, is not being so favorably received. Opposition is based upon tax increases.

Opponents of the issue might well consider the proposition from this angle: Coleman, Taylor and Tom Green counties have already voted to inaugurate good road programs, and have received state and federal aid. Construction work in these counties is well under way. Should Runnels fail to carry the proposed issue, federal and state aid offers will be withdrawn, and the county will be left in the midst of counties boasting through systems of good roads, in this event progress of the county would be seriously retarded, as is evidenced by many Texas counties void of good road systems.

BARNETT NEWS

Harvey Newsome of Happy spent part of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Newsome. He returned home Sunday.

The party given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Forgey, Friday night was well attended and enjoyed by every one.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hill, daughter and son, Frances and Allen left Saturday for the Plains to be with Mr. Hill's mother who had fallen and hurt her shoulder. She accompanied them home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lovdany also Miss Elizabeth Lovdany of San Angelo, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyree Sunday.

Mrs. Maud Jones and children of Millersview visited Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones Saturday. Jiggs and Lois will spend part of the week with their grandparents.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Lee Jones, left Saturday morning for their home in Fort Worth, after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones.

Those who attended the party

Now Jazz Is Called Gaelic In Its Origin



TOM TIMOTHY

Gotta big date with a little girl, is just full of Irish suggestions. It fairly aches to be played on the bagpipes. It sounds like one of the tunes founded on one of the merry pranks of the little people whose pagan music the bagpipers love to play.

Keening of Bagpipe Supplies Theme of American Music

New York City.—Jazz has had its origin traced to Africa, India, and to most countries of the world, and now comes Tom Timothy, the one Irish orchestra leader on Broadway to declare that our jazz is really Gaelic.

perstitious Irish thought were carried people. Perhaps it was the wind. Anyway the sound was handed on and there is a great similarity between our modern saxophone music and bagpipe music. It won't be long before we have bagpipers in all the dance orchestras.

"From our early bagpipe music," explains Timothy, "comes much of the modern American music. The keening motifs of the bagpipe were taught to the Irish by the singing of the little people in a night mist—or what the su-

Mr. Timothy leaves soon for Ireland to awaken the Irish bagpipe players to interest in our modern rhythms.

at Mr. and Mrs. Pat Tyree's Saturday night, reported a nice time.

Singing was well attended Sunday evening, we were glad to have all the visitors and invite them back every second and fourth Sundays.

Society

Miss Butler Honoree of Party

On Saturday afternoon, Miss Butler was the inspiration for a lovely in-honor affair with Mrs. E. J. O'Kelly and Asa Cordill entertaining for her. The spacious porch of the Cordill home on Ninth street with its decorations of summer flowers and surrounded by huge peean trees, made an unusually attractive setting for the bridge games. Pink and white were the colors emphasized in the decorations and game appointments and in the delectable refreshment plate of angle squares iced in pink and white and pink brick cream.

After all the guests had found places, attention was attracted to a colorfully and artistically dressed wandering gypsy minstrel and his wife who were asked to come in and tell the fortune of the bride-elect. Among other things, the hiding places of many gifts concealed on the porch, were learned from the crystal ball, by the gypsy man, impersonated by Mrs. W. B. Woody and brought to the honoree by his wife, Miss Ollie Jean Cordill. Many and beautiful were these tokens of esteem from her assembled friends.

Included were: Misses Butler, Josephine Grant, Jean Cordill, Evelyn Brewer, Dovie Armstrong, Fay Clark, Ruth Holliday, Dorothy Chaney, La Viern Sims, Mable Brewer, Ethel Layton, Hortense Holt, Evelyn Shepherd, Jennie Louise Copeland of Cleburne, Margarette Sturges, John Cathryn Allen of San Marcos, Ludrice Stroble, Eugenia Baskin, Verda Nell Trail, Helen Brewer, Malcorine Wardlaw, Mrs. Lee Butler, K. V. Northington, Burns Holt, Henry Jones B. H. Ward, J. E. Brewer, W. A. Nance, W. B. Woody, Melvin Patterson, Brandon Wilke, Crawford Lemberg of Eden, Geo. Me-

Colley of Edinburg, Chas. Miller, Jr., M. H. Watson, Homer Carsey, J. R. Lusk and Pete Woodson.

Bridge Luncheon Announcement Party

Miss Ruth Holliday was a charming hostess on last Friday when she entertained with a one o'clock bridge luncheon to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Mildred Butler.

The attractive home of Mrs.



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TOMORROW

VIRGINA VALLI "Ladies Must Dress"

M. H. Watson on Ninth street was given a beautiful floral decoration of pink carnations for the occasion and the foursome luncheon tables were prettily appointed for the daintily served two-course menu.

Pink and green were the chosen colors and were cleverly used throughout every detail of the luncheon and in the accessories for the games. The announcement was made in a unique manner, suggestive of the work of the groom-to-be. They were telegrams worded, To friends, Ballinger, Texas: Dan Cupid announces that on August 16th, Miss Mildred Butler will become the bride of Mr. Charles Eyester signed Dan Cupid, Secretary.

Guests were: Misses Butler, Jennie Louise Copeland, Evelyn Shepherd, Dorothy Chaney, La Viern Sims, Margaret Kirk, Ludrice Stroble, John Cathryn Allen, Marthyle Bridwell, Helen Brewer, Clara Margurite Gieseke, Mable Brewer, Margarette Sturges, Katharine Payne of Weatherford, Mrs. K. V. Northington, Lee Butler, Asa Cordill, E. J. O'Kelly, James E. Brewer, Pete Woodson, Henry Jones, Burns Holt, W. B. Woody, M. H. Watson, Homer Carsey, J. R. Lusk, and Chas Miller.

Old Longfellow Home is Sacrificed for School Site

(By International News Service) PITTSFIELD, Mass., Aug. 14.—Another of New England's historic landmarks has been sacrificed to the demands of progress.

Ballinger Lodge No. 643 A. F. & A. M. Regular Stated Meetings on Tuesday on or Before Full Moon in Each Month. Visiting Brethren Cordially Invited. W. E. alley Secy. Noel Penn W. M.

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- For Treasurer: MRS. JENNIE KIRK
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- For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE
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The latest victim of this city expansion is the old house of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow on East street, long one of Pittsfield's points of interest. It was in this house that Longfellow is supposed to have written one of the most popular of his poems,

"The Clock on the Stairs." The City Council at a recent meeting voted to take the property, on which the landmark is located for the erection of a new High School. A sum of \$78,000 was voted by the council to pay for the property.

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**Flapperism Is Only Bubbling Nature;
Even Its Critics Are Also Victims**

(By International News Service)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 14.—Let the flapper's critics beware! According to Dr. Samuel D. Price of New York city, associate general secretary of the world's Sunday School Association, recently in convention here, everyone is more or less flapperish. Flapping may be done with a lipstick or rouge. It even may be done with a boutonniere. And—shameful as it sounds—"a man has been known to flap with black-rimmed glasses." Thus defended Dr. Price, her highness the flapper. "The flapper will continue to flap regardless of the general opinion of critics," declared Dr. Price. "Flapperism is an expression of bubbling over, human nature, which is rather large in most people. "The point is, that practically every individual has his own idiosyncracies as to the way in which he flaps," he continued. "Some who don't even dream they are flapping are flapping anyway!"

Views of Leaders

Many of the leaders of the Sunday school convention paused in the midst of their activities to consider the flapper pro and con. Here are some of their opinions: Rev. Kwan Sik Km, leader of the Korean delegation of 30 persons says:

"I do not think the flapper is any worse than the old fashioned girl. I have great faith in the modern girl, but sometimes, it seems to me, she has forgotten too much in the way of being modest. But I do not think she is going to the bad. There are even flappers in the church and Sunday school, but they are not a harmful influence. Rather, they are receiving a better influence."

Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor of the Plainfield Reformed Church, Pen Argyl, Pa., said:

"I think the flapper is an improvement in girlhood, if not so much in custom as in readjustment. I don't think she has impure intentions in dressing as she does."

B. T. Archer, Long Beach Bay delegate and commercial traveler by profession, declared:

"My definition of a flapper is one who does not regard the home and mother; who takes her life into her own hands and does as she sees fit. I have seen nothing encouraging today of that type of personality. She would be a whole lot better off if she were a lady. I don't look for her in the Sunday school or in the church—if she were there, she wouldn't be defined as a flapper."

E. E. Harris, Dayton, Ohio, editor of the Watchword, a publication for young people of the United Brethren Church, said:

"The flapper is no worse than girl of past times. Boldness characterizes this age. It means a spirit of honesty which was not characteristic of the past generation. I think the girl of today is more serious thinking than the girl 20 years ago."

Rev. S. G. Niekey, pastor of the church of the Brethren, Sterling, Colo., said:

"I do not believe in the old fashioned girl. I don't believe she was superior to the flapper. But the girl of today does need more culture. It seems to me there is a superficial air about her which could be improved with a little more taste and modesty. A false idea of freedom is a barrier in her way. I believe in freedom under the law of grace and purity."

A Foreign View

Charles Webster, superintendent of the Morning Sunday School of Christ Church, London, said:

"I think the flapper is an improvement. Athletics have improved. Her modesty and manners are finer than that of the girl in the Victorian age. The flapper shocks her elders by her remarks, but she is more honest and outspoken than her predecessors."

Mrs. Charles Webster, a worker with young folk for forty years, said:

"The flapper is all right. It doesn't matter how short her dress is—they get more sunshine that way and sunshine is the great thing now."

John Victor, Budapest, Hungary, secretary of the Hungarian council of religious education thought:

"Some of the Hungarian flappers go too far toward the extreme even in outward appear-

ance. There is a general striving among the girls for more culture. Among the educated girls there is a longing for spiritual work and if it is not nourished some may go astray. But I have great hope for the modern girl or flapper. She has not as much vanity as the old fashioned girl."

BETLESS RACING FOR CALIFORNIA COFFROTH PLAN

(By International News Service)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Returning to the scenes of his triumphs as promoter of boxing bouts, James "Sunny Jim" Coffroth will attempt to re-establish horse racing as a major California sport. Coffroth, who turned away

from boxing when twenty round bouts were outlawed in California, to horse racing at Tiajuana, Mexico, just across the Mexican border, and made millions in his new line, will attempt to put across a racing meet where California millionaire horse enthusiasts failed.

His initial try will be a twenty day meet at Tanforan race track near San Bruno, twenty miles south of San Francisco. There a few years ago several rich Californians who follow the sport of the kings, built a beautiful oval, a grand stand, stables and a club house and held two meets. They were unsuccessful. Sports followers wagged their heads and said that "betless racing" could not be made to pay.

But "Sunny Jim" Coffroth proposes to do that very thing. In announcing that he would open the track October 13 for a twenty day meet, he emphasized that it would be a "betless" meeting and would be conducted "within the law."

The most recent attempt to

open the track witnessed an attempt to establish the certificate system of betting as legal in California. The courts ruled against the promoters in a test and they decided not to risk their money on a meet.

But Coffroth will not attempt to establish this or any other form of betting. He believes that high class racing will attract a following of around 20,000 persons in the bay cities and that the sport can be re-established through the medium of high class attractions. He hopes to include the ten best horses in the country in the meet to be held here this fall.

It will precede the opening of his Tiajuana season and enable horse owners all over the country to enjoy a longer season on the west coast and thus induce them to send their best westward.

Virtually the entire Tiajuana track management will come here to conduct the meet for Coffroth who will personally direct it. Plans have been made to put the

Tanforan plant in the finest shape for the opening of the season.

Coffroth's plan to re-establish "amateur" racing here has been greeted sympathetically by San Francisco sport writers who recall the success of the fistic classics he promoted here and they indicate a belief that he can put it over.

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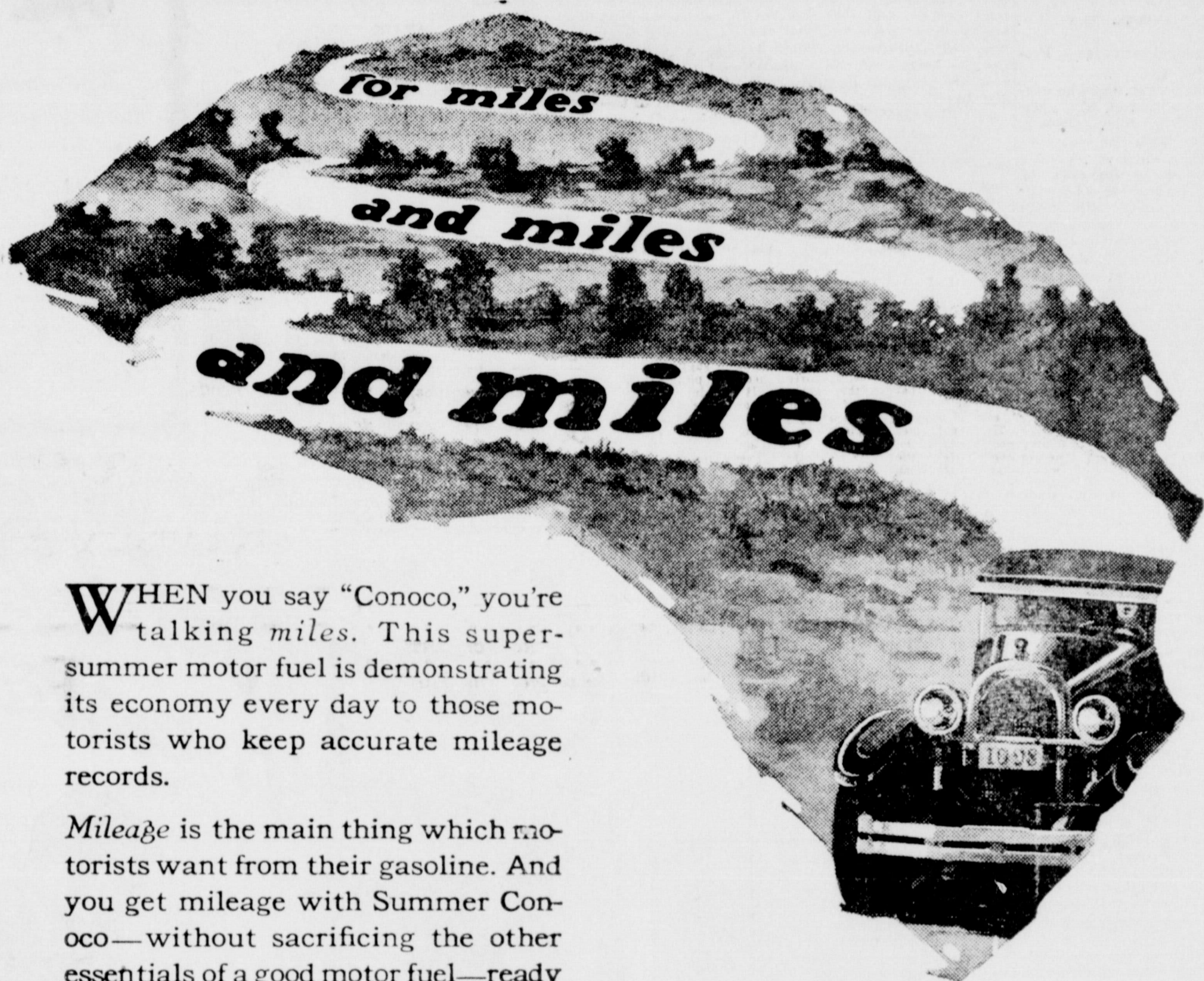
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Notice of Road Bond Election
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF RUNNELS.
TO THE RESIDENT PROPERTY TAXPAYING VOTERS OF ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3 OF RUNNELS COUNTY, TEXAS:
TAKE NOTICE: That an election shall be held on the 1st day of September, 1928, within Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, to determine if said road district shall issue bonds, and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof in obedience to an election order entered by the Commissioners' Court on the 30th day of July, 1928, which is as follows:
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF RUNNELS.

On this the 30th day of July, A. D. 1928, the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, convened in special session in the usual meeting place at the County Courthouse at Ballinger, Texas, all members of the court, to-wit:

Paul Trimmer, County Judge;
R. J. Deens, Commissioner Precinct No. 1;

D. W. Yeager, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2;

H. B. Poe, Commissioner Precinct No. 3;

R. A. Perry, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4;

being present, came on to be considered the petition of W. C. McCarver and 121 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, in the sum of \$525,000.00, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from date thereof, for the purpose of the purchase and construction of district roads, and the further construction, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, in said district, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon all property of Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and

IT APPEARING to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property taxpaying voters of said Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that said Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, has been duly established by an order of the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, dated the 9th day of July, 1928, of record in Book No. 7, pages 290-291 of the Minutes of said court, and the boundaries thereof are herein described as described and defined in the order of the Commissioners' Court establishing such district as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at the southeast corner of said Runnels County, THENCE west, with the south boundary line of said county, to the southwest corner of said Runnels County;

THENCE north, with the west boundary line of said County, to the Colorado River;

THENCE down said river, with its meanders, to a point south of the southeast corner of William Howell Survey No. 821;

THENCE north to the southeast corner of said William Howell Survey No. 821;

THENCE in a northeasterly direction to the southwest corner of the Carter Anderson Survey No. 523;

THENCE east to the east boundary line of said Runnels County;

THENCE south, with the east boundary line of said Runnels County, to the place of beginning.

AND IT FURTHER APPEARING that the following road district in Runnels County, Texas, has heretofore issued road bonds under provisions of Chapter 2, Title 18, R. S. 1911, which district is now included in Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, to-wit, Road District No. 1, date of bonds July 10th, 1918, numbered consecutively from 1 to 75, inclusive, for the sum of \$1,000.00 each, aggregating the sum of \$75,000.00, payable at Hanover National Bank, New York City, New York, due and payable serially 1 to 40 years from date, with interest at the rate of 5% per annum, payable annually, and of which bonds there are now outstanding and unpaid Bonds Nos. 29 to 75 in the sum of 47,000.00.

IT FURTHER APPEARING

to the court that said district does not embrace any part of a road district that has heretofore been established and that has issued bonds and is now outstanding and unpaid, except as stated herein; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING to the court that said petition was presented to the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, on the 10th day of July, 1928, and that the said Commissioners' Court did on the 10th day of July, 1928, set such petition down for hearing on the 30th day of July, 1928, said date being not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of said order fixing the time and place of such hearing; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING to the court that due notice of such hearing has been given, and the court having heard all arguments and discussion in favor of, and there being none against, the issuance of said bonds, the court is of the opinion and so finds that said petition is signed by fifty or a majority of the resident property taxpaying voters of such road district, and that due notice has been given and that the proposed improvements would be for the benefit of all taxable property situated in such road district;

IT IS, THEREFORE, CONSIDERED, AND ORDERED by the court that an election be held in said Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1928, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

Whether or not the bonds of Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, shall be issued by the Commissioners' Court in the sum of \$525,000.00, for the purpose of the purchase and construction of road district roads and the further construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads, and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, throughout said district as follows:

1. Bonds aggregating \$47,000.00 to be issued for the purpose of the purchase and construction of district roads in said Road District No. 1 of Runnels County, Texas, having the same dates of maturity, bearing the same rates of interest, and with similar options of payment as the bonds heretofore issued and now outstanding against said road district No. 1, now a part of said Road District No. 3, Runnels County, Texas; and

2. Bonds aggregating \$478,000.00 to be issued for the purpose of the further construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, throughout the district, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, not exceeding thirty years from date thereof, and bearing interest at the rate of not exceeding 5% per annum; and

Whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District No. 3, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 18, General Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the First Called Session of the 39th Legislature.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this county, and who are resident property taxpayers in Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF" and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

The voting places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At the Court House in the town of Ballinger, with E. F. Krebs, as presiding officer, with A. J. Thorp as associate officer; and with Drury P. Hathaway and Harry Lynn, as clerks; where all persons may vote who are entitled to vote at said election and who reside in either of the following regular voting precincts, viz., Ballinger No. 1, Hatchel No. 2, Bonifant No. 3, Hagan No. 18, Bethel No. 23, and Ballinger No. 24.

At the Hancock Building in the town of Miles, with C. L. West as Presiding Officer, with B. A. Lott as Associate Officer; and with C. S. Coleman and A. H. Lewin as Clerks; where all persons may vote who are entitled to vote at said election and who reside in either of the following regular voting precincts, viz., Brookshier No. 19 and Miles No. 20.

At the Public School Building in the town of Rowena, with W. A. Halamieck as Presiding Officer, with W. A. Eggemeyer as Associate Officer; and with Henry Teplicek and O. M. Droll as Clerks; where all persons may vote who are entitled to vote at said election and who reside in either of the following regular voting precincts, viz., Rowena No. 21 and Olfen No. 22.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections when not in conflict with the provisions of the statutes herein above referred to.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in the County of Runnels, for three successive weeks before the date of said election, and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted four copies of this order, three of which shall be posted at public places within said Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, and one of which shall be at the courthouse door of Runnels County, Texas, for three successive weeks prior to said election.

The County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted as herein above directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this court.

Paul Trimmer, County Judge, Runnels County, Texas.
R. J. Deens, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

D. W. Yeager, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

H. B. Poe, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

R. A. Perry, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF RUNNELS.

I, W. A. Forgey, County Clerk in and for Runnels County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, on the 30th day of July, A. D. 1928, ordering an election to be held in Road District No. 3 of Runnels County, Texas, to determine if said Road District shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof in obedience to said order; that said order is of record in the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, which minutes have been signed by the County Judge.

Witness my hand and seal of office this the 6th day of August, A. D. 1928.

W. A. FORGEY,
County Clerk, Runnels County, Texas.

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THREE CHILDREN MEET DISASTER COPYING 'IDOLS'

DENVER, Aug. 14.—Aspiring children held the news spotlight for a day here recently, three of them met with disaster while copying after some idol of their youth.

Maxine Walker, 4, trying to walk a tight rope as she had seen clowns do in the circus, fell on a picket of a fence she was using for the rope. She was rushed to a hospital with a severe gash in her side. She is not expected to live.

Enthusiastic over "two gun"

herges of the silver screen, Lloyd Phennah, 11, borrowed his father's .45 calibre revolver from its hiding place. He thought he removed all the cartridges, but did not think of the one in the firing chamber. He pulled the trigger and fell to the floor with a bullet wound in his leg.

"I believe I'd rather have skates than gun for Christmas," he confided to his mother from his bed in the hospital.

The third youngster to meet disaster was a "newsie." He was walking along the street selling his papers when a vicious dog bit him on the leg. After the wound had been bound by his mother and police surgeons, he was re-

strained with difficulty from returning to his work, for he could not become a big business man sitting in the house.

SWEDISH PRINCESS WINS AUTO DRIVING LICENSE

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 14.—Princess Inrid of Sweden, blond and pretty, who has just received a license to drive an automobile, was highly praised by the man who examined her for her great coolness and deliberation.

He declared that after two or three lessons, she drove a car better than most women after several years practice.



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**Impression Of Runnels Delegates
On A. & M. College Short Course**

(Editor's Note.—The Ledger reproduces herewith a series of articles prepared by various members of the Runnels county delegation of 67 to the A. & M. College short course. These items are published for the purpose of better acquainting those who have not attended with the procedure of the short course, and of portraying the nature of the course from every possible angle.)

The Farmer's Short Course has made a great impression upon me; because of the great co-operation of the people; the inspiring lectures on "Lighting the Farm Home," "What Do Your Clothes Do for You," "Planting a Garden," "Cheese Dishes," "Summer Salads and Desserts," "Posture for Health," "The Charm School," and also others given which helped to make us better and wiser girls.

We also gained more knowledge by going over the campus, through the buildings, especially the Textile Building, the Museum and the Mess Hall Kitchen.

The 4-H appropriate dress contest pageant was so interesting. I wish more of our girls could have seen it.

I have only given a hint of a few of the many good things that went on at the A. & M. short course.

I have a greater desire to work harder for my club so that I, and if possible, all the girls of our club may go to the Farmers Short Course next year.

Mattie Lee Tomlinson,
Maverick

We are quiet sure Mrs. V. L. McShan talked as much as any one while at A. & M. Short Course because she laughed in her sleep about her mouth being wide open.

One happy thought in attending the A. & M. Short Course, was that there would be no dish washing for one whole week. The very first meal Mrs. B. M. Batts got up and started to wash the dishes.

The most impressive thing of the Short Course to me was the unity and co-operation, the great advantages of education for the youth of our land, and the system of feeding such an immense crowd.

Mrs. Mead McShan,
Bethel

Mrs. Dee Oliver was afraid the balcony in Guion Hall would fall when the speaker was applauded.

I think the short course is very essential. It enables us to hear lectures and enjoy demonstrations on various subjects. The short course gave us an opportunity to meet boys and girls from all over the state of Texas.

The picture-shows were very educational, and there was always plenty of fun in the comedies.

Another thing that impressed me was the Mess Hall, where three thousand five hundred people could be seated for a good meal. The things that were served were both appetizing and nutritious. The kitchen was another interesting feature and the sanitary conditions were up to standard.

One thing I hope is, that Runnels County will be represented by twice as many people in 1929. I am sure when anyone goes once they will want to go again.

Eddie Short,
Drasco.

Mrs. J. A. Yeates was so enthusiastic the day she started home that she went up to the post office window and asked what time the train left for Ballinger.

The thing that impressed me most while at the short course was the wonderful educational advantages and opportunities offered at A. & M. College for both the youth and the adult.

Mrs. Lem Harvey

The most interesting thing we saw was the museum. It impressed me the most, because of the many pre-historic forms of animals and the Egyptian mummy.

Robbie Estes,
Hatchel.

While the Runnels County delegation were on their way to College Station the train was going over such bumps that Iwilda Allen told the conductor that she

believed he must have a flat.

I will say that I enjoyed my trip to A. & M. Short Course and I hope to get to go next year. I enjoyed every lecture we attended, also going to the Mess Hall and the theatre, the program Thursday night, and sure did like Dan Moody's speech Friday night.

I am proud that I went to College Station because I have learned much. I am going home now and tell the club girls all I have seen and heard and I know we will send more girls next time.

Tina Mae Brooks,
Maverick.

While at College Station Dona Nunley got so home-sick that she went up to the pop corn stand, held out a nickel and asked them to play, "Home-Sweet-Home."

Mrs. Yeates got so excited getting ready for the party Friday afternoon that she took her shower bath with her shoes on.

The lecture that I really and truly enjoyed the most was given by Mr. Fred Westcott on "The Yard Beautiful."

Mrs. B. M. Batts,
South Ballinger.

Mrs. Harvey was found missing one night and after considerable search she was found in the dining room of the Mess Hall gathering up dirty dishes. At our approach she exclaimed, "Now just go ahead without me dears, and I'll help with the dishes. There are too many to leave till morning."

There were several features of the short course that impressed me very much.

The beautiful campus was very restful after our long journey. The lectures and demonstrations in the Women's Department were very interesting as well as educational.

We are leaving with an inspiration to make better homes as a result of this trip and the hospitality will never be forgotten.

Mrs. V. L. McShan,
South Ballinger.

Mrs. Batts, Mrs. McShan and Mrs. Yeates tried to get into the Banquet Hall one day while a banquet was being conducted.

Mrs. Wright: "O, there goes my boy, punch him."
Dona: "There isn't any use now, he is too far gone."

One thing I enjoyed at College Station was going to the Mess Hall every meal. I enjoyed Dan Moody's speech Friday night very much. I got lots out of the short course and hope to go again next year.

Mildred Gill,
Dale

We arrived at College Station at 5 o'clock Sunday p. m. for a happy and glorious week.

We went to lectures, movies, the museum and other things in order to have a glorious time. I surely did enjoy my trip, and I hope every one else did too.

Helen Shultz,
Sweet Home.

Mrs. J. A. Yeates of Drasco Club reports that she enjoyed the short course more than any thing she had ever attended, except for one reason and that was that Mrs. McShan and Mrs. Batts who shared the same room with her were so noisy that it was impossible for her to get any rest. Mrs. Harvey who plays the role of a deacon's wife, succeeds in averting trouble between them.

I enjoyed my trip to the short course. Going to the Mess Hall and listening to the lectures. I enjoyed the picture show very much and Gov. Moody's speech Friday night.

Maverick sent four girls to the short course this year, and will send more next year and some boys too I hope.

Edna Earl Warren,
Maverick

The things that impressed me most at the 1928 short course were these: The splendid hospitality, accommodations and systematic handling of so large a crowd. For the spirit of welcome and the privileges extended us from which we have received everlasting benefits.

Mrs. J. A. Yeates,
Drasco.

I can see much benefit resulting from the interesting lectures that occurred at College Station. I enjoyed myself immensely and hope that I may have the pleasure of attending again. I also wish to thank our County Agents and representatives who aided in this work, and by keeping our clubs organized to make it possible for us to attend these summer sessions.

Daisy Ruth Sabastian,
Miles.

My impression of the short course is; that it is one of the finest things for the farming class of people, that every one can get something out of it that they could not get elsewhere, and Runnels County does not get the advertising out of it that she rightly deserves.

Mrs. N. S. Wright,
Miles.

The thing that most impressed me was the wonderful educational advantages our students have at A. & M. College.

Mrs. John Dean,
Spring Hill.

I accomplished many things while attending the short course. I enjoyed every moment of my stay while there. I think the greatest pleasure any one can imagine is to win the trip to A. & M. I'm glad I won my trip. I am going to be a better club member and be more loyal to my community. I am going to tell every girl what a wonderful time I have had so they will take more interest in club work and strive to win the trip next year. I hope a large number from Crews Club will attend next year.

Thelma Cox,
Crews.

I was so impressed to see such a wonderful institution through which hundreds of young men are educated. And the great systematic way of handling the vast throng, and the great work being done by the Home Agents.

Mrs. L. K. Parr,
Spring Hill.

The thing that impressed me most was: what a wonderful opportunity the short course afforded our club members and the care that was given to each day's program that we might get the most out of each days work.

Mrs. Dee Oliver,
Hagan

The A. & M. short course of 1928 impressed me as being a very profitable as well as pleasant course which I enjoyed very much. I consider it profitable to farm women because it teaches us, as club work does, to be more economical in home-making, mak-

ing our homes more sanitary and more beautiful and a more desirable place in which to live. It also teaches us how to properly balance the menu whereby if practiced we will have better health for the family, hence eliminating doctor and drug bills.

It was a pleasure to meet with the hospitable people that I was associated with while there, and to hear the fine lectures that were given us. Among the many things I enjoyed was the museum. Museums always hold an attraction for me.

My husband and I are going to make every effort to attend the short course in 1929.

Mrs. F. L. Webb,
Brookshire.

The Farmer's Short Course held in 1928 was not only educating to me but also very interesting and entertaining. We learned learned very many practical things while there and I am sure if we will put the things we have learned into practice they will help us very much at our daily tasks. I think every man, woman, boy and girl should try sometime in life to attend the short course. I enjoyed myself greatly and hope to attend the short course again sometime.

Dona Nunley,
Bethel

Six Billion Dollars Income of 12,000,000 in Southwest Area

(By International News Service)

DALLAS, Aug. 14.—Twelve million people, with an average income of more than \$500 each, or a total of \$6,000,000,000 now live in the major market area known as the Southwest, and embracing Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana, according to a new and modernized economic survey of this territory just published by Industrial Dallas, Inc.

Industrial Dallas, Inc., is a subsidiary corporation of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, and is conducting the \$500,000 three year national community industrial advertising campaign, seeking to develop the Southwest industrially.

The survey, said to be one of the most complete and comprehensive analyses of a market area published in this country, reveals many surprising facts about this newly developing territory, the last of the six great natural national marketing territories in America to attain widespread recognition.

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FOR RENT—Out where it is cool and quiet, furnished apartments, gas and garage. Phone 162. Mrs. J. M. Cordell. 11-3td

FOR SALE OR TRADE—125 acres at \$55.00 per acre, 6 miles of Winters. Will take good car. Arthur Byers, Winters, Texas. 11-3td

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STRAYED—One muley Jersey cow, dun color, branded G on hip. Finder please notify A. R. Jones. 13-3td

LOST—Dodge wheel, #2x6.20. Beaver tire, on Ballinger-Rowena road, within two miles of Ballinger. Reward. J. R. Cook, Winters. 1td

FOR RENT—South bed room. 304 Seventh street. Phone 1213. 13-3d

Women, girls, earn \$25-\$35 weekly addressing cards at home spare time; experience unnecessary; easy, steady work. Write, RIALTY.

FOR RENT—A small house on Ninth Street. See A. K. Doss. 14-3td

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Earn \$25-\$30 weekly addressing envelopes at home; experience unnecessary; stamped addressed envelope brings instructions. Dept. 227 Ace Premium, 7 East 20, New York. 1d

E. J. Keene and sister, Mrs. Hettye Gadberry, Mr. and Mrs. George McMillan and daughter, Mrs. Willie Tuckey, will leave Wednesday on a visit of two weeks in Marlow and Duncan and other Oklahoma towns.

CORA HAYS
Stenographer and Typist
Will handle your work with dispatch and efficiency. Let me address your letters and do your copy work. Office with C. P. Shepherd Over Ballinger State Bank Phone 156

Prison Parole Is Opposed By Convict-Pastor

(By International News Service)

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 14.—A man, once a convict and for the past eighteen years an evangelist who has specialized in "saving the souls" of criminals now in prison, openly declares himself as opposed to the parole of hardened criminals from penitentiaries to which they have been sentenced.

This opponent of leniency to the hardened criminals is Rev. E. C. Murphy, who is speaking nightly in the "Chick in Overalls" here. Regardless of the city where he may find himself in the United States, Rev. Murphy directs the work of administering the gospel to convicts in fifty prisons throughout the country as superintendent of the Aurora Bible Society at Aurora, Ill.

"There is a difference between the man who steals and the man who is a thief," he contends. "The man who steals may be hungry and he may repeat it afterward. He deserves consideration. But the man who is a thief has chosen that means of making his living. He is a menace to society and should be held in the penitentiary."

"There is no doubt that the man who is convicted again and again of his felonies is mentally unbalanced," he declares. "But that is the reason he should not be allowed to go free."

The minister has had exceptional success in his work of reforming prison inmates. At present, forty-seven of his converts are taking courses in the Moody Bible Institute in preparation for the ministry.

The travelling parson, visitor at all of the state prisons he chance to pass in his journeys, was a prominent character in a "story behind the story" which newspapers throughout the country carried in their columns a year ago.

His work led to the conversion of Ralph E. Teter, arrested because of his connection with several Chicago robberies. He was one of the prominent characters in this "story behind the story."

After his conversion, Teter turned state's witness in the

Dearborn street mail robbery in Chicago. It was his testimony which ended the romantic career, hinting of lawlessness, of Big Tim Murphy, Chicago gangster who led the robbery planning.

Concluding his interview, Rev. Murphy re-emphasized his stand as opposed to the parole of hardened criminals.

"Crime will be with us always. Those who are new at crime, who have made their first mistake and were caught, society has a chance to save. For those who return to crime a second or third time, little can be done with them. They should be put away permanently, with no chance of parole."

A. & M. Movie To Show In Ballinger

The referee's whistle, a hushed crowd, and then the kick-off in last year's football classic between the Texas Aggies and the Longhorns, followed by Joel Hunt side stepping his way to a touchdown will thrill those who attend the Palace Theatre here next Thursday, Aug. 16, afternoon and night. For through the efforts of the county agent, C. W. Lehberg, and the local Aggie ex-students a 2 reel movie featuring student life and the work at Texas A. & M. College has been scheduled. Ballinger is one of 24 towns in Texas where this picture will be shown, accompanied by Sam E. Eberstadt, famous secretary of the Bryan Chamber of Commerce.

A few scenes of student life at Allen Academy in Bryan, the oldest preparatory school in Texas, will be shown. Allen Academy is a military institution and was one of only 16 R. O. T. C. preparatory schools in the United States to be given the honor

rating by the War Department last year.

Besides seeing the renowned Aggie football team in action, patrons may witness the Commencement Processional, the awarding of diplomas to the 1928 class by Dr. T. O. Walton, the annual review of the entire cadet corps, including infantry, cavalry and artillery, and the cadets marching into the Mess Hall.

Lovers of good livestock will be delighted with the pictures of fine horses, beef and dairy cattle, swine and sheep and goats. There are sheep shearing scenes in the film and close-ups of the wool scouring plant of the Experiment Station in operation. The fine poultry stock on the College farm and the lay-out and arrangement of houses and runs will also be exhibited.

These are only some of the high points in a 25 minute film that will give local people the privilege of getting a glimpse of life and action at their own great democratic A & M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Dunn and children of Artesia, New Mexico, who have been visiting Mrs. Dunn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Routh here, left Tuesday for Fort Stockton and Alpine, where they will visit before returning home.

LUBBOCK—The new engineering building of the Texas Technological College, to cost \$300,000, is nearly completed.

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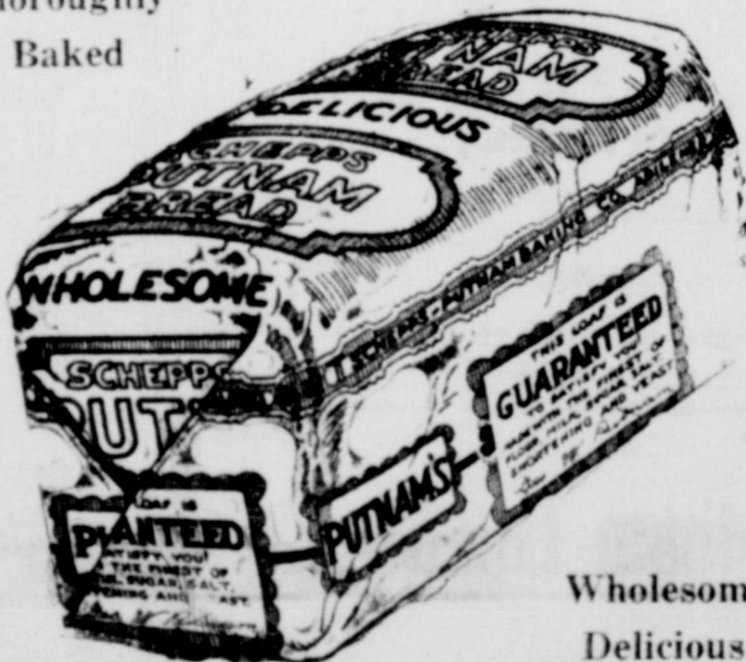
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