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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Mexican Rebels Report Occupation of Mazatlan

(By International News Service)
NOGALES, Sonora, Mar. 23.—Mexican rebels under Gen. Francisco Manzo have forced their way into Mazatlan where violent fighting raged this morning, according to reports by rebel headquarters here. Rebels claim to have shot down a federal airplane near Mazatlan. Casualties were heavy, with airplanes, artillery and machine guns and bombs being used, the reports said.

NOGALES, Sonora, Mar. 23.—The battle for Mazatlan in Sinaloa is still raging today. The revolutionary army under Gen. Francisco Manzo is within the city gates and hotly pressing upon federal defense forces. Hand to hand street fighting is reported within the city. Casualties are believed to be numerous on both sides though no definite estimate can be made until the fight ends.

Mrs. J. A. De Merville returned home Friday from Temple and will be here for the summer. Her daughter, Mrs. V. S. Heflin, returned to her home at Temple Saturday after bringing her mother home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. E. Meaders will start work Monday on the construction of sidewalks in front of their home on Eighth Street.

Billy Cordill left Saturday afternoon for Houston to join the Christi Bros. Show. Billy will play baritone with the Christi Bros. band again this year. The show will open on March 30 at some place near Houston and will jump to San Angelo for the second performance this season on April 1st. All next week will be spent in rehearsing the program and getting ready for the opening.

Rotary Delegates Attend Convention

H. C. Lyon and Alfred Crager returned to Ballinger Friday night after attending the district Rotary convention at Ranger. The Ballinger men report a wonderful convention with five or six hundred Rotarians in attendance. The meeting was in progress Thursday and Friday at Ranger and H. C. Lyons addressed the meeting Friday morning on the subject of "Club Administration."

"We were impressed with the crowd of clean-cut business men who are giving of their time to Rotary," Mr. Lyon stated. A representative of Rotary International was present at the convention from Rochester, N. Y.

Harley Sadler was in Ranger with his show and Mr. Lyon stated that he was on the job all the time. His orchestra was at all the meetings to furnish music and his tent and chairs were used to hold the meetings and barbecues. His truck hauled his chairs to places where they were needed and he himself took a part in the convention.

The Ballinger representatives will make a report of the meeting to the club at their next regular luncheon Wednesday noon of next week.

B. F. Brown, who lives just east of Crews was in Ballinger Saturday looking after business. Mr. Brown stated that they had a wonderful season in the ground in that section of the county and that small grain was looking fine. Fruit trees are in full bloom and unless a freeze hits around Easter Mr. Brown thinks they will have a good crop in that community. Mr. Brown missed his Ledger last week and stated that he could not hitch up without it and called at the Ledger office Saturday to get all back copies.

Be wise and advertise.

Norton Making Improvements

E. M. Setser of Norton was in Ballinger Saturday for the first time in several weeks. Mr. Setser has been confined to his home with the flu for three weeks and is just getting to where he can be out again. While here he was a pleasant caller at the Ledger office and told us the news in the Norton community.

A. T. Chapman is rebuilding his store at Norton that was recently burned to the ground. The store is being built of cement blocks and with a brick front and will be a modern store building when completed. Mr. Chapman plans to complete the building and open his store as soon as possible and will have a better and more modern store than ever when it is finished.

The Norton school is laying sidewalks and setting out trees this week to beautify the school campus. The school is situated on good land and they have plenty of water for irrigation purposes and will make their school grounds very attractive.

Mr. Setser reports that the Norton community has a good season with the last rains and that there is very little sickness in the community at present.

H. S. Strain was a visitor to Winters Friday afternoon to see the beginning of the Runnels County Interscholastic League meet.

Miss Eleanor Hancock, student in Simmons University, is spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams.

Ballinger Athletes Make Good Showing

Ballinger got off to a good start at Winters Friday in the Runnels county meet and Friday night reported a good string of first and second places. The main events in track and literary events will take place Friday and all entries will be filled by Ballinger contestants.

The girls' volley ball team from Ballinger won first place in that event as one of the first events in the meet. These girls have made a wonderful showing this year and are rated as one of the best teams in this section.

Tennis turned in a fair score for Ballinger. Drew Dixon and John Bill Jones won the boys' doubles after defeating Crews and Winters and Drew Dixon won the singles from the same team in an easy contest. Dixon is developing into a fast player and has a good chance to go to the state meet at Austin. The girls doubles also won second place which added ten points to the score of the meet.

The girl debaters won first place defeating the Winters girls but the boys lost to Winters.

Ballinger drew a first place in junior girls playground ball playing the Bethel school in the finals. The junior boys were defeated in this event.

Other events were started at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and finished at noon. At 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon the track meet got under way and Ballinger had many athletes in the contests. Both juniors and high school students competed in the events. Coach Wright left Ballinger at noon Saturday with 16 men on the Class A squad and started three men in each event.

Winners of first and second places in the county meet will go to San Angelo to the district meet and from there all first place winners will be entered in the state meet.

Singing Convention Will Be Held Here April 6-7

Officers of the Runnels County Singing Convention met in Ballinger Friday afternoon with local committees to perfect plans for the holding of their convention here on April 6 and 7.

It was also announced Friday that Bob Beacon of Winters would bring his quartet here this Sunday afternoon and that singers from Winters, Wingate and other sections would be here to sing at the Baptist church from 2 o'clock in the afternoon until late in the afternoon. Everyone is invited to this song fest.

Officers of the Runnels County Singers are Fred Bedford, president; Bob Jennings, first vice president; P. F. Deltz, second vice president; M. S. Tucker, third vice president; U. S. Daniels, fourth vice president and Mildred Smith, secretary-treasurer.

Local committees are working on plans here for the convention and are trying to arrange for the Ballinger Baptist Church for all sessions. The Runnels County Baptist Young Peoples Workers are to meet here on the same date and an effort is being made to arrange so that both affairs can meet without interfering. The singing convention will open on Saturday afternoon at which time a business session will be held. Saturday night will be devoted to special music rendered by quartets, classes and groups. The main convention will begin at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning and will continue for the rest of the day.

During this session singers from all parts of Runnels county will gather in one group and the entire day will be filled with big chorus singing and special music by quartets and groups. Many singers from outside the county are coming here for the convention and several quartets from distant points will be on hand. Publishing houses are sending their quartets to Ballinger for the meeting and several college organizations will be present. Officials believe that it will be the largest number of singers ever assembled in this county in one convention and will also be the best from a musical standpoint.

Will Start Easter Egg Drive Monday Morning

Rescue Workers Make Headway

(By International News Service)
PARNASSUS, Pa., Mar. 23.—Mine rescue crews are expected to bring all the remaining victims of gas explosion in the Valley Camp Coal Company's Kinloch Mine, near here, to the surface today. Forty-five victims are accounted for to date. Lawrence Allhouse was rescued alive after 26 hours in the mine and is recovering from the effects of his enforced entombment.

Chas. Lee of the Maverick community was in Ballinger Saturday looking after business.

Everyone is invited to all sessions as long as they can get in the house. The convention met here last year at the Baptist church for one day and the church was overflowed all during the afternoon to hear the singers. The singers will arrive in Ballinger just as the teachers who will be here attending the Mid-Texas Educational Association will be leaving and the city will be overflowed for a time. The young people coming here to the meeting at the Baptist church will number about one hundred it is stated and for that week-end Ballinger will be a lively place.

Everyone in Ballinger is invited to the church Sunday, March 24 to hear the singers from the north end of the county who will sing here for a short concert beginning at 2 o'clock.

Be wise and advertise.

Georgia Tornado Does Much Damage

(By International News Service)
ATLANTA, Ga., Mar. 23.—Seven are dead, scores injured and property damage running into hundreds of thousands of dollars is the known toll today of the freakish tornado which swept over widely separated parts of the South yesterday. Five negro children were killed and eight others injured when the cyclone demolished a school building. One boy was killed at Small Creek, N. C., and lightning killed a man at Alpharetta, Ga.

O. M. Powell of the Norton community was in Ballinger Saturday and reported crop prospects bright in his section.

Wurzbach Gets Bill Quashed

(By International News Service)
SAN ANTONIO, Mar. 23.—Federal Judge Duval West today upheld the motion by defense counsel to quash an indictment against former Congressman Harry M. Wurzbach, republican of Seguin, charging violation of the corrupt practices act. Wurzbach was alleged to have accepted contributions from federal employees in the 1926 congressional campaign. The indictment was returned during the first week of March at Waco. Wurzbach was arrested here March 9 upon his return from Washington. John D. Hartman, United States District Attorney, announced that he would appeal the decision of Judge West.

Mistrial for Thrill Slayer

(By International News Service)
ATLANTA, Ga., Mar. 23.—A mistrial was ordered again today in the trial of Richard Gallogly, alleged "thrill murderer" of William Smith, a drug clerk. The mistrial was ordered when the judge stated that a decision was unable to be reached.

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(By International News Service)
ROCKWOOD, Tenn., Mar. 23.—Twenty-eight Boy Scouts, encamped in a bungalow on White Creek, a small stream, six miles south of here, were reported swept away by flood waters today and probably drowned. The boys were last seen early today when rescue parties, including the fathers of two of the boys, reached White Creek in time to see the bungalow float away in the swirling waters with the boys and scoutmaster on the roof screaming for help. The tiny stream had become a raging torrent an eighth of a mile wide. News of the boys' peril was brought here by a taxi driver and the town was aroused by the tolling of church bells. Boats are being rushed from the Tennessee River in an attempt to rescue the imperiled scouts.

City Marshal Dies of Wounds

(By International News Service)
VAN ALSTYNE, Mar. 23.—W. L. Echols, city marshal, died today in a Sherman hospital from injuries received Thursday when he was shot by one of four bank robbers here. Echols successfully foiled the robbery of a banking house. He refused to obey orders from the bandits to "stick 'em up."

O. M. Cotten of Bradshaw, former Runnels county citizen, was here Saturday and reports that his section has had plenty of rain during the last few weeks.

WEATHER FORECAST
 All Texas: Tonight partly cloudy; colder in the Panhandle.

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morrow afternoon to hear the sing-
ers from the north end of the
county. The Beacon male quartet
from Winters will be present and
give a number of selections.

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Big announcements will be made
Monday relative to the Easter egg
hunt to be staged here on Satur-
day, March 30.

.....
A. F. Brock has about completed
the school census for the year and
as soon as tabulations can be made
will give a report of the increase.
Saturday only a few scattering per-
sons remained to be seen and the
Mexicans and negroes were to be
turned in by the teachers who are
making the canvass.

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Baseball officials will be in Bal-
linger Sunday and will confer with
local directors regarding the con-
tract of the financing of the club
in the West Texas League here this
summer. An announcement will be
made Monday relative to the actu-

al beginning, the signing of play-
ers, etc.

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Warm days are beginning to
make people think about spring
clothes. One more week remains
before Easter and during that
week local firms are expecting a
rush on their ready-to-wear de-
partments. Easter in this part of
the country is the time to change
into spring clothes and many peo-
ple will be decked out at their
best.

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**FEW DAYS DELAY IN CITY
CAFE OPENING ANNOUNCED**

L. L. Stroble, proprietor of the
City Cafe, reported Saturday that
he would experience a few days
delay in the opening of his cafe,
as he had previously expected to
open on Sunday, March 24. It will
take from now until Friday or
Saturday of next week for the
workmen to complete the installa-
tion of fixtures, etc., at that place.

**LIQUOR FOR FUEL GAG
FAILS TO FOOL THE COPS**

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WATERLOO, Ia. Mar. 23.—John
Bokhrow was a queer sort of stov-
er. Waterloo police think so, any-
way. For when they answered a
riot call at John's residence and
found a quart of liquor and a bot-
tle of bay rum on his person, John
told them it was fuel for his stove.
The police were dubious, how-
ever, and carted John off to Judge
J. C. Beem, who told John he
could enjoy heat at the expense of
the county for 30 days.

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The Santa Fe Railroad seeks a
right-of-way for the completion
of a gap from Alpine to the bor-
der at Presidio.

.....
Nada—A \$40,000 Catholic church
will be erected here shortly.

.....
Have you read the want ads?

**Senators Plan
Base Stealing
To Win Flag**

(International News Staff Correspondent)

By Les Conklin

NEW YORK, Mar. 23.—The Sen-
ators of Washington are going to
try to steal the American League
pennant this season.

Clyde Milan, one of the fleetest
players in the majors, when he was
in his prime, is tutoring the squad
at Tampa in the long-forgotten art
of base stealing. If he can im-
part his technique to the National
speedsters, the fans at Washington
will be treated to frequent exhibi-
tions of this spectacular depart-
ment of the national pastime, a
science that has languished since
the orgy of home run hitting be-
gan.

Milan has promising material
with which to work. Buddy Myer,
the infielder who was exiled to
Boston and then recalled in ex-
change for half of the Washing-
ton team, is the best base pilferer
on the squad. He stole 30 bases
for the Red Sox last year, leading
the league in that department.

Joe Judge, Ossie Bluege and
Geese Goslin also were well among
the leaders. Bluege negotiated 18
thefts last year, and Judge and
Goslin 16 each.

Sam West and Red Barnes,
youthful outfielders, have been re-
ceiving special attention from the
Senatorial coach. Both are very
fast but have not yet mastered
the little tricks of the base-steal-
ing art which mean the difference
between a pilfered sack and a put-
out.

Hardly a man on the team is a
slouch on the base paths. Last sea-
son the Senators, with a total of
110 stolen bases, were the third
fastest team in the league.

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The Fabens and Sierra Blanca
Telephone Exchanges purchased by
the Central Texas Telephone Com-
pany.

**Central Coffee
Shoppes Opened**

The Central Coffee Shoppe open-
ed Friday night with a dance which
was well attended. The floor was
crowded with couples and the new
management announced that they
would continue to have dances at
that place.

Most of the fixtures are here and
installed. The stools for the coun-
ter did not arrive with the first
shipment, however, chairs will be
used temporarily until the stools
arrive. The counter, coffee urns,
milk and water coolers have all
been installed and the dining room
will be thrown open Sunday with
a special dinner at 75 cents per
plate.

The kitchen has been completely
worked over and new stoves, ice
boxes and other equipment added.
The food will be prepared and
kept warm by steam until it is
served hot to patrons. New dishes
have been bought as well as covers
for hot cakes, waffles, etc.

Beginning Monday, Tommie Mil-
ler, manager, announces that a
full 18-hour service will be main-
tained on the coffee shop and that
everything will be ready for the
service to their customers. Patrons
are invited to inspect the place
from the front to the kitchen and
see how the foods are prepared
and served.

White help will be used by the
management and white waitresses
in uniform will have charge of the
counter and dining room.

The management will keep the
club dining room where the Rotary
and Lions Clubs are served. New
dishes and special equipment has
been bought to care for them
which will make the lunches serv-
ed in a better manner.

.....
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gregory will
soon let the contract for a new
home, to replace the one which
burned recently. The house will be
built on the same lot that was
occupied by their old home.

**TWO HILLSBOROS CLAIM
MRS. WRIGHT BIRTHPLACE**

(By International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Mar. 23.—Citi-
zens of two Virginia towns are
scrambling for the honor of estab-
lishing the birthplace of Mrs. Sus-
an Catherine Koerner Wright, the
mother of Wilbur and Orville
Wright, inventors and fliers of the
first airplane—and both towns are
named Hillsboro.

One Hillsboro is in Loudon coun-
ty and the other is in Albemarle.
It is known Mrs. Wright was born
in Hillsboro, Va., but nobody has

any idea which one.
University of Virginia authori-
ties believe it is the Hillsboro in
Loudon county and a search of
county records there is being con-
ducted for a trace of her name.
An old Virginia gazette states that
the town had two wagonmakers,
as well as a blacksmith, and Mrs.
Wright's father had been a wagon-
maker.

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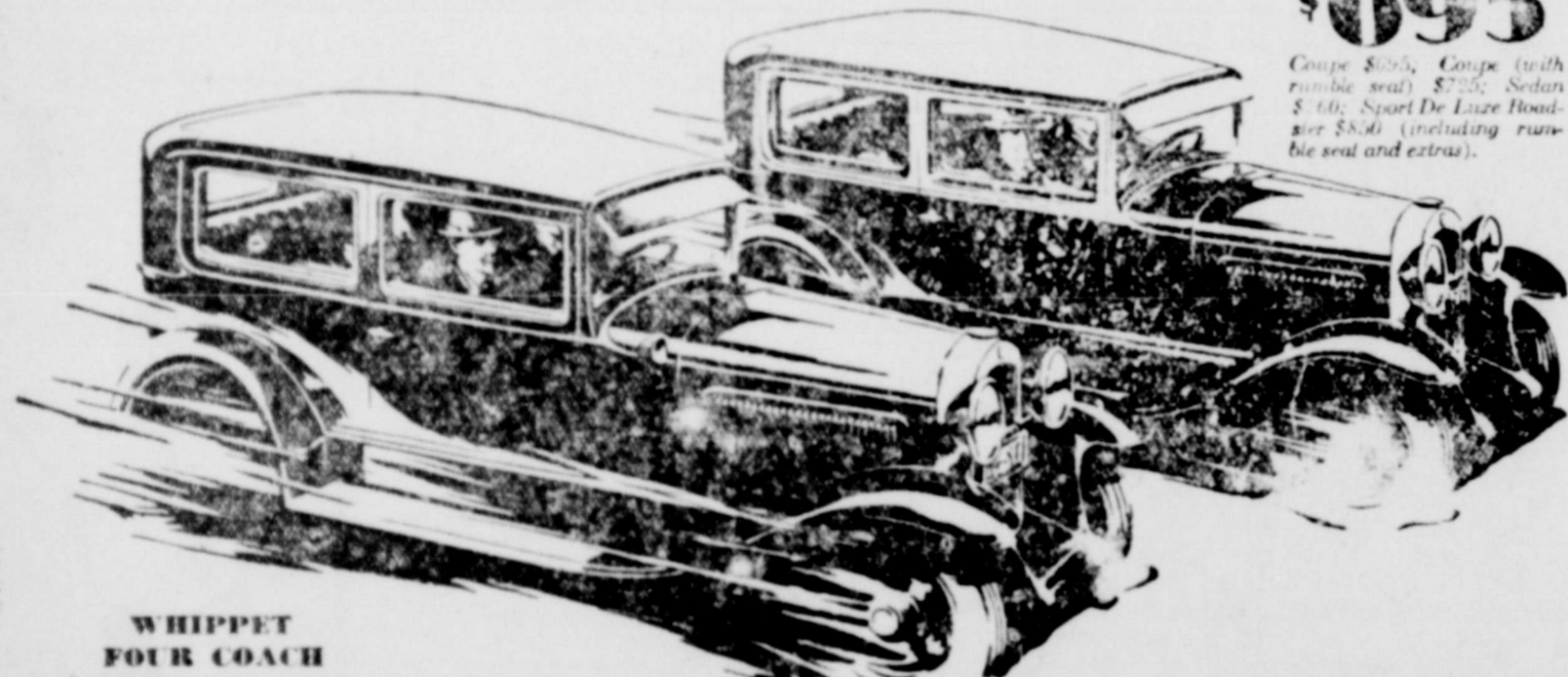
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Measles Quarantine Outlined by Officers

A new ruling in some respects has been made in regard to children being out of school on account of measles. H. C. Lyon is in receipt of a letter from the State Health Department at Austin which is carried verbatim below. After receiving the letter Mr. Lyon and City Health Officer E. R. Walker conferred and passed the following ruling regarding the local situation.

Children who have had measles prior to this year will be admitted to school with a certificate from their parents that they have had the disease.

Children who have had measles recently will be admitted to school with a certificate from any reputable doctor.

Children in homes where there are now cases of measles or have recently been cases will be admitted to school after the 20-day limit.

Following is the letter received from Austin this week by Supt. Lyon:

Austin, Texas
March 19, 1929

Mr. H. C. Lyon, Superintendent
Ballinger City Schools
Ballinger, Texas.

My dear Mr. Lyon:

Your letter of March 18 received and contents carefully noted, and in reply wish to advise that all health matters should be referred first to the local health authorities, as they are supposed to be the guardians of the health of the community.

Referring to the second paragraph of your letter, I wish to advise that smallpox, diphtheria, and scarlet fever should be closely quarantined, and no child allowed to attend school from a house where a case of either disease exists. If, however, a child has had measles, chickenpox, whooping cough, or German measles, there is no reason why they should be kept out of school, even if such diseases exist in their homes, as these diseases are not carried in the clothing.

Every school should be in close contact with some competent health authority for the reason that if a case of sickness should develop a diagnosis should be made at once, if possible, and the child removed from the school to its home. No one except a physician is competent to make such a diagnosis, and for that reason if one wishes to protect the school, it is always best to consult some qualified physician or health officer.

I never advise closing school on account of contagious or infectious

diseases if the school and health authorities are vigilant in watching these cases they can be better handled and the public protected much better by continuing school than they can by dismissing school and allowing the children to scatter over town.

Hoping that this will answer your questions, I am

Very truly yours,
J. C. ANDERSON, M.D.
State Health Officer.

Notice of Election

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 2nd day of April, 1929, an election will be held at the City Hall in the city of Ballinger, Runtless County, Texas, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners, for said city.

J. F. Lusk has been appointed presiding officer at said election, with authority to select and name his clerks and assistants.

S. B. RABY,
Mayor, City of Ballinger, Texas.
d2-9-16-23

TIME to put out Pansies, Larkspur, Canna, Tube Roses, Daisies, Verbena, Ballinger Floral Company has them. 18-dtf

Paint Rock Wins Concho Co. Meet

EDEN, Mar. 23.—At the end of the first days competition in Inter-scholastic League finals in Concho county, Paint Rock held the balance of power with a total of six victories chalked up in the various events.

More than 2000 athletes, scholars, and parents from all parts of the county were visitors in Eden today taking either an active part in the events or keen onlookers.

Paint Rock won the girls singles and boys doubles in tennis vanquishing Eden in both contests. Millersview's boys doubles tennis team downed Live Oak to the tune of 6-1 6-0. Brady forfeited to White Point.

In the girls doubles, Paint Rock beat Eden in a preliminary match one and one deuce set.

In the girls volley ball tournament

Eden beat Paint Rock and Millersview beat Henderson Chapel. Eden won the sub-junior county spelling championship while Paint Rock won out in the junior spelling finals. Eden was second in the junior spelling contest.

W. W. Chastain, popular salesman for the Wortz Cracker & Cake Company came home for the weekend and reports that baseball fans over the northern part of his territory are glad to see Ballinger enter the baseball league. Mr. Chastain has been working out of Abilene for the past week and he says that the country in that section looks better than he ever saw it before. Around Baird, Putnam and Clyde Mr. Chastain states that the fruit crop is going to be unusually large if it escapes a freeze.

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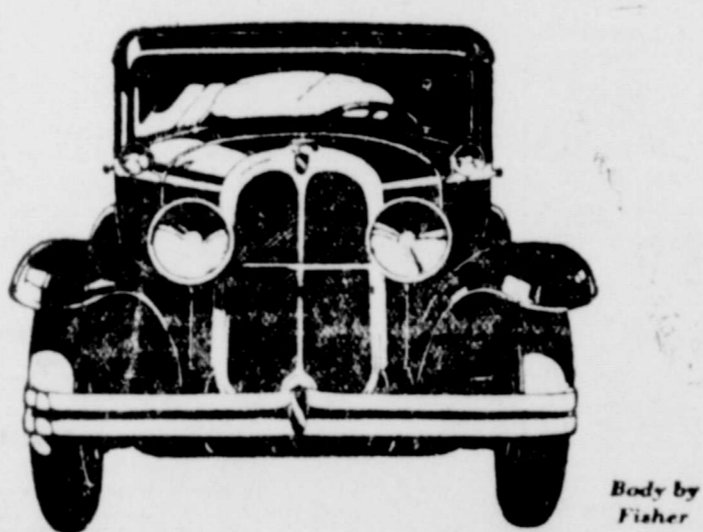
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CHURCHES

First Presbyterian Church
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. Morning worship.
2 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor.
7 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.
7:45 p. m. Evening worship.
To all who do not worship elsewhere a cordial invitation is extended to join in the worship of this congregation.
E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor.

Church of the Nazarene
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 10:30 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. 6 p. m.
Preaching 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:15 p. m.
Cottage prayer meeting at J. D. Maxwell's on Strong Avenue Friday evening 7:15 p. m.
W. LAWSON BROWN, Pastor.

Methodist Church
You are always welcome at the Methodist church. Our services are brief and to the point. We shall do our best to make you feel glad that you came.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7 p. m.
Woman's Missionary Society every Monday afternoon.
Stewards' meeting Thursday night after every first Sunday. Welcome.
R. B. HOOPER, Pastor.

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
Sunday school at 9:45; S. P.

Hathaway, superintendent.
Men's Bible class at Palace Theatre, Roy Hill, president.
Morning worship at 11, subject, "The Abundant Life."
Junior C. E., 2:30 p. m.; Miss Kelly Bowden, superintendent.
Adult C. E., 6:30 p. m., Miss Hattie Russell, president.

At the evening service the young people will give a pageant, "The Quest of the Abundant Life." They have spent much time on the program and the members of the church and friends are urged to attend this program.
Visitors will find a cordial welcome at all services.
ALVIN O. RUE, Minister.

Ballinger Baptist Church
9:45 a. m. Sunday school, E. E. King, superintendent.
11 a. m. Preaching service by Rev. Paul C. Porter, missionary from Brazil.
6:30 p. m., Meeting of B. Y. P. U.; R. E. White director.
7:30 p. m. Preaching service by Rev. Paul C. Porter.
4 p. m. Monday, Sunbeam Band. Mrs. Burns Holt, leader.
7:30 p. m., Monday, our Sunday School Training School begins. At the same time each day through Friday evening this work will be in progress. Four classes will be taught. We urge that each one attend one of these classes. They stand for a better church, a better Sunday school and a better life of service. Special mention is made of the visit of Brother Porter of Brazil. A more soulful man you have not heard.

A hearty welcome is extended to all who will worship with us.
J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor.

Episcopal Church
Services will be held at the Episcopal church the first Sunday in each month. Rev. Arthur Whittle of San Angelo will be in charge of services.
The public generally is urged to attend.

Eighth Street Church of Christ
(Corner of Eighth Street and Bousal Avenue)
Bible study, 10 a. m.
Preaching and worship at 11 a. m.
Young People's Service, 6:30 p. m.
Preaching and worship at 7:45 p. m.
Subject for the morning "Church

Finances."
Subject for the evening "What Constitutes Authority."
You are welcome at all services.

We have no worship for display, but we strive to make you feel inspired. We ask you to believe nothing that we can not read to you from the Word of God.
V. L. WUNNEBURGER, Minister.

Episcopal Services
Regular services will be conducted at the Episcopal church on the first Sunday in each month, instead of the fourth Sunday as previously stated.

First Christian Church
(Broadway and Murrell)
Sunday School at 9:45.
Worship and preaching service at 11 a. m. Subject of the sermon, "To Whom Shall We Go?"
The evening preaching service at 7:30. The subject for the sermon, "What is Your Life?"
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Pageant of Eighth Street Presbyterian Young People
Sunday evening a pageant is to be given at the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church at 7:30. The young people have spent much time in preparing the program; under the direction of Drury Hathaway. The members of the church are urged to be present and the public is cordially invited. The program is as follows:
Song service.
Chalk Talk—Miss Cleo Russell.
Scripture Lesson—David Coulter.
Prayer.
Offertory.

Song, "Over the Way."
Pageant, "My Quest."
Characters:

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| Teacher | Hattie Russell |
| Business Man | Weldon Bailey |
| Artist | Cleo Russell |
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Dear Reader:

I fully appreciate the opportunity of "speaking the words of this (the Christian) life." It has been made possible by the management of our paper, which is gratefully acknowledged, and by those who are fellowshiping me in "making known the manifold wisdom of God." This fellowship is prompted by a spirit of love for souls.

It is not the purpose of this column to misrepresent any person, or position, for there is nothing to gain, and all to lose, by misrepresentation. Hence if it is done, I shall gladly accept correction. I shall endeavor to "speak the truth in love," and thus "provoke to good works."

No one, so far as I know, questions that the world needs a relief from sin. There are hopes, and aspirations of the human heart that only the Christian life can fill. This can be only by a proper understanding, and adherence to the principles of God's will—the Bible. (Matt. 7:21-29)

There is no book, penned on this earth, that is a unit, more than the Bible. There are sixty-six books in the Bible, and there is a scarlet thread running through each, connection one with the other. That thread is the Scheme of Redemption. Yet, on the other hand, you can not have a complete knowledge of God's plan with man without taking each of the sixty-six books in their sequence. I am aware of the fact that there are those who think that it is all in the New Testament, but there can be no full understanding of the New without a study of the Old.

This brings us to consider, then, that the crying need of today is a proper division of the Word (2 Tim. 2:15). If we will just stop for a moment, we can see that most of the division in the religious world today is either directly or indirectly, traceable to an improper division of God's law.

"What Must I Do to be Saved?" is the most momentous question of the day. There is only one way to find the answer to it and that is from the mind of God. The Bible is the mind of God—His will. It contains the "faith delivered once for all to the saints."

We are living in an age of restlessness. We are doing big things. We can now cross the Atlantic in a day and a half, whereas it took our forefathers from five to six months. We are building towers that scrape the sky. But the test is, are we rearing greater men? Are we developing a citizenship to "adorn the doctrine of God," and be a blessing to humanity?

Our civilization progresses in proportion to our application of the principles of the Bible. Our lofty skyscrapers must have more than a purely material foundation. The present trend to life can not last, else we will meet our days as disgracefully as did Rome.

We have turned away from God, turned away from His Word, and unless a halt is called, and a change effected, our country will at last be turned into hell "with all of the nations that forget God."

Read Deuteronomy 8:2.

God has given His Way to us in the New Testament; we are on trial now. Now read 1 Cor. 1:19-31. What is the trial? Then let us leave Human Wisdom and speculation, and accept God's Wisdom (The Bible), and Safety. His Way is Best. Isa. 55:7-11.

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