costs on the system, disposal plant and other matters which would be sewer connections and these would be operated on the two-term plan the service. His figures show that the completed project would be about interest and retire the bonds. \$250,000 In his estimates he states It is also probable that demands within the next two weeks. This Fort Benning, Georgia, after he

water engineers now making esti- sections and additional work. supply and improved system.

mitted for both projects. Each pay its part of the costs.

The report provides estimates of costs on the system, disposal plant and other matters which would be connections and these would be connections and these would be connected on the two days are to get their first shot of two adult leaders, Theo Halfmann, of Olfen, and Walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of of Olfen, and Walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of of Olfen, and Walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of of Olfen, and Walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of two adult leaders, Theo Halfmann, of Olfen, and Walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and Walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and Walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and Walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of olfen, and walter Schwartz of Leading are to get their first shot of two adult leaders, the control of t expenses and create a fund to pay ably sooner than the other schools.

mates of the costs for a water Recently some twelve blocks of elected at the last meeting of the for the past several months at additional pavement has been board of trustees: It is probable that this report asked by property owners and if Miss Marian Elaine Walker, to been transferred to Randolph will be filed by August 1 and after this program is continued more teach freshman English and his- Field and reported there for duty a study of this report it is expected tax bonds will have to be sub- tory in the senior high school. Monday af last week. Lt. Caperthat a bond election will be sub- mitted for the city to be able to Miss Walker has a B. A. degree ton served in the army air corps

#### American Legion, Auxiliary Begin New Year's Program

with each organization.

in charge of the Legion meeting chaplain; Mrs. D. G. Posey, serand called upon committee chair- geant-at-arms. men recently appointed to name other members of their commit- include: tees and report them as soon as possible so that the year's work

Commander Woodroof and Robert Owen, post adjutant, were named Wilson Middleton, and Miss Grif- in the 6th and 8th grades. She the United States, He stated he as delegates to attend the state fie Atkins convention in Galveston the first convention in Galveston the first part of September. The post also over the convention of September o voted to present through them a Owen, Leon Thomas, resolution to the state convention Jr., G. A. Buxkemper schools in operation in this sec

quet on V-J day next year in honor dreth, Sam Behringer, J. F. Owens, of gold star fathers and mothers, Sam Malone, Jr., Elbert Clampitt, and wives who lost husbands in L. R. Tigner the recent war. A special program and a committee will look after Legislation and Americanism— the 36th division in World War son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pearse, Ization. A new hardwood floor is be taken soon toward the culmithe details and the sale of tickets Mmes. F. M. Pearce, Jack Scales, II. Major Middleton traced the sailed May 6 from San Pedro, being laid. The kitchen space nation of these plans. to all veterans who desire to Tom Caudle, Bruce Creasy

regard to new activities. This Telephone—Mmes. Ed Curry, the first to storm the beaches at he said his crew would likely go for business as usual early next received by those attending the for treatment a short time after included the possible organization Harold Benefield, K. V. Northingof a post band, a glee club, pre- ton Jr. senting an annual show and a number of other matters of com- AIR CONDITIONING BEING munity interest. Committees were named to look into the forming of a band and glee club.

proposition of securing some kind First Methodist Church and instalof a post home where members tion will get underway this week might gather for social activities and be completed before time for and where post meetings could be services on July 28. held. A committee was named to continue follow up work on a num- here Monday and left for Big ber of propositions.

received on July 1 on be sent in and water frames will be erected as 1947 members and a member- in the alley behind the church. ship campaign will be started about October 1.

Auxiliary Meeting Final committee reports for the ensuing year named by the incom- auditorium.

Officers installed for the year STATE CREW TO CONDUCT

20th Anniversary Announcement See ad on page 5 B. Rudder

Notice We have installed a new disc roller and are prepared to roll your discs.

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that some parts may have been will be made for additional city school will be open until the received his discharge at Fort figured high, particulary dealing paving in the near future. Early cotton picking season starts Bragg, North Carolina, July 6. Mr. with rock excavations for lines this year \$50,000 in bonds were when a recess will be taken until Halfmann served 21 months in voted for paving but this amount most of this work is over. This the army of which 6 months was The city will study the engi- has already been contracted and school will be closed later than in the ETO with the 76th divi- Dickenson are continuing their neering report and table it until the city has no available funds the other schools in order to get sion. a similar report is received from to pay for its one-third, the inter- in all the required study.

The American Legion and Auxi-|were: Mrs. Oliver Jaros, presiliary held their regular July meet- dent; Mrs. Frank Pearce, vice- a B. A. degree with a major in that was at a number of training ings Tuesday night at which time president; Mrs. K. V. Northington, elementary education, and has stations in the United States. new officers took over their duties Jr., secretary; Mrs. Dan Wood- had four years' teaching experiroof, treasurer; Mrs. Delbert Van-Commander Dan Woodroof was cil, historian; Mrs. A. McGregor

Publicity-Mrs. Sim Cottelle

Entertainment - Mmes. Dan

Rehabilitation, Child Welfare and Community Service-Mmes. D. The post voted to stage a ban- G. Posey, E. C. Tinsley, M. G. Lan-

will be arranged for this banquet J. G. Tuckey. K. V. Northington poon and told of the action of

A modern air conditioning plant Members discussed at length the has been received here by the

A representative of the firm was Spring to have the steel tower It was voted that all members built upon which the motor, blower

The air will be taken into the auditorium through vents over the building and through the roof. The plant is the same type as is year were heard in the Auxiliary used in the Texas Theater and is speaker. meeting and committees for the sufficient to cool the entire church

#### CAMPAIGN AGAINST RATS

Robert R. Roberts, of the state health department, is here for a wo weeks campaign against rats. intensive campaign against these at the First Presbyterian Church make their first night stop in the and fountain service. rodents in the downtown district. Sunday morning at the 110'clock Big Bend country and proceed already begun in Ballinger and is for a visit with relatives and ico. intended to completely rid the city friends. of rats and thereby eliminate disease-carrying fleas which the declared to have been responsible Lynn was in charge of Thorn- El Paso and perhaps in other

Mr. Roberts will have poisoned baits and after covering the busiiness district will be glad to provide poison and give instructions for ridding homes of rodents. Any person interested in poisoning for rats and mice is asked to call him Ballinger so far this year, the at the city hall or see him in person.

Miss Verda Bell Allen, who has leading the parade with tempera- with those who had received been in the Waves and stationed at New Orleans, has received her It was slightly cooler here Mon- made in their renditions for taxes. discharge and is here on a visit day, and Tuesday and Wednesday Only a few citizens appeared with her mother, Mrs. George

Both issues would be for issuing second Monday in the month. 2nd Lt. Alvin A. Price, infantry,

the exact date to be specified mann have returned home from

The following teachers were Lt. Seth B. Caperton, stationed

with a major in English and a during the war and remained in eral other sections of the city minor in history

the service after returning to this Miss Mary Pearl McWilliams, to country from the ETO. teach reading, writing and spelling in the 6th, 7th and 8th grades of the junior high school. She has Mr. and Mrs. Q. V. Miller, has a B. A. degree with a major in received his discharge from the elementary education. navy and is now at home. Prior

Mrs. Lucretia McDonald, to teach to receiving his discharge he was in the elementary grades. She has stationed on Saipan and before

Mrs. Ellen Nix Wyatt, to teach from Sgt. Kenneth Gerard, stain the elementary grades. She has tioned at Weisbaden, Germany, a B. S. degree with a major in stating that he was doing photo-Committees named for the year elementary education, and has graphic work and was feeling fine. had five years' teaching experi-

Miss Mary Ruth Freeland, to his parents from Seattle, Wash-Woodroof, Tom Agnew, Otis Jacob, teach social studies in the junior ington, Monday night to inform G. P. Teague, Charles Cheatham, high school. Her teaching will be them that he has just landed in has a B. A. degree with a major would leave there Wednesday for Membership-Mmes. Alex Mc- in social sciences, and has had San Antonio, Where he would

### On 36th Division's Record in Battles

Major Price Middleton was that he is OK and is enjoying Extensive improvements are guest speaker at the Ballinger his work. Program-Mmes. Charles Webb, Fotary Club meeting Tuesday movement of the Texas division Calif., to Pearl Harbor and after removed and converted into an House—Mmes. D. G. Posey and and gave special emphasis to its three weeks there was shipped to office, and changes made in the new officers of the San Angelo his condition was described as not A general discussion was held in Ollie Floyd, Miss Griffies Atkins action in Italy where they were Guam. In a letter to home folks floor plan. They hope to be open Jaycees was made and word was serious after he was rushed here the three attempts to cross the in about three months. His ship each day and the prescription the occasion of the local Jaycees' fire. Rapido River and the tactics used. is now in a dry dock for repairs. room and other services maina question which has caused INSTALLED BY METHODISTS members of the division to ask McENTIRE'S CONDITION for a congressional investigation

of the high command. the division all the time overseas until he was wounded in the drive across France after the Bruce Field last Friday. McEntire and steaks will not be served. battles in which the division won fame, held his listeners to per-

fect attention. President Allen Davis announce fell on his head, inflicting a ment and will continue his full-little trouble before they were able Maverick has no means of fight-President Allen Davis announcthe city park when all members and their families will be present. A good program is being arranged with an out-of-town

President Davis, Sam Behrin- MOTORCADE OVER NO. 67 ger, E. Shepperd and James A. Wear attended the district conference at Uvalde Monday.

out little hope for recovery.

Governor Miramantes, of Chil-

boosters will encourage paving of

all gaps on the international

route. The group will be the

The city equalization board was

notices that changes were to be

to discuss suggested changes.

FOR CITY IN SESSION

#### REV. ROSS LYNN TO PREACH AT LOCAL CHURCH SUNDAY

This is a continuation of work hour. Dr. and Mrs. Lynn are here from there to Chilhuahua, Mex-

taking his present work, Rev. which will stop for meetings as that organization. for a number of cases of typhus well Orphanage in Clinton, South cities. At these meetings the

#### SUNDAY HOTTEST DAY OF YEAR IN BALLINGER guests of the Chilhuahua legis-lature upon arrival there.

Sunday was the hottest day in EQUALIZATION BOARD official reading being reported at 107 F. All West Texas experienced torrid weather Sunday, Seymour in session all day Monday to meet

the mercury was down to a flat before the board during the day

Engineer R. F. Davis has completed a survey in Ballinger and a survey the city commission relative to revenue bonds. These bonds would Registration for the senior and son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Price of pleted on the streets for several 36th division park on Lake Brown-ton, Norton; Melvin Kresta, Beththe enstruction of a sewer sys- be retired from revenues and no junior high schools will be held Price Ranch, was recently pro- weeks and the finishing touches wood July 25, 26 and 27. Eleven el; Rudolph Halfmann, Bethel; tem Ballinger to serve all taxes assessed to create sinking on September 5 and 6, and for cessed at the replacement com- were being put on them Monday club boys of this county with Vincent and Clifford Halfmann, funds. The city would collect both the elementary and colored mand disposition center near and the blocks roped off which County Agent John A. Barton and Olfen; Hartwell Schwartz, Crews;

will use city crushed rock which Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Halfto traffic as fast as possible so In selecting the eleven boys, alter- may attend. that no interruptions will be nates also were chosen and cards experienced over a long period of have been mailed to secure the John R. Wood, district game war-

the present paving program. Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, has

Work started Monday at Broadway on Hamilton Avenue leading of each club will be urged to be The following leaders were into Wilke Terrace where six present. Usual entertainment fea- on committees: blocks are ready for topping. Sevwill be included in the present topping program which will be underway all this week.

#### **Malone and Nance Buy Becton Interest** In Weeks Drug Store

A deal was closed this week in which Sam A. Malone, Jr., and W. A. Nance, Jr., became the owners of Weeks Drug Store. The two young men purchased the interest of E. H. Becton in the Capt. Jack B. McGregor called store, consummation of the deal being announced Tuesday.

Mr. Becton will move to Beaumont, where he has bought a store management there in the near

the Pacific and since the war Mr. Malone in charge locally and ended has been stationed in Korea. Mr. Nance will remain in Big Bobby Gilliam, with the medi- They also announced that they cal corps and stationed at Fitzwould change the name and in
the future the store will be known
simons General Hospital, Denver,
as Malone-Nance Drug Store

of a Boy Scout troop in combating juvenile delinquency among burning the post office, Jack Dis-Colorada, writes local relatives as Malone-Nance Drug Store.

tained regularly.

Mr. Malone stated that the kit- to make the principle address. STILL VERY CRITICAL chen and the food service would Raymond McEntire remains in a be discontinued. Sandwiches and LOCAL TENNIS PLAYERS

wuond which went into the brain. time service there to properly to win The injured man was taken to handle all doctor's prescriptions. The Winters teams will come were unable to do much toward

building, the floor arrangements will be set up to better display the SCHEDULED IN OCTOBER general stock of merchandise and additional room will be made pos-Boosters for the completion of sible for handling the fountain highway No. 67 have announced trade

a motorcade over the route to be Both young men extend a hearty held about October 1. The motor- welcome to all citizens in this cade will be made up and start trade area and especially those from Dallas and will be joined who have patronized the store in Dr. Ross Lynn, of Umatilla, at all towns along the route by the past to continue making this With four assistants he plans an Florida, will be the guest speaker other representatives. They will store their headquarters for drugs

> Jack Rudd, secretary manager of the Ballinger Board of Community Development, is in Dallas this For many years before under- huahua, will lead the procession week attending to business for

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## Engineer Submits Report Ballinger Schools to Open On Twenty Blocks On Local Sewer System Fall Term September 9 Of Street Paving 2 Encampments Slated For County's 4-H Boys

streets. All work has been com- district meeting to be held in the the district camp are: Cecil Pat-

curbing, base and excavation August 7 and 8 and all club boys an armadillo. A bull frog race will work on a large number of blocks in the county and their leaders also be held and each club memand within a few weeks will have are invited to attend. A special ber is eligible to enter a frog in other blocks under contract in effort will be made this year to this contest Softball games, swimsible and the entire membership entertainment will be included. tures will be provided and a barbecue dinner is to climax the acti- second day-Theo Halfman, Walvities at noon of the second day. ter Schwartz, Cecil Patton, How-

While no check has been made ard Worthington on the number likely to attend Police-Joe Moeller, Arthur the county meeting it is believed Adams, W. B. Scott, Frank Book attendance will be about 150. The Runnels county 4-H coun- Arthur Lisso, L. P. Dewees.

Walter Schwartz, Sr., and Cecil The eleven boys are being selected Patton, club leaders, will attend will be rolled into the asphalt. this week and as soon as they the Brownwood encampment and Blocks will be finished and opened accept the list will be completed, any other local leaders who desire

> At the county encampment The county encampment will be and scramble contest. This will be held at the Ballinger city park on by clubs with each club entering build attendance as large as pos- ming, picture shows and other

Dinner and arrangements for

Entertainment\_J. A. Barton,

#### **Maverick Business Section** Destroyed by Flash Fire

### Latin-American **Boy Scout Troop**

of the Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsor a Latin-American Boy Scout troop was made at the next week. Capt. McGregor saw announced Tuesday that they will regular weekly luncheon Wednes, about \$6,000. The fire started from action in a number of fronts in continue the Ballinger store with day by Rev. D. C. Wicham, pas- a wholesale gasoline speaker pointed out the many cal corps and stationed at Fitz- would change the name and in especially mentioned the value sumed and the flames quickly

Latin-American youths. Marion E. Pearse, seaman 2c, up for these repairs and modern- and it is expected that action will Renza Lee was destroyed.

of Texas Jaycees will be present turned on a motor to pump gaso-

#### DEFEAT WINTERS TEAMS

Two teams of tennis doubles contents were recovered. represented Ballinger at Winters Some of the records of the third landing. His description of the country, the fighting and the when the accident occurred. The receiving his discharge from the McCrary and Rev. Steve Cook ger and Bronte and considerable eye of one of the stakes pulled service has owned an interest found easy sailing in defeating mail was on hand. out and the hook on the end of with Mr. Becton. He has been in their opponents but Charles Ham- Mr. Talbott stated his loss was the cable snapped into the air and charge of the prescription depart- brick and Ed Curry were given a partially covered by insurance.

since, attending surgeons holding shers complete their work in the over the four Ballinger players. or combatting the flames.

A flash fire destroyed the busifrom Ballinger, Friday morning May be Sponsored Ballinger firemen were called to A proposal that the members the chemical equipment as water

tor of the Latin-American Bap- truck belonging to E. P. Talbott, tist Church of Ballinger. The Sinclair agent at Ballinger. Truck The possibility of sponsoring stations and garage. Telephone being made in the store and for such an organization has been and REA lines were damaged and some time the store will be torn discussed by the Jaycees before a 1941 Plymouth car belonging to

A report on the installation of left leg, both arms and neck but Salerno. He talked at length about to China and return to the States week but the store will be open installation ceremonies that upon the explosion which preceded the

line from the truck into storage at the filling station. In a few

San Angelo and has been there As soon as carpenters and fini- here next week to seek revenge saving merchandise in the store

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Information received recently by stick to determine to what extent home July 20. John A. Barton, county agent, is the most valuable elements are that anyone wanting soil tested now found in the soil. In the soil can now get this done at A. M. test laboratory, he states that College through a testing labora- chemicals are used that are strong tory set up by the Texas experi- enough to liberate all the element station on orders of the A. ments, but in nature there may be a deficiency of enough strong

There are some ten to twelve enough elements to make the things which this chemical ana- chemical plant food useable by lysis will show, and after the test the plants. is made it will be turned over to the extension service where M. K. TWO BALLINGER SCOUTS Thornton, agricultural chemist, and associates will make recommendations for the improve- Two Ballinger Boy Scouts, Carl ment of the soil in the light of Black, Jr., and Dwain Carter, have the chemical content and history. been selected for a two weeks'

The cost of this test, how to stay at the Philmont Camp and Weeks Drug Store

left Saturday to join other Texas summer and fall.

stricken of the world. Copies of

offices or requests may be mailed to Lone Star's home economics

department in Dallas at 301 S

National Food Preservation Week is focusing attention on necessity of home preservation of

food supplies for winter when

food is badly needed throughout

the world, emphasizing need for

food preservation throughout

Harwood Street.

the bulletin, "Cooking With Gas, are available without charge hough the company's business

or history of the farm and all Last year two Ballinger boys been working for the honor this are given. but might be used as a measuring



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inet formed recently by Prime Minister Yoshida, pose for their first photo. Left to right: front row, Sechi Omura, Kanzan Ishibashi, Kijuro Shidehara, Shigeru Yoshida, Takutano Kimura, Etsujiro Vehara, Sadakichi Ichimatsu; back row, Tsunejiro Hiratsuka, Ryesei Kawai, Jire Hoshijima, Ketare Tanaka, Hirce Wada, Joji Hayashi and Toshire.

scouts for the two weeks of intencanning is one of the best means This camp is on the Philmont of food conservation and desranch in New Mexico, where a cribes the pressure cooker, boillarge and beautiful tract has been ing water bath and open kettle turned into one of the finest Boy methods of canning fruits, meats, Scout centers in the United States. poultry, fish, pickles and relishes. Recipes for sugar substitutes and attended and all local troops had those requiring minimum sugar pleted for the Brady golf team

The local scouts will return the nearest approach to commer- in an afternoon series of matches cial canning and will handle any and plans are practically comkind of food, the bulletin says, pleted for a team to come here and the water bath method is from Coleman Sunday afternoon tomatoes and tomato mixtures." Ollie Floyd was in Coleman man of the marketing committee. The open kettle method "may be Sunday and twelve players agreed The club extended an invitation used for preserving and pickling." to come to Ballinger for games for the Bethel club to meet with Club met last week in the home devoted to containers, lids and 1 p. m. He also received a letter quilts were finished for the hossterilizing. Other points stressed from the manager of the Brady tess during the day. are pre-cooking or blanching of team stating that his crew of fruits and vegetables, and how sixteen to twenty players would to detect food spoilage. It warns, be here on July 28 for games. 'don't throw away food value! Mr. Floyd is anxious for all local fruits, use the cooking liquid to day afternoons so that all visiting fill the jars. Valuable minerals players will have matches. Fourand vitamins leak out into the somes will be arranged and each water, and will be lost forever if player will be matched against a the water is discarded."

ding invitations. Ballinger Print | Club last Sunday aftenoon.

#### ACTS ON THE KIDNEYS

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#### STRATION CLUB

tion club held its first all-day meeting Tuesday of last week in the home of Mrs. Wallace Barnett. Each member brought a covered dish and at noon a luncheon was served to all members

## **Golf Teams Coming**

"recommended for canning fruits, to play games with local players. Harold Routh was named chair-One section of the bulletin is Sunday afternoon starting around it in the August meeting. Two of Mrs. Melba Fletcher. Attend-

pre-cooking vegetables and golfers to be on hand both Sunplayer that shoots about the same score. Brady and Coleman held Wedding announcements, wed- matches at the Coleman Country

\* EAST SIDE HOME DEMON- \*

The East Side home demonstra-

## Here for Matches

Arrangements have been comto come to Ballinger on Sunday. The pressure cooker method is July 28, to meet Ballinger golfers

Mrs. W. T. Malone was named vice-president to take the place of Mrs. Kyle Archie, who is mov-

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Malone, Dabney Tomlinson, Ernest increased attendance at all meet-Schott, Harold Routh, Clarence ings. Routh, Lynn Stokes, Clyde Flanagan, Wallace Barnett and eight children.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Clarence Routh on July 23 at 3 p. m. Miss Ollie Chenoweth will give a dem-

onstration on making bedspreads. New boxed stationery at Ledger

#### MEET IN FLETCHER HOME

ance was light because of farm work underway at this time and The luncheon was served at the large amount of canning noon to: Miss Mattie Lee Tomlin- being done by women of the comson, Miss Pauline Simpson, Mmes. munity. Officers of the club are Rankin Jones, Kyle Archie, T. W. stressing the importance of

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Mesquite trees growing along In applying the kerosene a cultivated fields in Runnels county two-gallon can with a slender are probably taking a toll of about funnel made in the form of a 10,000 acres of cultivated land in small spout is good. The amount this county, according to an esti- to apply varies from a pint to a mate made by County Agent John half gallon, according to the size

destroying all vegetative growth.

months most successful for killing this work state that it stands to mesquites by the application of reason that if the mesquites sap kerosene. This is not expensive, the cultivated crops that they will according to the county agent, be equally as destructive to pas-

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ne it is necessary to have the

sprout out in a year or two.

of the trees. This material should Mesquites growing along road- be applied close to the ground sides, ravines, creeks, and pasture line and have the soil well soaked fence lines are all sapping the at the point where the tree enters land far out into the fields, dis- the ground. Dry, porous soil is easing crops, and in many cases th best condition for most effective results.

and is very effective when prop- ture grasses. This fact has been proven again and again by Texas experiment stations. With this information in mmd, many thousand acres of mesquite are now being eradicated in Texas and Runnels county ranchmen are following up with this program. Expansion of the program is expected here to rid more ranch land of destructive mesquite.

#### SERVICES FOR HIS MOTHER Grain Shipments

R. P. Canady returned home Tuesday after attending the funeral of his mother, Mrs. J. J. Canady, 82, at Mullin Monday

Decedent moved to Zephyr 55 in the Brownwood Memorial Hos- held in storage here.

The final rites were held at Church, officiating.

ady, Stephenville; two daughters, points. Mrs. Will Sanders, Mullin; and Mrs. J. L. Pickers, Lometa.

H. G. AGNEWS RETURN HOME

Seguin, where they attended a that the grain shipping was over trash and garbage hauled for left-handed golf tournament. Mr. with the exception of a small this very small sum. Agnew qualified second in the amount being held in storage. tourney and won his first two matches, losing in the semi-finals Bobby won his first match but lost in the second

### **Below Last Year** In This Vicinity

Shipments of small grain from years ago and had made home in Ballinger are considerably less effort to interest as many people this section of Texas ever since. than last year according to reports as possible in the service covered She became ill several weeks ago of shipping centers. Up to date in the hauling of trash from the and doctors advised that the only about 44 cars of grain have been business and residential sections. hope was in an operation. Follow- shipped from here. Of this all of A. M. Edwards has been employed ing surgrey she lingered for a it was oats with the exception of by the city and will be in charge little more than two weeks before three carloads of wheat, but about of the sanitary department. He her death Sunday morning at 6:30 fifteen cars of wheat are being will have a full crew of helpers

Last year this time approxi-Mullin Monday afternoon, Rev. mately 200 cars had been shipped Tipps, pastor of the First Baptist over the Abilene & Southern alone and other shipping points in the Survivors include two sons, R. county had handled a similar vol-P. Canady, Ballinger; O. J. Can- ume, Winters leading all other depending upon the size of the

Small grain in the Winters sec-

Ballinger and shipments from vice for their homes. Two trips there this year already dave been are made each week in the resi-FROM LEFT-HANDED TOURNEY about 175 carloads and a few dential sections and the price is shipments are to be made later. 50 cents a month. Trash must be Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Agnew and O. L. Britton, the Abilene & placed in containers in the alley Bobby returned Saturday from Southern agent, stated this week and the trucker will keep all

Ledger want ads pay.

#### City Emphasizing **Trash Haul Service** From Local Homes

The city is making a special and two trucks to be used in making the regular runs of trash

In the business district a call is made daily and the charge ranges from 50 cents to \$3 a month, loads to be hauled from various business houses.

The service is particularly tion was much better than around attractive to those who need ser-

> The service is as much in the interest of health as anything

#### **Observing Our** 20th Anniversary in **Business in Ballinger**

We wish to express thanks to the fine people of Ballinger and this area for the business you have given us during the past twenty years. Your loyal patronage has made it possible for us to succeed in this fine community.

All work turned in to our shop before our anniversary date

#### Friday, July 26th

will be done at OPA prices and no advances will be made ony any type of job.

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ise and all citizens are urged to WOODROOF COMPLIMENTED take advantage of it. Mr. Edwards will have more equipment than has been in use in the past and sufficient help to do the work.

Again we say thanks.

#### ROWENA BANK DONATES TO

In a report of the construction during all of 1945. of the Ballinger labor camp in received from Rowena for \$130 to be applied on this center. This was an error and the correct situatoin is that the First National Bank of Rowena contributed \$150 to be used in the Ballinger labor

E. J. Cervenka, cashier of the Rowena bank, sent a check to the Ballinger group and this check was cashed and the money turned into the general fund. The Rowena contribution did not come from the funds collected from the citizens there but was a contribuion from the First National Bank

Clean, cotton rags wanted at The Ledger office, Full market price paid.

#### ON WORK CLOTHING SALES

Dan Woodroof has received congratulations from the Williamson-Dickie Manufacturing Company on the sale of Dickie's work clothing. During the first six months BALLINGER LABOR CENTER of 1946 sales of these popular shirts and pants wrere more than

Mr. Woodroof has been featuring the clothing in a special camthat a contribution had been paign which has netted results double the efforts of last year.

> Pencil and typewriter erasers at Ledger office

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## Malone-Nance DRUG STORE

Extensive modernization will be done on the interior of the building and while a hardwood floor is being installed and other changes made, our service will be disrupted but by next week the store will again be in order and business operated on regular schedule. The changes will add to the looks of the store and the new arrangements will make it more convenient and comfortable for our customers

The only change in operation will be the discontinuing of the kitchen and the serving of lunches, steaks, etc. We will continue to serve sandwiches and light foods from the fountain in our new booth space.

We invite the friends of this store of the past and all people in this trade area to visit us and to continue the use of our services. For many years Weeks Drug Store has been the meeting place for friends and we sincerely hope that it will continue to be in the future

As in the past you will find a complete stock of drug store merchandise in our store, a fountain service that will please you and a prescription department where prescriptions are compounded accurately and promptly.

#### **Malone-Nance Drug Store**

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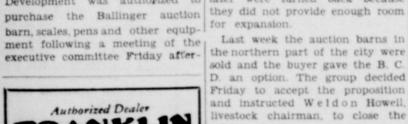
scales, arena and feed pens and

approximately \$4,000 was raised

First National Bank Bldg. Phone 544

#### **Local Auction Barn** Purchased by B.C.D. For Livestock Show

Ballinger Board of Community for this. Lots were purchased but Development was authorized to later were turned back because



It is possible that the B. C. D. committee may make arrangements to continue livestock auctions each week. These auctions have been an opportunity for producers to find a market for heir stock.

Mr. Howell explained Friday how the facilities at the auction barns could be expanded to take care of the work of the F. F. A. and 4-H club boys as well as provide for the annual show held here each spring.

Mrs. E. H. Boelsche is in Dallas with her mother, who underwent surgery there last week. Letters received this week indicate Mrs New is doing nicely and will soon



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#### **Soil Test Laboratory** At A. & M. to Analyze Samples for Public

COLLEGE STATION, July 10. A soil testing laboratory has been to make chemical analysis of soil samples. The service, as set up by the board of directors, is open to the general public. The laboratory will be operated by the Division of Chemistry, Texas agricultural experiment station, in cooperation with the school of agriculture and the extension service Fees will be charged ranging from 25 cents for pH. test to 7.50 for a complete soil analysis.

"An analysis of a sample of soil improperly taken is without value," Dr. J. F. Fudge, who is to be in charge of the laboratory, pointed out. He urged that persons wishing to submit soil samask for sampling directions.

Information with reference to the chemical content and history. noon. The deal was closed and by the laboratory must be filled county concerned will receive a the property will be the first step out and returned with the soil copy of the analysis and recom-

in providing a barn for use of sample. Future Farmers of America and After

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary, July 27

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the extension service where M. K. light of local conditions. ples write to the soil testing lab- Thornton, agricultural chemist oratory, Texas agricultural experi- and his associates will make recment station, College Station, and commendations for the improve ment of the soil in the light of

the soil, its use and location, is The county agricultural or also needed, and a form provided home demonstration agent in the mendations, and will be able to After the analysis is completed aid in the solution of any other

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#### Americanism Fund Drive is Underway **In Runnels County**

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and Influence

Dan Woodroof, commander of the Pat Williams post, American the results will be turned over to problem which may arise in the Legion, and county chairman of of the large crowd with a running the Americanism endowment fund, one-handed catch of a line drive is striving to raise the quota set which would have scored three Sox in a home game. This will be for this county in the nation-wide Maverick runs.

fund of \$450,000,000 to be used in Bethel team at 3 o'clock. Bethel day afternoons. teaching Americanism permanently in the United States in an effort to avert war and to help aggregation seeking revenge for Dallas, visited Mrs. E. A. Trail give all peoples the American way linger earlier in the season.

Runnels county's quota is \$1,070

and letters have been mailed to all members asking them to contribute. After veterans are worked others will be asked to help with contributions. Mr. Woodroof said the work in this county was behind and that every effort would be made to raise the fund not later than July 25, when a anai report is to be made to state headquarters, Austin.

While the endowment fund is sponsored by the American Legion it is for all citizens of the United States and anyone desiring to contribute is asked to leave it with Mr. Woodroof or Robert Owens,

#### **Ballinger Defeats** Maverick 17 to 7; **Bethel Next Here**

The Ballinger Red Sox journeyed to Maverick Sunday afternoon for a game with the fast team there and took revenge for earlier defeat, running wild to beat the Maverick boys 17 to 7. It was the best game of the season for the Red Sox and they swung the big bats for a total of 20 hits which accounted for the 17 runs. Maverick gathered 8 hits and 7 runs off the delivery of Underwood, who pitched his usual good brand.

Dillard Adair drew the applause

This drive is to raise a trust Sunday to meet the revamped to be on hand the next two Sunhas added a number of new players and come Sunday with a fast the drubbing given them by Bal- and other relatives and friends

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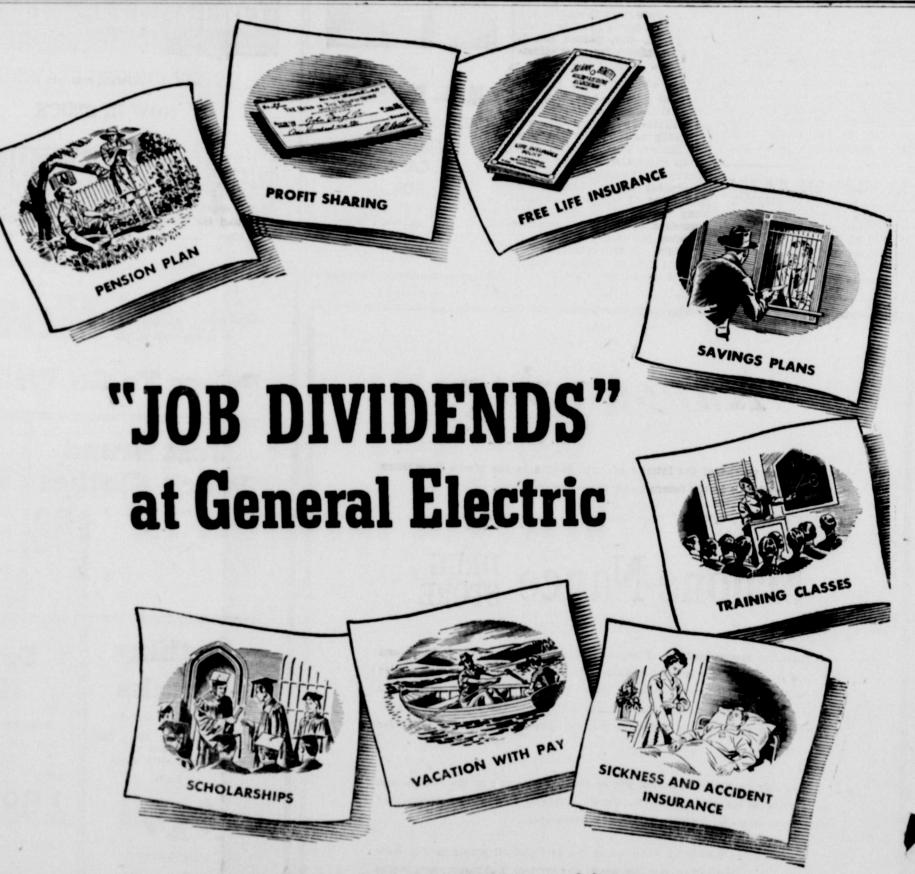
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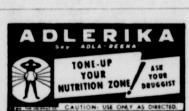
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TO MEET ON JULY 28

gathering of former bell county Texas are cordially invited to saving was the hardest to obtain. Dr. Machado was educated in work and shared ideas and patcitizens. This will be the first attend. meeting of this organization since

committee and Dr. W. B. Halley of Local Lions Club

be spread on tables under the big scoutmaster of troop 42, was pre- him a master key Lion.



More than 700 attended the falo Gap on July 28 to attend the countians now living in West 32 merit badges, of which life Alegre, Brazil.

to the scoutmaster.

is publishing the book.

oak trees on the Presbyterian sent with Bobbie Bryan, Jimmie camp grounds and this will be Williams, Lange Halfmann and TIME EXTENDED FOR TURNING followed by a short program. Most Marvin Clark of this troop. George IN PICTURES FOR WORLD of the day, however, will be spent Newby, scoutmaster of troop 29, WAR II BOOK in visiting and renewing old sponsored by the Lions Club, also was present.

scouting in the postwar period and stated that since the end of according to Fred Elsing, local their parents, he explained. the war and bond drives, scrap representative of the firm which metal campaigns and other activities have made it necessary for scouts to look to other fields for



### Friday Night, July 19

### Grace Baptist Church

Tenth and Phillips

Time: 8 p. m.

REV. PAUL DONELSON

former Pastor of the Church,

will speak on this subject, "Missions in China of the Fundamental Baptists." Rev. Donelso was reared in China, and will soon be going back as one of our Missionaries, as his father, Dr. Donalson, is in China now, serving one of our Missions there. Everyone is invited to come and hear the message. There also will be special music and

JIM HASH, Superintendent

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DON SMITH, Singing

#### Ballinger Scouts to Philmont



Pictured above are Scout Carl Black and Scout Dwain Carter Ballinger Boy Scouts who have been selected to attend a two weeks outing at Philmont Ranch in New Mexico. With them, seated, are their scoutmasters, Oscar Batts of troop 30, and Rev. Edward B. Postert of troop 42.

#### heir projects. Rev. Postert said hat younger boys must be edu- Dr. Machado Tells ated to become scouts and after **Local Methodists** they are scouts they must not be disappointed in its activities. He emphasized that when a boy Of Needs in Brazil leaves scouting he must have a good word for it in later life. He

stressed the importance of the Methodist Men met at the First Jones, A. W. Brunson, Barnett VETERANS CONTACT MAN sponsoring organization lending Methodist Church last Thursday Frank; and Mrs. J. T. Gregory of its moral and financial support to night for their regular July meet- Santa Anna was a visitor. he scout troop it is responsible ing, approximately 100 attending. or and urged Lions to be more The crowd assembled for half an Mrs. Barton Know Your Neighbors interested in troop 29. He declared hour of fellowship before the meal that all the work cannot be left was served in the dining room of the church

last reunian of the association, eagle scout at the age of 131/2, organization, presided and pre- Street. A large number of Runnels coming from counties all over gave a brief talk on what scout- sented the speaker of the evening. Bowls of bluebells were about county residents will go to Buf- central West Texas. All ex-Bell ing has meant to him. Bobby has Dr. Oscar Machado, of Porto the living room and centered the veterans or their dependents to

Jimmie Williams gave part of the United States, receiving his terns. A salad plate was served him for discussion and assistance the sixteen scout calls on the degree from Southern Methodist with cookies and iced tea. the early days of the war and the largest crowd in history is Roy Scout Program bugle.

New Liens Club members intro- his education here he returned to lors, Jack Nixon, Sr., M. A. Foy, W. B. Woody is a member for Runnels county on the finance Presented at Meeting duced were: H. B. Edmondson, his native land and entered the Bill Clark, John Castor, Malcolm new vocational agriculture tea-educational field. He became asso-Morgan, LeRoy McAulay, Jones cher, and Royce Mapes, operator clated with the Instituto Porto Taylor, Cal Adair, Joe Flynt and of the Yellow Cab Co. Visitors Alegre, known here as the little Cecil Jones. included Roy Key, of the Key S. M. U. of Brazil. He became Motor Co., and Howard Green, president of the school in 1934. It will be a dinner on the ground The Ballinger Lions Club heard manager of the Safeway store The speaker told the Methodist affair with everybody bringing a program on Boy Scouting Fri- here. C. D. Riihards presented his group much about the United his own lunch. The dinner will day noon. Rev. Edward Postert, twelfth new member which makes States Thursday night, comparing rester, Frank Flynt, Harvey Smith,

tures

This book has been approved by the American Legion, Veterans Pictures are coming in at a of Foreign Wars, and local promrapid rate, he said, and they are inent citizens.

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rest of the world, especially in Latin-America. He interspersed his remarks with considerable humor and held his hearers to perfect

Dr. Machado came to the United States for a speaking tour about six weeks ago and will remain mili in September before returning home. He learned to speak English while a student in this country, but has been in Brazil for many years and stated that he found he had forgotten much since leaving America.

The general theme of his talk was a plea for Americans to become missionary minded and reminded his hearers that this was the greatest nation in the world today and that it must help all other nations. He declared that the need in Brazil was help from America in education and religion

Members of the First Baptist Ruth Class were entertained with a no-host picnic supper on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gibbs

Borders of summer flowers against a background of shrubbery provided a setting for the business period, during which Mrs Wix Currie. Jr., presided, and for the picnic supper.

in South Ballinger.

Mrs. Tom Rollins was presented members. Others present were: Mmes. A. G. Buchanan, Wayman Wilson, Lee Parker, Robert Estes, Arthur Crockett, Charles Hambrick, Joe Lee Cooper, Rollin John Castor, Joe Flynt, C. A. Bis-Campbell, Dick Ayers, B. J. Martin, Roy Worley, Fred Moncrief, O. H. Chandler, and Stanley Price. Elliot Kemp, Doyle Condra, France

#### . . . Hostess

Mrs. John Barton was hostess to Know Your Neighbors Wednesday Bobby Bryan, who became an Marvin Davies, president of the afternoon in her home on Eighth veterans and their dependents on

dining table. Members did hand-

#### . . . First Baptist Naomi Class Entertained

Mmes. J. G. Tuckey, Joe Forconditions here with those in the Clyde Gabbert, H. Bibb, Herman Scoggins, Rollin Campbell, and Jack Pippin were hostesses to the one ample time to get their pic- First Baptist Naomi Class mem-There is no charge for putting garden at the Tuckey home on By popular request, the time for in the pictures and write-ups and Seventh Street Tuesday evening.

turning in pictures for Runnels if anyone is left out it will be Mrs. Melvin Patterson presided Scoutmaster Postert talked on County's World War II book has because the pictures were not for the short business period after

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#### TO BE HERE THURSDAYS

George Curry, of the veterans administration office at Sar Angelo, will be in Ballinger each Thursday afternoon to contact case work. For the present he will veterans or their dependents to bring any problems they have to

Mrs. Forrester directed games at Ross Black and Earl Baker a shower of gifts from class the social hour. Hostesses served returned the past week-end from iced watermelon. Others present Chicago and other markets, where were: Mmes. Malcolm Morgan, W. they had been to buy merchandise for their new store soon to

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Four Generations Present for Witt. Other family members were Elizabeth and Charles Mapes, and and Barron Reunion

Mr. J. E. Witt when they met in City Park on July 4 for a watermelon supper. Snapshots were On Wednesday, July 10, these

Dee Witt, and Mrs. Witt, of served with cake.

Messrs and Mmes. Robt. Wheeless. Pat Mapes, Jr., of San Angelo. Four generations were present and children, Eloise and Kathfor the reunion of the families of children, Jean LaNell, Bert and Has Party

Catherine Witt and Has Party Catherine Witt, Miss Pearl Witt and Mrs. Beulah Frazier

Charlie Witt, and grandson, Roy another party Ice cream was with cake.

Seattle, Washington, and their Besides members of the families B. Loyd, Messrs, and Mmes. Ray baby daughter, Dee Ann. Mrs. Roy who were present for the July 4 Key. Powell Wear, Bill Clark Dee Witt was the former Miss party those present were: Mr. and Charles Webb, Eldon Holley, Bill Derothy Gene Barron. Others Mrs. Ches Busher and daughter, Hays, Ed Curry; Misses Norma were Mrs. Witt's parents, Mr. and Lou Sarah, of Winters, Mrs. Jean Bankston, Martha Neely, Mrs. M. D. Barron, of Los Angeles, Dorothy Busher Hudson, of Abi- Mary Edith Loyd, Dorothy Forgey, and her grandparents, Mr. and lene; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Busher and Winona Howell; Messrs. R. W. Mrs. James Barron, of this city, and daughter, Shirley; Mr. and Earnshaw, Artis Beard, Dillard

Garden Party for Methodist Philatheas

the devotional. Mrs. Jones named August 7. a nominating committee, Mrs. O. The hostess served ice cream

Reese and M. B. Webb. Crimm, Blair Hays, Troy Simpson, Dian Afflerbach Tom Agnew, Lemmie Davis, Tom Caudle, J. D. Wilson; Misses Griffie Atkins and Thelma Midg-

Mapes Family Holds Reunion in City Park

Mrs. Dora Mapes, of San Angelo, reunion. A barbecue dinner was watermelon feast. City Park Monday for a family

Mapes, of San Angelo; Harry Farrish. Mapes, of Corpus Christi; Mrs. Mrs. Newt Wardlaw, of Del Rio. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Royce Mapes, Mr. and Mrs. John Rayburn and children, Grady Herring and two sons, of San Angelo; Mmes. Pryor Mapes, Fred Mapes and Pat Mapes, Douglas,

oung Adult Class First Methodist Church enjoyed a party at the Country Club last Friday evening. Following an two families and a group of their informal conversation and games, friends met at City Park for home made ice cream was served

Present were: Rev. and Mrs. H

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of Miss Krc Miss Mary Krc was hostess to the Altar Society of St. Mary's Church Tuesday afternoon in her

Mrs. Cal Adair and Mrs. Sam home on Sixth Street. Behringer were hostesses to the Bouquets of summer flowers gave Methodist Philathea Class Mon- floral beauty to rooms where Mrs. day evening in the back garden at Walter Mueller presided for the the Adair home on Tenth Street. business period, and plans were Mrs. Cecil Jones presided for made for the barbecue supper the business period and also gave which the society will sponsor on

R. O'Neill, Mrs. Tom Patteson and and cake, and cookies. Others Mrs. Clinton Glover. Birthdays present were: Mmes. R. Hoelcelebrated were those of Mmes. R. scher, Louis Afflerbach, Chester D. Midgley, Ernest Caskey, Glen Afflerbach, John Zak, John J Morrison, Fred Parker, Wesley Kohutek, Ernest Schott, W. J Curtis, Tom Egan, Sr., Louis Hostesses served iced water- Loika, Arthur Mueller, Sim Cotmeion. Others were: Mmes. Bob telle; Pauline Mueller, Charles and

First Baptist Y. W. A.s Meet

at Paint Rock Park Members of the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church met at the Paint Rock park for their business evening.

A swim was enjoyed in the and seven of her children met at Concho River, followed by a discussed.

Mrs. Malcolm Morgan and Mrs. M. F. Underwood are the sponsors Before moving to San Angelo of this organization. Others the past year, Mrs. Mapes and her present were: Misses Grace Jc husband, the late Lon Mapes, had Bondurant, Gladys Kemp, Gwen Mrs. A. H. Wiesepape discussed Mrs. Fowler is a graduate of the Children present were: Miss Anna O'Neal, Elizabeth Wear, Anna Sue Mrs. Rufus Allen's Topic was "Our Draughon's Business College, Abiand Fred Mapes, of Ballinger; Pat Creasy, Mary Green and Betty

Clay Rayburn, of Tucson, Arizona; Presbyterian Auxiliary has National Missions Program Mrs. Carroll Bell led the pro-



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gram and gave the devotional for in the home of Rev. and Mrs. meeting and program Monday the Eighth Street Presbyterian David Murray on Eighth Street.

Auxiliary Monday afternoon at a Rev. Murray, pastor of the Eighth meeting in the church when Chi- Street Presbyterian Church, read

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book of Prayer and gave the prayer ton College, Stephenville.

Blest Be the Tie that Binds."

At the social hour Mrs. H. T. Russell, Mrs. J. W. Black and Mrs. Hill were hostesses and served ice cream with cake. Sweet pea corsages were plate favors. Others present were: Mmes, Paul Petty,

Fowler-Ischar Vows Read by Rev. Murray

daughter of Mrs. E. A. Ischar, costume nights. became the bride of Joseph Henry
Fowler, son of Mrs. J. E. Fowler, left for the camp where she will
Saturday morning at 2.00 colors.

nese and National Missions were the double ring service.

The bride wore a two-piece dress Mrs. David Murray played the of shell pink eyelet embroidery accomplianment for the opening Her off-the-face hat was of white song "Jesus Saves," which was straw, and other accessories were sung in unison. "Byway Nursing" black. Her corsage was of white

"Our Part in World Missions"; Ballinger High School and attended ex-Governor Discusses the Puerto lene. She has been employed in Rico Situation," and "She Asked the office of of the Moore Produce PAT M. NEFF, Jr. for Pounds, They Gave Her Tons," Co. the past five years. Mr. Fowler by Mrs. Roy Hill. Mrs. J. D. Coul- is a graduate of Ballinger High ter read the names in the Year- School, and attended John Tarle-

for missions. Mrs. Bell gave the After a wedding trip to Carls-After a wedding trip to Carls-bad, New Mexico, the couple will be at home in Ballinger. Mr. Fow-Texas 1925, law degree Baylor closing player, and the group sang bad, New Mexico, the couple will ler will continue to manage his mother's ranch northeast of town.

> Girl Scouts Leave Thursday for Camp Louis Farr

Sally Bailey, Barbara Joiner, Marshall and Elaine Gressett left Thursday morning for Camp Louis

April, 1944.

Born in Waco 1903, reared in Farr at Mertzon, where they will Texas. spend a week of sports and folk by Rev. Murray dancing, hiking and swimming, square dealing and his high Miss Lydia Katherine Ischar, cook-outs, sing-songs, stunt and of office switchly and the duties

Saturday morning at 9:00 o'clock be an assistant unit head; and

Marilyn Sommer and Jo Cervent will be program aides for three weeks of camp.

Carolyn McClenney will attend the last week of camp.

Mr and Mrs. Buzz Smith and children, of Rankin, were here the first of the week to transact business and visit relatives.

John Cameron, of Sonora, was here the first of the week to visit relatives and transact business. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and children are visiting at Sonora while Mr. Smith is on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barringer, of Abilene, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.



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It is suggested that it is timely to protect tomatoes, expecially those which have been staked and pruned, against damage from sun blister Instead of allowing the fruit to remain on the vine to ripen, harvest it when a small area of pink shows on the blossom end. If placed in a cool, shady place the tomatoes will ripen in two to four days into a deep pink or red ready for the table or canning. The fruit so handled seems to ripen better on the inside than if left on the vine

The time is right to plant collards and late watermelons. Collards may be put in wherever a row of spring or summer vege tables have been taken out. A tencent package of seed will plant 100 feet of row. The Georgia or Louisiana cabbage collard varieties are both good. Plant the seed where they can be worked throughout the summer, and when the first frosty days come along parents of a son, born Friday. in October or November the col- Mrs. Malone and baby are doing TENNIS PLAYERS ASKED lards will be at their best as fall nicely and were dismissed Tues-

As the early planted watermelon crop will be out of the way Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hill are pis for the next project and all in early August, a second planting parents of a daughter, born Fri- local adult players who are interinto it todya. Below is a list of resistant, and a full patch on deep day things which may be done at soil will put watermelons on the

> plowing the fall garden plot now s suggested. This preliminary step would keep down weeds and prelow can be harrowed from time to time and when planting time comes adding the fertilizer and sowing the seeds would be the only jobs left.

#### HOSPITAL NOTES patient, was dismissed Friday.

Mrs. Fog Coffey, of Leaday, medical patient at the Bailey parents of a daughter, born Mon- baseball season ended last week Clinic-Hospital, was dismissed day. Mother and baby are doing with the locals dropping two Thursday of last week after satis- nicely. factory improvement.

Miss Rosemary Walden was dissurgery several days before.

Alexander McGregor has been dismissed following minor surgery and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ford are doing nicely and have been dis- satisfactory.

patient, was dismissed Wednesday. this morning.

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#### J. H. Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Malone are received only this week.

is recommended at this time. The day, Mother and baby are doing ested in a city tournament are Black Diamond variety is heat nicely and were dismissed Satur- psked to meet at the gymnasium

Looking farther into the future, patient, was dismissed Sunday this week and it is planned to following improvement.

vent the soil drying out in late surgery Monday and her condition will also discuss lighting of one ummer. Garden plots prepared tory.

> satisfactorily to medical treat- been invited here next week to ment at the clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Warren, of Paint Rock, are parents of a Pvt. and Mrs. Weldon O. Buxkemmissed Sunday after undergoing daughter, born at the local hos- per left Tuesday for his station at pital Monday. Mother and baby Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, after are doing nicely.

George Marsh, of Miles, medical Jerome J. Buxkemper, son of Mrs.

Mrs. J. W. Macune was admitted Camp Longhorn for the summer parents of a daughter, born to the clinic Monday and her con- months. Wednesday. Mother and baby are dition today was reported to be

Patsy Dietz, operated on Wednes-Miss Ann Cockrell, surgical day, was said to be resting well

> Dr. and Mrs. Ross Lynn, of Flora, and Rev. Matthew Lynn Houston, are here for a visit with relatives and friends. Dr. Lynn was head of an orphans' home i North Carolina for 25 years before noving to Florida to make his home. Rev. Matthew Lynn was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Coleman a number o

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parents of a son, born July 12. The young man was named William Kenneth and he and his mother are doing nicely.

Mr and Mrs. William Warren, of Paint Rock, are parents of a daughter, who arrived July 15. The young lady has been named Silvy DeLains and she and her mother are doing nicely. Mrs. Warwas the former Miss Ina Crockett

#### BEARCAT FOOTBALL JACKETS **PECEIVED EARLY THIS WEEK**

Coach Wayman Wilson made an announcement this week that football jackets were received the first of the week and are being received his jacket may get same by calling upon Coach Wilson. Orders for jackets were placed at the end of the season last year and usually are issued before the close of the school year. Delivery has been delayed this year by the pianufacturers and shipment was

#### TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

The summer recreational program here is featuring adult ten-Friday night at 8 o'clock.

All players, either singles or Mrs. G. H. Landers, medical doubles, are requested to attend arrange a championship and first bracket with play to start Mon-Mrs. W. F. Harrell underwent day night of next week. Players court in order to have night

games. Coach Wayman Wilson stated Pauline McQueen is responding that Coleman junior boys have meet local boys in softball, basketball, tennis and ping pong games. The Ballinger boys will return the engagement in August. Coach Wilson also announced Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Eller are that the American Legion junior games to San Angelo in tournament play, 8 to 6 and 6 to 5.

> spending his furlough with relatives and friends.

patient, is showing improvement. G. A. Buxkemper, has accepted a position as coach of football at

> Mr. and Mrs. Orean C. Gunyon and son, of El Paso, are visiting

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of address in advance.

the closing days of the political the bill is greater.

recently by the Ballinger Board of least inflated prices. Community Development practically every questionnaire turned in NORTON METHODIST CHURCH sent for the celebration. had something to say about the REVIVAL TO BEGIN TOMORROW installation of a modern city sewerage plate. All citizens seem cated they would support it with was here Saturday and announced a week. Mr. Straach is represent-



The Ballinger Ledger attending the thought survey displayed a deep interest in sanitation as a means of guaranteeing a healthful community.

OUR SALVATION

Back of all the talk concerning inflation and price control, is the \$1.50 undeniable fact that heavily increased production is our main

Everyone knows that black markets are created by an inadequate supply of desired goods in normal, egitimate outlets. This country's price control policies have contributed unnecessarily to that inadequacy. No one will produce an article if he can't sell it for enough to pay his costs. And no manufacturer, farmer, or retailer can "hold the price line" indefinitely in the face of increasing wage and operating expenses beyond his control. He must raise his prices or quit producing.

In the case of many agricultural products, the government has attempted to meet the issue through the old device of subsidies. A child can see the economic fallacy in that. A subsidy means that part of the cost of what you buy is paid for out of The heat is being turned on in your tax dollars. In the long run,

campaign before the first primary Those who try to bring about and interest in West Texas is businesslike administration of increasing. With the largest poten- price control aren't the friends of tial vote in history, the polls inflation. They are the friends of are expected to be crowded all production-inflation's enemy. day July 27 and tabulations prob- This country has the greatest proably will require long hours. As ductive potential on earth. It has, usual, the Texas Election Bureau in addition, a highly competitive will tabulate returns from all distribution system which is a Texas counties. A representative miracle of efficiency. Until these in each county will telegraph the forces can operate freely, we shall results to state headquarters, continue to enrich the black marwhich in turn will release unof- ket, and prevent legitimate pro- versary last week when the fam- close of its meeting last week details would be completed so that ficial totals to newspapers and ducers and distributors in all ily gathered at their home in Bids for the show were entered the schools could have use of the fields from performing the vast Eldorado. A barbecue dinner, by Eastland, Ranger and Cisco. buildings by the beginning of the services of which they are capable attended by thirty relatives, was In past years the show has been next semester in September. In the thought survey held here thereby assuring goods at the the highpoint of the day's enter- alternated between the three

Rev. O. H. Morton, pastor of July 28.

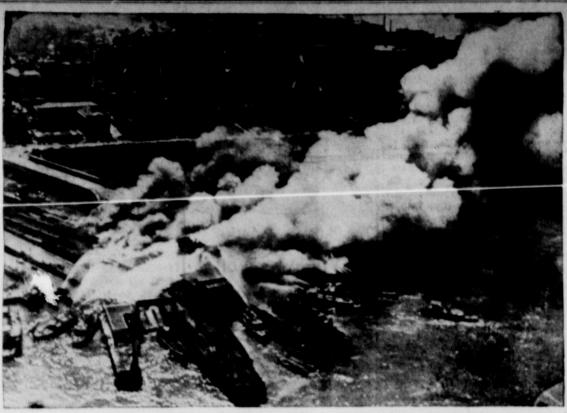
Rev. S. A. Baker, pastor of the A. & M. Grandview Methodist Church, will conduct the revival and will be heard twice each day.

will be at the piano.

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the municipality would soon own WEST TEXAS all property at the airport. While the application has been on file NOTES Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Estes cele- Association awarded the annual transfer the title to the city. Offibrated their 61st wedding anni- livestock show to Cisco at the cials expressed the hope that the

portation being limited.

ready for this program and indi- the Norton Methodist Church, attend the state firemens' school \$6,000 available for the show. ion of the work done in classes at 36th division park on Lake Brown- ivities.

> Mrs. Curt Baker will lead the \$1,515,897.20 on June 29. This rep- of time will be spent in recrea- Tommy Brooks ranch, with a singing and Mrs. D. W. Turner resented a gain of \$211,127 over tion and contests. Practically all large number present. A barbecue tion for all to attend and co- fine showing of the mid-summer leaders to the 1946 encampment. by the usual business and a prooperate in the service during the statement. L. T. Youngblood is Attendance for the last several gram. Jaycees also were in session, president of the Bronte bank.

> > The new frozen food locker opened last Saturdey. For the County Old Settlers Reunion will Cullouch county. opening, Miss Myra Tankersley, be held at Lake Eanes, Coman-

The Eastland County Livestock by an old fashioned singing.

for some time, red tape has tied \$ up closing the deal until this time. Representative O. C. Fisher notified city officials that they might expect an early completion of the transaction that would tainment. The couple has eight towns but last year associational | Scout day was observed at Win-

children living and all were pre- officers decided the show needed ters last week, members of troop towns were asked to submit pro- 49 taking over all city offices for posals. Cisco Jaycees sponsored the day. The boys proved that Charlie Straach, of Miles, left an organization which made they were on the job when they Sunday for A. & M. College to a permanent home and the three collected \$174 in fines and a number of tickets issued were still outstanding at the end of their votes in making funds avail- that a revival would start in the ing the Miles fire department and The program has been com- the day. The boys will use the able and in taking the service. All Norton church on Friday night, upon his return from the school pleted for the annual 4-H club funds collected for outings, over-July 19, and continue through will give other members a discus- encampment to be held at the night hikes and other troop actwood on July 25, 26 and 27. A number of state 4-H club leaders | The Brady Chamber of Com-The First National Bank of will be present to participate in merce held its annual membership

Officials of the City of Coleman

expressed hope last week that

Bronte had total deposits of the program and a large amount meeting in Camp San Saba on the the December statement and bank counties in district 7 will send dinner started the program for officials were pleased with the delegations of boys and adult the evening and this was followed years was short because of trans- holding a special meeting at Richards Park to make changes in by-laws and outline a program of plant at Rising Star was officially The 39th annual Comanche things needed in Brady and Mc-

home demonstration agent of che, next Friday. Committees have Paul Walther, Santa Fe agent at Eastland county, gave a demon- been working for several weeks Rowena for a number of years, stration on the preparation of arranging a program and the has been transferred to Miles and food to be put in lockers. The chairman has announced a full will move there to take over the demonstration was sponsored by day of activities. In the after- agent's job. He succeeds H. Clarke, the North Star home demonstra- noon a round table discussion of who was sent to Ballinger to take old times by pioneers will be a the agent's job made vacant by feature and this will be followed

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the death of H. Ravellette.

Plans and drawings have been received at Melvin for the proposed McCulloch-Concho cooperative hospital. The plans are being studied and a committee has started work to complete the membership drive by September 1 and if possible let a contract at that time for the building.

Pipe has been cemented to 2.28? at in the western Petroleum Corporation No. 1 on th Ruby Russell ranch near Menard and tests are being made in the Pennsylvania sand to determine production. In a one-hour drill stem test Sunday night the instruments showed 145 working carefully to bring in the

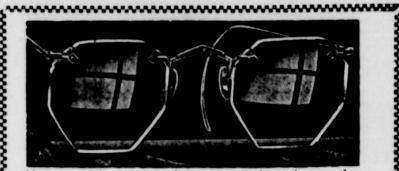
It was also stated that the annual association. tour to inspect livestock of all members of the association would be held in September.

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Arrangements have been completed for the annual meeting of feet of fluid and drillers were the Texas Flying Farmers at Sweetwater Saturday. It will be the first convention of the asso-Preliminary plans for the spring ciation which was formed early sale and show of the Mid-Texas this year at College Station. Hereford Association have been feature of the convention will be made at Stephenville and the date an army air show presented as set for January. These plans were part of the entertainment. The announced following a meeting of principal speaker will be a repreofficers and directors on July 8. sentative of the civil aeronautics

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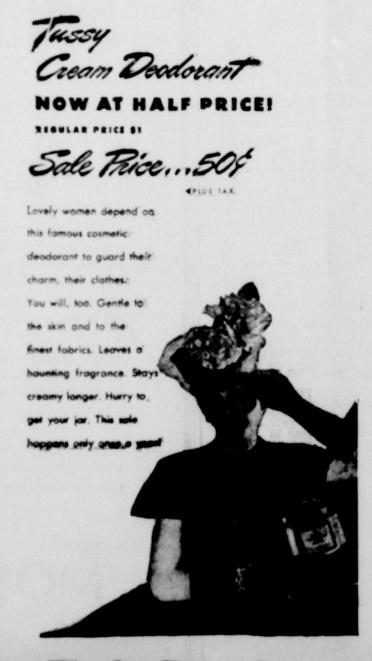
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and Ernest Pagano. a war correspondent from its hilarious conclusion.

comedy which is hailed as the lesson. Miss Ball is seen as the outstanding work of the writing- embattled wife.

producing team of Michael Fessier All of this ends in a quarrel and a threat of a divorce in Las Vegas, The story concerns the return Nevada, where the story reaches

. rope with the camerawoman The cast includes Carl Esmond who had covered his stories pic- Charles Winninger, Raymond Waltorially. Brent plays the writer, burn, Elisabeth Risdon, Louise while Zorina is the feminine lens Beavers, Wallace Ford and Franklin Pangborn.

#### Paulette Goddard Gay Heroine In Film Presentation of 'Kitty'

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'Kitty'



"Kitty," principal attraction at the Texas Theatre next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, July 21, 22, 23. stars Paulette Goddard, with Ray Milland as leading man. Cecil Kellaway is Thomas Gainsborough, as pictured above.

#### New Mystery Film Provives Comedy, Suspense as Well

A mystery film that provides comedy as well as suspense is Republic's "The French Key," coming to the Palace Theatre next Sunday and Monday, July 21

Albert Dekkert stars in the picture, which is an adaptation of Frank Gruber's prize Johnny Fletcher detective novel. Dekker and Mazurki, former wrestling champion, provide thrills with human fly tactics on the window ledges of a hotel eight stories above the ground, with knockdown, drag-out battles with chases and escapes.

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week, July 24, 25. The fast and furious tale of a come face to face with danger in young man grappling distractedly Sheila Ryan, Barry Sullivan,

Wednesday and Thursday of next of Ken Ford, an up-and-coming young scientist, and Gertie Kettering, the lady with the garter.

the recesses of an old gold mine and absent-mindedly with his past Binnie Barnes, Jerome Cowan and where a cache of gold-pieces is in an effort to save his future, it J. Carroll Naish gaily hold up

The Texas Theatre is putting out | against the royal splendor of the welcome mat for "Kitty" next London's 18th century court. It is with a witty pen. The Goddard-Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, July 21, the story of a hot-headed cockney Milland team has always proved 22, 23. The young lady involved, waif who rises from rags to riches popular, and should, it is said, be played by Paulette Goddard in when Sir Thomas Gainsborough further acclaimed after audiences Paramount's movie version of engages her to model for him, and view their latest opus. Previewers Rosamond Marshall's best-seller, is exhibits her portrait at the Royal praise "Kitty" as a bold, racy as fascinating a wench as film- Academy. In the course of her story that is strictly adult comedy goers can rarely hope to see. Ray career, she glides gracefully up Milland is her co-star, with Patric the social ladder via three mar- "Johnny Comes Flying Home" and Knowles, Reginald Owen, Cecil riages, one more brilliant than the Kellaway, Constance Collier and other. Among her conquests is the Sara Allgood heading the support- duke of Malmunster. This mar-

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> Ralph Morgan, Kane Richmond, Jayne Hazard, Teala Loring, Marjorie Hoshelle and George Meeker are importantly featured in Monogram's daring expose of an infamous adoption racket, "Black Market Babies," No. 2 feature at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday. Suggested by the magazine article by Virginia Reid which appeared in Woman's Home Companion, the production has Maris Wrixon, Nana Bryant, Addison Richards Anthony Warde and Selmer Jackson in the supporting cast.

John Bass, of Amarillo, was here the first of the week visiting and attending to business. He stated that it was dry in the Amarille area, practically no rain fallir since the first of the year

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Sun., Mon., Tues., July 21-22-23



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Rev. Fr. Edward Postert, church groom, was best man. pastor, reading the single ring service and officiating at nuptial mass before an altar decorated of teal blue crepe, with navy blue church pastor, read the single ring church pastor. with Picardy gladioli which was accessories. Her corsage was of ceremony, Christi, formerly of Ballinger.

Miss Muriel Roy Weds Willie Joe Miss Anna B. Mapes, of San Walden-Wiley Vows Read at Park after three years service in the tailored suit of lightweight new-Mapes in Church Ceremony Angelo, aunt of the bridegroom. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Mapes was maid of honor. She wore a summer frock of pink summer are on a wedding trip to Dallas summer frock of pink summer of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wiley of Ballinger Parents of both couples, crown felt hat with a stunning following their marriage Monday corsage was of pink and white Winters, became the bride of Mrs. Ross Campbell, sister of the full circular sweep of rayon veil. morning at eight o'clock at St. carnations. Mr. Pat Mapes, Jr., of Louis Walden, son of Mr. and bride, and Miss LaVerne Walden For "something old" the bride Mary's Catholic Church with the San Angelo, cousin of the bride- Mrs. C. L. Walden, Wednesday attended the wedding.

Muriel Roy, is a daughter of Mr. the ceremony. Those included crepe dress with back accessories and Mrs. William Roy of Lewiston, were the bridal couple and Mr. Her corsage was of daisies and Maine, and Mr. Mapes is a son Harry Mapes, father of the bride- fern. Troy Wiley, brother of the of Mr. Harry Mapes of Corpus groom, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Mapes, bride, was best man. Miss Anna B. Mapes and Pat The bride wore a dress of light

Mrs. Mapes served eighteen months in the Waves, stationed most of the time at Norman, Oklahoma. Mr. Mapes is a graduate of the Ballinger High School. He spent three years in the U. S. Marines, sixteen months of which was in the Pacific theatre. He is now connected with his brother, Royce Mapes, in operation of the Yellow Cab company in Ballinger. The couple will be at home at

501 Twelfth Street. Out-of-town guests were: Mr. Harry Manes of Corpu Mrs. Dora Mapes, of San Angelo, grandmother of the bridegroom; Mrs. Newt Wardlaw, of Del Rio, and Mrs. Clay Rayburn, of Tucson, Arizona, aunts of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mapes, and Mr. and Mrs. Pryor Mapes.

Progressive Dinner for Church Group

Intermediate No. 1 Training Union of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a progressive dinner Friday evening, when all four courses of the menu were served in the gardens of Messrs, and Mmes. Stanley Price on Eighth Street, J. C. Tuckey on Seventh Street, J. H. Endacott on Ninth Street, and Joe Flynt on Sixth Street.

Mrs. B. J. Martin and Miss Gladys Kemp are the leaders of this union and accompanied the group to the homes where the different courses were served. Others were! LaRita Price, Eva Jo Flynt, Cynthia Tuckey, Martha Ann James, Sallyne McGahay, Mary Loe Hayley of Tyler, Harriett Burkhart, Jessie Mae Henderson, Shirley Hambright, Virginia Cope; Jimmie Endacott, James Read, Jean Hirschfelt, and Paul Harrall.

Sunday School Class Entertained with Picnic

The Senior Young People's Class of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church of which Mrs. Aurelia Webb is teacher, entertained the Young Married Couples Class and their teacher, Mrs. G. P. Teague, with a picnic at the four-mile rossing last Friday evening.

Swimming and games were enjoyed before the picnic spread of fried chicken and all the trim- blue crepe with white accessories Herman Jacob of Winters, in mings was served. Mrs. O. J. Jaros and her corsage was of pink and Olfen. The Rev. F. M. Komensky and Mrs. Jack Ashton assisted in white carnationsentertaining the group. About 30 Mrs. Walden attended Ballin- presence of relatives and close young people attended.

. . . Avenue Baptist Church

evening, July 10, at six o'clock, at the Park Avenue Baptist Jacob-Michalewicz Nuptials Held day. Her bouquet was of Esther

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ger schools. Mr. Walden received friends. his discharge in January, 1946, pean Theatre.

. . .

at St. Boniface Church

o'clock Miss Evelyn Michalewicz, streamer. Miss Ruby Walden, sister of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew The wedding attendants were A wedding breakfast at the Cen- bridegroom, was maid of honor. Michalewicz, became the bride of Miss Margie Michalewicz, sister labra. Mrs. Mapes, formerly Miss tral Hotel immediately followed She wore a black and sky blue Herbert Jacob, son of Mr. and Mrs. the bride, and Walter Jacob, bro

performed the ceremony in the

The bride wore a Ponit twill

army with two years in the Euro- gray trimmed in silver clamps, with cherry coke acessories. She Miss LaVerne Wiley, daughter The couple will be at home in wore a warm brown open crown carried a handerchief that her grandmother wore on her wedding Read Daisies, mixed with lacy On Tuesday morning at ten fern tied with a wide white satin

#### WHY TELEPHONES CANNOT BE SUPPLIED FASTER TO WAITING **APPLICANTS**

Excerpt from Telephone Engineer and Management's "Newsletter" in the June 18, 1946 issue.

"Copper shortage, which has become increasingly severe in the last three months, and which is threatening to seriously curtail projected modernization and reconstruction programs of communications industry, particularly telephone field, shows little sign of improvement within near future. If strikes throughout copper industry are not settled within short time, there may be only enough copper available to communications manufacturing and operating companies for minimum repairs to maintain service. These were views of topflight copper experts of Civilian Production Administration.

"No less severe is lead shortage. Strikes in lead industry are curtailing lead supplies by more than 50%. At recent meeting of CPA representatives with an industry advisory committee made up of lead refining company representatives, it was pointed out that situation on lead may be even more acute than on copper because of present low lead stockpile in country-some 40,000 tons as contrasted with 400,000 ton government copper stockpile-and because critical shortage is worldwide. Consumers, we understand, face much longer period of scarcity in lead than in copper."

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#### **Election Returns** To be Tabulated At Ledger Office Ballinger

Returns of the first primary election will be tabulated in the I am interested in your Family office of the Ballinger Printing Group, low premium rate, Burial Co. on the night of July 27 for the Texas Election Bureau and also in order to determine county

The exact arrangements for posting the returns have not been quoted made, but in case the erection of a blackboard is impossible because AGES of lack of materials, a loud speaker will be used to announce returns from each box. At least some type of service will be given on county returns so that those interested may keep tabulations as received.

Election managers will make every effort to keep as well up with tabulations as possible during the day, but the long ticket plus the heavy vote expected will probably require a few hours past closing time before reports can be made. This will especially be true in large boxes that have a heavy vote near the end of the

The Ledger will not publish an extra issue because of the newsprint shortage but will render the the State of Texas Insurance best election service possible. Department. Members of the democratic execu-

ther of the groom. The bridesmaid wore a tailored suit of choc- tive committee will assist in tabolate brown gabardine with white ulating returns and all election accessories. She wore a corsage of managers are urged to call The pink carnations.

Joseph's School of Rowena and boxes. the groom attended school at Eagle Branch. The groom received Woodell Cox, of Corpus Christi, his discharge from the Air Corps grandson of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. sometime ago.

After a short wedding trip to for a month or six weeks. the Carlsbad Caverns, the couple will make their home in Winters. of the bride's parents.

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Jonas, came in Saturday to visit

Mr. and Mrs. George Kirk and on a farm. On their return a daughter, of Austin, were here reception will be held in the home last week for a visit with relatives and friends.



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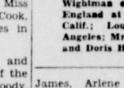


First Presbyterian Young People's their daughter, Miss Ann Creasy, Organization Entertained

tion and their friends were entertained with a Mexican supper in Those present were: Mr. and Creasy home on Fourth Street.

Miss Mary Ann Morgan and Miss Members of the First Presby-erian Young People's Organizathe pretty garden.

the back garden of the Bruce Mrs. J. W. Purifoy, sponsors of the organization; Mary Brian Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Creasy were Martha Saunders, Elizabeth Wear, assisted in serving the supper by Anna Sue Hembree, Martha Ann



Halley Zedlitz, Tommie Buchanan. Mae Dunlap and Gwen Morgan.

Club

Miss Demma Barron was hostess on Eighth Street.

birthday gift shower was presented Woody, on Broadway. Mrs. Clyde Gabbert.

Mrs. James Barron and Mrs. R. bouquets of summer flowers. W. Barron of Los Angeles, Cali- Mrs. Bill Williams invited guests fornia, and others were: Mmes. H. to the dining room where a O. Campbell, Barnett Frank, Her- reflected arrangements of pink man S. Cohen, R. W. Balke, R. F. asters centered the lace-laid Zedlitz, and Herman Hulsey.

for Miss Roy

Maine, who was married to assisted in serving. Willie Joe Mapes Monday morning. July 15, at St. Mary's Catholic Northington, Jimmie Russell, H Church, was paid a pretty compliment Thursday evening at 7:30 Mrs. Royce Mapes were hostesses ALLAN SHIVERS IS o'clock when Mrs. S. M. Jonas and at a pretty gift tea in the Jonas home on Sixth Street.

The yellow and white theme was given attractive emphasis with summer blossoms being used to decorate the entire reception suite where Mrs. G. A. Swann extended welcome and presented Mrs. Jonas, Miss Anna B. Mapes of San Angelo, aunt of the bridegroom; the honoree, and Mrs. Dora Mapes, grandmother of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Ruel Boswell invited guests into the dining room where the table was laid in an imported cloth of linen and lace, which was centered with a reflected arrangement of yellow and white daisies Tall white candles burned in double-branched crystal candelabra. Mrs. Royce Mapes presided governor, is the only war veteran

Miss Elizabeth Mapes registered and Germany. A member of the guests in the bride's book and Texas Senate 12 years, he is askgifts were displayed by the bride- ing to be promoted to lieutenant groom's aunts, Mrs. Newt Ward- governor on the basis of his serlaw of Del Rio, and Mrs. Clay vice to his country and his state. Rayburn of Tucson, Arizona.

Included were: Mmes. Claude Thompson, Fred Mapes, Frances Don't Wait Until Sweeney, Ross Smith, R. W. Dunbach, Chester Afflerbach, John B.
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. . . Miss Barron Hostess to Friendship Mrs. W. Orland Middleton Honor Guest at Tea

Entertaining for Mrs. W. Orland o the Friendship Sewing Club last Middleton, who before her recent Thursday afternoon in her home marriage was Miss Ann Oliver of Winters, Miss Mary Brian Woody Summer blossoms were about was hostess Saturday for a late living rooms where individual afternoon tea in the home of her sewing was the diversion and a parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B.

Guests were received by Miss A salad plate was served with Woody and presented to the honor punch and cake. Visitors were guest in rooms decorated with

refreshment table and were arranged elsewhere in the room. Gift Tea in Jonas Home In-Honor Mrs. C. D. Middleton and Mrs Powell Wear served sandwiches Miss Muriel Roy, of Lewiston, and cake squares, and Mrs. Woody

Callers included: Mmes. K. V

### ONLY VET IN RACE



Senator Allan Shivers of Port Arthur, candidate for lieutenant at the crystal punch bowl and seeking that office. Exempt from Miss Joyce Boswell served cake military service, he joined the squares iced in yellow and white, army as a volunteer and served Miss Elizabeth Mapes registered two years in Africa, France, Italy

"Pyorrhea" Strikes

AMERICA'S 1946 WIGHTMAN CUP TEAM . . . Members of the 1946 Wightmas oup team who will represent the United States against England at Wimbledon. Left to right: Patricia Todd, Lafayette, Calif.; Louise Brough, Beverly Hills, Calif.; Pauline Betz, Los Angeles; Mrs. Hazel H. Wightman. Morgaret Osborne, San Francisco

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sories and her corsage was an orchid with carnations. Miss Colleen Mapes, sister of the bride wore a rose beige dress Miller; Bob Sykes, Charles Miller, Frank Krc, Sim Cottelle, H. J. the bride, was maid of honor and with white accessories. The couple Thin, thick, and heavy type-Pob Dickinson, Billy and C. B. Zappe and John Garrett; Misses were an orchid crepe dress with will reside at 206 West College. Boggess, Delman Calvert, Bill Mary Krc, Alice Smith, Hattie white accessories. William Dunn The bride attended Ballinger Co.

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Misses Norma Jean and Melba Bankston, Dorothy McMillan, Pat McGregor, Ann Creasy, Dorothy

Miller, Eloise Dankworth, Clara Beth and Mary Lynn, Mary Ann Morgan and Ann Klechle.

Miss Anna B. Mapes Marries

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Burnham of Springfield, Missouri. The Rev. Fr. John Meister, pas-

> parents to San Angelo where she graduated from San Angelo High trip to Dallas, and for traveling fellow Field.

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because Jester's life has been an open book ever since his father, George T. Jester, lieutenant governor under Charles A. Culberson, jounced him on his knee as a small boy. "What manner of man is Beau-

ford Jester?" He's a man whose Navarro County neighbors voted for him 6,830 to 687 in 1942 when he made his first political race for the unex-pired term as Railroad Commis-

These neighbors were the nucleus of his first campaign in 1942 when he defeated nine opponents.

And they say that today he cannot



route that he does not meet some friend whom he knew either in the oil fields, in the University of Texas, or in the Army.

They say he knows more people in Texas than any man who has only been in politics a scant four years.

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years.

He's a man whom no aspirant cared to challenge when he ran again in 1944—the first time in 20 years a Railroad Commission candidate had been unopposed.

He's still a member of the Commission and it's not unusual for him to drop important campaign appearances at a second's notice to rush back to Austin to transact the Commission's business.

He's a man who saw combat service as an infantry captain in the first world war and was turned down because of a physical condi-

Jr., 7, Joan, 16, and Barbara, 20. Jester is blue-eyed, grey-templed, with a brave sweep of curly hair that shelters a fine, clear mind. Friends call him the most funda-mental Texan who ever ran for He has friends ranging from Ed-

die, famous capitol shine boy, to John Boles, movie star who went to the University with him.

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Robert W. Calvert of Hillsboro state Democratic leader, called for Jester's election early in his campaign, characterizing him as a man who could lead Texas into a golden era of industrial progress. B. A. Stufflebeme of Grand

Prairie, nationally-known agricul turist and cotton breeder, said "Beauford Jester knows as much about the problems of agriculture as anybody in the South." But the thing Jester,-and his

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BALLINGER-SNYDER BUS LINE GIVEN APPROVAL

Application of the Robert Lee Coaches for a permit to operate a scheduled bus line between Ballinger and Snyder has been approved by the state railroad amission. Service is to start within the next thirty days, it was stated by Robert McKissack, of Abilene, owner of the line.

New equipment was bought some time ago subject to the route being approved. Towns to be served by the new line include Ballinger, Mayerick, Bronte, Robert Lee, Sanco, Silver, McKenzieville, Seven Wells, Colorado City, Buford, Dunn and Snyder.

Arrangements have been made through traffic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bass, of Amarillo, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Crockett Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Bass is Haul sand and gravel anywhere. a brother of Mrs. Crockett. They Call 162. Also do other hauling, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Atnipp Mailing address Rt. 2, Ballinger, in San Angelo before coming to 11-tf Ballinger.

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COUNTRY CLUB STOCKHOLDERS

Stockholders of the Ballinger Country Club will meet tomorrow (Friday) evening in a called session to discuss amending the charter to take in twenty-five new members. Applications for the additional shares have all been signed, checks attached, and the only business to come before the meeting will be a proposal to amend the charter to permit 100 members instead of the 75 at present.

It will require attendance of with the Kerrville Bus Co. for officers to have a quorum repreconnections at Ballinger for sented either personally or by

#### CHURCH OF NAZARENE

started revival services Wednesday night with Evangelist Tate of SOUTHWESTERN LIFE HAS Abilene here to bring the messages each evening at eight o'clock. Services are being held in the church auditorium and the for the first six months of 1946 spend her vacation and visit home

received his discharge from the Jr. Total paid-for business for the navy after 25 months of service. He has entered Southern Methodist University, Dallas. Other guests included: Roy Hamby and ment said. wife, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. The company's gain in insurance Don Collum, Corpus Christi; Mrs. in force of\$31,220,000 for the first and Mrs. Fabor Hamby, Miles; Mr. half of the year is the largest and Mrs. Jim Eoff, Winters; and such gain for any similar six-Mr. and Mrs. Jobe and daughter, month period since organization

### CALLED TO MEET TOMORROW

two-thirds of the stock owners to make the meeting legal and every effort is being made by club

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tion received here today from C. a week-end visit with relatives. A recent visitor in the home of F. O'Donnell of Dallas, President, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Collum was by the Company's local represent- Margaret and Butch, of Phoenix, period amounted to\$44,505,000, President O'Donnel's announce-

of the company.

Mrs. A. Sshawe has returned 43% GAIN IN SIX MONTHS home from Dallas and is much improved. Miss Williedell Schawe, A business gain of 43 per cent of New York city, is also here to public is cordially invited to for Southwestern Life Insurance folks, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Company is indicated in informa- Shhawe, of Waco, were here for

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