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## Merchants Will Decide On Christmas Program

Ballinger merchants will be interviewed this week in regard to the presentation of a Christmas program this year. Committees of the Ballinger Board of Community Development are anxious to carry out the wishes of the merchants and announced some time ago that a Christmas program would be attempted.

Efforts were made to secure special decorations this year but it was found they are so expensive that no orders were placed. Decoration materials for the show windows are also one of the hard-to-get items and may influence merchants not to dress show windows.

The B. C. D. is willing to offer cash prizes for the best show windows featuring the Christmas theme and also provide prizes for the best home or yard decoration. In previous years the opening

of Christmas show windows has been a feature in Ballinger and has helped merchants start their Christmas business early. If this feature is resumed this year a general score card would be provided upon which the windows would be judged. Two classes of windows, open and closed, would be judged separately. This division would permit all Ballinger stores to enter the contest and help create good displays. The B. C. D. committee favors holding this contest early, perhaps the Friday night after Thanksgiving, and would arrange a downtown program to take place thirty minutes before the time set for the opening of the windows.

As soon as the survey of business will be made whether a program will be presented.

The B. C. D. has enough streamers to string colored lights in most of the downtown district.

## Runnels County Short On Final USO Drive

Runnels county is far behind in the final money raising campaign for the USO and community chairmen were making plans this week to reopen the drive to finish the county's quota.

With a quota of approximately \$2,000, a check-up this week disclosed only \$1,026.50 had been contributed. These reports showed the following totals:

Town	Quota	Paid
Ballinger	\$945	\$445
Winters	400	298
Miles	216	*
Rowena	150	163
Wingate	60	60
Norton	50	60

\*No report.  
Ballinger leaders stated that only about half the business district had been covered and that the local drive would be completed as soon as workers could be secured. In most places the solicitation has been slowed down due to inability to get workers.  
All community chairmen have been asked to complete their drives as soon as possible and citizens who have not been contacted are asked to leave their contributions at one of the banks.

## Legion Breakfast To be Held at Field Armistice Morning

The Pat Williams Post, American Legion, will hold an Armistice Day breakfast in the mess hall at Bruce Field at 7:30 a. m. November 11. Plans for the affair call for all Legionnaires, their wives, girl friends and any veteran who desires to attend.

Letters are going to all members of the post this week-end advising them of the arrangements and at the bottom of the letter will be found a check. Those desiring to attend are asked to fill out their checks for the number of tickets they want and return to Robert Owen, adjutant, not later than November 7. This is the final date for advising Fred Harman of the number who will be present.

A short program is to be presented at the conclusion of the meal, after which a "stag" party will be held for those who want to attend in the recreational building at Bruce Field.

Efforts were made to have the breakfast served at other places but none could take care of the large number expected. Mr. Harman agreed to get the mess hall crew to hire a crew of cooks and servers and serve the meal Armistice morning in order to help the veterans.

Following the "stag" party no other activities will be staged by the post on November 11. Former service men plan to attend the football game in the afternoon.

Mrs. Edmond Rogers, of Whitesboro, is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

## Local Lions to Begin Minstrel Rehearsals Next Monday Night

The Ballinger Lions Club will begin rehearsals Monday for its annual minstrel show, to be presented at the high school auditorium on the evening of Thursday, November 14.

While some preliminary work was done on the show this week the entire cast of approximately 150 will assemble Monday night for the first time and regular rehearsals will be held nightly until the show is ready for presentation.

W. J. Hembree launched the ticket sale this week and a large committee will strive to fill the auditorium to capacity in the effort to raise enough money to pave Broad Street from Eighth Street to the football field. The Lions club will pay one-third of the cost usually assessed against property owners for this work.

The 1946 show will be the biggest entertainment effort ever made by the club. A number of out-of-town vaudeville numbers will be offered in the first part of the show. A typical tent show candy sale will open the evening's fun and beautiful girls are to be given from the stage to those holding slips.

The performance will be closed with an old-fashioned minstrel circle in which eight blackface comedians will be featured, backed by a singing chorus of 100. Such well known home town talent as George Newby, Harry Lynn, Jack Nixon, Jr., Cal Adair, Clarence Richards, Claude Stone, Felton Underwood and Carl Black will spring the gags while E. C. Grindstaff acts as interrogator. Stage fun will be interrupted by roasting comedians who will pull gags and stunts.

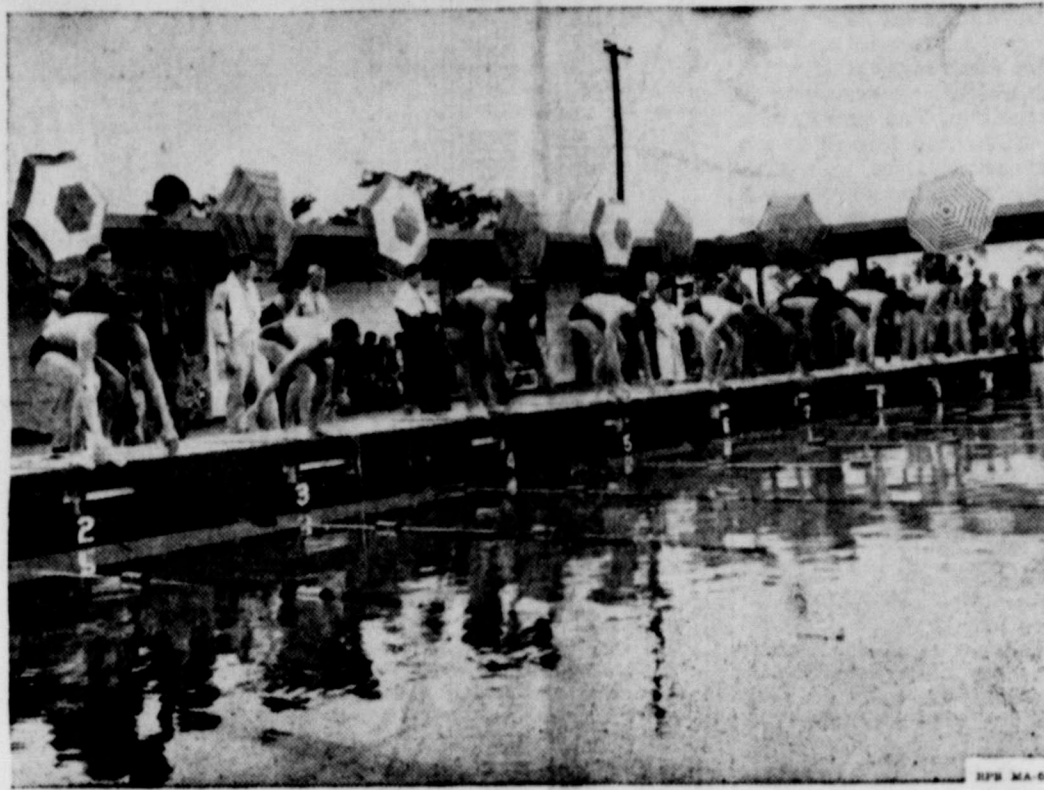
The center section is to be reserved while bleacher seats will be sold at general admission prices.

An advertising campaign will start November 1 and continue until the show date. Thursday night was selected in order that those planning to go on deer hunts could be here for the show.

## GINNINGS TO OCTOBER 18 IN COUNTY ANNOUNCED

Cotton ginnings in Runnels county to October 18 totaled 8,054 bales. This compares with the turn-out to the same date in 1945 which was 8,797 bales. Ginning in this county has slowed down some but there is still considerable cotton to be ginned.

Mrs. W. A. Cunningham left Monday for Garden Grove, California, for a visit with her brother, Gordon Brown. Brother and sister had not seen each other in twelve years.



There is always a lively sports program for the athletically inclined soldier at all Regular Army posts. In beautiful Hawaii, these Guardians of Peace are competing in a swimming meet. Life is the Regular Army offers travel, adventure, recreation, and comradeship, as well as a career and security, to young men between 18 and 34 years of age, inclusive.

## Legion Auxiliary Will Sell Poppies On November 9

The Ballinger American Legion Auxiliary has arranged for its annual poppy sale on Saturday, November 9. On this date a booth will be set up downtown and Auxiliary members will be in charge, assisted by a large number of girls who will sell the small red flowers to be worn by individuals throughout the day.

The poppies are veteran-made and shipped direct for veterans' hospitals in the state. Disabled former service men make the paper flowers and receive pay for them. Proceeds from street sales are used for hospitalization and rehabilitation work by Auxiliary units.

The Ballinger unit has perfected its plans and this year has accepted more poppies than ever before. This was due to more being made in hospitals, and unit quotas have been increased due to the great need and because so many disabled veterans are being allowed to make them.

Auxiliary members urge that every person wear a poppy on November 9.

## Mexico Motorcade Makes Short Stop

The motorcade over highway 67 from Dallas to Mexico arrived here today soon after noon and left at once on the first leg of the trip. Tonight the trippers will spend the night at Fort Stockton, Marfa and Alpine.

At Ballinger the motorcade was joined by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and Mr. and Mrs. John Purifoy, who will make the entire trip and represent the Ballinger Board of Community Development.

A large number of cars and busses were already in the caravan and other town delegations were to join the group along the route. Several cars and probably a bus were to get in the line at San Angelo.

Purpose of the trip, sponsored by the Big Bend Highway Association, is to secure official designation of the route for the Big Bend region which is expected to be one of the important playgrounds of America in the near future. Leaders in cities along the route believe the designation would be of great benefit and that much traffic would be routed over highway 67 if made the official route.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, of Talpa, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pape, of Ballinger rural, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Faubion and C. E. and S. D. Faubion, all of Crews, were guests in the L. A. Faubion home here Sunday.

## Election Managers Are Given Supplies For Voting Tuesday

Supplies have been distributed to the election managers in the 29 voting boxes in Runnels county for the general election next Tuesday.

Balloting will start at 8 a. m. and the polls will close at 7 p. m. Election managers and assistants will report tabulations of their boxes a short time after 7 o'clock.

There are four columns on the ballot for the general election. The Democratic party has a full list of nominees from top to bottom. Republicans have nominees for national and all but one state office but no candidates below the last named. The other two columns are blank and may be used for writing in if desired.

More interest centers in the three constitutional amendments submitted to the voters than in party nominees. Amendment No. 3 dealing with the freezing of motor fuel taxes for roads and schools probably is the most important and is the only one which has organized support. The Texas Good Roads Association and practically all county commissioners' courts and chambers of commerce are supporting this amendment and asking votes in favor of the proposal.

A special state-wide election is to be held on Thursday of next week, November 7, when one constitutional amendment will be submitted.

Both elections next week are expected to draw small numbers of voters.

## JAYCEES WILL AID IN SALE OF TUBERCULOSIS BONDS

Mrs. Carl Black announced yesterday that about 20 members of the Ballinger Junior Chamber of Commerce had agreed to assist the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association in the early sales campaign of tuberculosis bonds.

This drive will be made in Ballinger Monday, November 4, and firms that purchase bonds will be provided with free Christmas seals to take care of their December mail. Mrs. Black also stated that volunteer groups would be glad to affix the seals on mail for any firm if the request was made in advance of the date needed.

## COUNTY SINGING ASSOCIATION TO MEET AT WINTERS SUNDAY

The fall meeting of the Runnels County Singing Association will be held next Sunday, November 3, in the First Methodist Church, Winters. The convention will open at 11 o'clock and a feature program is to be presented. Lunch will be served to all out-of-county visitors by women of the church.

## Runnels County 4-H Club Boys Exhibit Hogs at San Angelo

Runnels county 4-H club boys made a good showing with their gilts and one boar at the San Angelo livestock show Saturday. While no first places were taken by the local boys in the eight-county show, the Runnels county exhibit as a unit was considered the best on exhibit.

In county competition Leonan Hoelscher was awarded first place with his gilt. Others placing were Raymond Rohmfeld, second; Robert Allen Hallmann, third; Obie Dee Bradford, fourth. Two gilts were not judged. Manor Nelson was given fifth place with his boar in district competition.

Hoelscher was given \$50 in merchandise. This merchandise can be purchased wherever he desires to get it but will be something he can use in better hog production. All the other boys were given 100 baby chicks.

Heifers won in the 1945 show were exhibited and Rudolph Hallmann was awarded a blue ribbon. The boys winning baby chicks will enter a county contest and the one with the best record of production will be awarded a medal next year.

All the boys will breed their gilts between November 1 and 11 and will keep records for the best achievement during the year. Some of the club boys intend to select some of their best pigs and get them ready for exhibition at the 1947 State Fair of Texas.

## Ballinger Girl Now At Base in Japan

J. T. Irvin received a letter this week from his daughter, Miss Elowise Irvin, informing that she had arrived in Japan and had been assigned to quarters and work at Yokohama for the present. Her friend from San Angelo who made the trip over with her was sent to Tokyo, which is 26 miles away. After spending most of the day aboard, she was taken off in the afternoon and transported by bus to her quarters in a good hotel.

Miss Irvin said the trip over was very pleasant. They landed on October 5 and their boat pulled into the harbor at Yokohama. Her trunk arrived a week later and everything in it was soaking wet but very few things were ruined.

She told of a Sunday trip into the country and the mountain region near her base. She stated the scenery was beautiful but added that they were in the German settlement for a short time and that the cold stares of the people gave her a chill.

Miss Irvin is liking her work and has comfortable living quarters and good food. They are not allowed to eat any food from Japan or to dine in Japanese restaurants.

Miss Irvin was doing civil service work at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, when she was selected to go overseas for similar work with the occupational forces. She will serve in Japan for at least one year.

Curtis Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee of Ballinger, was at home the past week-end from A. & M. College, where he is a student. He entered college upon being discharged from the service.

L. L. D. Holstead, of Lowry Field, Denver, Colorado, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Holstead, Saturday and Sunday.

## City Buys Slow-Delivery Items for Water System

The Ballinger city commission in session Wednesday morning opened bids and awarded contracts for slow delivery materials which will be required in the construction of the new water project. Pumps, pipe, valves and other equipment were included in the first contracts and total purchases Wednesday morning amounted to \$73,451.59.

Findlater Hardware Co., San Angelo, was the low bidder on five pumps, two to be located at the lake and two at the filtration plant, half a mile west of the city on the country club road. One vertical propeller type pump will be used in treatment equipment at the filter plant. In awarding this contract the first cost, power costs over a period of ten years, and other advantages were considered. The contract price was \$5,558.63.

Valves and fire hydrants were bought on a low bid submitted by M. D. McKee & Co., Lubbock, at a consideration of \$10,128.42.

The Morrison Supply Co., of Lubbock, submitted the low bid on automatic air valves used in keeping air out of the supply lines. This bid was \$787.80.

The contract for cast iron pipe and fittings was awarded to the U. S. Pipe and Foundry Co., Birmingham, Alabama, on a low bid of \$3,583.12.

Suction strainers for the filter underground system went on low bid to James B. Clow & Co., Dallas, on a bid of \$1,465.12.

Pipe for the supply lines and extensions on the distribution system was awarded Johns-Manville Co., St. Louis, on a low bid of \$57,948.50.

This includes contracts for all the needed materials for the new water project with the exception of the filtration equipment which can be bought later with delivery in from 30 to 90 days. Delivery rate on the items contracted Wednesday range from 60 days to 12 months hence.

Progress is being made on work at the proposed lake sites and the definite location will probably be made next week with a contract awarded for the dam about the first of December. Engineers hope to complete the dam this winter in time to catch flood waters from the spring rains. As soon as the definite location is made, city officials will start purchasing the required land for the lake from owners.

## Firemen Elect Officers; Plan Annual Banquet

The annual meeting of the Ballinger fire department was held at the fire station last Thursday night at which time the date for the annual banquet was set, new officers elected and annual reports heard on activities.

J. A. Schnable, retiring president, presided at the meeting and presented a new member to the department, C. S. Freeman.

It was announced that the annual banquet would be held at the school lunch room on the evening of Friday, November 8, with plates to sell at \$1.25. The program committee stated that Hon. Olin Culberson would be the principal speaker and that entertainment numbers would be arranged.

Members voted to sell \$200 worth of war bonds to help defray the expenses of the department. The members also voted to raise the firemen's compensation and pension from \$3 to \$5 effective on December 1 of this year.

Officers elected during the business session, to take office at the annual banquet are:

Winford Lee, president  
Lynn Candler, vice-president  
C. G. Cape, secretary-treasurer  
Chester Cherry, chief  
Jerry Candler, mascot  
Martha Kay Northington, sponsor  
Dr. F. M. Hale, physician  
Rev. W. H. Doss, chaplain, lifetime  
Rev. John Lawson, assistant chaplain

Members of the advisory committee named for the ensuing year are Marvin Williams, Fred Harman and Bill May.

An auditing committee composed of T. Whitehead, Claude Mansell and K. V. Northington, was appointed to inspect the books of the department and make a report at the banquet.

Chief Chester Cherry gave a report on activities during Fire Prevention Week.

## School Inspector Makes Three-Day Tour of County

Anthony Hunt, state school inspector, was here last week and in company with County Superintendent W. E. Elkins visited the salary aid rural schools in Runnels county. Fifteen inspections were made.

Of the fifteen schools ten are maintaining lunch rooms where pupils are served hot meals at noon. Mr. Hunt commented on this very favorably and indicated that this county ranked at the top of those operating lunch rooms.

He also was complimentary of all the schools, visiting, finding them well organized, well staffed with teachers, the property in good condition and meeting all requirements of the state for salary aid.

Supt. Elkins stated that all the rural schools were doing good work and having fair attendance. The number open this year is less than in previous years since many contracted their students to independent district schools or pupils transferred to larger schools.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wilke and daughter, of Graham, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cherry and other relatives here last week.

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# SOCIETY and CLUBS

**Boy Scout Troop 42 Has Hobo Party**  
Members of Boy Scout troop 42 arrived at their regular meeting place at the Catholic rectory on Sixth Street Tuesday evening.

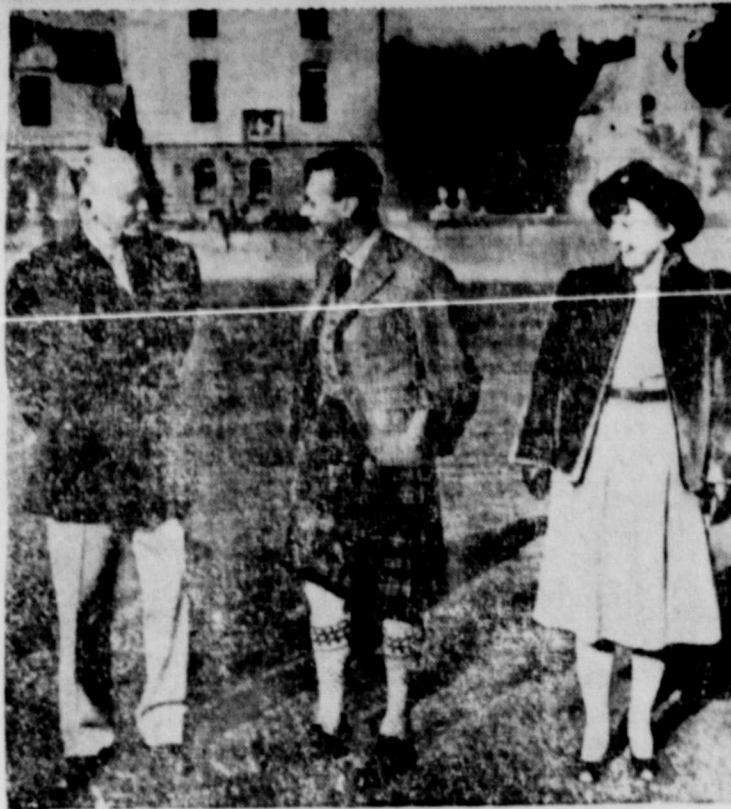
dressed in perfect hobo regalia with the traditional bandana, handkerchief filled with a few belongings tied to a stick, which was swung over their shoulders. After meeting with their scout

master, Rev. Edward Postert, and assistant master, Harold McDaniel, the four patrols assembled with their leaders and assistants, and started out to beg for food at the back door of parents of members. They were given maps with which to follow which were according to scout regulation. Fox Patrol, with Dwaine Carter and Darrell Morris as leader and assistant, with Kenneth Landers, Blaine Esmond, John Elder, Joe Vancil, David Fowler Kay DeLoache, and Luther Parker visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Myles Nixon on Murrell Avenue. The Panther Patrol, with Leader Bobby Bryan, and assistant, Monroe Hoelscher, and Marvin Clark, Jr., Lawrence Harvey, La Velle Foy, Glen Chapman, and G. W. Onken knocked at Mrs. H. F. Jenkin's door on fourth Street; Elroy Payne and Jessie Merrifield were leaders for the Eagle Patrol with the following: Harold Merrifield, Glen Hoelscher, Weldon, Brevard, and Harold McDaniel, who went to the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bailey on Fourth Street; the Stag Patrol was made up of Charles Bailey, Jr., as leader, and others were: Lynn Neill, Jimmie Williams, Lannie Maedgen, Jimmie Nixon, Billie Watkins, Paul Jenkins and Woody Thompson who got their hand out from Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Neill in Wilke Terrace.

When they returned to the scout room, a picnic supper consisting of beans, hot dogs, potato chips, pickles, and doughnuts with soda pop was served by Mrs. V. O. Wade and several scout mothers. John Reese, senior patrol leader, was judged the best all around hobo, and was presented a hobo package by Jimmie Nixon. Rev. Postert was also presented a hobo bag, with Charles Bailey reading "The Hobo Party." Mrs. Victor Miller and Mrs. Wade were the judges.

The regular meeting followed when preparations were made for the court of honor on October 29. Miss Ollie Chenoweth is Hostess to Contract Club.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth included Miss Lolo Eubank when she was



**EISENHOWER HONORED IN EUROPE**... More and more honors were heaped upon Gen. Dwight Eisenhower on his trip through Europe. With Mrs. Eisenhower, he is shown chatting with King George of England at Balmoral, Scotland, where the Eisenhowers were guests of the royal family. General Eisenhower previously visited the castle which was presented him by the citizens of Scotland. Every city presented him with medals and keys to the city. He was also given freedom of the city wherever he appeared in Scotland and England.

hostess to her Contract Club Friday evening, entertaining in the John Barton home on Eighth Street.

Yellow and orange zinnias decorated the party rooms and table appointments were in the Hallowe'en motifs where games were played and a dessert plate was served. Others were: Mmes. John Barton, George Newby,

Naomi Keithley, Marie Carter, C. L. Baker, John Castor, Sim Cottelle, Misses Mary Jane Kiechle, Griffie Atkins, Lillian Knowles, and Pearl Currie of Paint Rock.

**Mrs. Joe Forester is Hostess to Installation Party**

Mrs. Joe Forester, teacher of a First Baptist Sunday School class, which is composed of fifteen-year-old girls, was hostess to members when a formal candlelight installation service was conducted in her Seventh Street home Thursday evening.

A profusion of fall blossoms were used in decoration of rooms where Miss Gladys Kemp, Supt. of the Sunday School, Intermediate Department, gave the devotional preceding the installation service when the following officers were installed: president, La Rita Price; vice-president, Cynthia Turkey; chairman, steward and missions, Sallie McGahey; activities, Martha Ann James; group captains, Jo Ann Rayburn, Barbara Patterson, Joanne Chapman; secretary, Jessie Mae Henderson; teacher, Mrs. Forester. Miss Kemp gave the closing prayer.

**Frosted cokes** were served. Other class members are: Shirley Hambright, Irma Baldwin, Patsy Bishop, Betty Jean Mountz, and Betsy Coffey.

**Virginia Douglass Class in Home of Dr. and Mrs. Douglass**

Mrs. J. G. Douglass and Mrs. Flay Brevard were hostesses to the Methodist Virginia Douglass Class Tuesday evening in the Broadway home of Dr. and Mrs. Douglass.

Lovely fall blossoms were used to decorate reception rooms while the dining table, laid in Normandy lace, was centered with a formal crystal arrangement of yellow cosmos and black candles. Mrs. Marvin Davies presided for the business session after the devotional by Mrs. J. W. Guynes. Mrs. Brevard directed games and contests.

Hostesses served a sandwich plate and individual pumpkin pies with coffee. Others present were: Mmes. Lynn Candler, J. K. Nicholas, John Bradley, Wylie Hearn, Jr., W. E. Moss, H. G. Agnew, Bill Clark, Vernon Dankworth, G. R. Witter, George Newby, J. W. Jones, F. L. Rappy, Bill Bell, Jack Hampton, M. E. McClenny, W. O. Irby; Misses Ann Midgley, Wayne Byler, Bonnie Clark and Pat Bell.

**Mrs. Sommer Ace of Clubs Hostess**  
Mrs. Edward Sommer was Ace of Clubs hostess last Wednesday afternoon in her home on Ninth Street.

The Hallowe'en season was suggested throughout the house with fall flowers in orange and yellow tones arranged about the living room where Mrs. Marvin Davies

received high score prize and bingo awards were won by Mrs. W. O. Irby and Mrs. J. W. Longnette.

The hostess served a salad plate with coffee. Others were: Mmes. H. G. Agnew, Leonard Scales, W. E. Moss, Earl Barr and J. D. Forman.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Sommer were hosts to a group of friends when they entertained with games of 42.

Mr. George Newby was high score winner and Mrs. Newby won the low score award.

All table appointments were in the Hallowe'en theme when a sandwich plate was served with punch to: Messrs. and Mmes. Earl Barr, H. G. Agnew, R. E. Hodges, Newby, Oscar Batts, Walter Presson; and Mrs. Cordelia Johnson.

**Dinner In-Honor Affair for Mrs. Carrell**

A group of friends of Mrs. Grace Carrell, who was Runnels county home demonstration agent last year, complimented her with a no-host dinner at the Central Hotel Sunday noon.

The linen-laid table was centered with a low arrangement of yellow chrysanthemums flanked by yellow candeliers in silver holders where the three-course menu was served. Those included were:

Mmes. John Barton, C. L. Baker, Ona Penn, Thomas Patterson, Ellen Wyatt, George Newby Sim Cottelle; Misses Griffie Atkins, Mary Jane Kiechle, Ollie Chenoweth, Irene Griffin of Brownwood, Bettie Stuart, and Imogene Wade of Paint Rock.

Mrs. Carrell was passing through Ballinger on her way to Seattle, where she will sail on November 5 for Tokyo, to join her husband, Major Dayton Carrell.

Mrs. Carrell gave up her work in Runnels county early last spring thinking she would sail in early summer, but she was not given the privilege until recently.

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# SPORTS

The trip to Santa Anna Friday night was the last of the out-of-town games this season for the Bearcats. They remain at home for the final big games of the 1946 season with Brady, Coleman and Winters.

Ballinger fans who made the Santa Anna trip Friday experienced difficult driving enroute home. They met several hundred cars of Coleman fans returning home after the game with Winters and the glare of the headlights made driving very hazardous.

The Bearcats are through with their pink teas and from here out will be playing teams of their equal or better. Some downhearted fans are almost ready to concede the Winters and Coleman games but the Bearcats say the score cannot be added up until the game is over.

The Bearcats lost much of the faithful followers Friday night as hundreds of local fans went to Winters to see the two district contenders, Winters and Coleman, in their battle which ended with a score of 8 to 6 in favor of Cole-

man. The Bluecats made a safety in the last three minutes of play as Winters attempted to kick from behind their own goal line. A low pass from center made it impossible for the punter to get the kick-off and he was brought down back of his goal for the two points that spelled defeat.

The Brady Bulldogs have been coming along fast every game after getting off to a slow impressive start. Friday night they went to Comanche and defeated the Comanche Indians 7 to 0. They are determined and the Bearcats will have their hands full with Brady.

Providing the Bearcats come through Friday night the game of the year will be on the afternoon of November 11, Armistice Day, at Bearcat Field when the Bearcats and Bluecats tangle. Coleman fans are interested in reserving any number of seats that local school officials will sell in a reserved section. In fact, they have indicated they would take all the grandstand space if they were given an opportunity. The game is expected to draw the largest crowd ever brought together at a football game in Ballinger. Coleman has not defeated Ballinger since 1933 and fans want the satisfaction of seeing the Bearcats defeated at the hands of the Bluecats if the Bluecats can do it.

Game time Friday night will be moved up thirty minutes and the kick-off will be at 7:30. Fans are urged to take notice and be on hand by that time. Entrance of the band and pep squads and the start of the sideline color will begin at seven o'clock.

The Ballinger junior team ran into stiff going at Abilene last Thursday night and lost by a score of 19 to 0. Coach Garrett's boys were badly outweighted and the Eagles' running attack was too much for the Bearcats' defense.

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## Bearcats Have Easy Time Beating Santa Anna 40-0

The Ballinger Bearcats smashed over the Santa Anna Mountaineers last Friday night to the tune of 40 to 0 in their second conference game of the year. Scoring in the first two minutes of play, the Bearcats struck again for a second touchdown a few minutes later and then went the rest of the first half without getting the ball across the opponents goal line again.

The Bearcats received the kick-off. Black made a first down, a pass to Childers was good for 13. Currie made a first and Davenport on the next play cut back through the line for a score. Patterson's kick was low.

6-0  
Later in the first quarter the Ballinger ground game clicked for a first, a pass to Curry was good for 18. Curry hit the line for 6 and Agnew went off guard for 11 and a touchdown. Patterson's kick was good.

13-0  
Soon after the opening of the second half, Black broke loose for 28 yards, Davenport got 11. Evans and Black made yardage and Evans went over from the 4. Patterson kicked the extra point.

20-0  
After taking a Santa Anna

kick on the 47, Black and Davenport made more than enough for a first down, a pass from Davenport to Dankworth was good for 26 and almost carried to the goal line. On the first play Black hit the goal across left tackle. Black's kick was wide.

26-0  
Santa Anna recovered a Ballinger fumble on their own nine yard line and on the second play Lovelady fumbled and Ballinger recovered behind the goal line for a score. Patterson's kick was good.

33-0  
On the next series of plays, the Bearcat second string was looking good on offense. Burk made a first down in two series and on the next play circled right end for 28 yards and the final score of the ball game. The try for the extra point was good.

40-0  
Ballinger piled up 12 first downs during the evening while the Mountaineers made only three, all of them in one series of plays on passes. The Santa Anna ground game could not click at all against the Ballinger line and their yardage rushing was in the minus column.

Ballinger gained 236 yards rushing and 87 yards on passes.

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### BALLINGER JUNIORS OFF TO BROWNWOOD

Coach J. E. Garrett and his Ballinger Bearcats left this afternoon for Brownwood, where they will play the Brownwood juniors a game tonight. This is the first meeting this year for the two teams and Coach Garrett expects to meet a heavier club and have a hard fight.

A number of Ballinger fans carried the team to Brownwood in private cars and they will return after the game tonight.

### BALLINGER B ELEVEN WILL GO TO COLEMAN

Coach Dillard Adair will take the Ballinger B team to Coleman Saturday night to meet the B team there in a regular scheduled contest. All members of the high school squad who do not take part in the Brady game will be included in the Coleman trip.

### Municipal Collections Heavy in September

Total city collection for September were \$8,412.90. Distribution by accounts was as follows: delinquent taxes, \$221.75; penalty and interest, \$17.33; water, \$4,698.17; sanitary, \$245.75; paving payments, \$520.65 and numerous small amounts.

During the month 18 birth cer-

tificates and seven death certificates were issued.

Fourteen arrests were made by the police department, ten fines were assessed and two are still pending. Two settled their fines by remaining in jail. Nine traffic violation tickets were issued and six defendants paid fines.

Water consumption declined

the past month following general rains. Daily average consumption was calculated as 127,000 gallons. Heavy use of city park continued with the following reservations: church picnics, 5; reunions, 7; birthday parties, 7; fish fries, 5; school picnics, 4. Other regular activities continued at the park including family outings and much use of play equipment.

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### 1,000 Seats Reserved For Armistice Day Football Game Here

The Ballinger school board in a special session Monday afternoon decided to have reserved seat sections for the Ballinger-Coleman football game to be played here on November 11.

Coleman fans and school officials started a move last week in Coleman in which they requested that a section of seats be reserved on both sides of the field and that those on the Coleman side be sold in Coleman. This request was made so that at least some 500 would be able to purchase reserved seats and have assurance of getting seats when they arrived in Ballinger Armistice Day for the afternoon game.

Following the meeting Monday, school officials stated that 500 seats would be reserved on the Ballinger side of the field and the entire stand would be reserved on the Coleman side. Reserved seats will sell at \$1.20 each while the seats in the unreserved section will go at 75 cents, the general admission price for the game.

A crew will mark the reserved section of the stands following the Ballinger-Brady game this week and reserved seat tickets will be printed and put on sale. Each reserved seat ticket will call for a section, row and seat, and a crew of ushers will be on the job Armistice Day to seat the crowd.

Mrs. J. B. Arterburn returned Tuesday after visiting at Dallas and Rockwall. While at Rockwall she was the house guest of a cousin, W. C. Lowry, for a golden wedding anniversary.

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# SOCIETY and CLUBS

**Miss Lillie Mae Shields, Bride of Roland Cotter**

Miss Lillie Mae Shields, daughter of Mr. Jasper Shields, became the bride of Roland Cotter, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cotter, at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening at a single ring service read by Archie W. Gray, minister of the First Christian Church, in the home on sixth Street.

The bride wore a suit of black wool crepe with black and white accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias. Mrs. Jack Long attended the bride as matron of honor. She

wore a light gray gabardine suit with black accessories and her corsage was of white carnations. Dale Brown attended the bridegroom as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Wingate High School. For the past two years she has been employed as cashier at the Safeway Store. The bridegroom is a graduate of Ballinger High School. He was employed at the Farmers & Merchants State Bank before he went into the army, and after he was discharged in August, 1945.

The couple left on a wedding

trip to San Antonio and Galveston. They will be at home in Houston where Mr. Cotter is employed.

Attending the wedding were the bride's father and sister, Mr. Shields and Miss Anna Nell Shields; the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Cotter, and Mr. Jack Long.

**First Methodist W. S. C. S. Circles Meet**

Mrs. John Bradley was hostess to the Etta Burrows circle of the First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday after-

noon in her home on Tenth Street. Arrangements of white roses were about rooms where Mrs. Marvin Davies was presiding officer and Mrs. W. W. Chastain gave the devotional. Mrs. A. O. Strother and Mrs. O. L. Hart gave the Bible lesson, "Preparing Indian Leaders" from the study, "Peace Through His Cross."

A baby life membership was presented to Benda Bissett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lerwood Bissett, by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clark, as Mrs. Davies read Edgar A. Guest's poem, "Over the Crib," and Mrs. Hart sang the Cradle Song. Mrs. Clark presented the certificate and pin to Benda, and also presented a white carnation corsage to Mrs. Bissett as she

read the poem, "Mother." Cake was served with coffee. Others present were: Mmes. H. G. Arnew, R. W. Bruce, Tom Caudle, J. W. Guynes, Henry Moody, W. D. Bawcom and Cora Green.

Members of Etta Gressett circle were guests of Mrs. Fred Middleton and Mrs. Troy Simpson in the Middleton home on Seventh Street. Mrs. W. E. Midgley gave the devotional and Mrs. Middleton presided for the business period. Mrs. Cecil Jones presented the Bible study.

Hostesses served pie with coffee. Others were: Mmes. Flay Brevard, W. A. Hale, W. E. Donham, E. C. Tinsley, R. A. Williamson, C. D. Harris, and Miss Thelma Midgley. Mrs. J. F. Currie was hostess to the Sally Odum circle, entertaining in her home which was decorated with a profusion of orange and yellow fall flowers, and black and gold candles, while the dining table was centered with an arrangement of white and orchid asters. Other decorations were in the Hallowe'en theme.

After several songs were sung, with Mrs. Currie at the organ, as a tribute to Mrs. G. G. Odum, for whom the circle was named, Mrs. R. D. Midgley presided for the business. Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw gave a prayer and also the Bible lesson. She concluded by reading the poem "Eternal Thanks." Mrs. J. E. Garrett, soloist, sang "In the Garden," and she also played a number of organ selections.

Misses Bonnie Clark and Ann Midgley assisted the hostess in serving a sandwich plate with cake, in the season's motif, with witches' brew. Others were: Mmes. George Beard, E. Holt, Cal Adair, Ed O'Kelly, R. A. Dickinson, W. D. Scales, J. G. Douglass, D. L. Vestal, Sam Behringer, T. P. Brown, W. O. Irby and Ben Guin.

**First Presbyterian Auxiliary Has Inspirational Meeting**

Mrs. Chester Cherry, secretary of Assembly's Home Missions, directed a program on her cause Monday afternoon for the regular monthly inspirational meeting of the First Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary in church parlors which were decorated with a profusion of dahlias, roses and zinnias.

Mrs. F. M. Pearce gave the devotional, and Mrs. L. J. Campbell led the lesson on "What is My

Church Doing About Preparing for Christian Living" from the book, "I Want to Know." Mrs. Alex Saunders gave a discussion on Home Missions followed by an offering which was given for Home Missions.

Hostesses at the social hour, Mrs. George Holman and Mrs. H. W. Lynn, served a salad plate with iced tea. Others present were: Mmes. Alex McGee, John Guion, Victor Miller, M. E. Bogges, Paul Trimmer, Harry Lynn, Charles Miller, Bruce Creasy, R. F. Zedlitz, and K. V. Northington.

**Methodist W. S. C. S. to Observe Week of Prayer**

The First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service will hold its annual Week of Prayer observances in two programs, November 12 and 13. Mrs. A. O. Strother will direct both programs. Members are urged to attend.

**C. E. Maedgen Complimented with Surprise Birthday Party**

Employees of the J. C. Penney Store were hosts last Friday evening at a surprise party given to compliment C. E. Maedgen, manager of the local store, when they all went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maedgen in Wilke Terrace to observe his birthday anniversary.

After games of forty-two, the white birthday cake, which was leed in white and decorated, embossed with the words "Happy Birthday," was cut and served

with ice cream.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Vernon Webb, Mack Setzer, O. L. Hart, Walter McDorman, M. J. Cole, Clyde Fikes, Bill Canada; Mrs. Mollie Morgan and Mrs. E. A. Graham.

**United Church Women's Council to Have World Community Day**

The United Council of Church Women will meet Friday, November 1, at four o'clock at the First Presbyterian Church on Broadway to observe World Community Day.

Mrs. Charles F. Bailey will preside, and Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw will be the program chairman. Mrs. M. A. Foy will give the devotional and Mrs. H. B. Loyd will talk on "The Cost of Peace."

**BALLINGER BOYS GO TO OVERSEAS POSTS**

Bob Northington and Hoyt Smith left Seattle, Washington, last week for overseas duty with the armed forces. They sailed on the James O'Hara for Korea, according to information received here by relatives. Aubrey Frazier left Seattle two weeks before on the same assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Middleton left Tuesday for Fort Worth to attend the annual Methodist conference.

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### Margaret O'Brien Heads Cast Of Stars in 'Three Wise Fools'

Tiny, talented Margaret O'Brien appears on the Ritz Theatre screen Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 2 through 5, in another captivating role as the heroine of "Three Wise Fools." This time she plays a little Irish tot with a firm belief in pixies and the enchantment they can bring into your life. How she manages to convert three hard-bitten and cynical bachelors to her belief in the leprechauns makes for a fresh and constantly diverting comedy.

Lionel Barrymore, Lewis Stone and Edward Arnold play the respective doctor, judge and banker whose break household is upset by the arrival from Ireland of little Sheila O'Monahan, granddaughter of a girl whom all three once loved.

While the idea of this pert little miss in their midst is at first repugnant to the smug trio, they are finally won around to the first bit of affection they have experienced in years.

Margaret O'Brien again brings her octaginous enthusiasm and high spirits to the role of the tiny Irish maid and makes her completely delightful, even to an irresistible Dublin brogue. She is given stellar assistance in the performances of such assured players as Barrymore, Stone and Arnold, with another important part, that of the heroine's jovial personal servant and protector, played with color and spark by Thomas Mitchell.

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unfolds the story of a man who discovers that a handful of trouble can develop into an armful of women—and five murders dropped into his lap.

In support are Renee Carson, Marion Martin, Joan Blair, Leslie Vincent, Edward Marr, Jody Gilbert, Matt McHugh and Emory

#### 'Janie Gets Married' Rated Top Comedy

In "Janie Gets Married," at the Texas Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, November 6 and 7, the heroine's venture onto the turbulent sea of matrimony develops into a joy ride of laughs which should prove just as solid an audience-pleaser as was the original cinematic chronicle of that winsome lassie's adolescent adventures. Other members of the cast are largely the same, and Joan Leslie's performance is of expected high, pace-setting calibre.

Janie takes as a husband a returned GI, whom her dad has given a job on his newspaper. Mother-in-law complications and unwarranted jealousies develop the situations around which the fun centers.

Robert Hutton, Edward Arnold, Ann Harding, Robert Benchley, and Dorothy Malone are featured.

#### NORTON HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Members of the Norton home demonstration club were entertained with an all-day quilting and bedspread making in the home of Mrs. Tom Crockett last week.

One quilt and a large tufted bedspread were completed. A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour.

In the afternoon Mrs. A. B. Bryan was honor guest at a layette shower. A refreshment plate of congealed salad, coffee, decorated cookies and cocoa was served. Storks mounted on top of pink marshmallows were favored.

Attending were: Mmes. Kirby Robinson, W. W. Mitchell, H. A. Bryan, L. E. Bryan, Bob Crockett, O. K. Corley, Claude Simmons, Ed Bryan, Cone Robinson, J. Isabell, Alma Bryan, Glen Bryan, Raymond Cantrell, W. Bryan, J. P. Hutton, D. Bryan, Bert Fletcher, Insher, Harrell, and five children.

#### BLANTON WORKERS' CLUB

Mrs. Harvey Esmond was hostess to the Blanton Workers Club last Thursday. A quilt was finished for the hostess and members did handwork during the remainder of the meeting.

At noon a delicious covered dish luncheon was served to fifteen members and one visitor. Birthday cakes were cut for Mmes. Charles Tounget and Malone Gallant and gifts were presented.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Ollie Foreman next Thursday, November 7. During the business period names

### 'Centennial Summer' Declared Tuneful Technicolor Triumph

"Centennial Summer," to be presented at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 3, 4, 5, is reportedly another tuneful, eye-filling technicolor musical spectacle in the best 20th Century-Fox tradition.

Jeanne Crain, Cornel Wilde, Linda Darnell, William Eythe, Walter Brennan, Constance Bennett and Dorothy Gish move the story forward and the feminine contingent mounts up the eye-appeal. Lifting songs, destined for the "hit parade," are by Jerome Kern, and the charming love story, set against the gala Philadelphia Centennial celebration in 1876, has full audience interest.

"Cowboy Blues" and "Deadline for Murder" Texas Offerings Friday, Saturday

A rip-snorting action musical, to blast the blues sky-high, "Cowboy Blues," and one of the most unusual mystery-thrillers of the year, "Deadline for Murder," comprise the double feature program at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday, November 1, 2.

The cast of "Cowboy Blues" is headed by the Hoosier Hotshots and also includes Ken Curtis, Jeff Donnell, Guy Kibbee, Guinn Wil-

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### Murder Mystery, Durango Kid Adventure And Jungle Romance Coming to Palace

Three well plotted and enacted feature films are booked at the Palace Theatre, two for tomorrow and Saturday, November 1, 2, and the third on Wednesday and Thursday, November 6, 7.

The perennially popular murder mystery is given a new twist in "The Invisible Informer," No. 1 feature of the Friday-Saturday double bill.

With all the macabre mystery of the Louisiana quicksand swamps as its setting, the film proceeds compellingly through a complex maze of human relationships, delineating the progressive deterioration of a once-proud old family under the dominance of the ruthless elder son, Linda Stirling, William Henry and Adele Mara have the top roles, while Gerald Mohr, Peggy Stewart and Tom London are prominent in support.

Charles Starrett and Smiley Burnette have been reunited for the fourth time in a Durango Kid yarn, "Two-Fisted Stranger," the No. 2 offering Friday and Saturday. Starrett and Burnette clicked

were drawn for the Christmas tree program in December.

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right from the start and it was inevitable that Columbia should bring them back as often as possible. "Two-Fisted Stranger," the latest of the series, is said to be the slickest of them all.

The screenplay reportedly captures all of the adventure of the old West and complements the action with just enough humor, music and romance.

Doris Houck is the romantic foil, while Zeke Clements splits the musical chores with funnyman Burnette.

A romance in the heart of the Malayan jungle between a white man lost in the wilderness and a girl who had never seen a white man before is the story of action-packed "The Jungle Princess," at the Palace Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Dorothy Lamour plays the child of the jungle whose only companions are a full-grown man-eating tiger and a giant chimpanzee. Ray Milland plays the explorer in the Malay jungle who is saved by the girl and then falls in love with her.

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**IN SOCIETY**

**Betty Jo Witt Honor Guest on Birthday Anniversary**

Betty Jo Witt was guest of honor on her ninth birthday anniversary Friday afternoon when her mother, Mrs. Joe Witt, gave a party for her at the City Park.

After games played on the park equipment the birthday cake, iced in white and decorated in pink, and topped with candles, was cut and served with a sandwich plate with cold drinks.

Children were: Darlene Haroldis, Louise Miller, Elaine Hart, Jean Beddo, Marlene Witt, Jo Ann

Blackmon, LaVerne Calvert, Patty Roberson, Wanda Jean Williams, Mary Ann Buchanan, Jean King, Wanda Paschal, Ann Kathryn McDonald, Delphane Berrhill, Marjorie Neill, Betty Barnhill, Alma Kirk, Janie Brevard, Patsy Ruth Witt, Roger Blackmon and Wayne Witt.

**Two Hostesses to First Baptist Rachel Class**

Mrs. G. R. Touchstone and Mrs. Malcolm Morgan were hostesses to the recently organized First Baptist Rachel Class last Thursday evening in the Touchstone home

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Living rooms were decorated with arrangements of pink carnations and queen's wreath where Mrs. Morgan gave the devotional after Mrs. B. J. Martin said the opening prayer and conducted the installation service when the following officers were installed: teacher, Mrs. Morgan; president, Mrs. Stanley Price; vice-presidents, membership, Mrs. J. G. Tuckey; class ministry, Mrs. J. P. Hadley; stewardess, Mrs. F. C. Moncrief; fellowship, Mrs. Touchstone; secretary, Mrs. James Parrish.

After Mrs. Price presided at the business routine a social followed when a dessert plate was served with coffee. Others were: Mmes. Floyd Wiginton, Paul Kirk, W. B. Mason, Earl Sides, Ralph Burris, Dick Ayers, Cam Blackmon, E. Y. Bailey, William K. Wheatley, Wix Currie, Jr. and W. A. McDonald.

**Faubions Observe 35th Wedding Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Faubion were honored on their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary, October 26, in their home at 809 Murrell Avenue. After games of 42 were enjoyed,

the hostesses, Mrs. J. O. Baker and Mrs. B. T. Goode, served pecan pie and coffee to: Messrs. and Mmes. L. C. Fuller, A. B. Stovall, S. D. Faubion, all of Crews; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Miller, Coleman; and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Barker, and B. F. Goode, of Ballinger.

**Beta Rho Club Entertains Guests**

Beta Rho Club members were hosts to prospective members Monday afternoon when they met at the Stanley Price home on Eighth Street.

LaRita Price presided for the business period and invited the following guests: Martha Ann James, Arlene Miller, Janie Morrison, Betty Middleton, Ann Bryan and Shirley Hambright.

Party rooms were decorated with a profusion of roses, African daisies, and yellow chrysanthemums where a program was given, when Mary Wright sang a solo with Dorothy Daugherty at the piano. Joanne Rayburn gave a monologue, and a reading was given by Betty Stuart. At the conclusion an informal sing-song was led by Sue Hampton.

Mrs. Price assisted in serving a sandwich plate with cookies and punch.

**Ballingerites Attend Baylor Home-Coming**

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morgan spent the past week-end at Waco, visiting their daughter, Gwen, who is attending Baylor University. They also attended the Baylor home-coming and the football game.

Others going down to attend the home-coming were Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wear and daughter, Elizabeth; and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hembree and daughter, Anna Sue.

**Music Club to Meet**

The Ballinger Music Club will meet Tuesday evening, November 5, at 8:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Elmer Sheppard on Broadway.

**Alathea Class Entertained by New Officers**

Decorations and floral arrangements suggesting the Hallowe'en season were used by the First Baptist Alathea Class when new officers, Mmes. Ralph McShan, S. M. Jonas, Emma Speer, R. E. Truly, Ruth Bankston, Joe Jones and the class teacher, Mrs. W. E. Elkins, were hostesses to other members in the McShan home on Sixth Street.

Mrs. R. E. Truly, president, conducted the business routine, and Mrs. Speer gave the devotional.

At the social hour hostesses served ginger bread topped with whipped cream and coffee. Others present were: Mmes. J. T. Hornburg, C. E. Lowry, W. A. Forgey, Mollie Morgan, James Wear, R. P. Canady, George Holliday, Maud Roberson, S. W. Burk, Elmer Sheppard, W. E. Blair, James E. Jones, John Morgan, E. P. Campbell, E. P. Talbot, H. O. Campbell, Suzie Landers, A. M. King and E. E. Woodson.

**John and Rita Duke Honored at Birthday Party**

John Walter and Rita Pearl Duke were honored Saturday afternoon by their mother, Mrs. Walter Duke, with a birthday party at City Park. Wynonne Robinson, Mary Ruth Pape and Wilma Lois Duke assisting in playing games and making pictures.

Ice cream tubs were served with the birthday cake which was iced in white and decorated in pink, to about thirty children.

Included were: Peggy Hays, Nancy and Francis Stokes, Mark and Hugh Campbell, Fred Edwin Vogelsang, Lucius and Joan Wood, Jon Schnable, Mack and Joe Van Petty, Peggy Virden, Lucia Clark, Ruth Ann Henniger, Rebecca and Patricia Davis, C. J. Robinson, James Buxkemper, Buster, Delphane and Betty Berryhill, Louise Collins, Gary Joiner, Della Glover, Gwen Davies, Herbert Minzenmayer, Jr., Marvella and Patsy Ashton, Margaret Ann Adair.

**Party for Sallie Ann Underwood**

Mrs. Fred Underwood honored her daughter, Sallie Ann, on her ninth birthday anniversary. Games were played, after which guests gathered around the white cake topped with yellow candles. The Hallowe'en theme and colors were carried out in games and decorations.

Present were: Wayne Irby, Jon Schnable, Kirk Brunson, Douglas Smith, George McAulay, Mackey Touchstone, Bill Crockett, Jimmie Hammer, Jimmie Nicholas, Roger Blackmon, Billy John Whitehead, Manrul Ashton, Patricia Davis, Ruth Jean Watkins, Della Glover, Marilyn Mason, Gwen Davies, Dee Ann Saylor, Midge Adair, Peggy Virden, Mary Ann Pippin, Carol Sue Berry, Linda Crockett and Freddie Sue Underwood.

Mrs. Jimmie Nicholas and Mrs. Cecil Jones assisted Mrs. Underwood.

**Citation by Publication of Final Account**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting: Bud Queen, Administrator of the Estate of R. J. Queen, Deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said R. J. Queen, Deceased, numbered 1977 on the Probate Docket of Runnels County, together with an application to be discharged from said Administration.

You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this Writ one time and said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof, to-wit: November 11, 1946, in a Newspaper printed in the County of Runnels you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday the 11th day of November, A. D. 1946, at the Court House of said County, in Ballinger, Texas, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the city of Ballinger, Texas, this 30th day of October, A. D. 1946.

JOHN B. RAYBURN  
Clerk, County Court, Runnels County.

By Lynnie Harris, Deputy.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

J. L. MORELAND  
Sheriff, Runnels County.  
By Mildred Massey, Deputy.

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**GRINDSTAFF SLIGHTLY INJURED IN CAR WRECK**

Judge E. C. Grindstaff sustained slight injuries to both knees and had his car damaged \$250 to \$300 worth Friday night while returning from the Ballinger-Santa Anna football game at Santa Anna.

Driving home, Judge Grindstaff met hundreds of cars of Coleman fans returning home from Winters. On a hill a car attempted to pass a string of others on the road and headed into the Ballinger man's car. Mr. Grindstaff had pulled off the pavement to the right and when he saw the approaching machine leaving the pavement apparently trying to go into the bar ditch on his right, he pulled back towards the pavement but the Coleman car crashed into the right side of the Grindstaff car.

Five passengers were riding in the Grindstaff car but none was injured. Mrs. Grindstaff was on the front seat and three band members were on the rear seat.

Major Jim Brady, of Oklahoma City, was here this week for a visit with friends.

**BALLINGERITES ATTEND FUNERAL FOR RELATIVE**

Funeral rites for Mrs. Juanita Duke Southard, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Duke, of Ballinger, were held in Florida last week. Several relatives from here attended the funeral and returned home the first of this week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Robert F. Wood and Douglas, of Lubbock, are spending their vacation here, visiting relatives and friends.

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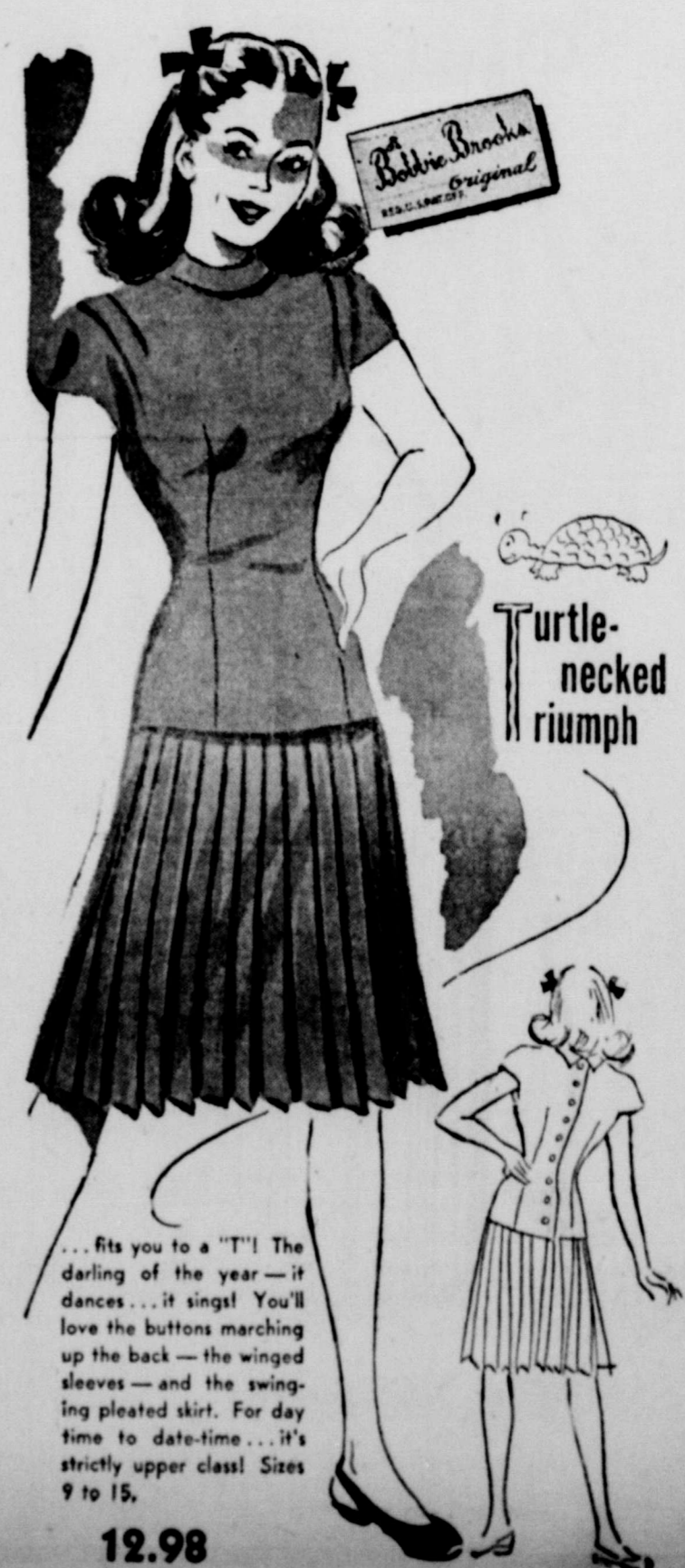
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9:00 p. m.—"A Peculiar People"

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12:45 p. m. each Sunday

Mrs. Archie Parr was operated on Tuesday at the Winters hospital. Before the major surgery her condition was considered serious but she was resting fairly well Wednesday. She will be there two weeks or longer before she is permitted to return home.

#### FAMILY REUNION HELD IN C. D. HARRIS HOME

Six brothers and sisters met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Harris Sunday for a reunion. Of the seven living children, six were present. The eldest sister, who lives in Oklahoma, was unable to attend. Present were Mrs. Ethel Trott, Bakersfield, Calif.; Mrs. Vera Driver, Clovis, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hinds, Coleman; S. A. Harris, Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Harris, A. niece, Miss Frona Harris, of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Branham, Jr., also were present.

Pfc. Lester F. Schaefer, son of Mrs. Emilia Schaefer of Olfen, returned home last week from Japan, where he had been serving with the 27th Infantry division on occupational duty. He has been awarded the combat infantry badge, good conduct, Philippine liberation, victory medals, and occupational ribbons. He will get his discharge November 21.

Read the ads and SAVE!

#### HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. J. M. Barnett, of Novice, was dismissed from the Bailey Clinic-Hospital Sunday following improvement.

Mrs. Troy Stuart and daughter were dismissed Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brunson are the parents of a son, born Friday. Mother and baby are doing nicely and were dismissed Friday.

Mrs. Jerry Landers, medical patient, was dismissed Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Lange is improving at the clinic where she is receiving treatment.

Mrs. L. L. Fenwick was dismissed Thursday after undergoing surgery earlier in the week.

Judge Poindexter Snow is improving after an operation last week.

Mrs. Clyde Gabbert was dismissed Saturday after satisfactory improvement following surgery.

Wayne Swift, operated on last week, has been dismissed and is able to be up and about.

Mrs. Jim Duncan was dismissed Friday after an operation two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook are the parents of a daughter, born Friday. Mother and baby, doing nicely, were dismissed Saturday.

Baby Willett was dismissed Saturday to return to her home at Novice.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dunn, of Norton, are parents of a son, born Sunday. Mother and baby, doing nicely, were dismissed Wednesday.

Douglas Wood, of Amarillo, is improving following surgery Monday.

Mrs. Bruce Legg, of Winters, was dismissed Sunday following treatment.

Mrs. A. A. Fischer, of Rowena, medical patient, was dismissed Tuesday.

Mrs. Hill Hampton, who underwent surgery Monday, was resting satisfactorily today.

Tommy Malone underwent surgery Monday and is recuperating. T. L. Lowhorn, medical patient, who entered the clinic Tuesday, is doing nicely.

Joe Ash, of Bronte, operated on Wednesday, was doing satisfactorily today.

Word was received this week from Pfc. Quinroy Haines, that he had landed safely and is stationed at a C-47 airfield in Munich, Germany, where he is a mechanic. Pfc. Haines left New York September 17. He also stated that he is doing fine, and that he had talked with his brother, Sgt. McKinley Haines, once by telephone. Sgt. McKinley is stationed in Grohn, Germany, and is manager of the Capital Theatre there. He has been overseas about ten months. Since the boys are stationed only about 300 miles apart, they plan to see each other soon.

#### COUNTY COURT CRIMINAL DOCKET CLEARED MONDAY

The criminal docket in county court was completed Monday morning when L. W. Carr entered a plea of guilty to possession and sale of liquor and was fined \$150 and costs, a total of \$172.80.

Judge Grindstaff stated this disposed of all cases pending on the criminal docket and that no juries were used in the last term.

#### ANIMAL LIFE IN TEXAS OF 100 MILLION YEARS AGO STUDIED

AUSTIN, Oct. 30.—What sort of amphibians and reptiles lived in Texas a hundred million years ago?

To find out the answer to that question a University of Texas vertebrate paleontologist plans to make a study of the Permian and Triassic formations in North Central Texas, with the hope that his findings may eventually have some bearing on the dating and age of the formations for the benefit of oil geologists.

Dr. John A. Wilson, new staff member, is now at work on vertebrate fossils which have been loaned from the Texas Memorial Museum. He has done similar work for the University of Michigan.

### DEATHS

Mrs. Molly Bateman  
Mrs. Molly Bateman, 87, died at the home of a niece, Mrs. J. A. Gatewood, in Cleburne Tuesday following illness of one week.

Decedent came to Ballinger in 1904 and made home here until in 1942. She went to Cleburne to reside following the death of her husband, E. V. Bateman, pioneer lumberman of this city. She was a member of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church of Ballinger.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Newby-Davis chapel, Rev. David J. Murray officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews.

Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Helen Ann Bennett  
Helen Ann Bennett, one year, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bennett, Sunday after a short illness.

Survivors besides the parents include a brother, Jesse E. Bennett; a sister, Martha Ann Bennett, Ballinger; and a grandmother, Mrs. L. D. Boatright, San Marcos.

Funeral services were held at the Newby-Davis chapel Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. R. L. Denton officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Emory T. Teague  
Emory T. Teague, 84, died at the home of G. W. McGree at Paint Rock last Thursday after illness of about seven months.

Decedent had resided at Paint Rock the past six years and was a member of the Christian Church. He was a farmer until he retired several years ago.

Funeral services were held at the Paint Rock Methodist Church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. C. K. Roberts officiating.

Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

#### MATTRESS DISINFECTING BULLETIN ISSUED BY A. & M.

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 30.—"Disinfection of Mattresses," a bulletin of the Texas engineering experiment station describing methods of sterilizing mattresses, has been distributed to county offices of the Texas A. & M. College extension service. Information on the subject or use of the bulletin may be obtained through local extension agents.

The bulletin is the result of research done at the Texas engineering experiment station with a view toward developing cheap and easy methods of disinfecting bedding. The work was done in cooperation with the state department of health, which has long been interested in finding the best methods of complying with laws that require mattresses offered for sale to be disinfected.

Treatment of mattresses by both chemical and heating methods are described in the bulletin. The heating method proves effective when the mattress is subjected to moist air heated at 275 degrees Fahrenheit. A pleasing feature of the heat disinfection is the light, fluffy condition of the mattress following the treatment. Results of chemical experiments showed that a formalin vapor treatment is probably the best chemical method of sterilizing bedding, since it gives excellent results and does not offer as difficult a problem of getting rid of after-odors as did the other chemical methods.

Detailed methods, equipment and material needed are described fully in the publication which is now in county extension offices.

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Texans will go to the polls next Tuesday in the general election. Voting for the constitution of two tickets which have men seeking state and national offices is not so important as the constitutional amendments submitted at this time. While there is no known opposition to the good roads amendment, many organizations in the state are urging that every eligible voter go to the polls and favor this amendment which is number 3 on the ballot. This amendment is the concern of all citizens of the state. The cry for better roads and better schools has at last been heard by those in authority. Through the passage of this amendment it is hoped to make funds available from motor fuel taxes on a permanent basis. A continuous long range road building program cannot be put over with short range financing. The good roads amendment squarely faces the fact that road

building is here to stay and puts the financing on a permanent basis so that a program covering ten years or more can be adopted and accomplished.

The Runnels County Tuberculosis Association has completed a campaign of patch testing that has reached into every school in the county. These efforts will go a long way toward stamping out this plague in years to come and it is only regrettable that every pupil in the county did not receive a test. In some cases parents do not want their children to be given the test and for this reason no campaign can be completely effective. What makes people afraid of something that cannot hurt them but might be instrumental in saving many lives is the difficult situation to be overcome by the workers. Some 3,000 tests were given in Runnels county this year. In this large number there were of course a number of positive reactions. These reactions do not mean that the pupils have active tuberculosis but give tips for additional examinations and in cases where the disease is active, early treatment can be given to make the child sound again. It is a splendid work and when tuberculosis Christmas seals go on sale next month, remember that your dollars spent for these seals make campaigns possible on a countywide basis.

November brings two holidays which the people of Ballinger observe each year and which have been approved in a survey taken by the Ballinger Board of Community Development. The first will be on Monday, November 11, when Armistice Day is celebrated, and the second will be Thursday, November 28, Thanksgiving Day. Special events are being planned for each occasion here and all business is expected to be suspended.

C. R. Stone returned Friday from Dallas where he had been to attend the opening of the wholesale market. He came back via College Station for a short visit with his son who is a student in A. & M. College.

Robert L. Thompson, 19, aviation cadet, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thompson, of Ballinger, has transferred to the naval air station at Ottumwa, Iowa, to take a refresher course in naval flight training.

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WEST TEXAS  
NOTES



The peanut harvest opened in the Rising Star area last week with twenty threshers and an equal number of combine harvesters operated. At the end of the first day many trucks were arriving at Rising Star. Dealers say the crop is good with an average of 25 bushels per acre in most places and some fields yielding even more. It is estimated that 30,000 acres in the Rising Star section were planted in peanuts this year.

The city of Comanche launched a drive last week to stamp out and prevent further spread of typhus fever. All business houses will be dusted and poisoned baits put out for rats. Special workers were conducting the campaign in the business district and assisting home owners.

The board of trustees of the Brownwood school district in a special meeting last week voted to grant emergency salary increases of \$10 to \$15 per month to 116 teachers. This will boost instructional costs of the schools from \$197,166 to \$218,784 per year.

Contracts for the construction of three buildings to alleviate the congested condition of the Coleman city schools were let last week by the board of trustees. The three buildings are expected to be finished within 90 days. Brick, concrete and some lumber will be used and most of the materials have been secured. A high school building is to be started first and rushed to completion.

In a suit filed here last week L. A. David and C. E. Sullivan, of Winters, ask that the Universal Electric Construction Co. be compelled to complete the Winters municipal electric plant at no additional cost to the city. The plaintiffs claim that the original contract is still in force and that a new contract would force the city to levy additional costs for service to take care of the higher installation costs.

In a determined effort to give Stephenville an adequate water supply for both domestic and industrial requirements, the city council has been making fast progress during the past four weeks. One new well has been drilled and the production turned into the reservoir while another is to be finished this week. It was estimated that the supply would be doubled with the two new wells.

The Miles Giants are champions of the Concho Basin Baseball League, having won over Veribest last Sunday, 5 to 4, in the fourth and final game of the series. The amateur league was operated the past season with the two above teams eligible for the play-off to determine the championship.

Henry Teplicsek, USO fund chairman at Rowena, announced Saturday that the community quota had been raised in the final wartime campaign. Business concerns of Rowena contributed liberally to the cause.

The United States civil service commission has announced that examinations will be held to fill the position of postmaster at Melvin at a salary of \$2,700 annually. The examination will be held at Brady and the date has not been definitely set. Applications will be received until the close of business on November 6.

A drive to raise \$1,500 for the work of the Brady Girl Scouts was launched last week with Ben L. White as chairman. So that 97 Girl Scouts and Brownies may train under a supervisor, the budget of \$1,500 has been approved and asked by the leaders of troops in the city. Girl Scouts presented a number of programs before civic groups in which appeals were made for financial support.

The Paint Rock Parent-Teacher Association held its annual carnival last Saturday to raise funds for additional activities during the present school year. Games

shows and fun had been arranged and all money taken in through the effort will be used for the benefit of the schools.

Tentative plans to set up permanent headquarters at Avenger Field, Sweetwater, were made by Texas ex-Wasps who have organized into the Order of Finnelly, during their convention in Sweetwater the past week-end. Approximately 30 former trainees at Avenger Field were registered for the first meeting.

The Menard high school band attended Band Day at Austin on Saturday, October 19, and took part in a huge parade with 32 other bands on Congress Avenue. At the half during the Texas-Arkansas football game the drum majors and twirlers of all the bands marched with the Texas Longhorn band. Menard parents provided cars to transport the band members to Austin.

A definite assault on the acute housing shortage at Fort Stockton has been carried out in recent weeks, with the moving in of a number of large houses to be modernized and construction of several new dwellings is underway. Civic groups in Fort Stockton are lending every assistance possible to those interested in building homes or in securing facilities to

alleviate the housing situation.

**Card of Thanks**  
Words cannot express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for their words and deeds of comfort during the brief sickness and death of our loved one May God's richest blessings abide with you.  
Mrs. P. V. Whitley and family  
R. Whitley  
T. J. Whitley  
M. W. D. Whitley  
W. H. Whitley  
C. L. Whitley  
A. Whitley  
J. D. Whitley

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Chick and four children, of Metropolis, Ill., have moved to Ballinger to make their home. They purchased the Simco home on Broadway and have moved into it. They stated very much Mr. Chick was engaged in hardware business before moving here.

ATTENTION, MOTHERS! If looking for a better remedy for Children's Chest Colds by Durham's No-Mo-Rub, the new Gulo-Campher treatment. Remember—double the purchase price refunded if you do not find this Modern Chest Rub more effective.—35c and 60c at MALONE-NANCE DRUG STORE

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It has often been said that if this country ever departs from the system of government which has made it great, the forces of disintegration will not come from without—but from within. Forces of disintegration are now actively engaged in an attempt to substitute a complete socialistic state for the system of government which has made this country great. This effort is unmistakably recognized in subsidized tax-free business of various kinds in which the government is now actively competing with privately owned tax-paying concerns.

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# Higginbotham's Big Furniture Sale is Still Going Good

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### SEVERAL VETERANS FILE FOR NEW AUTOMOBILES

D. G. Posey, county service officer, stated today that several new cars had been ordered for Runnels county veterans who lost

limbs in the last war. Cars are available to all ex-service men who lost limbs or the use of limbs and they are provided with special driving devices.

The first of these automobiles

are expected to be delivered here this week and others are due in the near future. The veteran may obtain the car of his choice up to a certain price limit and these orders have priority over all others.

About a dozen cars have been ordered for disabled veterans of this county and paper work has been completed on several other cases.

### Boy Scouting Theme Of Rotary Program

F. M. Pearce was the speaker for the Ballinger Rotary Club Tuesday, bringing a message on Boy Scouting. Mr. Pearce briefly reviewed the accomplishments of troop No. 30, which is sponsored

by the Rotary Club, and urged all the members to take a deeper interest in scouting and cooperate with the scoutmaster in promoting the troop.

Taking up the origin of scouting in England, the speaker told of developments until the formation of the first troops in 1908. He gave the background of bringing the movement to the United States and the organization of the Boy Scouts of America in 1910. Since then 10,000,000 American boys have passed through the ranks of the organization. Present membership in active scouting is about 8,000,000, it was stated.

Mr. Pearce called attention to the scout oath, the laws, and the requirements for a tenderfoot scout, and added that any member of the club would have to do days of study to become a member.

Three visitors of the San Angelo club were present to make up attendance.

Mrs. Stanley Gray was in Ballinger Tuesday, visiting relatives and attending to business.

### White Parking Lanes Painted on Streets; Meters Not Received

A city crew began marking streets with lines Monday and will continue until parking spaces are painted on all streets in the business district. This is being done from a blueprint furnished by the parking meter company which is soon to install meters here.

Latest information is that parking meters can be supplied within a few weeks, but the city has been unable to secure two-inch pipe on which the meters are to be mounted.

The city has experienced several other delays on projects the past week. The asphalt contractor to surface more than 20 blocks of paving has not arrived and it will be some time, unless another is given the job. City officials and paving contractors stated that the surfacing equipment was already more than a week late.

Core testing equipment to be

used at the municipal dam on Valley Creek also is behind schedule and was not here the first of the week.

The city intends to place orders for water mains and other material which will be needed in the water system improvement program and it is hoped to get delivery in from ten months to a year.

Business men were pleased with the parking lanes on the streets and even without meters, stated the lanes were conserving much space as all cars are parked at the proper angle and the right distance from each other.

### NORTON SCHOOL NEWS

By Yvonne Bryan and Evelyn Ray

Last Tuesday night the juniors and seniors went to Ballinger for the carnival. After doing everything at the carnival, several went to the show.

Norton was defeated Friday afternoon by the Bronco Longhorns on the Bronco field.

Friday night several students went to Winters to the football game between Coleman and Winters. A very good game.

The Baptist church young people's class entertained with a spook party Monday night. Everyone dressed very comical. Games were played and a good time was had by everyone.

Corkey Hensley visited school Tuesday. What an honor.

### Honor Roll, First Six Weeks

- A List
- 1st Grade—Rita Butler
  - 2nd Grade—Janeyce Lynn Roper, Jerry Underwood, C. J. Robinson
  - 3rd Grade—Bobby Hill, Ethel Hoelscher
  - 4th Grade—Francine Hoelscher, Janet Minzenmayer, Doyle Ford, Lavern Hutton
  - 5th Grade—Peggy Cope
  - 6th Grade—Patricia Mackey, Virginia Hoelscher, Wyvonne Robinson
  - 7th Grade—Ray Nell Stark
  - 8th Grade—Jeanora Simpson
  - 9th Grade—Betty Sue Will, Mary Lou Hoelscher, Shirley Cope
  - 10th Grade—Mamie Murphy, Juanelle Chapman, Roger Bryan
  - 11th Grade—Yvonne Bryan
  - 12th Grade—Martin Gottschalk, Evelyn Ray, Betty Shelburne, Jo Alice Simpson

- B List
- 1st Grade—None
  - 2nd Grade—Darrell Lee, Betty Sue Bryan
  - 3rd Grade—Ella Wertenberger, Dwayne Williams, Othella Holden
  - 4th Grade—Lou Ann Bryan, Don Bryan, Marlene Stubblefield, Alma Lee Ray, Laverne Green
  - 5th Grade—Jacqueline Cope, Jerry Green, Ralph Hiller
  - 6th Grade—Wanda Joy Baker, Kenneth Hambricht, Laverne Hilliard, Patsy June Sharpes
  - 7th Grade—Layon Hutton
  - 8th Grade—Otto Gottschalk, Frankie Dee Taylor, June Hensley, Mary Louise Ellis
  - 9th Grade—Burl Ford
  - 10th Grade—Mary Ellen Mitchell
  - 11th Grade—None
  - 12th Grade—Wendell Cope, Edward Redman

### BALLINGER STORES TO BE CLOSED ARMISTICE DAY

One of the regularly observed holidays for Ballinger business houses is Armistice Day, November 11. Coming on Monday this

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### Sale Begins Friday, Nov. 1st

Don't forget to come and expect bargains.

Here are a few prices to give you an idea of what We offer you:

One and 2 Piece Dresses	
\$ 8.30	\$ 5.95
9.95	6.95
12.95	8.95
14.00	9.95
14.95	10.95
16.95	12.95
18.40	13.95
19.95	14.95
21.00	16.95
22.50	17.95
27.50	19.95
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**HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS INVITED TO McMURRY**  
High school bands and football teams of this part of West Texas

have been invited to McMurry College, Abilene, Saturday, to be guests of the school. Band members attending will be admitted to

the McMurry-Austin College football game at night and bandmen who come as a unit will be presented between the halves and included in the stunts. A band clinic has been arranged for Saturday afternoon at which Raymond Bynum, director of instrumental music, will have charge. The invitation is not to units only but any individual student in West Texas is invited to attend the gathering and be a guest of the college.

McKinney Avenue, Dallas, Texas, on Wednesday, November 28, 1946, at 1:00 p. m., and no bids received after that time will be considered. War Assets Administration reserves the right to reject any or all bids. DT-53

**R. C. CRALIE**  
Deputy Regional Director for Real Property Disposal War Assets Administration  
P. O. Box 2482  
Dallas 1, Texas. Tele. R-4371

**NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY**  
Government Owned Surplus Airport Property

The War Assets Administration, as a Disposal Agency, hereby gives notice that there is now available for disposal as an airport, under the Surplus Property Act of 1944, as amended, and WAA Regulation 16, dated June 26, 1946, as amended, certain lands belonging to the City of Ballinger, Texas, as described therein, a copy of which lease is available for public inspection at the Regional Office of War Assets Administration, Dallas, Texas, more commonly known as Harman Flying School, Ballinger, Texas, (Platoon #2), together with all runways, taxiways, parking aprons, field markers, field lighting system, drainage system, sewage system, electrical distribution system, water system, gas distribution system, and the following buildings: paint and dope building, hangar # 1, flight stage building, hangar # 2, oil storage, administration building, garage, and certain operating and maintenance equipment.

Conveyance will be made by cancellation or assignment of lease and quitclaim deed.

Acquisition of the above described property is subject to the following priorities in the order indicated:

1. Agencies of the Federal Government
  2. State and local governments
- The time for exercise of priority shall be a period of ten (10) days (a) after the date of publication of this Notice of Availability, or (b) after the date when Notice of Availability has been given to certain Federal Government agencies as required by WAA Regulation 16, as amended, whichever date is later. All priority holders and others interested in acquiring the above described property shall submit their proposals in writing to the address shown below, setting forth the terms of their offers and their willingness to abide by the terms, reservations, restrictions and conditions upon which the property is offered for disposal, as well as all pertinent facts pertaining to applicant's need for the property.

**Senior Carnival Successful Affair**

The Ballinger high school senior class staged a Halloween carnival Tuesday evening at the former Army-Navy Club as the first project of the year to raise money for their annual trip near the end of the school year.

The class was busy all week preparing the auditorium for the cash customers and the traditional carnival stunts and concessions were available for the fun of the evening. Fortune tellers, a horror house, fake snows, eating places, sales of various items and other forms of amusement provided enough diversion to hold the crowd

Those not entitled to a priority need not wait until the expiration of the priority period before submitting their proposals.

Any disposal of this airport property shall be made subject to the following reservations, restrictions and conditions:

- (1) The reservations, restrictions, and conditions contained in Section 8316.10, 8316.13 (a) and 8316.21 of WAA Regulation 16, as amended.
  - (2) The reservation in the United States of America of the right, title, and interest in and to all property of whatsoever nature not specifically offered for disposal herein, together with right of removal thereof from the premises within a reasonable time.
  - (3) The condition that the transferee shall make payment in cash to War Assets Administration of an amount of money equivalent to the pro rata amount as of the date of transfer of title to the transferee of all taxes, assessments and similar charges made against the property conveyed.
  - (4) The condition that the transferee shall duly obtain for the benefit of the Government a release of any and all claims which exist or may exist against the Government under the provisions of the lease hereinabove referred to.
  - (5) The condition that the above described premises shall, notwithstanding any termination of the Government's leasehold interest therein, continue at all times to be subject to the conditions and restrictions of Sections 8316.10 and 8316.13 (a) of WAA Regulation 16, as amended.
  - (6) The condition that if the landing area included within the above described premises ever ceases to be used as a public airport within the meaning of WAA Regulation 16, as amended, all title, right of possession, or other right to be transferred shall at the option of the Government revert to the Government on demand.
- WAR ASSETS ADMINISTRATION  
Regional Office  
2001 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas, Texas DT-52

for some time while the workers relieved them of loose change.

Those attending received their money's worth in fun and class members and their sponsors were delighted with the fine response and patronage.

An advertising campaign was launched last week when many handmade posters were placed in downtown stores. Senters in decorated cars paraded through the streets Saturday afternoon, advertising for the carnival and urging attendance.

Pencil and typewriter erasers at Ledger office.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Mapes returned home Sunday night after having spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Harber, of Abilene, and attending the A.C.C.-McMurry football game.

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**NOTICE OF SALE**

Surplus Government Buildings Harmon Flying School Ballinger, Texas

The following buildings, exclusive of personal property, are now available for disposal to priority holders under the Surplus Property Act of 1944, as amended, and War Assets Administration Regulation 5, as amended, for removal for off-site use only.

- Office Building
- Recreation Building
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- Meas Building
- Hangar Type Buildings
- Ground School Buildings
- Operational Buildings
- Barracks Buildings

The above will be available to the following priority holders, in the order listed, for ten (10) days beginning October 31st, 1946, and ending November 9th, 1946.

- (1) Government Agencies
- (2) Reconstruction Finance Corporation (for resale to small businesses)
- (3) State and local governments
- (4) Non-profit institutions

Any buildings not claimed by the above priority holders within the ten (10) days period will be available for sale exclusively to persons certifying that the buildings or resulting materials will be used for the construction under HH ratings of housing accommodations under the Veterans' Emergency Housing Program.

HH ratings are for veterans' housing and for farm buildings qualifying under eligibility requirements of National Housing Agency. HH priority certificates may be obtained from the Federal Housing Administration Office having jurisdiction over the territory in which the buildings are to be re-erected. Priority certificates for farm buildings may be obtained from the local County Agricultural Conservation Committee (County Agent). Regulations governing both types of HH priority certificates will be explained by either Federal Housing Administration or your County Agent to those wishing to bid on the buildings described herein.

Disposal of these buildings, individually or in such groups as War Assets Administration may determine, to HH certificate holders, will be to the highest acceptable bidder holding an HH rating, who submits a sealed bid, accompanied by cashier's check, certified check, or United States Post Office money order, in an amount representing ten percent of the total amount of such bid. All bids must be submitted on forms and in accordance with instructions and conditions available Wednesday, November 13, 1946, at the War Assets Administration at the address given at the bottom of this advertisement.

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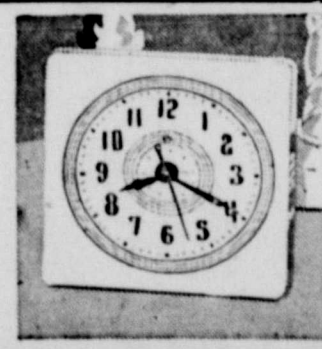
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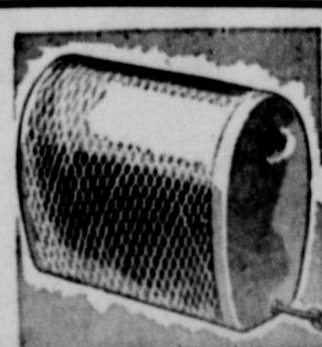
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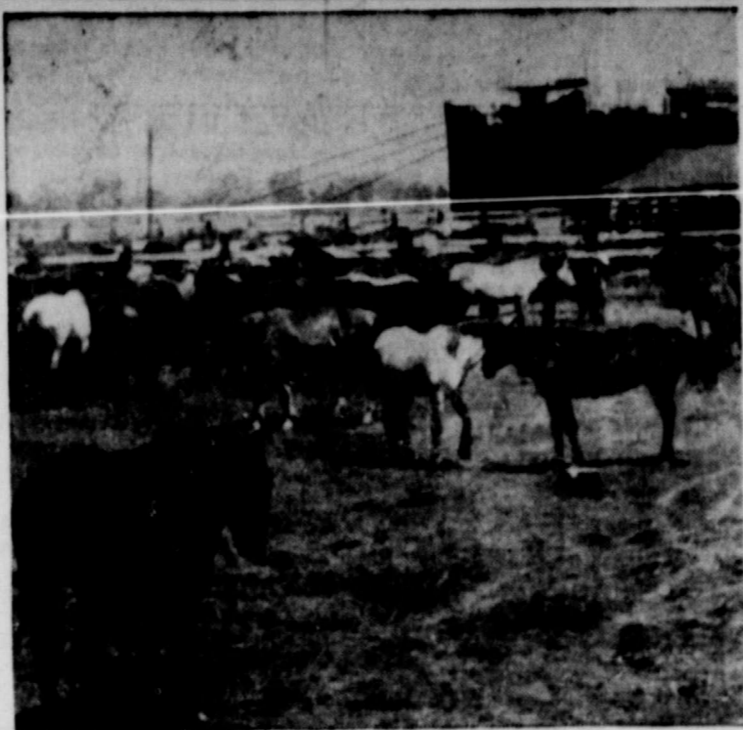
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**FARM RELIEF HORSES MENACED . . .** These government-owned horses bought by the U. S. department of agriculture for European farm relief, faced possible death because they were unable to be transported to their destination as a result of strike-delayed shipping schedules. UNREA officials say that a death toll of over 10 per cent resulted in shipping yards at Savannah, Ga., due to pneumonia and lack of nourishment. The horses were from the West and could not stand mud.



**TOMATOES ARE HIGHER . . .** Louis "Gorky" Grimes, 2, Chicago, knows that tomatoes are plenty high in the local stores, but finds that they come even higher in his neighbor's yard. This giant tomato plant in the yard of Frank Grimaldi, is 8 1/2 feet tall, believed to be a record.

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You are cordially invited to attend all of our services. You are always welcome.  
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**Tuberculosis Bond Sale is Scheduled Here November 4**

Those in charge of the sale of bonds for the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association expect to launch the campaign here Monday, November 4. The bonds are offered to business firms and provide part of the money in the annual financial campaign which includes the sale of Christmas seals.

W. J. Hembree, chairman for the bond drive, has asked the aid of Ballinger Jaycees in calling on all local business managers to buy bonds of some denomination.

Early in November the association will launch the annual seal sale and as in the past seals will be mailed to many people in the county. A self-addressed envelope will be enclosed with the letter for sending in a check for payment.

Money derived from the seals each year is largely responsible for the tuberculosis patch tests given to several thousand pupils of the county and the follow-up work on cases that show positive reactions. This year more than 3,000 school children were given the tests.

Mrs. Carl Black, president of the

association, will announce seal sale workers shortly.

Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Loyd left Monday for Fort Worth to attend the annual Methodist conference. Rev. Loyd expected to be returned to Ballinger and said unless some unexpected change was made he would be back in time to hold regular services at the First Methodist Church Sunday.

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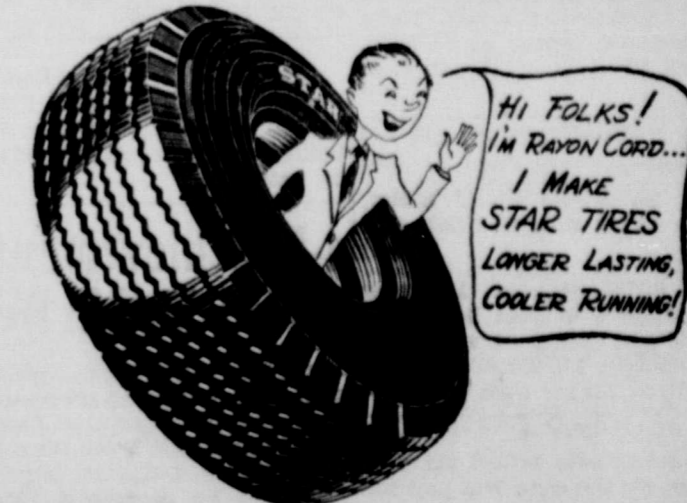
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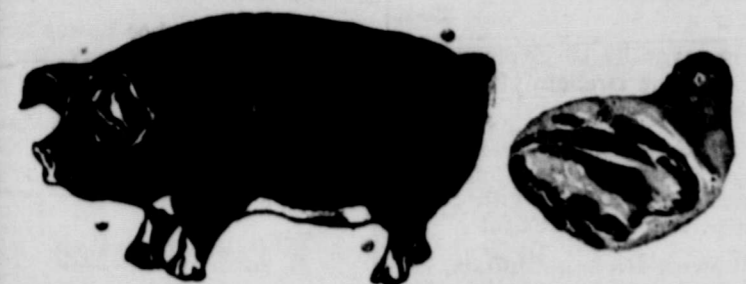
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**GLADIOLA FLOUR**  
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 San Angelo Highway, Ballinger

**WANTED**—to buy bundled feed, grinding and threshing each afternoon. New crop hegar, baled alfalfa, mixed Johnson grass and oats. Brunson's Feed and Corn Mill. 25-1f

**FOR SALE**—Large four room house, large sleeping porch, bath, garage and shed. Half block land. Located 4 blocks of business section at Miles. Priced \$2,000 for quick sale, \$850.00 cash, balance \$35.00 per month, including interest. Phone Miles 108. 10-1f

**For Sale**  
 Haul sand and gravel anywhere. Call 162. Also do other hauling. Mailing address Rt. 2, Ballinger, Texas. Sam Drummond. 11-1f

**WANTED**—Part time bookkeeping; also will fill out social security returns. Ophelia Williams, phone 589. 8-1f

**BALLINGER RADIO SERVICE**  
 Service Without a Doubt  
 Notice  
 Heavy duty trailer axles, will carry tires 16-7-50. Stock of iron to build anything you need. Can make bolts up to 1 1/2 inch U.S.S. threads; also S.A.E. threads in several sizes with master bolt and pipe threading machine.  
**PATTERSON SHOP**  
 2-1f  
 For Tractor Work see me at Higginbotham's, Dick Embry. 24-21

**Lay away your Christmas gifts now.** CURRY-HAMBRICK JEWELERS. 31-11

**FOR SALE**—Six rooms and bath, built-in cabinets and plenty of roomy closets. Six window sleeping porch. Convenient and nice. To be moved off lot. Priced at \$3,750.00. Box 394, Miles, Texas. Owner, J. H. Neumann. 11-1\*

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apt. 303 Broadway. 11-1\*

**FOR SALE**—Old Folks' Bibles; sham cocktail sets. Martha's Gift Shop. 31-11

**FOR SALE**—81 acres, 1 1/2 miles from Winters, 6 room house and outbuildings, plenty of water. See L. M. Causey, 1 1/2 miles northeast of Winters. \$75 per acre. 11-1\*

**Notice**  
 Say guy, please return my boat or come get the oars. Will pay you for your trouble.  
**W. B. DANKWORTH**  
 C. O. D. Grocery 11-1\*

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment around 25th or 26th. No children or pets. At 301 Thirteenth. 31-11

**FOR SALE**—My home, 1002 Broadway, J. N. Nutt. 31-1f

**FOR SALE**—Two bedroom suites, one occasional table. George Newby. Phone 454. 11

**FOR RENT**—Three room unfurnished apartment, newly papered, private bath, 902 Sixth Street. Phone 1375. 31-11

**FOR SALE**—Practically new 1946 John Deere self-feeder hay press. Air cooled motor and steel. L. R. Gibbs, Rt. 2, Talpa. 24-21\*

**Farm and Ranch Supplies**  
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**MORRISON GIN FEED HOUSE** 8-1f

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 —No Inspection Fee  
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**So you need a new fence—let us supply the Cedar posts.**  
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**ONE-DAY SERVICE**  
 on Buttonholes  
**ANNICE'S DRESSMAKING SHOP**  
 Over Office at Jim Berry Motors

**FOR SALE**—Radio windcharger, batteries and tower, all in good condition. J. L. Hambright, Norton. 10-41\*

**FALL CHICKS**—Big type, R. O. P. Sired English White Leghorn and other popular breeds. Book now to assure early delivery. **WE SEX THE LIGHT BREEDS. WILLIAMS HATCHERY & SUPPLY, BOX 564, HUTCHINGS AVE., BALLINGER, TEXAS** 5-1f

**FOR SALE**—Late model used car. New motor and new tires. A. W. Brunson. 3-1f

**EMERSON Hearing-Aid Radio.** CURRY-HAMBRICK JEWELERS.

**WANTED**—to wash, grease and polish your car. See Goody at Morgan Motor Co. 17-41

**FOR SALE**—200x194 foot lot, being lot 1 in block No. 8 Fronts street in Branham's addition. J. Ray Barnes, Melvin, Texas. 17-31\*

Imprinted Christmas cards, 25 and 50 for \$1.00. Personalized and monogrammed stationery, as well as a variety of greeting cards for all purposes. Order early and avoid the rush. Mrs. R. E. White, phone 340. 17-31\*

**For Tractor Work** see me at Higginbotham's, Dick Embry. 24-21

**FOR SALE**—New Perfection five burner oil stove, used six months. See Mrs. Lillie Kurtz, four miles south Rowena, Joe Machann place. 24-21\*

**Just Received**—New shipment Bernat yarns, also new knitted fashions. See Mrs. A. J. McDaniel, 508 Fifth St. 31-11

See us about the new EMERSON Hearing-Aid Radio. CURRY-HAMBRICK JEWELERS. 11

**Notice**  
 Anyone having a picture to exhibit in the National Art Week display is asked to call Mrs. J. M. Williams or Mrs. A. J. McDaniel by Saturday.

**4-H Achievements**  
**Spotlighted in Week**

**COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 30**—Plans are now being completed in Texas counties to observe National 4-H Achievement Week, Nov. 2-10. Over 100,000 4-H club boys and girls will be recognized for the work they have done during the past year in 4-H clubs.

At the beginning of 1946, 4-H club enrollment in Texas included 101,396 members. A glance at some of the figures showing how much these boys and girls accomplished gives an idea of what 4-H club work means in Texas.

Club girls canned over a million quarts of food, served 1,152,000 meals, made more than 150,000 garments and redecorated 7,440 bed rooms—and these are just a few of their accomplishments.

Club boys raised over 40,000 acres of field crops, 750,000 chickens, 50,000 head of livestock, sold 5,290,000 pounds of beef and pork, and collected a million and a half pounds of scrap metal.

**NO COMMISSION**  
**Sell Your Property on \$5 Membership and put the Commission in your own Pocket.**  
 300 acre farm 5 miles of San Angelo  
 60 acre truck farm, 3 miles of town, or trade for house in town.  
 5 room house, \$2,500. Anxious to sell  
 1939 model John Deere power binder, 10 ft., \$200  
 3 room frame house, \$2,000  
 Have 2 buyers for 200 acres of section of grass land  
 4 rooms and bath in Miles, \$2,000  
 Have buyer for farm on G. I. loan  
 200 acre farm that has been approved for G. I. loan  
 Shetland pony and saddle, very gentle  
 4 room house on 1 1/2 lots, 1508 Eighth  
 Good residential lot, near school  
 2 lots near Junior High  
 1 good business lot across from court house  
 Want to buy a small cement mixer.

**Your EXCHANGE**  
 105 S. 9th St. Phone 104  
 Ballinger, Texas

**FOR RENT**—Large, comfortable bedroom, close in, modern conveniences. 409 Eighth St. Phone 161. 19-1f

Have him a Lodge ring put away for Christmas. CURRY-HAMBRICK JEWELERS. 31-11

**FOR RENT**—Garage space for one car. 409 Eighth Street. Phone 161. 19-1f

**FOR SALE**—Five room house, to be moved. Phone 7522 Rowena exchange. Paul Sturm, Ballinger, Rt. 1. 24-31\*

Ladies' hand tooled leather bags, from \$17.50. CURRY-HAMBRICK JEWELERS. 31-11

**Thanks**  
 We want to thank the merchants of Ballinger for helping to make our Millersview carnival a big hit of 1946.  
 P.-T. A. of Millersview

Personalize your Christmas, give monogrammed stationery. CURRY-HAMBRICK JEWELERS. 11

**FOR SALE**—Two iron bedsteads with good springs and Western built mattresses. Also highway See Dee Oliver. Mrs. Fred Woods. 31-11\*

**FOR RENT**—Nice small office in Zappe Bldg., newly painted, well lighted and cool. See H. J. Zappe. 31-1f

General auto and tractor repair. Harris Russell and Zan Turner, San Angelo highway, Dorner Bldg. 31-4t

**FOR SALE**—891 acres, 429 in good state of cultivation, fenced into seven farms, sheep proof fences and 36" netting outside fence. Three sets of houses, water and electricity to all houses, water pumped by mill and electric pump. Two and one-half miles from county site with population of estimated ten thousand. On pavement. Price \$65,000, and one of the best. Possession January 1, 1947.

1720 acres, 150 in cultivation, good house with electricity, good fences, fourteen miles out, two miles off main hiway. Leased for 1947, purchaser receives lease money. Price \$47.50 per acre.

This property shown by appointment only. If interested, write, or phone 2976. W. A. Priddy Agency, Coleman, Texas. 31-11\*

**EVERSHARP "CA" pens** make ideal gifts for Christmas. CURRY-HAMBRICK JEWELERS. 11

Model A coupe for sale. One mile south of Olen. Good condition. Alois Gergross, Route 1, Rowena, Texas. 31-21\*

**Banks to Close for Election Tuesday**  
 All banks in Rannels county will remain closed next Tuesday, general election day. Patrons are hereby advised of this closing so they may attend to any necessary banking business before the close of business Monday.

All banks have agreed to remain open on Thursday, November 7, which is a special election day in Texas.

The First National Bank  
 The Farmers & Merchants State Bank 31-11

**FOR Floor Sanding and Finishing** we are professionals at the trade and can make you happy if you give us a chance to make old floors new. Call 4301, Winters, Texas. 31-12\*

Let us be responsible for your valuable Christmas gifts; use our vault for a lay-away. CURRY-HAMBRICK JEWELERS. 11

**FOR SALE**—Farmall tractor, regular on steel, cheap for cash. See John J. Kohutek at Voelkel place across river bridge, San Angelo highway. 11\*

**WANTED**—to rent any amount of land over 20 acres to work. Am qualified and reliable worker. M. G. McClelland, Rt. 2, Ballinger. 31-21\*

**FOR SALE**—Boy's bicycle and new motor ready to install, both for \$50.00. Arnold Alcorn, Talpa, Rt. 2. 31-21\*

**WANTED**—Unfurnished apartment of two or more rooms for lady alone. Mrs. E. D. Lovelady, 415 Eleventh. 11

**Business Selling**  
 Priced at inventory, immediate possession.  
**BIBB & GRANT**  
 Phone 727 Talbott Bldg. 31-11

**WANTED**—Wet wash, Williams Helpy-Selfy Laundry. 11\*

**CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE**  
 6 room and bath on Ninth St., large corner lot, several large pecan trees. This is well located, will make a fine home.  
 5 room and bath on San Angelo highway, 1 1/2 acres, well fenced, city water, a nice place to live.  
 4 room house on Ninth Street, large lot, well located, close to school and churches.

**Stock Farms and Farms for Sale**  
 I have some good farms around Norton and some good farms at Hatchel. These places are good ones and will make fine homes.  
 Loans as low as 4%, long terms. If you are thinking of buying a home let me explain my loan proposition to you.

**SID E. CASKEY**  
 Room 3, Zappe Bldg.  
 Ballinger, Texas. 11

**WANTED**—Wet wash, Williams Helpy-Selfy Laundry. 11\*

**FOR SALE**—Three wheel motor scooter. Malone-Nance Drug Store. 31-11

**FOR SALE**—Trailer house, reasonable. Call at Graham Hotel, Ballinger. 11\*

**FOR SALE**—One 15-30 International farm tractor in good mechanical condition, with rotary scraper. Towner Dickinson. 11

451 acres, 345 in cultivation, two sets of improvements, two miles from town on highway, priced right.  
 920 acre ranch, 100 in cultivation, \$16,000 worth of improvements, good grass land, less than \$40.00 per acre.  
 200 acres, 175 in cultivation, 4 room house, well and windmill, price \$50.00.  
 640 acres, 270 in cultivation, 3 room house, price \$25.00 per acre.  
 300 acres, 234 in cultivation, two story house, well and windmill, plenty of water, price \$47.50.  
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 Phone 727 Talbott Bldg. 31-11

**G. I. LOANS**  
 If you have your discharge from any branch of service and want to buy a home or a farm, let us show you what we have.  
**BIBB & GRANT**  
 Telephone 727 Talbott Bldg.

**FOR RENT**—Four bedrooms for rent. Also have two glass panel doors, two screens to match for sale. 111 Eleventh Street, Phone 497. 24-21\*

**FOR RENT**—Apartment, 801 Eighth. 24-31

**FOR SALE**—Two good gas heaters with radiants. Also complete electric lighting fixtures for five room house. M. L. Northington, 1209 Broadway. 11

**FOR SALE**—My home on Eighth Street. Also nice residence lot on Seventh. G. P. Teague. 31-31\*

**E. R. Waits** will shoe horses here at Middleton's barn every Tuesday and Friday. 31-31\*

**FOR SALE**—Bundled feed. Paul Beard, Rt. 2, Ballinger. 11\*

**For Sale FARMS**  
 200 acres, good farm  
 650 acres, 540 farm, \$65  
 5,000 acre ranch, 365 acres farm, \$65  
 300 acres, 115 farm  
 We have other land for sale—also city property. We appreciate your listings.  
 We make conventional and G.I. loans at 4% on farm and ranch land.  
**E. T. Branham**  
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**Everyday Grocery Values**

Town House GRAPEFRUIT No. 2 Can	Fancy Quality	12¢
Juice	29¢	
Orange Juice	19¢	
Spinach	13¢	
Green Beans	15¢	
Sweet Peas	20¢	
Greens	11¢	
Sliced Beets	14¢	
Baby Foods	7¢	
Catsup	16¢	
Peanut Butter	29¢	
Steak Sauce	24¢	
Almonds	43¢	
Pancake Flour	29¢	
Vinegar	17¢	
Instant Ralston	24¢	
Fresh Bread	14¢	
Crackers	23¢	
Blu-White Bluing	9¢	

**★ WE GUARANTEE THESE MEATS ★**

Pure Pork	Center Cut
Sausage In Bulk Lb. 49¢	Pork Chops Lean Meaty Lb. 69¢
Beef Stew Lb. 29¢	Beef Steaks Short Ribs Lb. 43¢

**Produce Values**

New Crop Texas Juicy Pineapple Variety	ORANGES lb. 10¢
Jonathan Apples Washington	lb. 13¢
U. S. No. 1-A Size Russet Potatoes	10 lbs. 49¢
Texas Yellow Onions	3 lbs. 10¢
Texas Seedless Grapefruit	Lb. 8¢
Utah D'Anjou Pears	Lb. 15¢
Texas Yams	Lb. 8¢
California Fancy Large Tomatoes	Lb. 19¢
California Tender Sweet Carrots	5¢
Utah Tender Crisp Celery	Lb. 9¢
Minnesota Turnips	Lb. 5¢

We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities

**SAFEGWAY**

Dutch Mill Leaf CHEESE lb. 69¢	Cheddar CHEESE lb. 69¢	Assorted Lunch LOAVES lb. 53¢	Heinz Sour PICKLES 2 for 5¢
NEWS Open-Ready Lb. 59¢	Ground Meat Fresh Ground Beef Lb. 35¢	ROAST Beef Prime Rib Grade A Lb. 47¢	STEAKS Beef T-Bone Grade A Lb. 59¢
Rib Chops Grade A Year Lb. 53¢	ROAST Beef Shoulder Grade A Lb. 39¢	STEAKS Beef Sirloin Grade A Lb. 57¢	STEAKS Beef Round Grade A Lb. 59¢