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Tuberculosis Association Opens Annual Seal Sale

The fall meeting of the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association was held here Monday night at the Central Hotel, officers, directors, special committees and a number of guests attending.

Joe Satterwhite, president, presided at the opening of the business session following the dinner and presented the various numbers.

T. Whitehead, executive secretary, gave a report on accomplishments of the association and closed by offering a motion to recommend a full time worker to the executive committee. This motion was passed and the incoming board next February will be asked to give consideration to the employment of a full time health worker.

Mrs. O. M. Lewis, wife of one of the pastors of a colored church, was presented and gave her report on the workshop which she attended the past summer. She told of the work done at the workshop and of some of the plans of the colored population started since her return for a full and well rounded health program. This will include financial aid to the school lunch room program in order that meat can be provided on menus, assistance in buying milk and also in providing some meals for children who cannot afford them. It will provide recreational facilities at the negro park where children can have supervised summer play. She asked for cooperation of the entire community in these projects.

Main purpose of the meeting was the launching of the 1949 Christmas seal sale. Mrs. J. W. Dixon, of Winters, is serving as seal sale chairman and the county has been organized for the annual campaign.

About 2,750 letters will be mailed out containing seals. This is an increase of 600 over last year and every effort will be made to raise more money to take care of the improved and increased health program.

Tuberculosis bonds will also be mailed out this year with a request that the people receiving them return checks by mail. President Satterwhite stated that it was almost impossible to get a large number of business men to leave their stores and make a canvass of the territory and for that reason the letter plan will be used. In the past most seal letters have contained some \$2 worth of Christmas seals. This year a number of letters will contain \$3 in seals and a note will be pinned to the seals asking the recipients to increase their purchases in order to help meet the increased budget.

Marvin Davies made the principal talk of the evening, emphasizing the investment on seals. He pointed to the fact that since the day of the early American Indians people had gone to the relief of the sick, afflicted and oppressed and that today people still have that desire to help. He pictured some of the outstanding accomplishments of the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association and asked that the directors help educate everyone to the value of an investment in seals.

Letters will go into the mails Monday and the campaign will remain open until Christmas. Those receiving letters are urged to return their checks as soon as possible to help speed the work.

Freddie Sue Underwood gave a reading to conclude the program.

LEDGER TO BE PUBLISHED WEDNESDAY NEXT WEEK
On account of Thanksgiving, the Ledger will be published on Wednesday next week. Advertisers are requested to cooperate by providing copy early and subscribers are informed that city delivery will be made on Wednesday afternoon.

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According to requirements each applicant must be a citizen of the United States and have lived in the city for at least one year prior to filing the application. He must be in good physical condition and within the prescribed age limits. Both men and women are qualified.

The commission will certify the names of the highest three eligibles to the postmaster general who will submit the name of the one selected to the president.

Applicants will be required to assemble in an examination room for written tests and will also be rated on their education, business or professional experience, general qualifications and suitability.

Town to be Closed For Thanksgiving Dinner at Olfen

Thanksgiving activities in and about Ballinger will be numerous and merchants will close their stores Thursday of next week. All firms are urged to have their Christmas windows in the week-end after Thanksgiving and to make plans for the big Christmas program which will follow on December 3.

On this date Santa Claus will visit Ballinger and the kiddies of this trade territory at 2 p. m. The program will be presented on the court house lawn and there will be gifts for the children.

The big attraction for local people on Thanksgiving day will be the dinner and program at Olfen. First serving for the mid-day meal will start at 11:30 a. m. and the dining room will remain open until 2 p. m. Turkey, sausage and all the trimmings will be on the menu.

In the afternoon the auction is scheduled and there will be games and other entertainment.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The public is cordially invited to attend the annual Thanksgiving service at the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church next Wednesday night, November 23. The union service is sponsored by the Ballinger Ministerial Alliance and all church members and others in the city are urged to attend.

Rawlins Cherryhomes, minister of the First Christian Church, will deliver the Thanksgiving message and pastors of other local churches will participate in the program.

The alliance decided not to attempt a service on Thanksgiving day as there were other attractions to conflict and because congregations in the past have been so small. The pre-Thanksgiving service will take the place of the regular Wednesday night services in most of the local churches.

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Membership Drive For Local C. of C. Being Continued

Workers on the membership campaign for the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday morning for a breakfast at the Central Hotel and three teams started work immediately to call upon business firms who are not affiliated with the organization.

A list of eighty-five firms was handed the workers which included stores, filling stations and professional men and they will be contacted this week and solicited to take out memberships.

Charles Hambrick was the breakfast speaker and told of the need of a chamber of commerce and the organization's need of proper financing.

A membership drive for the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce was launched November 15 and a list has been made of every employee and employer in Ballinger not affiliated with the organization. Employers have been mailed a list of employees not members of the chamber and are asked to encourage them to take out memberships.

Three captains have been designated and each assigned a team of six workers. As soon as employers have been given time to contact their forces, these teams will make a canvass of the city and try to increase the membership of the organization to 500. To accomplish this, the campaign will have to about double the present membership.

The Ballinger chamber has adopted a big program of work and will strive to put over a number of projects during the next few months. The program was adopted following the clinics in which some 300 people were asked to suggest items they thought would be good for Ballinger.

Several committees have been appointed already on special projects and have started work.

Legionnaires Enjoy Breakfast, Program Armistice Morning

More than 100 veterans assembled at the American Legion home in Bruce Field Armistice Day for their annual breakfast and program. The group was on hand at 6:30 a. m. and the bill of fare included sausage, hot biscuits, eggs, jelly and coffee.

The breakfast was the climax of a membership campaign in which more than 200 former service men were signed up for 1950. The post has as a local goal the completion of its club house at Bruce Field by the end of this year. Already much has been accomplished, considerable remodeling having been done on the interior to provide living quarters for a keeper. Some furniture has been bought and Auxiliary members have started furnishing their section of the building.

Signing of members will not be stopped until after January 1 and an invitation is extended to every veteran in this area to become a member of the local post.

Jack Moore Speaker At Lions Luncheon On Armistice Theme

Jack Moore was the Armistice program speaker at the Ballinger Lions Club meeting last Thursday. The meeting was moved forward one day in order not to conflict with other Armistice activities.

Mr. Moore stated that while Armistice was to honor the men of World War I, we cannot forget their sons who fought and died in World War II. He added that it was appropriate that all veterans join in the celebration of Armistice Day.

The speaker pointed to world peace which was fought for in World War I and the same hope which followed World War II and reminded his hearers that we are still looking for that peace as a third World War looms. He discussed communism and said while it is a threat that could take over our government, he believed the biggest threat today was the complacent, self-satisfied citizenry of the United States.

The speaker drew applause when he stated we must stand ready to meet any aggressor from the outside and closed with an appeal for the people of the world to become Christian.

T. Whitehead was introduced as a reinstated member and Charles Kelly as a new member.

Big Production In Stephens Well

Rambo-Stephens, of Overton, T. W. Murray, of Texarkana, and Garland Anthony No. 1-William Stephens, three miles from Wilmett, came in yesterday for one of the richest strikes in Runnels county.

Casing was being run Wednesday evening to be cemented at the bottom of the hole, in the Strawn.

Production was revealed Tuesday afternoon after a drillstem test from 4,500 to 4,520 feet. Recovery of 45 gravity oil without water caused excitement and many operators were on the scene yesterday to view production. While no gauge has been made, many believe it is the largest well in this county.

Several other wells are being drilled and a number of locations were made this week. Most of these are in the northern portion of the county.

Ballinger Hunters On Annual Outings

A hunting party left Tuesday for Mason county, where they will look for deer on a lease they held for several years. In this group were: W. O. Wallace, M. A. Foy, Chester Cherry, E. C. Grindstaff, W. J. Hembree, D. G. Posey, J. G. Tuckey, Malcolm Morgan, Guy Swann and R. T. Gray. They plan to spend the rest of the week on their lease.

Leaving Tuesday for a lease in Menard and Kimble counties were Hugh Campbell, Hamp Byler, Austin Williams, John Byler, Brady, and Sam Rosser, of Bangs. This party will be on a new lease they made during the summer.

W. A. Bridwell left Tuesday for Marble Falls, near where he will have his annual deer hunt on a ranch owned by a nephew.

Henry Jones, of Big Spring, and Arthur Giesecke returned the past week-end from a hunting trip in the Davis Mountains. They got one blacktail and one whitetail each to make it their limit for the season. They were able to take care of their kills and returned home with the animals in good condition.

A party composed of Winifred Lee, Stu Williams, C. E. Maedgen, J. M. Williams and several others from out of Ballinger left Tuesday noon for their lease near San Saba. The hunters will spend the rest of the week on the lease unless they secure their limit before then.

A hunting party composed of R. E. Bruce, Dr. C. F. Bailey, H. J. Zappe, Clarence Bissett, and James Trull, of Dallas, left Tuesday morning for their lease on the Earl Hill ranch between Junction and Rock Springs. This group has held this lease since 1939.

Fred Underwood, Lynn Candler, Morris Stokes, Buster Parrish and Mr. St. John left Tuesday morning for their lease in Mason county. This group has land leased for the entire season and plans to visit the lease several times or until they get their limit.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis returned home Monday after a hunting trip in New Mexico with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goswick, of Albuquerque. The hunters did not glimpse a buck but killed a bear which Mr. and Mrs. Davis brought home.

K. V. Northington and two others were the first deer slayers to return here. Mr. Northington brought back a 7-point 102-pound buck Wednesday afternoon from his party's lease in Mason county. K. V. Northington, Jr., of Austin, bagged a 7-point 95-pound buck, and R. F. Davis, of Longview, got an 8-point, 107-pound buck. A. D. Smith and R. E. Harris were still on the lease looking for a big one.

SAM MALONE, JR., ELECTED C. OF C. VICE-PRESIDENT
At a called meeting of the board of directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce Monday Tom Caudle resigned as first vice-president and Sam Malone, Jr., was elected to serve the remainder of the term.

W. B. May will represent W. O. Wallace, director, at a meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Fort Worth next week, the opening session of which is set for Tuesday. Mr. May will be accompanied to the meeting by James Weaver, manager of the Ballinger chamber. The two men will attend the meeting uninvited.

Lutherans Organize First Church Here; Move from Bethel

Bethel Lutheran Church was organized at Ballinger last Sunday afternoon in a meeting held at Ballinger's public library auditorium. Charter membership of the new church, Ballinger's first Lutheran Church, includes 57 souls and 42 communicants.

For a number of years Lutheran services had been held for a small group at the Bethel community six miles south of Ballinger. Last February the services were moved into town as an experiment. During the summer Arbie Patschke, student at Concordia Lutheran Seminary, St. Louis, explored the field thoroughly. All activities during the fall have pointed toward the organization which took place last Sunday.

Committees elected at the meeting include: constitution, Otto Goetz, Fred Dahmann and H. L. Brown; building, Will Lampe, Carl Beckhusen, H. L. Brown, Joe Gelek and Herman Wellbrock; finance, Henry Wolf and Herman Goetz.

The group voted to purchase used church furniture from Trinity Lutheran Church at San Angelo. Sunday school and church services are to be held regularly in the library auditorium every Sunday afternoon at 2 and 3 o'clock respectively. Holy communion will be celebrated monthly. The next business meeting will be held at a convenient time around the turn of the year, at which meeting officers will be elected and a budget set up for 1950.

The Ballinger church is associated with the Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod. It is being served by the Rev. Louis Pabor, of Eola, who also acted as chairman at Sunday's meeting. H. L. Brown was acting secretary.

Joint Meeting to be Held by Miles and Ballinger F. F. A. S.

The Ballinger and Miles chapters of the Future Farmers of America will hold a joint meeting at Miles Monday evening at 7:30 for the purpose of initiating greenhands and to enjoy a program and barbecue dinner. This is the first year for F.F.A. dinner at Miles and the entire chapter there will be included in the initiation. The two chapters will have about 45 boys in the new class. Carl Midgley will be the presiding officer.

After the initiation a short program will be held at which the sweethearts and queens of the two chapters will be presented. Billy Collins will be presented with a medal which he won in livestock judging, being one of the first ten of 180 boys entered in the contest.

Joe Satterwhite, honorary Lone Star farmer, will present five members of the Ballinger chapter with Lone Star farmer awards. They are: Milton Houber, Ralph Spreen, Richard Buckemper, Daniel Fischer, Jr., and Billy Collins. Mr. Satterwhite will also present a gold certificate to the retiring president which was won by the Ballinger chapter for outstanding work last year. Honorary members of the Ballinger chapter will be presented.

A barbecue dinner will be served to approximately 150 chapter members, guests and school officials. Visitors will be present from Coleman, Bronte and San Angelo.

FATHER OF D. G. POSEY DIES IN NEW MEXICO

D. G. Posey received a message this morning informing him of the death of his father, G. B. Posey at Tucumcari, New Mexico. Mr. Posey said the body would be brought to Coleman and services probably would be held there Friday afternoon, with burial to follow at Novice.

Decedent had been employed by the McKenzie Cattle Co. for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hall and daughter, Rebecca, of Water Valley, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn the past week-end.

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Clubs' Achievement Day Scheduled Here Saturday

Baritone to Open Concert Season Tuesday Evening

Josh Wheeler, eminent American baritone, will open the 1949-1950 concert season for the Ballinger Municipal Concert Association Tuesday, November 22, at the high school auditorium.

Mr. Wheeler studied with the famous Metropolitan Opera baritone, Pasquale Amato, and is the possessor of a robust, rollicking voice which thrills concert audiences wherever he appears.

This is the second season the Ballinger association has operated and this fall and winter three artists will be presented to those holding memberships. The first concert will be presented at 8 p. m. on the date above.

Mr. Wheeler is equally at home with lighter American melodies and operatic arias and his program will include numbers which his fans demanded of him during his previous seasons.

Bishop Danglmayr Gives Confirmation To Children, Adults

The Most Rev. A. Danglmayr, D. D., auxiliary bishop of Dallas, was in Ballinger and Winters the past week-end to administer confirmation to 176 children and two adults.

Bishop Danglmayr was assisted by the Rev. Edward Postert, O. M. I., Rev. Michael Slattery, O. M. I., pastor and assistant pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Ballinger, and the Very Rev. John Duesman, pastor of the Sacred Heart Church, Abilene, when he confirmed sixty-five Latin-Americans and one American at the new mission church in Winters Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The holy sacrifice of the mass was celebrated by Bishop Danglmayr at St. Mary's Church Sunday morning, and with the assistance of Rev. Postert, administered confirmation to nine children and two adults, all converts.

Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock 100 Latin-Americans were confirmed by the bishop, assisted by the Revs. Postert, Slattery, Norbert Wagner of Olfen, and H. H. Hooks, O. M. I., of Menard. The services were held in the new Latin-American mission on Strong Avenue. The new building, recently erected, has not been dedicated and officially named. The benediction of the blessed sacrament followed with St. Mary's choir assisting.

The Most Rev. Danglmayr was entertained in the church rectory and dinner was served to the visiting clergy Sunday. The bishop will return soon to Ballinger for the dedication of the new church buildings in Ballinger and Winters.

COWGIRL BAND BOOKED HERE ON DECEMBER 5

Joe Forester, principal of the Ballinger high school, said today that the Hardin-Simmons Cowgirl Band had been booked for an appearance here on December 5. The girl band will be on tour and will present a concert here on the above date at 11 a. m.

For this concert a small admission of 15 cents will be charged and the public is invited to attend. Kenneth Hill was here the first of the week to make the Ballinger booking and stated that that band was extra good this year.

Friday morning the high school students will assemble for a pep rally preceding the Ballinger-Winters game.

Ballinger schools will take the usual Thanksgiving holidays, students getting out on Wednesday, November 23, and reporting back for classwork the following Monday.

Saturday will be Achievement Day for home demonstration and girls' 4-H club members. The women and girls will arrange their exhibits in the building across the street from the post office and the public is invited to visit the building after 10 a. m. Saturday.

Work will begin on the exhibits Friday afternoon and the displays will be completed early Saturday morning before visiting hours. The affair this year is expected to be one of the largest in recent years and will show all items included in the program of the two organizations during the past twelve months.

Each club in the county has made plans as to what will be entered. Arrangements have been made so that there will be no duplications and thereby a wider variety of projects will be shown.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, stated that a number of demonstrations would be held during the day for the entertainment and information of the public. This will include leather work, shirt ironing under the new system of time saving and other features.

The women and girls want as many visitors as possible during the day. One of the main purposes of Achievement Day is to show completed activities to the public and the members of the various clubs have gone to much work and effort to make the 1949 showing the best in history.

Businessmen and housewives are urged to visit the building sometime during the day and give the exhibits a close inspection.

Workers Conference For 7th St. Baptists Here Monday Night

A leaders' council for officers and leaders of the Baptist Training Union will be held at the Seventh Street Baptist Church Monday, November 21, starting at 7 p. m. Invitations are extended to everyone in the association to attend.

The following program has been arranged:

- Song service, Mrs. Phinis Johnson, Miles
- Devotional, Rev. Thurston Healer, Drasco
- Conferences include the following:
 - Pastors, Rev. L. L. Trott, Winters
 - Directors, Miss Zora Mitchell, Drasco
 - Adult, Mrs. Melvin Childress, Robert Lee
 - Young people, Rev. Thurston Healer, Drasco
 - Intermediate, Mrs. Roy Currie, Paint Rock
 - Intermediate boys and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Hamner, Ballinger
 - Junior, Mrs. D. F. Currie, Paint Rock
 - Junior boys and girls, Mrs. D. G. Reid, Pumphrey
 - Nursery leader, Mrs. Smith, Ballinger
 - Beginner, Mrs. Harvey Kimbler, Valley View
- Special music will be presented by members of the Seventh Street Church and the principal address will be by Rev. Trott, of Winters.

Rev. C. D. Wooten was guest speaker at a meeting of the Talpa Lions Club Tuesday evening.

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IN SOCIETY

Three Hostesses to Baptist Ruth Class

Mrs. M. E. Sweeney, Mrs. E. M. Hutchins and Mrs. Geneva Aaron were co-hostesses to members of the First Baptist Ruth Class last Thursday evening, entertaining in the Sweeney home on Fourth Street.

The class colors, red and white, were featured in party rooms by arrangements of red and white carnations in the living room and for the centerpiece on the dining table. The same colors were also used on the refreshment plate when the hostesses served cherry tarts topped with whipped cream and coffee.

Mrs. Wayman Wilson, president, conducted the business routine and also gave the devotional. The opening and closing prayers were given by Mrs. Barnett Frank and Mrs. A. E. Holbrook. Games were played following the program.

Others present were: Mmes. Steve Paske, Alvah Stephens, Anna Beth Kelly, W. E. Elkins and Don Atkins. Mrs. Joy Cannon, of Odessa, was a visitor.

Miss Byler, Arthur Doose, Jr., Wed in Double Ring Rites

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Wayne Byler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Byler, and Arthur Doose, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doose.

The couple was married in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Wooten on Broadway, last Thurs-

day evening at 6 o'clock. The Rev. Wooten, pastor of the First Methodist Church, read the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a suit of aqua wool gabardine with a white sheer blouse designed with lace. She wore a winter white hat with gold trim and veil. Her gloves were white and other accessories were black. For something old she wore an antique brooch belonging to Mrs. W. A. Forgy and she carried a linen and lace handkerchief given to her by Mrs. J. G. Douglas. Her corsage was of red rosebuds.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thorp, Jr., were attendants. Mrs. Thorp wore a brown brocaded satin suit with an aqua blouse. Her hat was brown with aqua trim, and other accessories were brown, and she wore a carnation corsage.

A dinner party at the Cactus Hotel in San Angelo, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Thorp and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bartlett, followed the wedding.

After a wedding trip to Monterey, Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Doose will be at home in Llano, where Mr. Doose is administrative officer of the Llano county PMA.

Wanda Hill Entertains with Party

Wanda Hill was hostess to a group of friends at a party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hill, on Fifth Street Monday evening of last week.

Party rooms were decorated with autumn flowers and other arrange-

ments of the season where the group pinned the tail to the cat and played other games and contests.

Mrs. Hill was assisted by Mrs. Bill Manning in serving a sandwich plate with hot chocolate. Others were, Pat Watson, Rosalee Nicholas, Freddie Sue Underwood, Patsy Manning, Sparkie Evans, Mary Beth Amarine, Ruth Erwin, Billy Hamilton, C. W. Jennings, Billy Burk, Clay Anglin, John Elders and Bill Davenport.

Young Matrons' Sewing Club Meets in Riddle Home

Members of the Young Matrons' Sewing Club were entertained in the home of Mrs. Andy Riddle on Murrell Avenue on the afternoon of November 2.

After a short business period the afternoon was spent in making baby coats and discussing patterns. The hostess served a sandwich plate with coca colas.

Those present were: Mmes. Pat Underwood, Dalton Crockett, Zane McWilliams, Panel Legg, Jr., and Kelly Chapman.

Mrs. Middleton Entertains Club and Added Guests

Mrs. Price Middleton included Mrs. W. K. Wheatly and Mrs. Jack Seales when she entertained members of Ace of Clubs in her Eleventh Street home last Thursday. Rooms were beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums in maroon and gold tones.

In contrast Mrs. Marvin Davies was awarded high score prize, and bingo awards went to Mrs. W. O. Irby and Mrs. Sam Conner.

A salad plate was served with coffee. Others were: Mmes. W. E. Moss, George Newby, H. G. Agnew, Edward Sommer and Earl Barr.

Junior Music Club Meets in Brown Home

Mrs. Herman Brown and Mrs. Howard Hamner were hostesses to members of the Junior Music Club and their mothers Tuesday evening of last week, entertaining in the Brown home on Eighth Street. Pink and maroon chrysanthemums decorated rooms.

Patricia Davis called the meeting to order and Gary Joiner read the minutes of the last meeting. Members answered roll call by giving their favorite composers.



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Along the Navajo Trail, by Jimmy Hamner; and Over the Garden Wall, by Loretta Brown.

In an alphabet musical quiz Gary Joiner and Billy John Whitehead received the award for answering the most questions.

Hostesses served cookies, nuts and mints with punch to members, and to: Freddie Brown; and

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Two Hostesses for Fancy Doers in Hill Home

Clara Hill and Betsy Coffey were hostesses at the meeting of the Fancy Doers Club Tuesday evening of last week, entertaining in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Hill on Eighth Street, which was decorated with bouquets of chrysanthemums.

At the business session Miss Paula Jean Terry was welcomed as an assistant sponsor, and Billy Jean Herring as a new club member. A committee was appointed to select a club pin for members, and plans were made for a dance on Saturday evening.

Hostesses served chocolate cookies with coffee and tea, and candies to: Catherine Hays, Billy Jean Herring, Janice Conner, Dian Tuckey, Mary Harral, Peggy Fox, Eva Jo Flynt, Paula Harvey, Doris Dankworth, Charlene Olsak, Mrs. O. L. Hart and Miss Terry.

Birthday Party for Joe Dan Scott on Eighth Anniversary

Joe Dan Scott was honored on his eighth birthday anniversary Wednesday afternoon of last week when his mother, Mrs. J. C. Scott, entertained with a party in their home on Tenth Street.

After gifts were opened and

games played on the lawn, the white birthday cake, decorated with pink rosebuds and topped with pink candles, was served with ice cream while small guests sang "Happy Birthday."

Guests were: Shirley Harvey, Barbara and Bobbie Browning, Shirley Wheeler, Doyle Thomas, Freddie Brown, Cecil Dean Williams, Gene Harvey, Cam Maples and Bill Wray.

Maloy Bryant Honor Guest on 9th Birthday Anniversary

Maloy Bryant was named honor guest on his ninth birthday anniversary Wednesday afternoon of last week when his mother, Mrs. Connie Bryant, gave a party for him at their home on Twelfth Street.

After games were played and gifts were opened by the honoree guests were invited into the dining room where the lace-laid table was centered with orchid and gold mums, and the two-tiered birthday cake topped with "Happy Birthday" and candies was served with punch and sandwiches.

Twelve guests were included. Mrs. Andy Riddle assisted in entertaining.

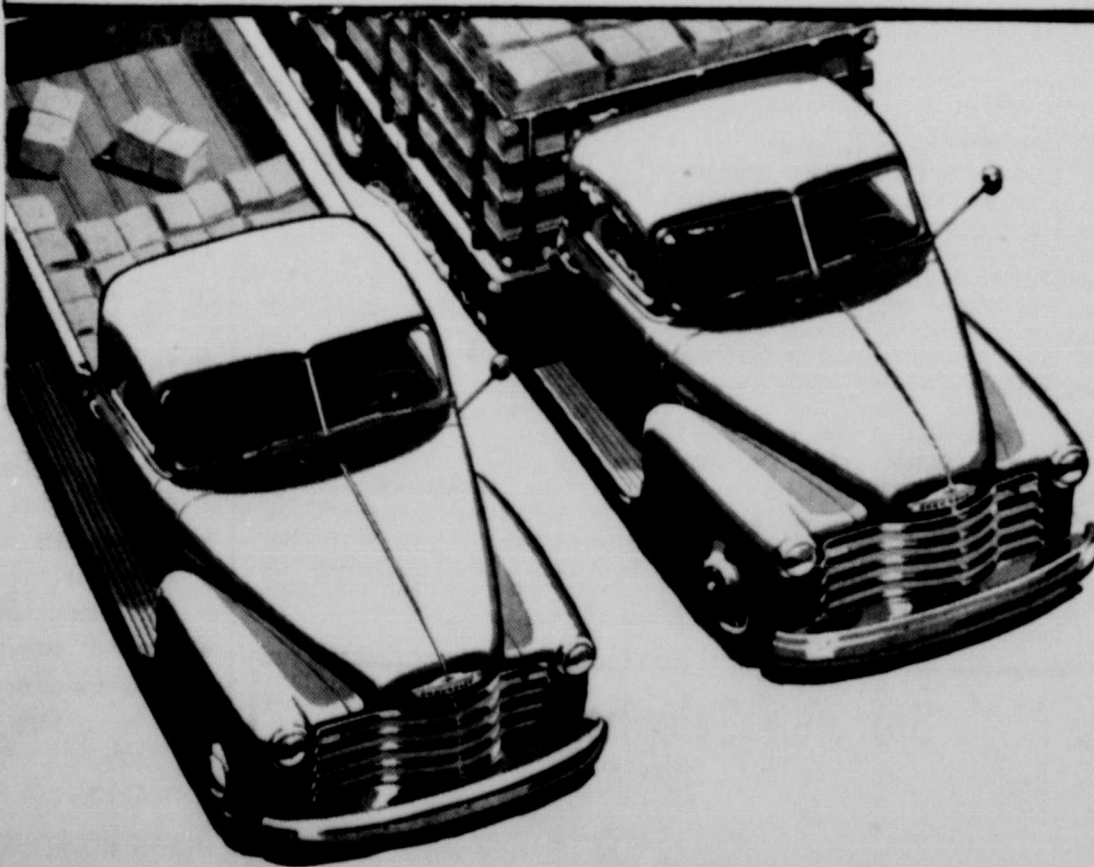
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SOCIETY

Misses Forgy and Zuehke Share Honors at Birthday Supper
Miss Virginia Henniger honored Miss Cordie Lou Forgy and Miss Wanda Zuehke with a surprise birthday anniversary supper in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Henniger, November 7.

A beautifully decorated birthday cake was placed at each end of the table. A centerpiece of yellow chrysanthemums centered the table and bouquets were arranged throughout the house. The honorees were presented with pin and earscrew sets.
Mrs. Henniger, assisted by her daughter, Ruth, served the delicious meal of ham, gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, green beans, salad, olives, pickles, rolls, tea, pecan ice cream, chocolate and coconut cake.

After supper card games were enjoyed by the following: Misses Wanda Zuehke, Cordie Lou Forgy, Evah Jo Payne, Bobbie Jo Smith, Virginia Henniger, Laverne Dankworth.
♦ ♦ ♦
Fancy Doers Entertain at Dance in Hart Home
The Fancy Doers Club entertained with a dance in the home

of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hart on Twelfth Street Saturday evening. Gold mums were used for decorations where couples danced to record music in party rooms, and later in the evening a square dance was enjoyed in the backyard. A sandwich plate was served with cookies and cold drinks.
Mrs. Walter Middleton assisted Mrs. Hart in entertaining. Members and guests were: Miss Paula Terry and Charles Dankworth,

Peggy Fox and Jimmy Davenport, Catherine Hays and Richard Winchester, Charlene Olsak and Paul Harrah, Eva Jo Flynt and C. B. Boggess, Paula Harvey and Daniel Hallmark, Mary Harrah and Bob Bruce, Gale Hays and Jimmy Parrish, Dian Tuckey and James Read, Deanie Roundtree and Jimmy Endacott, Wilma Duke and Bill Hart, Carol Ann Bailey and Joe Selby, Virginia Wooten and Eldon Boggess, Clara Hill, Janice

Conner, Anita Wade, Billie Jean Herring, Betty Middleton, Grace Ann Bryan and Gene Scoggins.
♦ ♦ ♦
Band and Pep Squad Host Dance at Country Club
Leaders of the Bearcat Band and Pep Squad were hosts at a dance at the Ballinger Country Club Friday evening following the Coleman-Ballinger football game. Members of the Bearcat team were named honor guests.

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Hostesses were: Martha Dean, Charlene Olsak, Deanie Roundtree, Mary Harrah, Catherine Hays, Eva Jo Flynt, Wynell Dodd, Mary Jo Forman, Freddie Sue Underwood, Tookie Wade, Margaret Ann Hampton, Doris Dankworth, Dian Tuckey, Frances Thomas, Theresa Elkins, Gale Hays, Cordelia Flanagan, Betsy Coffey, Janice Conner and Ginger Cervenka.
Sandwiches and cold drinks were served throughout the evening when couples danced to nickelodeon music. Other guests were members of the high school faculty and parents.

Football Team Honored at Dinner Following Game
Following the Coleman-Ballinger football game Friday, members of the team were honored at a dinner in the home of Mrs. Jewel Cooper on Broadway.
Feted by the Ballinger School were Coaches Wayman Wilson and Doug Cox, and members of the team: Joe Vancil, Harvey Maas, Tommy Buchanan, Richard Winchester, Jimmy Parrish, Paul Harrah, C. B. Boggess, Jimmy Davenport, Jimmy Endacott, Daniel Hallmark, Ralph Spreen, Harold Merrifield, Roland Bell, Jim Erwin, Bobby Brown, Blaine Esmond, Joe Stubblefield, Bill Warren, Elroy Payne, John Eoff, Fred Dahmann, Jack Fulcher, Bob Bruce, Frankie Jackson, William Morris, Lawrence Harvey, Lavelle Poy, Bill Davenport, Joe Selby, Bobby Homer, Harlan Forbus, Weldon Lange, Grayum Hart, Rufus Allen, Clay Anglin and Delbert Smith.

Wedding of August 5 Announced
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lindemann announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy, to Edward C. Gottschalk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Gottschalk, of Winters. The vows were read on August 5, 1949.

Miss Frona Harris, of Abilene, visited in the homes of Mrs. C. D. Harris and Mrs. E. T. Branham, Jr., the past week-end.

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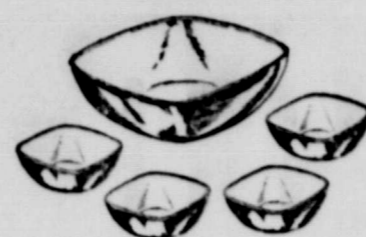


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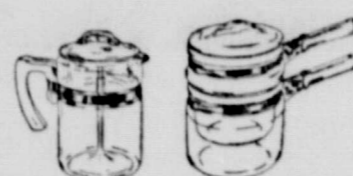
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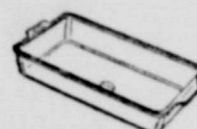
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SPORTS

A baseball meeting will be held here shortly and every effort will be made to get every stockholder in the association to attend. An audit of books is being made and officials will present the indebtedness to the stockholders and ask for some solution.

One of two things loom, either the money to pay off the indebtedness must be raised or the officials must be instructed to place the franchise in some other town and recover as much as possible from franchise, players, park and land. There will likely be several offers made to retain baseball in Ballinger but before action can be taken, it will be necessary to have all stockholders present and ready

to talk.

The Ballinger organization never had a fair chance. A late start was made last season with no money, no park and no players. Everything was accomplished under pressure and the management was behind in finances all along and opened the season several thousand "in the hole." If the slate could be wiped clean and the management given the box seats and sign money to begin spring training, it is believed the next season would be successful.

Those in charge of the baseball club's business are not willing to continue with unpaid bills hanging over them. One said: "I don't run my own business that way and I cannot operate the baseball business unless we can straighten up all accounts."

Fred Underwood and Doc Huddleston will present a true picture of the way the club stands and it will be up to those who own the association to say what to do next. Watch for your notice of the next meeting and be present.

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CHARTER NO. 508

BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

at Ballinger, Texas, at the close of business on the 1 day of November, 1949, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$ 476,598.70
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	879,532.59
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	46,626.88
Corporate stocks, including \$ none stock in Federal Reserve Bank	35,000.00
Cash, balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	810,299.45
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	7,500.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	1.00
Other real estate owned	3.00
Total Resources	\$2,246,561.62

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus: Certified \$15,700.00, Not Certified \$20,300.00	36,000.00
Undivided profits	49,759.47
Capital reserves (and debenture retirement account) (Not to include specifically allocated reserve for expenses, or valuation allowances)	50,900.00
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,561,022.09
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	9,137.42
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	293,004.73
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)	153,105.87
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	4,532.04
Total all deposits	\$2,010,802.15
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$2,246,561.62

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF RUNNELS

I, Edward Sommer, being cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Edward Sommer
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of November, 1949.
(SEAL) J. W. Purifoy, Notary Public, Runnels County, Texas

CORRECT—Attest:
Irvin McCreary, R. W. Bruce, R. G. Underwood, Directors.

RECAPITULATION

Assets	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 476,598.70
Banking House	7,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1.00
Other Real Estate	3.00
Cash and Due from Banks	\$ 810,299.45
Bonds, Warrants and Stocks	952,159.47
Bills of Exchange	22,528.45
	1,784,987.37
	\$2,246,561.62

Liabilities	
Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	85,759.47
Reserve for Taxes and Other Contingencies	50,000.00
Deposits	2,010,802.15
	\$2,246,561.62

Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Ramona Dela Cerda, GREENING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1950, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Ballinger, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on November 1, 1949, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 3211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,112,519.32
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,485,500.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	291,440.00
4. Corporate stocks (including \$5,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	5,500.00
5. Loans and discounts (including \$1,231.56 overdrafts)	894,228.66
6. Bank premises owned \$17,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$4,606.20	22,106.20
Total Assets	\$3,811,294.18

LIABILITIES	
12. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$3,381,227.64
13. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	39,245.27
14. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	23,684.32
15. Deposits of banks	101,069.97
16. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	11,781.51
17. Total Deposits	\$3,557,008.71
18. Other liabilities	10,747.68
Total Liabilities	\$3,567,756.39

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
19. Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par	\$100,000.00
20. Surplus	84,500.00
21. Undivided profits	59,037.79
22. Total Capital Accounts	243,537.79
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$3,811,294.18

MEMORANDA

31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 100,000.00

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss:

I, Joe Forman, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOE FORMAN, Cashier
(SEAL) Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of November, 1949.

Edna Mae Lowry, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest: Tom Caudie, Drury P. Hathaway, R. G. Erwin, Directors.

RECAPITULATION Resources

Loans and Discounts	\$ 610,565.49
Banking House	17,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	4,606.20
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	5,500.00
RESERVE:	1.00
U. S. Treasury Obligations	\$1,485,500.00
Bonds and Warrants	291,440.00
Bills of Exchange	44,611.94
C. C. C. Cotton and Grain Loans	239,051.23
Cash and Exchange	1,112,519.32
	3,173,122.45
	\$3,811,294.18

Liabilities	
Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	84,500.00
Undivided Profits	59,037.79
Reserved for Taxes 1949	19,747.68
Deposits	3,557,008.71
	\$3,811,294.18

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The file number of said suit being No. 5720. The names of the parties in said suit are: Juan Dela Cerda as Plaintiff, and Ramona Dela Cerda as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows: to-wit: Suit by plaintiff Juan Dela Cerda against defendant Ramona Dela Cerda, in which said plaintiff seeks judgment against said defendant for a divorce and dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between them and for custody of their minor child, Jaunita Dela Cerda.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned

unreserved.

Issued this the 15th day of November, A. D. 1949. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this the 15th day of November, A. D. 1949.

WILLIE STEPHENS, Clerk District Court, Runnels County Texas.

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CARTOON — NEWS



Mark Stevens, Coleen Gray and Rory Calhoun have the leading roles in "Sand," new 20th Century-Fox picture to be shown at the Texas Theatre tomorrow and Saturday, November 18, 19.

Romance and Action Foremost In 'She Wore a Yellow Ribbon'

A cavalryman's efforts to strike one final decisive blow against an Indian uprising before he has to retire from the service motivates the stirring action of "She Wore a Yellow Ribbon," RKO Radio production in Technicolor to be presented at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, November 20, 21 and 22.

Starring John Wayne, Joanne Dru, John Agar, Ben Johnson and Harry Carey, Jr., the vivid drama is laid in the Old West of 1876, when the Custer massacre had inflamed Indian tribes all along the frontier to band together and drive the white men from their lands.

Captain of a cavalry troop at remote Fort Starke, Wayne sees the conflict coming, but his retirement is due in a matter of days. How he strives still to avert a threatened Cheyenne assault keynotes the compelling story, in which is also woven a stormy

Alexander Knox, Ann Sothern Star in 'The Judge Steps Out'

A judge's wandering to recapture his lost freedom, plunges into unexpected romance in RKO Radio's "The Judge Steps Out," a poignant love story, booked at the Runnels Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 20, 21, 22.

Starring Alexander Knox and Ann Sothern, the tale concerns one Judge Bailey, facing a serious breakdown from which his doctor advises him to "run for your life." Grimly, he decides to follow the prescription, and disappears.

Under an assumed name and enjoying himself for the first time in years, he winds up as a short order cook at a little highway cafe. The girl who owns the place becomes interested in her mysterious employe, and the outcome is an engagingly different type of screen romance.

When the Bowers Boys find a baby in their laundromat, they are suspected by the police and menaced by gangsters as they try to save the infant's mother from a sanatorium in Monogram's laugh-hit, "Hold That Baby!" starring Leo Gorcey and to be shown at the Runnels tomorrow and Saturday, November 18, 19.

Hunts Hall, Gabriel Dell, Billy Benedict, David Gorcey and Benny Bartlett are again seen in their familiar roles of the rambunctious Bowers Boys. Frankie Darro, John Kellogg, Anabel Shaw, Edward Gargan, Ida Moore, Florence Auer, Pierre Watkin, Bernard Gorcey and Torben Mayer are in supporting roles.

Boasting a distinguished cast which includes Wanda Hendrix, Claude Rains and Macdonald Carey in starring roles, Paramount's romantic drama, "Song of Surrender," is the main attraction at the Runnels Wednesday and Thursday of next week, November 23, 24.

Advance reports indicate that Rains turns in another of his superlative performances, while Miss Hendrix in her newly-won stardom and Carey are equally praiseworthy.

The touching story of a young girl's marriage to a middle-aged man and their search for happiness, "Song of Surrender" is said to be a bright new hit.

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Nostalgic Romance Said Captured in Story Of Wonder Horse, 'The Great Dan Patch'

Millions of people too young to have known or heard of him, and millions of people who knew and revered him, will see the romantic "turn of the century" story of America's wonder horse, Dan Patch, captured in all its movement and excitement in the picture, "The Great Dan Patch," at the Texas Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, November 23 and 24.

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The United Artists release stars Dennis O'Keefe, Gail Russell, Ruth Warrick and Charlette Greenwood, with Henry Hull, John Hoyt and Arthur Hunnicutt in supporting parts. They all are in character based on people actually involved in the thrilling Dan Patch saga.

John Taintor Foote, famous author of horse stories, wrote and produced the film. Foote spent more than three years in research to develop his script from first-hand knowledge gained by viewing old films showing races and exhibition miles paced by the wonder horse. He also had access to material filed by the M. W. Savage estate, which owned the horse.

Texas Tourist Guide Head Visits Ballinger To Get Information

Dr. Rex Z. Howard, of Fort Worth, was in Ballinger last week, getting information for his Texas Tourist Travel guide. While here he made arrangements to collect items of interest to tourists in Ballinger. Especially wanted was a story on the Noyes monument

on the court house lawn, the many native stone buildings in Ballinger and other items.

His guide is the first and only one ever written about the wonder horse.



Dr. Rex Z. Howard

ders of Texas interesting to the millions of tourists that come into the state each year. It is designed for the use of tourists from outside the state as well as for Texans themselves.

Dr. Howard stated that Texans will defend their ideas of Texas as a great state but actually cannot tell visitors anything about the state as a whole.

At the present time Dr. Howard

is organizing the Texas Tourists Association whose purpose is to collect information about Texas, advertise Texas to the world and persuade Texans, themselves, to see the wonders of the state. His column "You Auto See Texas," is furnished 700 newspapers by the Texas Press Association.

Culberson county, Texas, with 3,848 square miles, has a population density of 4 persons per square mile.

Underground in Texas are more than half the known U. S. oil reserves.

Dead Trees Being Removed From Court House Lawn

A number of dead trees are being removed from the court house lawn and County Judge E. C. Grindstaff stated that twelve would be cut down before the improvements were completed. Some of the trees are very large and among the oldest on the lawn.

The county will replace a few of the trees with pecans and will begin irrigation of the lawn in the spring, making every effort to put it back in good condition.

In addition to the new pecan trees, a number of shrubs will be replanted along the walk leading from Seventh Street to the court house and a small hedge will be planted around the monument on the lawn.

The loss of so many trees at this time was attributed to the dry weather in 1947 and because some of the trees were badly pruned. The trees are being sawed up and given away as fire wood and trimmings are being burned by the workmen.

SPECIAL VENIRE TO REPORT

AT 9:00 A. M. NOVEMBER 30 District Clerk Willie Stephens stated Monday that the 120-man special venire summoned for November 30 would report at 9:00 a. m. Publicity was given last week that the group would report at 10:00 a. m., but this was in error as the court has specified the call for 9:00 a. m., when selection of the jury will begin.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT

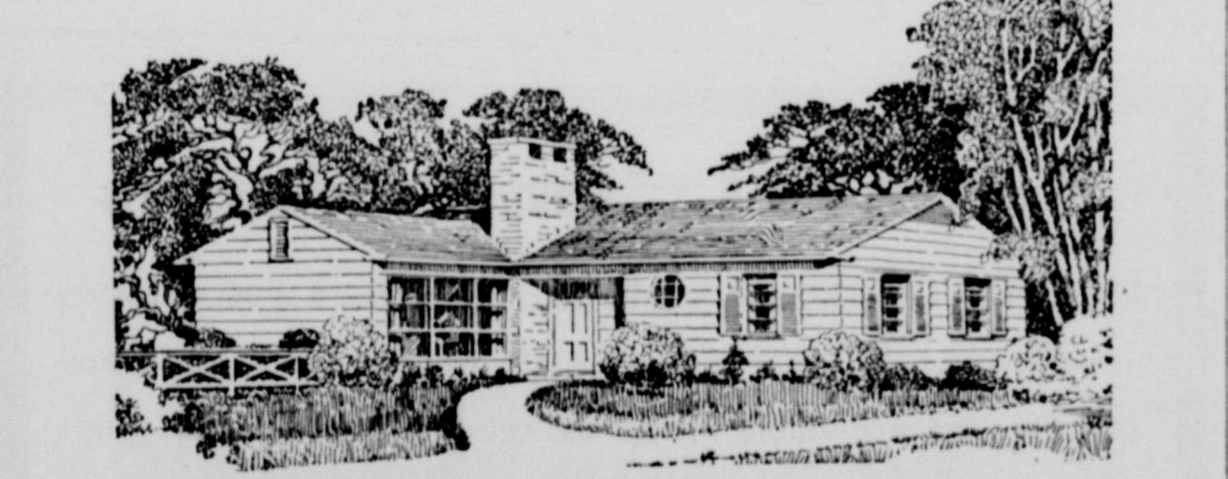
CANVASSES ELECTION
The Runnels county commissioners' court was in session Monday morning at which time the returns of the recent county-wide election were canvassed and routine business was transacted. Bills for the month were approved and the court adjourned without hearing any new business.

BALLINGERITES ATTEND

LAST RITES FOR RELATIVE
Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jarrett, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jarrett and daughter, Gay Nell, and Wayne Jarrett attended the funeral of O. B. Jarrett at Baird last Friday.

Mr. Jarrett, who passed away November 9, was a brother of G. A. Jarrett of this city.

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SOCIETY

Firemen's Auxiliary Compliments Mrs. Webb
Mrs. Charles Webb was complimented with a gift shower when members of the Ballinger Volun-

teer Firemen's Auxiliary were hostesses at a party in the City Hall auditorium.
Decorations were yellow and white dwarf chrysanthemums and other autumn blossoms. Mrs. Lee Parker presided at a mock business session in which Mrs. Henry Moody assisted, and Ellen Kay

Hash presented the surprise gift shower to Mrs. Webb. Games were also played.
A refreshment plate was served to members of the fire department after the drill hour, and to: Mmes. Charles Webb, W. H. Ridings, Vernon Webb, Louis Walden, Carl Freeman, Fred Underwood,

Herman Hulsey, Walter Mueller, Chester Cherry, Morris Stokes, H. M. Dosser, Chester Afflerbach, D. G. Posey, Jack Fry, Royce Mapes, Herman Brown, Lawrence Gilbert, Moody, Bill Selby, Lynn Candler, Tom McEntire, Raymond Hash and E. E. Avey.

Eastern Star Chapter Holds Regular Meeting

Mrs. Edrie Petty, worthy matron, and H. P. Largent, worthy patron, pro tem, presided at the regular meeting of the Ballinger Chapter No. 266, Order of Eastern Star, held in the chapter room Monday evening.

Following the routine business session Mrs. Petty gave an interesting report on the Grand Chapter meeting, held at Dallas last week.

At the social hour, Mmes. Martha Jonas, Willie Hoover, Herman Hulsey and Miss Mary Jane Kiechle were hostesses and served pumpkin pie a la mode with coffee. Party rooms were given a festive air, featuring the Thanksgiving theme.

First Christian Council Meets at Church

Mrs. Marvin Clark presided for the meeting of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church, held Monday afternoon in the church parlors.

After the opening song, "Far and Near the Fields are Teeming," sung in unison with Mrs. Gene Crawford at the organ, Mrs. C. F. Bailey gave the prayer. Mrs. W. F. Atwell brought the devotional, "Lovest Thou Me," and read "Jesus' Farewell Prayer to His Father." Mrs. Walter Presson gave a talk on the All-Peoples' Christian Church in Los Angeles; and the Yakima mission in White Swan, Washington. Mrs. Clark named the following committee, Mmes. A. B. Stobaugh, Atwell and Herman Price, to make arrangements for the church bazaar, to be held Monday, December 5. The meeting closed with the missionary prayer.

Mrs. Moonen Hostess to St. Mary's Altar Society

Members of the Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic Church were entertained in the new rural home of Mrs. Charles Moonen, southwest of Ballinger, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Harold Mueller was the presiding officer and heard reports from the secretary, Mrs. Alton Seidel, and the treasurer, Mrs. Louis Afflerbach. The Christmas party, to be held in St. Mary's recreation hall, was discussed and it was voted to have the affair on December 13. Mrs. Charles Olzak and Miss Mary Krc were named as the flower committee which will be in charge of the Christmas floral arrangement for the altar.

Mrs. Chester Afflerbach gave the opening prayer and the lesson on Liturgy of the Church.

Current Book Club Entertained in Behringer Home

Mrs. Sam Behringer was hostess to the Current Book Club Tuesday afternoon, entertaining in her Tenth Street home, which was beautifully decorated with a profusion of orchid and yellow chrysanthemums. A Thanksgiving arrangement included miniature turkeys, berries and autumn leaves centered the coffee table.

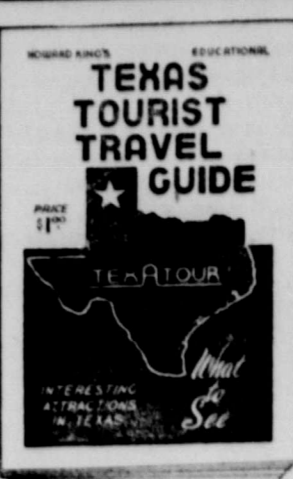
Mrs. James A. Wear presided at the business routine. Names were drawn for the annual Christmas party which will be held Thursday evening, December 15, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barr, and husbands of members will be

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Celery Large, Crisp Bunch, Each 15c

Oranges, Texas lb. 9c

Apples Red Delicious, Lb. 10c

Cabbage, green lb. 5c

Yams, East Texas lb. 8c

Grapefruit Texas 3 for 19c

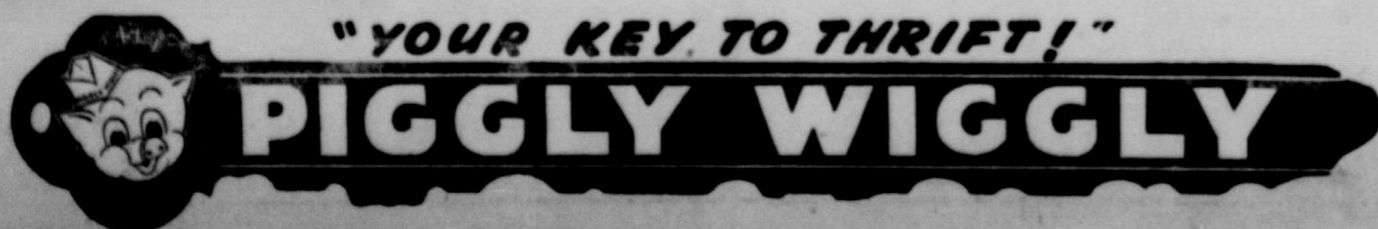
Peppers, large lb. 15c



Flour, 25-lb. print bag \$1.89

Oleomargarine, colored lb. 35c

Oleomargarine, plain lb. 25c



included.
Mrs. Chester Cherry gave a talk on "The Neglected Art and Science," taken from an article by Dorothy Thompson. Current books were exchanged.

Girl Scout Troop No. 8 Elects Officers

Girl Scout Troop 8 members met with their leader, Mrs. J. O. Baker, in her home on Third Street Tuesday afternoon.

After geraniums were planted, games and songs were enjoyed. At the business period the following officers were elected: president, Peggy Branham; secretary, Shirley Harvey; reporter, Irene Piel; song leader, Wanda Thorp; game leader, Barbara Jean Wickersham. Members will sell Christmas wrappings and boxes. Mrs. Barker served sandwiches, cookies and coca colas.

Girl Scout Troop No. 9 Has Two Meetings

Girl Scout Troop 9 members met with their leaders, Mrs. Jim Elkin and Mrs. John McGrath, in the J. G. Tuckey home on Seventh Street for two meetings.

The group worked on making bottle dolls following their regular session. Linda Cloninger was hostess and served cookies and gave balloon favors.

The third anniversary of the troop was celebrated Tuesday when members met again in the Tuckey home where games were played and Scout songs were

sung. Mrs. Elkin and Mrs. McGrath were hostesses at the social hour and served the birthday cake and hot chocolate.

Brownie Troop No. 5 in Regular Meeting

Mrs. Wallace Barnett and Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite directed members of Brownie Troop 5 in drills and songs and told the Brownie story when members met in the Barnett home on Broadway.

Plans were made for planting flower bulbs in preparation for Christmas presents. The meeting next Wednesday will be held in the home of Mrs. Arthur Crockett on Seventh Street.

Californian Honored at Dinner Party

Mrs. J. W. Copeland, of Chowchilla, California, who is visiting her brother, E. G. Damron, and other relatives, was named honor guest Wednesday of last week, when Mr. and Mrs. Damron were hosts at a dinner in their home.

Gold chrysanthemums decorated rooms where the turkey menu was served to: Messrs. and Mmes. W. P. Atkins, Carl Mathis of San Angelo, Andy Riddle, Connie Bryant and children, Georgia and Maloy, Mrs. Kenneth Kump and Mrs. Elmer Damron.

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DR. OHLHAUSEN FILES FIRST CHIROPRACTIC LICENSE HERE

Dr. J. Lester Ohlhausen filed his chiropractic license here this week and was the first in Runnels county to file under the new chiropractic licensing act passed by the last legislature.

Dr. Ohlhausen graduated from Carver Chiropractic College, of Oklahoma City, in June, 1941. He came to Ballinger and began practice in September, 1941, and has been here ever since.

He was able to secure his license under the "grandfather" clause in the act because of his long practice here which did not require him to pass an examination before the basic science board or the chiropractors' board.

WARD HOLMAN FUNERAL CONDUCTED AT SAN SABA

Funeral services for Ward Holman, 64, were held at San Saba Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock from the family residence. Mr. Holman died Sunday night in a Temple hospital after illness of several months' duration.

Decedent was a nationally known race horse owner and race promoter and had operated ranches in San Saba county for many years.

He attended St. Edwards University, Austin, after finishing high school at San Saba. Active for many years in the Texas Thoroughbred Association, he had served the organization as vice-president and director.

METHODISTS ATTEND DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The Brownwood district conference for Methodist churches was held at Comanche Tuesday, a good representation from the area attending. Those from the First Methodist Church of Ballinger were: Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., Mrs. D. L. Vestal, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Middleton, Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Wooten, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guynes and Walter Duke.

CHURCH OF CHRIST YOUNG PEOPLE IN MEETING HERE

Young people of this section assembled Sunday afternoon at the Eighth Street Church of Christ for their regular November meeting.

Congregational singing, special numbers and short talks featured the program.

This group will meet at Brady on the second Sunday in December and Ballinger young people will be on the program.

BOY SCOUT CAMPAIGN STILL SHORT OF GOAL

The annual finance campaign for Boy Scouts of the Colorado Valley district is still underway and contributions will be accepted by Chairman Ed Curry the rest of this week.

Teams made a canvass of the city last week and total receipts were \$700 to \$800 plus the sustaining contributions. Mr. Curry said about \$1,300 is needed to meet the budget requirements of the program during the next 12 months.

The drive for funds will be kept open to allow all local people to participate in this worthy movement.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Burnham are parents of a daughter born November 5 in a Lubbock hospital. The baby, Jennifer Anne, weighed 7 pounds 3 ounces upon arrival. Mrs. Burnham is the former Miss Annie B. Mapes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mapes, Sr. Mr. Burnham is a former air force pilot at Goodfellow Field and at present is a student at Texas Technological College.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGregor visited their children and families at Dallas the past week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Salfer and children have recently moved to Dallas from Chicago, and a son, Jack Bandy McGregor, wife and son reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. DeAlbert Hasty, of Fort Worth, were visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Wooten Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton St. Clair and baby daughter, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pesson and other relatives here.

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SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Dick Holstead was hostess to twelve members of the South Ballinger home demonstration club on November 15.

Mrs. B. M. Batts gave a report on the Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting.

A program on cookies and candies for Christmas was given by Mrs. Tom Crockett, assisted by Mrs. Tom McEntire and Mrs. Holstead.

There will be a called meeting on December 13 in the home of Mrs. Tom McEntire.

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<p>Side Dishes</p> <p>Corn Del Monte Cream 17-Oz. 17¢ Style Golden Coe Peas Sugar Belle No. 303 17¢ Fancy, Sweet Coe Lima Beans Del Monte No. 303 27¢ Early Garden Coe Soup Campbell's No. 1 21¢ Tomato Cass.</p>	<p>Relishes</p> <p>Dill Gherkins Relabo 12-Oz. 21¢ Jar Ripe Olives Heany No. 1 31¢ Mammoth Coe</p>	<p>Carly & Nuts</p> <p>Cherries Chocolate Covered 1-Lb. 49¢ Walnuts Cello Pkg. 1-Lb. 83¢ Walnuts Cello Pkg. 1-Lb. 33¢ Brazil Nuts Cello Pkg. 1-Lb. 33¢ Mixed Nuts Cello Pkg. 1-Lb. 39¢</p>
<p>Salad Needs</p> <p>Crab Meat Brigade 7-Oz. 59¢ Coe Tuna Fish Torpedo No. 1 31¢ Coe Dressing Duchess 16-Oz. 31¢ Jar</p>	<p>Guaranteed Eggs</p> <p>Morning Star Mixed Colors doz. 60¢ 12-Grand Mixed Sizes and Colors doz. 55¢</p>	<p>Bread & Crackers</p> <p>Bread Skyline Potato 16-Oz. 15¢ Loaf Bread Mrs. Wright's 24-Oz. 18¢ Extra Tender Loaf Crackers Betty Baker 3-Oz. 23¢ Crisp Slices Pkg.</p>
<p>Guaranteed Eggs</p>	<p>Miscellaneous</p> <p>Pop Corn Baby's 21¢ Golden Butter Shady Lane 1-Lb. 69¢ Sweet Cream Pkg. Margarine Sunbloom 1-Lb. 39¢ Colored Pkg.</p>	

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Roast Calf Sirloin Government Graded	Lb. 65¢
Oysters Fresh Standard Fine for Dressing	16-Oz. Can 73¢
Sausage Safeway Pure Pork, 1-Lb. Bag	Lb. 49¢
Oysters Fresh Select	16-Oz. Can 83¢
Sliced Bacon Meilo	1-Lb. Pkg. 49¢
Frankfurters Skinnest Bulk	Lb. 39¢
Steaks Calf Sirloin Gov't Graded	Lb. 69¢
Steaks Calf Round Gov't Graded	Lb. 79¢
Ground Beef Freshly Ground	Lb. 55¢

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Westfair Apple Juice	Qt. 23¢
Sunny Dawn Tomato Juice	46-Oz. Can 25¢
Sunny Peak (Dept. Extra) Ginger Ale	2 12-Oz. Bott. 23¢
Our Mother's Cocoa	1-Lb. Can 31¢
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Apples Washington Red Delicious	2 Lb. 25¢
Apples Washington Jonathan	Lb. 9¢
Fresh Dates	8-Oz. Pkg. 19¢
Anjou Pears	Lb. 10¢
Oranges Texas Juicy	Lb. 7 1/2¢
Cranberries Cello Pkg.	Lb. 19¢
Cauliflower Crown White	Lb. 15¢
Potatoes Economy Pack	10-Lb. Bag 49¢
Yellow Onions	2 Lb. 15¢

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WHITE SWAN—HYBRID Popcorn	can	16¢
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**WEST TEXAS
NOTES**

Beautification and improvement of the court house lawn will add to the attractiveness of this plot and next spring and summer the lawn should again be one of the beauty spots in Ballinger. Dry weather plus no irrigation caused a number of the large trees to die and left ugly spots in the little park. The trees were too crowded in the first place and the loss of several will not be noticeable. Open spots will be replanted and the commissioners' court plans to have improvement work done in the spring which will reestablish the grass, shrubs and flower beds. In previous years the court house lawn attracted many tourists and made them remember favorably passing through Ballinger.

The concrete paved ramp and runways at Bruce Field are being used to good advantage in taking care of cottonseed and cotton. Citizens who have not visited the field in several weeks should drive by and see the mountains of cottonseed and acres of cotton parked at the field awaiting movement. All concrete where hangars once stood, the tennis courts and other paved spots are being piled high with seed and the ramp and runways are providing storage for baled cotton thirty days before

An election has been called at Brownwood for Saturday, December 3, to determine if \$450,000 in bonds shall be issued to carry out a school plant rehabilitation and building program. The issue was proposed by the board of trustees and the city council called the election. Qualified property owning citizens only will be eligible to vote. Improvements would be made in a number of school buildings and a new gymnasium would be erected.

St. John's Lutheran Church, Winters, celebrated its 45th anniversary last week when Rev. A. W. Doerfler, of Mason, delivered a special sermon to the membership. Work on the present church at Winters began in 1904 but the Lutheran faith in the community

shipment. These facilities are helping to keep cotton and cottonseed moving in this area.

Highway patrolmen did a good job between Coleman and Ballinger last Friday when several hundred drivers tried to rush home following the Armistice Day football game. The cops weaved in and out of the line and when a reckless driver attempted to pass others, the patrolmen pulled in behind him and forced him to slow down and rejoin the line. Several were asked to pull over to the roadside for warnings and this may have been responsible for no accidents.

Ballinger business will take another day off in November, this time to celebrate Thanksgiving. The holiday is Thursday, November 24, and while no special program has been planned here, many Ballingerites will go to Olfen for the dinner and auction while others have tickets for football games. The only public observance in Ballinger will be the union Thanksgiving service at the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening.

extends back for more than fifty years. The entire history of the church has been one of progress and the plant is one of the best in all West Texas.

A new reserve corps has been formed at Comanche and meetings have been set for every Monday night in the veterans' building. More than sixty officers and enlisted men have signed for membership and there are openings for others. The unit has been assigned as a complement of the Brownwood company but application has been made for a permanent quartermaster's headquarters battalion. Former service men in any branch of the service may secure membership.

The Miles American Legion post sponsored an Armistice Day celebration which included a barbecue dinner, dog races in the afternoon and a barn dance at night. A large crowd attended all three features and the barbecue tables were crowded from 11 a. m. until 2 p. m.

Jack Nixon, Jr., of Ballinger, was guest speaker at a special Lions Club "Ladies' Night" program held at Rowena last week. Henry Teplicek, president, waived the business session in order to give time for the program. Mr. Nixon, zone chairman, stated that Lions International was proud of the new clubs formed during the past two years which included the Rowena club.

The Rising Star school observed National Education Week with the Parent-Teacher Association cooperating in the special programs. Efforts to increase interest of patrons in the school was a feature of the program material presented. Programs were designed to impress both parents and students with the importance of education.

Edgar W. Glenn, of the Coleman Lumber Co., stated last week that he is ready to start the first group of a number of housing projects. He has purchased an addition in Hollywood Drive and

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in South Park Addition where the houses are to be constructed. The houses, to be FFA approved, will be small units which are in demand by many newcomers. He also stated that he was constructing a number of three-room sectionalized houses at his yard each of which could be purchased and set up on a lot for about \$1,200.

A group of Santa Anna high school students and teachers of the class of 1898 met last week in a special reunion. The exes assembled at noon at the Coleman Hotel, where luncheon was served. The group visited the Santa Anna schools and held a number of meetings during the day. J. E. Hickman, teacher of the class, was an honor guest.

Eden celebrated Armistice Day with a full program. The American Legion, Auxiliary, Boy Scouts and other groups combined for the parade which opened the day's activities at 10 a. m. At 10:50 a memorial service was held on the public square and this was followed by a basket lunch at the American Legion hall at noon. In the afternoon the final district game between Eden and Melvin attracted the crowd.

Achievement Day for the home demonstration clubs of Concho county was held at Eola Friday, all clubs participating. A complimentary dinner was served at the noon hour by the Eola club. The program, presented in the Eola school, was viewed by a large number during the day.

William Irwin, secretary of the Stephenville Production Credit Association, announced last week

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that plans had been completed for a \$30,000 office building for the organization. The building site, a corner lot, has been purchased and construction will be started as soon as the site title is perfected. The local agency was established in Erath county in 1933 and has served many farmers

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of that area. Loans outstanding last week totaled \$1,650,000.

Construction is underway at Brady on a new office and practice building for Dr. Steve King, veterinarian. The new structure is on the San Angelo highway north of the city. Dr. King stated he would have offices in the building and also facilities for handling large and small animals. He will operate dog kennels and boarding stalls for horses and other animals.

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increase in mail and parcel post and with the same number of employees must have the cooperation of the public in order to render satisfactory service and deliver all mail before the Christmas holidays.

Mailings for distant states should be deposited well in advance of December 10 and greeting cards for local delivery should be mailed

not later than December 15. For early mailings, senders are permitted to mark parcels "Do Not Open Until Christmas." In addition, written salutations such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," as well as numbers, symbols, etc., for the purpose of description, may be enclosed with third or fourth class parcel post mail. Do not enclose

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messages or letters, regardless of how brief, as doing so would subject the entire parcel to the letter rate.

Newspapers and all employees of the post office department have been asked to assist in securing early mailing.

CREWS

Mr. Polk and Eunice spent Sunday in the Clarence Hambright home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Bridwell spent Sunday in the Porter Baker home at Abilene.

Relatives and friends met at the Methodist church Saturday night to celebrate the 44th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Russ Boynton. Mr. and Mrs. Eargle Berry, Evaneal, Ruby, Franklin, and Martha Kay; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wood and Billie Joe; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Wood and Frona Jane, and baby, of Portales, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Berry, Jerry, and baby; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Boynton and children, of Houston, were the children present for the celebration. Refreshments of coffee, chocolate and cookies were served. Many nice and useful gifts were presented the honored couple. We wish for them many more happy celebrations.

Several from here attended the 78th birthday anniversary celebration given for Mrs. Frona Wood, of Ballinger, in the Ballinger park last Sunday.

Melvin Mathis and family, of Tuscola, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mathis.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Jayroe and Carol, of Pecos, were recent guests of his father, Edgar Jayroe, and Mrs. Jayroe.

Edwin Young, of Ozona, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. A. J. Young, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Lucas and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Lum Gilbreath at Merkel Sunday.

Rev. H. A. Schoemock, of Grand Saline, preached at the local Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening. The church called him as pastor for half-time. He will give an answer within two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Faubion and Brenda accompanied Mr. Faubion's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Faubion, of Ballinger, to Abilene Sunday afternoon for a visit with Miss Elmita Faubion, a student in Hardin-Simmons University.

R. E. BROWN BURIED IN DENTON CEMETERY

R. E. ("Rad") Brown, long-time resident of Runnels county, died in a San Angelo hospital Monday after lingering illness.

Funeral services were held at Denton Wednesday and interment followed in a cemetery there.

Survivors include four daughters, Miss Bessie Brown, Mrs. J. B. Taylor, Mrs. J. H. Fultz, all of Denton; Mrs. Beula Gentry, Dallas; three sons, Robert E. Brown, Dallas; Jack L. Brown, Alice; Delbert E. Brown, Galveston.

ALL-DAY MEETING PLANNED BY BENOIT SOCIAL CLUB

Seven members were present November 10 when the Benoit Social Club held its regular meeting. Mrs. Doyle Condra presided at the business session when plans were made for an all-day



"NO FRAMEUP" . . . Vicki Evans (above) denies at New York press conference charges by Lila Leeds that frameup was involved in marijuana raid in which Misses Evans and Leeds and Robert Mitchum were caught.



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Bearcats Retain District Lead with 13 to 13 Tie

The Ballinger Bearcats barely remained as favorites in district 7A Friday afternoon when they played to a 13 to 13 tie with the Coleman Bluecats. Again fumbles hurt the Bearcats and three drives were started which looked like pay dirt only to be stopped when fumbles were recovered by the Coleman lads.

A capacity crowd of about 5,000 fans watched the two teams battle in the most crucial game of the year. The result left the Bearcats with only a tie, while the Colemanites have a loss and a tie against their record and the Lake View team one loss. Coleman and Lake View are to play this week-end.

If the Bearcats can win from the Winters Blizzards, they will become district champions and go into the bi-district game the week following Thanksgiving.

From the start of the Armistice Day game, Ballinger fans were made to realize that the Bearcats were in for a rough afternoon. The Coleman defense was good enough to stop the first Bearcat attack and then the Bluecats turned on a running game which pushed the Bearcats deep into their own territory.

Early in the second quarter the Bearcats took over on their own five-yard line after holding the Bluecats for downs. On the first play a Bearcat fumble was recovered by Coleman and on the fourth attempt Hurst carried over from the one-yard line. The kick was good, making the score 7 to 0.

Ballinger received the kickoff and in a passing and running game took the ball to the Coleman 15-yard line. Davenport attempted a flatzone pass to Hallmark which was intercepted by Junior Carr who raced from his

own 10 to cross the Ballinger goal line. This kick failed and at the half the Bluecats led 13 to 0.

Late in the third quarter, Davenport started a passing game which hit two receivers. The last pass to Endacott was good to the one-yard line and on the next play Hallmark carried over. Davenport added the extra point to make the score 13 to 7.

Shortly after the beginning of the last quarter, Coleman kicked to the Ballinger 10-yard line. On the first play Hallmark broke into secondary and raced 90 yards for a counter. The kick, into the wind, was barely outside the goal post and this knotted the score at 13 to 13.

The closing minutes of the contest gave one thrill after another as Coleman took the air and with rushing and passing carried the ball from their own 16-yard line to the Ballinger 1. Time ran out and saved the Bearcats.

TWELVE FROM THIS COUNTY REGISTERED BY DRAFT BOARD
The Coleman-Runnels draft board has announced the following registrations of 18-year-olds during October:

- Frank N. Castillo, Ballinger
- Raymond Rohmfeld, Ballinger
- Charles F. Bailey, Jr., Ballinger
- Charles W. Jennings, Ballinger
- Bob I. Vancil, Ballinger
- Bobby J. Dodd, Wingate
- Dalton W. Smithwick, Wingate
- Warren A. Edwards, Winters
- Joe A. Cortez, Winters
- Marvin J. Mitchell, Winters
- Hubert W. Brock, Winters
- Wilfred J. Franke, Rowena

The correct addresses of the following are wanted by the board: Trinidad Juarez, Joe Martinez Gonzales, Alejandro Rios Sabala, Emilio Govea.

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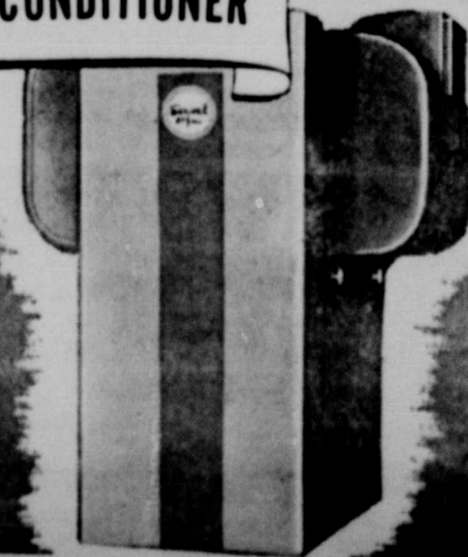
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 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school
 11:00 a. m., morning worship
 6:30 p. m., training union
 7:30 p. m., evening worship
 Wednesday: 8:00 p. m., prayer meeting
 9:00 p. m., choir practice
 Monday: Brotherhood and W.M.U. each first and third Monday
 CORDELL BALES, Pastor

Foursquare Gospel Church
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school
 11:00 a. m., morning worship
 6:45 p. m., Junior Crusaders,

Mary Lou Tindle, captain
 7:30 p. m., evangelistic service, pastor in charge
 Tuesday: 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting
 Thursday: 11 a. m., Senior Crusaders, Bible study, Clifton Wright, captain
 C. R. DUNAWAY, Pastor

Church of the Nazarene
 (Corner Ninth and Harris)
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school
 10:50 a. m., morning worship
 6:45 p. m., N.Y.P.S. and Juniors
 7:30 p. m., evening worship
 Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., mid-week service
 C. H. LUCAS, Pastor

Eighth Street Church of Christ
 (Corner Bonsall and Eighth)
 Sunday: 10:00 a. m., Bible school
 10:50 a. m., morning worship
 6:15 p. m., young people's meeting
 7:00 p. m., evening service
 Monday: 3:00 p. m., ladies' Bible class
 Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting

First Christian Church
 (Corner Broadway and Murrell)
 Sunday: 9:30 a. m., pre-prayer service for teachers
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school
 10:40 a. m., general assembly
 10:50 a. m., morning worship
 7:00 p. m., evening service

Monday: 4:00 p. m., women's council
 Wednesday: 7:00 p. m., visitation program.
 Board meetings are held on the first Wednesday night of each month.
RAWLINGS CHERRYHOMES,
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 Preaching hour, 11 a. m.
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 Wednesday Bible study, 8 p. m.
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 11:00 a. m., morning worship
 7:30 p. m., evening worship
 6:30 p. m., Baptist Training Union
 Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., teachers' meeting
 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting
 8:30 p. m., choir rehearsal
 B. J. MARTIN Pastor

First Methodist Church
 (Corner Murrell and Tenth)
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., church school, Homer Hudgins, Superintendent
 10:50 a. m., morning worship
 6:15 p. m., youth fellowship, intermediates and seniors
 6:15 p. m., junior fellowship
 7:00 p. m., evening worship
 8:00 p. m., after church fellowship for youth
 Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., choir rehearsal
 C. D. WOOTEN, Pastor

Church of God
 Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Junior Y. P., 7:15 p. m.
 J. H. SHELL, Pastor
 Phone 134

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
 (Corner Bonsall and Eighth)
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., church school
 11:00 a. m., morning worship
 7:00 p. m., evening worship
 6:00 p. m., session meets each first Sunday
 Monday: 3:00 p. m., woman's Auxiliary
 Wednesday:

7:30 p. m., worker's meeting
 Saturday: 2:00 p. m., junior and junior high fellowship
 ALVIN O. RUE, Minister

Church of Christ
 (1100 Ninth Street)
 Lord's Day services, 10:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Wednesday services at 7:00 p. m.
BUSTER MULLIN, Minister

Full Gospel Church
 (Hamilton and Fifteenth)
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school
 11:00 a. m., morning worship
 6:30 p. m., young people's service
 7:30 p. m., evening service
 Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., Bible study
 W. L. EDWARDS, Pastor

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 TO: James Ratakin and the unknown heirs of James Ratakin, Deceased; M. J. Norville and the unknown heirs of M. J. Norville, Deceased; Lucy Taylor and the unknown heirs of Lucy Taylor, Deceased; James Fuqua and the unknown heirs of James Fuqua, Deceased; Geo. W. Gentry and the unknown heirs of Geo. W. Gentry, Deceased; A. J. Norville and the unknown heirs of A. J. Norville, Deceased; W. N. Heslep and the unknown heirs of W. N. Heslep, Deceased; Ann E. Heslep and the unknown heirs of Ann E. Heslep, Deceased; Ezekiel S. Newman and the unknown heirs of Ezekiel S. Newman, Deceased; H. L. Newman and the unknown heirs of H. L. Newman, Deceased; Henry L. Newman and the unknown heirs of Henry L. Newman, Deceased; B. Farr and the unknown heirs of B. Farr, Deceased; W. B. Farr and the unknown heirs of W. B. Farr, Deceased; E. S. Newman and the unknown heirs of E. S. Newman, Deceased; S. R. Goodrum and the unknown heirs of S. R. Goodrum, Deceased; Job Davis and the unknown heirs of Job Davis, Deceased; R. A. Holland and the unknown heirs of R. A. Holland, Deceased; W. F. Wright and the unknown heirs of W. F. Wright, Deceased; H. A. Thomson and the unknown heirs of H. A. Thomson, Deceased; T. J. McGill and the unknown heirs of T. J. McGill, Deceased; A. A. McGill and the unknown heirs of A. A. McGill, Deceased; Charley Ransbarger and the unknown heirs of Charley

Ransbarger, Deceased; Rufus Simmons, Deceased; John Lee Simmons and the unknown heirs of John Lee Simmons, Deceased; Claude Simmons; Edna Wheatley and husband, W. J. Wheatley and the unknown heirs of Edna Wheatley, Deceased; and the unknown heirs of W. J. Wheatley, Deceased; Ada Chrisman and husband, Eugene Chrisman, and the unknown heirs of Ada Chrisman, Deceased; and the unknown heirs of Eugene Chrisman, Deceased; Ed Miller and the unknown heirs of Ed Miller, Deceased; Charley Miller and the unknown heirs of Charley Miller, Deceased; Bert Miller and the unknown heirs of Bert Miller, Deceased; Wilbur Miller and the unknown heirs of Wilbur Miller, Deceased; Lynn Miller Young and husband, Winslow Young, and the unknown heirs of Lynn Miller Young, Deceased; and the unknown heirs of Winslow Young, Deceased; Lee Leeman Miller and the unknown heirs of Lee Leeman Miller, Deceased; Della Elsie Miller, a feme sole and the unknown heirs of Della Elsie Miller, Deceased; Ada Ruth Miller and the unknown heirs of Ada Ruth Miller, Deceased; Elsie Mae Ransbarger, a widow, and the unknown heirs of Elsie Mae Ransbarger, Deceased; Prentiss Ransbarger and the unknown heirs of Prentiss Ransbarger, Deceased; Verna Alexander and husband, Elmo Alexander, and the unknown heirs of Verna Alexander, Deceased; and the unknown heirs of Elmo Alexander, Deceased; J. D. Ransbarger and the unknown heirs of J. D. Ransbarger, Deceased; The Concho Cattle Company of Texas, a corporation; The Concho Cattle Company of Texas, a partnership; the unknown stockholders of The Concho Cattle Company of Texas, a defunct corporation. All persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to The Concho Cattle Company of Texas as grantee; P. J. Arnold and the unknown heirs of P. J. Arnold, Deceased; John Myers and the unknown heirs of John Myers, Deceased; Mrs. Annie Carringer and the unknown heirs of Mrs. Annie Carringer, Deceased; Bertie Burnett and the unknown heirs of Bertie Burnett, Deceased; O. D. Burnett and the unknown heirs of O. D. Burnett, Deceased; Pearl Hinson and the unknown heirs of

Pearl Hinson, Deceased; J. N. Hinson and the unknown heirs of J. N. Hinson, Deceased; J. M. Hinson and the unknown heirs of J. M. Hinson, Deceased; Ellen Martin and the unknown heirs of Ellen Martin, Deceased; Landon Martin and the unknown heirs of Landon Martin, Deceased; Maude Walters and the unknown heirs of Maude Walters, Deceased; Henry Walters and the unknown heirs of Henry Walters, Jr., and the unknown heirs of Henry Walters, Jr., Deceased; Inez Walters and the unknown heirs of Inez Walters, Deceased; Erceel Walters and the unknown heirs of Erceel Walters, Deceased; J. L. Walters and the unknown heirs of J. L. Walters, Deceased; Carl Volk and the unknown heirs of Carl Volk, Deceased; H. B. Adams and the unknown heirs of H. B. Adams, Deceased; Flora K. Adams and the unknown heirs of Flora K. Adams, Deceased; J. C. Swift and the unknown heirs of J. C. Swift, Deceased; Alonzo A. McGill and the unknown heirs of Alonzo A. McGill, Deceased; Martin V. McGill and the unknown heirs of Martin V. McGill, Deceased; James Ransbarger; and A. E. Ransbarger; Mrs. Annie Carringer, and the unknown heirs of Mrs. Annie Carringer, Deceased; Diedrich Gobel, and the unknown heirs of Diedrich Gobel, Deceased; August H. Gobel, and the unknown heirs of August H. Gobel, Deceased; Julius Gobel, and the unknown heirs of Julius Gobel, Deceased; Edward Gobel, and the unknown heirs of Edward Gobel, Deceased.

You are hereby commanded to appear and answer plaintiffs' petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 26th day of December, 1949, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the Court House in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas. Said plaintiffs' petition was filed on the 12th day of November, 1949; the file number of said suit is No. 5718. The names of the parties to and in said suit are: Pryor Mapes, Fred Mapes, Lena M. Fritts, a widow; Mrs. Margaret L. Rayburn, Leo B. Mapes, Mrs. Willie Wardlaw and husband, Newt Wardlaw, Annie B. Mapes, a feme sole, and Pat S. Mapes, are the plaintiffs; and the defendants are the persons and parties to whom this writ is addressed. The nature is said suit is substantially as follows, to-wit:

Suit in trespass to try title filed by said plaintiffs against said defendants to recover the fee simple title to and possession of the following described lands, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: Being 300% acres of land in Runnels and Concho Counties, Texas, of the H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co. Survey No. 1, Runnels County Abstract No. 1029, Concho County Abstract No. 1087, and the James Ratakin Survey No. 115, Runnels County Abstract No. 413, Concho County Abstract No. 1532.

SECOND TRACT: Being 729 acres of land in Runnels and Concho Counties, Texas, and being all of the Peter Worff Survey No. 196, Runnels County Abstract No. 516, Concho County Abstract No. 961, and being the same land described in Patent No. 1749, Vol. 9, issued by the State of Texas to A. Neuford on August 10, 1857.

THIRD TRACT: Being 320 acres of land in Runnels County, Texas, and being all of the H. W. Christman Survey No. 82, Abstract No. 1244, and being the same land described in the Patent issued by the State of Texas to J. L. Walters, now of record in Vol. 10, Page 156, Patent Records of Runnels County, Texas.

FOURTH TRACT: Being all of Carl Volk Survey No. 82 in Runnels County, Texas, Abstract No. 491, being the same land described in deed executed by Julia A. Swart to Lon Mapes, recorded in Vol. 20, Page 611, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas.

FIFTH TRACT: Being all of the Peter Scheler Survey No. 85, Abstract No. 433 in Runnels County, Texas; and

SIXTH TRACT: Being all of the Diedrich Gobel Survey No. 87, Abstract No. 203 in Runnels County, Texas.

Plaintiffs also plead, and seek to recover said land under the three, five, ten and twenty-five years statutes of limitations. The style of said suit is Pryor Mapes et al vs. James Ratakin et al.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Given under my hand and seal of office, and issued, at my office in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, on this 12th day of November, 1949.

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 Walter F. Adams, medical, Sunday
 Mrs. Dick Ueckert, surgical, yesterday
 Mrs. M. L. Stone, Talpa, surgical, Sunday
 Collyns Ross Moore, Jr., medical, Friday
 Elmora Grounds, Millersview, Saturday
 Archie Wiley, Hatchel, medical, Monday
 Rumoldo Jalomo, medical, Thursday
 Jimmie Stubblefield, surgical, Wednesday
 Harold Williamson, Florence, injury, Saturday
 Mrs. N. D. Lee, medical, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Edwards are parents of a son, born Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hamilton are parents of a son, born Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Stephens entered the clinic Friday for medical care.

Mrs. Walter Lange is receiving medical treatment in the clinic.

Mrs. J. M. Green underwent surgery Saturday.

Mr. Alvin Neely, of Abilene, underwent surgery Monday.

Victor Coronado, of Mathis, was admitted to the clinic Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. H. B. Edmondson is receiving medical treatment in the clinic.

Mrs. Wayne Kiker, San Angelo, is a clinical patient here.

Jacknell Canady entered the clinic Wednesday for medical treatment.

Good progress reported in 7th St. Baptist Revival.

Good progress is being made in the revival at the Seventh Street Baptist Church this week and the final service is to be held Sunday night.

Harold Cartee, of Fort Worth, evangelistic singer, is meeting the children each evening at 7 o'clock for a service of song and prayer, after which he conducts the song service in the church auditorium.

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