

THE BALLINGER LEDGER

BALLINGER, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1951

\$60,000 Bond Election Ordered for Swim Pool

The city commission, in a called session Friday afternoon, set the date for August 28. The election will be held to authorize the issuance of \$60,000 in bonds to be used for construction of a municipal swimming pool.

The action was taken by the commission after lists containing 771 signers were presented asking for the election. The petitions were presented Friday morning to Fred Underwood, city secretary, with the request that they be submitted to the commission as soon as possible.

A bonding house agent meeting with the commission dis-

puted rates, election notices and other detail. The election notice, prepared at Dallas the past week-end, will be found elsewhere in this paper.

The petitions probably contained the largest number of names ever presented to the city commission. During the first part of last week many young people and teen-age groups worked on the sign-up and practically every house in Ballinger was visited in the plea for a swimming pool. Numerous meetings were held and many citizens have evinced interest in the proposal.

The judge and clerks for the election will be O. J. Harber, E. B. Clappitt and W. B. May.

Federal Labor Law to be Enforced During School

William J. Rogers, of Dallas, director of the wage-hour and contract division of the U. S. department of labor, has announced that when public schools open federal officers will be making extra efforts to see that employment does not interfere with education.

Employment of children under 16 years of age in agriculture during school hours is unlawful under the federal fair labor standards act, Rogers stated.

Mr. Rogers pointed out that the law applies directly to farmers whose crops or products, either directly or indirectly, go into interstate or foreign commerce. He illustrated with the case of a farmer who sends his produce outside the state or delivers his produce to a gin, processor, canner, or dealer who will send it outside

the state, either in its original form or a part of another product.

The law does not apply to a farmer's own children working on their parent's farm. But if a farmer hires other under-age children during school hours, the farmers are responsible.

By "school hours" is meant the hours when school is in session in the district where the employed children are living. That includes children employed either as individuals or a part of a family group directed by labor concentrators, processors, or others. It includes both citizens and alien children.

The federal law sets no minimum age for the employment of children in agriculture before or after school hours on any school day, or at any time on school holidays or during school vacations.

4-H Club Girls' Three-Day Camp Will Begin Monday

Runnels county 4-H club girls will be here next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for their annual encampment at Bruce Field.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county demonstration agent, and Miss Sue Milligan, assistant agent, will meet the recreational leaders Monday afternoon to plan the complete program for Tuesday and Wednesday.

The girls will register Tuesday and several demonstrations will be started in which members will do outdoor cooking, make leather goods and take part in the games and stunts

to be decided by club leaders.

Wednesday noon will be the highlight of the camp when a number of guests are to be invited for the dinner.

All clubs in the county have indicated practically all their members will attend the 1951 camp. Two buildings at Bruce Field will be occupied by the girls. Programs will be presented in the American Legion hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Caskey accompanied their son, Pfc. Hal D. Caskey, to San Antonio Tuesday, where he caught a plane to Choepce, Massachusetts, where he is stationed at Westover Air Base. He has been here on a 17-day leave.

County's 4-H Club Boys Here For Encampment, Barbecue

Runnels county 4-H club boys from all sections arrived here shortly after noon Wednesday and began setting up camp in city park for their two-day program. With farm work caught up at this season, attendance is the best for several years and practically every club had a full representation for the beginning of the activities.

Softball games got underway yesterday afternoon and will be continued today until the county championship is decided. Other contests include rifle shooting, grass judging, pillow fighting and other games.

Educational pictures and short comedies were shown Wednesday night after it was too dark for outdoor recreation.

The boys and their leaders brought complete camping equipment including bedding, eating utensils and play clothing.

Today noon a barbecue dinner with all the trimmings will be served those registered at camp and a number of business men. Local business men and county officials who have assisted boys in their projects and the annual livestock show were invited.

A parade will be staged on Hutchings Avenue soon after 1:00 today and the clubbers are to be given free tickets to the Texas Theatre, courtesy of the theatre management and the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce.

Sewer Extensions Accepted by City; Contractor Paid

The city commission has accepted the sewerage system from the Enix Construction Co. and has paid the final estimate.

The company last week completed repairing pavement and its part of the clean up of local alleys and streets. City officials stated Monday there were still some places to be cleaned and a few fences to be repaired which was the city's obligation. These will receive attention within the next few days.

Sewer connections are continuing at a fair rate, local plumbers doing this work. More than 150 have already received connections since the completion of the lines and all new construction is being tied in.

Extensions are being laid to the new housing project in the western part of Ballinger and all units there will be tied into the system. The new schools have been connected with the sewer lines and city authorities are urging other home owners, having underground systems, to make connections as soon as possible.

Max Phillips, in a San Angelo hospital, is reported to be in a serious condition.



TREAT FOR GIs IN TRUCE CITY... Six American GIs, part of the auxiliary personnel inside the armistice city of Kaesong, Korea, for the truce talks between U.N. and Red officials, reach into a box of candy offered by a girl in a North Korean army uniform, playing host to the United Nations soldiers. The Communists called off the talks for a few days for what U.N. officials believe was a chance to communicate with Peiping and Moscow. Big issue raised between the negotiators at the time this was taken was the Communist demands that all foreign troops be removed from Korean soil.

9 Producers Reported In County Past Week

Nine producers were reported for the Runnels county oil fields the past week and a number of locations were made.

Humble No. 4-Mrs. M. J. Arnold, in the Jim Adams field, produced 63.48 barrels of 42.6 gravity oil on a 24-hour gauge at a depth of 4,388 feet.

Union No. 9T-J. M. Giles, in the Cree-Sykes field, flowed 162.47 barrels of 41.9 gravity oil from the lower Gardner sand. Bottom hole depth is 4,081 feet.

Union No. 7C-O. C. Sykes was good for 72.64 barrels of 42.3 gravity oil when finalled in the upper Gardner. Bottom of the hole is 3,960 feet.

Union No. 11C-J. M. Giles, in the Cree-Sykes field, flowed 25.80 barrels of 40.4 gravity oil. Top of the pay is 3,982 feet.

Humble No. 48B-Sallie Odum was good for 438.52 barrels of 45 gravity oil upon completion at a depth of 5,428 feet.

Humble 47B-Sallie Odum produced 464.65 barrels on a full day run the first of the week. The oil was graded 45.1 gravity and pay is from 5,348 feet.

Humble No. 7D-Sallie Odum, on a 24-hour gauge made 437.27 barrels of 45.3 gravity oil. Top of pay was found at 5,267 feet.

Humble No. 3S-Sallie Odum flowed 341.94 barrels of 44.8 gravity oil when finalled at a depth of 5,468 feet.

Saxon Exploration Co. No. 7-J. Roberts, Saxon-Serratt field, made 174.92 barrels of 42 gravity oil. Total depth of 2,015 is reported.

LaGloria No. 1-C. C. Gray, five miles northeast of Ballinger, is scheduled for 4,200 feet.

Baker & Taylor Drilling Co. No. 1-Norma Brannon has been approved for a 4,500-foot rotary test.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Corp. No. 2-B. R. Thetford will be drilled to 4,500 feet. Location is 10 miles northeast of Winters.

Humble and G. W. Strake No. 1-J. L. Miller, one mile southwest of production in the Fort Chaddourne field, is projected for 6,000 feet.

Mid-Continent No. 8-W. T. Billups, in the Sykes (Morris sand) field, will be drilled to 4,300 feet.

T. & P. Coal & Oil Co. No. 2A-A. B. Crofton, in the Hull-Dobbs field, will go to 4,200 feet. T. & P. No. 3A-Crofton also is approved for 4,200 feet.

G. W. Strake No. 2-Sallie Carlisle, in the Nora Gardner field, will be drilled to 5,000 feet.

Jay Kirkman No. 1A-A. W. Malone is a 2,500-foot test in the Beddo field near Ballinger.

Humble No. 1-Mrs. Annie Hord, in the Jim Adams field, has been approved for 4,800 feet.

Blistering Heat Wave Delivers 100 Degrees Up

Ballinger and all of West Texas have experienced blistering heat for the past week and with little promise for a break soon. Wednesday was the hottest of the present heat wave and one degree under the high mark of 106 degrees set on July 21.

The government daily readings reported from the Ballinger Floral Co. station on the Bronte highway for the past week are as follows:

Thursday, August 2, 100
Friday, August 3, 101
Saturday, August 4, 103
Sunday, August 5, 104
Monday, August 6, 104
Tuesday, August 7, 104
Wednesday, August 8, 105

A cool breeze moved in from the south Tuesday night, bringing slight relief and the government thermometer at 7 a. m. Today registered three degrees cooler than at the same hour Wednesday morning.

No rain is in prospect and farmers report that crops are burning fast.

Deeds are Obtained For Livestock Barn Building Location

A deal was completed this week in which the 4-H and F. F. A. livestock barn committee secured deeds to ten acres of land near the baseball park where it plans to erect a livestock show barn for the two organizations.

The deeds were made to E. C. Grindstaff, county judge, and his successors, and the Runnels county commissioners' court is to have management of the property.

This group has been working several years on securing a permanent livestock show barn for the two organizations. A show is held each spring and the securing of adequate quarters has been a problem.

The committee has about \$2,500 cash on hand after purchase of the land. It is estimated that about \$10,000 must be raised to construct the kind of building needed, and a meeting will be held soon to consider further plans.

The boys' livestock show is usually held in January and if the proposed show place is ready in 1952 work will have to be started in the near future.

Deeds to the property were presented to Judge Grindstaff at the 4-H club encampment today.

4 Teachers Elected By School Board; 5 More are Needed

The Ballinger school board Thursday night elected four teachers, approved the sale of four pieces of property within the district and heard plans for the opening of the term in September.

Teachers elected were Mrs. Albert Purifoy, Mrs. Jim Williamson, Mrs. Tony Morgan and Bill Scoggins. Mrs. Purifoy, formerly Miss Mary Brian Woody, graduated in June from Texas Technological College, Lubbock. She will be assigned to the third grade in the elementary school. Mrs. Williamson, formerly Mrs. Bittie Vetterlein, has been teaching at Abilene the past two years and is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University.

Mrs. Tony Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morgan of this city, is a graduate of Baylor University, Waco, and will teach sophomore English in high school.

Bill Scoggins, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Scoggins, graduated this summer from Howard Payne College, Brownwood. He will be coach at junior high and teach history.

Supt. Ernest Caskey stated following the meeting that he was searching for five other teachers needed to complete the faculty. These include a band director, teachers for elementary arithmetic, public school music, English I in the high school, and distributive education, a new course.

The sale of four school buildings in the district, at Blanton, Greenwald, Hagan-Barnett and Millar, was approved.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hampton and children, of California, came in this week for a visit with Mrs. Hampton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lange, of Oifen, and other relatives.

Little Miss Charlene New, of Austin, is here for a visit in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Boelsche.

JOHNSON GETS HIGH GRADE IN COLLEGE STATION CLASS

Joe C. Johnson, assistant county agent, returned Sunday from College Station, where he attended a school the past three weeks. Mr. Johnson was selected to take a course on "Government and Agriculture" and received a straight A grade at the end of the three weeks.

The entire class was taken to Houston to visit banks, chemical plants and other industries to see how they are operating under government control.

Work Program Adopted; C. C. Talks Feed Outlook

Red Cross Flood Fund Passes \$1,281 Monday

Tabulations in the Red Cross emergency fund drive Monday showed a total of \$1,281.50 already turned in to the local chapter, \$1,029.55 of this contributed in Ballinger.

Chairman E. E. King stated that solicitations had not been completed here and that several committees still have people on their lists to contact. A few checks are still to be received by mail or handed to local chapter officers.

W. H. Rappy, of Winters, said workers there would hold a meeting Monday and that the campaign would be completed in the northern portion of the county this week.

Local service clubs provided workers to make the solicitation in the Ballinger business district. Boy and Girl Scouts covered the remainder of the city and did an excellent job in the door-to-door calls.

Other contributions reported to Monday were:

Bethel, \$35.00
Humble Station, \$2.00
Norton, \$4.00
South Ballinger home demon-

stration club, \$5.00
East Side home demonstration club, \$5.00
Oifen home demonstration club, \$2.00
Greenwald, \$23.50
Spring Hill, \$18.50
Rowena, \$4.50
Miles, \$86.45
Benoit, \$10.00
Valley View, \$6.00

The county campaign will be continued this week, allowing time for launching drives in other communities or completing those already started.

Mr. King expressed pleasure at the excellent cooperation of the local clubs and other organizations and the ready response of firms and individuals. He stated that the Runnels county chapter would exceed its quota by a considerable margin and that the first remittance would be made to national headquarters within a few days.

Any person who has not been contacted is requested to mail a check to the local chapter or leave it at one of the local banks.

Elm Creek Bridge, Built in 1889, Sold by County for Scrap Iron

J. T. Gregory has made a deal with the Runnels county commissioners' court to dismantle and salvage the old bridge across Elm Creek at the eastern end of Strong Avenue. He will start work within a few days and will move all the steel and iron to his wrecking yard, where it will be cut and shipped as scrap metal.

Several months ago this bridge was condemned and the commissioners' court received a bid for putting the old structure back into condition but declined it when the lumber alone was calculated to cost about \$8,000.

The contract for this landmark was let in December, 1949, to the Milwaukee Bridge & Iron Co. Three bridges, the

Elm Creek bridge, one on Oakley Creek, and one on Oak Creek, figured in the contract, the county obligating for \$19,000 in payment.

The court was in session on July 13, 1950, at which time it accepted the three bridges upon the recommendation of John O'Neill, civil engineer. William A. Proctor was county judge at that time and signed the minutes of the commissioners' court when the contract was let and again when the three bridges were accepted.

The Elm Creek bridge has been repaired numerous times with new wooden flooring and metal strips. It also has been repainted a number of times but in recent years has been used very little since the construction of the new bridge across the creek on highway 67.

He declared a drought area should be established and asked that the chamber join other agencies in requesting the interstate commerce commission to lower freight rates on livestock feed to this region. In this way he thought some livestock raisers would be able to winter their herds without sacrificing them on the open market. The board approved the plan and further work will be done on the proposal.

John Purifoy presented Jack Pridgen, chamber manager, with a certificate from the Southwest Chamber of Commerce Institute, showing he had completed his course after three years' intensive study.

Successful Camp For Club Women Attracts Many

Runnels county home demonstration club women concluded one of the most successful encampments in many years Wednesday. Attendance reached a peak Wednesday noon when some 200 club women, about 50 children and a number of invited guests were present.

The encampment opened Tuesday afternoon with 19 members here to spend the night together and enjoy the first features of the annual meeting. The main body began arrived early Wednesday and at noon it had been impossible to complete the registration.

Wednesday morning was devoted to stunts and entertainment, each club in the county providing a number. No study or demonstrations were held, the program committee using all the time for play and recreation.

The highlight of the meeting was at noon Wednesday when guests were included for the dinner. A long table loaded with barbecued chicken, salads, vegetables, desserts and every thinkable good thing to eat was spread.

Following the meal, a brief business session was held and the encampment was adjourned.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Young returned Friday after a tour through Colorado, California, Oregon, Yellowstone Park and other places of interest. They drove more than 5,000 miles and report an excellent trip.

S. E. Cloninger, of Gorman, was here the past week-end for a visit with his family.

Schedule Arranged For School Opening

Joe Forester, Ballinger high school principal, announced today that he would be in his office beginning August 15 from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. Students who desire information on the course of study or other matters will find him in his office.

The following schedule has been adopted for the registration of high school students, securing books, etc.

Seniors
Wednesday, August 29, 9:00 a. m.

Juniors
Thursday, August 30, 9:00 a. m. to noon

Sophomores
Thursday, August 30, 1:00 to 4:00 p. m.

Freshmen
Friday, August 31, 9:00 a. m.

All other students, regardless of what school they formerly attended will register at the opening on September 4.

MRS. WOOTEN'S FATHER DIES AT WAXAHACHIE

Rev. C. D. Wooten and family were called to Waxahachie Wednesday on account of the death of Mrs. Wooten's father, Rev. Z. L. Howell.

Decedent had been critically ill three months. Mrs. Wooten had been at his bedside much of that time and was present when he passed away yesterday morning.

Funeral services will be held at Waxahachie tomorrow (Friday) morning at 10 o'clock. The body will lie in state at Saxon, Body, Mitchell Funeral Home until funeral time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graves and children, Sarah and George, Jr., of Waco, are here for a visit with Mrs. Graves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Shepperd, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hambrick and children.

Mrs. Don Atkins, who underwent surgery at a Temple hospital Monday, is reported to be recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Medley, of Lubbock, are here for a visit with the latter's brother, W. C. Dodson, and family.

ADAIR IS APPOINTED OIL CHAIRMAN HERE

L. C. Adair, Gulf Oil Corp. consignee, has been appointed the Ballinger community chairman of the oil industry information committee. He will administer the American Petroleum Institute's information program in this community for 1951-52 and is in charge of plans for Oil Progress Week, October 12-20.

The appointment was made this week by W. C. Barnes, of Abilene, West Central Texas chairman.

Rev. C. D. Wooten spent all of last week at Georgetown, attending a conference and school for pastors. Approximately 500 Methodist ministers attended the six-day meeting.

IN SOCIETY

Miss Bowden Becomes Bride of David Lee Costlett

First Methodist Church, lighted by the glow of tapers burning in branched candelabra, was the scene Saturday evening at 8 o'clock for the marriage of Miss Marilyn Joyce Bowden and David Lee Costlett.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bowden. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Coleman Harwell, all of Ballinger.

The Rev. C. D. Wooten, pastor, read the double ring rites before an altar decorated with an arch entwined with lemon leaves banked by commodore and palms. On either side of the arch were tall floor baskets of white chrysanthemums flanked by seven-branched cathedral candelabra holding white tapers. A standard candelabrum stood at each side of the steps leading to the altar. White mums were on the organ, and pews were marked with white satin ribbons.

Traditional wedding music was given by Miss Lucille Phillips, of San Angelo, who played a medley of pre-nuptial music, including "Clair de Lune," "Indian Love Call," and "I Love You Truly," and accompanied Mrs. B. R. Weatherford, of Miles, who sang "Because," and "Through the Years," and also sang "The Lord's Prayer," as the benediction. Miss Phillips also played traditional wedding marches.

Entering the church on the arm of her father, the bride wore a bouffant gown of imported Swiss organdy embroidered with floral motifs. The ballerina-length skirt was designed with scalloped hemline over white organdy, and was worn over hoops.

Self-covered buttons extended the length of the bodice, which was fashioned with tiny Peter Pan collar and full banded sleeves. She wore matching mitts and carried a cascade bouquet of white roses and stephanotis. Her tiered shoulder-length veil of silk illusion cascaded from a tiara of pearlized stephanotis. For something borrowed, she wore her mother's wedding band, and for something old, she carried a lace handkerchief which had belonged to her great-grandmother.

Miss Pat Bowden, the bride's sister, was maid of honor. She wore a ballerina-length gown of pink organdy over taffeta. The fitted bodice came to points in front and back, and featured a covered button. Her halo hat of matching organdy was ruffled and outlined with lilies of the valley. She carried a Colonial bouquet of aqua asters and wore pink linen pumps.

Bridesmaids were Miss Evelyn Bigby, of Eastland, and Mrs. Hugh E. Corbin, of Fort Worth. They wore aqua organdy gowns over matching taffeta and carried Colonial bouquets of pink asters. Their hats and

gauntlets were of matching aqua. Rebecca Bigby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bigby, was flower girl. She wore a pink organdy dress and carried a basket of pink and aqua rose petals. Johnny Bigby, brother of the flower girl, carried the rings to the altar on a heart-shaped pillow.

John Whitmore of Houston was best man, and ushers were Bill Billingsley, of San Angelo, and Lt. R. B. Kelly of Goodfellow Air Force Base. Pat Cloonen, brother of the bridegroom, lighted candles.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Bowden wore a dress of lavender lace and linen. Her small white lace hat was enhanced with rhinestones. Mrs. Coleman Harwell, mother of the bridegroom, chose a green silk dress with matching hat. Both Mrs. Bowden and Mrs. Harwell wore gardenia corsages.

A reception was held at the Bowden home, which was decorated in pink and aqua. The bridal couple were assisted in receiving guests by their parents. The bride's table was overlaid with a cloth of organdy outlined with floor-length ruffle. It was centered with an arrangement of white gladioli, flanked by white tapers in crystal holders. The three-tiered wedding cake, which was placed on a reflector, was topped with a miniature wedding couple under a wedding bell and orange blossoms. The reflector was encircled with ruffles of pink net decorated with aqua and white lilies of the valley. The attendant's bouquets were used to decorate the buffet.

Mrs. D. O. Lee, aunt of the bride, served cake. Mrs. K. I. Sharpes, also an aunt of the bride, served punch. Miss Jo Ann Blackmon registered guests. Others in the house-party were Meses. Ewell Jones, Cam Blackmon, W. E. Moss, E. P. Talbott, R. W. Talbott, Carl Florence, Walter Bigby; Misses Pat Caudie, Nancy Guynes, Betty Parrish and Margaret Korenek, the last two of San Angelo.

When the couple left for a short wedding trip, the bride was wearing a light blue suit of linen with white accessories and a corsage of white roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Costlett was graduated from North Texas State College, Denton, and taught in the Miles High School last year. While at NTSC, she was a member of Pi Omega Pi and Kappa Delta Pi sororities.

The bridegroom was graduated from A & M College in July with a BA degree in journalism. He was a lieutenant colonel in the corps, as well as public information officer. He was selected for Who's Who for two consecutive years. A member of the Student Life Committee and Memorial Student Center Council, he was

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2

proposing an amendment to Section 49-b, Article III, Constitution of Texas, so that the total amount of bonds or obligations that may be issued by the Veterans' Land Board is increased to One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000); providing for the issuance of said bonds and certain conditions relating thereto and the use of the Veterans' Land Fund; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 49-b, Article III, Constitution of Texas, be amended so that the same will hereafter read as follows:

Section 49-b. There is hereby created a Board to be known as the Veterans' Land Board, which shall be composed of the Governor, the Attorney General, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office. The Veterans' Land Board may issue not to exceed One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the Veterans' Land Fund. Such bonds shall be executed by said Board as an obligation of the State of Texas, in such form, denominations, and upon the terms as are now prescribed by Senate Bill No. 29, Chapter 318 of the Acts of the Fifty-first Legislature (provided, that when the limitation of Twenty-five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000) is used in said Senate Bill No. 29, the same shall hereafter be construed as One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000), or as said Act may be hereafter amended, or by other laws that the Legislature may hereafter enact; provided, however, that said bonds shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three per cent (3%) per annum, and that the same shall be sold for not less than par value and accrued interest.

In the sale of any such bonds, a preferential right of

purchase shall be given to the administrators of the various teacher retirement funds, the Permanent University Funds, and the Permanent School Funds; such bonds to be issued as needed, in the opinion of the Veterans' Land Board.

"The Veterans' Land Fund shall be used by the Board for the sole purpose of purchasing lands suitable for the purpose hereinafter stated, situated in this State, (a) owned by the United States, or any governmental agency thereof; (b) owned by the Texas Prison System, or any other governmental agency of the State of Texas; or (c) owned by any person, firm, or corporation.

"All lands thus purchased shall be acquired at the lowest price obtainable, to be paid for in cash, and shall be a part of the Veterans' Land Fund.

"The lands of the Veterans' Land Fund shall be sold by the State of Texas Veterans of the present war or wars, commonly known as World War II, and to Texas Veterans of service in the armed forces of the United States of America subsequent to 1945, as may be included within this program by legislative act, in such quantities, and on such terms, and at such prices and rates of interest, and under such rules and regulations as are now provided by law, or as may hereafter be provided by law.

"All moneys received and which have not been used for repurchase of land as provided herein by the Veterans' Land Board from the sale of lands and for interest on deferred payments, shall be credited to the Veterans' Land Fund for use in purchasing additional lands to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II, and to

Texas Veterans of service in the armed forces of the United States of America subsequent to 1945, as may be included within this program by legislative act, in like manner as provided for in the sale of lands purchased with the proceeds from the sales of the bonds, provided for herein, for a period ending December 1, 1959; provided, however, that so much of such moneys as may be necessary during the period ending December 1, 1959, to pay principal of and interest on the bonds heretofore issued and on bonds hereafter issued by the Veterans' Land Board shall be set aside for that purpose. After December 1, 1959, all moneys received by the Veterans' Land Board from the sale of the lands and interest on deferred payments, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be set aside for the retirement of said bonds and to pay interest thereon, and any of such moneys not so needed shall not later than the maturity date of the last maturing bond or bonds be deposited to the credit of the General Revenue Fund to be appropriated to such purposes as may be prescribed by law. All bonds issued hereunder shall, after approval by the Attorney General of Texas, registration by the Comptroller of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute obligations of the State under the Constitution of Texas. Of the total One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000) of bonds herein authorized, the sum of Twenty-five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000) has heretofore been issued; said bonds are hereby in all respects validated and declared to be obligations of the State of Texas. This amendment shall become

effective upon its adoption."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held through out the State of Texas on the second Tuesday in November, 1951, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 49-b, Constitution of Texas, for increasing Veterans' Land Fund for the purchase of lands in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II, and to Texas Veterans of service in the armed forces of the United States of America subsequent to 1945."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to Section 49-b, Constitution of Texas, for increasing Veterans' Land Fund for the purchase of lands in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II, and to Texas Veterans of service in the armed forces of the United States of America subsequent to 1945."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective from the date of the determination of such result and the Governor's proclamation thereof.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

9-16-23-30

"I ain't very much, but..."



In the play *Green Pastures*, the character Noah observed, "I ain't very much, but I've all I got." This is simple but eloquent reasoning.

The realization of responsibility to yourself and to others to be cheerful, sympathetic, and helpful is the basis of a sound personality. Ill and disgruntled people are a burden to all. Take good care of yourself. Do not forget that both your family physician and your pharmacist are on your side to help you stay well and happy. All you have to do is ask for their help. When ill, see your physician. We are fully equipped to fill your prescriptions and furnish the needed sickroom supplies.

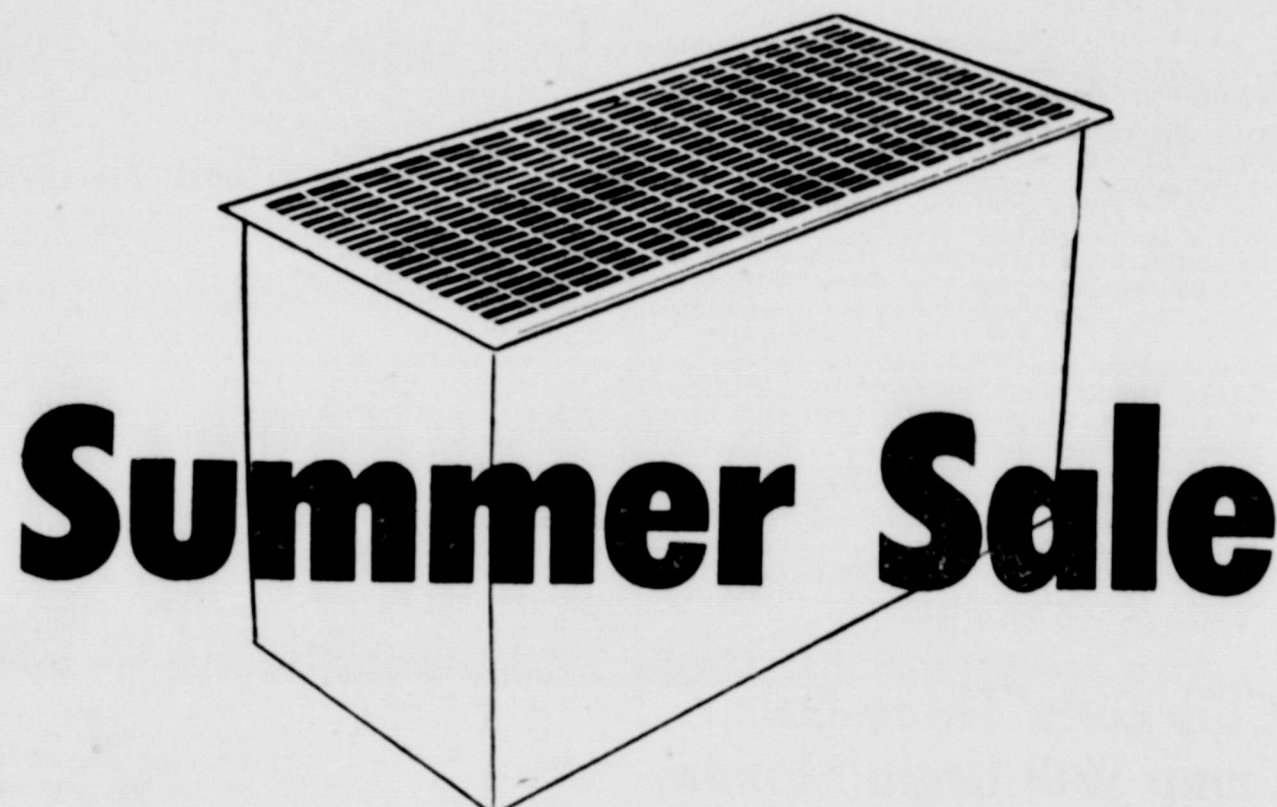
Malone Drug Store

Sandra Feist Feted on Sixth Birthday Anniversary

Sandra Feist was honored on her sixth birthday anniversary Saturday morning when her mother, Mrs. Kenneth Feist, was assisted by the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. Charles Cook, in giving a party for her at the City Park.

After a period of play on the playground equipment, the birthday cake, which was decorated with pink and green florals and topped with six pink candles, was served with ice cream and punch. Favors were suckers with plastic cowboys and bubblegum.

Small guests were: Tommy Selby, Butch Gunyon, Pamela Parish, Carol Freeman, John King, Kay Mansell, Bud Mansell, Kenneth Hilbrey, Ginger Newby, Dina and Sharon Afflerbach, and Charles Feist. Adults were: Mrs. W. N. Selby, Mrs. Chester Afflerbach, Mrs. A. G. Buchanan, and Mrs. George Newby.



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'Take Care of My Little Girl' College Story in Technicolor Has Jeanne Crain

"Take Care of My Little Girl," to be presented at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, August 12, 13, propels onto the screen for the first time the snobbishness of college sorority life. Told against an entertaining college background with a cast peopled by attractive young folk, and photographed in Technicolor, "Take Care of My Little Girl" reveals the controversial aspects of the sorority issue without assuming the pattern of a "problem" picture. Essentially, the new 20th Century-Fox film, which stars Jeanne Crain in her first screen appearance since "Cheaper by the Dozen" well over a year ago, is designed to capitalize on the freshness of its theme while emphasizing the youth and brightness of colorful campus life.

Co-starred are Dale Robertson, rancher turned actor, who here emerges into a male lead; Miltz Gaynor, who burst upon the screen with a delightful glow in the musical, "My Blue Heaven," and Jean Peters, the slim, sleek lovely who actually won her chance via a college popularity contest. Supporting is an array of young faces going places: Jeffrey Hunter, Betty Lynn, Helen Westcott, Lenka Peterson, Carol Brannon, Beverly Dennis, Natalie Schafer, Kathleen Hughes and Peggy O'Connor.

The Valkyries, four-girl trick riding troupe, makes its motion picture debut in Roy Rogers' "Heart of the Rockies," being

shown at the Texas today, tomorrow and Saturday in conjunction with the George Raft starrer, "Lucky Nick Cain." Equestrienne specialists, organized and trained by Whitey Christensen, the girls have been appearing with Roy Rogers and Trigger at their personal appearances. Penny Edwards has the feminine lead and Gordon Jones is the top supporting player. Others in important parts are Ralph Morgan, Fred Graham, Mira McKinney, Pete Kern, William Gould and Foy Willing and the Riders of the Purple Sage.

George Raft, one of the authentic filmland favorites, returns to the screen in the 20th Century-Fox film, "Lucky Nick Cain." Co-starred in the thriller is Coleen Gray, while Greta Gynt, Margot Graham and Enzo Staiola head the supporting company.

JOAN CRAWFORD VEHICLE MID-WEEK ATTRACTION

Joan Crawford follows her succession of outstanding film performances in a comedy role for Warner Bros., "Goodbye, My Fancy," billed at the Texas Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, August 14, 15.

Based on the successful stage play, "Goodbye, My Fancy" tells the story of a famed congresswoman who returns to her alma mater for an honorary degree and while there, learns a few lessons in love.

Robert Young and Frank Lovejoy round out the stellar cast.



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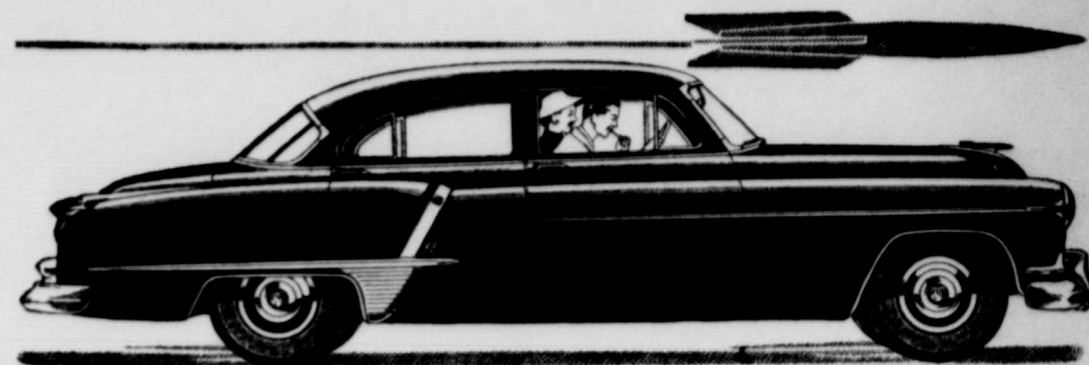
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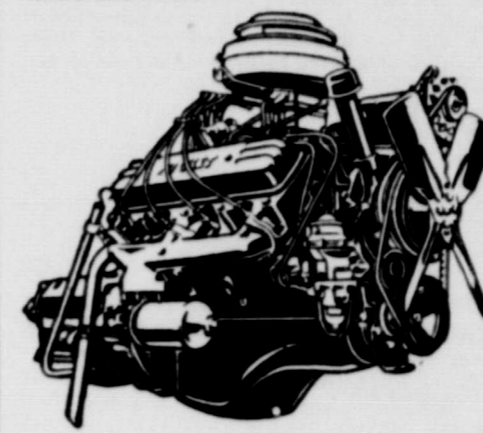
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Bowery Boys Comedy, Esther Williams Aquatic, And Early Day Western Booked at the Hillcrest

Monogram's "Bowery Battalion," to be shown at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday, is the newest in the Bowery Boys comedy series and finds the boys as army recruits who succeed in smashing a spy ring.

The comedy stars Leo Gorcey, with Huntz Hall, Donald MacBride, Virginia Hewitt and Russel Hicks heading the supporting players.

Action, although there is plenty of it right from the start, moves into racing speed when the Bowery Boys, including William Benedict, Buddy Gorman and David Gorcey, reach the spies' foothill hide-out.

The famed sarong has given way to the "pareu," as introduced by lovely swimming star Esther Williams in "Pagan Love Song," M-G-M's song-studded Technicolor romance of Tahiti, which comes to the Hillcrest screen Wednesday and Thursday, August 15, 16. Miss Williams displays her celebrated figure in fourteen different pareus for aquatic sequences of

the picture. Howard Keel, who scored a sensational hit in "Annie Get Your Gun," co-stars with Esther in the tropical musical.

A stirring drama of the early days, when the six-shooter ruled the West, "Bad Men of Tombstone," is the second feature on the same program.

Starring Barry Sullivan, Marjorie Reynolds and Broderick Crawford, "Bad Men of Tombstone" is said to feature thrilling action and an inspiring scenic background in a story in which desperate gunmen threaten the peace and prosperity of the growing West.

Fortunio Bonanova, Guinn "Big Boy" Williams, John Kellogg, Mary Newton, Dennis Hoey, Morris Ankrum and Robert Barrat are the supporting players.

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IN SOCIETY

Mrs. Simpson Entertains Club Members, Other Guests

Mrs. Troy Simpson was hostess to members of the Triplic-Four Contract Club and a group of friends Wednesday at a dessert luncheon in the dining room at the Central Hotel, at which she named her daughter, Mrs. Fred McClanahan, and Mrs. James Williamson honor guests.

Mrs. McClanahan and children, Freddie and Betty, of Shreveport, are visiting in the Simpson home. Mrs. Williamson is making home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn, while Mr. Williamson is in the armed service.

Greeting guests was Mrs. L. R. Tigner. Others in line were Mrs. Simpson, the two honorees, Mrs. Emmett Williamson, mother-in-law of Mrs. James Williamson; and her mother, Mrs. Harry Lynn.

The dining room was decorated with zinnias in soft shades, bouquets of gladioli, and foursome tables were centered with pink and blue daisies. All game appointments were in floral designs.

In games of contract which followed the dessert luncheon, Mrs. Ray Fuqua was awarded both the high guest and traveling prize. The club prize went to Mrs. Alex McGregor, and the bingo awards to Mrs. K. V. Northington and Mrs. W. E. Moss. The hostess presented gifts to the honorees.

Out-of-town party guests were Mrs. Tom Medlin, Mrs. William E. Wingo, of Houston; Mrs. James Baskin, of Lafayette, Louisiana; Mrs. Buddy Hall and Mrs. Jack Bandy McGregor, of San Angelo; Mrs. M. Landreth, of Bryan; and Miss Eugenia Baskin, of Dallas. Other guests were: Mmes.

Harry Lynn, Emmett Williamson, L. R. Tigner, Tom Agnew, Edgar Boelsche, Alex McGregor, Ross Murchison, K. V. Northington, F. M. Pearce, E. W. Stasney, Claude Stone, Delbert Vancil, Ed Curry, Abe Walker, Albert Purifoy, Sam Conner, C. L. Baker, R. T. Williams, Hill Hampton, W. B. Woody, W. K. Wheatly, Ford Taylor, George Newby, W. E. Moss, Earl Barr, Robert Bruce, Buster Parrish, Price Middleton, O. H. Chandler, Orland Middleton, Arthur Giesecke, C. P. Bailey, N. B. Cressy, Q. V. Miller, Estes Lynn, Paul Trimmer, E. C. Grindstaff, W. O. Irby, John Bradley, H. G. Agnew, Guy Swann, C. W. Cheatham, Virginia Nance, George Holman, Ernest Caskey, Melvin Holt, Powell Wear, Jack Nixon, Jr., Arthur Doose, Jr., B. W. Clauch, Felix Ita, Ewell Jones, Bailey Mack, J. O. Satterwhite, Herman Price, J. D. Reneau, Sim Cottelle, Charles Hambrick, Wylie Hearne, Jack Scales, Derward Bissett, H. J. Zappe, R. T. Hall, Charles Webb, Ray Fuqua, Tex Bullock, John Barton, Walter Boswell, Ralph Vancil, E. A. Saunders, A. E.



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Linda Cloninger Feted at Picnic Supper

Late summer flowers and greenery in their natural garden setting provided scenery for a picnic supper in the garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Adair on Tenth Street Monday evening when Midge Adair feted Linda Cloninger with a farewell party. Linda is moving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cloninger, to Gorman.

Wieners were roasted at the grill in the back yard and served with other trimmings, and ice cream.

Close friends attending were Lynn Herring, Jane Wade, Sharon Tuckey, Linda Saylor and Sarah Chandler.

Presbyterian Youth People Enjoy Swim, Picnic

Members of the young people's department of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S., met at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Stasney on Eighth Street Wednesday afternoon, from where they left for an outing at the park in San Angelo.

Mrs. Stasney and Mrs. M. E. Boggess, Sunday school teachers for the department, and Dr. Stasney, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Campbell, Mrs. Josephine Stal-

ings and Bob Northington accompanied the group to San Angelo, where they enjoyed a swim which was followed by a picnic supper.

Those included were: Ann Stasney, Margaret Lou Campbell, Jackie Cook, Louise Miller, Robert Wilson, Dickie Murchison, Michael and Marcia Murchison, Malcolm Hall, Buddie Stasney, Kenneth Ray Wington, Barbara Joiner, Pat Tisdale, Dian Wilson, Lynn and Susan Herring, Ruth Hennigar, Martha Kay Northington, Barbara Medlin, Klen Williams, Dorothy Thomas, Nita Duke, Joyce Wington, Sheila Ann Gregory, Bobby Williams, Maurice Corder, Spike Dykes and Richard Ayers.

SERVING UNCLE SAM

Capt. Seth B. Caperton, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Caperton, of Ballinger, has been awarded a citation for services rendered with the air forces on Okinawa. On the island since October, 1949, he is expected to return to the United States about October 1. His wife is with her parents at Salt Lake City. The citation reads:

"Capt. Seth B. Caperton, Jr., performed meritorious services as officer-in-charge of the base billeting section 6332nd air base group, Okinawa, Ryukus Islands, from 27 June 1950 to 2 Novem-

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ber 1950. As base billeting officer, Capt. Caperton was responsible for the housing of all officers, civilians and airmen. With the advent of the Korean war and the arrival of three bombardment groups on Okinawa the problem of securing housing and bedding for the vast increase in personnel became of paramount importance. He conducted a thorough survey of available facilities, submitted sound recommendations and personally directed the relocation of certain personnel to provide additional space and more effective utilization of available quarters. As each of the bombardment groups arrived, quarters, beds and bedding were available and ready for them, thus eliminating a wasteful delay of time and permitting the groups to immediately begin flying combat missions. Through his initiative, leadership and devotion to duty, Capt. Caperton has brought great credit upon himself and the United States Air Force."

Capt. Leon Reese, formerly manager of the Lintz store in Ballinger and for the past year with the air force at Nashville, Tennessee, was here Wednesday for a visit with friends. Capt. Reese is being transferred to Brooks Field, San Antonio, and will report there for duty next Tuesday.

Pfc Curtis E. Patton is at home on a 15-day leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Patton, of Norton. He is stationed with the 7th tank battalion, fleet marine force, Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, California. His wife is the for-

mer Miss Gladys Hallmark.

Donald C. Lee, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lee, of Norton, and other members of the landing ship, medium rocket, USS 525, can pour 300 rockets onto enemy beaches. The 525 is operating with the United Nations forces off Korea. It is one of 48 modified landing ships and carries 10 automatic rocket launchers, each capable of firing 30 spin-stabilized 4-inch rockets per minute.

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		Lemons	SUNKIST Lb. 14¢				
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		Cabbage	Lb. 5¢				

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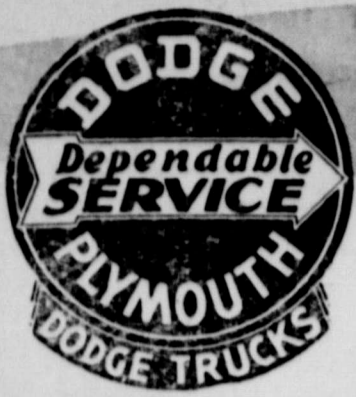
NEWARK BLAST LOOKS LIKE A-BOMB EXPLOSION . . . An aerial view of the spectacular fire in Newark, N. J., as one of the tanks of the Warren Propane Company goes up in an explosion resembles that of a miniature atom bomb. Some of the unexploded gas and oil tanks are in the foreground. All were expected to blow. The city of Newark may be seen behind the smoke pall created by the burning propane. The fire raged for many hours and cost approximately five million dollars. All available Newark fire fighting equipment was put to work to combat the flames and the fighters had to call in helpers from New York City.

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PMA Office Starts Crop Insurance Sign-Up for 1952

Applications are now being received at the Runnels county PMA office for 1952 multiple crop insurance. This federal crop insurance is the only protection of its kind available to farmers.

This insurance provides protection comparable to that which has long been available to business men through private companies and is considered an essential part of business operation.

In 1951, 400 Runnels county farmers had federal crop insurance and with the current outlook for cotton and maize and with wheat and oats already a total loss, it now appears that these producers will collect over \$500,000 in losses from the fed-

eral crop insurance corporation. The dollar value of the insurance coverage has been increased for Runnels county on crops to be harvested in 1952. This increase is due entirely to the increased cost of producing crops and the higher value of the crops when harvested.

The guaranteed return for the four crops to be insured per acre in 1952 is as follows: cotton, \$25, grain sorghums, \$12.50, oats, \$7, wheat \$11.50. This represents at least the investment in the crop and is probably more on some of the crops. Any cotton produced will be figured at 31c per pound, grain sorghums at \$2.10 per hundred, oats at 77c per bushel and wheat at \$2.08 per bushel.

Runnels county producers who are eligible for federal crop insurance can now sign up at the PMA office in Ballinger. Morning glories always close their blossoms before it rains.

Local Jaycees Plan Sports Events and Activities for Fall

Ballinger Jaycees in meeting Monday night voted to repair and repaint trash cans on the sidewalks and have them ready for service again within a few weeks. They started Tuesday gathering the cans and as soon as they have been reworked they will be set up on the main streets again.

The membership gave unanimous endorsement to the proposed swimming pool and offered help in the bond election.

They also made plans for a golf tournament of out-of-town Jaycees to be held in the near future at the Ballinger Country Club. The local club will take care of all green fees and look after qualifications



NATIONAL GUARDSMEN FIGHT RIOTERS . . . Five hundred national guardsmen, their clips loaded and bayonets fixed, took on a mob of 8,000 civilians recently at an apartment building in Cicero, Ill., into which a negro war veteran had sought to move his family. Bricks, bottles and magnesium flares flew through the air. Although no shots were fired, 18 persons were injured and required medical care. Here, crowd surges in on national guardsmen as one soldier grapples to get back bayoneted rifle and companion in Jeep radios for help. Cicero is a white section of Chicago, until now uninhabited by other than whites.

and pairings. Definite plans were made for handling the state softball tournament for girls, which started at Cat Park Tuesday night. These games will continue through tomorrow (Friday) night, the four teams playing a double elimination schedule. Jaycees were assigned for the concessions, tickets, grounds and other details.

3 Runnels County Youths in August Induction Quota

The Coleman-Runnels selective service board will call six men to report for induction into the army on August 14. This is the first quota for this board in several months. Those from Runnels county included in the call are:

Floyd B. Frierich, Rowena R. C. Kurtz, Winters Ben Franklin Thornton, Miles.

The next induction call from the two-county board will be on September 13. The 18-year-olds registered in this county during September were:

Jack E. Feucher, Ballinger Fred P. Giles, Winters Arnold W. Eggemeyer, Ballinger Jesse P. Merrifield, Ballinger Albert Bailey Jonas, Winters Joe Albert Vancil, Hatchel William Roy Davenport, Ballinger Wilbert H. Hoelscher, Rowena James A. Block, Ballinger Erroy T. Payne, Ballinger Nolan A. Key, Winters Fred W. Dahmann, Ballinger Grayum S. Hart, Ballinger Harold C. Franke, Rowena Lester M. Stanley, Ballinger Calvin D. Keel, Ballinger Troy L. McAllister, Ballinger Marlin D. Lee, Maverick.

Major and Mrs. John Kuznicki were guests in the home of Mrs. Kuznicki's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Adair, this week. Major Kuznicki has been stationed with the 5th army in Chicago, and is being transferred to Fort Bliss at El Paso.

The age of a round clam can be calculated by counting the rings on it.

Heavy Water Use Reported by City

City water consumption started climbing Thursday of last week and Saturday and Sunday reached the total of 1,440,000 gallons daily.

E. E. Harris, water superintendent, said Monday that settling basins at the Elm Creek plant were being cleaned and made ready for service. Pumping was stopped after the last rain when daily consumption decreased until pumping facilities at the Valley Creek lake would take care of requirements.

The new lake and facilities will supply about 1,500,000 gallons daily running at full capacity. When consumption is higher it is necessary to pump from the Elm Creek lake. So far this year the peak has been about 1,800,000 gallons per day which required about 300,000 gallons to be pumped from the old lake.

During the current heat wave, city officials expect irrigation to increase until both plants will have to be put in full service.

MARINE RECRUITER TO BE HERE TUESDAY, AUGUST 14

Sgt. Jack Harmon, recruiting agent for the marines, will be in the Ballinger postoffice on the afternoon of August 14 to screen men for enlistment in this branch of service.

Harmon states that he will consider enlistments from any men of military age, but stressed particularly that men who have been examined and found acceptable for the draft may still enlist. Those who are 17 years old must have parents or guardian's consent to join. Men registered with the draft boards need no consent.

The title "admiral" comes from the words "amir al bahr" meaning "ruler of the sea."

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resulted in a \$20,000 sale. The market was steady to strong during the buying period.

Fat calves brought 34 cents, lambs 28½ cents and cows, stocker calves and ewes sold at high prices. There were 75 head of cattle and 300 sheep put through the ring.

Another sale will be held next Tuesday and livestock producers are urged to try the local market for their surplus.

COUNTY COURT HEARS A NUMBER OF CASES

A regular session of county court was held Monday morning and there were a number of cases on the docket.

D. D. McClelland entered a plea of guilty on a theft complaint in which less than \$50 was involved. He was fined \$25 and costs.

The \$500 bond of Jack Brown, charged with theft of less than \$50, was forfeited when he failed to appear for trial.

Several cases were dismissed which had been on the docket for some time.

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DEATHS

Dave Poindexter
Dave Poindexter, 56, retired farmer and resident of Ballinger since 1940, died at his home Wednesday afternoon.

A native of Arkansas, decedent came to Texas as a boy with his parents, settling in Callahan county, where he lived until coming to this county 11 years ago.

The body was taken to Oplin, Callahan county, where funeral services are to be held this (Thursday) afternoon at 4:00 o'clock Newby-Davis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors besides the wife include six sons, Pete, Bob and Joe Poindexter, Ballinger; J. W. Poindexter, Lubbock; T. J. Poindexter, Winters; Howard Poindexter, Abilene; three daughters, Miss Nell Poindexter, Ballinger; Mrs. Dorothy Jenkins, San Angelo; Mrs. Florence Fowler, Big Spring; eight brothers, four sisters and twelve grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lukarski, of Kenosha, Wisconsin, are the parents of a daughter, who has been named Patricia Ann. Mrs. Lukarski is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cavanaugh. Mrs. Cavanaugh will leave Saturday to be with her daughter and new granddaughter.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients dismissed from the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week included:

Jack Bingham, medical, Saturday
L. S. Evans, Norton, medical, last Thursday
Mrs. G. A. Frey, surgical, yesterday
Jack Jones, surgical, yesterday
Billy Jones, surgical, yesterday
Mrs. M. T. Underwood, Iran, medical, yesterday
Mrs. Roy Malone and son, Monday.

Births recorded at the clinic the past week are as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Lange, Rowena, a daughter, Saturday
Mr. and Mrs. Gary Simpson, Winters, a daughter, Monday
Mr. and Mrs. Erlene Frison, a daughter, Saturday
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Joiner, Paint Rock, a daughter, yesterday
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Graves, a daughter, yesterday.

Patients receiving treatment are as follows:

Mrs. Cassie Mobley, medical
Mrs. A. C. Newsum, surgical
D. E. Bartlett, Winters, broken hip
Mrs. Delbert Vancil, medical
Mrs. Cone Robinson, Norton, surgical
R. B. Boyles, car crash injuries
Mrs. T. J. Forney, medical
Mrs. R. W. Miller, surgical
Mrs. E. Shepperd, surgical
Mrs. J. P. Brevard, Taipa, medical
Douglas Mosier, medical
Mrs. Rex Brads haw, Paint Rock, medical.

Paper clips at Ledger office.



LONDON GUEST FACES INDICTMENT . . . The lord mayor of London, Sir Denys Lawson (robed), greets Mayor David Lawrence of Pittsburgh (left) in London. Mayor Lawrence was one of the many mayors from various U.S. cities who were entertained at London's Mansion House. Back home, a special grand jury recommended indictment of Mayor Lawrence, charging him with misdemeanor in office. The lord mayor's wife stands beside her husband, Sir Denys.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES

The question of whether Ballinger will have a swimming pool is now up to the citizens. In petitions to the city commission, 71 people signed their names asking that an election be called for the purpose of authorizing bonds to be spent on the construction of a modern pool. This made it compulsory that the commission submit the issue to the voters and a bond house representative was called to arrange for the election notice. While details as to location, exact size and other items have not been settled, a committee of citizens and a representation of young people will be asked to assist the commission in its decisions. Every eligible voter is asked to go to the polls and express an opinion.

Runnels county people, living in a drought stricken region, are being called upon to help flood victims along the Missouri and Mississippi rivers. People of this section have shown their desire to help those who are in worse circumstances and their contributions so far have been substantial. With a quota of \$1,000 set for this county, Red Cross officials believe the full amount will be raised and it will be sent to the flood district as soon as possible. Surveys show 198,000 wiped out by the floods, thousands being fed three meals daily in soup lines and many other thousands being provided shelter. Rehabilitation will continue several

months until all who lost homes have been assisted in rebuilding.

It is now less than a month until the back-to-school movement will get underway. The fall semester of the Ballinger schools will begin September 4 and the enrollment is expected to be very heavy. Buildings will be ready except possibly the new lunch room for the junior high school. The faculty is about complete and class work and extra campus activities will get underway without loss of time. First of the extra activities will be fall football training for the senior and junior high boys. Fast conditioning will have to be given to have the squads ready for the first games of the 1951 season.

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A wildcat oil well was started in Concho county on August 1. The location is on the Lyle Mosley place, south of the Winkle Crossing on the Concho River. Water lines were tied in last week and contractors Warren & Luttrale were rigging up and getting ready to start drilling. Ralph O. Brown and W. F. Stones leased the Mosley land some months ago and have been working for a drilling contract.

The building committee of the Bronie Methodist Church has announced that the new church will be completed by September 1. Bricklayers will complete their part of the work within a short time and practically all other work is finished. To cost approximately \$30,000, the building will contain an auditorium and educational department. Rev. J. M. Fuller pastor, is preparing for the opening.

About 200 people were present Sunday, July 26, when the Rowena Woodmen of the World lodge entertained with their annual barbecue. The meeting was held on the Wilburn Bailey Ranch on the Concho River. Bob Kirk, of Littlefield, national service committeeman, was the principal speaker and C. L. Sinclair, district manager, was master of ceremonies. Rowena members and their families and San Angelo members and their families made up the gathering.

Tax payers in the Winters independent school district are offered a 1 per cent discount on their current taxes if paid during August. This action was taken by the board in a recent meeting and it is believed large property owner will take advantage of the saving offered. Opening date of the next term is September 4. Supt. I. L. Lasser announced. Several vacancies remain on the faculty.

Directors of the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce met last week to plan the 1951 free fall fair. A large number were of the opinion that no fair should be held this year because of continued dry weather and no unusual exhibits being available in the area served by the fair. The decision was postponed until directors have time to contact agricultural people

of the section and local business men.

Eastland is all set for the annual Old Rip Horned Frog Derby tomorrow and Saturday. Committees have lined up a two-day program which will be highly entertaining. The 70-piece Fort Hood band with color guard will be a feature attraction. On the second day Bewley's Chuck Wagon Gang will furnish music. Square dancing, coronation of the queen and a speech by Congressman Omar Burleson will highlight the program.

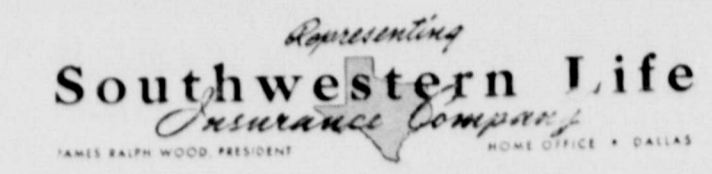
The Brownwood Junior Chamber of Commerce has announced the booking of three Broadway productions to be presented in the fall and winter. All shows will be staged at the high school auditorium on a season ticket basis. They include "Heaven Can Wait," "Voice of the Turtle" and "Darkness at Noon." Jaycees have planned an intensive campaign to sell all seats in the auditorium.

The C. H. Harrison Construction Co. was low bidder on a proposed overpass east of Comanche on highway 36. The bid accepted was for \$88,917 and it was announced that work should get underway within a month, 150 working days being allowed for completion. The overpass will eliminate all sharp curves approaching the railroad.

Coleman citizens took the city council at its word when it lowered water rates for summer irrigation and consumption soared more than 35 per cent. It is the first time in five years that Coleman people have been relieved of at least moral restrictions on the use of city water. Meter readings revealed that some people consumed more than 50,000, a number 40,000 and many 20,000 gallons during the past month. The council set the property tax Angelo for the dedication of the new dam on North Concho River Sunday afternoon, September 16. Loud speakers will be arranged on the downstream side of the dam at the outlet works. The San Angelo group will join officials of the Upper Colorado River Authority in a

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A state charter has been granted Texans, Inc., at Bangs. The new firm will manufacture pottery and ceramics and also make lamp bases. The company has a new 100 by 120 foot building under construction which will be completed by September 1. The incorporation is for \$100,000, fully paid. Materials have been received at the 10-acre site on the Santa Fe siding in East Bangs.
Plans are being made at San Antonio and dinner for the lawmakers, engineers and other government officials who will be honor guests at the dam completion ceremonies. Final details of the program are being worked out by army engineers, national and state officials.
Remodeling of the Citizens' State Bank of Miles is underway to increase working space and afford a modern appearance. Low partitions of marble, walnut and glass will replace the older type high fixtures and asphalt flooring will be installed throughout. The installation, being done by the Modern Store Front Co., of Austin, will be completed within a few days.
Water Superintendent Carl Deans reports that the Melvin city well shows no signs of weakening although more than 2,000,000 gallons of water were pumped from it the past month. During the same period, also

more than 325,000 gallons were trucked out of town for people in rural sections. Samples of the water are sent regularly to the state health department and analyses have always shown it free of contamination.
At the 17th annual meeting of the Stephenville Production Credit Association on August 1, 1,300 members and their families were present. Discussions by officials gave a clear idea of how they wanted the organization operated. The program and business session were held in the recreation center and a barbecue dinner was served.
About 500 people assembled at Menard Wednesday of last week to honor 4-H club members and past members, parents and county agents who have brought many awards to the county. John Ben Shepperd, secretary of state, the principal speaker, warned against international communism. Certificates were presented all present and past 4-H club members by the Menard Chamber of Commerce.

AN ORDINANCE
of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, authorizing the Mayor to execute an Oil and Gas Lease with the recognized highest bidder on described land owned by the City of Ballinger, Texas:
WHEREAS, by ordinance duly passed and adopted on July 9, 1951, the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, authorized and directed the

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City Secretary to advertise for bids on an oil and gas lease on the herein described land, and to receive said bids until 9:30 a. m. of July 30, 1951, complying in all respects with the proper legal procedure, and
WHEREAS, said City Secretary did advertise for bids as directed, and said bids were received until 9:30 a. m. of July 30, 1951; and
WHEREAS, said bids were then duly opened by the City Commission in open session, and Jno. H. Castor of Ballinger, Texas, was found to be the highest bidder, with a bid of \$2,498.47;
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, that the Mayor of said City of Ballinger, Texas, J. W. Moore, is hereby authorized and directed to execute an oil and gas lease with the said Jno. H. Castor for a primary term of seven years for the above stated consideration, providing for payment of delay rentals of \$1.00 per acre per year, on the customary Producers "88" Oil and Gas Lease Form, and the City Secretary is directed to attest the same and affix the corporate seal of the City of Ballinger, Texas, thereto, said oil and gas lease to be on the following described land in Runnels County, Texas, to wit:
192.19 acres of land out of block E of the Thom. Largent survey No. 366, Abst. No. 357, the F. Mancha Survey No. 12, Abst. No. 901, the E. F. Mitchell Survey No. 365 1/4, Abst. No. 382, the J. M. Caldwell Survey No. 367, Abst. No. 71, the Thom. Largent Survey No. 366, Abst. No. 357, and the same being land owned by the City of Ballinger, Texas, adjacent to and in the immediate vicinity of the old Elm Creek Reservoir.
Passed and adopted in regular session of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, this 30th day of July, 1951.
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PROMOTES BEEF STRIKE . . . Mrs. Louis Wright, Washington, D.C., whose indignation over high beef prices sounded an Independence Day battle cry—"Let the steers grow old"—serves chicken to her son, Louis, as her telephone chain letter consumers' strike against beef gains momentum. She called 19 women and pledged them not to buy any beef during July. Each in turn pledged to obtain 10 similar pledges from 19 others. The Wrights haven't eaten beef in a month.

Rev. Bill Shira, of West, is helping with the music during the revival at the Methodist Church.

BOY SCOUT TROOP NO. 42 ENJOYS OVERNIGHT HIKE

During July Boy Scout troop 42 carried on a full program of work, despite the heat, and completed training which will give merit badges to a number of members.

One overnight hike was held in order to get in some extra swimming requirements and make scouts eligible for merit badges. In order to find a suitable swimming place, the group went to the Tom Egan farm on the Colorado River.

The first afternoon consisted of pitching camp and a swim period at which the scoutmaster gave instructions in which several passed the tests. The second day was devoted to a broad field game after which another swim period was held.

As usual each boy prepared his own meals under the leadership of the patrol leader, Wayne Johnson was acting senior patrol leader in the absence of Jimmie Williams, and was in charge of the overall program.

The following members attended the overnight meeting: Billy Crockett, Dale Elder, Bobby Black, Paul Haitmann, Rowell Leggett, Wayne Johnson,

Ronald Maedgen, Louis Rollwitz, James Buskemper, Bill Maedgen, Wayne Watkins, William E. Robinson, Nolan Hoelscher, Paul Carlile, John Kotrlak, and Rev. Edward B. Postert, O. M. I., scoutmaster.

Mrs. J. D. McNutt returned home last Thursday from Kenney, where she had been visiting for some time. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Ruth Klahn and son, Frank.

Robert Holliday and Bill Ueckert returned home Monday from Lubbock, after accompanying Jimmy Williams there Sunday. Jimmy is enrolled at Texas Technological College.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Erwin returned the past week-end from a short vacation spent at San Antonio.

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CREWS

A revival began at the Methodist Church last Friday night with the pastor doing the preaching. Good crowds have heard some very spiritual messages.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth and sons visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Armol Tounget, and husband, of Lubbock, the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Dial and children, of Muroc, California, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phipps, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hambright and children and Dixon Phillips attended the Polk reunion at Abilene State Park Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Burson were Sunday visitors in the W. C. Mathis home.

Among the visitors at the

Methodist church Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brandon, of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cox, of Talpa; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Baker and children, of Lubbock.

Bennie Hambright underwent surgery at the Winters hospital Tuesday of last week, and is reported to be doing nicely at his home.

Sunday visitors in the Jim Phipps home were: Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wood and family, Eldon Hambright, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Phipps and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Dial and family.

Mrs. Inez Brookshier visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark, of Ballinger, Monday.

Visitors in the Arthur Alcorn home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Noel Hale, of Talpa; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Alcorn.

Mrs. R. E. Burrus visited her granddaughter, Mrs. Laverne Huffman, of Brownwood, Monday.

Mike Boatright has accepted a position as teacher in the Christoval school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Traylor visited her brother, Jimmie Lucas and family, of Midland.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Schoenrock and family visited her brother, Rev. and Mrs. J. V. Vestal, and family, of Irving.

Mrs. Ola Miller, of Sweetwater, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. E. Burrus.

Mr. and Mrs. Obed Fuller and daughter have returned from Denver, Colorado, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Demoro.

Rev. Sharp, pastor of the Drasco Methodist Church, attended church here Saturday night.

Mrs. Obed Fuller underwent surgery at Shannon Hospital, San Angelo, Wednesday of this week. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Monday night visitors at church included Mrs. Vera Power, Misses Eva Jo Payne, Sue Hampton and Evelyn Ray, of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Neely Collie, of San Angelo, visited his mother, Mrs. G. W. Harper, and Mr. Harper, Sunday night.



GREASY THUMB'S SON . . . Charles Guzik, son of reputed gang boss, Jake, sneaks into Chicago with a handkerchief over his face and a snarl for reporters after release from Phoenix jail on \$87,500 bond on vice den charges.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Price Hostess at Bridge
Mrs. Herman Price was hostess at an afternoon bridge party Friday afternoon, entertaining in her home on Fifth Street.

Arrangements of gold and bronze dahlias and yellow zinnias were used for decorations about party rooms where games of contract were played. Mrs. W. K. Wheatly won high score price; Mrs. A. J. Thorp, second; and bingo awards went to Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff and Mrs. Ted Tisdale.

A salad plate was served with iced tea. Others were: Mmes. Sam Conner, Tom Agnew, E. W. Stasney, Walter Moss, Frank Thomas, George Newby, Guy Radley, Ernest Caskey, Albert E. Kitchens, H. G. Agnew, J. O. Satterwhite, Edgar Boelsche, E. A. Sommer, Walter Presson, Mack Hartgrove of Paint Rock, Curtis Bryan of San Angelo. Mrs. C. F. Bailey was a tea guest.

Civic-Garden Club to Meet August 14

Mrs. Elmer Shepperd will be in charge of the business when the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club meets for their regular meeting on Tuesday, August 14, in the club room on Eighth Street.

Mrs. Ernest Cezeaux will be program leader, and Mrs. Max McCrary will talk on "Rose Growing."

Ballingerites to Attend Ashram at Kerrville

The Southwestern Ashram will be held at Mount Wesley Encampment at Kerrville on August 8 and continue through August 15. Mrs. C. F. Bailey will be the hostess for the meeting, and the faculty is composed of E. Stanley Jones of India, John Biegeleison of Eden Theological Seminary in St. Louis, Eugene Blake Smith, Baptist minister of Austin, and Glenn Johnson of Dallas will direct the music. Joseph M. Connolly of McKinney is camp director.

Others attending the Ashram besides Mrs. Bailey will be her daughter, Sally, Messrs. and Mmes. Sam Behringer, Herman

Wins General Electric Refrigerator



Mrs. W. J. Eggeneyer, Ballinger, Route 1, was recently awarded a GE refrigerator in the modern appliance contest held by the company through the Ballinger Appliance & Electric Shop. The picture above shows Buster Parrish making the award at the close of the contest on July 26.

Price and children. Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, Mrs. J. W. Longnette, Mrs. J. F. Currie, Mrs. Ed Curry and children, Mrs. M. A. Foy, Mrs. Marvin Clark and Miss Bonnie Clark.

Mrs. Cox Hostess at Meeting of Needle, Thimble Club

Bouquets of zinnias and other garden flowers were used for decorations in the Douglas Cox home on Tenth Street when Mrs. Cox entertained members of the Needle and Thimble Club last Friday afternoon.

After the usual period of handwork, the hostess served a sandwich plate with coca colas. Mrs. Dillard Adair, of Dublin, was a visitor, and others were: Mmes. Caleb Brown, Jack Chisholm, M. A. Davidson, Ira Fundenburk, France Jones, Fred Moncrief, and Elliott Kemp.

Mrs. Erwin Compliments Ex-Ballingerites

Mrs. R. G. Erwin was hostess to her sewing club Tuesday afternoon and named Mrs. William Wingo, of Houston, who is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. V. Mil-

ler, Mrs. Fred McClanahan, of Shreveport, and Mrs. James Williamson, honor guests.

The Erwin home on Seventh Street was given added beauty by bouquets of zinnias in multi-shades where an informal affair was held and individual handwork was the diversion.

The hostess served orange cake and fruited punch. Others present were: Mmes. Charles F. Bailey, Estes Lynn, Paul Trimmer, Harry Lynn, Q. V. Miller, F. M. Pearce, Bruce Creasy, H. W. Lynn, Troy Simpson, and Miss Marryatt Smith.

Austin Visitor Paid Compliment at Garden Party

Charlene New, of Austin, house guest of her uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Boelsche, was complimented with a garden party at the Boelsche home in Wilke Terrace Tuesday afternoon.

Added to the natural beauty of the garden were baskets and arrangements of late summer blossoms, where Mrs. Boelsche directed seated games and contests. The feature attraction for the party was a fishing game

at which all small guests were presented a remembrance souvenir.

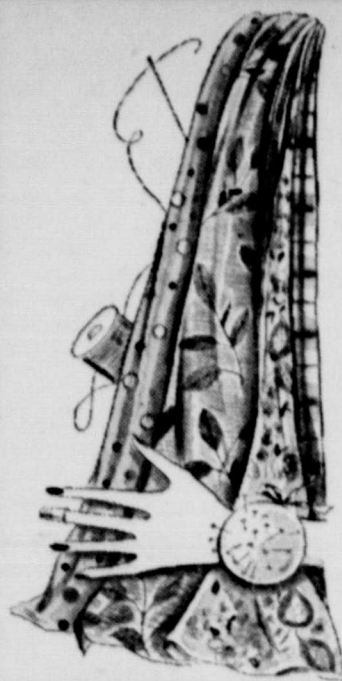
An ice cream plate was served to fifteen guests. An out-of-town guest was Freddie McClanahan, of Shreveport, Louisiana.

ALL MEMBERS ASKED TO BUREAU BARBECUE

Ben Frerich, president of the Runnels County Farm Bureau, has announced that if any members failed to receive an invitation card, they are urged to attend the barbecue at 4 p. m. on August 14. The program will start promptly at 4 o'clock and the barbecue dinner will follow.

Farmers and ranchmen throughout Runnels county interested in learning more about the objectives and aims of the Bureau, are most welcome. Tickets may be purchased from directors or at the dinner at 50c each.

Those who plan to attend are asked to mail a postcard to the Farm Bureau, Ballinger, stating the number in the party. This will permit preparation for the



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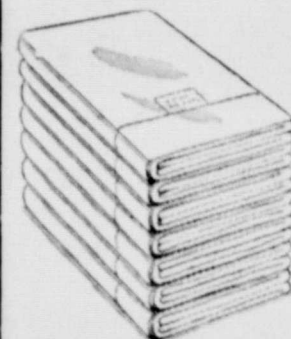
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Capt. and Mrs. Clark Koller and daughter, Linda, left Tuesday for Wichita, Kansas, where Capt. Koller will be an instructor on B-47 planes.

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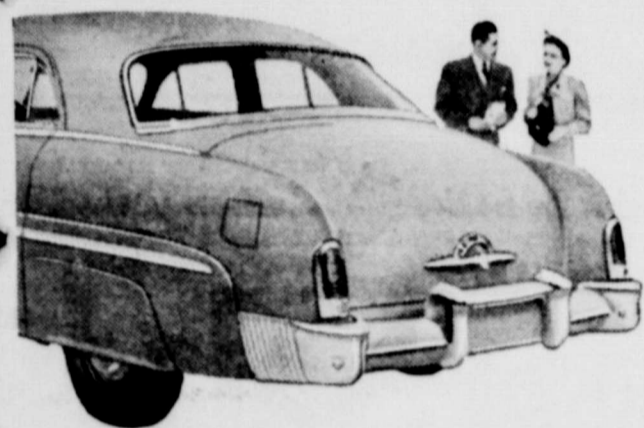
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'Operation Pacific,' 'Wagon Wheels,' 'Show Boat,' Hope Film to Horseshoe

The great undersea war which raged in the Pacific, bitter encounters between American submarines and enemy surface craft are portrayed in Warner Bros. submarine epic, "Operation Pacific," to be shown at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday in conjunction with "Wagon Wheels," starring Randolph Scott.

Co-starring John Wayne and Patricia Neal, "Operation Pacific" provides Wayne with the kind of action role he does best. For Miss Neal, the film serves as a change of pace from her "bad girl" roles. She is seen as a navy nurse in love with a sub commander whose devotion to submarines nearly puts his love for Pat up on a reef. Ward Bond and Scott Forbes head the supporting players who also include William Campbell, Philip Carey and Katherine Givney.

Ten song numbers are offered in the brilliant musical score of "Show Boat." M-G-M's Technicolor production of the immortal musical play by Jerome Kern and Oscar Hammerstein, II, and to be presented at the Horseshoe next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, August 12, 13, 14.

Kathryn Grayson and Howard Keel duet in "Make Believe," "You are Love" and "Why Do I Love You," with Miss Grayson singing "After the Ball" and Keel soloing in "Gambler's Song." Ava Gardner, third star of the film, sings "Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man" and "Bill." The dancing team of Marge and Gower Champion do two song-and-dance routines to "I Might Fall Back on You" and "Life upon the Wicked Stage."

Joe E. Brown, Robert Sterling and Agnes Moorehead have prominent supporting roles in "Show Boat."

are hilariously wrecked by a cracked-brained news hound and his able girl assistant in Samuel Goldwyn's "They Got Me Covered," starring Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour and to be shown at the Horseshoe next Wednesday and Thursday, August 15, 16.

The plot revolves around the hunt for daring enemy spies operating behind the mask of a smart beauty salon in Washington. The exciting complications which develop when Hope and Miss Lamour stumble over their trail and try to turn it into a news beat, provide tense action, riotous comedy and breath-taking action.

The RKO Radio re-release has an outstanding supporting company, including Lenore Aubert, Otto Preminger, Edward Clannell, Marion Matrin and Donald Meek.

On Wednesday night, August 15, the merchants' quiz show is to be presented at the Horseshoe.

Winters Pastor Guest Speaker At Club Meeting

Rev. B. T. Shoemaker, Winters Baptist pastor, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Ballinger Lions Club Friday noon. He took for his subject "Trouble" and pointed to the attitude in which troubles should be met.

The speaker dispensed much humor in his talk and mixed this with a few serious thoughts which drove home the main message.

At a directors' meeting plans were made for assistance to the Red Cross in flood relief work, the swimming pool bond

election was talked and tentative plans made for the annual minstrel show to be held in November.

"Ladies Night"

Announcement was made that "ladies night" will be held on August 31, when John Ben Shepperd, secretary of state, will be the main speaker. Mr. Shepperd is one of the most popular speakers in the state and the date was set to meet his convenience.

Crews Ex-Students Will Hold Reunion Sunday, August 12

A reunion of Crews school students will be held on Sunday, August 12, the program to be presented in the gymnasium. A picnic dinner will be served at the noon hour.

Sam Faubion is president of the ex-students' organization and Mrs. Marion Wood is secretary. The program committee is composed of Marion Wood, Noble Faubion and Mrs. Dave Crim.

In the afternoon a business session will be held, former students recognized and a program presented.

Mrs. Wood is sending letters to all ex-students, inviting them to the 1951 meeting. More than 300 registered for the 1950 meeting and even larger attendance is expected this year.

PRESBYTERIANS WILL HAVE ONLY 2 SERVICES IN AUGUST

The First Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., will have only two worship services in August. These will be held next Sunday when the pastor, Rev. A. O. Rue, will speak on "The Urgency of the Kingdom" at 11:00 a. m. This service also will be broadcast.

Announcements will be made of the plans for work during the fall. All members are urged to attend the services Sunday.

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CITY ACCEPTS BID
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The city commission in ses-
sion Monday accepted the bid
of the Morgan Motor Co. for a
police car. The car will be
delivered here within about 30
days and will replace one that
is now in use.

Mayor Bill Moore was not
present at the meeting Monday,
having been called to Temple
to be at the bedside of Mrs.
Moore's father, who is seriously
ill. Other business was post-
poned until the next meeting.

RADIO STATION KRUN OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY

Radio station KRUN observed
its fourth anniversary in Bal-
linger with a special program
Tuesday afternoon in which a
number of former announcers
and employees were heard.

Jimmy Isaacs, first program
director of the station, now a
student at Abilene, was heard
in the first program broadcast
by the station. A transcribed
program by Gordon Guest, now
of Hillsboro, was presented,
and Jack Moore, former news-
caster, gave a 5-minute news
spot as it was on the first day
of the studio's opening.

Others heard on the anniver-
sary program included the
owner, R. E. Bruce; Dub Kelly,
Jim DeLong, Bob McGarvey,
Orland Sims, Helen Hampton,
Deanie Smith, John Line, Teddy
Jo Line and Mort Gorman.

The personnel and their
families enjoyed a chicken bar-
becue in city park in the eve-
ning.
Max Strother has returned
from a vacation trip to Wash-
ington, D. C., New York and
other points of interest in the
East.

Mrs. Stanley Hunicutt and



TIME OUT FOR CHOW... Vice Admiral Turner C. Joy (left), head of the United Nations delegation at the truce talks in Kaesong, and Major General Henry I. Hodes pass an armed Communist Korean guard on their way for chow during a recess in the truce meetings. Note marked hostility on guard's face. The big point that was holding up negotiations at this time was the question of removal of foreign troops from Korea. The North Koreans and the Peiping radio were asking complete withdrawal of all foreign forces from the war torn land and a dividing between north and south at the 38th parallel and a buffer zone.

son, Bobby Joe, of San Antonio, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clark, of Ballinger, spent the past week-end with Elwood Wilson, of Winters; and



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Rippling gabardine coats with snugly cuffed melon sleeves or popular wide sleeves feature distinctive new back details that make them fit and look much more expensive than their modest price. Red . . . gray . . . brown . . . green. LAYAWAY YOUR COAT OR SUIT NOW WITH A SMALL DOWN PAYMENT . . . Have it paid for before the First Northerly Blows.

Two-Tone Loafer Coats \$19.95

- Gray and Saddle
- Gray and Maroon
- Solid Maroon

Well tailored gabardine loafer coats feature generous pockets and satin linings. Include one in your back-to-college wardrobe . . . and get it now!

"Haggard" Dress Pants \$6.95 to \$17.95



Fine wool fabrics, tailored on dress-suit lines, offer attractive patterns and shadings to wear with sport coats or slip-overs. See our complete selection and add several to lengthen the life of your suit.

Super Values IN HOUSEHOLD LINENS!

Jewel-Tone Cannon Bath Towels

EXTRA LARGE—25 x 46

\$1.49

Extra large Cannon towels, absorbent as a blotter! Some are in brocaded patterns; all have woven borders.

- Blue
- Periwinkle
- Canary
- Jade
- Wine
- White

MAN-SIZE—20 x 40

79c

Velvety towels in popular weight are finished with woven, self-color border designs. Choose from

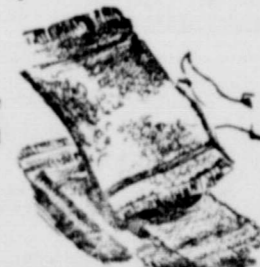
- Coral
- Nile
- Canary Yellow
- Blue
- Gray
- Pink



Bath Cloths

12 x 12 inch bath cloths to match the above towels, with the same woven borders; priced each

25c and 39c



Terry Guest Towels

11 x 18 inch Terry hand or guest towels to match the above bath towels; finished with fringed ends.

25c

Sheets to Take to College or Use at Home

TWIN SIZE:

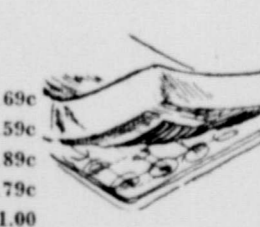
72 x 99 Cannon Cadet Sheets, each	\$2.79
72 x 88 Piquot White Sheets, each	\$3.19
72 x 108 Colored Sheets, each	\$3.79

DOUBLE SIZE:

81 x 108 Type 128 Sheets, each	2.98
81 x 108 Cannon Cadet Sheets, each	\$3.19
81 x 108 Percale Sheets, each	\$3.98
81 x 108 Colored Percale Sheets, each	\$4.49

Pillow Cases

42 x 36 Cannon Cadet Cases, each	69c
42 x 36 Type 128 Cases, each	59c
42 x 36 Percale Pillow Cases, each	89c
42 x 36 Piquot Pillow Cases, each	79c
42 x 36 Colored Pillow Cases, each	\$1.00



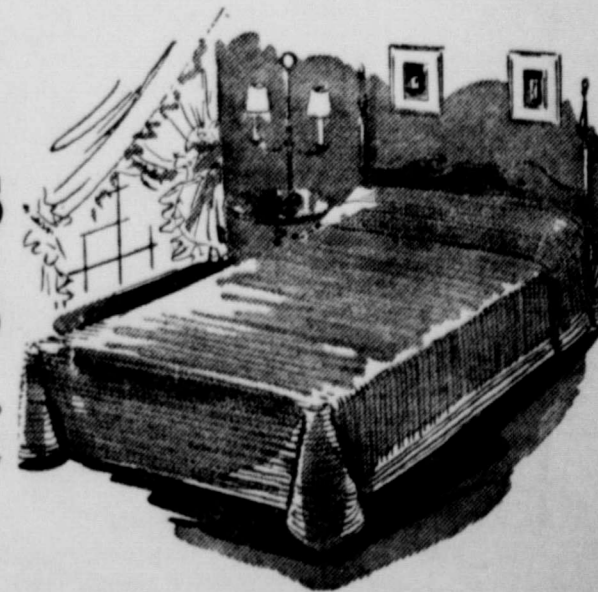
Contour Sheets

PACIFIC, Twin-Size Contour Sheets, each	\$3.49
PACIFIC, Double Bed Size Contour Sheets, each	\$3.98

Rayon Corduroy CHENILLE SPREADS \$9.95

Full-Bed Size

Lustrous close-stitched chenille spreads that will lend beauty to home or college room; popular shades of green . . . canary yellow . . . coral . . . aqua.



Woven Spreads for Beds at College \$6.95 to \$9.95

Durable woven spreads to take lots of hard wear and many trips to the laundry, offer a wide variety of conventional and novelty designs in color combinations to suit any color scheme. Full bed size (81 x 110)

Teena Paige Dresses

—You Saw it in "SEVENTEEN"

\$8.88 to \$10.88

- Plaid Gingham
- Broadcloth Combinations
- Linen and Pique Trims

Pictured here is Teena Paige's exclusive Dan River colorfast wrinkle-shed woven cotton plaid with wide picolay collar, short, cuffed sleeves and bold, cuffed patch-pockets. The bodice is bias cut for perfect fit. The skirt has the new deep front pleats. Try it on—and see the other becoming new styles that have just arrived! Sizes 7 to 13.



"Skippies" by Formfit

light as a feather, flattering as a dream!

You're gloriously sleek 'n' free in a "Skippies" girdle or panty! For they give you the gentle hint of control you need, plus a world of freedom. Made exactly as you slimsters like 'em . . . feather-light and action-right . . . without heavy bones. They're soft, tubbable, quick-drying. Your choice of 3 different elastics—3 different lengths—styles and colors to suit you. Come get your "Skippies" now!

Girdle and Panty illustrated Satin Laxest and Leno Elastic \$8.50
Other Girdles from \$5.00
Other Panties from \$5.00

Betty Barclay Gingham

As Seen in "SEVENTEEN"

\$8.88 to \$10.88

- Rich, Solid Colors
- Plaids, Dark and Spirited
- Pique and Corduroy Touches

The girl in the gingham dress is fashion wise, style conscious and thrifty-minded. Betty Barclay dresses boast a wealth of new styles, color combinations to please each taste and fashion details that make them individual and interesting. Sizes 9 to 15.



NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF BALLINGER
COUNTY OF RUNNELS
To All Qualified Voters of the City of Ballinger, Texas, who own Taxable Property in Said City and who have duly Rendered the Same for Taxation:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Ballinger, Texas, on the 28th day of August, 1951, to determine whether or not the City Commission of said City shall be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the amount of \$60,000, for the purpose of improving lands for park purposes, within said City, to-wit: the construction of a municipal swimming pool; and which election was duly called and ordered by the City Commission of said City, by resolution and order duly passed on the 3rd day of August, 1951, and which RESOLUTION AND ORDER is made a part of this Notice, and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

Resolution and Order for City Bond Election
THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF BALLINGER
COUNTY OF RUNNELS
ON THIS, the 3rd day of August, 1951, the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, convened in special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the City Hall, there being present and in attendance the following members, to-wit:

J. W. MOORE, Mayor
RAYMOND BERRYHILL, Commissioner
CHARLES HAMBRICK, Commissioner

and the following absent: None, constituting a quorum; and among other proceedings had, were the following:
Commissioner Berryhill introduced a resolution and order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Hambrick.

The motion carrying with it the adoption of the resolution and order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Moore and Commissioners Berryhill and Hambrick.

NOES: None.

WHEREAS, it is considered

by the City Commission to be to the best interest of the City that the bonds of said City shall be issued for the purpose and in the amount hereinafter stated; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS:

I. That an election be held on the 28th day of August, 1951, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this resolution and order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified resident electors who own taxable property in said City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

"SHALL the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the total principal amount of SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$60,000), for the purpose of improving lands for park purposes within said City, to-wit: the construction of a municipal swimming pool; said bonds to mature serially over a period of years not to exceed thirty (30) years from their date, and to bear interest at a rate of not to exceed FOUR PER CENTUM (4%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually; and to provide for the payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds by levying a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest and to create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem said bonds as they become due?"

II. That said election shall be held at the City Hall in the

City of Ballinger, Texas, and the entire City shall constitute one election precinct.

III. That the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of the election, to-wit:

O. J. HARBER, Presiding Judge
E. B. CLAMPITT, Judge
W. B. MAY, Clerk

IV. That said election shall be held under the provisions of and in accordance with the laws governing the issuance of municipal bonds in cities, as provided in the General Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified electors, who own taxable property in the City, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote.

V. IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with House Bill Number 357, passed by the Fifty-First Legislature in 1949, and that printed on such ballots shall appear the following:
"For the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof"
"Against the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof"

VI. Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his or her vote on the proposition.

That a copy of this resolution and order, signed by the Mayor of the City and attested by the City Secretary, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

VII. That said notice of election shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this resolution and order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS," said notice to be posted at the City Hall, the election precinct herein designated, and at two other public places in said City, not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in THE BALLINGER LEDGER, a newspaper of general circulation and published in the City

of Ballinger, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 3rd day of August, 1951.

J. W. MOORE, Mayor,
City of Ballinger, Texas

FRED UNDERWOOD
City Secretary,
City of Ballinger, Texas
(City Seal)

THIS NOTICE of election is issued and given by the undersigned, pursuant to authority conferred by virtue of the above and foregoing resolution

and order of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, and under authority of law.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS, this 3rd day of August, 1951.

J. W. MOORE, Mayor,
City of Ballinger, Texas

Attest:
FRED UNDERWOOD
City Secretary,
City of Ballinger, Texas
(City Seal)

The word "ahoy" was originally the battle cry of the Vikings; now it is used as a greeting among sailors.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Middleton, Jr., of Tyler, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Middleton. They left the first of the week for Richmond, Virginia, on a vacation trip.

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Ask one of our salesmen to show you the "Blue Book." It's a book of accredited listings used by dealers everywhere... it lists practically every known make of refrigerator with its model number according to year. It lists the trade-in value of each model. FOR A LIMITED TIME... we will allow you the full "Blue Book" trade-in value of your refrigerator... PLUS AN EXTRA FIFTY DOLLARS... on the purchase of a wonderful NEW KELVINATOR!

Get top dollar for your present refrigerator by letting us have it now! We're willing to talk big money, because we definitely need used refrigerators for our big summer business. We need small ones, big ones, every size. So act now—get the top dollar for your refrigerator.

COMPARE WHAT YOU HAVE IN YOUR PRESENT REFRIGERATOR WITH ALL YOU GET IN KELVINATOR!

- ★ Big 8 cu. ft. of storage space!
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- ★ Powered by the super-dependable Kelvinator Polarsphere!

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IMAGINE WHAT YOU'LL SAVE!

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Gentlemen: Please send a qualified Appraiser to my home to give me, free of charge, an accurate estimate on the "BLUE BOOK" VALUE of my old refrigerator. Or if possible, with the information below, please give me an estimate by mail.

The brand name of my refrigerator is _____
The approximate cubic-foot size is _____
The approximate year is _____

NAME _____ STATE _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____
TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

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only **79c**

- Durable fine combed cotton yarns!
- Full cut for freedom of action!
- Choose from 8 washable colors!
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Boys' Washfast SLACK SOCKS
29c

Splashy blazer striped slack socks of washfast combed cotton. Nylon reinforced heel and toe for extra long wear. Sizes 6 to 10½.

Boys' Cotton BRIEFS
59c Each

Combed cotton with elastic legs and waist. Sizes 10 to 16.

BOYS' BIG MAC® DENIM JEANS
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- Husky 8 oz. Sanforized† Blue Denim!
- Double orange stitching on all main seams!
- Copper plated rivets at all points of strain!
- 2 front pockets... made of sturdy sailcloth!

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NOW! BACK-TO-SCHOOL PLAIDS*
SIZE 7 to 14 **3.98**

- ★ NEW! NEW! Colors! Patterns! Styles!
- ★ WOVEN GINGHAMS — Color bright for keeps!
- ★ SANFORIZED† — Perfect fit after laundering!
- ★ PRACTICAL — Extra wearings between washings!
- ★ VALUES — Priced with old fashioned thrift!

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Now! Save on Tots' Cottons **1.98**

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Outstanding! Typical of Penny's school values! Clear red 'n' white checks with starched white pique. Deep hem, neatly corded sleeves and collar, matching buttons. Come in now and save!



Women's, Society and Club News

Miss Truly is Guest Speaker for Methodist W.S.C.S.

A joint meeting of four circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church, and members of the Wesleyan Service Guild, was held in the garden at the home of Mrs. J. F. Currie Monday evening.

Large summer flowers and greenery in their natural garden setting provided decorations along with added baskets of multi-colored zinnias. Mrs. C. P. Shepherd presided at the crystal punch bowl, which rested on the refreshment table, where a bouquet of zinnias in pastel tones was placed in the flower section underneath the glass-top table. Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., social chairman, was assisted by social

chairmen from each circle in making arrangements for the affair.

Mrs. J. W. Barr, W.S.C.S. president, directed the meeting, and presented the program chairman, Mrs. Troy Simpson. After the devotional, which was given by Mrs. J. W. Guynes, Mrs. Simpson presented Miss Mary Elizabeth Truly, a returned missionary from Nigeria, Africa.

Miss Truly, who has served as a Baptist missionary and teacher in the Nigeria school since 1938, gave a very interesting talk on the inhabitants and their customs, their religion, and their superstitions. She modeled clothes which the native women wear, and showed a moving picture which showed pictures of the school and other

buildings in the village and also of the coconut trees and other landscape views.

Along with her many African articles which Miss Truly displayed was her parrot, which has been her animal companion for years. At the conclusion of Miss Truly's talk on her work as a missionary, Mrs. Simpson presented a gift to Miss Truly from the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Members and visitors who were included were: Rev. C. D. Wooten, Mmes. Jack Moore, Ed Curry, Docia Copeland, Felix Itz, W. H. Coleman, Herman Rountree, Will McShan, R. A. Bagwell, Hatton Laxson, Tom Caudle, Ben Guin, O. L. Hart, M. Setser, Oliver Cochran, Bill Bell, Louis Brown, O. C. Gunn, Grady Richards, W. C. Witt, Marion Hays, C. E. Dillon, E. L. Rampey, A. L. Dillon, Sam Conner, Ewing Holt, Fred McClanahan of Shreveport, Louisiana, George Newby, Ernest Caskey, A. O. Strother, A. J. H. Borders, W. R. Clark, C. D. Harris, Herbert Tickle, Augusta Bethany, Archie Smith, O. R. O'Neill, Lee Evans, John Lovelless, Tom Crockett, George Beard, Tom McEntire, Henry Moody, R. D. Midgley, W. E. Midgley, Robert Bruce, John A. Barton, J. L. Davis, Ed O'Kelly, W. W. Chastain, Cora Green, Emma Nash, Paul Richardson and daughter, Ann; Misses Bonnie Clark, Ann Midgley and



TAKES PRICE PROBLEM TO SHOPPERS . . . U.S. Economic Stabilizer Eric Johnston and manager of a New York food store, Caesar Ottolina (right), confer in the latter's store as Johnston discusses price roll-backs with interested customers. Johnston warned that a ban on price roll-backs in the new controls law would add a dollar a day to every household budget. Strongly backed by President Truman, Johnston made his plea for strong wage-price legislation as an unfriendly house opened debate on an amendment-riddled controls bill that the administration feared would hamper the inflation fight.

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PET MILK	2 TALL or 4 SMALL	27¢	Jello	ALL FLAVORS	Three Pkgs.	25¢	
Pineapple	DEL MONTE No. 2 Can	25¢	Dessert Mix	FROSTEE	2 Pkgs.	25¢	
Corn	MAYFLOWER CREAM STYLE	2 No. 303 Cans	25¢	Tea	LIPTON'S	1/2 Lb.	59¢
Fruit Cocktail	DEL MONTE No. 2 1/2 Can	39¢	Crisco		3-Lb. Tin	89¢	
Peas	DEL MONTE No. 303 Can	21¢	Joy		Reg. Size	29¢	
Hominy	DIAMOND 3 No. 300 Cans	25¢	Vegetables				
Grape Juice	CHURCH'S 24-Oz. Bottle	39¢	Cucumbers	FRESH	2 Lbs.	25¢	
Miracle Whip		Pint 35¢	Lemons	SUNKIST	2 Lbs.	25¢	
Pickles	DIAMOND SOUR, DILL	Qt. 29¢	Spuds	No. 1	10 Lbs.	39¢	
Shampoo	MODART	Bottle 59¢	Potatoes	NEW RED	5 Lbs.	25¢	

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SEVENTH STREET, OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE

Dorothy Bruce. Pfc. Caskey is Complimented at Supper

Pfc. Hal D. Caskey, stationed at Westover Air Base, Choospee, Massachusetts, who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Caskey, was complimented at a supper party in the E. C. Grindstaff country home Friday.

Ebb Grindstaff was host at the affair, and was assisted in entertaining by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff. The supper menu was served on the screened porch where tables were centered with bouquets of zinnias. Games of canasta followed.

Those included were: Pfc. Hal D. ("Dizz") Caskey, Miss Nancy Guynes, Reid Caskey, Miss Pat Caudle, Bob Agnew, Miss Betty Lou Batts, Walter Hill, Miss Jacqueline Bishop, Miss Doris Williams, the last two of Paint Rock, David Batts and Bob Northington.

Miss Cervenka Complimented at Gift Shower
To compliment Miss Joan Cervenka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Cervenka of Rowena, who will be married to

James Cobb of Plainview, on August 25, in the Baptist Church at Lubbock, a gift shower was given Friday afternoon by Mrs. Edward Sommer and daughter, Miss Marilyn Sommer, in their home on Ninth Street.

The dining table, overlaid with a Hawaiian linen cloth, was centered with a bowl of pink and white asters flanked by white tapers in double crystal candelabra. White and pink gladioli were used for decorations in the living room. A lunch plate was served with iced tea from the buffet.

The guest list included classmates of the honoree: Misses Gloria Jenkins, Cordie Lou Forgey, Pat Caudle, Wanda Zuchilke, Bobbie Smith, Eva Jo Payne, Betty Lou Batts, Elnita Faubion, Virginia Heninger, Marilyn Bowden, Alma Dahmann of Bronte, Ginger and Linda Cervenka; the honoree's mother, Mrs. Bernie Cervenka, Mrs. D. G. Goetz, Mrs. Eugene Payne, Mrs. Jack Kresta, Mrs. Roy Baker, Mrs. Bennie D. Hughes of Shreveport, Louisiana.

Two Former Citizens Named Honor Guests

Mrs. Fred McClanahan, of Shreveport, Louisiana, who with her two children, Freddie and Betty, is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Simpson, and Mrs. James Williams, who has been teaching in Abilene schools, but is returning to Ballinger to make home, were named honor guests at a late afternoon party given by Mrs. Ed Curry last Wednesday.

The Curry home on Ninth Street was given added beauty by bouquets of zinnias and other garden flowers where contract games were played. High score award went to Mrs. Simpson and the bingo award to Mrs. W. K. Wheatly. A hostess gift was presented the two honorees. A salad plate was served with ice tea.

Others were: Mmes. Max McCrary, Jr., Charles Webb, John King, Allen Davis, W. N. Selby, Joe Freeman, John McDonald, Herman Price, Gene Keel, Guy Radley, Orland Middleton, Derward Bissett, Powell Wear, Lloyd Johnson, LeRoy Rieger and Al Wehrley.

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Dwain Brown Honored on 12th Birthday Anniversary
Dwain Brown was named honor guest on his twelfth birthday anniversary last Thursday afternoon, when his mother, Mrs. Herman Brown, entertained a group of his friends in City Park.

Games were played, followed by the all-white leed birthday cake, topped with yellow candles, being served with punch. Present were: Susan and Lynn Herring, Irene and David Piel, June Hash, Martha Kay Northington, Nita Duke, Midge Adair, Walter Thomas, Jackie Taylor, Mike Foy, Jerry Bob Kemp of San Angelo, and Billy Witter.

\$250.00 REWARD
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- 3 COME TRY HYDRAGUIDE POWER STEERING!**
Others may have it "some day." Only Chrysler has it now! At your touch on the wheel, hydraulic power does four-fifths of the steering work for you . . . gives steering safety and ease . . . steadiness in ruts or soft shoulders . . . you can't imagine till you feel it!
- 4 COME RIDE ON ORIFLOW!**
Notice the difference on rough roads especially . . . feel for yourself the truly amazing stability . . . new comfort and new safety . . . of new-type Oriflow shock absorbers having over twice the ride-steady control of those on any other manufacturer's cars!

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 Look over these prices...See what you can save...We will probably have about 60 days more of hot weather. Buy for now and next year. Make money by taking advantage of this great cut price sale!

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 Beautiful Garments
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 Were 69¢, Sale Price 29¢
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\$2.49 Silk Failles	Now \$1.29
89¢ Butcher's Linen	Now 59¢
59¢ Junior Butcher's Linen	Now 29¢

\$1.29 Dotted Swiss	Now 79¢
\$1.29 Printed Voille	Now 89¢

PRINTED SILKS AND RAYONS
 Values up to \$1.59
 Yours for Only 69¢ per Yard.

Men's Manhattan Pajamas
 Values \$3.95 to \$4.50
 Going at Only
\$2.98

**MEN AND BOYS
 LOOK HERE!**

Boys' 6 to 12 Wrangler Blue Jeans	\$1.98
Men's and Boys' Wrangler Blue Jeans, 27 to 44 Waist, Only	\$2.69

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59¢ Curtain Scrim, 29¢ <hr/> Assorted Lace Panels Half Price and Less! <hr/> \$2.49 Lace Panels on Sale at \$1.95	\$4.95 Criss Cross Curtains Pink and Yellow Only Sale Price \$2.95 <hr/> \$1.79 Kitchen Curtains Only 69¢
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