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County's First '53 Bale Hits Here Wednesday

The first bale of 1953 cotton was ginned Wednesday morning by the Ballinger Co-op Gin. The cotton was raised by Henry Psenick, who lives three miles south of Ballinger but who operates a small farm within the city limits on the Colorado river in the southern part of town.

Mr. Psenick picked the bale from 27 acres of cotton and took 1,800 pounds of seed cotton to the gin. He received a 482-pound bale and 820 pounds of seed. He planted Paymaster

45 cotton from which the bale was gathered.

The bale is now on display in front of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce offices. It will be sold Saturday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock and all business men are urged to attend the Chinese auction which will give everyone an opportunity to bid.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce gave Mr. Psenick a check for \$25 Wednesday afternoon. This is a special award for the first bale which had been approved by the directors.

Farm Bureau Meeting Attended by Over 900

The annual "family meeting" of the Rannels County Farm Bureau was held Friday evening at city park, most of the members and their families attending. A barbecue dinner followed a cake contest and at the conclusion of this feature, it was announced that slightly more than 900 plates had been served.

The meeting was strictly informal and everybody was present to have a good time. Elliott Kemp acted as master of ceremonies and entertainment was featured at the beginning of the program. The Halfmann sisters, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Halfmann, of Olfen, provided instrumental music during the meal and on the program following. Johnnie Thurman, of radio station KXUN, rendered a group of numbers. Clifford Hoelscher, 10-year-old 4-H club boy, was heard in a number of songs and the Lone Star Quartet sang a program of western, negro spirituals and harmony songs.

In the cake contest Mrs. Daniel Fischer won first place for the layer cakes and Mrs. B. M. Batts was second. In the angel food contest, Mrs. Emil Havalak won first and Mrs. D. O. Kennedy was second. Cash prizes of \$5 and \$2.50 were awarded in each division. Miss Laura Tharp and Mrs. Nanell Moore, of Paint Rock, and Miss Ollie Chenoweth were judges of the cakes.

In the preliminary program, August Stoecker, first vice-president, told the group that the Rannels County Farm Bureau had a membership of

415 this year and was setting its goal for 600 farm families next year.

Miss Nell Phelps, secretary, gave the financial report of the organization.

Joe F. Droll, service agent, told of the cooperative insurance benefits available to members and reported on the number of policies issued the past year.

Mr. Kemp introduced the following directors: J. T. Moreland, Monroe Dierschke, Sam Faulbon, Marion Wood, Jake Presley, Kirby Robinson, Alfons Jansa, V. E. Colburn, Frank Gregor, Ervin Schraer, Otto Goetz, Ben Frerich, Frank Gruber.

R. G. Arnold, director of the southern region of the American Farm Bureau, was the principal speaker. He asserted that 1953 was the year of decision for the American farmer. He was referring to the fact that the new administration was trying to form and perfect a sound farm program and he begged his farmer friends to make their desire known through their representatives in Washington.

He advocated a program that would stand depressions and one that would correct the past experiences of farm families during years of drought and failures.

He told farmers they are living in the gasoline age and that was one of the reasons that they needed to be bound together in the Bureau. He advocated a farm program that would prevent price disasters and yet allow the government the least possible control over agriculture.

Court Schedules 2 Important Meetings

The Rannels county commissioners' court has set two meetings to transact important business.

Tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, starting at 1:00 p. m., the court will meet as an equalization board and all individuals who have tax valuations assessed against them on which they think corrections should be made, are invited to be present.

Written notices have been sent to all property owners on whose renditions changes have been made.

The commissioners have been given a proposed budget which they are studying at this time. At some date after August 15, they will meet for the purpose of adopting the budget. At the first meeting in September the tax rate will be set on which taxes for the current year will be figured.

Another important meeting is to be held next Monday, August 10, when land owners along the projected road from Norton north to Wilmeth have been invited to be present. T. J. Kelly, district highway engineer, and Felix Itz, resident engineer, will detail the two routes that may be used for the new road. Following the old road would require considerable change to cut off corners.

The routes will be discussed with the land owners in a preliminary effort to reach an agreement and locate the new road where it will be of most benefit to the people in the area.

Ballinger Coaches Attending State School at Houston

Coaches Douglas Cox and Bill Scoggins left Sunday for Houston, where they will attend the state coaching school this week.

Coaches from many schools will be present in what is expected to be the largest gathering of football men in Texas since the organization of the state school. High school groups will be under some of the outstanding coaches of the country and will be given much valuable information on formations, plays and training practices.

Outstanding high school stars, who graduated last year, will be assembled at Houston and under two of the guest coaches will be trained for the annual North-South game, billed tomorrow night.

Not only football but basketball and other high school athletics will be featured at the state school. An all-star basketball game is to be played tonight.

Coach and Mrs. Dillard Adair, of Colorado City, were here Saturday to join Coach and Mrs. Cox for the trip to Houston. The new junior high school coaches have not moved to Ballinger and it was not known if they would attend the school.

Ballinger and Miles Farm Loan Groups' Joint Meeting Set

The directors of the Miles and Ballinger National Farm Loan associations have set 7:00 p. m., September 8, for their annual meetings. All stockholders of the associations and members of their families are being asked to attend.

The meeting will be held at the American Legion hall, Bruce Field, three miles south of Ballinger.

A barbecue dinner will be served to start the activities and will be followed by a program. A representative of the Federal Land Bank, Houston, will deliver the main address. Other entertainment is being planned and will be announced at a later date.

There are 300 stockholders in the two associations and plans are being made to take care of 500 to 600 people. Directors expect the largest gathering in the history of the associations.

E. J. Lolka, secretary-treasurer of the two associations, is making the arrangements and will soon mail a special invitation to each stockholder and to a number of invited guests.

City Commission Names Trustees For Negro Center

The Ballinger city commission Tuesday morning authorized the installation of one street light, approved two building permits and named a six-man board of trustees to have charge of the colored recreation center.

Milton Redman received a building permit in the amount of \$2,000 for a residence on Thirteenth Street between Murrell and Harris avenues.

Herman Price received approval of a permit in the amount of \$1,500 for a garage and storeroom at his home on Fifth Street.

The commission gave approval for the installation of a street light on Railroad Avenue at the corner of Fifth Street.

The commission set up a six-man board of trustees who will have complete charge of the negro recreation center located in the park near the colored school. Frank Jernigan was named chairman; Rev. Gonzales, assistant chairman; Tucker Grimes, Sol Devaul, Dunk McDavid and Jim Boalts, members.

A number of other routine items were cleared by the commission at this meeting.

Several Hundred Attend Troop 30 Dinner at Park

Several hundred people gathered in city park Tuesday evening for the barbecue dinner served by Boy Scout Troop 30 and its leaders. The dinner had been planned for several weeks and members of the troop sold tickets in advance.

The beeves were cooked over an open pit and served with beans, potato salad, pickles, onions, bread and drinks.

Leaders stated that about \$500 worth of tickets were sold and that it would require some time to check up and see just how much was made for the troop treasury. Scouts and leaders were delighted with the fine response.

No program was planned for the dinner but Scoutmaster Sim Ledford will make a number of special awards to members at a later meeting. Mr. Ledford and several members of the troop have just returned from the national jamboree at Santa Ana, California.

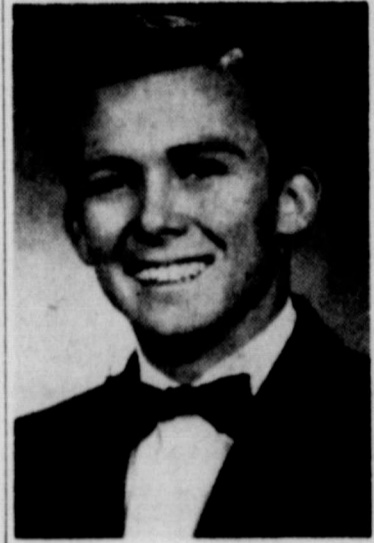
The boys were assisted in serving the barbecue dinner by their parents and members of the Rotary Club scout committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Baylis Fletcher and Mrs. Tom Crockett visited the past week-end at San Antonio. The Fetters were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fletcher and baby son. Mrs. Crockett visited her son and daughter-in-law, Major and Mrs. Tom A. Crockett, at Randolph Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Parish left today for the Mayon ranch, near Bandera, where they will take a short vacation.

Joe McCauley Named Manager of C. C. Here

Directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce have named Joe McCauley, of Moody, manager of the local chamber, his work to start as of August 1.



Joe McCauley

McCauley is 22 years of age and only recently graduated from Baylor University with special work in chamber of commerce activities. He attended the Southwestern Institute of Chamber of Commerce Executives at Dallas in July to meet managers of the state and receive the information offered at the school.

The new manager was born at Moody on August 7, 1931. He attended the Moody schools where he directed his interests towards school government rather than athletics because of a slightly deformed foot caused by polio when he was a baby.

He served as a class officer in each high school class and was president of the Future Farmers chapter and editor of the school annual. In his senior year he lettered in football and played basketball. He entered Baylor University in 1949 and was a member of the Baylor Chamber of Commerce three years. During summers while he was in school he taught swimming at a boys' camp at Kerrville.

Mr. McCauley is single, a member of the Baptist Church and his petition for membership in the Masonic Lodge was recently accepted.

Committee reports on the Christmas program booked here show the date has been set for November 30 at 10:00 a. m. Santa Claus and his reindeer will be the main attraction in the parade and local features are to be added to make the event as big as possible.

County Agent John Barton gave a report on the condition of cotton in this county. Parts of the county have good prospects, he said, and with some rain he expects production of 30,000 to 40,000 bales and with no more rain from 20,000 to 25,000 bales.

The directors decided that the first bale would be set up in front of the chamber offices and that a \$25 award would be paid the grower who brings in the first bale of the 1953 crop.

Reports on highway work in the county were heard and various other business transacted.

John Bradley, chamber president, stated that with the employing of a manager it would be necessary to secure additional members and the monthly income of the organization increased. A recent campaign for this purpose met with only slight success. A number of merchants stated that they would increase their payments to the chamber when a manager was contracted.

The president also said more rent houses, apartments and rooms were needed here and asked those who have rental property to list same with the secretary.

MISS WRIGHT TO BE LOCAL SCHOOL MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Miss RaMona Wright, of Abilene, has been elected by the Ballinger school board to fill the vacancy of music supervisor and choral club director for the ensuing year.

Miss Wright, daughter of Hamilton Wright, staff writer on the Abilene Reporter-News, is a graduate of McMurry College, where she majored in public school music with voice applied. She has taught in the Fort Worth and Plainview schools the past three years.

New Store Sets Formal Opening Next Saturday

Formal opening of the Floral and Music Mart, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Camp and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Irby, is to be held Saturday.

The store is located next door to the Pearce-Bailey Drug on Hutchings Avenue and for the past several weeks the proprietors have been having the interior redecorated, new lighting fixtures installed, setting the fixtures and displaying the merchandise.

The store is well arranged in departments and will offer a new service here. For record shoppers a listening booth has been provided where records may be played before making a purchase.

The floral division has a large electric combination display and storage refrigerator which will keep flowers in perfect condition. Mrs. Camp recently attended a florists' school at Ft. Worth and in addition there will be an experienced florist on duty at all times.

In the gift department is a wide selection of various items and a special section for boys and girls and the kiddies.

Band instruments and stringed instruments along with sheet music, records, record players and music accessories will be featured in the music department. Mr. Camp stated that a line of pianos would be added about September 1.

Mr. Camp will continue his work with the high school band but will help out in the store in his spare time. Mr. and Mrs. Irby also will assist in rush periods. Visitors will register on opening day and women and children will receive free gifts. Junior and senior high students will register and attend a drawing for records later in the day.

A store broadcast will be on the air at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, originating directly from the store. Musical numbers and interviews with visitors will be heard in this special program.

The owners extend a cordial invitation to everyone in this trade area to attend the opening and inspect the new store.

Traffic Tickets Issued to 1,912; 16 Arrests Made

Traffic Officer J. R. Whitworth wrote out 1,912 tickets in July for cars parked overtime and other violations. Of this number only 73 tickets were not returned with the required five-cent pieces. During the month 112 notices were mailed out, informing car owners that 35 fines had been imposed, and 35 of these were returned. Collections on meters for the month totaled \$952.99.

Police made 16 arrests last month. Two cases were transferred to county court on which driving while intoxicated charges were filed. The other offenses were: 7 for drunkenness, 2 for failure to grant right-of-way, 1 for disturbing the peace, 1 for speeding and 2 for operating motor vehicles without licenses.

Six accidents in the corporate limits were reported for the month, damages being estimated at \$2,179.

There were no fires in the city last month.

BALLINGER METHODISTS VIEW NEW ENNIS CHURCH

A group from the First Methodist Church here attended services at Ennis Sunday to inspect the altar, pulpit and choir arrangements of the new Methodist church there.

The Ballingerites attended the 9:45 a. m. service and remained for an inspection of the church, returning home late Sunday afternoon. In the group were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barr, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Price Middleton, Mrs. J. F. Currie, Miss Bonnie Clark, Mrs. Tom Agnew, Sam Behringer, Cal Adair, George Newby, Joe Foreman, Ernest Caskey and C. L. Howell.

Two Producers Added in Week; Several Located

The Hull-Dobbs (upper Gardner) field has been extended one location north and west with completion of S. S. Herring Drilling Co. No. 4-W. D. Buford. The well was gauged at 288.24 barrels of 40 gravity oil per day on a flowing test. Top of pay was encountered at 3,930 feet.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. No. 2-Walter W. Petite, in the Hull-Dobbs field, has been finished for a daily flow of 99.17 barrels of 40.5 gravity oil. Production is from the upper Gardner with top of pay at 3,920 feet.

Hickok & Reynolds Royalty Co. No. 2-Mrs. Lee Tinkle has been located for a 4,700-foot try in the Winters (Caddo) field. Tours will start work when the permit is granted.

Murray Petroleum Co. has staked two wildcats in Rannels county, both projected for 5,000 feet.

Murray Petroleum Co. No. 1-A A. Workman, two miles northeast of Hatchel, will be 1 1/2 of a mile from production in the Elm Creek field.

Murray Petroleum Co. No. 1-Caddo Lightfoot, four miles southeast of Winters, is 1/4 of a mile east of production in the Winters (Caddo) field.

Mouray-Moore Drilling Co. has filed an application for its No. 3-Mollie E. Curry. The location is 1/2 a mile northwest of production in the Hull-Dobbs field. Rotary drilling to 4,500 feet will begin at once.

Ballinger Negress Stabbed to Death By Coleman Rival

Ruby Jewel Harvey, 22-year-old Ballinger negress, was stabbed to death at Coleman Sunday night. A Coleman negress, Pearl Sheppard, was arrested and charged with murder.

The Harvey woman died one hour after sustaining the wounds at a Coleman negro cafe. She was taken to the Coleman hospital for emergency treatment.

According to statements taken by Sheriff Frank Fenton, of Coleman, the women were arguing about suitors when the one fatal stab was made.

Jewel Harvey was under a five-year suspended sentence for forgery in this county and was recently charged with receiving and concealing stolen property. The latter charge had not been brought to trial according to Sheriff Don Atkins.

Newby-Davis Funeral Home announced Monday that funeral services would be held this afternoon at 3:00 p. m. at the Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, Rev. C. Y. Lewis to officiate. Burial will follow in Evergreen Cemetery.

Decedent is survived by her mother, two children and three brothers.

BALLINGER MOTHER AND SON IN WRECK

Mrs. Caleb Brown and son, Steve, are in an Odessa hospital after sustaining injuries in an automobile accident Friday. The accident occurred on highway 80 about 14 miles west of Odessa.

Mrs. Brown attempted to pass a large truck just as it pulled into the passing lane to go around another truck. This forced the Brown car into a bridge railing. Mrs. Brown suffered numerous cuts and bruises but is believed to be out of danger. The young son underwent an operation on his skull and his condition is reported satisfactory and he is believed out of danger. The 1953 Pontiac was a total loss.

Mr. Brown, warrant officer of company I, 142nd Infantry here, is staying in Odessa with his family.

Major Clark Koller, stationed at Pinecastle AFB, Orlando, Florida, joined his family here this week for a visit with Mrs. Koller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen, Rufus Allen, Jr., student at the University of Texas, will join the family this week-end.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvin O. Rue will leave Tuesday for a week's vacation at Dallas and Denton. They will be accompanied to Dallas by their daughter, Mrs. Erwin Pink, and daughter.

Methodist Church to be Place for Blood Clinic

A Red Cross bloodmobile will be in Ballinger next Monday, August 10, for the first collection of blood ever taken in Rannels county.

The equipment and other facilities will be set up in the basement of the First Methodist Church and all who signed blood donor cards will report there.

The basement of this church provides all the space and rooms for the various departments which may be needed. The reception room with the typists and other workers will be arranged to receive the donors as they appear, make a complete record of each person and the results of the examination. The canteen with a large crew of workers will use the kitchen and adjoining rooms for serving the fruit juice and other refreshments after blood is given and the examination room and the space for the actual taking of blood will be arranged.

Tom Caudle, county chairman,

and a group of workers are mailing cards to each person who signed a donor card, advising when to appear at the clinic. This is being done so that there will be a group reporting at all hours during the day. This will eliminate too many coming at one time and will also prevent slack times when no donors might be present.

The hours have been arranged so that those with a preference of time may report when they desire.

The county is asked for 300 pints of blood, the clinic working one day in Ballinger and one day at Winters. Leaders in the sign-up here secured enough cards that should provide more than half the quota here.

Any person who did not sign a donor card and who would like to give blood may report at the clinic where he will be registered and taken through the regular processing.

As fast as the blood is taken it will be packed and shipped from here.

\$2,550 Check Received For Polio Patient Care

A March of Dimes check for \$2,550 has been received by the Rannels county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis to help provide care for polio patients here.

This was revealed this week by Mrs. Price Middleton, county chairman.

The chairman explained that when the March of Dimes fund is raised each January, half of the total is retained by the local chapter and the other half is sent to national headquarters to finance scientific research, professional and public education and to provide emergency aid, such as that just received.

Although substantial progress in solving some problems is being made by scientific research, the chairman pointed out, the tide of polio continues to rise higher across the nation, leaving ever-increasing burdens on the chapters.

"We have in Rannels county," Mrs. Middleton said, "a clear example of how a polio outbreak can quickly exhaust the resources of a chapter. In the

1953 March of Dimes \$7,998.34 net was contributed in this county of which the chapter kept \$3,999.70 for its part. By July 1 this was all gone and the chapter had to appeal for emergency aid from national headquarters.

The chapter at present is providing money, in whole or part for the care of two patients stricken this year, in addition to thirteen who had contracted polio in previous years. The chairman stated that the chapter had so far this year provided \$1,093 for patient care. This expenditure was for 1952 carry-over bills and those accumulating through May of this year.

Since use of the limited supply of gamma globulin is not expected to materially reduce the number of polio cases this summer and there is no vaccine yet, chapters must prepare for another year of high incidence. It is possible that the Rannels county chapter may require even further aid from national headquarters.

County's Club Women Assemble for Rally Day

Negro Solicitor Fined on Three Swindling Counts

E. J. Harris, local negro, was fined \$213.50 on each of three counts, a total of \$640.50, in justice court Friday for swindling. The charges developed for soliciting funds through false pretense and all the charges submitted in the trial developed in Miles.

Sheriff Don Atkins stated that other investigations are being made of Harris' activities here and in other West Texas cities.

Samuel A. Manis was arrested Saturday night and Sunday entered a plea of guilty to driving while intoxicated and was fined \$97.80.

Daniel Lee Patterson also entered a plea of guilty to DWI and was fined \$72.80.

Local officers arrested three drunks and three others on "hot" checking charges.

Recent visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Alvin O. Rue were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin L. Wilson and children, Margaret and Eugene, of San Antonio. Dr. and Mrs. Erwin Pink and daughter, Suzanne, of Dallas, also visited in the Rue home. Dr. Pink returned to Dallas and Mrs. Pink and baby will remain with her parents for a longer visit.

Friends of Mrs. Jess Crockett, of Lampasas, received word this week that she is improving nicely after breaking a hip Saturday.

Home demonstration club members are at the American Legion hall today for their annual Rally Day. Registration began at 10:00 a. m. and by noon all club members were here for the program.

No work or demonstrations were planned for the 1953 program and fellowship and recreation are the main purposes. Each club has prepared a stunt which will be presented at the afternoon session as part of the entertainment.

Each club was assigned a special food to bring and at noon a picnic dinner was spread. Numerous guests were invited.

There are 275 to 300 members in the county's eleven active clubs. Programs are carefully planned and during the year each club covers the same subjects and sees the same demonstrations. Each year schools are held at which two members of each club take special training. These two present the demonstrations to their clubs and all members are given the opportunity to learn the special methods.

Sandra and Betty Trimmer, of Burbank, California, have returned home after a visit here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Trimmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lowry, Wayman and Carolyn, of Commerce, were week-end visitors in Ballinger and Norton. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Paske, Catherine and Steve, of Coleman, also were guests in the home of Mrs. Paske's mother, Mrs. C. E. Lowry.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Davis and daughters have returned home after a vacation on the West Coast.

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SOCIETY

Miss McShan, Bride-Elect
Honored at Gift Tea

Miss Janet Rae McShan, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McShan, of Ballinger, who was married to Paul L. Tinsley, Jr., stationed at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, on Wednesday, August 5, was honored Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Paul Richardson, Mrs. J. H. Shelburne and Mrs. M. W. McShan were hostesses at a gift tea in the Richardson home on Tenth Street, including approximately 80 friends of the honoree.

monthly meeting next Tuesday, August 11, at 4:00 p. m. in the club room at the library.

Mrs. Elmer Ehepperd will be leader for the program on zinnias and day lilies. A panel discussion on day lilies will be presented by Mrs. Estes M. Lynn, Mrs. Claude Stone and Mrs. F. M. Pearce.

Mrs. B. W. Claunch will conduct the business session. All members are urged to bring zinnia arrangements for the floral exhibit.

A pink and white theme was featured in decorations throughout the party rooms which included a profusion of garden flowers. The dining table was overlaid with an imported cloth of cutwork linen. Used in the center of the table was an arrangement of pink roses and queen's wreath.

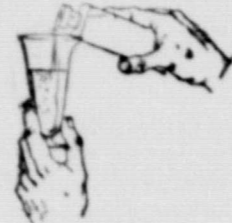
Guests were greeted by Mrs. R. L. Bell who presented Mrs. Richardson; Mrs. Raymond McShan, of San Angelo, mother of the bride-elect; Miss McShan and her grandmother, Mrs. Ralph McShan.

After guests were registered in the bride's book by Ann Richardson, Marilyn Mason invited guests into the dining room. Mrs. M. W. McShan was assisted by Dorothy McShan, Ellen Shelburne and Jeannie Dankworth in serving cake squares iced in white and decorated with rosebuds and in presiding at the punch service.

Mrs. Shelburne and Mrs. R. Silvey of Brownwood, aunt of the bride-elect, displayed gifts. Mrs. Charles Dankworth spoke good-byes.

Garden Club Program Theme to be Day Lilies and Zinnias
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ROWENA CHURCH TO HAVE PICNIC IN BALLINGER PARK

Members of Zoar Evangelical and Reformed Church, of Rowena, will have a family picnic in the Ballinger city park Sunday. A Bible study hour followed by a worship service at 10:00 a. m. has been scheduled.

At the noon hour a basket dinner will be served and a

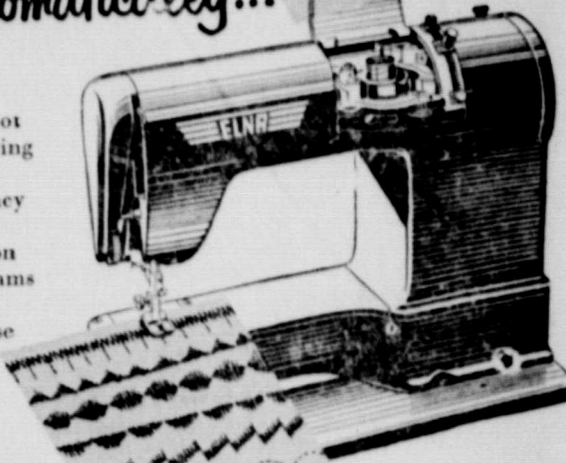
planned program of games and swimming in the afternoon will be part of the entertainment.

Wesley Urbantke is superintendent of the Sunday school and B. G. Urbantke is president of the congregation. Rev. O. P. Schroerluke is pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas have returned from a visit to Mr. Thomas' sister, Mrs.

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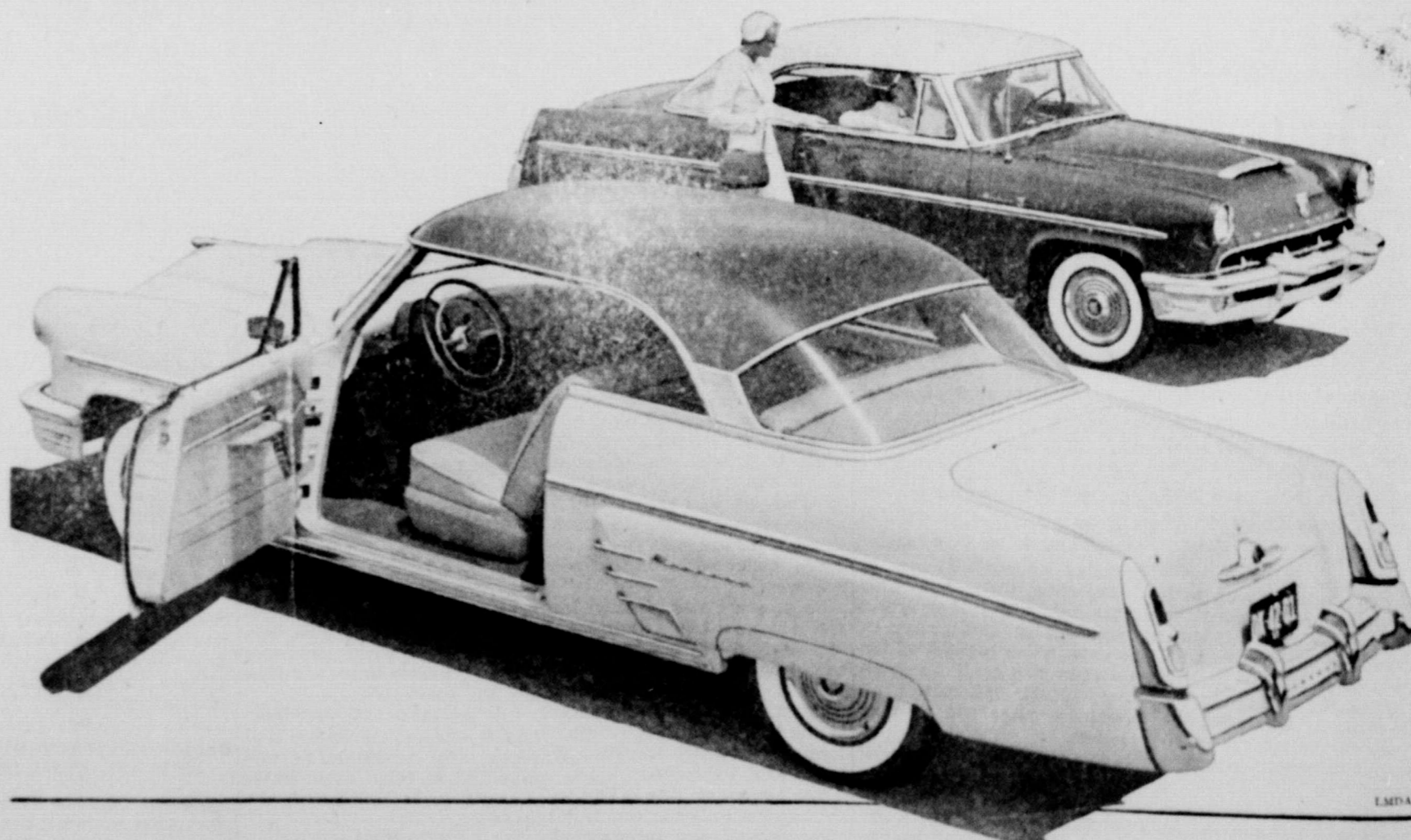
Ernest Gaston, of Littlefield, and to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Barnett, of Portales, New Mexico.

nett and children, of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack J. Harrison and daughter, Martha, of Midland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Craig and children, Candace and Sam, have moved to Arlington, Virginia, where they will make home.

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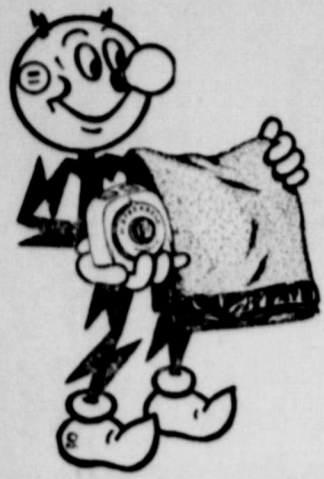
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**'Ambush at Tomahawk Gap' and
Cleopatra Story Due at Horseshoe**

One of the great stories of the Wild West—the story of a man who stalked three killers while the Apaches hunted them all—is recounted in Columbia's "Ambush at Tomahawk Gap," in color by Technicolor, and to be shown at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday. John Hodiak, John Derek, David Brian and Maria Elena Marques are starred. The new outdoor drama, according

to Hollywood report, contains some of the most extensive and extended physical action in a long time as the strangely assorted principals battle each other, the law and the Indians.

On the same program is "The Stranger," starring Edward G. Robinson and Loretta Young.

The loves of Cleopatra are brought to exciting life on the screen in Columbia's resplendent new first-run production, "Serpent of the Nile," in color by Technicolor, to be shown at the Horseshoe Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, August 9, 10, 11.

Rhonda Fleming, as history's most seductive siren, and William Lundigan, as a young Roman officer who is one of Cleopatra's many loves, co-star in the spectacular new film. Raymond Burr, in the top supporting role, is seen as Mark Antony.

"Serpent of the Nile" tells how one of history's most remarkable beauties conquered the man who conquered the world. With her fabulous charm and personal magnetism, the wily queen of Egypt establishes herself as ruler over Mark Antony, ruler of the world. Antony, bewitched by the magnificent Cleopatra, surrenders his soul and his power to Cleopatra. Cleopatra, in turn, is enamored of a young Roman officer who refuses to succumb completely to Cleopatra's wiles so long as it means abandoning Rome. He is the instrument that causes the proud queen to walk off history's stage.



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Mrs. Archie Tyree was hostess to members of Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club in her rural home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. J. Curtis conducted the business routine and heard reports. The skit for Rally Day

was rehearsed. Mrs. J. J. Wessels gave a demonstration on glass etching.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. Curtis, C. T. Moonen, Wessels, Roy Tyree and Andy Riddle. Miss Georgia Wilson was a visitor.

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SOCIETY

Miss McShan, Paul Tinsley, Jr. Wed in Home Ceremony

The wedding of Miss Janet Rae McShan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McShan, of San Angelo, to Paul L. Tinsley, Jr., of Goodfellow Air Force Base, San Angelo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Tinsley, Sr., of Borger, was solemnized Wednesday evening at six o'clock in the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McShan, on Sixth Street.

The Rev. R. H. Cagle, pastor of the First Baptist Church, read the double-ring service. Tall baskets of white gladioli with fern decorated the altar, placed before the fireplace which was banked with magnolia leaves. Flanking the altar were seven-branched floor candelabra holding white cathedral tapers.

Pre-nuptial music included "Because" and "I Love You Truly." The traditional wedding procession also was played.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a late afternoon dress of mauve pink silk shantung designed with seed pearls and rhinestones. Her jeweled starched lace hat and other accessories were white. The white Bible she carried was topped with white carnations centered with a white orchid and ribbon streamers were knotted with valley lilies.

Mrs. Laurel Mays, of Odessa, was matron of honor. She wore a charcoal organza frock fashioned with a fitted bodice trimmed with tiny self-covered buttons, and a full skirt. Her

pink flower hat was off the face, and her corsage was of pink carnations. Other accessories were pink.

Best man was Bob Martin. Gary McShan, brother of the bride, lighted the candles.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McShan, of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McShan were hosts at the reception following the ceremony. The table was laid with lace and centered with a reflected two-heart styrofoam arrangement outlined with pink and white daisies. Miss Peggy Bicknell, of Kilgore, served the all-white decorated wedding cake, which was topped with a bridal couple. Miss Sue Smauley, of Big Spring, presided at the silver punch bowl.

Miss Doris Romine, of Harlingen, registered guests in the bride's book.

Mrs. Thelma Henderson, of San Angelo, played piano selections throughout the reception.

After a wedding trip to Denver, the couple will be at home at 15 South Abe Street in San Angelo. For traveling the bride wore a suit of copenhagen blue with a pink blouse. Other accessories were white and she wore an orchid from her bridal bouquet.

Mrs. Tinsley is a graduate of San Angelo High School and San Angelo College. She has just completed training at Shannon School of Nursing. Mr. Tinsley is a member of the Goodfellow Hospital staff.

Out-of-town wedding guests were Mrs. Paul L. Tinsley, Sr., mother of the bridegroom; Miss

Vester Tinsley, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Livesay, grandparents of the bridegroom, all of Borger; Miss Juanita Hobbs, Big Spring; Miss Mary Robbins, Brownwood; Mrs. W. J. Pittman, Mrs. Thelma Henderson, Susy and Cathy Henderson, and Wylie Wilson, all of San Angelo.

Linda Ann Koller Honoree on Birthday Anniversary

Linda Ann Koller who is visiting in Ballinger with her parents, Major and Mrs. Clark Koller, from Florida, was named honoree on her seventh birthday anniversary Tuesday morning when her grandmother, Mrs. Rufus Allen, gave a party for her in City Park.

Games were played and pictures made of the group. The hostess was assisted by the honoree's mother, Mrs. Koller, Mrs. John E. Green, Jr., Mrs. A. O. Rue, Mrs. Doyle Riley, Mrs. Howard Heath, and Mrs. Erwin Pink, of Dallas, in serving the pretty birthday cake iced in yellow and decorated with blue florals and topped with blue candles with ice cream and cold drinks. Favors were decorated party whistles and bubble gum.

Small guests were Jackie Heath, Suzanne Pink of Dallas, Deanna and Cathy Riley, Karen Curry, Ola Beth and Frankie Corder, Jan and John Green III, Rex and Millie Stultz, and Lucius Wood.

Stitch-in-Time Club Has Supper for Families

A supper was served at City Park by members of the Stitch-in-Time Club Friday evening. Guests were husbands and members of families of club members. Hostesses were Miss Mickey Vorbeck and Mrs. Joe Beard. Mrs. George Proffett was

mistress of ceremonies.

Pal gifts were exchanged by club members.

Attending were: Messrs. and Mmes. Joe Beard, J. V. Smith, T. M. Marsh, Vernon Smith, Clarence Richards, Jr., Herbert Minzenmayer, Lyle Winter; Mr. and Mrs. George Proffett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lehman Bell and grandson, Mickey, and Emil Vorbeck.

Fancy Doers Club Compliments Mary Herral

Miss Mary Herral, bride-elect of Maxie Cole, Jr., was complimented at a gift shower in the Charles Miller home on Fifth Street Monday evening at which Miss Louise Miller and members of the Fancy Doers Club were hostesses.

The bride-elect's chosen colors, orchid and white, were featured about the reception suite. Garden flower arrangements were used in the living rooms, and an arrangement of orchid and white carnations formed the centerpiece for the dining table, where Mrs. M. E. Sweeney presided at the punch service. Mrs. Charles Miller assisted in serving a sandwich plate.

The honoree received gifts from members and former members of the club.

Others besides the honoree and her mother, Mrs. J. E. Herral, and the prospective bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Maxie Cole, Sr., were: Mmes. Bobby Bryan, Jimmy McAden, Frank Barnett, Paul Herral, O. L. Hart, Hal Yoder, Misses Norma Jackson, Joyce, and Georgia Hite, Sally Bailey, Pat Tisdale, Cordelia Flanagan, Glenda Harris, Virginia Woolen of Fort Worth, Dorothy Thomas, Joyce Wington, Delphane Berryhill, Pat Zappe, Dian Wilson, Nancy Cartledge of New Mexico, Nancy Davis, Gale Hays, Deannie Rountree, and Peggy Strickland, of Abilene.

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Joy	Reg. Bottle	29c

RAMA	Each Jar	15c
Red Plum Jam	2-Lb. Jar	39c
ARGO	Each Jar	15c
Pear Halves	No. 2 1/2 Can	29c
HERSHEY'S	Each Jar	15c
Mr. Goodbar	3 for 10c	
Old Dutch Cleanser	Can	10c



Celery	FRESH CRISP	Each Stalk	15c
Potatoes	CALIFORNIA LONG WHITE	10-Lb. Mesh Bag	39c
Cabbage		Lb.	5c
Bell Peppers		Lb.	19c
Lemons		Lb.	15c
Cantaloupes		Lb.	8c
Pears	FRESH	Lb.	19c

Meats!

Biscuits	2 Cans	19c
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Twelve Returning Lettermen Carried on '53 Bearcat Squad

Ballinger football coaches have the 1953-54 team pretty well set before the beginning of the season with 12 lettermen, 9 from the B team and one junior high player, among the 22 listed.

This year's team will have more experience than any in a good many years and it will also be the largest for a good many years.

While training cannot begin until September 1, candidates for the team are getting in the best physical condition possible and all expect to be ready for the hard drive which will start with a game on September 11.

The backfield will be headed by four lettermen, one ineligible last year, three from the B team and one from junior high. This group includes Jerry Bell, 175 pounds; Weldon Brevard, 150; Mike Egan, 155; Bill Ueckert, 154; Richard Tolliver, 175; John Duke, 145; Wayne Johnson, 155; Grady Curry, 150; and Maurice Carder, 150.

Three letterman and one B team player are the prospective ends. They are Billy Maedgen, 147; Jerry Baker, 140; Bobby Bird, 185; Pete Bryan, 145.

Only three tackles are in sight at the present time. Two are lettermen and one was a regular last year but failed to play much because of an early injury. They are Gary Ferguson, 220; Tommy Parker, 180; William Marek, 190.

Guards include Bobby Winans, 160; J. F. Lee, 155; Lawrence Wimberly, 155 and Mickey Hart, 130.

At center will be Spike Dykes, 180, and James Buxkemper, 170. The first five games of the 1953 season will be at Bearcat Field, Ballinger. All conference games will be played away from home.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Arthur and sons, were Mr. Arthur's mother, Mrs. Sid Klepper, and her granddaughter, Martha Kay Price, of Pampa. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Arthur and baby, of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Turley and daughter, Linda Ann, of Fort Worth, spent the past week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dickinson. They left for home Wednesday morning.

There are two cups of butter in a pound.

Bureau Aims and Accomplishments Given by Speaker

R. G. Arnold, field representative of the southern division of the American Farm Bureau, was guest speaker at the Ballinger Lions Club meeting Friday noon. Mr. Arnold was here Thursday to attend the annual meeting of the county farmers' organization and remained over to address the business men.

The speaker complimented Runnels county highly after having driven over most of the county to look at fields and ranches. He also praised the type of people that make up this region.

Mr. Arnold devoted most of his time to humor in the customary after-dinner talk fashion. In closing he spoke briefly of the Farm Bureau, the fine things it is accomplishing and the things it wants and urged business men to become associate members of the organization.

The speaker stated that farmers only wanted parity. They would like to sell their products for a fair price and receive their money from the buyer. He discouraged government hand-outs but added that the farmers wanted to live on an equal basis with the rest of the nation's workers.

Elliott Kemp, president of the Runnels County Farm Bureau, was a guest of the club and several other Bureau workers from state and district offices were present.

Lions heard a report by Jim Williamson on the progress being made in reorganization of Boy Scout Troop 29. This troop is sponsored by the Lions and Williamson is the new scoutmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Smith spent their vacation visiting relatives in Oklahoma and North Texas. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Sharry and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis at Weatherford. Mrs. Sharry is a sister of Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Davis is her niece. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lewis at Hollis. On their return trip the Smiths spent two days at Lake Kemp.



GRUESOME TWOSOME—Boris Karloff, of movie-horror fame, shows the steps that change Robert Louis Stevenson's kindly Dr. Jekyll into sinister and sadistic Mr. Hyde, the gruesome half of a "twosome" personality.

DENTISTS

E. W. Gray

E. W. Gray, 79, retired Runnels county farmer, died Monday morning at Albuquerque, New Mexico, after illness of six months duration and which had been critical the past two months.

Decedent was born August 21, 1873, in Hays county, He and Miss Mary Pearl Witt were married December 15, 1900, at Lockhart and they came to this county in 1904 to settle in the Blanton community. He farmed there for a number of years before retiring. Mrs. Gray died in 1929. He left here eight years ago and since then had been making home with a son at Albuquerque.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, Rev. R. H. Cagle to officiate. Burial will follow in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors include two sons, Jack and Willard Gray, both of Albuquerque; a daughter, Mrs. Everett Witter, Ballinger; two brothers, Bud and C. C. Gray, Ballinger; six sisters, Mrs. Ralph McShan, Mrs. Jack Wilson, Mrs. C. A. Wilson, Ballinger; Mrs. Jack Beard, Mrs. Bob Beard, Concho; Mrs. Will Parker, Austin; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hoelscher and daughters, Gladys, Mildred and Dolores, spent a week recently at Colorado Springs, Denver, Central City and Leadville, Colorado, and at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

SERVING UNCLE SAM

Pfc. William R. Davenport, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil S. Davenport, of Ballinger, was at home on leave last week after finishing four weeks of a combat course at Camp Pendleton, California. From there has been sent to Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, where he will attend a service school. At San Diego, Pfc. Davenport was made sharpshooter and was elected outstanding member of his platoon. Bill is a former student of the Ballinger high school.

Cadet Joe E. Collins, of the Prairie View A. & M. College, is one of 2,000 ROTC infantry students attending the six weeks summer encampment at Fort Benning, Georgia. Cadet Collins is the son of Mrs. Ritti Johnson, of Ballinger. Cadets at Fort Benning represent at least 71 colleges and universities in the second, third, fourth and fifth army areas.

W-O Travis M. Barrett, who had been stationed at George AFB in California, is now at Chanute Field, Illinois, taking a course in overhauling jet bombers. He advised relatives of his new assignment in a recent letter.

Fred Penn Holliday, Jr., 18, is completing basic training at Lackland AFB, San Antonio. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holliday, of Ballinger, Fred was a May graduate of the Ballinger high school. He will receive a new assignment after his basic training and will enter some phase of air force technical training.

Pfc. Wilbert H. Hoelscher.

marine corps, left Saturday morning after spending a ten-day leave at home, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Hoelscher, of Olen. Wilbert has just completed the first phase of his training at San Diego and left here for Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, where he will attend a food service school.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Paul Kobel have returned to Greenville, Mississippi, after spending a leave in the home of Mrs. Kobel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hoelscher.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bryan are parents of a son, born at 1:35 a. m. July 30 in the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital. The baby, who has been named Brad Alton, weighed 8 pounds 2 ounces upon arrival. The Bryans have a daughter, Sunny Ann, 2 years. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Bales, of Hatchel, and Mrs. Alma Bryan, of Ballinger.

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PARISIAN PYRAMID—Three Sunday afternoon athletes perform a difficult hand-balancing act. They are seen above on the bank of the Seine River in the heart of the French capital.



THEY STILL SUFFER—The true parleys were going on, but the casualty list had another addition. This American soldier, bandages streaming from his wounded arm, shed some of the long and bitter battling for Sniper Ridge. Here he is being helped to a forward aid station.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jones, Jr., of Odessa, are the parents of a son, born July 28. The baby weighed 5 pounds 7 ounces at birth and has been named Andrew Jackson, 3rd. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kresta, Sr., of Ballinger; and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jones, Sr., of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sykes are the parents of a son, born August 4 in the San Angelo Clinic-Hospital. The young fellow weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces upon arrival and has been named Stephen Clinton. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sykes, of Ballinger; Fred West and Mrs. Christine West, of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Looney, of Valparaiso, Indiana, are parents of a daughter, born Sunday, August 2. Mrs. C. B. Looney, Sr., of Ballinger, is the grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fletcher of San Antonio, are parents of a son, born Wednesday, July 29, in a San Antonio hospital. The baby weighed 6 pounds 8 ounces upon arrival and has been named Ray Howard. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Baylis Fletcher, of Ballinger.

MRS. SMITH MALONE EXPIRES AT ATLANTA

Mrs. Milton Smith Malone died in a hospital at Atlanta, Georgia, Monday, following surgery.

A native of Fredericksburg, decedent was the daughter of Mrs. H. H. Sagebiel. The husband is a former Ballingerite, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Malone and a daughter, Mrs. Jack Scales, went to Fredericksburg the first of the week and this morning Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Malone, Jack Scales and others went there to attend the funeral.

Funeral services will be held at Zion Lutheran Church, Fredericksburg, this afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. Rev. Gus Sagr to officiate. Burial will follow in Greenwood Cemetery.

The Loire is the longest river in France.

CLARK-BRISTER REUNION AT CITY PARK AUGUST 16

The Clark-Brister annual family reunion will be held in the Ballinger city park Sunday, August 16. Everyone is invited to come early and enjoy the entire day.



EARLY TEETHER—Here's Deborah Marie Davis, proudly displaying the front tooth with which she was born. The 2½-month-old baby from Wheeling, W. Va., wasn't satisfied, though. So she recently began cutting her stomach teeth, too.



KISS OF HAPPINESS—These two Polish pilots, who flew Soviet MIGs from behind the Iron Curtain, greet each other joyfully at New York's Idlewild Airport where they were reunited. Guests of the U. S. Air Force, they are Franciszek Jarewski, left, 21, first Polish flier to make the flight, and Zdzislaw Jazwinski, 22, the second to do so.

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Supt. Ernest Caskey returned home Friday after a trip to several sections of the state in search of teachers.

Mrs. Fred McClanahan and children left Saturday for Shreveport after a month's visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Heidenheimer left the past week-end on a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Proctor, of Greeley, Colorado, have returned home after a visit here with Mrs. Proctor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hulsey have returned home after vacationing in Colorado, Wyoming and other states.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred W. King and family, of Three Rivers, are visiting in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. King and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Erwin left the first of the week for a two weeks vacation in Colorado.

Announcement

Harvey D. Lee has purchased the **FIKES SERVICE STATION**

on Hutchings Avenue and will operate it in the future. He was formerly with Mason's Humble Station. The station will continue to handle

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The city has completed all authorized projects and will have a breathing spell before any other major work is contemplated. The final work has been done on the water improvement and expansion project which included more pumping facilities, more filtration plant volume and the laying of additional and larger mains. Lines were tested the past week-end and should give better service to many homes. All anticipated park improvement has been completed and the last of the outstanding bond issue funds have been spent. Ballinger is one of the more fortunate towns in West Texas in that it has an adequate water supply. This alone has brought new citizens and been an asset in other ways.

School officials are pushing plans to get an early start on the 1953-54 term. With August 31 the opening date, principals and other school heads have begun work to be ready to receive students and start classwork without delay. Supt. Caskey is striving to complete the faculty and all teachers will attend the first staff meeting on August 31. Student registration has been arranged and so far as possible schedules will be made up by September 1. Football coaches are under fire. In previous years they have been able to start workouts on September 1 with a few days of morning and evening sessions. This year they will be limited to after-hours work only in which get ready for the opening game. The high school band also will be rushed at the beginning of the term to be properly fitted in uniforms, hold rehearsals and do some marching before the first football tilt. New teachers are moving to Ballinger now and obtaining living quarters.

Directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce have interviewed a number of men who have applied for the position of manager. They hope to contract a man who can move here and take over the duties before fall and direct a number of projects. The board has already booked the main features for the Christmas program and has approved plans for trade extension and fall promotions. What is needed now is the services of a full-time manager to devote efforts to perfecting the plans. The chamber has served well during the



WEST TEXAS NOTES

The Brady Chamber of Commerce is trying to find a buyer for the old prisoner of war camp located just south of town. The general service administration has notified Brady officials that the property will be sold. Recently several small industries were interested in buying the property to establish plants and these are being contacted by chamber officials. One of the buildings is occupied by the national guard company and is not expected to be offered for sale.

The Big Spring club has dropped out of the Longhorn Baseball League and will not complete the 1953 schedule. This was revealed in a league meeting at Midland last Thursday, just before the annual all-star game. Operators told league members they had lost \$26,000 during the 1953 season and did not want to lose approximately \$6,000 more to complete the schedule. The league becomes a six-club circuit and a new schedule is being drafted for the remainder of this year.

Engineers working on the \$900,000 state highway 70 from Sweetwater to Blackwell, a distance of about 30 miles, expect to complete plans soon and the Nolan county commissioners' court will start acquiring right-of-way within a short time. The new two-lane first-class highway will shorten the dis-

tance about one mile by cutting curves but will follow the old road most of the way. Work on the million dollar underpass on highway 70 at Sweetwater is about half complete. Thirteen miles of a four-lane section of highway 80 east of Sweetwater probably will be submitted for bids soon.

Dawson county farmers in a recent meeting at Lamesa requested help to get seed for a fall cover crop. A letter asking for the seed was sent to Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Benson. The plea was signed by conservation district, production and marketing administration and Farm Bureau officials. It was asked that unused

money in the conservation fund be used to provide wheat, rye, barley, speltz, sorghum or peas. It was estimated that four million pounds of seed were needed.

W. Barney Sullivan, new president of the Texas Pecan Growers' Association, stated recently that more members was one of the principal aims of the organization during the next twelve months. Sullivan, who lives at San Saba, will strive to secure members in all West Texas areas where pecans are raised. He stated that every grower, whether large or small would profit by membership in the association and would help form a strong organization.

Loss of most of the gas supply for the Brownwood city-owned gas distribution system is threatened as the result of negotiations for sale of the Central Texas Gas Co. properties to the Lone Star Gas Co. Dallas officials of the Lone Star Co. met with Brownwood officials last week and offered the city \$230,000 for the distri-

bution system. The proposal is being studied by the Brownwood city council while the property is being appraised by engineers. It was stated that in any event the city gas users would get an increase in rates. Finding a new supply would be expensive and if the Lone Star takes over rates would be higher than have been charged by the city.

Comanche's new swimming pool at Lake Eanes will be formally opened next Sunday. The concrete pool is being built at a cost of approximately \$8,500 from a fund contributed by business houses and individuals. Much free labor has gone into the construction and the past week-end the pool was being painted by volunteers. The bathhouses and concession stands are nearing completion and a fence is to be erected this week. A special program will be presented at the opening.

The Miles post of the American Legion met last week for the election of officers and other business. Grover O. Wilson was named commander; S. H. Kasberg, first vice-commander; Marvin Salling, second vice-commander; Edwin Urban, adjutant; W. H. Willman, finance officer; Earl Gordon, service officer; Roy Treadway, chaplain, and Tom B. Davis, historian. New officers will attend the state convention.

Ranking army engineers, Congressman O. C. Fisher, press representatives and others

made an aerial inspection tour of Coleman county lakes Wednesday. The group flew to Coleman from Fort Worth and was joined by members of the Central Colorado River Authority and Coleman Chamber of Commerce for the air view. After flying over the lakes, the group returned to Coleman and took cars for a special inspection of Hord's Creek lake and the Novice lake. Both were built in 1948 with army engineers in charge of the Hord's Creek project and the river authority in charge of the Novice lake.

The Winters F. F. A. chapter has been notified by the state executive committee that C. L. Green, of Green Milling & Grain Co., Winters, has been designated to receive the honorary farmer's degree. This is the highest award given to a business man and the recipient is selected by the state association. A certificate and a gold key will be presented Mr. Green at a meeting of the Winters chapter in the near future. Mr. Green has cooperated in much work of the Winters chapter in recent years.

Erath county livestock growers could use approximately 4,000 tons of hay, according to requests received by officials. The need was made known following a state-wide survey of surplus hay by John C. White, state commissioner of agriculture. The reporting agents were county agents in counties included in the drought relief program which will get federal

aid in one form or another. The report showed a 65,856-ton surplus in the state.

Duke Gibbs, producer of the Colorado City rodeo, left last week to purchase calves to be used this year. The producer was looking for young Brahma stock which will be put on his Triangle Bell Rodeo Ranch for the Colorado City show, which begins August 19. Prizes of \$225 have been offered for the best decorated floats in the opening parade.

The first bale of 1953 cotton for Tom Green county was ginned at Veribest Friday of last week. The bale was grown and gathered by B. R. Weatherford on his farm three miles northeast of Veribest. It was picked from about six acres of irrigated cotton and ginned by Johnson Bros., of Veribest. Weatherford has about 100 acres of irrigated cotton which he expects to produce about half a bale to the acre. He also has 120 acres not irrigated which will make considerably less.

Everything is being made ready for the opening of the Bronte school on August 31. Supt. J. L. Carroll stated that the faculty had been completed. There was only one resignation

from 1952-53 faculty and this position has been filled. The new athletic house, under construction, is to be finished by September 1 when football practice starts. Open house will be held on August 31 and all patrons are invited to attend. Bus drivers and lunch room workers have been employed for the 1953-54 team.

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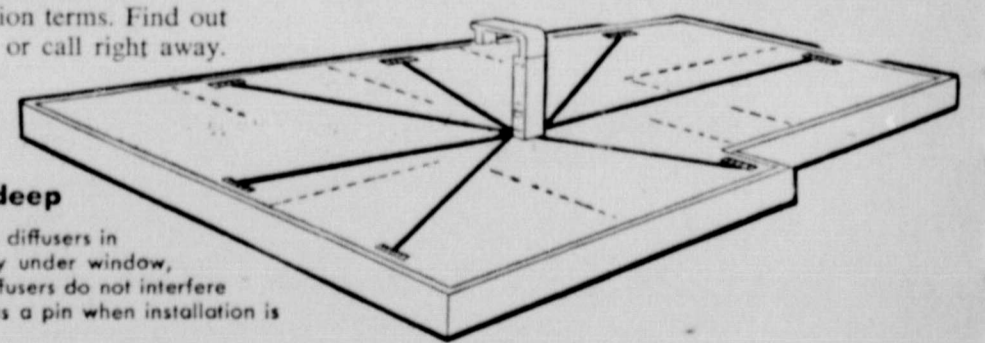
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CREWS

revival at the Baptist church closed Sunday night following ten days of splendid service. The results were not what the church had hoped for but the interest was very gratifying. Rev. Peyton, Mr. and Mrs. Crafton Brookshier, Troyce Hambricht, Ophella Dietz and Pat Wood are attending the intermediate camp at Glen Rose this week. Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Carroll had their entire family, all of his sisters and his only uncle in their home Sunday. The visitors were Edwin Carroll and family, of Dallas; James D. Carroll and family, of Talpa; Rev. Curtis Carroll and family, of Burton; Misses Annie, Lilly and Florence Carroll and Archie Carroll, of Richland Springs. The entire group attended church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Boynton, Nancy and Kenneth, of Odessa, spent Monday and Tuesday in the Clarence Hambricht home.

A large number attended the Methodist church social, held at the Ballinger city park Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Dietz and Patsy visited at Christoval and Pecos and viewed the Carlsbad Caverns last week.

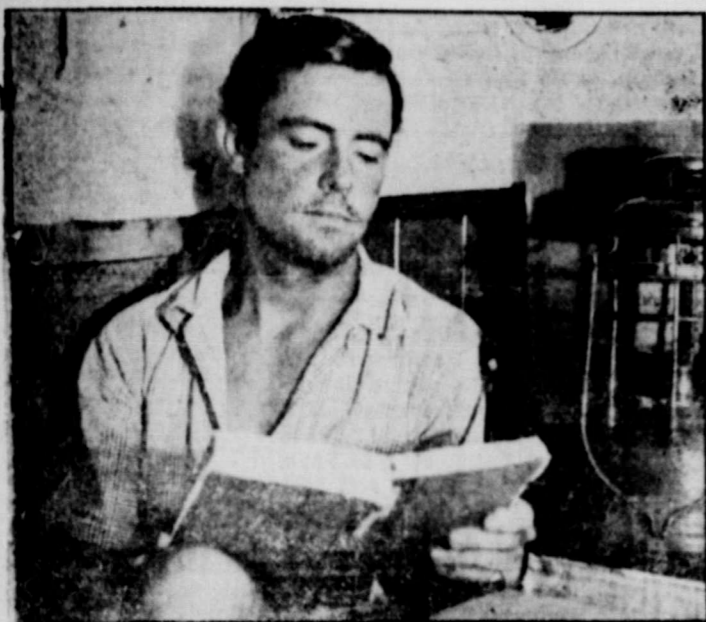
Representing the Baptist church at the district training service at Pecan Church, near Robert Lee, were the pastor, Rev. C. L. Carroll; Raymond, Phyllis and Nancy Schwartz, Janice Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth and Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Thea Lucas and June, of Midland, visited in the community the past week-end and attended church Sunday.

Pvt. Donald Ray Schwartz is spending 15 days with relatives before reporting for duty in



BEAR-LY SPEAKING—There's trouble "bruin" in one of the bear families inhabiting Michigan's northern woodland. A brotherly quarrel has these two little cubs up a tree.



BOOKIE WITH A BOOK—A bookie reads his book, but it's a work on philosophy. Colin Leslie Fox, 32-year-old licensed bookmaker from England, reads by kerosene light aboard his 23-foot yawl which took him on a 7000-Mile Atlantic voyage. Anchored in New York's East River, he now plans on selling his sailboat and buying a car to tour America.

Korea. He and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle and family are visiting Mrs. Charlie Gerhart, of Lometa; Mrs. John Bellmore, of Sabine Pass; Mrs. A. D. Standlee, of Freeport, and Mrs. Jim Hood, of Shreveport, this week.

FOUR-SQUARE CHURCH HAS NEW MINISTER

Rev. James LeFevre has moved to Ballinger with his family to become pastor of the Four-square Gospel Church, located on South Twelfth Street.

Rev. LeFevre was formerly at Coleman and prior to that served the Rochester church. He spent 18 years in California but is a native of Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. LeFevre have three children, a married daughter, Donald, 14; and Sherill Dean, 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Levine Beaver, who had been with the local church the past two years, have gone to Georgia, where Rev. Beaver has accepted another pastorate.

PARRISH AND GIBBS IN MATCHED ROPING

A feature at the Ballinger rodeo arena tomorrow (Friday) night at 8:00 o'clock will be a matched roping contest between Ben Parrish, of Ballinger, and Horace Gibbs, of Crews.

A large crowd witnessed the various events Tuesday night. Some excellent time was posted by the performers.

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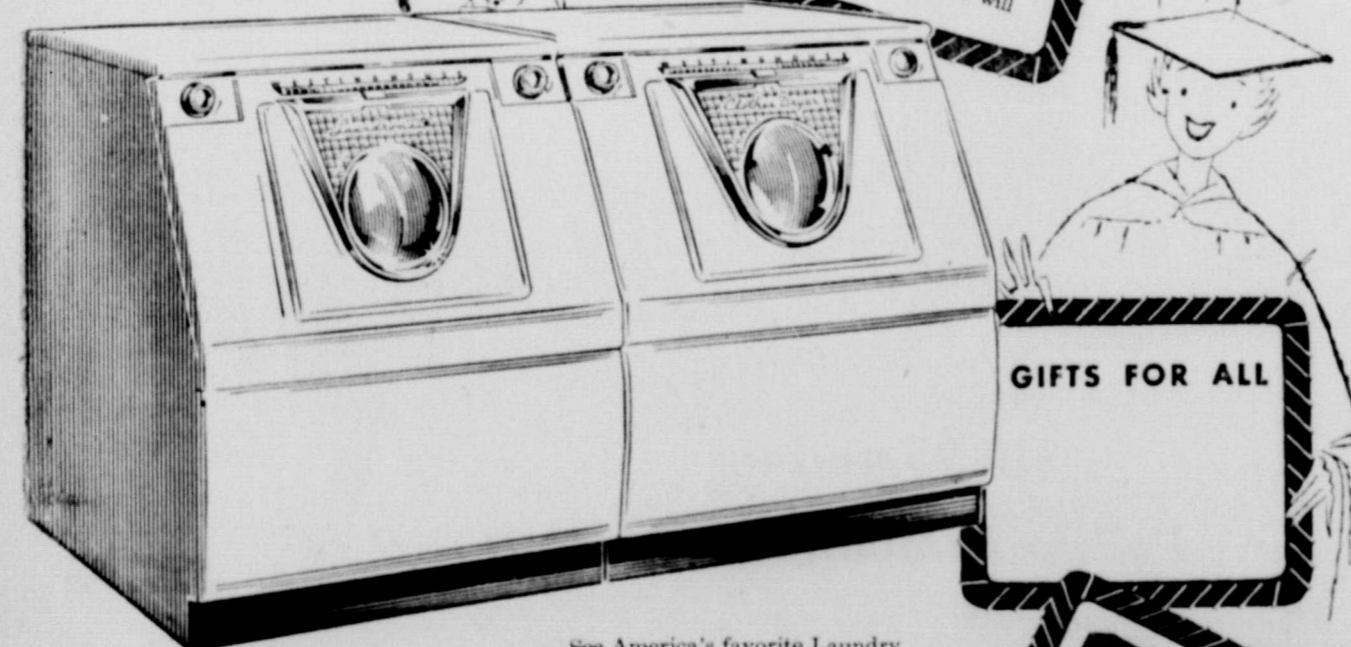
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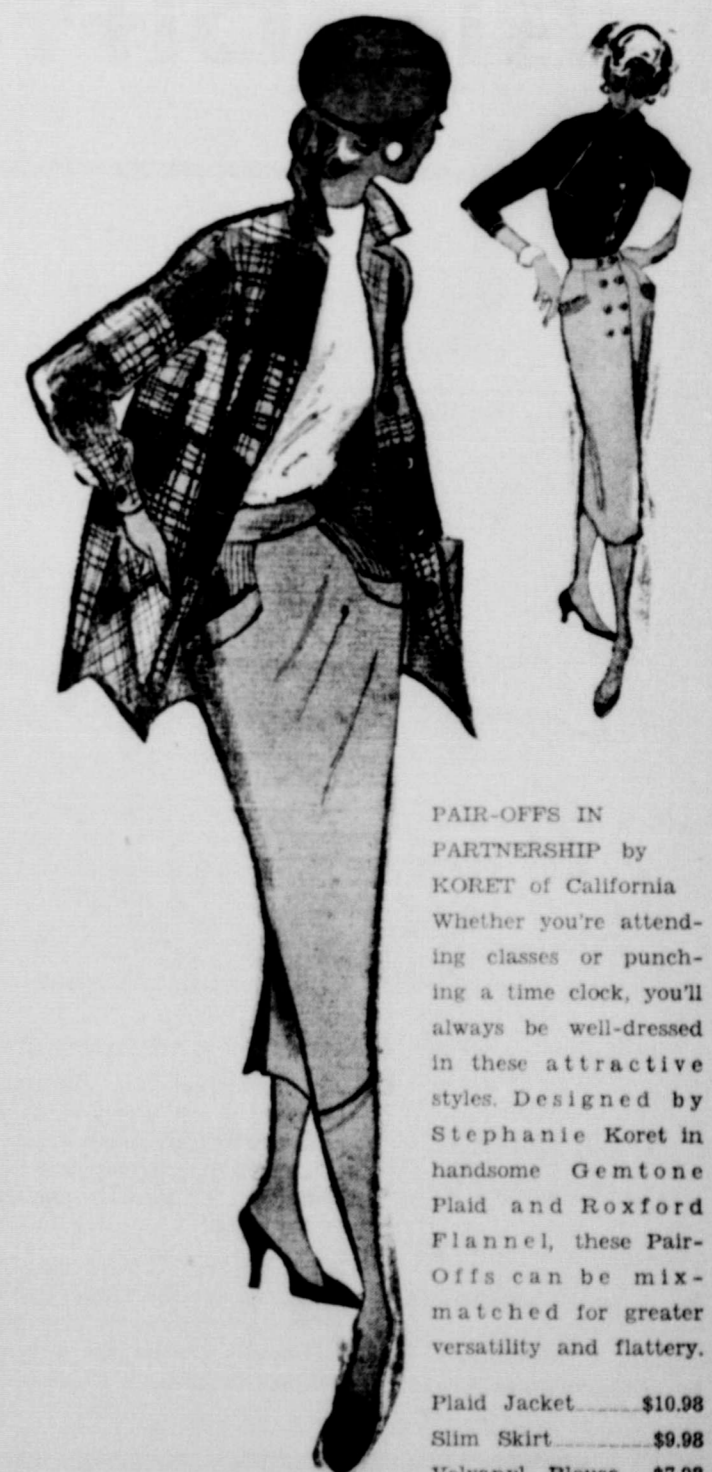
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Marriage Licenses Issued 17 Couples During Past Month

Seventeen couples received marriage licenses during July. The list as recorded in the office of County Clerk Frankie Berryman follows:

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Tom Burkett Hall and Mrs. Mary Alvina Whitlock
Grady Eugene Durham, Jr., and Miss Nancy LeMay
Arnold Gene Baldwin and Miss Mary Carolyn Whitson
Hubert Wayne Brook and Miss Floy Dale Rives
Earle Hamilton and Miss Peggy Jo Stanley
Edwin Taylor Tickle and Miss Orla Joyce Smith
Abelino P. Prendez and Miss Emilla Martinez Escobar
Bob Isaac Vancil and Miss Ruth Gayle Eubank
Thomas Moore Whitstone and Miss Martha Bertha Pieper
Ernie England and Miss Earnestine Rice
Glenn Wesley Erwin and Miss Ella Fannie Alma Dahmann
Jack Frederick Gerhart and Miss Francis Luella McSwain



CAKE CONTEST WINNERS—These women were winners of a cake-baking contest in conjunction with the Runnels County Farm Bureau barbecue at Ballinger Thursday night. Left to right are Mrs. Emil Havlak and Mrs. D. O. Kennedy, both of Ballinger, first and second place winners in the angle food cake division; and Mrs. Daniel Fischer of Bethel and Mrs. B. M. Batts of Ballinger, first and second in pound cake division. (Staff photo)



BLONDE TWISTER—Swivel-hipped Valerie Bettis of Hollywood is caught in suspended animation as she practices a twisting dance routine. Valerie has served as choreographer and dancing teacher to actress Jane Wyman.

Elifah Bunk Hasty and Mrs. Estella Johnson
Jerome Henry Hoelscher and Miss Elizabeth Louise Greger
Frankie Kelton Lane and Miss Joad Dean Ashton
Gerald Dean Sloan and Miss Reni Marrene Ford

Erse is the language of Scotch highlanders.

STOLEN DICKEY AUTO FOUND AT BIG SPRING

A car stolen here last week from Frank C. Dickey, of Robert Lee, was recovered Friday at Big Spring. Sheriff Don Atkins was informed by Big Spring officers that the car had been found and that the driver would

be arrested shortly. The car was parked in front of the Central Hotel one night last week and when Mr. Dickey started to use it the next morning it was missing.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. J. C. Reese were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Reese and daughter, Julie, of Shreveport; Mrs. Luther Reese and children, Carol and Patty, of Seattle, Washington; and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reese and daughters, Jan Susan and Linda, of Hereford. Mr. and Mrs. Simeon M. Cottle and daughter, Carolyn, left Wednesday for their home at Oxnard, California, after a

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two weeks visit with Mr. Cottle's mother, Mrs. Sims Cottle.

Mr. and Mrs. Verla Smit, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Winter and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Smit attended the bullfights in Ciudad Acuna, Mexico, the past week-end.

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IMPROVEMENTS BEING MADE AT PARK HOTEL
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Later a number of changes will be made in the interior for rendering better service.

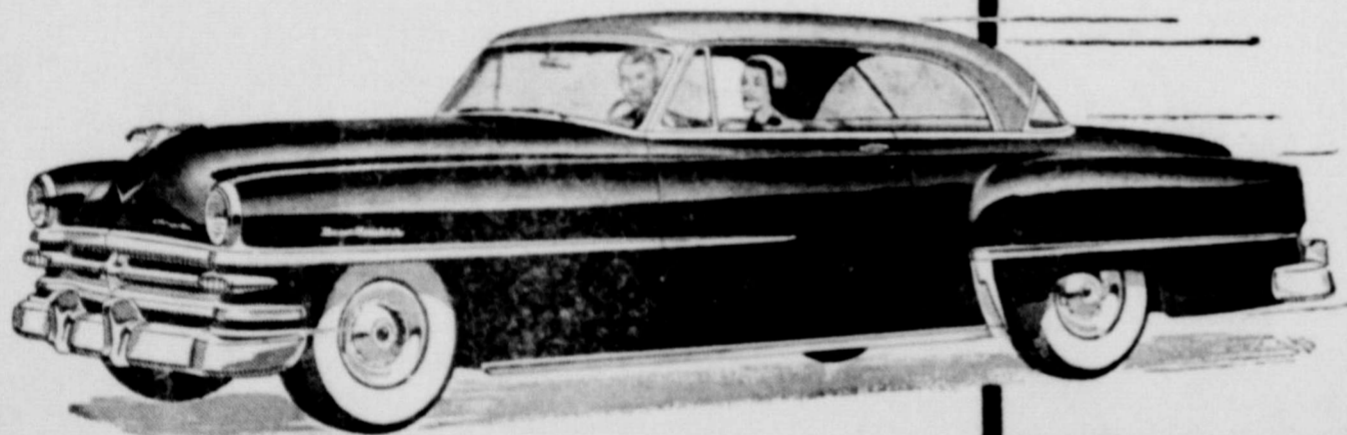
Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Damon, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Bryant, and children, Georgia and Maloy, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Riddle, and Buddy Hiller have

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With the showing of "House of Wax" at the Texas Theatre next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, August 9 through 11, the top studios of the major film city of the world enter the realm of three-dimension pictures, a revelation to advance still further the possibilities of screen and theatre entertainment in answer to the threat of other media for leadership in the art and business of entertaining the people.

As the first major studio to produce a feature 3-D picture, Warner Bros. has taken a mystery thriller story and with Vincent Price, Frank Lovejoy and Phyllis Kirk in the leading roles, has filmed—in WarnerColor—a motion picture which the company hopes will rank in its history with the picture that ushered in sound some 20 years ago—"The Jazz Singer."

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"My Wife's Best Friend," 20th Century-Fox's sparkling new comedy starring Anne Baxter and Macdonald Carey is one of the two feature attractions at

the Texas tomorrow and Saturday. A story of romantic hilarities, "My Wife's Best Friend" features Cecil Kellaway, Casey Adams, Catherine McLeod, Lory Erickson, Frances Baxter, Mary Sullivan and Martin Milner.

John Derek, handsome young star who has made quite a reputation for himself as a romantic screen swashbuckler, returns to the Texas tomorrow and Saturday in the type of role his fans like best. In "Prince of Pirates," his new derring-do drama in color by Technicolor, Derek plays a fighting patriot forced into piracy by tyrants. Featured in support are Carla Balenda and Barbara Rush.

Suspense Dramas and Westerns Add Variety To Hillcrest Programs for the Current Week

In the over 25 films William Holden has appeared in since "Gold Boy," which began his screen career, he has never had anything but starring roles. Currently Holden is sharing stellar honors with Edmond O'Brien and Alexis Smith in Paramount's thrill-packed suspense drama, "The Turning Point," billed at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre Saturday only, August 8, with "City Badmen."

Denning and John Ireland as U. S. agents who smash the enemy ring. Lovely Suzanne Dalbert has the feminine lead. The story unfolded is one of split-second intensity that builds up to an explosive impact.

The special first-run attraction at the Hillcrest Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week is "Ride, Vaquero!" which stars Robert Taylor, Ava Gardner and Howard Keel. In the film story Taylor has the role of a man brought up as the foster brother of a murderous bandit in the Texas cattle country in the period following the end of the Civil War.

SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICIAL TO CALL HERE AUGUST 11

Holly Rees, field representative of the San Angelo social security office, will be in the Ballinger post office next Tuesday, August 11, at 9:00 a. m.

Rees stated that all persons covered by the social security act should check their records of earnings with the social security administration. The San Angelo office has available postcards for this purpose, or the representative will furnish them to interested wage earners and self-employed persons at the time of his next visit.

Though statements of credited earnings are available once a year, everyone should request a statement once every three years," Rees pointed out.

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Judy Holliday Plays Comedy in New Film

Judy Holliday, in a role that matches her academy-award winning performance in "Born Yesterday," returns to the Texas Theatre screen Tuesday and Wednesday, August 12, 13, as the star of Columbia's "The Marrying Kind."

The new comedy-drama, introducing Aldo Ray as Judy's light of love, is said to tell the whole heartwarming and hilarious story of a marriage. In an important featured role, Madge Kennedy, silent screen star, makes her first movie appearance in many years.

George Cukor, who directed Miss Holliday in her oscar-annexing "Born Yesterday" performance, also handled the direction on "The Marrying Kind."

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A pretty blonde from Houston became the 250,000th visitor to the huge cavern since its opening to the public more than twenty years ago.

Mrs. Marlene Chadick, 22, passed through the legendary Sam Bass entrance with a group of visitors from Houston and was greeted by H. H. Galloway, manager, and other cavern officials. She was presented

with a complete western outfit as a memento.

The quarter-million attendance record was established at the high point of the cavern's best tourist season to date, Mr. Galloway said. Attendance so far is running ahead of the cavern's best year, which was 1951.

Mr. Galloway was recently presented with an engraved watch for his 29 years service as cavern manager, at a banquet here attended by more than 100 guests.

The guests included chamber of commerce officials from the neighboring towns of Lampasas, Bertram, Marble Falls and Llano; Frank D. Quinn, chairman of the state parks board; and Max Starke, head of the lower Colorado River authority. The cavern is located in Long-

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surgical, Friday
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ter, Rowena, Friday
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Saturday
Mrs. K. E. Blount, Winters,
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Wednesday
Births recorded at the clinic
the past week were as follows:
Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bryan, a
son, July 30
Mr. and Mrs. Benny Garza, a
daughter, July 30
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pospichal, a
daughter, August 2
Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Camp-
bell, a daughter, August 1
Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Allen,
Junction, a daughter, August 5
Mr. and Mrs. T. Gonzales,
Mereta, a daughter, August 4
Patients hospitalized at this
time include:
L. A. Mosier, medical
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Mrs. H. K. Corum, Winters,
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C. W. McAden, medical
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Thomas Cagle, Winters, med-
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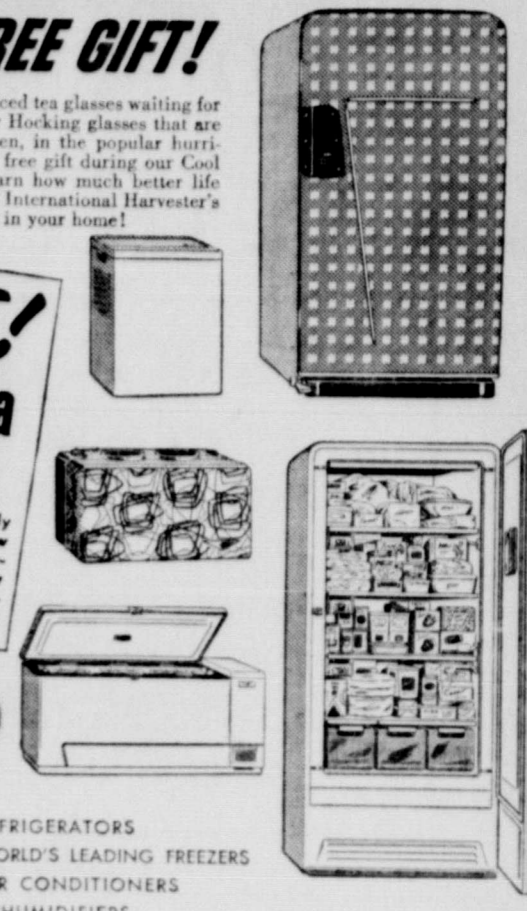
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SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen conducted the business routine at the regular meeting of the South Ballinger home demonstration club in the home of Mrs. Dick Holstead Tuesday afternoon.

After the group sang "Evening Star" Mrs. T. J. Forgy read the club woman's collect and Mrs. Bud Farley gave the "Thought for the Week." Members answered roll by commenting on their summer vacation. A nominating committee, composed of Mrs. R. R. Holstead, Mrs. Jack Fry, and Mrs. Austin Williams, was named by the president. The family picnic was announced for 7:00 p. m. on August 14, to be held at the city park.

A program was presented on club socials. The hostess served refreshments to all present.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. C. D. Harris at 2:30 p. m. September 1.

FRANK REESE MADE OFFICER OF PHARMACEUTICAL GROUP

Frank Reese, of Houston, a former resident of Ballinger, was installed vice-president of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association as the organization climaxed its five-day, seventy-second annual convention at Dallas last week.

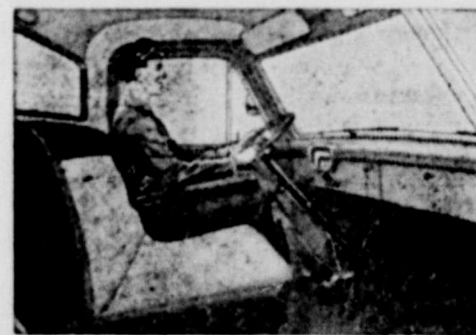
More than 1,200 druggists, traveling salesmen, their wives and children registered for the convention which was held in the Hotel Adolphus.

Mr. Reese and M. M. Moberly, of Fort Worth, who was installed second vice-president, will serve with Howard A. Hestand, of Sherman, president, who is now serving his seventh year on the T. P. A. board of directors.

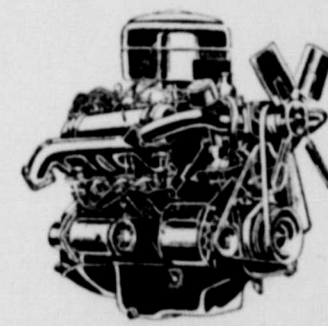
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SHORE SERVICE—An improvement on curb service keeps French actresses Rosemary Crowell, left, and Simone Bach, right, cool while dining at this seaside restaurant on the French Riviera.

SOCIETY

Miss Ford, Gerald Sloan Wed in Home Ceremony

The wedding of Miss Reni Marrene Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Ford, of Ballinger, to Gerald Sloan, son of Mrs. C. W. Sloan, of Carlsbad, was solemnized Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents at 403 Sharp Avenue.

Buster Mullin, minister of the Ninth Street Church of Christ, officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Baskets of pink gladioli and palms flanked the arch before the living room windows. The arch was entwined with greenery.

Miss Kay Donna Ford, sister of the bride was maid of honor. She wore a gown of pink Chantilly lace fashioned with a fitted bodice embroidered with seed pearls. The full skirt was ballerina length, and she carried a bouquet of white gladioli.

Best man was Eldon Boggs, of Ballinger.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a bouffant gown of white Chantilly lace and tulle over satin. The molded bodice of satin was embroidered with pearls and topped to a drop shoulder yoke of lace finished with a mandarin lace collar. Self-covered buttons traced the back of the bodice as well as the fitted sleeve which extended to points at the wrists. Panels of tulle formed a full overskirt for the ballerina length gown.

The bride's veil of illusion cascaded to fingertip length from a tiara of pearl and silver beads. She wore an heirloom brooch belonging to a friend. Her bouquet was a white orchid encircled with white carnations and stephanotis.

A reception at the home followed the ceremony. The table was laid with lace and centered with white gladioli. Pink rosebuds were interspersed with ropes of festoons on the sides of each tier, and a bridal couple topped the three-tiered cake. Miss Kay Donna Ford served the cake and Miss Charlene Evans presided at the punch service.

After a wedding trip to Colorado the couple will be at home in Ballinger. For traveling the bride wore a suit of pale blue

faille with white accessories and a white orchid corsage.

Mrs. Sloan is a graduate of Ballinger High School and attended Mary Hardin-Baylor College at Belton. She completed her internship in medical technology in July at Scott & White Hospital, Temple. Mr. Sloan is a graduate of Ballinger High School, and is employed here by Gandy's Creamery of San Angelo.

Out-of-town wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ford, of Norton; Mrs. C. W. Sloan, of Carlsbad; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Doran and son, Billy, of Sonora; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Moreland, of Norton; and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis B. Ford, of San Angelo.

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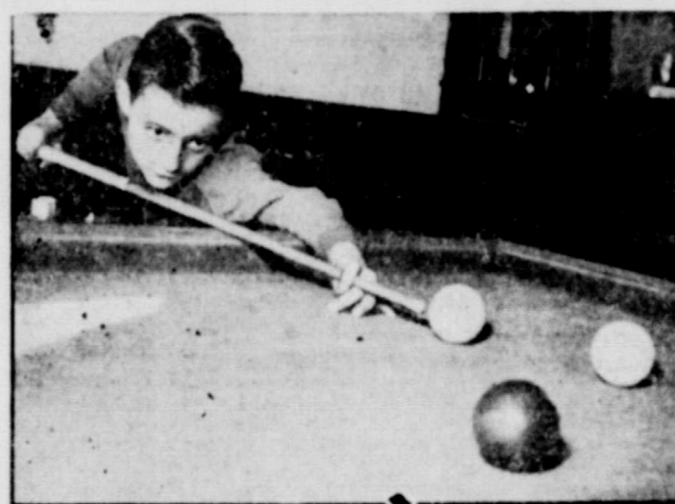
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SOCIETY

Hoelscher-Greger Nuptials Performed at St. Mary's

Miss Elizabeth Louise Greger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Greger, of Norton, and Jerome Henry Hoelscher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoelscher, of Olfen, exchanged double-ring wedding vows Monday, August 3, in St. Mary's Catholic Church, Ballinger.

The Rev. Patrick Ward, O. M. I., pastor, officiated at the marriage ceremony and at the nuptial mass. The altar was decorated with arrangements of white gladioli. Branched candelabra holding white candles completed the altar setting.

Miss Beatrice Halfmann, of Olfen, cousin of the bridegroom, presented the traditional wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a suit of blue-gray wool with navy accessories. For something old she carried a white rosary belonging to her mother. Her corsage was of white gladioli.

Miss Marilyn Hoelscher, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor. She also wore a suit of blue with navy accessories and a white carnation corsage.

Robert Greger, brother of the bride, was best man.

Following the ceremony a



STARS IN HIS EARS—Major Truman Hemingway of Fairfield, Calif., still proudly wears in his ear a gold star, (closeup, right) symbol of his guerrilla days in World War II. He is one of 12 living Americans who wear the tokens to commemorate close bonds forged in the early days of the war, harrasing the Japs. Hemingway was awarded the Legion of Merit by General MacArthur for his contribution to the Pacific campaign.

breakfast was held in the home of Mrs. Lucy Rollwitz. The parents of the bride entertained at a reception at St. Mary's Recreation Hall where white gladioli arrangements were used for decorating the refreshment table, which was laid in white linen.

Mrs. Bernard Beach, of Olfen, and Mrs. Kirby Robinson, of Norton, presided at the punch service and served cake squares iced in white and decorated with pink rosebuds. Others assisting in serving were Mrs. Erwin Halfmann, Mrs. Reinhold Hoelscher, Mrs. Walter Mueller and Miss Shirley Michaelwitz.

Mrs. Leonard Halfmann and Miss Beatrice Halfmann registered guests.

The noon luncheon was served in the home of the bride's parents at Norton.

Mrs. Hoelscher was a graduate of Chilton High School. Mr. Hoelscher attended St.

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Hostesses were assisted by Mrs. R. Audrian Young and her daughter, Miss Audrey Anne Young, in receiving.

Mrs. Ralph Mucklerath registered guests which included approximately 40 callers, and Mrs. Strickland spoke good-byes.

Jack Dempsey's full name was William Harrison Dempsey.

The couple will be married on Saturday in the First Baptist Church chapel. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Audrian Young, of Ballinger, and the prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Brown, of Tomball.

The bride-elect's chosen colors, pink and blue, were featured in floral decorations throughout the home. The lace-laid dining table was over blue satin and centered with an arrangement of garden summer flowers.

Miss Young Feted at Afternoon Tea

A pre-nuptial gift tea was given last Thursday afternoon for Miss Audrey Anne Young, bride-elect of Lt. Rodney L. Brown, stationed at Connally AFB, Waco, by Misses S. C. Strickland, J. E. Lewallen and James A. Davis in the Strickland home at the Humble Pump Station.

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