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South Part of County Receives Heavy Rains

Good rains of from 1 to 3 inches fell over most of Runnels county Monday night. The rain started just south of Norton and cut across the county between Winters and Hatchel. About the southern half of the county received good rains and only in a few places hail was reported. Most of the hail fell between Maverick and Miles and the southwestern part of the county. The moisture measured 1.89 at Ballinger and brought the 1954 total to 13.42 inches. The total for other parts of the county is much higher than in Ballinger. Farmers and ranchmen in town Tuesday stated that the rain came just at the right time. Most crops have been planted and are up and very little small grain harvest has been started. Pastures were ready for another rain to keep grass growing. The Colorado River at Ballinger was bank full Tuesday afternoon from rains at Bronte and Robert Lee and a heavy downpour around Maverick. Elm Creek carried only a small amount of water Tuesday.

Big Paving Program Scheduled for Area

Highway building and improvement markers for Texas in 1955-56 have been announced by the Texas highway department and will cover costs of approximately \$211,000,000. Reconstruction of highway 67 from Ballinger 8 miles east toward Coleman is included in proposed contracts. This job will be done at an estimated cost of \$278,000. The exact type of work proposed has not been revealed but probably will include widening, surfacing and wider drainage structures. Good progress is being made on the present job from Ballinger north to the precinct line just north of Hatchel. A small section from the city limits to the highway warehouse is completed.

Coleman Court to Study Highway Cut-Off Needs

The Coleman county commissioners' court will hold a meeting on June 14 to which a large number of Coleman county people have been invited. The meeting will also be of interest to those living west of Coleman on highway 67. The commissioners and others will discuss the buying of land for the right-of-way on a cut-off south of Coleman. The route of the proposed new road would start at a point four miles south of Coleman and go straight to Santa Anna.

Court Judge Walter K. Boyd, of Coleman, states that the problem must be solved soon and that the court is interested in having opinions of interested people in the county.

The state highway department has urged the building of the cut-off for several years. Two years ago the Coleman commissioners voted to purchase the right-of-way when money was available and the highway department agreed to construct the Valera-Coleman part of the highway. This \$280,000 project was started last year and will be completed about July 1.

Right-of-way deeds for the needed highway department were completed by the highway department two weeks ago and turned over to the Coleman county commissioners' court for action. Judge Boyd estimated that the cost to the county would be \$20,000 to \$30,000.

The proposed cut-off would make it possible for through traffic to travel the new route by-pass Coleman. Citizens a number of West Texas cities have sought the designation of a cut-off by the state in order to save mileage, especially in trucking of livestock.

The completion of the new highway will benefit traffic on highway 67 a great deal. The road has been straightened and widened and will be one of the best pieces of construction between Brownwood and San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Sims and Mrs. David Don and Mrs. J. A. Crockett, who had been visiting at Midland the week, returned home with Mrs. Sims and Mrs. Agnew, of Dallas, came in Tuesday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Agnew and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guynes. They will leave Saturday for Colorado Springs, and after the vacation will return home.



SNACKTIME—This modest (?) display of chicken, lamb, rice, and uncounted side dishes recently was served in the home of the Emir of Hofuf, in Arabia. The mammoth table of delicacies was set in honor of visiting Saudi Arabian newsmen, who journeyed to Hofuf with Finance Minister Sheikh Abdulla Suleiman, and the meal was considered in no way extravagant by princely standards.

7 Runnels County Club Boys Enter State Competition

John A. Barton, Jimmy Cusenbary and seven 4-H club boys left Monday for College Station to attend the state judging contest. David Lange, Bernard Gully and Donald Droll, of St. Joseph's club, will compete in the state land judging contest. This group was coached by Mr. Barton and won the district contest which made it eligible for the state competition.

Obie Dee Bradford, Freddy James, C. F. Busher and Ronnie Heathcote, of the Cochran club, will compete in the state poultry judging. Cusenbary was coach of this group which also took honors at district contests.

While on the trip the boys will attend the statewide 4-H meeting and represent Runnels county.

Last week ten boys from this county attended the district encampment held at the A. & M. College adjunct at Junction. Those making this trip were Roy Minzenmayer, Norton; Obie Dee Bradford, A. C. Wessels, Calvin Helm, Cochran; Pat Pritchard, Jr., and Royce Heathcote, Wingate; Kenneth Wendland, Miles; Valton Hoffman and Bill Routh, Ballinger; and Henry Halfmann, Jr., Oifen. Major activities at the camp were rifle competition, swimming, wildlife demonstrations and fox calling.

In swimming, the Runnels county team composed of Obie Dee Bradford, Calvin Helm and A. C. Wessels, won first. Bradford was third in the senior free style and Bill Routh placed third in the junior free style. In the rifle competition a team composed of Bradford, Helm and Routh captured first. Bradford was high in the individual senior rifle trials and Routh was fourth in the junior division. In the stunt night performance, Bradford won third place.

Boys attending the district encampment are chosen on the basis of their records for the past year.

Mr. Barton and Mr. Cusenbary accompanied the group to Junction.

SAN MARCOS AIRMAN DIES OF CAR WRECK INJURIES
Billy Don Wilkerson, 23, San Marcos airman, died at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital at 8:45 Monday evening from injuries sustained in a traffic accident near Paint Rock Sunday. His wife remains in critical condition in the local hospital. She suffered a fractured pelvis and back injuries. The accident occurred about 5:30 Sunday afternoon five miles south of Paint Rock on highway 83. Investigating officers stated that the driver apparently lost control of the car and it turned over, throwing both passengers out. The two injured persons were brought here for treatment. They were en route to Sweetwater, Roby and Rotan to visit relatives. Funeral services for Wilkerson were held at 3:00 p. m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church of Roby and burial was in Bellview Cemetery at Rotan. Survivors besides the wife include his mother, Mrs. Neva Wilkerson, Sweetwater; four brothers and a sister.

PRESBYTERIAN YOUTHS ATTENDING TWO CAMPS
Louise Miller and Robert Wilson left today for the annual Presbyterian encampment at Mo-Ranch, near Hunt, and will be there for the entire program. Malcolm Hall and Anne Stasney are at Cisco this week at the Mid-Texas Presbyterian encampment. Miss Stasney is assisting with the program and Malcolm is in the 8th grade section.

"Skeeter" Pearce and "Buddy" Stasney will go to Cisco next week to attend the 7th grade division of the camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Agnew, of Dallas, came in Tuesday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Agnew and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guynes. They will leave Saturday for Colorado Springs, and after the vacation will return home.

Mrs. Conway T. Wharton, of Galveston, is visiting friends in Ballinger.

Club Stockholders' Meeting to be Held On Monday Night

The annual meeting of shareholders of the Ballinger Country Club will be held Monday night at the clubhouse. At this meeting new directors will be elected, plans made for the Fourth of July party, improvements discussed and a number of other items presented.

Allen Davis, retiring president, said the annual barbecue, bridge and golf tournaments probably would be held on Monday, July 5. This is when Ballinger business men are expected to observe Independence Day.

Reports on work done during the past twelve months will be made by committee chairmen and needed projects will be suggested. A study has been made on killing fish in the lake and restocking it to make fishing better.

The club has 100 members and all are urged to be present or send voting proxies. It will be necessary to have 25 members present before official business can be transacted.

The Fourth of July program will be for club members, their families and out-of-town guests.

Murder Charge Will be Probed By Grand Jury

The Runnels county grand jury was recalled the past week-end to meet here this Thursday morning to hear evidence in several criminal cases. Most important is the investigation of a murder charge filed against Clyde Allen Jennings in the drowning of Wallace Windsor O'Neal. A number of witnesses in the murder investigation have been summoned and attorneys will present written statements from Jennings and others.

District Attorney E. C. Grindstaff stated that several other cases also will be submitted to the grand jury.

NORTON-WILMETH ROAD CONTRACT COMPLETED
Work has been completed on the Norton, Wilmeth road and this pavement of about 7.5 miles is open to traffic. The new road was approved and a contract let last fall, but surfacing was postponed until the end of cold weather. This road gives an important connection north from Norton with the farm-to-market road from Winters to Wingate. Right-of-way deeds are being secured on the road east from Winters to the Cree-Sykes oil field and the four-mile south strip which will connect with other pavement at Crews, leading to Coleman, Winters and Ballinger. A contract on this designation will be the next to be let for this county.

All gaps have been surfaced on the Martin's Inn road and it has been turned over to the state highway department.

Ford to be Installed For Jaycee Officers At Meeting Tonight

A meeting of the Ballinger Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held tonight at the Acapulco Cafe for the installation of officers. At the conclusion of the banquet and program, members and guests will go to the American Legion hall for a dance.



Attending the meeting will be "Rocky" Ford, of Midland, president of the state Jaycee organization; and F. E. ("Red") Hightower, vice-president of region 4. Both visitors have been active in the organization for many years, leaders in their regions and in state activities. Ford was elected president at the recent state convention at El Paso.



Officers to be installed are: W. R. ("Buddy") Gray, president; Charles Walker, first vice-president; Gene Heidenheimer, second vice-president; Joe McCauley, secretary; Gene Keel, state director; David Batts, Dr. Lloyd Downing, Tom Epling, and Jimmy Wilkins, directors. President Ford will preside for the installation and will be assisted by Mr. Hightower.

POSTAL CLERKS HERE MAKE PERFECT ON EXAMINATIONS
Examination papers returned here the past week-end revealed four clerks in the local post-office had perfect grades. Case examinations were given by the superintendent of transportation on the handling of mail for dispatch.

Dale Buckley, of Fort Worth, gave the examinations on May 18. The four clerks were handed 100 cards listing postoffices in West Texas and a miniature board for casing the cards. Eight minutes is passing time for handling the cards and all local clerks made a perfect score, handling the 100 cards in three minutes.

Those taking the examinations were Vernon Pape, Clarence Richards, Jr., Carl J. Karlson and Kelly Chapman.

Investigations And Arrests Keep Law Enforcers on Move

The sheriff's department and other law enforcement officers have been busy the past week conducting investigations and taking statements in criminal cases.

Clyde Allen Jennings, held here on a murder charge, has admitted to a number of theft cases in this section and at other places in Texas. Sheriff Don Atkins plans to take him to other cities soon to locate some of the articles which he sold.

Carl H. Morris has been filed on for removing mortgaged property and a warrant for his arrest sent to Victoria.

Lonnie Freeman is in jail at Wichita Falls and has been charged here with burglary and felony checking. Both charges originated at Winters.

James Bush has been charged with removing mortgaged property and a warrant for his arrest sent to Gidson, California.

George Martin was arrested by city police and charged with driving while intoxicated. He was fined \$97.80.

Robert Owens, escapee from the penitentiary, was arrested here and returned to Huntsville by the sheriff's department.

A stolen car was located at Winters and returned to the owner at San Angelo.

Robert Garcia was filed on for driving without a license and fined \$16.70.

Two drunks were arrested the past week-end and paid fines in justice court Monday.

Four worthless checking cases were filed the past week.

Two juveniles, 15 years of age each, admitted to 22 theft charges Monday. After a lecture by the county judge they were probated to their parents.

Willie Townsend, local negro, was charged with two cases of theft Monday.

Sheriff Atkins stated that other investigations were being conducted which probably would result in arrests.

John Robert Herring was charged with driving while intoxicated Tuesday and paid a fine of \$122.80.

Well on Campbell Place Projected For Serratt Sand

The James K. Anderson No. 1-Rollin Campbell was started the past week-end and drilling will proceed to the Serratt sand. The location is just across the Abilene-Ballinger highway from the Nunn (Serratt) field.

The Suisse (Fry sand) field was extended one location north with completion of Gulf Oil Corp. No. 6-F. Hamilton for a daily flowing potential of 574.40 barrels of 42.7 gravity oil. The potential was based on an actual 6-hour flow of 143.6 barrels. Top of pay was found at 4,474 feet.

An application has been filed for a permit by Miami Operating Co. to drill its No. 1A-H. F. Lindemann, projected for 4,200 feet. The location is seven miles southwest of Crews, in the Ashton (lower Gardner) field, which produces from an average depth of 3,804 feet.

Thomas G. Shield, of Dallas, has filed an application for a permit to drill an Ellenburger wildcat 10 miles east of Ballinger and 2 1/2 miles southeast of the Beddo, East (Serratt) field. It will be the Shield No. 1-A. N. Hoffman. Projection is for 4,100 feet.

Warren Petroleum Co. No. 3-Jin C. Smith is an assured producer in the Winters, North (Gardner) field. Tests are being made.

Work on the Mrs. A. S. Dickinson well, two miles northwest of Ballinger, was abandoned this week after probing the Cambrian structure.

Mrs. Nina Gunyon and three children left Friday for a visit with relatives and friends at El Paso.

V. H. Smith, band director for the Grand Falls high school, returned home the past week-end after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McGarvey, David and B. M. Batts attended a banquet and installation ceremonies for Jaycee officers at Brady Monday night.

Specialists to Conduct 2 Meetings on Cotton

Two important meetings have been set for Runnels county on Wednesday, June 16, when specialists will give the latest information to farmers on cotton insects.

The morning meeting will be held at 10:00 a. m. at the State Theatre, Winters. The afternoon session will start at 2:00 p. m. in the district court room of the court house here. All farmers and others interested are invited to attend.

For these programs, three extension service specialists will give latest information on control of flea hoppers, thrips, bollworms, boll weevils, and various species of army worms that may show up this year. They will also give other special cotton growing information.

Leaders point out that with the good sub-soil moisture, there is nothing more important than knowing more in detail how to control insects and what to use in dealing with every problem. The specialists will stress that the sub-soil moisture is sufficient to make an excellent crop with only moderate rains during the growing season. For this reason they urge strict control of all damaging insects.

The county agent's office points out that this year may bring an unusual infestation of boll worms as there will be a large grain sorghum acreage which aids in the build up of cotton boll worms.

Defoliation, strip crop harvesting, ginning for higher grade will also be detailed by the specialists.

All Local Guardsmen To Go to Camp Hood

Company I, 142nd Infantry, Ballinger's national guard unit, will go to camp Sunday and for the second year in a row will have 100 per cent attendance. Five officers, one warrant officer and 73 enlisted men will attend. The annual maneuvers will again be held at North Camp Hood, near Gatesville.

Officers in the unit are Capt. H. B. Edmondson, First Lt. Thomas I. Gabbert, First Lt. Charles E. Bradshaw, First Lt. Douglas Cox, Second Lt. John D. Bradshaw, and CWO Caleb Brown. First Sergeant of the company is Woodrow Alder, of Winters, and platoon sergeants are Harold Mueller, Aubrey Watson and Edwin Zly.

Most of the men will board a chartered bus here Sunday morning and go directly to quarters at Camp Hood. An advance detachment left today and will have everything ready at the barracks when the company arrives. The advance section was composed of Sgt. Leonard Long and Pvt. Alpheus Hill. Sgt. James Mueller will leave Saturday with company equipment.

The company is expected to make a good showing at the camp this year. Inspections so far have been excellent and with all men present a good grade is expected on work done during the two weeks. The company will return to Ballinger on June 27.

County's Valuations Increase \$3,000,000

Branham Winner In First Rodeo Held by Jaycees

There were eleven entries in the first teenage rodeo held by the Ballinger Jaycees Friday. The beginning was a written examination on driving at the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce office.

At 4:00 p. m. the group assembled at the ramp at Bruce Field for the actual driving of a car over the obstacle course which had been laid out earlier in the day by the sponsors.

Assisting in directing the contest were Joe Perry and O. A. Brookshire, state patrolmen stationed here; Lt. Angus Davis and inspectors Coley Pruitt and T. A. Nichols, of San Angelo, and Sheriff Don Atkins. Judges were W. H. Rapp, Jack Moore, E. B. Underwood and K. V. Northington.

Billy Branham was first place winner, scoring 335 points out of a possible 400. Wayne Irby was second and Douglas Taber was third. Other entries were Neil Broussard, Billy Plynt, Danny Baker, Mike Poy, Terry Cothran, Maurice Carder, Jim Jones and Jimmy Turner.

Branham will be presented a trophy tonight at the Jaycees installation banquet at the Acapulco Cafe. Later he will be taken to Stamford to compete in the regional contest. The Jaycees have voted to make the trials an annual affair, to be open to both boys and girls.

Rocky Ford, president of the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce, will be here tonight to visit the local chamber and will have charge of the installation of new officers. Following the banquet the group will go to the American Legion hall for an after-banquet da-

Pvt. James V. Smith who is stationed at Tex. A. M. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Smith, who is home here since service, returned with him.

Representatives of oil companies and related firms were here Wednesday and Thursday of last week to meet with the Runnels county commissioners' court. The court acted as an equalization board and oil concerns who pay taxes in this county were represented.

County Judge W. H. Rapp stated that the meeting was without argument but that there might be a few cases in which some adjustment would be necessary after a complete study of the property assessed. In most cases the representatives thought the valuations were in line and expressed satisfaction with the levies.

According to a preliminary survey it appears the county's total valuations will be upped about \$3,000,000 this year. The figures show oil and related groups will have an overall rendition total of about \$24,000,000. Other property renditions are about \$11,000,000, making the total approximately \$35,000,000.

The court will be in session again later to hear pleas from local property owners. At the first meeting in September the rolls will be closed and the tax rate set.

1955 WHEAT ALLOTMENTS AVAILABLE TO GROWERS

Farmers who own land on which no wheat was seeded for grain for all of the years 1952, 1953 and 1954 may apply for a 1955 wheat acreage allotment, according to Meade McShan, chairman of the Runnels county agricultural stabilization and conservation committee.

To be considered for an allotment on a farm which had no wheat seeded for grain in any of the above years, the farmer must apply in writing to his county ASC committee by June 30, 1954.

Application forms to file requests for allotments are available at the county ASC office.

Glenn Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Ferguson, underwent major surgery at Hendricks Memorial Hospital, Abilene, Tuesday and is reported to be doing fine.

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of mauve lace over broadcated taffeta. Her small flower hat was in matching color and her gloves were white kid. Mrs. Bartlett wore a gown of blue lace and taffeta with a matching hat of lace. Her gloves were blue kid.

SOCIETY

Miss Duke, Bob Bartlett Wed in Church Service

The wedding of Miss Wilma Lois Duke and Bob Mack Bartlett was solemnized at 8:00 o'clock Saturday evening in the First Methodist Church.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sims Duke. Mr. Bartlett's parents are Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bartlett.

The Rev. R. A. Pape, of Cross Plains, uncle of the bride, performed the double-ring ceremony before an altar centered with an arch entwined with huckleberry foliage against a background of palms. Baskets of gladioli were featured with candelabra entwined with greenhouse smilax and holding white tapers at each side of the arch. A prie dieu of satin and lace was placed in center of the arch. Pews were marked with bows of white satin ribbons.

Mrs. Charles Hambrick, organist, played a program of selections appropriate to the nuptial hour. Included were "Clair de Lune," (Debussy); "O Lord Most Holy," (Caesar Franck); and "Liebestraum," (Liszt). As the candles were lighted by Miss Carolyn McClenny, Schubert's "Serenade" was played. Miss McClenny wore a gown of yellow net over taffeta with a corsage of white gladioli.

John Duke, brother of the bride, sang "O Perfect Love," "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer" at the benediction. Mrs. Hambrick playing his accompaniment. She also played the traditional wedding marches.

Wearing a gown of white Duchess satin, the bride was given in marriage by her father. The molded bodice formed a wide decollete neckline. The silk tulle yoke was outlined with a lace flower applique edged with tiny seed pearls and iridescent galleites. The bouffant skirt was worn over crinoline and swept to a cathedral-length train.

Her veil of silk illusion extended in tiers to fingertip

length from a calot beaded with seed pearls and iridescent paillettes. She carried a white purple throated orchid showered with lilies of the valley atop a white Bible which was given to her by an uncle, the Rev. A. W. Pape, of Portales, New Mexico. Her only ornament was a single strand of pearls, gift of the bridegroom. She carried a lace handkerchief which her mother carried at her wedding.

The bride's attendants were her sister, Nita Pearl Duke, maid of honor; Miss Sue Koontz, of Dallas; Miss Clara Hill and Miss Mary Jo Forman, bridesmaids.

The attendants wore identically styled gowns of Windsor blue net over taffeta. The bodices featured a band of shirring at the top of the strapless gowns. Matching stoles were caught at the shoulder and extended to hemlines. The skirts were full and worn over crinoline. They wore matching half-hats of illusion accented with a tiny bow. Their pearl necklaces were given to them by the bride. The attendants carried colonial bouquets of white spilt gladioli encircling blue carnations in puffs of silver maline and silver streamers.

Leila Ann Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cox, was flower girl. She wore a white organdy frock over blue sweetheart satin. Her headdress was a blue net bandeau with blue carnations. She carried a white basket filled with rose petals. David Duke, brother of the bride, was ring bearer. He carried the rings on a white and silver heart-shaped pillow.

Maurice Bartlett, of Vernon, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Walter T. Jones, of San Angelo; Bill Parrish, of Abilene; and Fred Rogers, of Houston.

Gladioli surtases were worn by the bride's and bridegroom's mothers. Mrs. Duke's dress was

graduate of Ballinger High School, attended Schreiner Institute at Kerrville. He is associated with his father in the oil and gasoline business in Ballinger.

Out-of-town wedding guests were: Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Pape, Dolores Ann, Wesley and Anthony Pape, all of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Porter Baker, Porter, Jr., Carol Sue and Cherece, all of Pecos; Leonard Harris and Sue Koontz, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Winston Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dorrance, Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Jones, all of San Angelo; Mrs. Perry Clark and Jan, of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Robinson, C. J. Robinson, Jr., and Wynonne Robinson, of Norton; W. H. Pape, of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bartlett and children, of Vernon; Mrs. Clinton Hornsoll and son, Brownie; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parish and son, Dennis, of Abilene; Fred Rogers, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simmons, of Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett, parents of the bridegroom, were hosts Friday night at the rehearsal dinner in their Broadway home. The bride's chosen colors, blue, silver, and white, were featured in floral arrangements. The couple presented gifts to wedding attendants.

Miss Forman Favors Miss Duke at Breakfast

Miss Wilma Duke, who was married to Bob Mack Bartlett Saturday evening, was named honoree at a breakfast Saturday morning at which Miss Mary Jo Forman, one of the bridesmaids, was hostess.

The affair was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forman on Seventh Street. Mrs. Forman assisted her daughter in serving the three-course menu.

Dresses and queen anne's lace formed the centerpiece for the linen-laid table. Miniature paper

Leaving on a wedding trip to Colorado, the bride traveled in a sheer wool suit of Windsor blue. The fitted jacket featured a white linen collar and cuffs with soutache braid and rhinestone trim. The skirt was pencil slim. Her small milans straw hat had the same trim that her jacket had, and her blouse was of white linen. Her shoes and bag were of alligator lizard and she wore an orchid corsage.

The couple will reside at 705 Murrell in Ballinger.

Mrs. Bartlett, teacher in the Ballinger schools, received her B.S. degree from North Texas State College, Denton, after graduating from Ballinger High School. Mr. Bartlett, also a

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J. Price Maddox, pioneer West Texas ranchman and a leader in livestock and public safety, died at Sweetwater Saturday. He had undergone surgery at the Sweetwater hospital and was improving when he suffered a stroke that caused his death.

Decedent served as the fourteenth president of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association and for 11 years was a member of the state public safety commission. While a member of the commission he took a great interest in development of the state highway patrol. He was a director of the Fort Worth National Bank.

Mr. Maddox was an early day citizen of Ballinger, he and his wife moving from here to their ranch near Maryneal in 1916. They lived there until they moved to Sweetwater to make home.

Funeral services were held at

Presbyterian Women's Council Has Fellowship Program

Mrs. E. S. Malone was leader for the program, "To Witness Through Fellowship," given at the meeting of the First Presbyterian Church U. S. A. Monday afternoon in the church parlors.

Mrs. Mart Gorman and Mrs. John Green, Jr., assisted in presenting the program.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Rufus Allen, Mrs. Pierson Corder conducted the business and gave the call to worship, after Mrs. J. D. Coulter said the opening prayer. Mrs. Gorman reported on the opening of the Vacation Bible School. Letters from Mrs. Elizabeth Nunn, Presbyterian president, were read concerning the Buffalo Gap Church School and Instructors' Course, by Mrs. A. O. Rue. At the conclusion the Mizpah benediction was given.

10:00 a. m. Monday at the First Christian Church of Sweetwater, Rev. Dick Chilton officiating.

Survivors besides the wife include a son, Jimmy Maddox, who lives on the Maryneal ranch; two grandchildren, two brothers, John Maddox, Lubbock; and a sister, Mrs. John Henderson, Lubbock.

CASEY NEW EMPLOYEE OF HEIDENHEIMER'S

Mr. and Mrs. David Casey and daughter, Toney, have moved to Ballinger and Mr. Casey will be associated with Heidenheimer's. Mr. Casey is a business administration major from North Texas State College, Denton, and Mrs. Casey is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry London, of Winters.

Miss Mary Jo Forman left Monday for Glen Rose, where she will be a counselor at Glen Lake Methodist Encampment the next four weeks. She also will attend a youth rally of the Central Texas Methodist conference at Fort Worth Saturday. Miss Forman is conference secretary.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank my friends for the many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy at the death of my mother, Mrs. M. O. Braden. You have been most kind and a real comfort to my sorrow.

Mrs. Roy L. Roper
10-11

Mrs. Ernest Caskey has enrolled at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, for the first semester of summer school.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation to those who were so kind during the last illness and at the death of our loved one, Miss Lora Maxwell. The expressions of sympathy meant much to us in this sad hour. Especially do we wish to thank the members of the First Methodist Church and Rev. Wayne Reynolds for their kindness.

Mrs. Ella Garrett
Mrs. Loretta Courney
and Maxwell family
10-12

Something to Crow About!

"Cock-a-doodle-do, my dame has lost her shoe" — and the way prices have risen my master may lose his shirt! Yes...

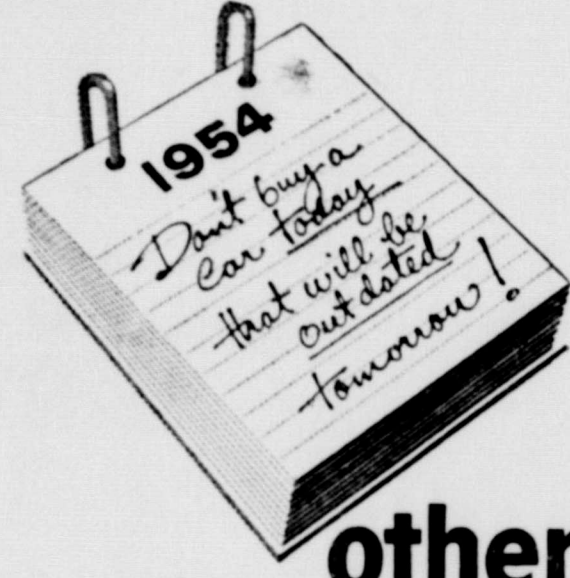
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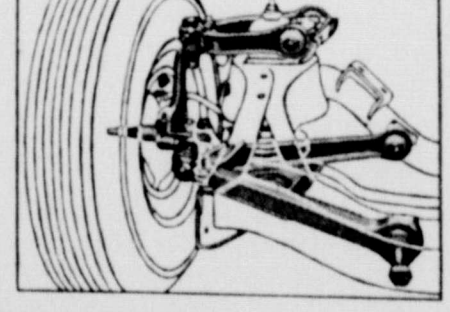
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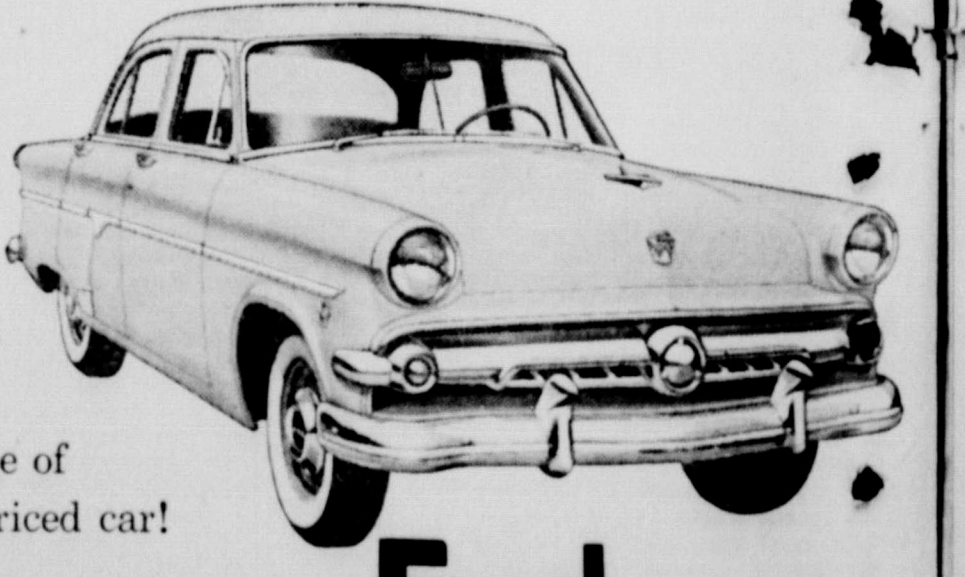
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'Kiss Me Kate,' Great Musical Hit, Stellar Attraction Soon at Texas

"Kiss Me Kate" will be the stellar attraction at the Texas Theatre for regular showings Saturday and Monday, June 13, 14, and a special presentation beginning at 7:00 p. m. Saturday. Based on the smash Broadway hit, the picture contains many of the delightful Cole Porter songs.

The star-studded song-and-dance cast is headed by Kathryn Grayson, Howard Keel and Ann Miller, who scored together previously in "Lovely to Look At." Keenan Wynn, Bobby Van, James Whitmore, Kurt Kasznar,

Bob Fosse and the young Broadway dancer, Tommy Rall, have featured supporting parts.

"Kiss Me Kate," which achieved a spectacular run on two continents, reaches the screen in Anaco Color with its great musical score intact.

The plot offers a play-within-a-play as it unfolds the laugh-filled story of a temperamental stage star and his even more temperamental ex-wife, who are brought together again to appear as the stars of "Taming of the Shrew." When it appears as though the couple, who fight

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as much off-stage as in their Shakespearean roles, will manage a reconciliation, Ann Miller steps into the picture and jealousy rears its hilarious head. But it all ends happily, merrily and musically when a couple of thugs take over the show and use strong-arm methods to quell the biting, scratching, kicking and walling heroine.

Paralleling in many dramatic aspects a front-page story that held the attention of millions of Americans not long ago, "The Hitch-Hiker" comes to the Texas Theatre today through Saturday, June 10, 11 and 12, heralded as one of the season's outstanding suspense films. Directed by Ida Lupino, Hollywood's foremost woman director, and boasting a superlative acting cast topped by Edmond O'Brien, Frank Lovejoy and William Talman, the RKO Radio release combines strongly emotional drama with outdoor action.

"Abbott and Costello Meet Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" is the other feature on the twin-bill at the Texas today, tomorrow and Saturday. Bud Abbott and Lou Costello, long considered the monarchs of mirth, score what is declared their biggest comedy hit in this Universal release. The pair are seen as American police officers who set out to capture a hideous monster who is terrorizing the British capital at the turn of the century. Boris Karloff, the movie merchant of mayhem, has the dual role of Jekyll and

Hyde. Helen Westcott, Reginald Denny and Craig Stevens play important supporting parts.

Gary Cooper Has Star Role in Tropical Story

One of Pulitzer-prize winner James A. Michener's most colorful stories of the South Pacific, "Return to Paradise," is to be presented at the Texas Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday, June 15, 16. Gary Cooper is the star.

The picture, filmed in Technicolor on location in Samoa, captures all the legendary magic and beauty of the South Seas. The role given Cooper, that of Mr. Morgan, a quiet, resourceful, tender American come to live on the tropical isle of Matareva, is a worthy successor to his academy award winning portrayal in "High Noon." In this part, Cooper gives a superb characterization of a man who just can't stifle his better qualities. The film introduces two lovely newcomers, the luscious Roberta Haynes and Moira MacDonald, Scotch-Samoan native of the island where the picture was filmed. Barry Jones and John Hudson also are importantly cast.

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Finch is dominated by the mysterious power of his dead father, Dana Andrews, portraying the American foreman, is overwhelmingly drawn towards the beautiful Miss Taylor and thus a triangle develops. How this is solved and the part that the rampaging elephants play in the solution makes "Elephant Walk" what is reported

to be one of the major entertainment accomplishments of this film season.

BETHEL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. L. F. Loika included Mrs. Ed Lindermann, Mrs. Frank Krc, Mrs. Walter Mueller and Mrs. Newt Stevens when she was hostess to thirteen members of Bethel home demonstration club last Thursday afternoon in her rural home.

Members answered roll by giving thoughts on "Memory Lane," after the Lord's Prayer was repeated. Mrs. Aribert Hoffmann showed two films on cancer research. At the business period the club voted to change the time of the meeting to three o'clock, and to remember the sick relatives of members.



SHATTERING EXPERIENCE — Mrs. Marvin Reynolds, of Wichita Falls, Kan., becomes an unwilling member of the "marred window club" as she discovers the rear window of the family car has shattered overnight. Pitted, scarred or shattered auto windows have been reported from coast to coast, and the unexplained damage has been variously attributed to radioactive dust, the work of vandals or airborne industrial-waste chemicals.

Mrs. Charles Dankworth gave the concluding lesson on the tailoring course.

At the social hour, Mrs. Claude Simmons was in charge of the recreation period and the hostess served a sandwich plate with cookies and cold drinks.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Charles Owens on June 17.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to action of the Democratic Primaries

For District Clerk: WILHELM STEPHENS

For Sheriff: DON ATKINS

B. M. (Bill) KIRK

For County Judge: W. H. RAMPY

ROY L. HILL

For County Clerk: FRANKIE BERRYMAN

For Tax Assessor-Collector: DALTON E. CROCKETT

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: PAUL GORDON

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: BILL HARMAN

For County Treasurer: PRICE HEDDLITON

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: CLYDE CHAPMAN

E. E. BERRY For County Attorney: JACK MOORE

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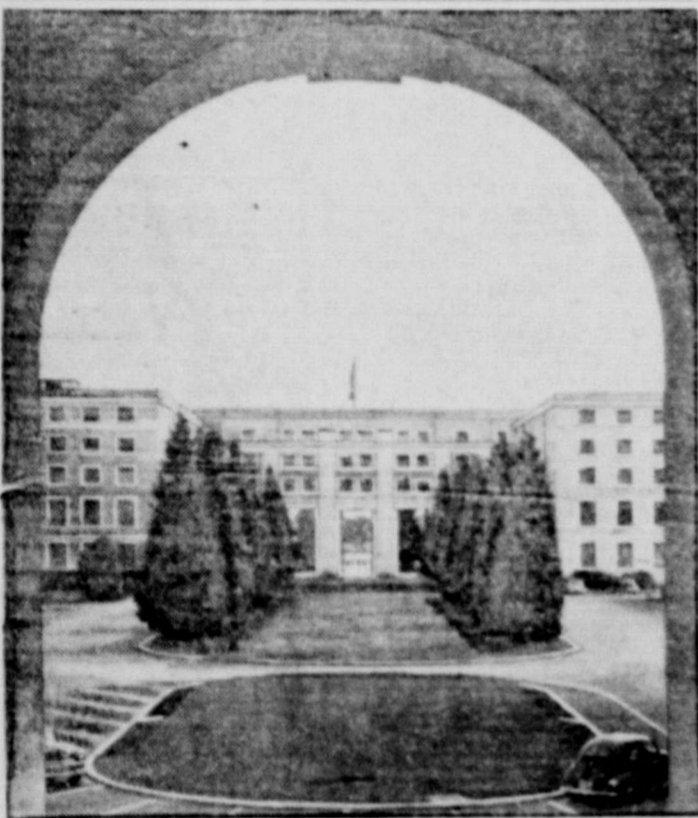
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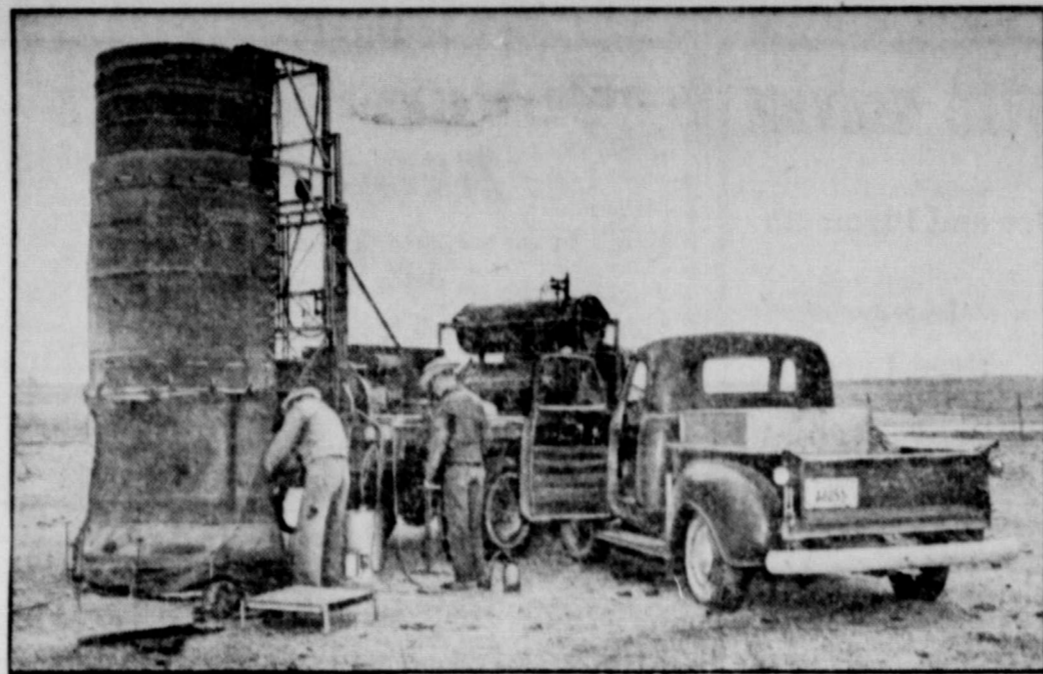
City-Wide Clean-Up Planned at Meeting Of C. of C. Directors

Directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce held their regular June business meeting Monday night. It was voted that the business district observe Monday, July 5, as a holiday. This action was taken after interviewing a number of local firm managers who expressed a preference for this date to observe Independence Day.

It also was decided that the regular meeting of the directors would be on July 6.

A discussion of the Christmas program was held and the directors favored not booking Santa Claus and his reindeer this year. Instead, better prizes will be offered for floats and more effort put into enlarging the Christmas parade. This plan was started last year and met with good results and more people will be contacted to enter this feature.

Directors expressed the desire for an immediate clean-up of the city. Plans were started Tuesday, committees contacting the city commission and Ballinger firemen calling for help in planning and conducting the city-wide cleaning of yards, vacant lots and alleys. Since the rains weeds have grown rapidly and many places need



RAIN MACHINE AIDS SOIL "DOCTORS"—To compare action of rain on various types of soil and ground cover, this portable infiltrometer, only one of its kind in operation, is set up at the Fort Hays, Kan., Experiment Station. The device, operated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, "rains" on two square feet of soil at a time, and has been touring six western states for three years. Frank Rauzi, left, and Frank Knittle, of Laramie, Wyo., are in charge of equipment.

work. If possible, plans will be completed this week-end and the date announced early next week.

Letters were sent to other towns where highly successful clean-up campaigns have been conducted recently.

BALLINGERITE NAMED "ARMAN OF MONTH"

Alc Earl J. Baker, of Ballinger, was named "armman of the month" at his base in Kassel, Germany, as a result of outstanding duty performance in April. He was honorary commander of the squadron for one day and many privileges were given him.

Lt-Col. Daniel Wolf, squadron commander, said Baker was selected "because of his outstanding military bearing, manners, speech, dress and attention to duty."

Baker acted as commander on May 4 and Col. Wolf had made available his staff car and driver. After a strenuous day, which included a briefing on command policy by Col. Wolf, Baker's administrative assistant, an inspection of the squadron area, air police and the dining hall, the honorary commander enjoyed an evening on the town.

Using the staff car and driver, Baker invited his best friend, Sgt. Richard Davis, to share a dinner, after which they were special guests at various night clubs and cafes. Later in May he was awarded an extra three-day pass as well as a flight by government aircraft to Oslo, Norway.

Specialists Conduct Three-Church School

Vacation church school conducted by the First Christian, First Presbyterian, U. S., and First Methodist, U. S. A. churches has 72 children enrolled from the three denominations this week. There are 30 student teachers in observation practice school and five specially trained workers are in charge of the school.

Mrs. Paul Campbell, of Fort Worth, director of children's work for the Disciples of Christ in Texas, is supervisor. Mrs. Alva Lee Harper, director of a full-time Dallas kindergarten, is in charge of the nursery. Miss Sallie Wight, of Odessa, is directing the kindergarten. Mrs. Joe H. Ashley, of Beaumont, primary; Mrs. F. R. Scott, of Brownsville, junior department.

Leaders of the three churches will study the schools of their respective churches in counsel with the staff, adopting what is possible to their facilities and situations.

The staff of specialists will leave Saturday. The cooperative school will be continued another week.

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DEATHS

Mrs. Frank Schwertner

Mrs. Frank Schwertner, 87, died at 2:56 a. m. Wednesday in a San Angelo hospital following long illness.

The body was brought to the Newby-Davis Funeral Home here and was taken to the residence near Miles where the casket service will be conducted tonight. Funeral services will be held at 9:00 a. m. tomorrow (Friday) at St. Joseph's Church, Rowena. Rev. Robert Vretteau, O. M. L. assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church, Ballinger, to officiate. Burial will follow in St. Joseph's Cemetery at Rowena.

Decedent was born in Czechoslovakia on March 8, 1867. She came to the United States with her parents in 1890 and settled in Williamson county. She was married to Frank Schwertner in 1891 and the couple moved to Runnels county in 1903. She had resided in the Miles section the past 51 years.

Survivors include four sons, Steve Schwertner, San Angelo; Albert, Gus and William Schwertner, Miles; four daughters, Mrs. John Debus, San Angelo; Mrs. George Jones, Erwin Eggemeyer, Miles; 27 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

The day is never too long to the man who has work to do and enjoys doing it.

BIRTHS

Com. and Mrs. Ira F. Reese, of Arlington, Virginia, are parents of a son, born Saturday, June 6, in Bethesda Hospital, Washington, D. C. The baby weighed 9 pounds upon arrival. The Reeses have a daughter, Mary Ellen, 12. A grandmother is Mrs. J. C. Reese, of Ballinger. Mrs. Reese received a telegram Saturday telling of the arrival of the new grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bigby, of Ballinger, are parents of a daughter, born June 2, at St. John's Hospital, San Angelo. The baby weighed 6 pounds 3 1/4 ounces upon arrival at 7:25 p. m. Mr. Bigby is a stock farmer near Ballinger.

Kathleen Elizabeth McGregor arrived Wednesday morning at San Angelo. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. McGregor and her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. McGregor, of Ballinger. The young lady weighed 8 pounds 3 ounces upon arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin F. Miller, of Georgetown, are parents of a daughter, Meredith Elaine, born on May 28. The young lady weighed 7 pounds 2 ounces upon arrival. Mrs. Miller is the former Dorothy McMillan. Mrs. W. L. McMillan is at Georgetown with her daughter.

SEVEN FOR ARMED FORCES WILL REPORT ON JUNE 14

Selective service board No. 21, serving Coleman and Runnels counties, has announced the names of seven young men who are to report for induction into the armed forces on June 14. This group will assemble at the board office at Coleman and will be sent from there to Abilene.

On the list are: Everett J. Grindstaff, Ballinger; Tom M. Howard, Bangs; Harmon E. Hilliard, Norton; Zane D. Hershey, Wingate; Darrell G. Hamilton, Ballinger; Elzie Don Mankin, Coleman; Freddie J. Steele, Ballinger.

Mrs. H. B. Fowler and daughter, Mrs. Jack Ashton, both of Ballinger, were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fowler, of Fort Worth, on a two weeks visit at Hemet, California. They visited Mrs. Eula Willshire, who is 11. Mrs. Willshire is a daughter of Mrs. H. B. Fowler and sister of Mrs. Ashton and Fred Fowler.

4-H GIRLS WILL ATTEND DISTRICT ENCAMPMENT

The selection of four 4-H club girls to attend the district encampment at Buffalo Gap, June 16, 17 and 18, has been announced. An adult leader and Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, will also attend.

Girls selected are Rose Marie Fuchs, Offen; Barbara Greger, Norton; Altus Uecker, Cochran; and Virginia Spill, Winters. These girls will also assist in preparing the program and conducting it at the county encampment to be held at the American Legion hall here on June 21 and 22.

All four girls have been in club work a number of years and have made outstanding records the past year.

FIRST BAPTIST SCHOOL HAS GOOD ATTENDANCE

Commencement exercises for the vacation Bible school at the First Baptist Church are to be held at 7:30 tomorrow (Friday) evening.

Each department of the school has been conducted in an efficient manner and continuous growth has been made since the beginning. The enrollment totalled 185 Wednesday and was expected to increase before the end of the sessions. Average attendance has been 174 daily.

BALLINGER GOLFERS PLAY IN TOURNAMENT

Ballinger golfers were at Brownwood the past week-end to play in the annual invitation tournament on the country club course. Sam Conner lost in the championship flight consolation play Sunday afternoon. Other local men who lost matches earlier in the tourney were Doyle St. John, Allen Davis and Max McCrary, Jr.

Mrs. Malcolm McGregor will leave Saturday for San Antonio for a week-end visit with relatives and friends. She will be accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Patricia McGregor, who will be in Ballinger for a short stay. Mrs. McGregor and daughter will visit at Austin on their return trip home.

Mrs. C. C. Smith, of New Orleans, has been here visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Smith is the former Anna Lee Wiginton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pridden, of Pecos, were here Friday to visit friends. They were en route to Galveston to attend the state chamber of commerce meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Russell, of

Ballinger; and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maners, of Brownwood, attended the O.E.S. installation service at Hamilton Friday night. Mrs. Luther Wood, a sister of Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Maners, was installed as worthy matron of the Hamilton chapter.

Col. and Mrs. Milford Itz and daughters, Nancy and Deborah, of Manhattan, Kansas, were here this week for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Itz.

SERVING UNCLE SAM

Marine Pfc Albert D. Wessels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wessels, of Wingate, is aboard the support aircraft carrier USS Leyte participating in a major anti-submarine development exercise. The training began April 26 and involves over 50 air, surface and submarine units operating in the area between Bermuda and the Bahamas.

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The Runnels county Democratic executive committee will meet in Ballinger on Monday, June 21, when it will determine the costs of holding the primaries. As soon as the budget is approved, each office will be assessed a specific amount and candidates notified what they must pay.

Candidates will have until June 26 in which to pay assessments to the committee.

The executive committee will meet again on June 28 to prepare the ballot for printing. Homer Hudgins, of Winters, is chairman of the committee.

Absentee voting will begin on July 4 and continue until three days before the first primary. The first primary will be held on Saturday, July 24, with all boxes in the county open. An unofficial tabulation will be made on the night of the election. Election managers will assemble to canvass the returns on Monday, July 26.

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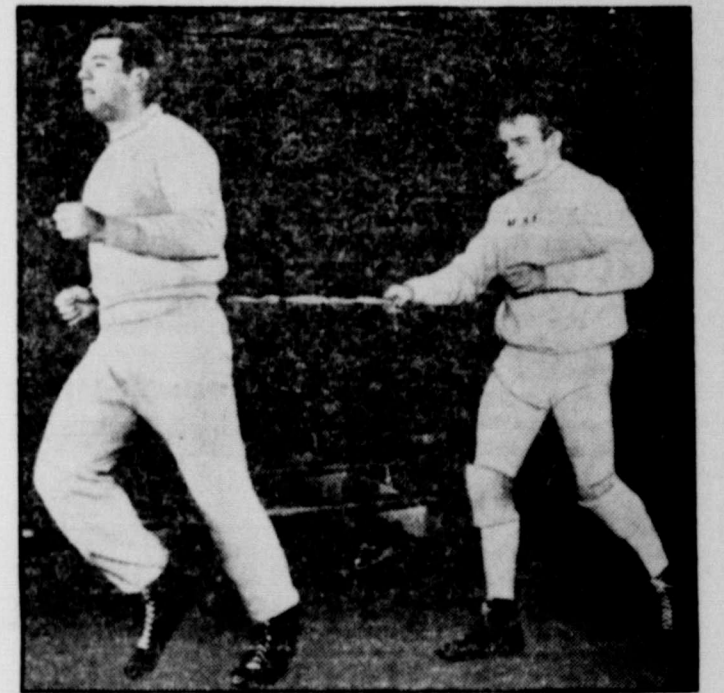
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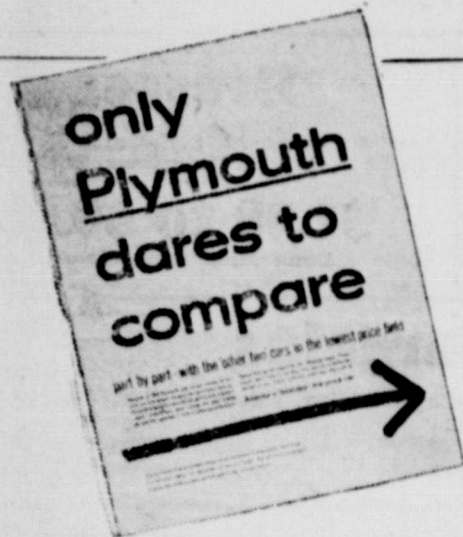
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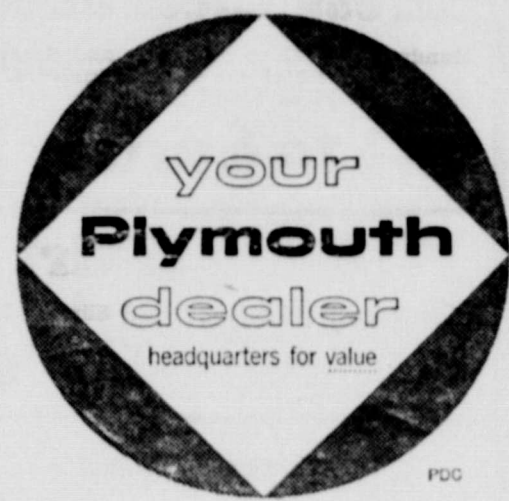
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FOR KITTEN'S BRITCHES, TOO — Children's traditional "smarty pants" answer to a question, "cat's fur to make kittens' britches," isn't too far from the truth. Scientists at Syracuse University in New York State are producing a number of products from the common plant, the swamp cattail, and believe the by-products could someday help fill the world's food and fiber needs. Dr. Ernest Reed, seated, director of the Cattail Research Center, and researcher Leland Marsh examine fibers from the plant. On table, from left, some byproducts of their research are: Cattail roots, which, when prepared, can be eaten like potatoes; cattail flour, and cookies baked from the flour; fiber, a bundle of cattail stems, and pieces from the stems used for caulking barrels.

Ballinger F.F.A.s Win in Western Events on Points

The Ballinger F.F.A. rodeo team won first place in the show held here Friday night, edging the Tuscola team by 15 points. Ballinger received 80 points, Tuscola 65 points and Coleman 45. San Angelo, Sweetwater and Winters teams also entered.

Stock for the rodeo was furnished by the local rodeo association.

Individual results were:
Calf Roping
First, Maurice Scott, Sweetwater
Second, Alton Carter, Tuscola
Third, Jerry Anders, Coleman

Trailer Race
First, Charles Taylor, Tuscola
Second, Elwin Rainwater, Ballinger

Steer Riding
First, Grider Hays, Ballinger
Second, Leroy Hodges, Tuscola
Third, Jimmy Ellis, Sweetwater

Ribbon Roping
First, Jerry Anders, Coleman
Second, Connie Rountree, Ballinger
Third, Charles Taylor, Tuscola

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First, Gene Davis, Ballinger
Second, Pete Bryan, Ballinger
Third, Gary Vaughn, Tuscola

RILEY WISS ROPING CONTEST AT ROTAN
Doyle Riley, of Ballinger, tied eight calves in 1114 seconds to beat Toots Mansfield, of Big Spring, in a matched roping contest at Rotan Sunday. Mansfield tied his calves in 1227 seconds and this included a ten-second penalty for his horse breaking the barrier on one calf.

The contest attracted a large crowd from many West Texas towns. Raymond Berryhill, of Ballinger, attended the matches.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness during the long illness and at the death of our loved one,

A. J. Bingham. The food, flowers and expressions of sympathy made us realize the real worth of our friends. We especially wish to thank Dr. C. F. Bailey for his care and members of the First Baptist and First Methodist churches for their many favors.

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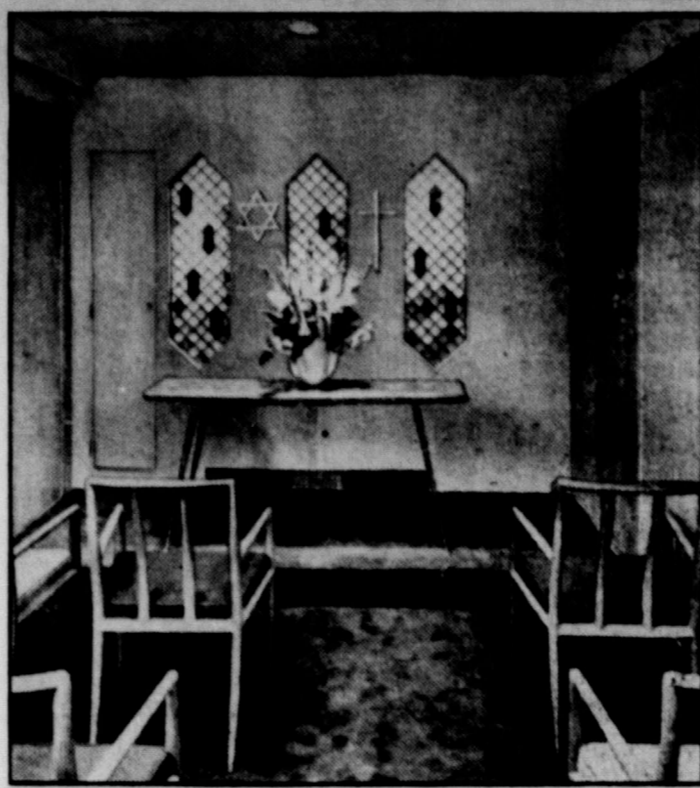
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MRS. BRADEN, PIONEER, SUCCUMBS AT BRENHAM
Mrs. Emma Braden, 78, died suddenly Saturday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. A. DeFriend, at Brenham.
Decedent was a pioneer resident of Ballinger. Born at Austin in 1876, she moved to Runnels county in 1892. She was married in 1894 to William E. Eskridge, and he died in 1902. She was married to M. C. Braden in 1905 and he died in 1928.
Mrs. Braden moved to Houston in 1924 but for the past 13 years had been making home with the daughter at Brenham. She was a member of the Baptist Church and held a life membership in the Order of Eastern Star.
Funeral services were held at 10:00 a. m. Monday at Brenham and graveside rites were conducted later at Forest Park Cemetery, Houston.
Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Roy L. Roper, Norton; Mrs. DeFriend, Brenham; two sisters, nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

ATTENDANCE RECORD SET AT BIBLE SCHOOL
Graduation exercises were held for the Seventh Street Baptist Church's daily vacation Bible school last Friday night. The school was operated for one week and workers stated that new records of attendance and enrollment were set.
Total enrollment was 133, average daily attendance 129 and the highest attendance for a single day was 136. There were 100 who had perfect attendance and 101 earned certificates. The faculty was composed of 27 workers and \$21 was collected for missions.

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THREE LOCAL BOYS TO CAMP AT IRVING
The local chapter of the Salvation Army has selected three boys to attend the annual Salvation Army camp at Irving. The camp will be opened on June 13 through June 20.
Weldon, William and Milford Mercer, 12, 11 and 10 years of age, respectively, will attend from Ballinger. All arrangements, including their bus trip, have been made and applications for entrance have been approved.
Bill Hart has accepted a position with the American National Insurance Co. and is a representative out of San Angelo office.
A chip on the shoulder indicates there is wood higher up.

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First-Run Frontier Saga Leads Week's Varied Program at Horseshoe Drive-In

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The full dramatic impact of the heroic deeds performed by air force flight nurses in the Korean war zone is brought to the screen by Republic in "Flight Nurse," the other major feature at the Horseshoe today

and tomorrow. Joan Leslie and Forrest Tucker are co-starred and the strong supporting roster is headed by Arthur Franz, Jeff Donnell and Maria Palmer. As timely as today's headlines, the tense, thrilling story brings the audience right up to the end of the Korean shooting and the evacuation of wounded GIs.

A fight that wrecks the city room of a large metropolitan newspaper is the climax of "Hot News," Allied Artists picture, to be shown at the Horseshoe Saturday only, June 12, in addition to "The Glenn Miller Story."

Story

Stanley Clements is starred in "Hot News," and Gloria Henry is featured as the society editor. Others in the cast are Ted DeCorsia, James Flavin, Myron Healey and Veda Ann Borg.

To be presented at the Horseshoe Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, June 13, 14, 15, in addition to a preview presentation on the Saturday preceding, is Universal's production in Technicolor of "The Glenn Miller Story." The Sunday, Monday, Tuesday bill also includes a 3 Stooges comedy.

James Stewart and June Allyson have the starring roles in "The Glenn Miller Story," the real-life story of the celebrated

musician. The film re-creates the exciting times in which the bandmaster built his renowned orchestra and features the songs he popularized, played in the Miller manner. In chief supporting roles are Charles Drake, George Tobias, Henry Morgan, and guest stars Frances Langford, Louis Armstrong, Ben Pollack, Gene Krupa, the Archie Savage Dancers and the Modernaires.

"Lone Star Moonlight," Columbia's western musical, offers an equal serving of music, action and prairie-sky romance. Dates for showing this picture at the Horseshoe are Wednesday and Thursday, June 16, 17, and the double-bill also offers another gay and lighthearted feature.

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Jane Powell, the beautiful little lady with the big (and beautiful) voice, is the girl in "3 Sailors and a Girl," while Gordon MacRae, Gene Nelson and Jack Leonard are the three gobs. It is a Warner Bros. production with color by Technicolor.

SOCIETY

Paper Shower In-Honor Affair for Miss Duke

To compliment Miss Wilma Duke, who was married to Bob Bartlett on Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock, a gift shower of articles made of paper was given by Mrs. W. O. Irby in her Wilke Terrace home in the late afternoon on Wednesday of last week. A color theme of blue and

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Miss Jackson Complimented at Kitchen Shower

Miss Norma Jackson, bride-elect of Billy Jack Middleton, was complimented at a kitchen shower Wednesday evening of last week at which Misses Hal Yoder, O. L. Hart and Grady Richards were hostesses in the Yoder home on Sharp Avenue. Miss Jackson and Mr. Middleton were married on Sunday, June 6.

A mixed bouquet of daisies and other garden flowers were used to center the refreshment table where cake squares decorated with blue and yellow florals were served with punch in the garden.

The honoree was presented gifts for the kitchen in a

clothes hamper.

The guest list included mothers of the bride-elect and her fiance, Mrs. L. F. Jackson and Mrs. W. O. Middleton; Misses Betty Middleton, Betty Berryhill, Gale Hays, Deanie Rountree, Tookie Wade, Katherine Richards, Joyce Wington, Mary Jo Forman, Bobbie Sue Stultz, Patricia Davis and Dorothy Thomas.

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A meeting of the Ballinger
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electing officers for the ensuing
year. Elected were:
R. E. Harris, worshipful master
Joe Perry, senior warden
John B. King, junior warden
George Mader, treasurer
Bill Stultz, secretary
Ralph Ballou, tiler
T. W. McEntire, senior deacon
Eskell Powell, junior deacon
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MAN RESCUES ST. BERNARD—Snowbound Gem, 160-pound St. Bernard whose ancestors still rescue stranded travelers in the Swiss Alps, is herself on the receiving end of a "rescue" effort. Her owner, E. P. Everhard, of Downers Grove, Ill., conducted this five-customer canine cafeteria to help "mom" with her chores at mealtime. (Only nine pups are in the picture—the 10th went out for lunch.)

Runnels County Ranchmen Improving Much Rangeland

Bill Moore, of Ballinger, a co-operator with the Runnels county soil conservation district, has planted approximately 150 acres of blue panic grass for soil improvement and grazing on his place 12 mile south-east of Ballinger.

Much of the perennial grass is up to a good stand. He mixed four pounds of ground maize with one pound of seed for each acre. The maize gave enough body to the mixture for a proper planting rate with his maize planter.

Moore removed the covering and opening plow from his planter. The buzzard wing sweep shaved off the top of the bed and the seed spot was set at a quarter of an inch deeper. This put the seed on firm moist ground a quarter of an inch below the surface. His weighted cultivator wheels rolled the groove shut over the seed and a light chain pulled loose soil over this to keep the moisture in the planted ground.

"With a good season, it will provide grazing this year," said Woodrow Hoffman of the soil conservation service, who assisted Mr. Moore. "Then it will be green from February until frost each year. It looks much like sudan, but it has faster growth," says Walter Wilde, of Bethel. "I got quite

a bit of grazing from my blue panic last year," said Wilde.

Others who have planted blue panic are H. J. Zappe, of Ballinger; and W. J. Halfmann, of Olfen, vice-chairman of the district.

Moore plans to use his blue panic as supplemental grazing to aid recovery of his rangeland. He is pitting 500 acres of rangeland to catch rainfall and let the moisture through the crust. He plans to rest his land to let the better grasses improve, increase and make seed this fall.

Lawrence Green and Glen Eager, of Winters; S. C. Routh, of Ballinger; and John F. Thomas, of Bronte, are also pitting land at the present.

Moore is planting 10 acres of guar this fall and others who have already planted are Doc Pinegar and M. R. Smith, Winters; Kirby Robinson, Norton; Morris Robinson, Ballinger; Bill Minzenmayer and Glenn Hoppe, Winters.

Guar will mature even if planted as late as July 15 with sufficient moisture. It will make enough growth to make a mulch, enrich and penetrate the soil in even less time. Guar starts making seed from the ground up, so the amount of seed present increases until maturity.

City's Activities Given in Report For Past Month

City police reported 13 arrests during May. One charged with driving while intoxicated was fined \$75 and costs. An absent without leave soldier was picked up and turned over to officers at Goodfellow AFB. Seven paid fines in full and two paid fines by taking jail sentences. Fines collected totalled \$162.

Causes of arrest were: Negligent driving, two; No operator's license, two; No license plate, one; Drunkenness, five; Speeding, one.

A total of nine accidents occurred in the city last month, property damage aggregating \$1,707.

Traffic officers issued a total of 1,875 tickets for over-parking. All of these tickets were returned except 56. During the month 92 notices were sent car drivers that \$1 fines had been assessed and all but 33 had returned the cards and fines.

Receipts from parking meters for the month totalled \$733. No fires occurred within the corporate limits during May.

Mrs. J. B. Williams, of Austin, is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Agnew.

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STATE MEETING ATTENDED BY BALLINGER FIREMEN
Members of the Ballinger fire department and auxiliary left Monday morning for San Antonio to attend the State Firemen's

Association convention being held this week. Representing the local department were: Messrs. and Mmes. Chester Cherry, Tom McEntire, Charles Webb, Jack Fry, W. N.

Selby, H. M. Dasser, Bill Bell, Morris Stokes, Lynn Candler, D. G. Posey and B. B. Unsell. Some people learn how to relax. Others never learn how to do anything else.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCauley left Saturday for Galveston to attend the state chamber of commerce convention. The convention opened Monday and continued through Wednesday.

Mason Reports On Cancer Fight At Club Meeting

W. B. Mason, chairman of the Runnels county chapter of the American Cancer Society, was the guest speaker at the Ballinger Lions Club meeting Friday. He told of the recent organization of the county chapter and the work contemplated.

The speaker declared that the society was not a charity organization and that practically all funds raised were spent on research. Using material from the national society, the speaker reported that 200,000 died from cancer in 1952 and that more than 9,000 died from the disease in Texas alone in 1953.

The speaker urged all to become acquainted with the seven danger signals and to see a doctor at the first sign of cancer. He detailed treatment by X-ray, radium and surgery and told of some new methods that have met with success.

At the conclusion of the talk, a movie was shown. Club members made a freewill offering to the cause.

Installation of new officers will be held at a special meeting on June 18.



"EMBRACING" WESTERN IDEAS—Some of the 1450 political prisoners of Nationalist China throw their arms wide during morning exercises on their prison island off the coast of Formosa. The detention camp, known as "Home of the Reborn," houses the one-time Communists, suspected Communists, and fellow-travelers until their political re-education is completed.

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Mrs. D. C. Price, of Brownwood, and her eight sons and their families met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Price, 1900 Eighth Street, last Sunday for a family get-together.

Miss LaRita Price assisted her parents in entertaining at the buffet dinner menu. The afternoon was spent in visiting and making pictures of the group.

The sons and their families are: Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Price and daughter, LaRita, Ballin-

ger; Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Price, Coleman; Col. and Mrs. P. R. O. Price and son, Jimmie, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Indiana; Victor O. Price, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Price, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie A. Price, Joy, Sue and Johnnie, Jr., of Vega; Mr. and Mrs. David C. Price, Joan, Marita, Darrell and Martha Jane, of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Price and Imogene, of Stanton.

Other relatives and friends were Mr. and Mrs. Troy Goodwin and Jimmie, of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Price,

of San Angelo; Frank Price, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller, Loretta, Annette and Jerry Neal, of Abilene; Mrs. Mattie Busby, Brownwood; Manning Fairbeter, Gorman; Zane Robinson, Winters.

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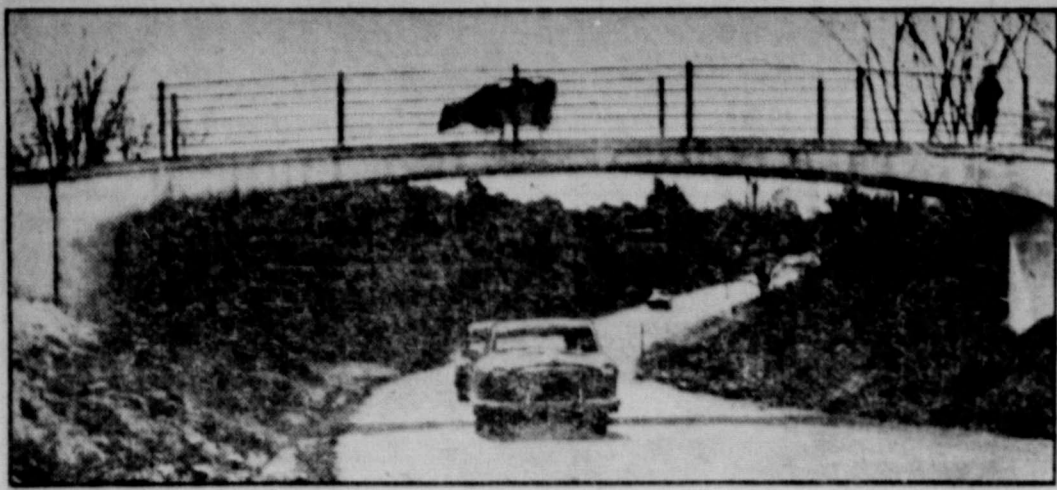
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SOCIETY

Wesleyan Service Guild Meets in Church

Miss Ann Midgley, president, conducted the business for the regular meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild, held in the parlors of the First Methodist Church Monday evening.

Mrs. Gertrude Woods brought the devotional, and Mrs. L. M. Bowden was leader for the program, "Students of Other Lands." She was assisted in presenting the program by Mrs. Mack Setser and Mrs. A. M. Smith.

At the social hour, Miss Midgley served frosted punch

and cookies. Others were: Mes. Cordelia Forgey, Ruel Boswell, M. B. Webb, Ona Penn, C. P. Shepherd, Herman Rountree, M. T. Camp, L. C. Daugherty and John Barton.

Duplicate Bridge Club Meets

The Duplicate Bridge Club met Tuesday night at the Acapulco Cafe, eight tables being occupied. Bud Hayes and Hill Hampton were high; Rollie Taylor and T. A. Mixon, second; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stone, third; and A. McGregor and Dr. E. W. Stasney, fourth.

Out-of-town players were Mr.

and Mrs. E. B. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Royal Bishop, of Winters.

The next club meeting will be held Tuesday and new members and guests are welcome.

Civic-Garden Club Sponsors Flower Arranging Clinic

The Ballinger Civic-Garden Club sponsored a Beginners Clinic in Flower Arrangements Tuesday afternoon at the Junior High School lunch room from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m.

Mrs. Lucille Allard, of Lampasas, a nationally-accredited teacher of flower arranging, was the lecturer, and gave instructions on making various arrangements using daisies, gladioli, dahlias, roses, zinnias, day lilies with canna leaves,

Spanish dagger, and Bells of Ireland. Most of the arrangements were triangular designs.

Seventy-seven Ballinger, Abilene, Winters, Robert Lee and Bronte women attended the interesting course in flower arranging.

Chairmen of arrangements were Mrs. A. O. Bartlett and Mrs. Drury Hathaway. Hostesses were Mrs. John Castor, Mrs. E. E. King and Mrs. R. R. Mizell.

Mrs. B. W. Claunch, club president, introduced the lecturer. Cold drinks were served at the intermission.

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Cookies Jane Arden Waffle Creams 6-Oz. Pkg.	27c	Cherub Milk Pasteurized Evaporated 14 1/2-Oz. Cans	37c
Soda Crackers Busy Baker 1-Lb. Pkg.	25c	Fine Desserts Jell Well Ass'd. Flavors 3-Oz. Pkg.	7c
Marshmallows Fluff-1-est Cellophane 16-Oz. Pkg.	28c	Dog Food Guardian 3 16-Oz. Cans	25c
Black Pepper Crown Colony 1-Oz. Can	20c	White Magic Bleach 12-Oz. Bot.	16c
Cookies Jane Arden Assorted sandwich 5 1/2-Oz. Pkg.	23c	Cragmont Root Beer 2 22-Oz. Bots.	29c
Cottage Cheese Blossom Time, Reg. 12-Oz. or Farmer Style Ctn.	15c	Peanut Butter Neverly 12-Oz. Jar	35c

We reserve the right to limit quantities and to refuse sales to dealers.

Welch's Grape Juice A Cooling Summer Drink (Limit 3)	24-Oz. Bot.	25c
Taste Tells Pork & Beans (Limit 5)	No. 200 Can	5c
Covered Wagon Corn Meal White	5-Lb. Pkg.	19c
Empress Strawberry Preserves Delicious	12-Oz. Jar	19c
American Sour or Dill Pickles (Limit 2)	2 22-Oz. Jars	35c
Coffee Edwards Regular or Drip	1-Lb. Can	95c

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A Buick given each week for 6 weeks... plus 530 appliance prizes.

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Skylark Bread White Sliced, Reg.	24-Oz. Loaf	23c
Skylark Bread Regular White, Sliced	1-Lb. Loaf	18c
Skylark Bread Slenderway	1-Lb. Loaf	22c

Smoked Picnics 6/10-Lb. Average Solid Whole Only	
Sirloin Steak U. S. Choice-Grade Heavy Beef	
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Short Ribs or Brisket U. S. Govt. Graded Calf	Lb.	29c	Dry Salt Bacon Center Cuts	Lb.	49c
Sirloin Steak U. S. Govt. Graded Calf	Lb.	73c	Pork Sausage Neuhoff Smokies	1-Lb. Cello	73c
Chuck Roast U. S. Govt. Graded Calf	Lb.	45c	Jumbo Bologna Sliced	8-Oz. Pkg.	20c

Prices effective Thursday, Friday and Saturday in BALLINGER.

Stalk-Fresh Corn Texas Sweet, Well-Filled Ears	3 Ears	10c
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Green Beans California Kentucky Wonders	Lb.	19c

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PIMENTO CHEESE Dutch Mill, Sliced 1/2-Lb. Pkg.	29c
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SOCIETY

Hatchel Pioneer Celebrates 77th Birthday Anniversary



Mrs. Bob Bailey celebrated her seventy-seventh birthday anniversary at her home near Hatchel on May 16.

Born in Tennessee in 1877, Mrs. Bailey came to Texas with her family when she was six years of age. She resided near Austin for some time and after her marriage in 1895 came to West Texas. She moved to this county in 1915 and has made home in the Hatchel community ever since. Her husband died in 1928.

Hostesses for the birthday celebration were Mrs. Ralph Parker, Mrs. H. Tierce, Mrs. Russell Derden and Miss Ruby Bailey. Dinner was served to 24

children and grandchildren. The birthday cake was baked by Mrs. Parker. Entertainment consisted of picture making and calls by friends.

Mrs. Smith Hostess to Sewing Club

Mrs. J. V. Smith was hostess to the Stitch-in-Time Club at a meeting in City Park last Tuesday afternoon. A short business period was conducted by the president, Mrs. George Proffett, followed by various games.

Pal gifts were exchanged and new names drawn for next month. The next meeting will be held in the home of Miss Mickey Vorbeck.

A refreshment plate of drinks, hot dogs and potato chips was served to Mmes. Callie Newsom, Proffett, Bill Goetz, T. M. Marsh, Herbert Minzenmayer, Joe Beard, Leaman Bell, N. L. Stevens and Miss Vorbeck.

CARDS FOR JUNIORS at Ballinger Printing Co.

Miss Clara McKissack, who is a senior at Sul Ross College, Alpine, has registered for the summer session. Majoring in elementary education, she formerly attended Southwest Texas State Teachers' College.

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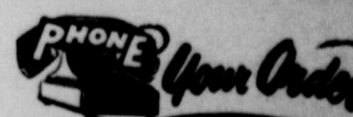
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SOCIETY

Miss Jackson, Billy J. Middleton Wed at Church

Miss Norma Jean Jackson became the bride of Billy Jack Middleton in a double-ring ceremony at 5:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the First Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Jackson. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Middleton. The Rev. Wayne Reynolds, pastor, officiated at the ceremony before an altar centered with an arch entwined with plumosa garlands dotted with white ester reeds against a background of palms. Candelabra holding white cathedral tapers and baskets of white gladioli flanked the setting. Pews were marked with white satin ribbon bows.

Candles were lighted by Mrs. Elroy Payne and Miss Cordelia Flanagan.

Mrs. J. D. Reneau, organist, presented pre-nuptial music, and accompanied Mrs. Charles Webb, who sang "Because" and "Always." She also played traditional wedding marches. As the couple knelt on a white satin covered prayer bench, Mrs. Webb sang "Our Father Who Art in Heaven" for the benediction.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a waist-length gown of white nylon tulle and silk Chantilly lace over satin. The fitted bodice was joined to a deep round yoke of nylon tulle outlined with lace flower motifs centered with seed pearls. Puff sleeves were of lace and the billowing skirt of lace had a wide band of nylon tulle to elongate the waistline, finished with lace motifs. Her lace mitts were topped with floral appliques and her opera pumps were white satin. Her veil of imported silk illusion fell in tiers to fingertip length from a Chantilly lace flower calot sprinkled with seed pearls. The bride carried the white Bible which members of Fancy Doers Club have all carried at their weddings. It was topped with a yellow-

throated white orchid showered with lilies of the valley. Her only ornaments were a strand of pearls given to her by the bridegroom, and for something old she wore a pearl ring which had belonged to her maternal great-grandmother.

Miss Betty Middleton, twin sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor. She wore a yellow organdy dress over taffeta. The fitted bodice was fashioned with a low neckline, double ruffle cap sleeves, and the waist-length skirt was very full. Her bandeau was of plaited matching net accented with seed pearls. She carried a blue lace and ribbon fan encrusted with ester reeds.

Bridesmaids were Miss Joyce Hite, Mrs. Scotty Bell and Miss Glenda Harris. Their gowns of Alice blue were fashioned identically to that of the maid of honor. They wore matching pumps and carried yellow fans. All attendants wore a strand of pearls given them by the bride.

Jeanie Keel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Keel, was flower girl. She wore a yellow organdy floor-length dress over taffeta made similar to the attendants'. She carried a white basket holding blue asters. Tommy Selby was ring bearer.

Scotty Bell was best man. Groomsmen were Charles F. Bailey, Jr., of Galveston; Jerry Bell and John Reese. Ushers were Bill St. John, Elroy Payne, of Abilene; and Jimmy Nixon. The bride's mother wore a pink linen dress with a matching lace jacket. The dress was rhinestone trimmed, and accessories were white with a blue split chrysanthemum corsage. Mrs. Middleton wore an aqua linen dress trimmed with embroidered floral designs and white accessories. Her corsage was of yellow rosebuds.

A reception was held in the church parlors following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with lace and centered with blue and yellow majestic daisies. Miss Gerry Glenn, of Waco, presided at the double wedding ring cake which was

decorated with yellow rosebuds and blue and white wedding bells spaced between the wedding bands. Double crystal candelabra holding white tapers completed the arrangement. Miss Deanie Rountree served punch. Mrs. Wayne Reynolds registered guests.

When the couple left on a wedding trip to Las Vegas, New Mexico, the bride was wearing a navy suit of summer gabardine with white accessories. Her small white straw hat featured a cluster of white flowers. Her

corsage was an orchid.

The couple will be at home at 610 Seventh Street.

Mrs. Middleton has been employed at Keel Drug Store since her graduation from Ballinger High School in 1952. Mr. Middleton is also a graduate of Ballinger High School. He attended Sul Ross College, Alpine, before enlisting in the army in 1951. He went to Korea in July, 1951, with the Second Division, and was a prisoner of war from August, 1951, to August, 1953.

Out-of-town wedding guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Middleton, of Midland; Mrs. Eldon Bogges, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Robers, Ovalo; Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Hoelscher and Francine, Norton; Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Kleypas, Karla and Anna Belle Kleypas, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Beach, Victor Matschek, Mrs. Raymond Rohm-feld, Miss Geneva Eggemeyer, all of Rowena; Mrs. A. L. Newby, Bradshaw; Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bailey, Jr., Galveston; Mr. and Mrs. Zane Branham, Lub-

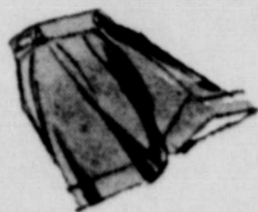
bock; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weiss and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Adams, Miles; Jimmy Gressett, of Perrin AFB, Sherman; Mrs. W. R. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. James Read, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryan and Ann Bryan, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sullenberger, Miss Gerry Glenn, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Dennis and Phillip, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Middleton, parents of the bridegroom, entertained with the rehearsal dinner Friday evening in their

Eleventh Street home. Arrangements of majestic daisies decorated rooms, blue and yellow asters centered foursome tables laid with blue and yellow organdy cloths, and an arrangement of talisman roses with blue and yellow tapers centered the linen-laid dining table. Clusters of white wedding bells, blue leaves and yellow lilies of the valley completed the centerpiece. Mrs. E. C. Tinsley, Mrs. Price Middleton, Mrs. Myles Nixon and Suzanne Middleton assisted in

serving the buffet menu. Miss Jackson and Mr. Middleton presented gifts to their attendants. Others were: Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Jackson, Miss Betty Middleton, Messrs. and Mmes. Scotty Bell, Charles F. Bailey, Jr., W. N. Selby and Tommy, Gene Keel and Jeanie, Charles Webb, J. D. Reneau, Weyman Mason, Elroy Payne; Misses Glenda Harris, Cordelia Flanagan, Joyce Hite; Jimmy Nixon, Jerry Bell, Bill St. John and John Reese.

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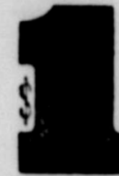


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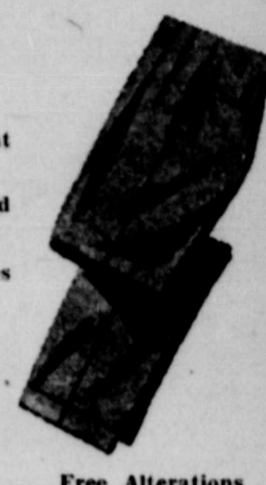
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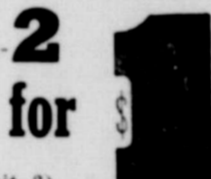
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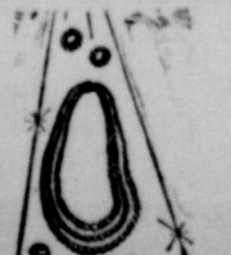
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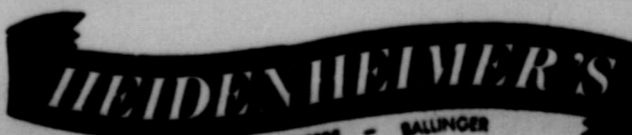
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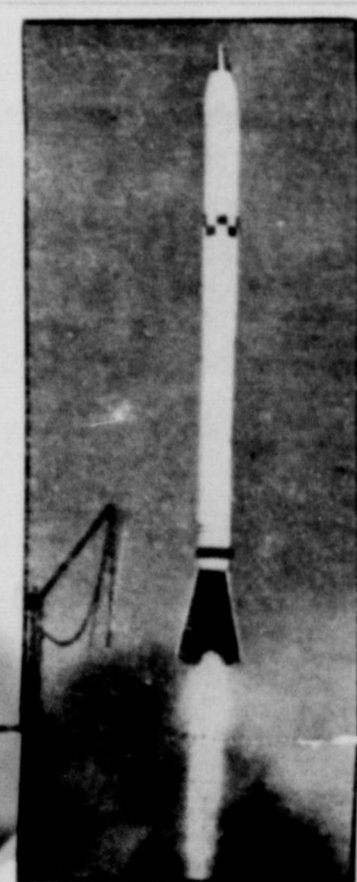
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"CORPORAL" JOINS ARMY—The supersonic, rocket-powered "Corporal" zooms past launching apparatus at White Sands Proving Ground, New Mexico, during a test flight. The Army has announced that troops are being equipped with the new guided missile, which can carry either a high-explosive or atomic warhead.

"LIBERTY" MAIL—The theme of Liberty, imprinted in purple, will be featured on the second of the new "ordinary" stamp series to be released. First-day covers of the 3-cent issue will be canceled at Albany, N. Y., June 24.



WINNER GETS ONLY THE CUP—Prize beauties Bobbie Lou Gouvei, left, and Royce Crosby display the 177-year-old Sir Thomas Lipton Memorial Trophy, which will be awarded to the winner of the Waikiki Yacht Club's Invitational Regatta, Oct. 29-31. Gentlemen sailors from all parts of the United States will race for the perpetual star-class trophy at Waikiki.