

Salt Water Pollution In County Discussed

During recent months there has been much work done in Runnels County in regard to salt water pollution in certain areas. At one time a meeting was asked with the Railroad Commission of Texas to discuss the matter. The meeting was delayed by the state group because they felt it unfair to have a large group make such a trip when they could offer nothing more than was offered at the present on a local basis.

After being asked to help in the matter, the members of the Railroad Commission asked an opinion of the attorney general as to whether they could hire additional help to look after salt water cases. According to the laws under which they operate and the appropriations made, no additional help could be hired by the commission for such work.

In a letter in regard to the matter from William J. Murray Jr., of the commission to Judge W. H. Ramey he states: "In summary, the Railroad Commission can take steps to stop operators from allowing salt water to escape from pits into surface streams where such pollution is called to our attention. We are apparently without legal authority to require the abandonment of storage brine in pits where there is no apparent surface escape of such brine even though we are aware in many cases such storage eventually results in underground seepage and pollution. We have sometimes been able to dispose of salt water by underground injection on our 'hardness' even though our legal authority was questionable."

"As I understand the situation, the problem in Runnels County is particularly aggravated by the general presence of the Coleman Junction formation, which is a source of high pressure salt water and is possibly responsible for more pollution than any other single source. Some of this Coleman comes apparently from wells Junction salt water pollution which were abandoned and improperly plugged many years ago, the original operators are no longer in business and cannot be traced. Also many core holes were drilled in the Coleman Junction limestone at the time when the Railroad Commission had no jurisdiction over drilling or plugging of core holes. It is feared that the source of Coleman Junction pollution will be difficult to ascertain and stop since the source of funds for this work is a serious problem."

Mr. Murray stated in his letter that a meeting with a county committee could be arranged but there was little that could be done.

Suggestions have been made that a separate group to handle salt water pollution be set up by the state and an appropriation be made to properly staff such activity. Until this is done, there is little relief for counties suffering from salt water escape as is found in Runnels County.

Senior Rotarians Honored Tuesday At Program Here

Nine members of the Ballinger Rotary Club, having attained the plateau of senior active in classification, were honored Tuesday in a special ceremony at the regular meeting of the organization. Dick Wagner of San Angelo, a former district governor of Rotary, was master of ceremonies and gave an instructive talk on the different classes of membership.

The classification of senior active is considered a special honor, and one of the ways of attaining this honor is having been a member of a club or clubs for at least 15 years. This elevation in classification opens the way for others to come into a club in the classification made vacant. The senior active is enabled to join any club anywhere whether his vocational classification is open or not.

Senior active members in the Ballinger club are: Estes Lynn, Willie Stephens, Kirk Rogers, Edgar Boeche, W. O. Wallace, Ralph Erwin, Frank Pearce, E. E. Paul Petty.

Hudgins Chairman Seal Sale Drive In Runnels County

Homer Hudgins of Winters has been named chairman of the 1956 Christmas Seal Sale for the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association.

The 50th annual campaign to raise funds to fight tuberculosis will be carried out by the 3,000 associations throughout the United States from November 15 through December.

"Great progress against tuberculosis has been made in the first half century of the Christmas Seal sale," Hudgins declared, "but there is still a big job ahead to bring this disease under control. Tuberculosis strikes 100,000 Americans every year and we must all share in the fight to protect our homes from it."

Contributions to the association in this county, to pay for research, chest X-ray survey, case findings, health education programs, rehabilitation and medical care are needed.

In naming Mr. Hudgins to the seal sale chairman, Dr. John E. Green of Ballinger, president of the association, stated that he had been active in the work for several years and has worked hard as a member of the board and as chairman of committees and drives.

Rotary Governor Will Visit Club Present Program

The Ballinger Rotary Club will be host to W. L. (Bill) Ray, governor of the 18th district of Rotary International, Monday and Tuesday of next week. The governor will be paying his official visit to the local club and Monday evening will meet with the officers and committee heads to check up on the program of work and general activities of the local organization. Tuesday at noon he will attend the regular luncheon of the club and be the main speaker.

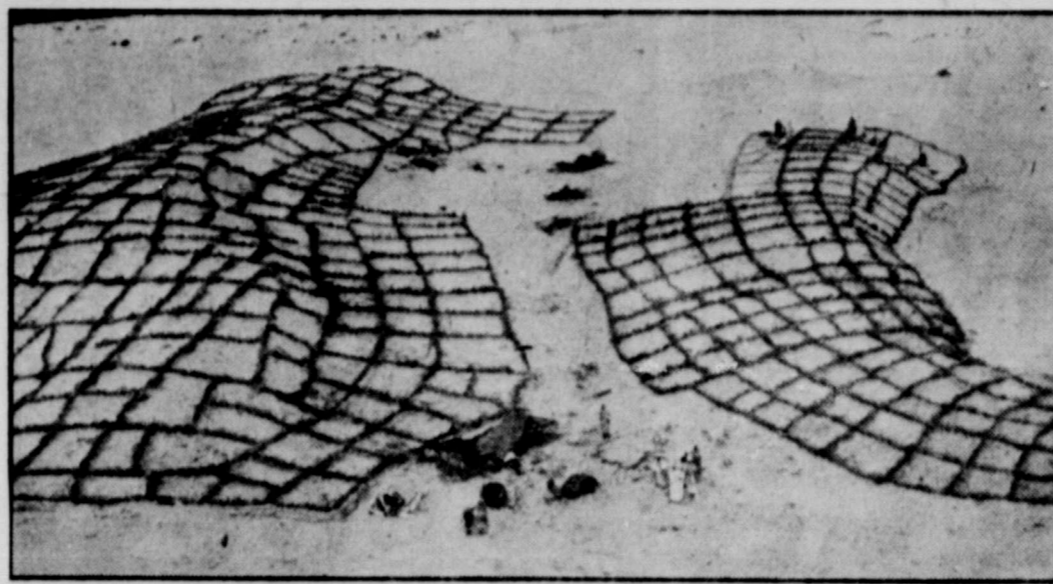
Mr. Ray is owner of an insurance company in Seguin and is a member and past president of the club there. He was elected district governor last year at the 7th annual convention in Philadelphia.

John King is president of the Ballinger club and will meet with the governor on his visit here to check local activities with those of other clubs in the district. In rotary there are 248 districts, 9,100 clubs with a membership of 431,000 members in 99 countries of the world. During the past fiscal year there were 351 new clubs formed.

FRED HOLLIDAY WITH NIX OLDS-CADILLAC

Fred Holliday has returned to Ballinger and after today will be associated with the Nix Olds-Cadillac Co. in the sale of cars. Mr. Holliday is a car salesman with many years of successful experience. For many years he sold Buicks in Ballinger and more recently has been with the Pat Buick Co. at Winters.

New model Oldsmobiles and Cadillacs are to be shown here soon and the new models will be for sale after that showing. He will be glad to meet his Ballinger and area friends at his new place of business and show them the two new cars for 1957.



BLANKET OF GRASS FOR PROTECTION FROM SAND—Forming a dramatic pattern against the barren Sahara Desert, huge netlike squares of dried grasses are spread over sand dunes. The dunes are blanketed with the dried grasses to prevent the sand from being shifted by the wind to the nearby acres of fertile land.

Girl Scout Fund Drive Is Set for November 5

The annual girl scout fund campaign has been set for November 5. This date was announced the past week-end by fund chairman, Gene Keel, who will have charge of the raising of money this year.

Mr. Keel pointed out that girl scouts have been neglected in past years locally, and that now they are badly in need of funds, if their work and training is properly carried on by local leaders. There are a large number of Ballinger girls in this program with many mothers and adults giving their time to the training of the girls.

This year the girls hope to be able to take part in the summer camps with the new girl scout camp opening at Lake Brownwood. To do this, take care of their club house on Fifth Street and keep up the big summer program of activities, it will be necessary that they raise a considerable fund this fall.

Mr. Keel will use a large group of adult solicitors who will make a city wide canvass to give everyone an opportunity to have a part in this project. All business houses and the employees will be contacted on November 5 or as near that date as possible. Mr. Keel urges that local people give generously to the girl scouts.

60 Scouts Attend District Camporee Sol Mayer Sunday

The boy scout district camporee was held the past week-end at Camp Sol Mayer with five troops totaling 60 scouts and five leaders attending.

The program consisted of an opening campfire Saturday night, the scouts own religious service Sunday morning conducted by Troy Pentecost, minister of the Melvin First Methodist Church. This was followed by instructions in signaling, first aid and the various skills incident to living in the out of doors.

Troops participating were: 21 of Eden, 28 of Menard, 24 of Brady, 29 of Ballinger and 126 of Melvin.

T. Wood of Melvin, a member of the district camping and activity committee headed the affair and he was assisted by Floyd Marshall of Melvin, Charles Pence of Brady, Kenneth Haynes of Eden, Dayton Walston of Menard, G. H. Wymann of Sol Mayer and O. K. Reynolds of Ballinger.

Cubmasters and their assistants, den mothers, scoutmasters and assistants, explorer advisors and assistants, will meet at Eden November 8 at 7 p. m. in the monthly round table meeting to plan for the December program in the units under the leadership of Joe A. King of Paint Rock.

PANCAKE SUPPER SET TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6
Members of the Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic Church will hold their annual pancake supper Tuesday night, November 6 at the Parish Hall. The ladies will start serving at 5:30 p. m. and continue as long as there are patrons.

They will serve a complete menu including sausage and coffee and tickets may be purchased at 50 cents each.

Ballinger Youth Hallow'e'n Play For Two Evenings

Hallow'e'n goblins were on the march early this year with a Saturday night observance of the occasion. Youngsters used flour bombs for street throwing and a large number of downtown windows were marked up with soap.

The early observance was due to the annual senior carnival being held Saturday. All reports indicate a well behaved celebration with no damage reported from any source. Most of the activity was clean fun and aside from a few "ugly" words written on windows, the first ghost part was fine.

Joe Forester, high school principal, stated that with the closing of Eighth Street in front of the library building and the help of men from Company I, local guard unit, the occasion was the best in recent years. He expressed his thanks to the city police, national guard and all others who assisted in any way with the work Saturday night.

Local officers were on the job again last night to keep a watch over the real observance. Most of the "trick or treat" procession here was done by juniors from various church groups soliciting for CROP, overseas relief program sponsored through the Council of United Church Women.

Monday morning practically all local store windows received a washing and another was underway this morning. Most of the early downtown parade of "goblins" last night was the very young group in the Hallow'e'n costumes.

ROWENA DELEGATION AT HIGHWAY MEETING

A delegation of Rowena men were in Austin last week to appear before the State Highway Commission in regard to the location of a farm-to-market road in that area.

Two groups were there asking for a different designation on a proposed farm-to-market road which would run east from Rowena to an intersection with Highway 83.

Each side presented their claims for the different routes and the highway officials announced they would send engineers to make a careful survey of the two proposed locations and make an announcement later.

Both groups have been working for their particular route for several years. A designation and a contract for the building of the road will be announced soon by the highway department.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED AS OBSERVERS HERE

Carl Fouts has been made supervisor for the Ground Observer Corps and has started plans for getting a complete organization formed to work in Ballinger. This group will work with national defense and organizations are being set up in all counties.

Aircraft spotters are wanted and those interested in serving are asked to contact Mr. Fouts and offer their services. A meeting will be held in the near future at which time details of the work will be explained to all volunteers.

Election Tuesday To Attract Large Vote For County

A record vote is expected to be cast in Runnels County Tuesday in the general election. Plans have been made with supplies to take care of a vote similar or larger than the one cast in the first primary in July.

Polls will open at all voting boxes in this county at 8 a. m. and will close at 7 p. m. All election managers will have their boxes well staffed to take care of the voters during the day and also to get an early start on tabulations so that early returns can be made.

A staff of workers will be on the job at the office of the Ballinger Ledger to receive and tabulate the boxes in this county. Release of totals will be made as fast as possible until the results are complete. All election managers have been asked to call 6522 as soon as they complete their count.

Election workers expect many split-tickets this year which will slow down the counting a little. In addition to the five columns on the ballot, there are eight constitutional amendments to be tabulated.

Elsewhere in this newspaper is a complete sample ballot showing all candidates and the amendments. This is published as a public service so that families can discuss the issues and determine how they will mark their ballot.

DELEGATION TO ABILENE TO HEAR GOV. SHIVERS

A large number of people from Ballinger, Paint Rock, Rowena and other places in the area will leave late this afternoon in a caravan of cars to meet Governor Allan Shivers in Abilene tonight.

The Governor will arrive there by plane and will address a large crowd of West Texas Democrats for Eisenhower at the Rose Field House at Hardin-Simmons University.

PLAN ADULT CLASSES FOR LOCAL PERSONS

Announcement has been made that ladies interested in organizing adult classes are invited to meet at the Homemaking Cottage on the Ballinger High School campus, at 3:00 p. m. Monday, November 5.

RUNNELS COUNTY AGENT MADE DEPARTMENT HEAD

C. T. Parker Jr., Runnels County farm agent, has been named a department superintendent of three departments at the Fort Worth Fair Stock Show to be held January 25 through February 3.

Mr. Parker will head the Brahma, Santa Gertrudis and Brangus divisions. This will be Parker's second year to serve in this capacity at the Fort Worth show.

R. W. BRUCE SUFFERS STROKE LAST SUNDAY
R. W. Bruce was in serious condition this week after suffering a stroke last Sunday at the Memorial Hospital in San Angelo. Doctors advised Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bruce Wednesday afternoon that his breathing was better and he seemed slightly improved at that time.

MASONRY IN TEXAS FOR SCHOOL LIBRARY
Gay Edwards and Bob Hancock have presented the book, "Masonry in Texas" to the Ballinger High School library. The book was written by James D. Carter and gives the background history and influence of Freemasonry.

It was given by Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry.

Officers Report Numerous Cases Past Week Here

Runnels County law enforcement officers have handled a number of cases the past week and have investigations underway in numerous others.

Lane Page has been charged with forgery after passing a check for \$76.84 at a local store. The check was given on the Anchor Exploration Co. and was returned with no such firm noted on the check.

Leo Freeman, charged with non-support, was returned here Tuesday from Roswell, New Mexico to face trial.

Lawrence Gordon was transferred to the state prison the past week-end after conviction on a charge of forgery.

Logan Harris was filed on the past week for theft but no arrest has been made.

Bill Bradshaw was filed on for removing mortgaged property and a warrant sent to Robert Lee.

Buddy Watson was charged with checking and a warrant mailed to Odessa.

J. A. Sanders was charged with two counts of checking and a warrant sent to Big Lake.

Roy Brosig was filed on for checking, two counts, the past week.

B. F. Clawson was returned here from Andrews on a charge of removing mortgaged property.

Officers are also getting ready for the meeting of the grand jury here Monday at which time approximately 50 cases will be handed them for investigation.

Firemen's Annual Pot-Luck Supper Scheduled Tonight

Ballinger firemen will hold their annual pot-luck supper and meeting tonight at 7 o'clock at the fire station. All firemen and their families will attend along with city officials, advisory members and a few invited guests.

Each lady will bring a covered dish which will be spread on a table and served cafeteria style. Tables and chairs will be arranged in the station in banquet style.

After the dinner a program will be held at which time the annual report of the department will be made. New officers announced and service pins awarded.

Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will be the guest speaker for the occasion. Other entertainment features will be included on the program.

The department has enjoyed a good year so far with only a light fire loss. They have also acquired a new fire truck during the year along with other equipment to make them a more efficient group of fire fighters.

Reports will be given by Chief Chas. Webb and secretary L. F. Jackson.

MURMAN APPOINTED TO LODGE POSITION

Carl Murman has been named District Deputy Grand Master for District 31 of the I. O. O. F. Lodges of Texas. His appointment was made official with the issuing of a certificate by Tom H. King, Grand Master, after his visit here recently.

Mr. Murman will have Winters, Menard, Coleman, Fort Concho, Runnels, Bronte and the Cordova lodges under his jurisdiction. He has accepted the place and will soon start visits with the lodges of the district.

ABSENTEE VOTING HEAVY IN COUNTY

Wednesday morning a total of 111 absentee votes had been cast in the general election in Runnels County. Absentee voting will continue through tomorrow (Friday) after which no more votes will be cast by that method.

A number of ballots had been sent away from the county and may not be returned in time to be counted.

This is a very large number for the general election and indicates the interest for people in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Fain and Mr. and Mrs. J. Perry King, all of Amarillo, were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. King and Mr. and Mrs. John King.

State Will Let Contract For Bridge on Nov. 14

The State Highway Department is advertising for bids for the construction of a new bridge across the Colorado River on Highway 67 at Ballinger and a total of 1,144 miles of paving and topping on that route. Part of the pavement is from Tenth Street in Ballinger to the east approach of the bridge and 95 of a mile of four-lane highway west of the Colorado River.

The state is asking for bids on November 14 and at that time expect to award a contract for this job. A work order will be issued as soon as possible after that date so that work can get underway.

Senior Carnival Has Large Crowd Coronation Held

Ballinger High School students staged a parade Saturday afternoon and the senior class held its annual Hallow'e'n carnival Saturday night at the library building. Activities started at 7:00 p. m. and continued after the climax of the program, the coronation of the queen.

The big feature of the carnival was the selection of a queen and a king, which caused much interest for the entire school as the students campaigned for more than two weeks for their class favorites. June Hash, senior candidate, was the successful aspirant for the queenly honors, and Jimmie Stubblefield was named king. The contest was kept open until 9:00 p. m. Saturday when final tabulations were made.

Girl representatives from all classes who were defeated, acted as court attendants with their escorts.

Senior sponsors, Principal Joe Forester, W. F. Postlethwaite, M. E. Sweeney, Bill Gosney, Mrs. W. N. Selby and Mrs. Josephine Stallings, assisted the group of seniors in making preparations for the side-shows, bingo, ring games, cake walk and many other entertainment features. Many useful gifts, including wrist watches, electric appliances and other articles, were donated by local merchants for the contests.

The net proceeds from the carnival after all bills are paid will go into the senior fund for the annual senior trip next May and for other expenses of the class during the school year.

Court attendants in the coronation ceremony were junior class members, Frances Schroeder and Malcolm Hall; sophomore class, Pauline James and Leon (Skeet) Pearce; freshman class, Pat Bell and Calvin Kirk; eighth grade, Kay Pruser and David Brevard; seventh grade, Deanna Foreman and Jerry Brunson.

James Hays, senior class president, was master of ceremonies for the coronation and presented identification bracelets from the class to the queen and king. Principal Joe Forester crowned the queen and king.

Each lady will bring a covered dish which will be spread on a table and served cafeteria style. Tables and chairs will be arranged in the station in banquet style.

After the dinner a program will be held at which time the annual report of the department will be made. New officers announced and service pins awarded.

Council Program Is Held Monday; Officers Named

The Council of United Church Women met Monday afternoon for their regular fall session. The program was held at the First Church of God with Mrs. Carl Fouts presiding and Mrs. Harry Paschal giving the opening prayer.

Announcement was made that the meeting of the 10th district, United Church Women of Texas, would be held in Ballinger in October 1957.

At the business session officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Carl Fouts was reelected president to serve another year in that office. Mrs. Herman Price was named vice-president and Mrs. Ed Curry, secretary-treasurer. The nominating committee was composed of Mmes. Joe Forman, A. McGregor and C. F. Bailey.

Miss Lillie Clayton was chairman for the program Monday and Carol Beard was at the piano for the offering.

A group of ladies from San Angelo brought the program on Prayer. Those taking part were Mrs. J. C. Sturges Jr., Mrs. Troy Duncan and Mrs. J. W. Longnette.

A report was heard that the used clothing drive had been successful and clothing will be packed for shipment next Monday. A good offering was received at the Monday meeting and will be used in the overseas relief program. Also a large offering in used clothing and materials was received at the meeting.

Patricia Davis, student in North Texas State College, Denton, was at home for the past week-end to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Davis.

Both the county and city have placed money in escrow for the curb and gutter work for this first contract.

Sausage-Turkey Dinner Planned Rowena, Nov. 11

The St. Joseph Parish at Rowena is making plans for their public picnic and dinner to be held on Sunday, November 11. Plans are being made to serve a delicious sausage and turkey dinner with all the trimmings and service will start at the Parish Hall at 11 a. m. and continue until all have been served.

Cost for the dinner will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children. The affair is being given publicity in many communities and is expected to attract a large crowd of visitors for the noon hour.

Ballinger people will have time to attend church services Sunday morning and then drive to Rowena in plenty of time to be served.

Several years ago the Rowena people held an Armistice program and dinner each year and great crowds were attracted there for the occasion. The same type dinner is being offered this year and many people are expected to visit with their Rowena friends and enjoy the delicious meal.

NINE STUDENTS TAKE MERIT TESTS AT BHS

Scholarship Qualifying Tests for selection of secondary school candidates seeking to qualify for the National Merit Scholarship program and other scholarship plans were given the past week at Ballinger High School.

Nine students took the local tests with Miss Maryatt Smith giving them.

By taking a single test in their own school, high school seniors will be considered for more than 1,000 scholarships of various types offered by 39 sponsors in the United States. The Scholarship Qualifying Test is a high-level scholarship aptitude test designed to differentiate among students of high ability.

Ballinger students taking the test were: Nydah Ellet, Jerry Eoff, James Hays, Susan Herring, Denny Hill, Martha Northington, Leland Ohlhausen, Jerry Ann Pruser, Glenn Smith.

WINTERS-BALLINGER SEAT SALE TUESDAY

Reserve seat tickets for the Ballinger-Winters game in Winters November 9, will be placed on sale at the Pearce-Balley Drug Store Tuesday, November 6 at 10 a. m.

Joe Forester has received reserve seat tickets from Winters and those wanting seats are urged to secure them while they are on sale here.

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Next Tuesday is election day. This is one of the most important elections in many years and the people of this area should go to the polls and vote their convictions. The naming of national and state leaders is one of the most important matters entrusted to the people and every citizen, eligible to vote, should take part in the naming of these leaders. In Texas there are also some very important amendments to the constitution which are submitted at this time to the people for approval or rejection. Some of the amendments are very important, and if passed will make needed correction in our state laws. Some will save the people money and do away with outmoded laws that have caused handicaps for many years. All election boxes in Runnels County will be open for regular voting hours, 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. and tabulations will be made as soon as possible after closing time.

A tremendous amount of publicity today is given to a "We must cultivate a progressive attitude toward mental illness" campaign. As one of the most popular targets for reform, the needs in the field of mental

illness are blared from radios, television, newspapers, magazines and billboards.

Yet in spite of advanced thinking and research, Texas is the only state which retains a mandatory jury trial for all indefinite commitments, (more than 90 days), to a state hospital, even though jury trial may be waived in all other civic matters. For one who is already mentally disturbed, the shock of being brought into court, charged with lunacy, hearing evidence of their insanity and receiving verdict of "guilty" by a lay jury can be a powerful factor in slashing their chances for recovery.

If Texas is to erase the shame of being the only state in the union with this archaic law, a constitutional amendment, No. 7, must be passed at the general election next Tuesday. This amendment allows a waiver of jury trial in commitment proceedings. It does not abolish trial by jury, but allows an alternative to avoid damaging the chances of recovery for the patient and humiliation for the family. The amendment further provides that no person may be committed to a mental institution unless there is competent medical testimony. By the present law, people can actually be railroaded into mental institutions because, although medical testimony usually is introduced, it is not required. A third provision of the proposed amendment is that the legislature is authorized to enact specific laws providing for the trial and commitment of the mentally ill.

Good commitment laws are important, not only for humane



WEST TEXAS NOTES

The board of directors of the North Runnels County United Fund met in Winters last week to adopt a constitution and by-laws and to attend to other business. Elected directors also drew for terms of office, some serving one year, some two years and others for three years. A committee from the board will meet with heads of participating organizations in the near future to set up a budget for the first year. As soon as the budget is adopted, plans for the actual raising of money will be made and the campaign launched for all communities in the north end of the county.

The citizens at Wingate started using natural gas for the first time October 24. Duncan Hensley, cashier of the Security Bank at Wingate, turned the valve which started gas into the customers' lines. Work on the pipe line was started by Lone Star Gas Co. in July and was completed last week. Guy White, district manager, was on hand for the ceremony. A total of 90 customers have made connections for the service and many items of equipment have been installed in homes and business houses.

The raising of funds for the community chest at Stephenville started last week and will be continued until November 15. Plans call for all clerks to pledge on a weekly basis, with a certain amount to be taken from their wages. Those in charge stated that every citizen would be given an opportunity to have a part this year. Aside from the special workers, a

reasons, but for sound financial ones. There are 16,000 Texans in state hospitals now, and it is estimated that 1 in 12 Texans will need hospitalization for mental illness sometime during their lifetime. Much of the cost of the care and treatment in state hospitals must be borne by the taxpayers. With new, intensive therapy, about 80 per cent of all patients admitted for the first time can be returned to their communities as productive citizens within a year. If they are to be fully effective, modern care and treatment programs which means savings in tax dollars, must include good commitment laws.

number of organizations are assisting with the drive by passing out publicity material and assisting in other ways. The fund is to take care of some twelve organizations in that area.

Miss Laura Tharp, home demonstration agent of Concho County, left last week for Dallas where she joined eleven other Texas agents to attend the national convention of agents in Chicago. Miss Tharp was one of the Southern Belles at the party on October 29 given by the Southern Region. The group from Texas will return to College Station by plane and arrive in time to attend the statewide meeting of agents which started on November 2.

The United Fund drive was launched in Coleman last week with good results for the first reports. A total of \$2,513 was reported from only a small section of the town in their attempt to raise a budget of \$17,398. Reports from the entire county last week-end showed \$12,732 either contributed or pledged. Work will get underway among the employees of the county with each worker being asked to contribute one hour's pay per month to the fund. The quota established for workers amounts to \$2,608. Part of the amount to be deducted from pay checks and others have authorized drafts through banks.

The Comanche High School held their first homecoming since 1941, last Friday. A large crowd of ex-students gathered at the veterans building for a barbecue dinner followed by a business session at which time it was decided to form an ex-students association. From the business session they went to the football park where they saw the unbeaten Comanche team go down in defeat at the hands of Hamilton, the only thing to spoil the program for the night. The class of 1915 were featured at the gathering.

Menard is marketing their biggest turkey crop this year and raisers are meeting with success in their new venture. It was estimated that approximately 45,000 birds would be sold on the Thanksgiving market there. This is about double



NEW CIVIL DEFENSE uniform is shown here by Mrs. Jean Wood Fuller, Director of Women's Activities for the Federal Civil Defense Administration. The trim suit is done in Civil Defense Blue, a new shade of gray-blue. The snappattire, one of three new uniforms approved by the agency, may be worn by women in civil defense and the Ground Observer Corps throughout the United States. (FCDA Photo)

the production of 1955. Winston Sheen is the big producer in the county and during the past year has mixed his own feed to make a very successful season. A number of other growers have added large numbers of turkeys this year. Hens brought 26 cents while toms sold at about 23 cents.

Les Terry, prominent Colorado City rancher, received two rattlesnake bites last week. He was working at his place alone, and when he reached under a shed to get a bolt, was struck twice by the rattler. He tried to suck the venom from the wound and later re-

ceived help from two Latin-American workers on the ranch. He drove to a neighbor's house and from there was taken to the hospital. The past week-end he was responding well and believed to be over the danger period.

The McCulloch County Farm Bureau in an annual meeting last week passed 16 resolutions, four of them aimed at greater water conservation. The bureau endorsed the upstream small watershed program, gave its support to a proposed water users tax to assist in solving Texas water problems, went on record as favoring McCulloch

County becoming a part of the Lower Colorado River Authority and promised support to water conservation efforts of the soil conservation service and the Bureau of Reclamation.

A little more than two-thirds of Concho County's wheat land will be idle next year according to figures released last week by the Concho County ASC office. Office workers stated that

a total of 16,480 acres have been signed up for the 1957 wheat acreage reserve program. The total acreage allotment for the county is 23,188 acres. To the 216 signers of the reserve wheat program, this means approximately \$10.65 per acre or a total of \$175,440 on the 1957 program.

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VOTE FOR TEACHER RETIREMENT AMENDMENT

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No. 4 FOR the Constitutional Amendment empowering the Legislature to revise the existing Teacher Retirement System and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the State, authorizing that the State's contributions for such purposes shall equal contributions by such employees and providing that they do not exceed six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid each such employee by the State or school district on the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each year for any such employee, republishing the eligibility of such employees for retirement benefits and prescribing the manner of increasing money accruing to the retirement fund.

AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment empowering the Legislature to revise the existing Teacher Retirement System and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the State, authorizing that the State's contributions for such purposes shall equal contributions by such employees and providing that they do not exceed six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid each such employee by the State or school district on the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each year for any such employee, republishing the eligibility of such employees for retirement benefits and prescribing the manner of increasing money accruing to the retirement fund.

No. 5 T. J. R. 2. The Amendment to Section 49-b of Article 10 of the Constitution of Texas to change the membership of the Veterans' Land Board; increasing the number of members to be appointed by the Land Fund by \$100,000, and to be used for the purpose of purchasing land to be sold to Texas Veterans.

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NOVEMBER 6, 1956



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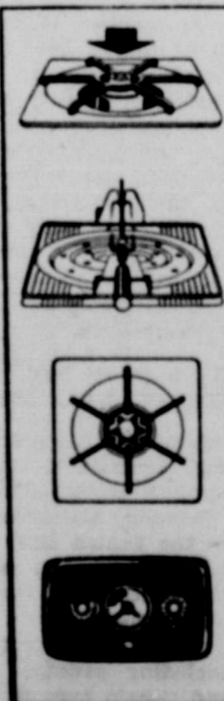
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Baptist Socials After Ball Games For Local Youth

The young people of Ballinger have been enjoying the after game fellowship being held each week at the First Baptist Church. After each home Bearcat game a fellowship is planned for all Ballinger young people.

The group enjoyed a circus last Friday night. The fellowship hall was decorated to represent a "big top." Aminture merry-go-round added color and atmosphere to the hall. Joe Jones was ringmaster and a program of varied entertainment was presented. Refreshments of popcorn balls, bags of peanuts and pink lemonade were served to 80 young people.

The first fellowship was after the Colorado City game and used a theme of football. There were 42 present. The next was after the Lake View game and was on a western theme with saddles, hay, bear grass, saddle blankets and a real corral. Hot

dogs and cokes were served to 75 young people.

The last after game fellowship of the season will be held tomorrow (Friday) night following the Ranger game. The program is being built around the minstrel theme and all young people are invited to attend.

The fellowships are under the direction of Bob Allford, minister of music and youth for the First Baptist Church.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. Willie Stephens, surgical, Wednesday
L. B. Rudder, medical, Sunday
Baby Girl Frison, medical, Saturday
LeRoy Halfmann, Rowena, medical, Friday
Mrs. E. C. DeLay, medical, Friday
Emil Urban, Miles, medical, Friday
Buzzy Underwood, surgical, Wednesday
Brenda Kay Brooks, medical, Saturday
Mrs. E. B. Zly, surgical, Wednesday
C. E. Witt, medical, Friday

Births reported at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week were:

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hancock, a son, born October 23
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Forgey, a son, born October 26
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lancaster, San Angelo, a son, born October 27
Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Pena, a son, born October 27
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herdridge, a daughter, born October 27
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graves, a son, born October 28

Patients in the hospital at this time are:

Johnny Clark, Ackerly, accident
Mrs. W. A. Watson, surgical
Joe Wanorek, Rowena, medical
Mrs. W. B. Woody, medical
Don Atkins, medical
J. J. Schneider, Coleman, medical
Billy Wayne Clifton, surgical



GLOBAL EFFORT—Pretty Parisian decorator Claude Genet seems wholly occupied by her earthly chore of drawing the Suez Canal on the ponderous globe. Claude was preparing the ball for the Marine Show on the banks of the Seine River in Paris, France. Unlike the world's diplomats, Claude settles the Suez business simply by drawing a line.



CRAZY GOLF—IT'S COOL, MAN—A white putting green calls for an orange golf ball. At an Arctic ice pack north of Point Barrow, Alaska, the "ball" is a real orange. Chief Warrant Officer William C. Crews, USN, from Birmingham, Ala., lines up an iron shot right as caddy John W. Ledger, SN, USN of Millville, N.J., looks away. The sailors are with the Navy icebreaker USS Atka participating in the Navy resupply of the Distant Early Warning radar network, which stretches across the top of North America.

SOCIETY

First Baptist Althean Class Meets In Faubion Home

Mrs. L. A. Faubion was co-hostess with Mrs. W. A. Nance and Mrs. Owen Aycock Tuesday evening when she entertained members of the Althean Class of the First Baptist Church in her home on Murrell Avenue.

Arrangements of chrysantheums and queen's wreath were used for room decorations and the Thanksgiving theme was featured on the refreshment

plate of pecan pie and coffee.

Mrs. E. P. Talbot, president, conducted the business and also brought the devotional. A social hour followed the program.

Others were: Mmes. Elmer Shepperd, J. E. Jones, Annie Morrison, R. F. Canady, R. E. Truly, A. E. Lowry, H. G. Burkhardt, M. R. Brown, Rae Whiteaker, E. E. King, W. A. Forgey, J. A. Williams and James A. Wear.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Agnew returned home this week from Brookville, Pennsylvania where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Agnew's sister, Mrs. Gordon McGiffin. Mrs. Merta Harshaw will be here shortly after a visit with a sister in Tennessee.

Manure left in the feed lot adds nothing to the land.

Citation By Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: T. J. Reed and M. E. Reed, each deceased, and the

At the Horseshoe . . .

Going on the theory that any good motion picture must be as fresh and provocative as the headline story in today's newspaper, James Mason picked a subject in keeping with his own personal dictum and came up with just such an approach for his first assignment as a producer at Twentieth Century-Fox. He spent almost a year searching for just the right story. It was "Bigger Than Life," which opens Sunday and Monday at the Horseshoe Drive In Theatre.

In addition to being the producer, Mason performs the star role of a man who is transformed into a dangerous man-depressive through self-administered overdoses of cortisone. Co-starring with him in this off-beat story are Barbara Rush and Walter Matthau. The timely theme, written for the screen by Cyril Hume and Richard Maibaum, was filmed in CinemaScope and color by DeLuxe.

unknown heirs, executors, administrators and legal representatives of T. J. Reed and M. E. Reed. GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 17th day of December, A. D. 1956, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable 119th District Court of Rannels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas.

Said plaintiff's first amended original petition was filed on the 31st day of October, 1956.

The file number of said suit being No. 6690.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Sam G. Kennedy and wife Juanita Kennedy as Plaintiffs' and those to whom this citation is addressed as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit in Trespass to try title by Plaintiffs against all of the Defendants, Plaintiffs alleging title to and ownership of the following described land lying and being situated in the County of Rannels, State of Texas, to-wit:

All of Lots Nos. three (3), four (4), five (5), and six (6), in Block No. thirty-two (32) of the Reed Subdivision of the West End Addition to the city of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, as the same appears on the map of the plan of said Subdivision and Addition of record in the office of the County Clerk of said county, to which map and the record thereof reference is here made; that plaintiffs were the owners on the 1st day of September, 1956, and still are, and the defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and dispossessed the Plaintiffs, of such land and premises; and that Plaintiffs claim title under the statutes of limitation of three years and ten years.

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

Issued this 31st day of October A. D. 1956.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 31st day of October A. D. 1956.

Willie Stephens, Clerk
District Court
Rannels County, Texas

Seal

Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre
THU.-FRI.-SAT. 2 FIRST RUNS

HOT CARS
CRABBE ROBINSON
GUY BROTHERS

SUN.-MON. 2 FIRST RUNS

Bigger than Life
JAMES MASON
BARBARA RUSH
WALTER MATTHAU

ALEC GUINNESS - JACK HAWKINS
THE PRISONER

TUES.-WED. CARLOAD NITES

ROBERT MITCHELL
JANE CROWE
Out of the Past

THE KNAVE OF HEARTS!
The Cisco Kid
GILBERT ROLAND
CHRIS-PINE
MARTIN

At the Texas . . .

Authentic amphibious warfare maneuvers involving 200 ships of the U. S. Navy and 10,000 marines were filmed in Technicolor and VistaVision by Universal-International for incorporation in "Away All Boats!" which opens Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at the Texas Theatre with Jeff Chandler, George Nader, Julie Adams and Lex Barker in the starring roles.

"23 Paces to Baker Street," which is scheduled to open Wednesday at the Texas Theatre, features an unusual hero. Van Johnson stars as a blind playwright who turns amateur sleuth in the Twentieth Century-Fox thriller based on Philip MacDonald's best-seller, "Warrant for X." The feature, which co-stars Vera Miles and Cecil Parker, was filmed in CinemaScope with DeLuxe color in the story's actual London settings.

At the Hillcrest . . .

Samuel Goldwyn's multi-million dollar film version of the smash Broadway musical, "Guys and Dolls," opens Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Hillcrest Drive In Theatre as the cinematic event of the year.

Filed in CinemaScope and color, the picture stars Marlon Brando, Jean Simmons, Frank Sinatra and Vivian Blaine with a large group of supporting players headed by Robert Keith, Stubby Kaye, B. S. Pully and Johnny Silver, plus the famed Goldwyn Girls.

Columbia Pictures' "Uranium Boom," drama of the atom-age boomtowns where men battle for the most fabulous jackpot in history, stars Dennis Morgan and Patricia Medina and co-stars William Talman at the Hillcrest Drive In Theatre Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. "Uranium Boom" is a Clover Production directed by William Castle from a screen play by George F. Slavin, George W. George and Norman Retchin.

METHODIST BOARD TALK CHURCH SALE

The official board of the First Methodist Church will hold an important meeting Monday night to which the 38 members are urged to attend. Among the items of business will be a discussion on the proposed sale of the church property on Tenth Street. Jack Moore is chairman of the board and M. E. McClenny is secretary.

A bombardon is a musical instrument of the oboe and bassoon family.

George's Special Showing of Coats and Suits

November is the peak of the coat and suit buying. Whether you like the sophistication of slim lines or the flattery of graceful fullness, you'll find a fashion-wise coat that's just to your fancy, this fall. And the easiest, thriftiest way to find that coat is to shop George's collection and find the style of your choice.

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Many Less Expensive Close-outs at Drastic Savings.

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Fitted and Box Styles
Sizes 5 to 17
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Urban Suburban
the sweater suit

Big news! Our mighty little Moordale that looks as if it were made on a giant needle. It's the most fashionable form a suit can take—slim and lean. The jacket closed with a convertible turtleneck collar, the skirt so slim. Black, camel, red, or olive. Sizes 5 to 15



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Republicans say the Democrats had to have a war to stop the depression of the Thirties. Records in the Runnels County Court House will show that about 1932 a combination farm and ranch sold for \$7.05 per acre, but by 1936 good rangeland sold at \$20 per acre. Democratic policies to help the people do not include wars. The more mechanized we become the more war means big business profits, so we had better watch out.

You say you are against supports and government storage. Have you ever studied the pricerange of unsupported and unstored commodities. They go from rock bottom to sky high. Rock bottom when you are selling them and sky high when the dealers and gamblers sell them. The only effective means of putting a reasonable bottom on your price is support and storage allows you the profit due to price rises.

Listen KRUN 12:25-12:30
Vote Democratic November 6

Political Advertisement

Special Services Lutheran Church Starting Sunday

The Reverend A. O. Rast will begin evangelistic services Sunday evening at 8:00 at Bethel Lutheran Church. These services are being held to bring to the people of this community the Gospel of Jesus Christ as it is presented in the Bible as an answer to the needs of all people. Services November 4 through 8.



Rev. Rast, Mission Director of the Texas district of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, is a native of Terryville, Connecticut. He is a graduate of Concordia College, Bronxville, New York and of Concordia Theological Seminary in St. Louis, Missouri. Pastor Rast came to Texas upon his graduation from the seminary in 1924 and started St. Paul Lutheran Church in Houston. He served this church for five and one-half years. Twelve of his years in the ministry were spent at St. Paul Lutheran Church in San Antonio. During these years he served as an advisory member of the Texas District Walther League, a young people's organization in the Lutheran church. He was also secretary of the Texas District of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. His service in the ministry took him to Leavenworth, Kansas from 1942-1946, where he was pastor of St. Paul Lutheran Church. While in the Kansas district he served as chairman of the state board for Parish Education of the Lutheran Church and was also a member of the Electoral Board of St. John's College, Winfield, Kansas. He was also actively engaged in institutional work while serving in Kansas.

In May of 1946 he returned to Texas to become mission director for the Texas district. He has served in this office since then. During the past ten years he has supervised the opening of more than fifty churches. These services are under the direction of the local pastor, W. H. Ringhardt. Mrs. A. Lippe will provide special music for several of these services. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Forester and Mr. and Mrs. A. Lippe have served as the chairmen of various committees and have helped coordinate the entire program.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Schwertner of Miles are parents of a daughter born October 24 at the St. John's Hospital in San Angelo. The baby weighed 7 pounds 9 ounces and has been named Ruth Ann. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kloesel and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwertner, Rowena. Great-grandparents are Adolph Kloesel of Rowena and Frank Urbanek of Taylor.

DENTISTS

R. L. Conder, 86, died at 6:00 a. m. Tuesday at his Norton home after being seriously ill for the past week.

Decedent was a retired ginmer and merchant. He was born December 15, 1869 in Greenville and came to Runnels County in 1915 and had made his home there since that time. He was married to Virginia Fryer in 1890 at Greenville.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Wednesday at the Norton Baptist Church. Burial was in the Norton Cemetery with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors are a son, R. L. Conder Jr., Abilene; four daughters, Mrs. Earl Cope, Ballinger; Mrs. T. R. Setzer and Miss Inez Conder, Norton; Mrs. O. G. Hambright, Stamford; 12 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

MONDAY LIVESTOCK SALE MOVES STOCK

A large crowd was on hand for the weekly livestock sale Monday afternoon. The market was active and butcher calves brought 18 cents.

These sales are held here each Monday afternoon and sellers and buyers are urged to meet there.

MENARD HOMECOMING SET NOVEMBER 9-10

The Menard High School is staging their first homecoming and are making a special effort to get in touch with all ex-students and former faculty members.

Opening event will be the football game between Menard and Eldorado at 8 p. m. November 9. A homecoming queen will be crowned at half time.

Registration will start at 9 a. m. Saturday. The morning program will include an assembly at high school followed by class meetings. A barbecue dinner will be served at noon as the high school band presents a concert. A dance Saturday night will close the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wiesepe, Karan and Randy and Mr. and Mrs. Will Morris attended the oil show in Odessa recently. While there they visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Harding and Steve.

Contour furrows in a pasture hold water after a rain until it can be absorbed by the soil.



PAJAMA GAME—Wearing pajamas and socks seems somewhat puzzling to this sleepy-eyed specimen of man's best friend. The fuzzy fellow is an Old English sheepdog named Reculver Sugar Bush (honest). He slipped into nightwear for his appearance at an Old English Sheepdog Championship Show.

Attention Democrats

Have you noticed how little that Stevenson says ends up in your newspaper? An yet, if Ike sneezes it is headlines. Could it be Republicans own the newspapers?

A survey of ten leading newspapers in the U. S. shows a definite Republican shading in all of them during the last month. Is this the information upon which your are basing your vote?

The real test of a man is how he votes. Unluckily we cannot compare the presidential candidates that way on the same issues, but we can the vice-presidents.

| BILL | KEFAUVER | NIXON |
|--|----------|---------|
| Continue Farm Tenant Loan Program | FOR | AGAINST |
| Exempt Railroads from Antitrust Laws | AGAINST | FOR |
| Motion to Kill Oil for Education Amendment (Submerged Oil Lands in Time of Peace.) | AGAINST | FOR |
| Amendment Permitting States to Publicize Names of those on Relief Rolls | AGAINST | FOR |
| Reduce Annual Construction of Public Housing Units from \$50,000 to \$5,000 | AGAINST | FOR |
| Give Larger Share of Total Tax Relief to Those Earning Under \$5,000 by Increasing Personal Exemptions | FOR | AGAINST |

You say why not compare Ike and Stevenson? Think hard and see if you can compare them on more than a few well known issues. Ike has been in for four years and the only program that stands out is **TURN THE COUNTRY OVER TO BUSINESS MEN**. Hardly a man appointed to head a government agency was for that agency.

Why? Because everything should be turned back to business. Even an internal revenue director stated he had been against income taxes for 20 years. There was plenty of stink in Austin about internal revenue, but you did not hear of it.

Democrats for Ike say we are voting for the man. If you do like him that much, let him retire and live. If he controlled the party and had democratic objectives, how come he had no opposition in the primary?

Did Shivers save our tidelands from the Democrats? NO! He gave most of them away by turning down a compromise that would have given Texas a major interest in the oil royalty clear out to the continental shelf. So the need for a political slogan to make Texas go for Ike cost our school children millions of dollars.

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Monday—"Do You Know Yourself?"
Tuesday—"Do You Know How To Be Saved?"
Wednesday—"Are You Sure Of Your Salvation?"
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For The Bearcats

1956 Schedule

| BEARCATS |
|---------------------------------|
| Games Played |
| Ballinger 0 — Brady 14 |
| Ballinger 6 — Stamford 53 |
| Ballinger 39 — Colorado City 13 |
| Ballinger 7 — Del Rio 21 |
| Ballinger 6 — Lake View 6 |
| Ballinger 26 — Rotan 25 |
| Ballinger 53 — Cisco 18 |
| Ballinger 13 — Coleman 37 |
| Games Remaining |
| Nov. 2—Ranger, here |
| Nov. 9—Winters, there |

| B-TEAM |
|----------------------------|
| Games Played |
| Ballinger 20 — Coleman 6 |
| Ballinger 33 — Abilene 13 |
| Ballinger 26 — Winters 6 |
| Ballinger 19 — Lake View 0 |
| Ballinger 7 — Trent 31 |
| Games Remaining |
| Nov. 3—Winters, there |
| Nov. 10—Coleman, here |

| JUNIOR HIGH |
|---------------------------------|
| Games Played |
| Ballinger 13 — Colorado City 26 |
| Ballinger 15 — Winters 0 |
| Ballinger 13 — Coleman 13 |
| Ballinger 21 — Winters 0 |
| Ballinger 33 — Coleman 13 |
| Games Remaining |
| Nov. 1—Colorado City, there |
| Nov. 8—Lake View, there |

Friday Night at 8 p. m.
BEARCAT FIELD

Ranger
BULLDOGS
vs.
Ballinger
BEARCATS

(Conference)

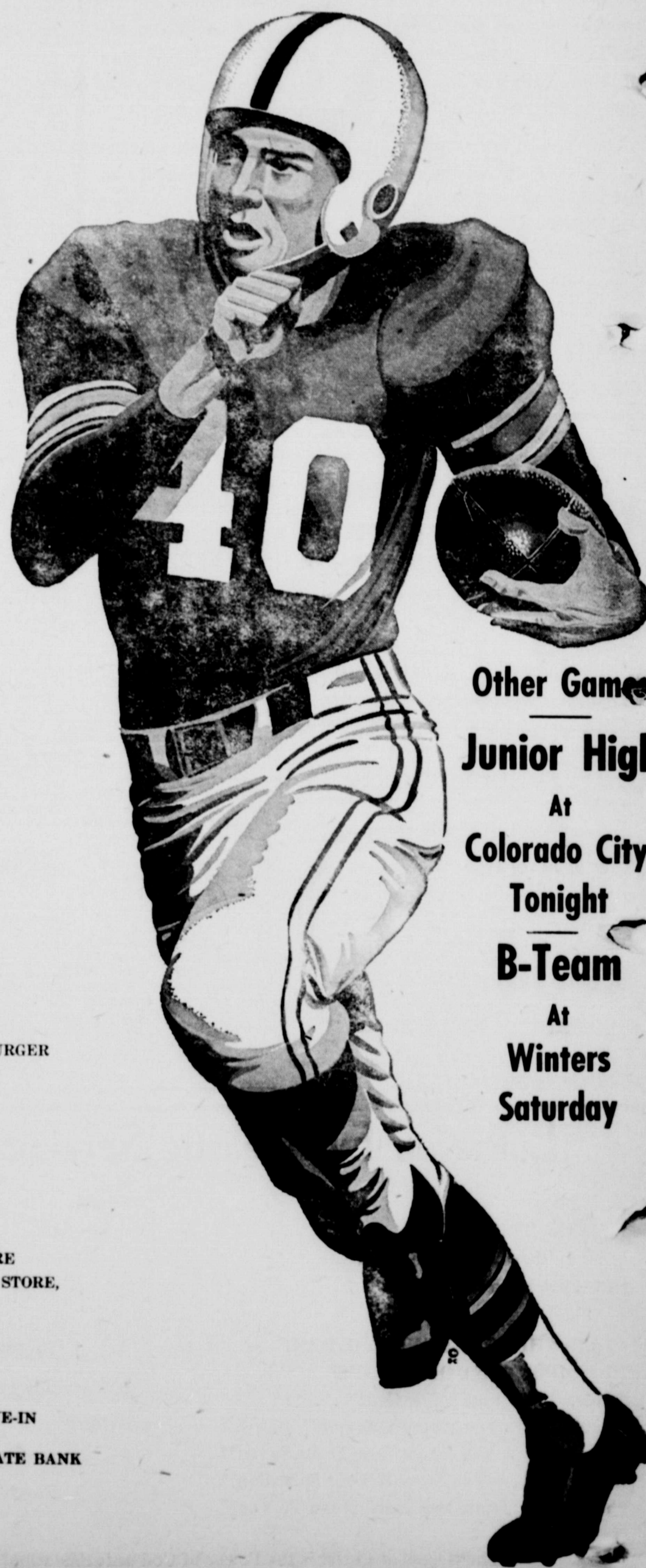
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SOCIETY

XXXVI Club To Have Program On November 7
Mrs. Dexter Eoff, president of the XXXVI Club, will be

hostess to members of the study club on Wednesday, November 7, in her Eighth Street home. Mrs. Troy Simpson will be the

guest speaker and review the book, "The Success," by Helen Howe.

Mrs. McEntire Elected Firemen's Auxiliary President
Mrs. Morris Stokes, president, conducted the business at the regular meeting of the Ballin-

ger Firemen's Auxiliary held last Thursday evening at the City Hall.

A report was made concerning the comic scrap books which members had made. It was announced that two had been placed in the Ballinger Clinic Hospital, one at the local rest

home, one in the Memorials Hospital in San Angelo, and one in the Winters Municipal Hospital. Plans were discussed and made on the annual Pot Luck supper which will be held on Thursday at 7 p. m. in the City Hall when all local firemen, auxiliary members and their

families, and guests will participate.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the meeting: Mrs. Tom McEntire was elected president; Mrs. Jack Fry, vice-president; Mrs. Lynn Candier, secretary-treasurer. Committees will be named later.

Refreshments were served to local firemen who were attending a meeting by Mmes. W. N. Selby, Stokes, McEntire, Jack Fry, Candier, B. B. Unsell, D. G. Posey, L. F. Jackson and Curtis Dixon. Following the meeting, auxiliary members arranged dishes in steel cabinets which had

been donated to the organization by the First Methodist Church. The kitchen at the City Hall has recently been renovated by local firemen.

G. G. Club Meets Monday In R. A. Bagwell Home
Mary Bagwell and Pat Darby were hostesses to G. G. Club Monday evening, entertaining in the R. A. Bagwell home on Seventh Street.

Glenda Cook, president, was in charge of the business. New members will be initiated at a ceremony next Monday evening in the home of Charlene White.

Punch and cookies were served to: Sue Wade, Mary Hebert, Charlene White, Bobbie McDaniels, Nydah Ellett, Barbara Browning, Susan and Lynn Herring, Beth Johnson, Dolores Proffett, Deaneous Lindemann, Mary Calvert, Linda Wright and Glenda Cook.

Mrs. Funderburk To Be Hostess For Ballinger Music Club
Mrs. I. B. Funderburk will be hostess to members of Ballinger Music Club next Tuesday evening, November 6, at 7:30 p. m. in her Third Street home.

Mrs. Joe Forman, president, will be in charge of the business, and Mrs. Robert Bruce will present the program from the book "Discovering Music" by McKinney and Anderson.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
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County of Runnels

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 51st District Court of Tom Green County, on the 23rd day of October 1956, by H. A. Goodson, Clerk of said Court for sum of Sixty-three Hundred, Forty-three and 51/100—(\$6343.51)—Dollars and cost of suit, under a judgement, in favor of San Angelo Federal Savings & Loan Assn. in a certain cause in said Court, No. 23, 976-A and styled San Angelo Federal Savings & Loan Association vs. Alton J. Hiller et ux, placed in my hands for service, I, Don F. Atkins as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did, on the 24th day of October, 1956, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: The West sixty-feet (W 60') of Lot Thirteen (13) of the Burkhardt Subdivision of Block Sixty-nine (69) of the West End Addition to the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas. And levied upon as the property of Alton J. Hiller and wife, Georgia Hiller and that on the first Tuesday in December 1956, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of Runnels County, in the City of Ballinger Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said Alton J. Hiller and wife, Georgia Hiller.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ballinger Ledger, a newspaper published in Runnels County, Texas.

Witness my hand, this 24th day of October 1956.
Don F. Atkins
Sheriff Runnels County, Texas.
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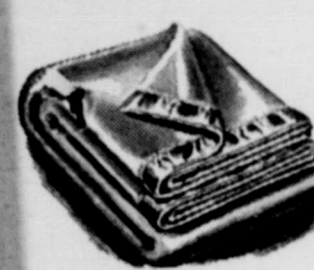
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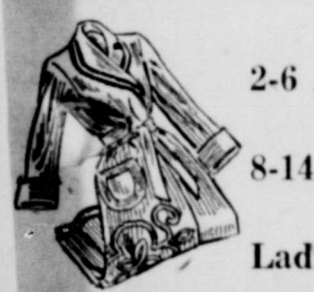
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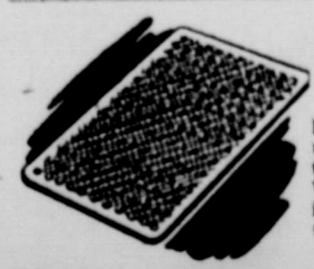
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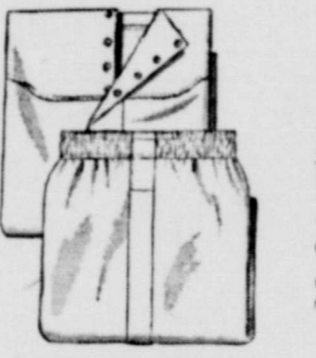
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Coleman Tops Bearcats In Game Friday 37-13

The Ballinger Bearcats were practically eliminated from the district race Friday night when the Coleman Bluecats ran up a 37 to 13 score to give the Bearcats their first defeat. The win placed Coleman in the driver's seat with wins over both Winters and Ballinger and only Ranger and Cisco in their way for the championship.

The Bluecats started early in the first period. They drove down field where they fumbled and lost possession of the ball. A few plays later they recovered a Bearcat fumble on the ten yard line and John Dale Lewis circled right end untouched for the counter. Dale Byerly failed to kick.

In the second period, Coleman intercepted a Bearcat pass on the Ballinger 10 and returned it to the Coleman 40. Lewis again showed his speed when he cut through the line for 19 yards and his second score of the evening. The place kick try was wide.

Again in the second quarter, Charles Winstead passed to Jimmy Norris who gathered in the pigskin and went the remaining distance, the pass and run being good for 26 yards. Byerly again missed the extra point try.

Ballinger broke into the scoring when Wesley Stokes shook off several tacklers, stiff-armed two others and rambled 51 yards for a touchdown. Carroll Edwards' try for the extra point was no good.

Jimmy Norris struck again early in the second half when he broke into the clear and rambled for 58 yards and a score. The extra point try failed.

Coleman made a beautiful 45 yard punt return and Tommy Allison carried across from the 5 for the score. Again Byerly missed the extra point.

Coleman's final score came in the fourth quarter when Winstead flipped a pass to Norris which was good for a touchdown. This time Byerly kicked through the uprights for the extra point.

Running against mostly reserves the Bearcats came back to run one first down after another and Rodney Tanager going over for the touchdown from the 10 yard line. Jerry Candler passed to Ralph Dankworth for the extra point.

Coleman controlled all the statistics of the ball game. They led in first downs 18 to 12, rolled up 265 yards on the ground to the Bearcats' 190 and com-

pleted 5 of 9 passes for 84 yards while the Bearcats completed 4 of 9 for 63 yards. Each team intercepted three passes, Ballinger lost 4 fumbles and Coleman drew 3 penalties for 25 yards and Coleman drew 8 penalties for 80 yards. Ballinger punted twice for an average of 26 yards and Coleman did not punt during the game.

It was all Coleman, and local fans were never in doubt of the outcome, after the first few minutes of play. The Bearcats showed spurts of good offense, but bogged down with fumbles, pass interceptions, and failure to gain. They were stopped seven times, four by fumbles, and three by pass interceptions.

Ranger showed good power Friday night defeating Cisco 54 to 14. Paul Hinds was the star for the Ranger club getting four touchdowns, passing for two others and handling the team in a neat job from the quarterback position.

After the Ranger game Friday, the Bearcats will have only one game left on their 1956 schedule, that with the Winters Blizzards the following week in Winters.

The Ballinger junior high team has come through again this year and last Thursday night practically sewed up the district championship by defeating Coleman 33 to 13. A good crowd watched the Bearcats display a good ground and passing game, and were

impressed by their blocking and tackling. The Bearcats have Lake View and Colorado City left on their schedule, both non-conference affairs.

This week the B-team will meet the Winters B-team Saturday night in Winters. The junior team will be at Colorado City tonight.

FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Charles Stubblefield was hostess last Wednesday afternoon to members of Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club with Mrs. Roy Tyree, president, conducting the business.

Roll was answered by naming "Things to Do Now." Mrs. Stubblefield led the group in singing the opening song. Mrs. Tyree read the "Thought For the Week." Mrs. W. J. Curtis gave the council report.

Members made plans to send cookies to the State Hospital at Abilene for Halloween. A "White Elephant" grab box was held at the social hour. Banana bread sandwiches were served with punch to Mrs. E. S. Morgan, C. T. Moonen, L. C. Sibley, J. J. Wessels, Ralph

Russell, Tyree and Curtis. The next meeting will be held November 14 in the home of Mrs. H. O. Vogelsang.

LOCAL STUDENTS WILL GO TO ABILENE MEET

Mrs. Josephine Stallings will take a group of Ballinger students to Abilene Saturday to attend the Central West Texas Activities conference at Abilene Christian College.

Dr. Fred Barton is sponsoring the meeting and all events handled by the Interscholastic League will be included in the program. Mrs. Stallings will include a group from the journalism department for the trip.

Contractors' Notice Of Texas Highway Construction

Sealed proposals for constructing 1.44 miles of Colorado River Br. & Approx., Gr., Str., Base, & Hot Mix Asp. Conc. Pvt. from Tenth Street in Ballinger to road int. 0.95 mi. S. W. of Ballinger on Highway No. US 67, covered by FSTO (2), in Runnels County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., Nov. 14, 1966, and then publicly opened and read.

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In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

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Canterbury Tea
Orange Pekoe
1/2-Lb. Box **22¢**

Tex Says He's No Expert But He Believes Ike Is

The other night a bunch of us were sitting around in the drug store after the football game, drinking coffee and talking. You know how it is after a game in a small town, especially after the home team loses. Nearly every man in the crowd had a theory as to why we didn't win the game. Most of them, of course, blamed the coach. I couldn't help remembering that before we consolidated the county schools we didn't even have enough boys to make up a football team. And these same football experts who were saying what Rockne or Bud Wilkinson would have done, up until a few years ago they didn't know a football from a watermelon.

But that's the way it is in a small town (and in big ones, too, I understand). I guess there's no real harm done, although sometimes it's pretty rough on the coach.

I guess we have a right, in this free country, to be self-appointed experts in any line we want to pick out. It seems to me that most people choose either football or politics.

Take this presidential election coming up next Tuesday: During the last few weeks I have heard so many stories and theories from so many different political experts that I nearly got confused sometimes. I have to stop and think that the fellow who is talking probably doesn't know any more about it than I do, and that helps me keep straightened out.

man you'd be proud to point out to any person, from any country on the face of the globe, and say: "That's our President!"

About Adlai, now, I'm not so sure. Of course, if he was elected, he would be my President, too, and I would hope he'd do a lot better than most people around here seem to think he would. This is something I don't think we need to worry about, because from all I can hear and read, Ike is going to win it again.

It seems to me that if Adlai ever had a chance around here, he threw it away when he came out with that H-bomb business. Now, the folks in our town don't know much about H-bombs, except that they don't want any personal dealings with them. Our scientific knowledge of H-bombs is about on a par with our football knowledge, I reckon. But we do know one thing: We don't want some misguided, inexperienced fellow fooling around with our national defense. When it comes to trusting what Bulgargin says or what Eisenhower says, I'll take Ike. So will the rest of the country, if I don't miss my guess.

Just before we broke up the other night Doc Brown came into the drug store, and somebody asked him: "Hey, Doc, how's Ike doin'?" (Doc's a big Eisenhower man.) Doc said: "Well, it's a busy campaign for the medical profession. Last week Ike went and got his heart examined; and I understand that this week Adlai is going to get his head examined."

Yours truly,
Tex

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Cured Hams Shank End Cut Lb. 43¢
Brick Chili Sunbeam Pkg. 45¢

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An Open Letter To-- Adlai Stevenson, Estes Kefauver, Harry Truman:

October 25, 1956
Pierre, South Dakota

Gentlemen:

Having read the headlines relative to various talks over the nation, it strikes me you are overlooking the record on which you democrats seek to be re-elected to office. Surely you must be willing to stand on the record of the past twenty years. Just what were the crowning achievements of the past two administrations?

Was it cutting of Government costs 25% as promised by Mr. Roosevelt in his 1932 campaign?

Or was it the recognition of Russia, shortly after his election, just after they had got through killing everyone in their own country who might have brains enough to start a revolution?

Or was it the keeping of 8,000,000 people on a dole for seven long years because they couldn't figure out how to get the economic machine back in gear?

Or was it in the maneuvering of this country into the Second World War after having promised that as long as he was President not one American Boy would set foot on foreign soil? (See Rear Admiral Theobald's recent book for the sordid details.)

Or you might explain why our boys were not alerted at Pearl Harbor and why nearly 5,000 had to die—and the country's loss of the whole Pacific fleet—when our great commander had known for two weeks that the Japs were on the prowl and might attack this Hawaiian base. (See Admiral Theobald's book for the documented details.)

Or was it ordering our boys to back up 200 miles so the Russians could claim credit for capturing Berlin, a blunder that cost this country billions?

Or was it perhaps the careful coddling of Communists in high Government positions and the defeat of every effort to expose them with the result that Russia obtained every government secret including radar, atomic and hydrogen bombs?

Or why not forget Secretary Benson for a few minutes and explain "how come" the Government sends Russia the plates for printing military script without limit, a blunder costing about two billion.

Or was the crowning monument of those two administrations those trips to Tehran, Yalta and Patsdam, where after winning the war at the expense of the lives of a million of our finest men and five hundred sixty-six billions of dollars, your two great leaders gave the whole thing back, lock, stock and barrel, plus selling six hundred million of our former allies down the river so we won't have them to help us now that we may have the whole job to do over.

And if you have time will you explain the Police Action in Korea, why it was started after our State Department had practically invited the Communists to take that country over, it being outside our defense perimeter, etc. Could it have been that our economy was beginning to sag a bit and a little war might keep the machine rolling until someone could be re-elected? It wasn't pleasant reading to learn of the fate of 6,113 of our atrocity victims.

Isn't it a fact that, dispensing with the bunk and blowing the smoke away, that the whole democratic argument is substantially this: "We got you in two nice wars and we did most of the spade work for another one and you've had good times ever since. You could afford to lose a boy or two as long as we could keep hogs at \$17.00 a hundred."

Yes, why not talk about the tragic record on which the Democratic party asks to be re-elected?

Very Sincerely,
Guy T. Barnes

(Political advertisement written by Guy T. Barnes, Pierre, South Dakota farmer and land owner, solely in the interest of promoting good government, and paid for by the Runnels County Democrats for Eisenhower group.)

SOCIETY

Primary Dept. Baptist Church Feted At Hallow'en Party

Members of the Primary Department of the Seventh Street Baptist Church were entertained Friday night at a Hallow'en party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Muller.

Hosting the affair were Mrs. Muller, Mrs. Bill Lasso and Mrs. Woody Fry.

Hallow'en games were played and prizes went to Ricky Moon and Carolyn Muller. Cookies and popcorn balls were served with cold drinks. Favors were seasonal noise makers.

Those present were: Linda Melton, Donna Howard, Cindy Haupt, Sandra Fry, Paula and Karen Pasley, Linda Parker, Carolyn Muller, Mary Lynn Green, Sandra and Brenda Patterson, Bonnie, Ricky and Mike Moon, George Patterson, Joe Val and Chuck Eblen and Dee Stephen Carpenter.

Visitors were Mrs. O. D. Carpenter, Mrs. Hank Barnett, Judy Williams of Winters, and Sandy Henson of Midland.

A Gift Tea Compliments Miss Ruth Ann Erwin

Miss Ruth Ann Erwin, bride-elect of Lt. Donald F. Heisel of Goodfellow AFB, in San Angelo, was honored with a gift tea Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Rufus Allen on Tenth Street. More than 125 guests called during the afternoon.

The Women's Council of the First Presbyterian Church U. S. A. were hosts at the affair.

Pink and rose, the bride-elect's bridal colors, were featured throughout the reception suite. Mrs. E. F. Vogelvang was at the door to greet guests. Others in the receiving line were Mrs. Allen, Mrs. B. H. Erwin, mother of the bride-elect and Miss Erwin.

Mrs. Sherman Hendricks and Miss Edna Routh directed guests to the dining room.

The dining table was laid with a linen cutwork and lace cloth designed in blocks, brought from Japan, and centered with a low silver bowl with pink and rose carnations with pink ribbon streamers radiating from the flower arrangement. Pink candles in silver candelabra were at each side. All appointments were in silver. Arrangements of pink fall blossoms were used in other rooms.

Alternating at the silver service and serving decorated cake squares were Mrs. Harper McFarland and Mrs. G. K. Rogers. Assisting in serving were Misses Barbara Hampton, Ola Beth Corder and Patsy Wood.

Others in the house party were Mrs. Doyle Riley, Mrs. E. E. Brown and Mrs. Pat Wood. Displaying gifts was Mrs. A. W.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: M. E. Somerford, whose residence is unknown, and the Unknown Heirs of M. E. Somerford, Deceased. GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 10th day of December, A. D. 1956, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 13th day of July, 1956. The file number of said suit being No. 6673. The names of the parties in said suit are: Charles Preston Barker as Plaintiff, and M. E. Somerford, whose residence is unknown, and the Unknown Heirs of M. E. Somerford, Deceased, as Defendants. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit by plaintiff Charles Preston Barker against said defendants M. E. Somerford, whose residence is unknown, and the Unknown Heirs of M. E. Somerford, Deceased, in trespass to try title, in which said plaintiff seeks to recover of and from said defendants the entire fee simple title to and possession of the following described lands located in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: All of the G. C. & S. F. Ry Co. Survey No. 2 (also known as the L. D. Counts Survey No. 2). Abstract No. 1369, in Runnels County, Texas.

SECOND TRACT: All of the J. W. Meek School Survey No. 511, Abstract No. 1361, in Runnels County, Texas; and

THIRD TRACT: All of the W. C. Hartin Survey No. 41, Abstract No. 620, in Runnels County, Texas.

Said plaintiff also pleads, and seeks to recover said lands under the three, five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitation and adverse possession.

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

Issued this 26th day of October, A. D. 1956.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 26th day of October, A. D. 1956.

(SEAL)

Willie Stephens, Clerk District Court of Runnels County, Texas 1-41

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Pol. Adv.—Paid for by Texas Democrats for Eisenhower, Weldon Hart, Director.

Sledge. Guests were registered by Miss Lillian McMillan. Mrs. Willie Hoover and Mrs. Bonnie Dean presented a musical program throughout the calling hours. Goodbyes were said by Mrs. Calvin Howell and Mrs. Pierson Corder. Miss Erwin and Lt. Heisel will be married on November 3 in the Goodfellow Base Chapel, San Angelo.

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FOR SALE—\$425.00, our equity in nearly new 2 bedroom home. Phone 8635 or call by 1107 Fourth Avenue. 25-21*

BAZAAR NOVEMBER 6

The Zadie Royalty Circle of the Methodist Church will stage a gift bazaar in the Moss Building on Hutchings Avenue on November 6 from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. A large selection of gift items will be featured in the bazaar this year. Receipts will be given to foreign missions. In addition to the bazaar gift items the ladies will sell cakes, pies and candy. 1-11

PIANOS—Our credit adjuster

will be in this vicinity soon to dispose of two repossessed pianos, one spinet console and one apartment size upright. Prefer time sales to responsible parties or would sacrifice for cash. Write credit department, Fort Worth Piano Sales Co., 2100 E. Rosedale Street, Fort Worth, Texas. 1-21

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FOR RENT—Large 5 room frame at 309 9th Street. Double garage and fenced back yard. \$35.00 per month. Grant Agency. 1-11

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FOR RENT—Unfurnished house, 4 rooms and bath, 1210 Eighth Street. M. E. McClenny, phone 3752. 1-11

The optimist sees things as they should be—not as they are.

Democratic Victory Bus Coming Saturday



The red, white and blue Continental bus with seats for 12 people and a bedroom and bath, will arrive in Ballinger at 10:35 a. m. Saturday and be here until 10:55. It is known as the Democratic Victory Bus and will carry a number of Democratic leaders from this section. It will stop here on the west side of the court house lawn where a short talk will be heard and girls will pass out literature. All public officials are invited to be present and note will be called upon to make talks. All voters are urged to be present for the short stop in Ballinger.

GOOD SHOWERS FALL

IN RUNNELS COUNTY

Rains ranging from a half inch to one inch fell over Runnels County and a wide area of West Texas Monday night. The gauge at Ballinger showed .70 of an inch with most sections of the county receiving about the same amount.

Coming soon after general rains, the moisture was welcome and will be a great benefit to farms and ranges.

"Pyorrhea" May Follow Neglect

Did you ever see an attractive person with "irritated GUMS"? Druggists refund money if first bottle of "LETOS" fails to help Pearce-Bailey Drug

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| Glo-Coater | JOHNSON'S Wax Applier | Each | 69c |
| Pride | JOHNSON'S For Fine Furniture | 8-Oz. Bottle | 79c |
| Pinex | KIMBELL'S Pine Oil Disinfectant | 12-Oz. Bot. | 39c |
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| Ajax | CLEANSER | Regular Can | 14c |
| Floriant | COLGATE'S Aerosol Air Deodorant | Large Can | 79c |
| Floor Cleaner | BRUCE | Qt. Can | 79c |
| Coffee | FOLGERS | 1-Lb. Can | \$1.01 |
| Cherries | KIMBELL'S Red Sour Pie | 2 No. 303 Cans | 45c |
| Pi-Do | AUNT ELLEN'S PIE CRUST MIX | 2 9-Oz. Pkgs. | 29c |

For Health—Eat More
MEAT!

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| Steak | SIRLOIN | Lb. | 55c |
| Roast | CHUCK | Lb. | 39c |
| Ground Meat | FRESH | Lb. | 25c |
| Chili | MARKET MADE Brick | Lb. | 49c |
| Bacon | SLICED | Lb. | 39c |

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| Green Beans | FRESH TENDER | Lb. | 15c |
| Cabbage | GREEN | Lb. | 3 1/2c |
| Potatoes | RUSSET | 10-Lb. Bag | 45c |
| Pears | BARTLETT | Lb. | 19c |
| Lemons | SUNKIST | Lb. | 15c |

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BIG JOKE, BUT NOT EVERYONE LAUGHED—Catsup may pep up the flavor of hamburgers, but put in the hands of young, imaginative pranksters, it can wreak havoc in a community. That's exactly what happened in Bensalem and Bristol Townships, Pa. Bill Jones, arm extended, grabbed his arm with catsup, then hid in a car trunk, letting the red-stained arm dangle out. Women who saw it fainted, with some requiring medical attention. One terror-stricken man had to be driven home. Though the local officers—Joe Gallagher, left, Joe Picciotti, and George Walker, right—momentarily seemed to enjoy the "joke," all was not hilarity. The nine youths involved in the prank were given a stiff reprimand and a fine for their efforts.



BIRD IN THE HAND—Turkey and the straw vote keynote Sen. Estes Kefauver's campaigning visit to Worthington, Minn. The Democratic vice presidential candidate attended the city's 16th annual Turkey Day. In 10-gallon hat, the tall Tennesseean appeared confident that a bird in the hand is worth several ballots from the bush country of Minnesota.

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- For Balancing our National Budget
- For Ending the Korean War
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Pol. Adv.

BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. George Hall, president of the Ballinger home demonstration club, was hostess to ten members and one visitor, Mrs. George Beard, at a meeting in her home last Thursday afternoon.

"Things to Do This Month." Mrs. Alvin Spreen gave the "Thought For the Day." Mrs. Rufus Allen discussed the primary purpose of home demonstration clubs, and Mrs. Edwin Vogelsang gave the council report. A window display committee composed of Mrs. Vogelsang, Mrs. E. L. Williamson and Mrs. H. F. Tickle was appointed by the president to make arrangements for the home

demonstration exhibit to be shown in downtown show windows. The club voted to donate toys, books, games and puzzles to McKnight Hospital for patients to give as Christmas gifts. A membership committee was also appointed, it included Mrs. Rufus Allen, Mrs. Hatton Laxson and Mrs. Alvin Spreen. A First Aid in the Home program was presented by Mrs. Hall.

Mrs. Tickle assisted in serving hot gingerbread and spiced apple juice. The next regular meeting will be held November 8 at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Drury Hathaway.

BALLINGER JAYCEES HELP GET OUT VOTE

Everett J. Grindstaff, chairman of the Americanism committee of the Ballinger Jaycees, announced that the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce was beginning their final push to get out the vote. They are

also urging people to seriously consider Amendment No. 7 to the Texas Constitution when they vote on November 6.

REPUBLICAN WORKER VISITS HERE TUESDAY

Mrs. J. C. Overbaugh, field representative for the Republican party, was in Ballinger Tuesday and spent some time at the headquarters of Democrats for Eisenhower. She is from the state headquarters at Houston and at the present time working out of the regional

office in San Antonio. While here she met with Eisenhower supporters and outlined plans for the final days of the campaign. Water flowing down an unprotected slope gains speed rapidly and the faster the flow, the more soil the moving water will carry.

Where Cash Talks ... at BELLS

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| Crisco With Coupons | 3-Lb. Can | 79c |
| Cranberry Sauce WHITE SWAN | No. 303 Can | 15c |
| Corn KOUNTY KIST—12-Oz. Can Whole Kernel | 2 for | 25c |
| Marshmallow CREAM CAMPFIRE | Jar | 19c |
| Sweet Potatoes PRIDE OF OZARKS 1-Lb. 7-Oz. Can | 2 for | 45c |
| Peas WHITE SWAN Fancy Luncheon | No. 303 Can | 19c |
| Milk ARMOUR'S Tall Can | 4 for | 49c |
| Biscuits ALL BRANDS | Can | 10c |
| Popcorn WHITE SWAN 16-Oz. Can | 2 for | 33c |
| Catsup WHITE SWAN | 14-Oz. Bottle | 19c |
| Tomato Juice LIBBY'S No. 300 Can | 2 for | 25c |
| Chili AUSTEX Family Size | 1 1/2-Lb. Can | 49c |
| Cheer | Giant Size Box | 59c |
| Apple Jelly KRAFT PURE | 10-Oz. Jar | 15c |
| Mince Meat WHITE SWAN | 9-Oz. Box | 19c |
| Spaghetti-Macaroni ELBOW 12-Oz. Bag | 2 for | 29c |
| Napkins DIAMOND 80-Count | 2 for | 25c |
| Cheese VELVEETA | 2-Lb. Box | 79c |
| Post Cereal 1-Ounce Box | 3 for | 10c |
| Eggs GRADE A LARGE | MEDIUM | 59c 49c |

| FROZEN FOODS | | |
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| Pies MORTON'S—1 1/2-Pound PEACH APPLE CHERRY OR PUMPKIN | Each | 45c |
| Orange Juice LIBBY'S 6-Oz. Can | 2 for | 29c |
| Lemonade Juice LIBBY'S | 2 for | 29c |
| PRODUCE | | |
| Lemons SUNKIST Size 360 | Doz. | 39c |
| Oranges TEXAS | 5-Lb. Bag | 37c |
| Cabbage GOOD FRESH GREEN HEADS | Lb. | 3c |
| Green Beans GOOD CRISP | Lb. | 10c |
| New Potatoes | Lb. | 9c |
| Fresh Cucumbers | 2 Lbs. | 25c |

| FRYERS FRESH DRESSED | Lb. | 29c |
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| Picnic Hams 4- to 6-Lb. Average | Lb. | 29c |
| Chuck Roast CHOICE CUTS | Lb. | 29c |
| Pork Sausage MARKET MADE | Lb. | 25c |
| ROAST SHOULDER ROUND | Lb. | 39c |
| | RUMP Well Trimmed Lb. | 39c |
| STEAKS CHOICE CUTS | | |
| Sirloin | Lb. | 49c |
| T-Bone | Lb. | 49c |
| Seven | Lb. | 35c |
| Club | Lb. | 39c |

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| Cake Mix GLADIOLA—Pound, Yellow, White or Chocolate | Box | 29c |
| Swel Frosting Mix VANILLA or CHOCOLATE | 3 for | \$1 |
| Coffee WHITE SWAN | 2-Lb. Can | \$1.85 |
| Apricots HUNT'S—Whole | No. 2 1/2 Can | 25c |
| Syrup TEX-O-MAID—Waffle 12-Oz. Jar | 2 for | 35c |
| Pineapple HAVANA CLUB Sliced or Crushed | 4 for | 49c |
| Salad Dressing MIRACLE WHIP | Quart Jar | 49c |
| Tomato Soup CAMPBELL'S No. 1 Can | 2 For | 19c |

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| Pork Roast CHOICE CUTS | Lb. | 33c |
| Pork Chops CENTER CUTS | Lb. | 55c |
| Bacon SWIFT'S SWEET RASHER 1-Lb. Pkg. | 39c | SWIFT'S ORIOLE 2-Lb. Pkg. 89c |
| Boneless Stew GOOD LEAN | Lb. | 29c |
| Beef Ribs CALF | Lb. | 19c |
| Hot Bar-B-Q BONELESS | Lb. | 49c |

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CITY WORTH ITS SALT—Harbinger of winter is the arrival of 5,500 tons of rock salt for de-icing Chicago's streets, an important phase of the city's traffic safety program. Giant "salt-cellar" unloads a freighter in the Windy City, above, with Chicago's famous landmark, the Wrigley Building, in background.

Amendment No. 2 Would Save This County If Passed

Amendment No. 2, as offered in the general election, would save Runnels County approximately \$1,500 every six years. The approval of the proposed amendment would allow commissioners' courts to reallocate the amounts levied for their four regular operating funds, general fund, jury fund, permanent improvement fund and road and bridge fund, on an annual basis. Now the amounts that can be levied for these funds are fixed by the constitution and cannot be changed except in reallocation elections, which must be held every six years or oftener.

In Runnels County this election is held every six years and is a heavy expense. The amendment also guarantees that the total tax rate could not be raised, for it sets the same maximum as now provided, 80 cents on the \$100 valuation.

Local leaders who favor this amendment point out that no private business could long exist if it had to guess six years in advance on its fiscal operations. Adoption of this amendment would free the counties

to operate on a more efficient, business-like basis.

The people, by adopting amendment 2, can save in two ways: First, their commissioners' court will be given the opportunity to operate their fiscal affairs in a modern way which will make for economy, and, second, they will save the cost of expensive reallocation elections every few years.

QUARTERBACK CLUB TO HAVE BARBECUE

The Bearcat Quarterback Club met this week for their regular meeting and to see the pictures of the Bearcat-Coleman game.

They voted to stage the annual barbecue honoring football players with a program and

party to follow. The affair will be held about November 23, provided the program committee can secure special numbers for that date.

The committee on arrangements and menu: R. D. Travis, Lynn Candier and Bud Everett.

Committee to arrange the program: D. W. Turner, Cal Adair and Ebb Grindstaff. Plans are to hold the meeting at the American Legion Hall. It will be a stag affair for the banquet and program. A party and dance will follow with the ladies and the players dates attending.

GOLF TOURNAMENT PLAY IS UNDERWAY

Play in the golf tournament

at the Ballinger Country Club is underway with a number of matches being completed the past week. Matches will be continued until November 12 and winners announced in each flight at that time.

Results of those played are:
Championship
A. E. Holbrook defeated Max McCrary Jr.
H. G. Agnew defeated Teddy Triplett
Clifford Cook defeated Ford of Winters
Richie of Winters defeated A. J. Thorp Jr.

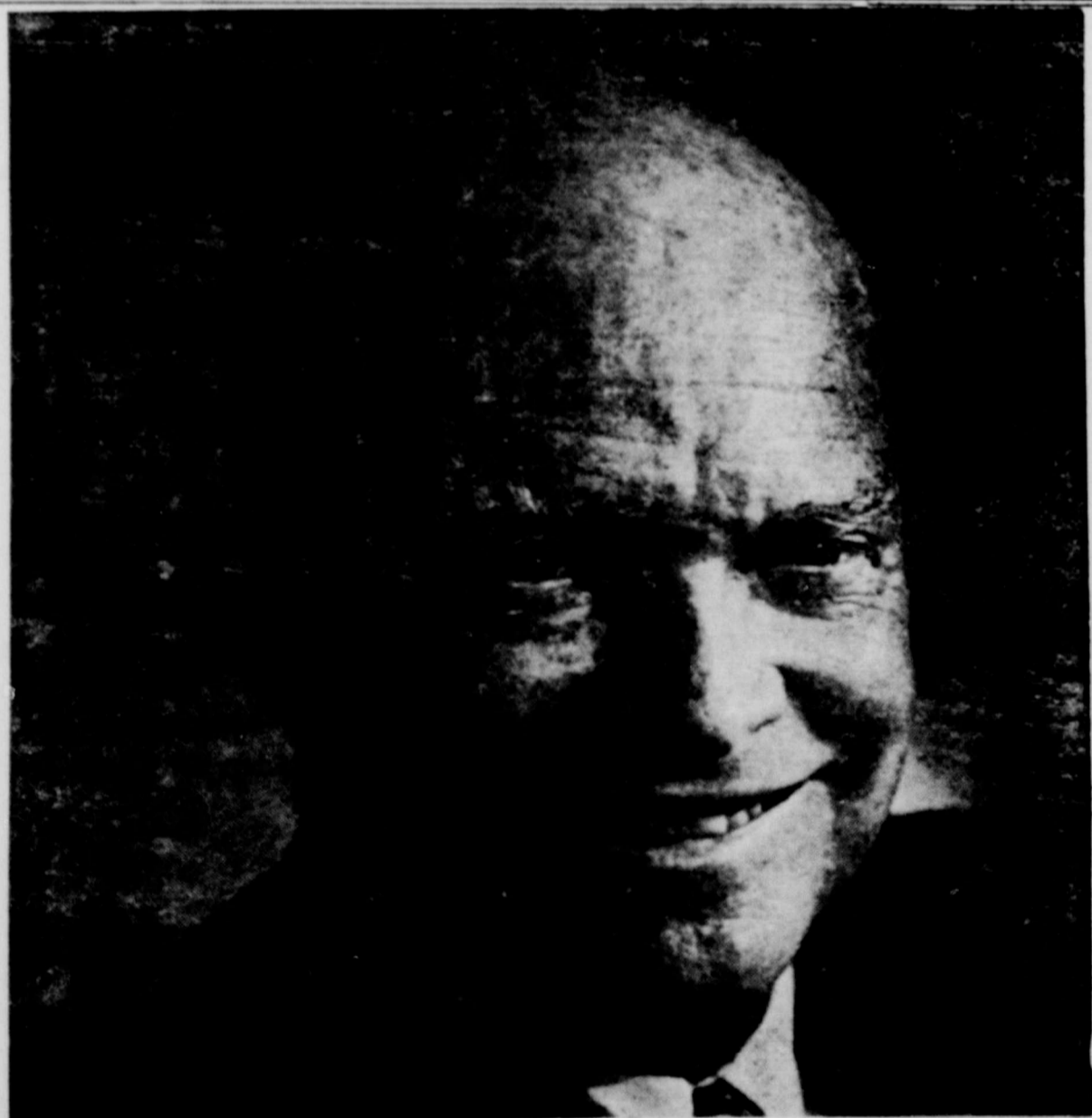
Second rounds
Agnew defeated Cook
First Flight
M. M. Cope defeated Dick Owens
D. B. Crockett defeated Bill

Clark Allen Davis defeated Lanham Flynt

Second Flight
R. D. Travis defeated W. E. Moss



NO SLOW BOAT THIS—A plume of glistening spray kicks up as Norman Buckley, 40-year-old lawyer from Manchester, Scotland, speeds across Lake Windermere, Scotland. Buckley's speedboat—Miss Windermere III—set a new one-hour world record for unlimited class boats by averaging 79 miles per hour.



SEVEN SOLID REASONS WHY TEXANS SHOULD SUPPORT EISENHOWER

1. He ended the useless war in Korea and has kept America out of war.
2. He has given this country an effective foreign policy, backed up by a powerful defense force at less cost. He does not believe in a policy of weakness.
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5. He replaced crook-and-crony government by restoring morality, honesty, integrity and sanity, to our national government.
6. He stopped the trend toward socialism by turning to the initiative and ability of the American people rather than government regimentation.
7. He has cut government spending and waste, thus bringing about a cut in taxes.

Vote for IKE

TEXAS DEMOCRATS FOR EISENHOWER

Political Advertisement paid for by Runnels County Democrats for Eisenhower.



WATCHING and looking after the children have been combined in this Ground Observer Corps post at Mechanic Falls, Me., by installing a children's playground. This innovation solves the problem of mothers who complain that they cannot do their part in Operation Skywatch because there is no one to look after their children while on duty. (Androscoggin County, Me., CD Photo by Nolin)

Teachers Support Amendment No. 4 Retirement Plan

Amendment No. 4, dealing with teacher retirement is one of the more important issues to be decided in the general election next Tuesday. Ernest Caskey, superintendent of Ballinger Schools, states that support is growing for Amendment No. 4 as the public has studied the facts. Continuing Mr. Caskey said: "The effort of Texas teachers to attract and hold good teachers is one of the most unselfish, public-spirited movements ever seen in the interest of good education for Texas children. Local school teachers,

working with their local and state associations, have spearheaded the drive for adoption of the amendment. "Amendment No. 4 will improve the Teacher Retirement System adopted in 1937, a depression year. The system covers all employees of public schools and state supported institutions of higher learning. "Increased benefits will encourage teachers now leaving the classrooms to remain in the teaching profession. Approximately 7,000 experienced teachers are lost each year to the schools. The program would also help attract some of the 3,800 new teachers needed each year to instruct the 100,000 new children who jam Texas classrooms annually." According to the amendment, a teacher would pay six percent of their salary into the

retirement fund and earn a retirement based upon these deposits. Benefits would be: 1. Benefits for teachers who become unable to work; 2. death and survivor benefits for the family of a teacher who dies while in school employment; 3. a guaranteed minimum retirement payment for teachers now retired and for those who retire in the future. This minimum of \$100 per month would go only to those who had a least 20 years service and who reached the age of 60. Mr. Caskey stated that the new program would cost teachers, through increased deposits, \$4,500,000 annually. No additional tax will be needed, either at the local or state level, he added. File folders, letter and legal size. Ballinger Printing Co.

SAMPLE BALLOT

Table with 5 columns: DEMOCRATIC PARTY, REPUBLICAN PARTY, CONSTITUTION PARTY, INDEPENDENT, WRITE-IN. Each column lists candidates for various offices including President, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Associate Justice, Judge of Court of Criminal Appeals, Railroad Commissioner, Comptroller of Public Accounts, State Commissioner of Agriculture, U.S. House Representatives, Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeal, Office of State Board of Education, District Judge, District Attorney, State Representative, County Tax Assessor-Collector, County Attorney, County Sheriff, and County Commissioner.

SCRATCH OR MARK OUT ONE STATEMENT SO THAT THE ONE REMAINING SHALL INDICATE THE WAY YOU WISH TO VOTE.

- NO. 1: FOR: The Constitutional Amendment granting power to the Legislature to grant aid and compensation to persons who have paid fines or have served prison sentences under the laws of this State for offenses of which they were not guilty. AGAINST: The Constitutional Amendment granting power to the Legislature to grant aid and compensation to persons who have paid fines or have served prison sentences under the laws of this State for offenses of which they were not guilty. NO. 2: FOR: The Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Commissioners Court in each county to levy whatever sums may be necessary for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund purposes so long as the total of these funds does not exceed a maximum tax rate of Eighty Cents (80c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation in any one (1) year and so long as the Court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations. AGAINST: The Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Commissioners Court in each county to levy whatever sums may be necessary for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund purposes so long as the total of these funds does not exceed a maximum tax rate of Eighty Cents (80c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation in any one (1) year and so long as the Court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations. NO. 3: FOR: The Amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 17 and 18 thereof, providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at State institutions of higher learning; and by adding a new section thereto to be designated as Section 11a, providing for the improved support of The University of Texas System and the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College System by authorizing the investment of the Permanent University Fund in corporate bonds and stocks under certain conditions and limitations. 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NO. 4: FOR: The constitutional amendment empowering the Legislature to revise the existing Teacher Retirement System and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the State, authorizing that the State's contributions for such purposes shall equal contributions by such employees and providing that they do not exceed six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid each such employee by the State or school district or the sum of Five Hundred Four Dollars (\$504.00) each year for any such employee, regulating the eligibility of such employees for retirement benefits and prescribing the manner of investing money accruing to the retirement fund. AGAINST: The constitutional amendment empowering the Legislature to revise the existing Teacher Retirement System and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the State, authorizing that the State's contributions for such purposes shall equal contributions by such employees and providing that they do not exceed six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid each such employee by the State or school district or the sum of Five Hundred Four Dollars (\$504.00) each year for any such employee, regulating the eligibility of such employees for retirement benefits and prescribing the manner of investing money accruing to the retirement fund. NO. 5: FOR: The Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas to change the membership of the Veterans' Land Board; increasing the Veterans' Land Fund by \$100,000,000; said fund to be used for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II and to Texas Veterans of service in the Armed Forces of the United States of America subsequent to 1945. Such funds shall be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law. AGAINST: The Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas to change the membership of the Veterans' Land Board; increasing the Veterans' Land Fund by \$100,000,000; said fund to be used for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II and to Texas Veterans of service in the Armed Forces of the United States of America subsequent to 1945. Such funds shall be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law. NO. 6: FOR: The Constitutional Amendment providing the form of the Oaths of Office for elective and appointive offices of the State. AGAINST: The Constitutional Amendment providing the form of the Oaths of Office for elective and appointive offices of the State. NO. 7: FOR: The Constitutional Amendment requiring medical testimony for Commitment of persons of unsound mind, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for trial and commitment of such persons and for waiver of the right of trial by jury by a person alleged to be of unsound mind or his next of kin, and his attorney ad litem. 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LUNCHROOM WORKERS HOLD WINTERS MEET

The Runnels County School Food Service Association met in the Winters school cafeteria Saturday morning with twenty-five ladies attending with Balingier, Wingate, Rowena, Offen and Winters. Mrs. Carolyn Nelson presided with Mrs. Corder as secretary. Three of the ladies presented a good program on sanitation and proper storage of food. A short skit was given on improper ways of preparing and serving meals. Winters ladies demonstrated the cooking of enchiladas and recipes and ideas were exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hambrick and family were in Waco last Saturday to attend the A&M College-Baylor football game.



FROM THE SUEZ CRISIS: SWIFT COMPLETION—The 55,000-ton American oil tanker "Minneopa" nears completion at the shipyards in Dunkerque, France. Possible closure of the Suez Canal has speeded work at Dunkerque on super tankers of 100,000 tons—capable of sailing economically around the tip of Africa.

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that can be broken easily... Voting is the one sure way of keeping the Freedom Line from Breaking...

Be Sure to Exercise Your Freedom by Voting on Election Day... Vote November 6th.

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SOCIETY

Open House Held Sunday At Methodist Parsonage

More than 150 people attended the open house last Sunday afternoon at the new Methodist parsonage. Visitors were met at the door by Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Gordon and they were presented to Mrs. John Currie and Mrs. C. H. Wylie. Mrs. W. E. Witt registered guests.

Punch was served in the dining room by Meses Tom Epting, J. W. Barr, Clyde Simmons, Ed Curry, Ernest Caskey and Miss Bonnie Clark. The dining room table was centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and mums. Roses and other fall flowers were used in the other rooms.

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service assisted with conducting the visitors through the parsonage and basement and goodbyes were said by Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw, Mrs. Ruel Boswell and Mrs. H. Laxson.

Birthday Party For Ronald Wiesepape

Ronald Wiesepape was honored with a birthday party and dinner in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wiesepape, on Sunday, October 14. Barbecue with all the trimmings was served. The birthday cake was white and topped with a cowboy scene and five yellow candles.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sid Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wiesepape, Mr. and Mrs. Zid Herring Jr., Vicki, Randy and Becky Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chapman and Glenda, Karan and Sandra Wiesepape.

Fancy Doers Club Makes Toys For Christmas

Midge Adair and Martha Gallant were hostesses to members of Fancy Doers Club Monday evening in the Cal Adair home on Tenth Street.

Sarah Chandler, president, conducted the business. The club voted to stage their Christmas dance on December 28 at 8 p. m. Following the business, members worked on toys to be given children at Christmas. Clothing will also be given to needy families.

Refreshments were served to: Jane Nixon, Pauline James, Rebecca Davis, Pat Bell, Linda Crockett, Sharon Tuckey, Jane Wade, Margo Brunson, Marcia Murchison, Jackie Bramley, Hettie Mae Herring, Gayle Jennings, Frances Schroeder, Betty Nix, Ellen Herring, Linda Kay Crockett, Patty Sweeney, Sharon Cook and Sarah Chandler.



PARISIAN PONCHO—Hubert De Givenchy sees the season's popular cape as a poncho—a voluminous length of mustard- and-gold-checked wool that wraps and buttons at one shoulder. There is a single slit at one side for the arm.

22 wedding. Dr. LeRay Fowler, pastor, will officiate at the rites. Miss Darby attended Ballinger High School. Mr. Holloway is a graduate of Antlers High School. He is a member of the Texas Selamograph crew located in Ballinger.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haggerton of Nocona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dorothy Nell, to Rev. Glen A. Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Ferguson of Ballinger. Both are students in Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene. The wedding will be held November 22 at the Bethel Baptist Church of Nocona. The couple will be at home at 1945 Simmons Avenue in Abilene, following a wedding trip.

LUNCHEON TO SERVE FOLLOWING 5 MENUS Monday

Enchilada and chili
Beans
Hot tamales
Carrot and cabbage salad
Fritos
Buttered bread
Milk
Sliced peaches and graham crackers

Tuesday

Wieners and sour kraut
Cream corn
New potatoes with cream sauce
Carrot sticks
Corn bread and butter
Milk

BALLINGER BANKS OPEN ELECTION DAY

Ballinger Banks will remain open Tuesday, November 6, General Election Day. In the past all banks have closed on election days but under the new holiday schedule this practice has been discontinued. Regular banking hours will be observed next Tuesday.

First National Bank Farmers & Merchants State Bank

1-11 Rubber Stamps, Ledger Office

- Tollhouse cookies**
- Wednesday**
Pork roast and brown gravy
Mashed potatoes
Spinach
Tomato wedges
Rolls and butter
Cake squares and pineapple topping
Milk
- Thursday**
Meat sandwiches
Fried potatoes
English pea salad
Spiced peaches
Milk
Apricot cobbler
- Friday**
Tuna noodle casserole
Green beans
Stuffed celery
Gelled salad
Whole wheat bread
Milk
Prune cake

Lintz's Due to the good response we have received from our "Record Days" Sale we will continue these through Saturday, November 3rd.

RECORD DAYS
Many new items have been added to sale. We are unable to list all here, but come in and see and save

BOYS' SURCOATS
With Mutton Collar
Sizes 6 to 12
\$7.98 Value
\$5.99

Men's STRETCH SOCKS
\$1.00 Value
2 Pair 99c

Men's FLANNEL SHIRTS
• Sanforized
• Regular 2.98
\$1.98

Men's PAJAMAS
• Coat Style
• Regular 3.98
\$2.99

Men's SHORTS
• Broadcloth
• Broken Sizes
3 Pair 99c

Men's FELT HATS
• Broken Sizes
• Values to 15.00
\$4.99

Men's Orlon SWEATERS
• Sleeveless
• Regular 4.98
\$2.99

Men's HANDKERCHIEFS
• Regular 15c
12 For \$1.00

Men's SPORT COATS
• Values to \$24.98
\$19.99

Cannon BATH TOWELS
• 22x40
50c ea.

Famous STEVENS SHEETS
• 1st Quality
• 81x108
• Regular 2.29
\$1.79

WOMEN'S & MISSES' LINED FALL SUITS
• NEW FALL STYLES
• NEW FABRICS
• REG. \$17.98
\$11.00

MEN'S 100% WOOL FLANNEL JACKETS
• SIZES 34 TO 44
• SOLIDS AND PLAIDS
• REG. VAL. TO \$12.95
\$6.99

MEN'S NEW FALL SLACKS
• MANY PATTERNS AND FABRICS
• SIZES 28 TO 42
• VAL. TO \$9.95
\$5.99

FABRIC SALE Close-Out From Famous Mill
• Full Bolts—Mill's Original Boards
• 39" Solid Color Beau Knot
• 45" Combed Crease-Resistant Check Gingham
• 39" 2-ply Stripe No-Iron Cotton Suiting
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Regular \$1 to \$129
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LADIES' 100% WOOL CREST SWEATERS
• Expensive Waffle Weaves
• All Sizes and Colors
• Sizes 30 to 40
\$5.77

SPECIAL PURCHASE WOMEN'S CAR COATS
• Chino-Gab. Lined
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20% WOOL 80% ORLON JERSEY BLOUSES
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Ladies' CAMPUS PANTIES
• ASSORTED COLORS
• SIZES S-M-L
3 Pair \$1.00

20x40 GAUZE DIAPERS
• REG. 2.98
\$1.99 Doz.

Cannon SHEET BLANKETS
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\$1.78

Chenille BEDSPREADS
• FULL SIZE
• ASSORTED COLORS
• REG. 5.98
\$3.52

42" Unbleached MUSLIN
• FIRST QUALITY
• HEAVY WEIGHT
4 Yards 99c

Ladies' SKIMMER PUMPS
• REG. 5.95
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New Fall DUSTERS
• FLANNEL & NYLON
• REG. 4.98
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Dacron CURTAINS
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| Salad Wafers SUPREME | 1-Lb. Box | 24c |
| Green Beans DEL MONTE—WHOLE | No. 303 Can | 27c |
| Honey Spice Cake BETTY CROCKER | Box | 34c |
| Sweet Potatoes DURAND—Cut | No. 2 1/2 Can | 20c |
| Peas & Carrots WHITE SWAN | Can | 21c |
| Lima Beans & Ham ELLIS | No. 303 Can | 34c |
| Kraft Caramels Pkg 35c | Kraft Dinner Pkg. | 15c |
| Marshmallow Cream | Jar | 27c |
| Swift's Jewel | 3-Lb. Can | 75c |
| Whole Beets KIMBELL'S—Whole | Can | 17c |

| FROZEN FOODS | | VEGETABLES | |
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| DONALD DUCK Orange Juice | 6-Oz. 18c | Carrots | Cello Bag 10c |
| KEITH'S Blackeye Peas | Box 19c | Cabbage | Lb. 3c |
| KEITH'S Broccoli | Box 19c | Yellow Onions | Lb. 4c |
| Peaches, Keith's | Box 19c | Spuds | Lb. 6c |
| Frozen Rolls, Jean's 2-Doz. | 43c | Cranberries | Lb.-Bag 29c |

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