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## 4-H Club Boys Assemble At Park for Encampment

Runnels county 4-H club boys registered here Wednesday afternoon for their annual summer encampment and today is filled with the planned activities. Boys and adult leaders began arriving at city park soon after lunch time yesterday to pitch their camp and prepare for events scheduled for Wednesday afternoon and evening.

A number of guests were invited to be present for the feature of the evening program when R. E. Collender, A. & M. extension service wildlife specialist, spoke to the clubbers and presented his large exhibit. This was followed by a motion picture show presented by John A. Barton, county agent.

Softball games and other recreational features were also on the afternoon and evening sessions and were to continue this morning.

The highlight of the encampment is the barbecue dinner at noon today. The boys have invited a number of local business and professional men to be their guests but no special program has been arranged. The food committee arranged the barbecue and will attend to the serving.

Soon after the noon meal camp will be broken and the boys will come to town, where they will be guests of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce at any picture show they desire to attend. Tickets, good at any theatre, were distributed at the noon hour.

Elmo V. Cook, Taylor county agricultural agent, this morning presented Bobby Griffin, of Tuscola, a national winner in 4-H club work who has just returned from a trip to Washington, D. C., a part of his reward in contests. Bobby told local boys of his club activities and his trip to Washington.

**HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT IMPROVES TALPA ROAD**  
The state highway department is making improvements on the Ballinger-Taipa highway. A large section of old paving is being taken up and new base and topping put down. Most of this is in low places where the pavement had worn and buckled.

No detours have been set up and traffic is continuing on the side of the roadbed.

A number of miles out of Coleman on the same highway new surfacing has recently been applied and the cut-off at Coleman has been completed with the exception of final topping which was expected to be finished this week.

J. D. Renuau witnessed the Ballinger-Big Spring baseball game in Big Spring Sunday.

## Livestock Sales Heavy Tuesday At Auction Here

Buying and selling was lively at the Ballinger Auction and Commission Co. Tuesday afternoon, the regular weekly sale. There has been a large amount of livestock in the pens every week and buyers have been numerous. Prices have held up remarkably well.

Officials in charge of operations are striving to make the Ballinger auction one of the best in West Texas and since the opening date receipts have been large. Livestock people, both buyers and sellers are invited. Sales are held every Tuesday afternoon.

Below are the sales recorded Tuesday of this week:

Carl Gustinger, Temple, 90; Buf Eoff, 2; J. T. Ford, 1; L. C. Davis, 3; W. W. Aherns, 3; Luther Hampton, 3; Walter Hoelscher, 2; J. H. Scales, 2; Charles Taylor, 1; Ira Stanley, 2; Frank Smith, 2; Hamp Byler, 1; W. L. White, 8; Charlie Kruse, 2; Frank Kohutek, 1; T. M. Moreland, 1; Jess Schneider, 3; Carl King, 2; Vernon Kendrick, 3; J. E. Talley, 1; Arthur Kerby, 4; J. D. Moore, 21; J. C. Smith, Talpa, 5; L. W. Kettler, Winters, 3; Earl Caudie, 2; R. L. Bell, 2; O. S. Shelton, 2; J. L. Shelton, 1; Ellis Lee, 1; D. M. Crockett, 1; Clyde Flanagan, 3; Roy Tyree, 3; George Thomas, 2; Fred Parker, 3; J. H. Parrish, 2; Henry McDonald, 2; W. W. Couch, 1; Wilson Middleton, 9; Elmer Patton, 9; J. M. Davis, 1.

Nat Harold, 12 mutton lambs  
A. C. Wood, 2 ewes, 8 lambs  
Carl King, 2 bucks  
J. B. Farris, Bronte, 4 bucks

**Sheep**  
Bill Hamilton, 51; Walter Hoelscher, 17; Steve Hale, 20; W. F. Mueller, 15; Walter Reimer, 16  
Bob Burris, 1 gilt  
Elmer Green, 1 sow, 3 pigs  
J. D. Brown, 1 buck, 26 lambs  
Mr. Barley, 1 horse.

## FIREMEN NOW READY TO FIGHT GRASS FIRES

The Ballinger fire department again calls attention to the hazards of grass fires at this season. Dry weather has caused some very bad fire hazards on vacant lots, in some yards and alleys, grown high with weeds and grass.

A telephone call to the fire department will bring a truck with a large booster tank that can extinguish any grass or trash blaze and it will not be necessary to sound a general alarm calling all firemen to the scene.

Two men are on full time duty at the fire station now and if a grass fire is reported as such only a driver and one truck will respond. The truck carries a 300-gallon booster tank and no connections are necessary with city lines to take care of an ordinary grass fire.

Mary Yvonne Griggs, of Garden City, has been visiting Pat Bowden the past ten days. She will return to her home next Sunday.

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**EXPERIMENT IN TRAINING . . .** Marching rigidly at attention, this squad of boyish-looking soldiers is a part of the more than 600 trainees receiving special instruction at Fort Knox, Ky., as an experimental step toward setting up a universal military training program. The group was assembled to test provisions of bills before congress calling for one year of training of all high school graduates or youths of 18. Experiment is proving a success, officials say.



**QUEEN MOTHER . . .** Latest portrait of Her Majesty Queen Mary of England who celebrated her 80th birthday anniversary recently. She wears medallions bearing portraits of her son, King George VI, and her late husband.

## City Permit Granted Behringer to Build Modern Motel Here

Sam Behringer is going forward with plans for the construction of a modern motel or tourist courts and has been granted a permit for the construction by the city.

As soon as he gets possession of the place from the Park Avenue Baptist Church Mr. Behringer will start razing the building, which has served as a residence, a funeral home, an apartment house, and a church, and will salvage material that can be used.

He will purchase Austin stone and have it shipped to Ballinger for construction of the 24-unit motel. Six separate units are to be built with four apartments in each. The apartments will be modern in every detail, including tile baths, air conditioning, garages for cars, and paved driveways into the courts.

The grounds will be landscaped and nothing will be omitted to make the place attractive and comfortable. Options have been asked on other property in case patronage justifies an expansion program later.

Since selling his grocery business Mr. Behringer has been looking into the motel business and has studied courts in a large number of cities. He intends to devote part of his time to personally managing the business and stated that he would operate only a first-class establishment.

## Sewer Disposal Site is Located, Work Beginning

Location of the Ballinger disposal plant was staked off the first of the week and a crew is now getting the work underway. Materials are being hauled to the site and the contractor will lose no time in getting the job started.

Location is at the mouth of Elm Creek on land to be acquired by the city. It is just beyond the present dump grounds which are to be moved to another section in the near future.

The contract for the job was recently awarded to Fitzgerald, Newton & Carey, of McAllen. A crew of workers, foremen and engineers is here to organize the work and get started.

The city plans to complete the disposal plant as soon as possible and later in the present sewer system will be started to cover all residences within the city limits. Shipment of pipe will be several months in the future but large pipe has been promised this fall for connecting the disposal plant with the present system. Pipe has been purchased for the entire project and will be shipped as soon as available.

City officials reported good progress being made on the dam across Valley Creek and added that the contractors expected to close the gap in the dirt next week if weather conditions permitted.

## EXAMINATION TO BE HELD FOR TALPA RURAL ROUTE

Announcement has been made that the civil service commission will hold an examination for employing a rural route carrier for Talpa Route 1. Instructions and applications can be secured at the Talpa postoffice or by writing the commission, Washington, D. C. All applications must reach Washington by August 28.

**LONGHORN LEAGUE STANDINGS**

| Team       | W  | L  | Pct. |
|------------|----|----|------|
| Big Spring | 65 | 36 | .644 |
| Midland    | 62 | 40 | .608 |
| Sweetwater | 51 | 52 | .495 |
| Ballinger  | 50 | 51 | .495 |
| Odessa     | 48 | 56 | .462 |
| Vernon     | 31 | 72 | .301 |

## Home-Runs Aid Cats To Conquer Indians In Second of Series

A pair of home-runs by Ronnie Harrison and another circuit blow by Buddy Hancken helped the Ballinger Cats conquer the Midland Indians here Wednesday evening by the tally of 10-6. Pitcher Paul Cook was in good form and went the distance for the locals, containing the Redskins to 11 well scattered hits. His control was excellent and only twice did trouble loom for him, but on each occasion he managed to put the slugging invaders away.

Harrison's homers came after Stu Williams had hit safely each time and Smithhart was on a sack when Hancken cracked the sphere out of the garden.

The same two clubs clash this evening in the final game of the series.

Tomorrow night the Big Spring Broncos will be here for a three-game series.

The box score:

| Midland         | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|-----------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|
| H. Melillo, 2b  | 5  | 1 | 2 | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| E. Melillo, ss  | 4  | 2 | 3 | 2  | 3 | 0 |
| Ramsdell, lf    | 5  | 1 | 1 | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Prince, 1b      | 3  | 1 | 1 | 1  | 2 | 0 |
| Alvis, 3b       | 5  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 3 | 0 |
| Nipp, rf        | 5  | 1 | 1 | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, cf       | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| Geiger, 2b      | 4  | 0 | 0 | 4  | 2 | 0 |
| Grove, p        | 3  | 0 | 0 | 5  | 1 | 0 |
| Blair, p        | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| *Nelson         | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| 39 6 11 24 13 0 |    |   |   |    |   |   |

\*Batted for Grove in 8th.  
Ballinger  
Isbell, rf 2 1 0 1 0 1  
McMillan, ss 5 0 1 2 2 0  
Geiger, 2b 4 0 0 4 2 0  
Hixon, cf 4 1 1 2 0 1  
Williams, 1b 4 2 2 8 0 0  
Harrison, lf 3 3 2 3 0 0  
Smithhart, 3b 4 1 2 1 1 0  
Farrcken, c 4 2 3 6 0 0  
Cook, p 4 0 2 0 0 0

Left on bases, Midland 9, Ballinger 4; two-base hits, E. Melillo 2, Nipp, Davis, Williams, Hancken, Cook; three-base hits, Alvis, Williams, Smithhart; home-runs, Ramsdell, Harrison 2, Hancken, sacrifice hit, Isbell; stolen base, Hixon; bases on balls, off Grove 1, off Blair 1, off Cook 3; struck out, by Grove 4, Blair 1, Cook 5. Time of game, 1:40. Umpires Dinnen and Russell.

The war clubs of the Midland Indians were booming Tuesday night in the first of a three-game series with the Ballinger Cats and the invaders racked up 18 hits for a total of 34 bases to emerge on the big end of the 17-7 score. Kolwe, rangy Redskin hillman, was airtight for five frames, allowing only one dober to toe first base.

Hare, local twirler, was routed at the outset of the second stanza and Steve Kolesar was called to do the chores for the rest of the fracas but he did not stop the heavy hitting and scoring.

Seven miscues by both teams helped prolong the contest, which lasted 2 hours 15 minutes. Five home-runs were clouted during the evening and doubles were numerous.

The box score:

| Midland         | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|-----------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|
| H. Melillo, 2b  | 6  | 2 | 2 | 2  | 3 | 0 |
| E. Melillo, ss  | 5  | 3 | 2 | 0  | 2 | 1 |
| Ramsdell, lf    | 5  | 5 | 4 | 2  | 0 | 1 |
| Prince, 1b      | 2  | 4 | 2 | 0  | 1 | 0 |
| Alvis, 3b       | 6  | 2 | 1 | 0  | 1 | 1 |
| Nipp, rf        | 4  | 1 | 2 | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, cf       | 5  | 1 | 1 | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Koon, c         | 5  | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Kolesar, p      | 3  | 0 | 0 | 2  | 1 | 0 |
| *Cook           | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| 46 17 18 27 7 3 |    |   |   |    |   |   |

\*Batted for Kolesar in 9th.  
Left on bases, Midland 8, Ballinger 4.

## Station KRUN Goes On Air This Morning With Regular Time

Radio station KRUN took to the air this morning with regular programs. The opening of the \$30,000 plant culminates 14 months work by the stockholders of the Runnels County Broadcasting Co.

R. E. Bruce, actively with the staff, has eight others assisting in the operations. They are Jimmy Isaacs, program director; William Stubblefield and Vic Johnson, announcers; Oscar Braden and Dub Kelly, engineers; Ernest Jones, advertising salesman; and Marguerite Coe, Bookkeeper.

Bruce stated that local talent would be used in programs along with a standard library of records. Associated Press is also available for regular newscasts.

Studios are located in the Zappe Building over Bettis & Sturges. Mr. Bruce stated that a formal opening of the station would be held later this month.

## Speakers Secured For Convention Of Firemen Here

Chester Cherry and D. G. Posey announced Tuesday the speakers for the meeting of the Hill Country Firemen's Association here Tuesday. Late acceptance by the speakers made it impossible to get all names on the printed program but the local leaders believe they have a lineup that will be of interest to every fireman in the association.

The main speaker will be W. G. Burns, Dallas fire marshal. Mr. Burns is an excellent speaker and has fostered much fire prevention work in Texas.

Gene Sanders, fire insurance commissioner, of Austin, will be heard Tuesday afternoon. Well known to members of the regional organization, Mr. Sanders has appeared on a number of convention programs in recent years.

W. H. Rumpy, state representative for this district, is another of the afternoon speakers. He will talk on legislation that concerns firemen.

Miss Faye Clark, of Houston, for a number of years active in fire prevention for the Ballinger department, has accepted an invitation to address the convention.

Mr. Cherry stated that a number of fire chiefs in the region would be present and would take the lead in the round-table discussions.

A check-up with local committees the first of the week disclosed everything ready for the entertainment of the large number of guests expected here next Tuesday.

John Purifoy returned home the past week-end from San Francisco, where he attended the International Lions convention. He made the round trip by plane with M. L. Bird of Abilene.

Mrs. W. B. Woody returned from Temple Sunday where she visited her husband in McClosky Hospital. Mr. Woody is doing nicely but will be there for some time receiving treatments.

Mrs. Fred C. McClanahan and son, of Shreveport, are here for a visit with her parents. She will be joined later in the month by Mr. McClanahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morgan and daughter, Gerry, of Amarillo, are spending their vacation here, visiting relatives and friends. They also spent several days at San Angelo and San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner went to San Antonio the first of the week to attend to business and spend a short vacation.

## Hill Country Firemen To Meet Here Tuesday

Ballinger firemen are all ready to play host Tuesday to the Hill Country Firemen's Association. The fall meeting will get underway here Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock with the general sessions to be held in the district court room of the court house.

Committees were busy this week making final arrangements for the various entertainment features.

R. E. Lee, president of the Ballinger department, will call the meeting to order at 9 a. m. and Mayor J. W. Moore will extend the welcome to the visitors. Chief Palmer West, of Eldorado, will respond, and this will be followed by local entertainment.

The first part of the program will be taken up with business and announcements of events to follow the rest of the day. The

next meeting place and all other business will be cleared at this session.

The afternoon session will start at 1:30 p. m. and a representative of the state fire insurance commission, Austin, will address the convention.

Fire prevention will be discussed by an able speaker and this will be followed by round-table three-minute talks on "How to Sell Your Department to the Public."

The convention will adjourn after this discussion for the races and contests. An equipment drill for women will be held and nice prizes have been provided for the winners. Women also will compete in a horse race with the rules covered in state proceedings.

Department teams will compete in the pumper races and this will be followed by bucket fights. These events will take place on one of the main streets where the public can watch.

At 7 p. m. the delegates and other visitors will assemble at city park for the barbecue dinner.

The concluding number on the program will be a dance at the Army and Navy Club starting at 9 p. m.

Department reports received here indicate that a large number will attend the Ballinger convention. Several department secretaries have already sent in their lists for the full day program and others will come in time for the races and entertainment features in the late afternoon and evening.

Several committees were out last week and raised enough money for the local department to defray all expenses.

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# IN SOCIETY

## Miss Louise Smith is Bride of Eugene Payne in Home Rites

In a ceremony performed at eight o'clock Friday evening, Miss Louise Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Smith, became the bride of Eugene Payne, son of Mrs. Vera Powers.

The wedding took place in the home of the bride's brother, C. E. Smith, and Mrs. Smith, Seventh Street, with the Rev. Cordell Bales, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, reading the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a powder blue gabardine suit trimmed with brown checked gingham and silver buttons. Her small off-the-face hat was veiled in brown, and other accessories were brown and white. She wore a white carnation corsage.

Mrs. C. E. Smith attended her sister-in-law as matron of honor and wore a fuchsia crepe dress and white accessories. She wore a white carnation corsage. C. E. Smith was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne are both graduates of Ballinger High School. Mr. Payne served two years in the Navy, of which fifteen months were spent overseas.

The couple will be at home at 301 13th Street in Ballinger. Mr. Payne is employed at the Palace Theatre.

## Miss Irene Dodson Becomes Bride of Bobby Farmer

Miss Irene Dodson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dodson, was married Saturday evening to Bobby Farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer in a single ring ceremony read by the Rev. Cordell Bales, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, at the home of her parents, 207 Fourth Street.

The bride wore a frock of aqua crepe, fashioned with a tunic panel on the skirt and the bodice was trimmed with buttons and lace. Her accessories were black and she wore a white carnation corsage.

Miss Melba Jean Yaber attended the bride as maid of honor, and wore a suit of blue gabardine with white accessories. She wore a white carnation corsage. Lewis Crimm attended the bridegroom as best man.

Mrs. Farmer attended Ballinger High School, and Mr. Farmer was a 1942 graduate of Ballinger High School and served three years in the Navy, having spent more than two years overseas.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Winters, where Mr. Farmer is employed at the Safeway Store.

Mrs. Vancil Hostess to Triple-Four  
Mrs. Delbert Vancil included



**NO VISIBLE MEANS OF SUPPORT . . .** Airplanes weren't the only things up in the air at the Chicago municipal airport when magician Jack Gwynne and his daughter-in-law, Helen Gwynne, started to go through their performance of the old East India levitation trick. The gawky Mr. Gwynne passes a hoop around the body of his suspended helper to show airline stewardess Irene Fredericks that there are no strings attached. Stewardess looks like she would feel more at home with at least a parachute attached.



**HIGH JUMPER . . .** Because he wanted to get some good angles with his new movie camera, former paratrooper Leonard D'Attilio parachuted from plane over Manhattan, landed in back yard on 44th street, was arrested and booked by police.

added guests Wednesday afternoon when she was hostess to the Triple-Four Contract Club in her home on Sixth Street.

White and orchid asters combined with statice centered the lace-laid dining table and other garden blossoms were about party rooms where Mrs. Edward Sommer was awarded high score prize and bingo awards went to Mrs. Cal Adair and Mrs. Tom Agnew.

The hostess served nut bread sandwiches and cookies with pineapple sherbet.

Others were: Mmes. Harry Lynn, Edgar Boelsche, Alex McGregor, Ross Murchison, K. V. Northington, F. M. Pearce, J. A. Schnable, E. W. Stasney, L. R. Tigner, Claude Stone, Bruce Creasy, C. L. Baker, Sim Cottelle, Estes Lynn, Levy Lee, E. B. Clappitt, C. W. Cheatham, R. W. Earnshaw, R. T. Hall, Misses Griffie Atkins and Helen Brewer.

**Klen Williams Honor Guest on Tenth Birthday**

Mrs. J. M. Williams entertained a group of young people on the lawn of the Williams home on Fifth Street when she named her daughter, Klen, honor guest on her tenth birthday anniversary.

Jimmie Williams, Joe Moore and Norma Pratt directed games and supervised a fish pond when guests fished for paper caps and balloons.

The dining room was decorated with crepe paper festoons and the table was centered with the white birthday cake which was decorated with pastel flower sprays. Ice cream was served with the cake. Pictures were made of the group.

Included were: Shirley Burk, Dee Ann Saylor, Brenda Pratt, Owen Davies, Louise Miller, Elaine Hart, Patricia Zappe, Laverne Calvert, Patricia Davis, Ann Catherine McDonald, Marjorie Neill, Jo Ann Blackmon, Helen Kennedy and Jo Ann Watkins.

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## Miss Margaret Poehls Bride of Clarence Hennig

Miss Margaret Poehls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Poehls, of Rowena, became the bride of Clarence P. Hennig, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hennig, of Rowena, in a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. W. F. Bosen in the rectory of St. Joseph's Church, Rowena, at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, July 29.

The bride wore a white tailored suit with white accessories and her corsage was of pink carnations.

Mrs. Walter Schwartz, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and Mr. Schwartz was best man. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Following a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Hennig will be at home on their farm near Rowena.

## Mrs. Irby Entertains Ace of Clubs

Mrs. W. O. Irby included Mrs. Frank Moore and Mrs. W. K. Wheatley when she entertained the Ace of Clubs Thursday morn-

ing in her home on Ninth Street. Arrangements of zinnias decorated living rooms where Mrs. John Bradley was awarded high score prize, and bingos went to Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Earl Barr.

Following games, a sandwich plate was served with cookies and coca colas.

Others were: Mmes. H. G. Agnew, Edward Sommer, W. E. Moss, Leonard Scales, Sam Conner, and Marvin Davies.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to our friends for

your expressions of sympathy and the lovely floral offerings in the loss of our husband and father. May God bless and keep each of you in our prayer.

Mrs. Laura Crockett  
Mr. and Mrs. Davy Crockett  
Mr. and Mrs. William Pardue  
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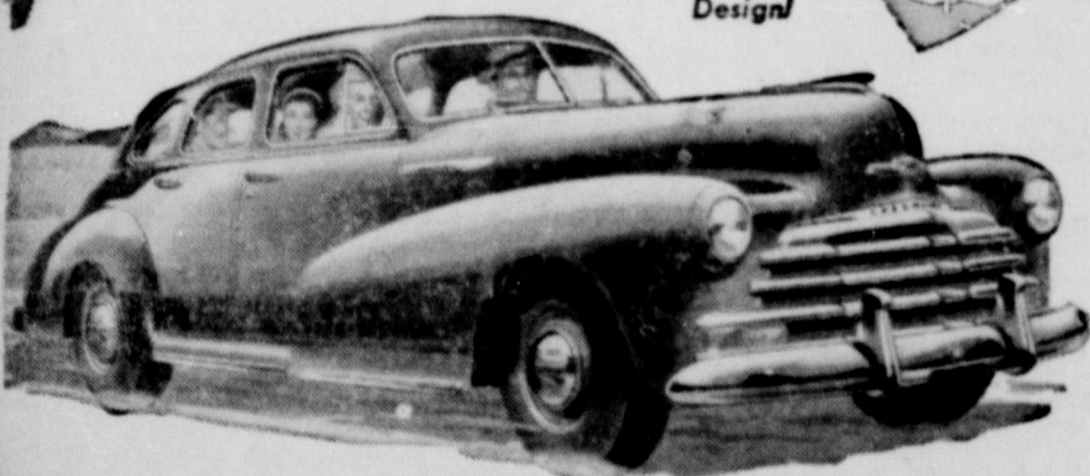
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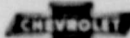
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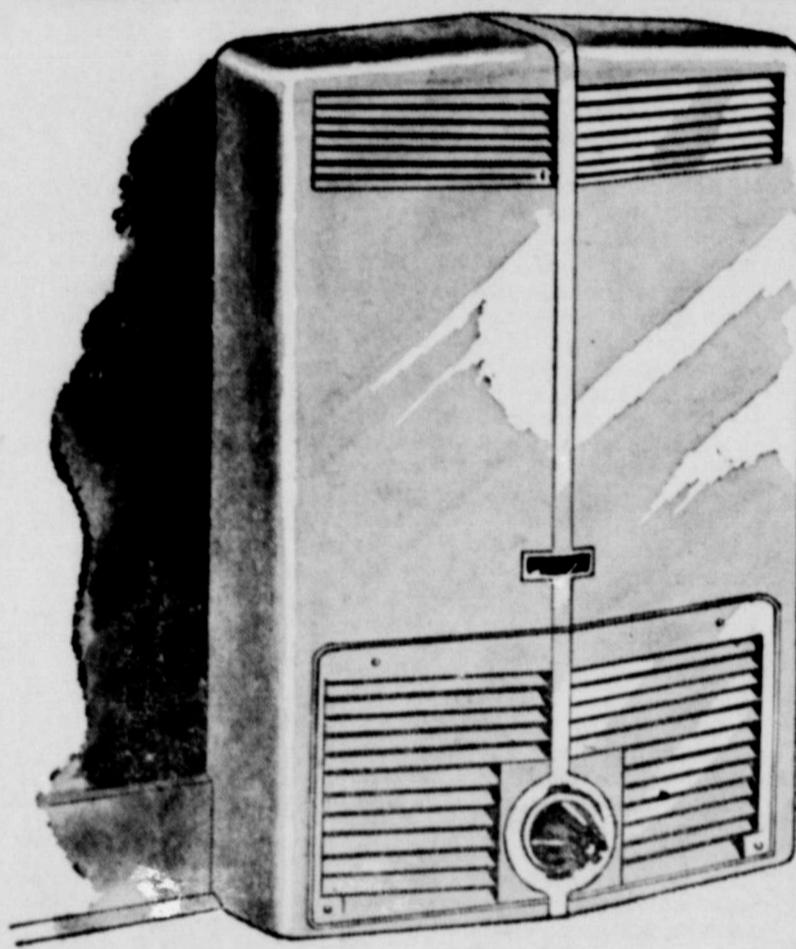
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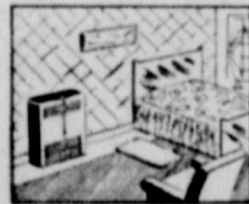
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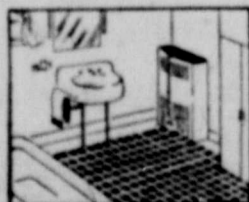
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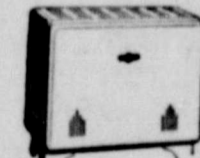


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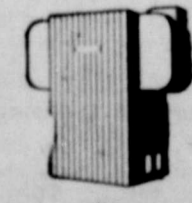
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Approximately 30 players will attend the camp, the location of which will be decided soon. Several prospective sites are being

viewed and a committee will make definite arrangements for a place where a playground is available nearby, and has good swimming, shade and camping facilities.

The boys will take physical training during the two weeks but no football equipment will be permitted. High school teams can not begin their regular training

until September 1 and the camp is merely to get the players in good physical shape and ready to start scrimmaging the first day of the training period, September 1.

Leaders sponsoring the outing for the team hope to arrange for a site in the Menard section where springs keep the San Gabo river at the same level the year round.


Contacts are being made with landowners in this vicinity.

A large funeral tent will be set up for shelter and a field range is to be used in the preparation of food. A pick-up will be left at the camp for use of the buyers who will make daily visits to the nearest town.

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### BROWNWOOD MAN FINED IN COUNTY COURT HERE

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6:30 p. m., Baptist Training Union.  
Wednesday:  
7:30 p. m., teachers' meeting.  
8:00 p. m., prayer meeting.

**Park Avenue Baptist Church** (Park Avenue at Broadway)  
Sunday:  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
7:00 p. m., Baptist Training Union.  
8:00 p. m., evening worship.  
Wednesday:  
7:00 p. m., Brotherhood meeting.  
8:00 p. m., prayer meeting.

**Foursquare Gospel Church**  
Sunday:  
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11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
6:45 p. m., Junior Crusaders, Mary Lou Tindie, captain.  
7:30 p. m., evangelistic service, pastor in charge.  
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7:30 p. m., prayer meeting.  
Thursday:  
7:30 p. m., Senior Crusaders, Bible study, Clifton Wright, captain.

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11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
6:30 p. m., Westminster Youth Fellowship.  
8:00 p. m., evening worship.  
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DAVID J. MURRAY, Pastor

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Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
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Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
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Young people, 7:15 p. m.  
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Wednesday:  
Mid-week prayer meeting, 8:00 p. m.  
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**First Presbyterian Church** (Broadway)  
Sunday:  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m., church worship.  
5:30 p. m., Young People's social and worship hour.  
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11:00 a. m., worship and communion.  
8:00 p. m., evening worship.

**First Methodist Church** (Corner Murrell and Tenth)  
Sunday:  
9:45 a. m., church school.  
11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
6:00 p. m., young people's service.  
8:00 p. m., evening worship.  
Wednesday:  
7:30 p. m., senior choir rehearsal.

H. B. LOYD, Pastor

# HIGGINBOTHAM'S

# SPORTS

The Cats will have only two more home stands after this one and the final will be for two days only, including a double-header. The end of the season is not far away and after the current home series fans will get to see only two more games here.

After Sunday the Cats will go on the road, returning to play host to the Odessa Oilers August 19, 20 and 21, then take on the Vernon Dusters August 22, 23, 24. The last series at home will be with the Sweetwater Sports on August 31 and a double-header the next day, (Labor Day) Sep-

tember 1. The Cats are carrying seven pitchers at this time and should be able to give the chunkers plenty of rest from the firing line. Jacobs, Hare, Stringfield, Kolesar, Lorene and Cook are the moundsmen, and Stringfield is a general utility man, capable of playing almost any position.

The Big Spring Broncs will be here tomorrow, Saturday and Sunday, and the Cats will get a chance for revenge for the three straight games the Ponies took from them at Big Spring. In each



**GENUINE UNITED NATIONS SPIRIT . . .** The diplomatic gentlemen who are wrangling around the peace tables at Lake Success, N. Y., might do well to drop in on the 35th anniversary encampment of the International Girl Scouts at Camp Barree, Pa., for an object lesson in how to get along with one another. Shown here are some of the Girl Scout delegates who came from all the states and a score of foreign countries to attend the three-week encampment.

of these games the Cats failed to hit and in the final twin-bill were able to collect only two runs, one each game.

Starting time for night games this week-end is 8:15 p. m., and for the Sunday game, 2:30 p. m. The management is expecting the largest crowds of the season to see the Cats clash with the top club of the loop. These Cubans play ball all the time and it is a full evening's work to beat them.

The Ballinger Bearcats are assured a good outing and preliminary training program in the camp made possible by local fans. Those sponsoring the camp must select a place, secure cooking equipment, cooks and purchase food to take care of the boys for two weeks. Some spot in the vicinity of Menard probably will be arranged for as it offers better shade, more water and other features.

Most of the Bearcats have been doing manual labor this summer and are in fair condition. The lettermen have put on weight and the 1947 team will be a hefty bunch when suited out on the field. Several teams in this district are coming up with veteran players and Ballinger, Coleman, Winters and Brady will provide rugged competition.

The summer recreational pro-

gram came to a close last week with the Ballinger boys going to Coleman for contests one day. Coaches Wayman Wilson and J. E. Garrett have had a large number of lads in the program and did much to keep them occupied during what otherwise would have been idle time.

#### BALLINGERITES ATTEND REUNION OF RELATIVES

A. M. King and Mrs. Pryor Mapes returned home the first of the week after attending a family reunion at Britton, Oklahoma. They met at the home of their mother, Mrs. John M. King, and all ten of the living children were at home Sunday with their 83-year-old mother. There are 32 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren. Mr. King died in 1938 but it was impossible for all the children to be at home at that time and Sunday was the first meeting of all ten since 1938.

#### BEAUTY SHOP MOVED TO FORMER LOCATION

Mrs. George Harris, owner and operator of Blondie's Beauty Shop, stated Wednesday that she had moved her shop from the Zappe building back to her former location in the rear of the Ideal Barber Shop. Mrs. Harris, who has worked in California, San Angelo, Odessa and Ballinger, has served the public here several years and has owned and operated her own shop the past year.

Mrs. Alice Batchelor, who has had fourteen years' experience as an operator in Abilene and Ballinger, is also employed in this shop.

#### JOINER PLANS TO START BAND REHEARSALS EARLY

O. G. Joiner, director of the Ballinger Bearcat band, intends to call members together early in the fall to start rehearsals and have them in good condition for the opening of the football season September 12.

Mr. Joiner expects to instruct another large organization and will have members ready to present good music for the fans at all games played this year. A number of top chair performers were lost at the end of the last term but there is much material to take their places for the 1947-48 school year. The first rehearsal will be announced soon.

#### BALLINGER'S CITY WATER SUPPLY DECLARED AMPLE

A check-up on the local water supply this week revealed ample water in the reservoir to last for another thirty days and rains are expected before that date. There have been rumors to the effect that the supply was about exhausted, but city officials said Tuesday this was not true.

A recent rain between Winters and Hatchel put some water in the upper lake and this can be drained into the lower reservoir when needed. There also is other water in Elm Creek that can be pumped in in an emergency.

City water has become "harder" and recently has had an unpleasant odor but samples are being sent each week to the state health department for analysis. So far it has been declared suitable for all purposes but heavy treatment has been necessary to make it perfectly safe.

Consumption, boosted by irrigation, continues high, but so far no restrictions have been suggested.

Immature sweet potatoes will not keep well in storage. Growers who wait for fully mature potatoes, then dig them for storage, will prevent losses.

There are 13 artificial dairy breeding associations operating in Texas now.

## Cats' Road Sortie Drops Percentage With Four Losses

The Ballinger Cats returned home Tuesday morning for a six-game stand after a disastrous road trip in which they lost four and had one game rained out. They lost the opening game on the road to the Midland Indians but came back to beat the Redskins in the second tilt behind the effective pitching of Hare. The third game at Midland was rained out.

Moving into Big Spring, the Cats went down in three straight defeats, the second night bringing a double-header to make up for a postponed set-to earlier in the season.

In the series at Big Spring Cat pitchers held the Broncs fairly well in check but Cat hitters did not connect with the necessary safeties, scoring only one each in the last two games. As the season draws near a close the locals are struggling to stay as good as fourth in the percentage column in order to get in the playoff. Both the Sweetwater Sports and the Odessa Oilers have been going good lately and the Ballinger club will have to get peppery to hold its ranking until September 1.

The current home stand pits the Cats against the two top clubs of the circuit.

## San Angelo to Host West Texas Press Association Meet

Editors and newspapermen of West Texas will gather in San Angelo on August 22 and 23 for the 17 annual convention of the West Texas Press Association. Convention headquarters will be at the St. Angelus Hotel and reservations are being received now for that occasion.

A program featuring talks of interest and entertainment has been arranged to attract large attendance. Some of the leading press people of the state will discuss vital issues, especially for the weekly papers of this region.

Entertainment includes two luncheons, one a western style at Lake Nasworthy, a dance at a night club and various other features. The trip to Lake Nasworthy will also include boating, swimming and fishing for those who desire.



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#### MUSICAL PROGRAM HEARD AT ROTARY CLUB MEETING

Bob McDonald was in charge of the program for the Ballinger Rotary Club Tuesday and presented Mrs. Earl Cope and Miss Lavinia Faubion in a musical program. Mrs. Cope gave a group of piano numbers and then accompanied Miss Faubion for vocal renditions.

the club and told the members some of the highlights of the A & M firemen's school held two weeks ago and attended by 480 firemen from towns of Texas. He also briefly discussed the program proposed for the Hill Country Firemen's Association convention to be held here Tuesday and invited Rotarians to attend all the sessions.

Chester Cherry was a guest of

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### Fairbanks, O'Hara, Slezak Have Lead Roles in 'Sinbad the Sailor'

Thrilling adventure and stormy romance are the twin themes of RKO Radio's spectacular new technical offering, "Sinbad the Sailor," with Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., Maureen O'Hara and Walter Slezak in the starring roles. The Texas Theatre will present this film as its main attraction Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, August 10, 11 and 12.

The story concerns the search for the fabulous treasure of Alexander, supposedly hidden on the island of Deryabar. Sinbad, a penniless adventurer, possesses himself of a ship with which to seek the treasure island. Also on the search for the treasure is the powerful Emir of Daibul and his beautiful emissary, Shireen, with whom Sinbad falls in love. She believes him to be Prince Ahmed, son of the Aga Ahmed of Deryabar, and will be able to lead the way to the island for her and the Emir. On the other hand, Sinbad believes that Shireen and the Emir know the course.

There are stirring adventures when Sinbad abducts Shireen from the palace and sails with her, only to be overtaken by the Emir, who sinks his ship and takes everybody prisoner. The spectacular climax brings about the destruction of the Emir and his men, with Sinbad performing prodigious deeds of valor, after which he sails away with Shireen in his arms.

Fairbanks plays the dashing Sinbad; Miss O'Hara is the breath-taking Shireen; Walter Slezak is a crafty menace; and Anthony

Quinn is the Emir. Others prominently cast include George Tobias, Jane Greer and Mike Mazurki.

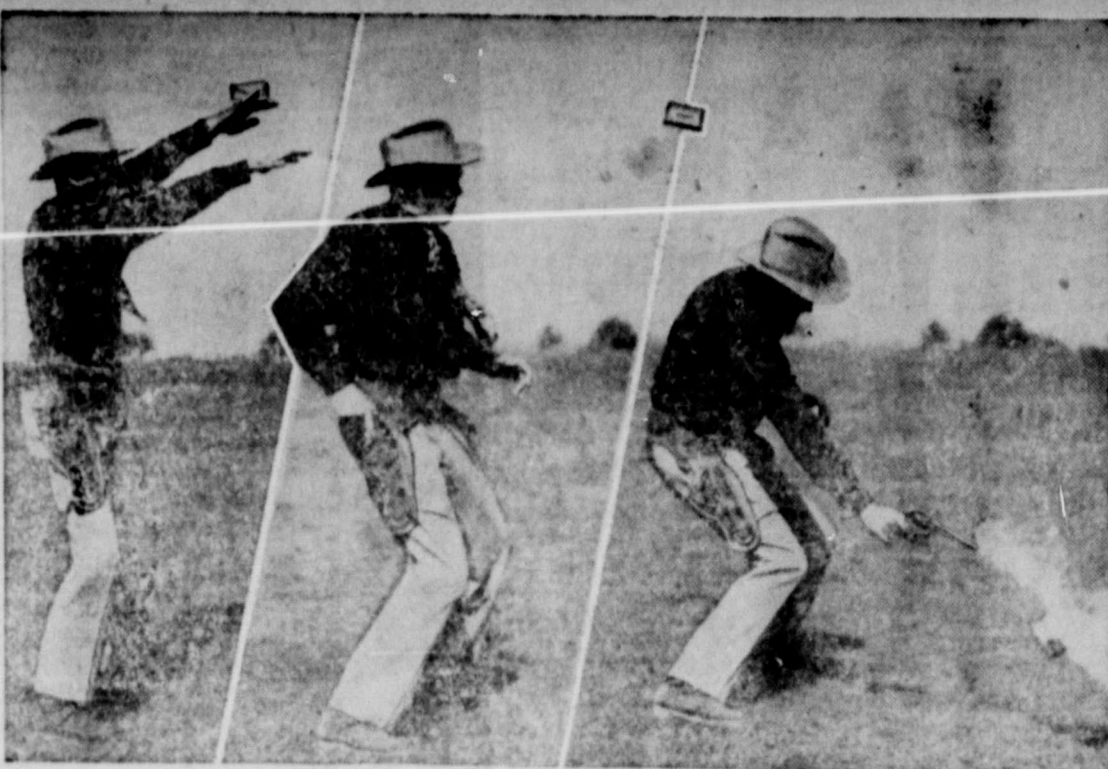
"The Adventures of Don Coyote," with Richard Martin in the title role, and "The Devil Thumbs a Ride," newest starring vehicle for Lawrence Tierney, make up the double-feature program at the Texas tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday, August 8, 9.

An exciting western with riding, roping and shooting to satisfy the most demanding action fans, "The Adventures of Don Coyote" presents Frances Rafferty as a charming Celtic lassie; Benny Bartlett as her younger brother who helps and hinders her romance; and Val Carlo, Mexico's latest contribution to the Hollywood scene.

With its action covering a space of a few hours along a California highway, the story of "The Devil Thumbs a Ride" revolves around a fugitive killer and his attempts to evade police traps. An innocent motorist and two hitch-hiking girls are involved in the affair, and the film is said to be one of the season's most dramatic offerings. Ted North, Nan Leslie, Betty Lawford and Andrew Tombes are featured.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Brookshier have returned from California, where they visited a daughter, Mrs. Gordon Gressett. They also stopped at a number of places of interest en route. On their return they visited Mrs. Brookshier's brother in New Mexico.

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**QUICK ON THE TRIGGER** . . . Almost extinct since the days of Dradeye Dick, Wild Bill Hickock and Annie Oakley, the fine art of throwing a six-shooter on a swiftly moving target has been revived by Ernie Lind. Here he is shown as he holds an empty cartridge box on his hand, withdraws the hand and then proceeds to pull his gun and shoot a hole in the box before it strikes the ground. Time elapsed: One-half play his shooting prowess.

### Olivia de Havilland, Lew Ayres Starred in 'The Dark Mirror'

"The Dark Mirror," Nunnally Johnson's production for International Pictures, coming to the Ford Theatre next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, August 10, 11 and 12, is a thrilling psychological melodrama said to be the only mystery picture ever made in which all the clues stem directly from the mind of the culprit.

In orthodox murder mysteries, there invariably is some physical connection between murder and its perpetrator—a fingerprint, a bit of cigar ash, a hair, or perhaps a telltale fragment of fabric. This fascinating thriller, however, derives all of its tensely developed dramatic values solely from the brain, and by a scientifically tested method of procedure.

Co-stars Olivia de Havilland and Lew Ayres head the cast of "The Dark Mirror." They are ably supported by Thomas Mitchell.

Olivia plays twins, one a normal girl, the other one of warped and twisted mentality which finally develops into homicidal paranoia. One of the sisters is believed to have committed a sensational

murder. A prominent society physician has been found in his apartment stabbed in the back.

How, with the aid of Ayres, a psychologist, and Mitchell, a persistent sleuth, this shocking murder is finally solved, provides the basis for a motion picture which has seldom been matched for sheer spine-tingling suspense.

Replete with such spectacular action scenes as a blazing oil well being whiffed out by a blast of TNT, oil gushers roaring in to shoot derricks high into the air, a dive into a sea of mud to escape whizzing bullets, fist fights extending from a frontier saloon to a swanky Manhattan office, and other thrills of the oil fields.

"Boom Town," M-G-M's all-star masterpiece reprint, brings one of the greatest pictures in Hollywood history to the Ford screen tomorrow and Saturday, August 8, 9.

Overshadowing even the intense fast action of the story is the brilliant cast which stars Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, Claudette Colbert and Hedy Lamarr.

### 'Hoppy' Western And Mystery Film At Palace Friday

The latest "Hopalong" Cassidy western, "Fool's Gold," starring the colorful, two-fisted Bill Boyd, and "Bulldog Drummond at Bay," Columbia's suspenseful mystery thriller, comprise the double-feature program at the Palace Theatre tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday, August 8, 9. In addition several short subjects will be presented.

The setting of the "Hoppy" thriller is the Northwestern Texas country where a gang of desperate outlaws are planning a stupendous gold swindle. "Hoppy" and his pals "Lucky" and "California," played by Rand Brooks and Andy Clyde, are as usual looking for excitement and they find plenty of it. Robert Emmett Keane, Stephen Barclay and lovely Jane Randolph have the main supporting parts.

Starred in "Bulldog Drummond at Bay" are Anita Louise and Ron Randell, with Pat O'Moore, Terry Kilburn and Holmes Herbert in support. The story concerns the fabulous crime buster who tangles with killers to solve the master jewel theft that rocked London.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bandy McGreggor, of Dallas, spent the past week-end with Mr. McGreggor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGreggor. Other guests in the McGreggor home over the week-end were Leland Croft, of Odessa, and J. C. Christiansen, of Dallas.

#### SPECIALIST RECOMMENDS PICKLED PEACH RECIPE

COLLEGE STATION, August 6.—Pickled peaches are one of America's favorite sweet spicy relishes, says Gwendolyn Jones, food preservation specialist of the A. & M. extension service.

The specialist recommends this recipe using 8 pounds of small or medium sized peaches; after peaches are washed and pared, two cloves are stuck in each peach, or the 8 two-inch sticks of cinnamon and 2 tablespoons of whole cloves may be tied loosely in a clean, thin, white cloth and placed to cook with 2 pounds of sugar, 1 quart vinegar and 1 cup water for 10 minutes. The peaches are added to the liquid and cooked slowly until tender but not broken. After standing overnight, sirup is drained from the peaches and spices removed. The sirup is boiled rapidly until thickened, and poured over peaches already packed in clean, hot sterile jars.

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**FRYERS CAN BE PREPARED FOR WINTER TABLE FARE, FOOD EXPERT SUGGESTS**

COLLEGE STATION, August 6.—Fried chicken can be a year-round food for the family table if some of them are saved for the freezer locker, Gwendolyn Jones, food preservation specialist for the A. & M. extension service, suggests.

She says the young birds are best for fried chicken and getting them ready for freezing is the same as for eating. But, it is easy to pick the chicken if it's dipped into a semi-scalding water for half a minute. This means the water should be about 128 degrees.

Suggestions on freezing include cutting up the chicken into pieces exactly as you would cut them for frying. The next step is to cool the pieces and pack into moisture-vapor-proof containers or wrapping paper. Put the amount needed for each meal into a package. Make the package as airtight as possible.

Freeze quickly, and store at zero degrees or lower. If the home freezer is used, the chicken may be killed in the afternoon and frozen that night. If a commercial freezer locker is used, the chicken may be killed in the morning, and taken to the locker early in the afternoon.

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The picture, which will be shown at the Texas Theatre Wednesday and Thursday of next week, August 13, 14, through United Artists release, is Hollywood's first story to treat this music as a dynamic art medium and to present the men responsible for it as artists instead of melody-drunk clowns.

"New Orleans," filmed in authentic Crescent City settings, provides a framework of romance—between a Louisiana gambler, Arturo de

Cordova, and a young society girl, charming singing star, Dorothy Patrick—for the development of the elemental yet amazingly sophisticated music which poured out of Basin Street to the distress of the classical tradition-minded citizenry.

Featured, besides Armstrong, are "Kid" Ory, Barney Bigard, Zutty Singleton, "Papa Mutt" Carey, Bud Scott, Red Callender, Charlie Beal, musicians; songstress Billie Holiday, Meade "Lux" Lewis, and Woody Herman and his band.

At present prices of cotton and cottonseed, no grower can afford to lose the one bale out of seven which insects normally steal.

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## Sam Behringer

# IN SOCIETY

**Miss Margie Michalewicz Weds Walter Jacob**

Miss Margie Michalewicz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Michalewicz of Olfen, and Walter Jacob, son of Mr. and Mrs. Her-  
 bert Winters, were married at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning in Olfen. The Rev. F. M. Kaminsky, pastor of St. Boniface Church, read the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a gray pin striped wool suit with a white sheer blouse. Her hat was an off-the-face, roll-brimmed gray felt, draped with black crepe. Other accessories were gray and black, and she carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations.

The couple was attended by the bridegroom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Wilde, of Olfen. Mrs. Wilde wore a suit

of teal blue with a gray hat and other accessories were white, and her corsage was of white carnations.

Mrs. Jacob graduated from St. Joseph's High School, Rowena, in 1942 and the groom attended the Winters High School before going into the armed forces, where he served 32 months overseas.

After a wedding trip to Austin, Houston and other places in South Texas, the couple will be at home in Winters, where Mr. Jacob is engaged in farming.

**Mary Lou Johnson Weds Fred Berry in Odessa**

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Gurley of Ballinger have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mary Lou Johnson, to Fred Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Berry, also of Ballinger. The twilight ceremony was read

## NEW FORD TRANSMISSIONS

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### GOSPEL TRIO WILL SING AT FOURSQUARE CHURCH



The Gospel Trio of Southern California will be at the Four-square Gospel Church this (Thursday) evening for a concert. This musical group is popular on the West Coast and the Ballinger church is fortunate in securing them for a concert.

The young women have been attending a Bible Institute in this section and stopped in Ballinger to visit relatives. The singers, left to right, are: Mary Baker, Barbara Wyrick and Barbara Jones. Miss Jones is a relative of Mrs. Fate Parker and the girls are guests in her home.

There will be no admission charge and the public is invited to hear the trio.

### DEATHS

**Emil Dusek**

Emil Dusek, 77, died at his home in Lowake at 5:10 Friday afternoon, following illness of two months' duration and acute illness lasting two days.

Born in Czechoslovakia on December 22, 1869, decedent came to the United States with his parents at the age of one year, settling at Industry, then moving to Travis county, and later moving to Concho county in 1906. He had been a retired stock farmer the past ten years.

His wife preceded him in death May 14, 1946.

Decedent was a member of the Evangelical Brethren Unity Church of Wall, and was a member of S. P. J. S. T. of Rowena.

Survivors include four sons, John J. and Willie, of Lowake; E. E. and M. A., of Wall; three daughters, Mrs. Ben Schlake, Mrs. Jerry Hoch, and Mrs. M. J. Doss, of Lowake; a brother, Vincent, of Temple; eleven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Agnew chapel Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Joseph Mikovsky officiating. Interment followed in the protestant cemetery at Rowena.

Pallbearers were H. Teplick, Joe Shiller, John Simecek, Val Kranicka, Louis Loika, Charles Urban.

Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

## To My Graham-Hoeme Plow Customers . . .

When in need of parts or plows come to Used Car Lot across street from City Hall. Plows and cars on display at all times.

**Jim Berry**

### Good Progress Being Made on Telephone Company's Building

Good progress is being made on the Southwestern States Telephone Co. building on Eighth Street. With good working weather the brick walls will be completed this week and the roof started the first of next week.

District Manager R. P. Canady stated that after the main construction was completed it would require about one month for the interior finishing. He said equipment was to be shipped here around the middle of August, according to the latest report.

Installation of the automatic switchboard and other equipment will require four months or more and barring delays, it will be sometime after the first of 1948 before the office can be put in operation.

The company is pushing the work as much as possible and hopes to get all material and equipment on time so there will be no delays of this kind.

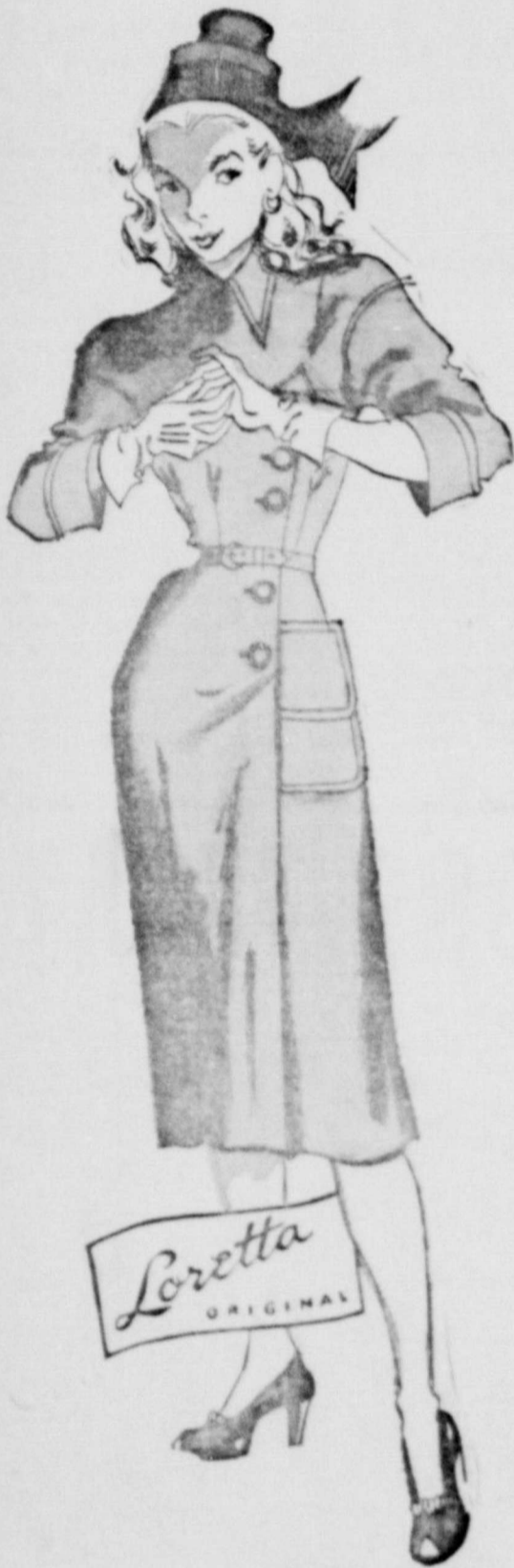
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stone are spending a few days in San Antonio attending to business and vacationing.

J. F. McMillan returned Friday from a business trip to LaGrange and other South Texas cities. He reported rain extending as far this way as Austin.

## NOTICE!

I have sold the Plymouth-DeSoto Dealership, and am now located across the street from the City Hall. Will have plenty of Graham-Hoeme Plows and Parts—also used Cars.

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in the home of the Rev. Jimmie Doyle, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Odessa on July 23. Doyle H. Brown of Ballinger was the couple's only attendant.

Mrs. Berry, a graduate of the Pioneer High School, attended San Angelo Business College. She has been employed as secretary of the Ballinger Baseball Club until recently.

Mr. Berry, who was recently discharged after six years' service in the Marines, is a graduate of Ballinger High School. The couple will live in Andrews where Mr. Berry is employed by a drilling company.

### BAND PRACTICE TO BE HELD MONDAY EVENING

All senior members of the Bearcat Band are requested to be at the hall at 8 o'clock Monday evening, August 11, for the first rehearsal of the present year. Be sure and be on time.

O. G. Joiner, Director

Mr. and Mrs. Oakly Clark, of Smithville, spent the past week here, visiting Wanda Crager returned home with them for a short visit.

Large blotters for rug makers Ballinger Printing Co.

### Heavy Fire Damage Done Bartlett Shop

Fire Monday morning caused heavy damage at the Bartlett Cabinet & Fixture Company on Tenth Street. A large part of the interior was in flames when the blaze was discovered, and firemen made a quick run but the blaze was not under control until the interior had been badly burned, the machinery damaged and the building practically ruined.

The extent of the damage to machinery in the plant cannot be determined until after insurance adjustments are made and the machines are tested.

Ross Bartlett, manager and owner, has been operating the plant here for the past two years and during that time has been busy and often weeks behind with his work. He had continued to install modern machinery that was needed and had a well-planned, modern plant for making any type of cabinets or fixtures.

Mrs. A. S. Love, after a visit to her niece and family, Mrs. Holliday Hayley, of Tyler, has returned home. Mrs. Hayley and children recently spent several days with Mrs. Love.



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**RUN OF THE MINE . . .** John L. Lewis glances up dourly as he finishes signing new wage contract for his United Mine Workers with the mine operators. The miners returned to work after a brief strike.

## Ford Motors Exchange

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| MOTOR            | \$110.00        |
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| OIL              | 1.50            |
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**Frank Flynt Motor Co.**

## Attention Livestock Buyers and Sellers

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## Ballinger Auction & Commission Company

Each Tuesday Afternoon

## 375 Head Livestock Last Tuesday

We have been having some good sales and we are now equipped to take care of your stock. We received shipment of 90 head from Temple last week and the owner was well satisfied with sale. Bring your stock in any time and it will be cared for, as we have feed and water and a man to look after your stock.

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### Blondie's Beauty Shop...

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### S. M. Connell Here To Help Start New Implement House

Samuel M. Connell, one of the owners of the Runnels County Implement Co., Inc., was in Ballinger this week checking up on the progress of the new Ballinger firm and getting acquainted with local people.

Mr. Connell has spent much of his life in the army and retired November, 1945, with the rank of general. He entered the service as an enlisted man in 1915 and received his first commission in 1917. He started duty with the air forces in 1916 and remained in

that branch of service until his retirement. He became a general in 1941.

Mr. Connell served his country in both world wars and was in all theaters with the exception of the China-Burma-India area. While here this week he complimented Ballinger and spoke especially of the hospitality of the people. He added that he and his business associate, J. O. Satterwhite, were delighted with Ballinger and this trade area and he extended an invitation to the citizens of Ballinger and the surrounding territory to see the new business home as soon as it was completed.

Mrs. C. F. Bailey and children returned Tuesday morning from a trip to the eastern states.



**WOMEN OF ACHIEVEMENT . . .** Chosen by the Women's National Press club as "Women of Achievement" are, standing, left to right: Mrs. Josephine Tighe Williams, who received award posthumously for her daughter, Dixie Tighe; Eva Le Gallienne, Dr. Esther Calkin Brunauer and Beatrice Blackmer Gould. Seated, left to right: Dr. Helen Brook Tausig and Agnes E. Meyer.



**PICTURE FOR BETSY ROSS HOME . . .** Frank H. Mancill (left), representing the board of trustees of the Betsy Ross home on historic Arch street in Philadelphia, is shown accepting painting depicting Washington's visit to the house from L. J. Ganson who donated it. It will be hung permanently inside the little building where the American flag was born. Mrs. Frederick Stewart impersonates Betsy Ross and holds a duplicate of the original flag.

Douglas Cox left Sunday for El Paso to attend the state coaching school. He will be assistant coach for the Colorado City high school beginning in September.

### Commission Orders School Safety Zones; Water Report Heard

The city commission was in session Wednesday to approve bills for payment, pass on building permits and attend to a large amount of routine business.

The commission voted to have safety zones painted on streets near school buildings and have them policed during the term which begins in September. Zones will be plainly marked on Broadway and Eighth Street at points where traffic is heavy going to and leaving the schools.

A report was heard on the current water situation which indicated there was more than thirty days supply based on present consumption. Believing that relief would come before that time no restrictions on consumption were considered.

A building permit was approved for Luther Walden on a \$4,500 residence on Twelfth Street between Harris and Murrell avenues. Gay Henkel was granted a permit for construction of a \$1,500 dwelling on Fifteenth Street. Several smaller permits were given for improvements and additions to homes and business houses.

The commission heard reports on all municipal projects now underway and discussed several pending projects.

Pencil and typewriter erasers at Ledger office.



**POETIC JUSTICE . . .** John R. Kelly Jr., of Philadelphia, whose father was barred from diamond scull rowing classic in 1929 because he had done menial labor, saved family honor by winning the meet this year at Henley-on-the-Thames, England.

### 20 Marriage Licenses Issued by Berryman in Preceding Month

Licenses to wed were issued to twenty couples here during July, Frankie Berryman, county clerk, announced Friday. Receiving the permits were:

- Chester Burks and Miss Evelyn Doris Taff
- Joyce C. Wilgerson and Miss Lenora H. Sykes
- Royce Jo Camp and Miss Dorothy Lue Harral
- James C. Shott and Miss Billy June Williams
- Kenneth H. Wooten and Miss Neida Sanders
- Robert C. Duncan and Miss Jannette Tucker
- Leo A. White and Miss Ruth Clay
- William O. Underwood and Mrs. Minnie Elara Comer
- Julius Virgil Holubec and Miss Dorothy Louise Windland
- Alfred E. Norris and Miss Wilma Louise Jackson
- Charlie Cupp and Miss Evelyn Josephine McGee
- Luther Lynn and Mrs. Marie Hagood
- Clarence Paul Hennig and Miss Margaret Henrietta Poehls
- G. T. Pounds, Jr. and Miss Neta Pearl Hall
- Charles G. Dundas and Miss Doris Jean Hart
- Lloyd Fuller, Jr. and Miss Fairy Leta Giles
- Henry E. Ford and Miss Neida Fay Jones
- Adam M. Flores and Miss Pilar de Asispe
- Truman Haunt and Miss Jean Caudie
- Bobby Fred Farmer and Miss Dollie Irene Dodson

To give new zest to egg salad sandwiches, add chopped or ground salami. Try the same trick with the stuffing of deviled eggs. The meat will add heartiness as well as extra flavor.

A jar of dried beef on the shelf is a life-saver for emergency meals. Try a casserole of boiled noodles, shredded dried beef and cheese sauce. Good for lunch, dinner or supper.

To make a new dish out of the left-over lamb roast, cut the meat in small cubes and add to a mushroom sauce, made with either fresh or canned mushrooms. Season well, and serve piping hot on baked macaroni timbales.

For a quick luncheon dish that is out of the ordinary, cut luncheon meat in 1-inch cubes and alternate with 1-inch slices of banana on small skewers. Place on rack of broiling pan, 2 to 3 inches from the heat. Broil until golden brown, turning once. Split round hamburger buns and toast in broiler at the same time. Serve a cabbage salad and milk to drink.

The average American uses about six pounds of salt a year to season food. Salt is found in 19 states, and produced in commercial quantities in 13, according to the United States bureau of mines.

The average American is drinking less milk this year than last.

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|-----------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------|
| Bleach 2  |                    | 25c            | Okra              | Home Grown      | Lb 19c   |
| Swerl     | The New Magic Suds | Box 25c        | Lettuce           | Large Heads     | Each 10c |
| COMET     |                    |                | HOME GROWN        |                 |          |
| Rice      | New Crop           | 12-Oz. Box 15c | Tomatoes          | Vine Pink       | Lb. 15c  |
| Kleenex 2 | Boxes              | 31c            | ARKANSAS          |                 |          |
| Kraut     | No. 2 1/2 Can      | 10c            | Apples            |                 | lb. 10c  |
| TEXAS     |                    |                | THOMPSON SEEDLESS |                 |          |
| Spinach 3 | No. 2 Can          | for 25c        | Grapes            |                 | lb. 12c  |

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| Sirloin Steak | lb. 53c                | Picnic Hams | Whole or Half | Lb. 49c |
| Cheese        | Any Kind 2-Lb. Box 89c | Cured Ham   | End Slices    | Lb. 60c |
| SUGAR CURED   |                        | Ham Shanks  |               | lb. 29c |
| Bacon Squares | lb. 49c                |             |               |         |

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In a number of West Texas towns water shortages have been experienced in the past several years. In some the lack has been corrected and in others work has been started which will provide for the future. Last year a lake was built at Winters to provide an adequate supply and citizens there now have an abundance of good water. In Ballinger preparations are being made to increase the supply by about ten times and it is hoped this water will be running through the lines by the summer of 1948. At Coleman federal aid has finally been obtained for the construction of a large lake and bonds are to be voted for a new system. Pipe lines are to be laid from other communities to Lake Brownwood and municipal authorities in still other towns are making additional water their No. 1 project. No community can grow beyond its water supply and progressive West Texans realize this.

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Ballingerites have been slow to build up interest in the first annual rodeo to be staged here on August 28, 29 and 30. This program is for all and its purpose is to bring citizens of the trade territory here for a visit and to be entertained. Those sponsoring the three-day show are sparing no expense or effort to make it an outstanding western exhibition and one that will draw both performers and spectators back next year. It should be the business of every Ballinger citizen to help put the rodeo over in big style. Help advertise it, talk it, and when the tickets go on sale buy for yourself and more tickets for customers and friends, then invite them to come here and see the performance.

The summer vacation period is drawing to a close with only part of August left before the end of play time. Classwork will be resumed in the schools early in September and families will begin a different routine of daily living. Recreation will be rationed and business men will buckle down to fall business. Ballinger merchants look forward to good business in the fall, their buyers having been in the markets purchasing the best offered for the cooler seasons. Clearances are being held on summer merchandise in order that autumn displays can be made up early. Many young people will be leaving for college the first part of September and that means purchasing wardrobes before going away.

Engine Over-Hauls, Sykes. 24-31

**BANGS DISEASE INFECTED COWS MUST BE BRANDED**

COLLEGE STATION, August 6.—All Texas cattle that are tested for Bang's disease and found infected must be branded on the left jaw with the letter "B" and reported to the Texas Livestock Sanitary Commission, to conform with house bill 525, recently made law by the state legislature.

Dr. E. A. Grist, veterinarian of the Texas A. & M. College extension service, explains that it is now the duty of the veterinarians who do Bang's testing to place the brand on cows that react positively to the disease. A penalty will be fixed upon any person who refuses to allow the branding, or who sells or disposes of cattle for milk purposes when he knows them to be infected.

The branding of Bang's-infected cows will enable better control of the disease, says Dr. Grist, since control measures must be planned on the basis of individual herd problems.

In the fiscal year, September, 1944, to August, 1945, 137,891 head of cattle were tested for Bang's disease in Texas, with 9,435 showing up infected. Many of those reacting cattle probably found their way into other herds, says Dr. Grist. The requirements of the branding law will help hold down the spread of the disease.



**OPERATION SNOWDROP REHEARSAL**... Floating snowdrops, in the form of paratroopers of the famous 82nd airborne division, fill the sky in a rehearsal of paratroopers and air units for "operation snowdrop," cold weather maneuvers to be held this winter at Pine Camp, N. Y. The men are being dropped from Fairchild C-82 packet transports of the 216th troop carrier group. The 82nd and 216th were teamed up before when they carried out operations in Sicily, Normandy and Holland.



**WEST TEXAS NOTES**

The Winters Methodist Church observed its 56th anniversary with a special service Sunday morning. Mrs. R. A. Yeats, only living charter member, was honored as a part of the program. The organization was formed on August 2, 1891. Names of the charter members were read at the morning service and those who had belonged to the church for 40 years were given special recognition.

Funeral services were held Monday of last week for C. A. Edensborough, postmaster at Gulon. He suffered a heart attack ten days before his death and did not fully recover. A second attack caused his death.

The annual Comanche rodeo will open tonight with the biggest program in its history. A street parade with 50 decorated floats and 100 horses formally opened the show and the management announced that 2,500 extra seats had been added at the arena to take care of the crowds. Howard Brown, of Dublin, contractor, said the past week that fast performances would be presented.

The Coleman board of trustees has set the opening of the city schools for September 8. Supt. Terrell Graves stated that only three positions on the faculty remained open at this time. James E. King, band director at Coleman for the past 22 years, died last week following a heart attack. Graves stated that King's successor had not been named.

Rising Star city officials have requested that citizens do not rush to fires. Firemen have experienced considerable trouble recently by being slowed or blocked away by traffic. Officials remind citizens that an ordinance covers this infraction and to please abide by the law and not interfere with firemen.

A joint revival by the Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist churches at Talpa, began August 3 and will run through August 17. Rev. Raymond Yanzant, of Boscoe, and Rev. O. D. Carpenter, of Stephenville, are doing the preaching and singing for the evangelistic campaign.

Checker players from all over

Texas and some from out of the state gathered in Brownwood Monday morning to launch the annual checker tournament. The tourney is sponsored by the Brownwood Jaycees and many players had entered several weeks before the starting date. Play was scheduled this week on the roof of Hotel Brownwood.

The Paint Rock Veterans' vocational class has opened a farm shop in a former garage building. Equipment is being moved into the building and set up for operation at once. The building is being furnished by the county.

The First Baptist Church of Brady launched a drive Sunday to raise \$19,000 with which to construct a new auditorium. Committees were named to handle the finances and the new auditorium would be added to the present building which was built in 1922. Each member of the church is to be contacted by the committeemen and it was hoped that a contract could be let within a short time.

Stephenville citizens were asked last week to stop watering their lawns to conserve water. No other restrictions were announced. The city officials stated that the unusual demand and the inability to get pumping machinery caused the temporary shortage. The city has plenty of water but has been unable to improve and enlarge the system and therefore cannot supply the demand during the hot, dry weather.

Pete Monzingo, Menard county farm agent, is being transferred

to Del Rio, where he will become Val Verde county agent. He has been on the job in Menard county since September 1, 1946, and has had wonderful success in 4-H club work and the livestock program in general. He entered extension service work in Waxahachie and after serving in the army, was sent to Menard.

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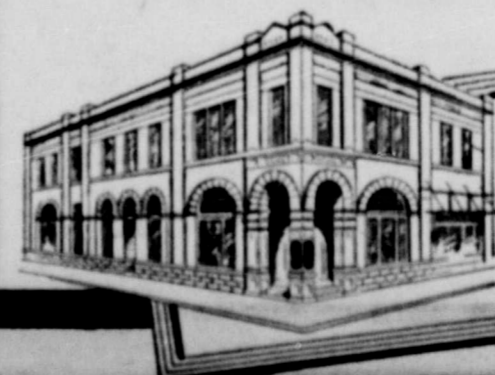
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IN SOCIETY

Miss Wessels and Dixon Miracle Marry in Winters Church

In a candlelight ceremony Sunday evening at seven-thirty o'clock in St. John's Lutheran Church, Winters, Miss Frances Wessels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wessels of Ballinger, became the bride of Dixon Miracle, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miracle of Dallas. The Rev. L. D. Braun, church pastor, was officiating clergyman before a large assembly of relatives and friends.

The altar was centered by large floral arrangements of tuberoses and ferns flanked on either side by a profusion of white tapers and baskets of white gladioluses

and snow-on-the-mountain. A large crystal bowl filled with white asters and feverfew was on the organ, and greenery completed the chancel decorations.

Mrs. C. N. Roth was at the organ for the nuptial music and also played the accompaniment for Mrs. W. F. Minzenmayer to sing "I Love Thee" (Greig) and "I Love You Truly" as vows were spoken and the traditional wedding marches. She played "Love's Old Sweet Song" (Malloy), "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn) and "Poeme" (Fibich) preceding the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street-length dress of egg-shell creme crepe,

designed with a sweetheart neckline and fishtail peplum skirt, and a wide gold designed belt. She wore a high-crowned chocolate brown felt hat with a beige ostrich feather tip, and her other accessories were chocolate brown. She wore a ruby brooch of old gold which her maternal great-grandmother had worn, concealed under her brown orchid corsage, and for something borrowed and also blue, she carried a blue and white linen handkerchief belonging to Mrs. Ruel Boswell of Ballinger. Her only ornament was a string of pearls, given to her by her parents.

Miss Doris Wessels of Dallas, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a dress of aqua blue butchers linen, fashioned on princess lines with blue lace yoke and sweetheart neckline, and cape sleeves. Her small hat and other accessories were black and she wore a shell pink gladioli corsage. Almost identical exaggerated peptop, bustle-back effect gold crepe frocks were worn by Miss Virginia Miracle of Dallas, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Joyce Boswell of Ballinger, who were the bridesmaids. They wore large black felt crownless picture hats and blue gladioli corsages. Carolyn Miracle, sister of the bridegroom, who wore a white eyelet pique dress, and Arlene Wessels, sister of the bride, wearing a pink dotted swiss frock, were candle lighters.

Roy Bailey of Oklahoma City attended the bridegroom as best man. Ushers were J. C. Wessels, of Ballinger, brother of the bride, and Erwin Wessels, of Winters, cousin of the bride.

For the reception, which followed immediately in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kruse, Sr., grandparents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Wessels were assisted in receiving by members of the wedding party and Mr. and Mrs. Miracle, Dallas, parents of the bridegroom.

The table was laid in lace over blue, was centered with white asters and feverfew in a crystal bowl flanked by white tapers in double candelabra. The three-tiered cake was decorated in pink and blue with the names Frances-Dixon embossed in gold and topped with a miniature bridal couple. Mrs. Charles Kruse, Jr. and Mrs. Walter Kruse, aunts of the bride, presided at the cake and punch bowl. Others assisting in serving were Mrs. Pete Wessels and Mrs. Carl Wessels. Miss Doris Wessels registered guests in the bride's book.

Mrs. Miracle graduated from Ballinger High School and has been employed in Dallas the past year. Mr. Miracle is a graduate of Sunset High School in Dallas. He attended NTAC at Arlington and Texas Christian University, Fort

Worth, before enlisting in the navy. While in service he attended Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., and Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. He was in the Navy three years and served overseas one year and was discharged with the rank of ensign.

The couple left after the reception for a trip to New Mexico and Colorado Springs, Colorado. For traveling the bride wore a suit of brown tweed with brown accessories and white blouse, and orchid corsage. They will be at home at 425 E. 12 St., Dallas.

Bride-Elect's Uncle and Aunt Host Rehearsal Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wessels, uncle and aunt of the bride-elect, were hosts for the rehearsal supper last Saturday evening for the Wessels-Miracle wedding party in their home in Winters.

Varied Blossoms were arranged about rooms where the two-course buffet supper was served.

Included were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Wessels, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miracle of Dallas, Rev. and Mrs. C. N. Roth, Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Braun, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kruse, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bailey of Oklahoma City, all the wedding party, and Misses Bernice and Evelyn Wessels, Margaret and Helen Bredemeyer.

Civic-Garden Club Not to Meet in August

Members of the Civic-Garden Clubs are requested not to attend

the regular monthly meeting August 12. All members are urged to be present for the meeting on September 9, which will be a "hobby" program.

Carter Reunion Held August 2, 3. The annual Carter reunion was held August 2 and 3 in Christoval. Relatives and friends enjoyed fishing, swimming, boating and kodaking.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Carter, Menard; Mr. and Mrs. Wade Carter and Neland, Norton; Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Carter and Tommy, Abilene; Mrs. Walter Deas, Annette and David, Azle; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Watson and John Bob, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Willis, Betty Sue and Clyde, Norton; Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Murphy, Billy C., Donavan and Wilma Jean, Ballinger; and Miss Juanda Patton of Ballinger and Larry Hall of Big Spring were visitors.

Blanton Family Has Reunion at City Park

The Blanton family held its tenth reunion the past week-end at the City Park. Hubert Wylie, Mrs. Sam Woods and Mrs. C. F. Blanton composed the arrangement committee.

Hill Blanton of Owens was first president; Jess Blanton of Abilene was second president; and the third and present president is D. Y. Blanton of Lubbock. Mrs. Wylie has served as secretary. Singing was led by Jess Blanton and Hill Blanton.

About seventy-five members of the family attended from San Angelo, Abilene, Santa Anna, Blanket, Rotan, Water Valley, Lubbock, Mereta, Oklahoma City, Sanatorium, Ceres, California, Van Court, Owens, Palestine, Midland, Coleman, Amarillo, Dallas, Brownwood, and Ballinger.

First Baptist W. M. S. Meets at Church

Forty-one members were in attendance for the regular monthly meeting of the First Baptist Women's Missionary Society Monday afternoon in the church parlors on Eight Street.

Mrs. B. C. Kirk directed the regular business routine of hearing officers and committee chairmen, and named a nominating committee composed of Mrs. Elmer Talbot, Mrs. R. P. Canady and Mrs. R. E. White.

After the unison singing of the woman's hymn, Mrs. Beulah Rape gave the opening prayer; Miss Winifred Strickland gave the devotional on "Service"; and the closing prayer was given by Mrs. C. J. Lynn, Circle No. 3 of which Mrs. Talbot is chairman received the attendance banner.

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POETIC JUSTICE . . . John R. Kelly Jr., of Philadelphia, whose father was barred from diamond sculls rowing classic in 1926 because he had done mental labor, saved family honor by winning the meet this year at Henley, the-Thames, England.



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 Try freezing some of the fish you catch this summer for meat this winter.  
 A fish is frozen much the same as other meats. An important point is chilling the fish as soon as possible after catching. They really should be frozen the same day they are caught. A smart trick is to pack the fish in ice until it can be frozen.  
 Scale or skin the fish, remove the head and entrails, and wash well. Cut large fish into pieces ready for cooking, freeze small fish whole.  
 To package the fish, wrap it tightly in cellophane paper, seal in cellophane bags or heavily waxed cartons. Packing is an important job, because the fish may give off flavor to other foods if not packed right.



**THEY WERE JUST TIRED OF IT ALL . . .** The notorious Gallic temperament can rise to great, uninhibited heights, as this picture of shambles in a food ration office at Dijon, France, testifies. Dissatisfied with the distribution system, these seething demonstrators stormed the economic control room shouting, "Down with the red tape and economic dictatorship." Whereupon they entered the building, upset files, tossed papers out of the windows and later set fire to some of the records.

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**Club Women will Attend Encampment Wednesday**  
 Home demonstration club members of Runnels county will meet here next Wednesday for their one-day encampment. Instructions have been sent to all club presidents and most clubs have reported they will have a large representation.  
 Miss Thelma Casey, district 7 agent, will be the principal speaker. A large part of the day will be devoted to conversation and club talk, with the dinner the highlight of the activities.  
 In the afternoon the county council will hold its regular meeting.  
 Women attending will bring basket picnic lunches and at noon the food will be spread on special tables in the city park.  
 Registration will start early Wednesday morning and continue until all are present.  
 Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, stated

that committees would meet later this week to check up on all details of the encampment and to see that everything is arranged for.  
**Youth Service is Scheduled Sunday**  
 All young people in the city of high school and college ages are invited to attend a union young people's service at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday evening starting at 6 o'clock. Young people of the host church will serve refreshments at the close of the service and will also present the worship program.  
 Roger Wheeler, manager of the chamber of commerce, is to speak on "Youth and Civic Responsibility." The meeting is sponsored by the interdenominational youth council of Ballinger and all churches holding membership in the council will dismiss regular Sunday evening youth fellowship meetings.  
 The local interdenominational youth council met Sunday afternoon on the lawn of the First Methodist Church with Charles Miller, Jr., presiding. A report was heard on the activities of the recreation center, sponsored by the council, and members discussed ways of improving the center and making it more attractive to young people of the city. A committee was named to look after the activities of the center for the next month. It was decided to sponsor a picnic or party for all the young people of Ballinger and the matter of arrangements was referred to the recreation committee.  
 A radio committee was named to investigate the possibilities of using radio for religious purposes. Fourteen members from member churches were present for the session.  
**SUE HAMPTON LEAVES FOR METHODIST MEET**  
 Sue Hampton left Monday for Fayetteville, Arkansas, where she is attending the ten-day youth conference of the south central jurisdiction of the Methodist Church. She is representing the young people of the Runnels-Coleman subdistrict youth fellowship.  
 Three hundred youth leaders from seven south-central states are registered and many well-known church leaders are speaking and teaching classes. The meetings are held on Mt. Sequoyah overlooking Fayetteville.  
**REV. LOYD HOLDING REVIVAL AT KEARNS**  
 Rev. H. B. Loyd returned Saturday from Lincoln, Nebraska, where he attended a meeting of the rural-life conference. Rev. Loyd represented the Central Texas conference of the Methodist church at the conference.  
 Sunday he left for Kearns, where he will be for two weeks, conducting a revival.  
 John R. Carruth, of Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, was the guest speaker for the morning service Sunday. He was supplying for Rev. Loyd while he is away in the special evangelistic work at Kearns.  
**JOHN B. KING NEW EMPLOYEE OF KING-HOLT FURNITURE CO.**  
 John B. King, nephew of Mrs. E. E. King, has moved here from Clovis, New Mexico, and will be associated with E. E. King in the furniture business. Young King is married and has a small baby. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. J. Perry King, of Mesquite.  
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## IN SOCIETY

### Miss Albertine Webb is Bride of Ronald Hoyt Berry

Miss Albertine Webb became the bride of Ronald Hoyt Berry in vows exchanged at 10:00 a. m. Saturday, August 2, in the First Methodist Church at Midland.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Y. Webb of 1310 W. Dakota Ave., Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Berry, of 708 Ninth Street, Ballinger. The Rev. Howard H. Hollowell performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride wore a two-piece white dress with brown accessories. She carried a bouquet of gardenias centered on a white Bible which belonged to Miss Rosie Hart. For something old, she wore a pin, a gift from her great-grandmother to her grandmother.

Rosie Hart, maid of honor, wore an aqua dressmaker suit with brown accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Weldon R. Cloud of Abilene was best man. He and the bridegroom served together in the Navy.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Berry and children, Gwen, Paul and Carol; and Miss Mylred Hash, of Ballinger; and Mrs. C. L. Cleaver of Odessa.

The bride is a graduate of Midland High School and attended Shannon School of Nursing and San Angelo Junior College. The bridegroom is a graduate of Ballinger High School. While serving in the Navy, he spent sixteen months in Manila.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left on a wedding trip to Austin, after which they will make their home at 1015 N. Lincoln, Odessa.

### Gift Shower Compliments Miss Louise Smith

Miss Louise Smith, who was married to Eugene Payne Friday evening, was named honoree Thursday afternoon when Mrs. Fred Damron and Mrs. Ira Klutta were hostesses at a miscellaneous gift shower in the City Park.

Flowering shrubs and beds of zinnias gave beauty to the party scene where the bride-elect was presented gifts from about one hundred friends.

Hostesses served iced watermelon.

### Mrs. Cecil Adams Complimented at Gift Tea

To compliment Mrs. Cecil P. Adams of Mertzon, who before her recent marriage was Miss Betty Jo Baxter, a gift tea was given in the L. A. Faubion home on Murrell Avenue Friday evening. Hostesses for the smartly appointed entertainment were Mrs. Faubion, Mrs. B. M. Strebek of San Angelo, Mrs. Dick Embrey, Mrs. F. A. Funderburk, and Mrs. Chester Barnett, who received guests with the honoree, and her mother, Mrs. Joe Baxter, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. W. Adams of Mertzon.

A profusion of garden blossoms were used to decorate the entire reception suite. The dining table, which was laid in lace, was centered with a formal arrangement of pink asters and lace fern and flanked by fall white candles in double-branch candelabra. Mrs. Kenneth Miller of San Angelo presided at the crystal punch bowl which was encircled by asters and fern, and Mrs. M. N. Williams of Harriet served cake squares iced in pink, assisted by Elmita Faubion and Mrs. Faubion. Little Rita Kay Strebek,



HE'D RATHER DIE HERE . . . Sure, and Patrick Flood has returned from the cold sod. The 90-year-old Irish gentleman, a resident of Albany, N. Y., for 70 years, left the United States last October to go to Ireland "to die." But this spring he came back, offering this immortal explanation of his return: "I wanted to die in the little village where I was born, but the hard winter almost killed me." He said he wanted to get away from peat fires and back to central heating.



YOUNGEST . . . Pierino Gamba, 9-year-old Italian prodigy, is believed to be the youngest band leader in the world to reach a point comparable with other leading orchestra leaders. His family is proud.

### Summer Programs Subject of Speaker

Dillard Adair was the guest speaker for the Ballinger Lions Club Friday noon, discussing the youth recreational program as it had been conducted in West Texas towns this summer. He told how it was usually operated and the benefits to be derived.

Adair has just closed a summer program at Dublin, where he is employed as head coach of the school. During the vacation period he had the opportunity to meet and train a large number of boys of the city. He stated the program there was operated similarly to the one in Ballinger

which came to a close last week. Adair is attending the coaching school at El Paso and will be back in Dublin in time to begin football training on September 1. He went to Dublin late in the school year, but in time to meet football team candidates in spring training.

The club will hear a report of the San Francisco convention next week by the two members who attended.

dressed in a long blue marquisette frock, presented corsages to guests. Mrs. Barnett registered guests in the hand-painted bride's book and gifts were displayed by Mrs. Buford Goode.

A musical program was given by Dorine Skaggs, pianist; Frances Skaggs, cellist; Sunny Skaggs, violinist; and Nelda Skaggs, viola; these sisters are entertainers from San Angelo. Mrs. Russell Payne of San Angelo, soloist, sang "The Indian Love Call" and other love medleys.

One hundred friends of the honoree were included.

### 4-H Club Members To Attend Roundup September 4 and 5

The 1947 4-H club roundup will be held at College Station from September 2 through September 6. Agents will attend their fall meeting on September 2 and 3, and 4-H club boys and girls

will assemble for the first session after supper on September 3 and remain until after breakfast on September 6.

One club girl, Durene Halfmann, has already been selected to attend from this county and a second will be named when the county council meets Saturday. One adult leader also will be designated to accompany the girls. Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, stated that girls attending must be 14 years of age or older and for this reason it had been difficult to choose two girls on their records.

Two club boys and an adult leader also will attend the roundup. Both county agents will be present for the opening session September 2 and remain through the entire five days.

All who attend will be housed in A. & M. College dormitories and meals are to be served in one of the mess halls. Fixed

### Ballinger Coaches Attending School To Study Methods

Coaches Wayman Wilson and J. E. Garrett left Sunday for El Paso where they are attending the state football coaching school this week. Several hundred high school coaches are assembled there to devote the whole week to the study of football and basketball, including new formations and tactics.

Head coaches of some of the leading teams of the nation are charges have been set for meals and rooms and those who attend will be advised what to bring that will not be furnished this year.

serving as instructors and speakers. The head coach of Rice Institute was the opening speaker Monday, talking on the "T" formation.

Star football players of the northern and southern sections of Texas have assembled for the all-star game to be played Friday night. These performers are being handled by big time coaches and will be in condition for the game. Different formations will be used by each of the groups and coaches have been watching practice sessions of the two teams during the week.

Coaches Wilson and Garrett will return home this week-end to get ready for the football camp which will start about the middle of August.

Sam Malone was in Dallas the first of the week attending to business.

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I am still sharpening lawn  
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Woman to do general office work  
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Street. 7-21\*

FOR RENT—Furnished south  
apartment, 304 Fourth Street,  
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FOR SALE—Used doors, win-  
dows, linoleum squares, iron beds,  
sink, commode. See at West Hotel,  
Sam Behringer. 7-11

WANTED—Lady stenographer,  
middle aged, college education,  
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Apartments for rent over Currie  
building. Phone 66 or 236. 31-1f

**Rhoden to Manage  
San Angelo Oil Mill,  
Succeeding V. Hall**

W. C. Rhoden, formerly with  
the West Texas Cottonoil Co. mill  
here, has been promoted to the  
position of manager of the com-  
pany's mill at San Angelo.

Rhoden, who has been with the  
company 20 years, succeeds Vos-  
burg Hall as manager of the San  
Angelo plant. He was originally  
employed at the company's office  
in Winters and moved from there  
to the Ballinger mill, holding the  
latter position a number of years.  
From here he was transferred to  
become cashier of the Abilene  
mill, later moving to San Angelo,  
where he has been buyer for the  
company.

Rhoden is well known in West  
Texas, having purchased seed over  
a wide area several years and at  
the same time directed distribu-  
tion of feed products.

He stated at San Angelo that a  
rain would assure a large cotton  
crop in this part of the state and  
said the San Angelo mill would  
begin operations as soon as the  
ginning season opened.

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FOR SALE—One boy's bicycle,  
practically new, \$22.50, at Acme  
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FOR SALE—One 50 by 150 lot  
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FOR SALE—House to be moved.  
In South Ballinger. H. C. Davis,  
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... A PRACTICAL FACT. Ten  
cent store work gloves protect hands  
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bath or pressure canner, tightening  
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... SAVE TIME: MAKE CHILI  
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quarter about 10 pounds tomatoes.  
Simmer until soft, about 30 minutes,  
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(The spices loosely in cheesecloth  
bag, easy to remove.) Drain off juice  
and fill hot jars. Process in boiling  
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hard water by boiling, letting stand  
24 hours to settle), and good recipes.  
Write to Carol Drake for "PRIZE  
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**FORGETS CHILDREN** . . . Charles Phillips, 102, of San Francisco, says he has six children but cannot remember how many sons or daughters. He says they are all old enough to chew hay. He is pictured in local hospital recovering from a minor ailment.

**Jaycees' Rodeo Trips  
Slated August 19, 20**

Plans for the first annual Bal-  
lenger rodeo are moving fast and  
within a short time the final drive  
for attendance will get underway.  
Ballinger Jaycees have set the  
dates for their two-day booster  
trips—on August 19 and 21.  
Signed up for the advertising  
expeditions are about twenty men  
who will use the baseball bus for  
transportation. The first day they  
will swing through San Angelo,  
Sweetwater, Abilene, Winters and  
a number of smaller towns. On  
the second day they will go to  
Coleman, Brady, Mason, Menard  
and back home with numerous  
other stops to be made.  
The Jaycees will be accom-  
panied by the Rhythm Wranglers,  
cowboy band, and other special  
entertainers. At each stop they  
are to present a program, extend  
an invitation to visit the rodeo,  
and distribute advertising.  
Work will start at the baseball  
park next week in constructing  
pens and chutes. Tickets for the  
main stands will be printed for  
the three night performances and  
put on sale in advance soon.  
Tickets for the temporary stands  
and for the Saturday afternoon  
show will be sold at the main  
gate.  
Archie Patton, contractor for  
the rodeo, stated Wednesday that  
he had signed up a number of  
top rodeo performers for the Bal-  
lenger show. In addition he will  
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bull fighter and comedian, who  
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| Juice Full O'Gold Orange           | 46-Oz. Case    | 28¢    |
| Sandwich Spread Lunch Box          | 8-Oz. Jar      | 20¢    |
| Tomatoes Standard Quality          | No. 2 Can      | 12¢    |
| Sweet Potatoes Lesion              | No. 2 1/2 Can  | 17¢    |
| Cheese Dutch Mill                  | 1/2-Lb. Pkg.   | 27¢    |
| Margarine Dolewood                 | Lb.            | 35¢    |
| Butter Tasty Creamery              | Lb.            | 72¢    |
| Bread Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender   | 24-Oz. Loaf    | 17¢    |
| Ritz Crackers Nabisco              | 1-Lb. Bag      | 29¢    |
| Flour Gold Medal Kitchen-Tested    | 25-Lb. Bag     | \$1.87 |
| Shredded Ralston                   | 12-Oz. Pkg.    | 15¢    |
| Corn Toasties Post's               | 18-Oz. Pkg.    | 20¢    |
| Coffee Fresh Roasted               | 1-Lb. Pkg.     | \$1.05 |
| Coffee Nob Hill Blend              | 1-Lb. Pkg.     | 38¢    |
| Lipton's Tea                       | 1 1/2-Oz. Pkg. | 9¢     |
| Shortening Royal Satin Top Quality | 1-Lb. Jar      | \$1.10 |
| Prince Albert Smoking Tobacco      | 8-Oz. Can      | 10¢    |
| Cigarettes Popular Brands          | 1-Lb. Can      | \$1.69 |
| Soda                               | 3 1/2-Lb. Pkg. | 25¢    |
| Calumet Baking Powder              | 1-Lb. Can      | 17¢    |
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| Potatoes Texas Red Triumph          | Lb. | 4 1/2¢ |
| Peppers Wonder Bell Large Green     | Lb. | 8¢     |
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| California LETTUCE                  | Lb. | 12¢    |
| California TOMATOES                 | Lb. | 15¢    |

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