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Ballinger Youth Name Teen Haven Officers

A meeting for the youth of Ballinger was held Tuesday night at the youth Teen Haven for the purpose of electing officers and directors and planning events for the fall season. The meeting was well attended by a large number of students and the most important matter was deciding to open the Teen Haven on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights during the football season.

Each Saturday night is the general entertainment program but after game sessions will be held on Thursday and Friday each time games are played at home.

Officers elected were: Rodney Flanagan, president; Kennedy Whiteley, vice-president;

Pauline James, secretary; Susan Herring, treasurer. Directors are: Seventh grade—Rex Stultz and Suzanne Middleton, eighth grade—Georgia Newby and Steve Fuqua, ninth grade—Patty Sweeney and Ronnie Hamilton, sophomore, Skeet Pearce; Juniors, Kenneth Fuqua and Seniors, Neal Broussard.

The meeting of the youth was followed by a meeting of directors of the Parent Club, at which time officers for the new year were named. They are:

Chas. Clifton, president; G. A. Morrish, vice-president; Mrs. Howard Branley, secretary;

Mrs. E. B. Davidson, treasurer. A letter will be mailed to all members of the parents club advising them that it is dues paying time.

The Ballinger Parent Club, sponsors of the local youth center, met in a business session Monday night, elected five new directors to replace those retiring, and attended to

other business.

The five new directors to serve a three year term are: Mrs. A. W. Brunson, Mrs. Howard Branley, G. A. Morrish, Herman Price and T. A. Parrish. Those retiring from the board after serving one year are: Don Atkins, Mrs. R. O. Berryhill, Mrs. O. H. Chandler, George Newby and Guy T. White.

Holdover directors to serve one more year are: Mrs. Chas. Bailey, Chas. Clifton, Zid Herring, Jay Garrett and Mrs. Price Middleton. Those to serve two more years are: Dick Ayers, Derwood Bissett, Mrs. O. K. Reynolds, Mrs. Troy Simpson, Mrs. E. B. Davidson.

Officers will be elected at a meeting of the directors to be held in the near future.

At a meeting with the youths it will be suggested that the center be opened each Thursday night to junior high students and their guests and each Friday night to senior high students and their guests.

An effort will also be made to get program ideas to be used in staging meetings which will be attractive to the youth and cause a better attendance. The youth will be asked to present these ideas so the program committees can carry them out.

A report of the treasurer showed a total of \$1,035.55 collected from dues and received in contributions last year. Expenditures of \$553.66 were reported, leaving a total of \$481.89 in the bank.

Reports were heard from several committees, all showing the best of cooperation in their special projects.

It was voted that the parents would meet at the center on the 4th Monday night of each month.



FARM FAMILY ROBINSON—Ranging in age from 61 to 80, the Robinson sisters of Bethel Springs, Tenn., find no trouble at all in manning a large farm. The work-sharing quintet manage everything from plowing fields to butchering animals. Between heavier chores, they spend time in the garden, above, hoeing peas and drying apples. Left to right, the Robinsons are: Ollie, Maggie, Dinah, Eunice and Lillie. Lillie, the only one of the five to marry, is a widow, and the sisters form a collective band of "mothers" for her children and grandchildren who live on the farm with them.

Governor Shivers To Speak Tonight At Lions Program

Gov. Allan Shivers will be the speaker at the annual ladies' night meeting of the Ballinger Lions Club tonight. Bob Allford, minister of music, at the First Baptist Church, will provide the musical numbers on the program.

Delegation from Abilene, Winters, Taipa, Santa Anna, Paint Rock, Rowena, Miles, Norton, Wingate, Bronte and Robert Lee will also attend.

The annual program was several weeks ago after the Governor confirmed a date for coming to Ballinger. He has not announced a subject on which he will speak tonight but local lions expected state and national politics to enter into his discussions.

A large attendance was on hand for the meeting of the club last Friday and to see the new picture by Humble Oil & Refining Co. "Highlights of 1956 Football." This picture showed the main scoring plays in all Southwestern Conference football games last season.

Mrs. Marion Condit. Following the business, a film strip, "Crusade of the Christmas Seal" in full color and illustrating the conception of the Christmas Seal and the development of the tuberculosis control program, was shown. Rev. Felix Keys, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S., was the narrator.

Quarterback Club Special Program Planned October 2

A large crowd was on hand Tuesday night for the regular meeting of the Bearcat Quarterback Club. The session was held at the high school auditorium.

It was reported that more than 200 members have paid their dues in the club and that 300 are expected before all reports are completed.

October 2 was set for a special program when all football players in Ballinger will be the special guests of the club. This will include all players from the 7th grade up through the Bearcat squad. All fans are invited, whether they are members or not and a good program will be presented.

"Highlights for 1955" will be shown in pictures. This film was made by Humble Oil & Refining Co. and shows all the main scoring plays in the Southwestern Conference during the 1955 season. Coach Bill Gosney will also show pictures of the Bearcat-Del Rio game.

The club will meet next Tuesday night at which time the pictures of the Bearcat-Colo-Colorado City game will be shown.

1908 TEXAS ALMANAC ADVERTISES BALLINGER

A page taken from a Texas Almanac back in 1908 was brought to the Ledger office this week showing a full page advertisement for Ballinger. The copy was found by Ray Damron in Austin and mailed here to friends.

ONE HALF OF THE PAGE WAS USED BY C. A. DOOSE & CO. AND THE OTHER BY THE BALLINGER BUSINESS LEAGUE, R. P. KIRK, SECRETARY.

An interesting statement in one of the ads was that 54,000 bales of cotton were received by wagons at Ballinger the year before for shipments. It also added that this was the largest wagon receipts for any county in the world.

The ad listed acres of land that could be purchased and 14 flowing streams in the county, all stocked with fish. Listed in the town's assets was a two-story school building which cost \$80,000.

Officers Report Arrests In Area During Past Week

Local law enforcement officers had a busy past week with a number of arrests and other investigations which have not been completed.

Robert L. Sanders was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated. He received a fine of \$77.80 and given three days in jail.

Traffic patrolmen operated a radar station on the Ballinger-San Angelo Highway Saturday afternoon and five speeding tickets were issued.

Three juveniles were arrested on theft charges and their cases will be heard in juvenile court this week.

Roy Brosig was charged with swindling at Del Rio and a warrant for his arrest mailed to the sheriff's office here.

C. W. Hardrick was arrested for manufacture of illicit beverages and was fined \$44.50.

Jesse James Lauri was charged with driving while intoxicated and fined \$77.80 and given three days in jail.

Jim Jack Blackshear was tried the past week-end on a parole violation and his parole revoked and given two years in the penitentiary.

R. A. Conner was charged with non-support but has not been located by local officers.

George Speed was arrested at Sweetwater for the local office on a charge of felony checking. He paid off check and court costs and the case was dismissed.

J. W. Nesbit was filed on for checking but has not been located by officers.

John Lollar was arrested and charged with possession of whiskey for the purpose of sale. He has been released on \$500 bond.

O. R. Hyatt was charged with felony checking and a warrant sent to Joppa, Alabama.

Johnny Smith was charged with checking and forgery and a warrant for his arrest mailed to officers at Sonora.

Officers caught three in the act of burglarizing the Dairy Barn on Broadway last week. Arrested were Manuel Lewis Arispé, Dimas Arispé and Sam Ortegon. Dimas Arispé was tried in juvenile court and paroled to his mother. The other two were released on bonds of \$1,000 each. The trio has admitted two other burglary jobs in this county.

Two men here admitted burglarizing the Cities Service Station here and the Wingate Humble Station. They are under arrest at Colorado City and Snyder.

Robert Hughes was arrested here Monday and tried on a charge of transporting liquor. He was fined \$177.80 and given 60 days in jail.

Ross Hart, also charged with transporting, was released on \$1,000 bond. Each was charged with having 43 quarts of wine.

FRESHMAN OFFICERS NAMED FOR NEW YEAR

Members of the freshman class of the Ballinger High School met last week and elected officers to serve during the year. They are:

Steve Brown, president; Calvin Kirk, vice-president; Ellen Herring, secretary; treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crockett have returned home after vacationing two weeks in the northwestern states and Canada.

Joe Perry Awards Safety Plaque At Jaycees Meeting

The Ballinger Jaycees held their regular meeting Monday night at the Acapulco Cafe with a good number present.

Jack Moore, president of the Ballinger Lions Club, extended an invitation to the Jaycees to attend the Lions program tonight, at which time Gov. Allan Shivers will be the guest speaker.

W. R. Gray spoke to the group on "What is a Jaycee?" A vote of the members authorized the sale of Christmas cards with the money going to the State Mental Health Association.

Guests at the meeting were Joe Perry, of the state highway patrol, Lee Moreland, chief of police, and Allen Davis. Mr. Perry presented a plaque to Chief Moreland for the city of Ballinger for no traffic deaths within the city during the past twelve months. This is the sixth straight year such an award has been made to the City of Ballinger through the police department.

Mr. Perry called special attention to one of the traffic laws dealing with the passing of a school bus when it is loading and unloading. These laws in regard to school buses are:

1. Require school buses to stop off the roadway.
2. Require vehicles from either direction to stop before passing the school bus when the bus is stopped outside the corporate limits of a city or town and is loading or unloading students.
3. Permit vehicle after stopping to proceed past the school bus at a speed up to 10 miles per hour, if the pass can be made safely.

Mr. Perry called attention to the fact that many school buses are operating in this section now and pick up and unload students along highways and public roads.

At the close of the program, Allen Davis showed a safety film, "Officer Harrigan."

Baptist Meeting Has Large Crowd Officers Elected

The 49th annual session of the Runnels Baptist Association was held here Monday with the First Baptist Church host for the meeting and program.

Main item of business at the closing session was the election of officers for the ensuing year and the selection of Winters as the meeting place in 1957. Rev. Benny Smith of Robert Lee was elected moderator for the association.

Dr. LeRay Fowler, pastor of the Ballinger First Baptist Church, preached the annual sermon and Bob Allford brought the special music.

Other officers elected Monday were: Rev. Douglas Brown of Bronte, clerk; R. P. Canady, Ballinger, treasurer; Bob Allford, song leader; Joe Baker, Winters, Brotherhood leader; Rev. O. D. Carpenter, Ballinger, training union director; Rev. Lawrence Kelly, Wingate, Sunday school director; Rev. M. R. Rogers, Miles, will preach the annual sermon.

Dean Allbright, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Allbright, has returned to Texas Western College at El Paso for his senior year. He is majoring in geology.

Berry Is Starting Test On Campbell 2 Locations Made

Paul E. Berry started moving a rig to the Hugh Campbell place Wednesday to start another Palo Pinto test. Location is north of the recently completed Stratton No. 1-Campbell which was finished and placed on production last week. Contract depth of the new well has not been announced but it will be drilled to the Palo Pinto, the producing depth for this field.

Addison W. Warner has filed application to drill a 2,250 foot rotary wildcat, 4 1/2 miles northwest of Taipa. It will be known as No. 2-Clayton.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. has filed application to drill their No. 7-G. W. Poe, 1/4 mile northeast of the Fennell (Clisco reef) field, 3 1/2 miles east of Winters.

Open House Sept. 30 New School Building

Open house for the new Elementary School Building at West Ward has been announced for the afternoon of September 30. Supt. Ernest Caskey stated Monday that the building would be open from 2 to 5 p. m. and the public is cordially invited to attend and give the entire plant a careful inspection.

All teachers will be in their rooms to receive the visitors and show them special features. Other school administrators will be in the corridors to welcome the visitors and escort them through the building.

Open house has been delayed until school could get underway and teachers have time to get everything in place before opening the rooms for inspection.

The new Ballinger building is modern in every detail and designed for the last word in teaching. It is large, covering an entire block, and one of the most modern structures in West Texas. In addition to the classrooms, there are ample offices, lounge room for teachers, libraries, nurses' first aid room, rest rooms and various other needed features. It has central heat that can be regulated in each room and all rooms are well lighted with interior color to blend and make the best conditions for study.

School officials are anxious that all school patrons and taxpayers visit the building on opening day and see the modern school plant.

County Tuberculosis Board Holds Meeting Here Tuesday

Approximately 35 officers and directors attended the second quarterly meeting of the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association Tuesday night at the Acapulco Cafe.

Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist Church, spoke the invocation preceding the dinner.

Dr. John E. Green, Jr., president, conducted the business and introduced new directors, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Faubion, Crews; Mrs. N. T. Gault, Maverick; Rev. and Mrs. Maynard R. Rogers, Miles, and Rev. Gordon of Ballinger.

The president announced that a neighborhood conference would be held October 18 in Big Spring and requested that Mrs. Willard Renfro, executive secretary, and two others on the program committee attend the meeting with expenses paid. Mrs. Renfro reported on the Christmas Seal meeting held last July which was for the purpose of laying the foundation for the seal sale drive which will begin in November.

Dr. Green also reported on the state meeting held in Austin, and stated that the State Association would make loans without interest to dismissed tubercular hospital patients who wished to get established in some line of trade. He announced that the next state meeting would be held in Fort Worth on April 4, 5, and 6, 1957.

Fred Young, school nurse, and Principal E. B. Blackburn appeared before the board with information that it will be two years this spring since patch tests had been given and asked that they be given again, and preferably this fall.

A. E. Holbrook, treasurer reported that after the expenses of the coming seal sale, X-ray case finding, office expenses, and 18% paid to Texas Tuberculosis Association, there was a balance of \$1,446.01 on hand. Other committee chairmen gave reports.

Homer Hudgins, seal sale chairman for the county, gave a brief talk on the plans for handling the coming seal sale and announced that committees would be named at a later date.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Flammann of Winters were named as directors on the board to fill the vacancies made by Rev. and

McLarty Pontiac And GMC Dealer For This Section

Seth McLarty has returned to Ballinger and has taken over the local sales of Pontiac automobiles and G. M. C. trucks. The firm will be the McLarty Pontiac and G. M. C. Co.

Mr. McLarty is not new to the automobile business in Ballinger having been associated with the sales departments of Underwood Buick and Nix Olds-Cadillac for several years. He came to Ballinger originally from Menard where he worked for several years in the sale of cars.

He stated Monday that he had secured Jones Parrish who would be in charge of the parts department and within a few days he will announce a mechanic who will have charge of the service department. He added that he hoped to develop this part of the business with expert workmen and guaranteed service.

The company will continue to sell Pontiac automobiles and GMC trucks in this area. They will remain in the same location at the corner of Ninth Street and Strong Avenue.

2,125 BALES GINNED IN COUNTY TO DATE

The first report of 1956 cotton ginnings in Runnels County was tabulated Friday night. The report was compiled after all operating gins in the county had been contacted and showed 2,125 bales handled at that time.

Ginners place an estimate on the crop for 1956 at between 8,000 and 9,000 bales. Pickers are scarce but farmers needing help are asked to contact L. L. Williams and an effort will be made to secure the needed pickers.

Flood Control Program Would Help All People

6 District Scouts Sign For National Jamboree In 1957

Announcement has been made that six scouts from the Tri-River district have already made reservations for the National Jamboree to be held at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, July 12 to 18, 1957.

The following scouts are looking forward to making the trip: Tom Meador and Tommy Holbrook of troop 34, Ballinger; Eddie Glenn of troop 52, Bronte; Richard Sims and Freddie McDonald of troop 61, Robert Lee and Mac Reynolds of troop 29, Ballinger.

An unprecedented registration has made it necessary for the national council to establish quotas for all local councils in America. In the case of the Concho Valley Council the maximum number has been set at 74 scouts. Reservations are being accepted on a first come first served basis.

The month of October will see scouting in the district on a stepped up basis. The following events have been scheduled:

October 9—Community finance campaign kick-off.

October 11—District round table meeting at 7:30 p. m. Eden High School for cubs, scouts and explorers.

October 16—District committee meeting at 7:30 p. m. Eden City Hall.

October 16—Commissioners' meeting at 7:30 p. m. Eden City Hall.

October 26 and 27—Advance-ment trail camporee at Sol Mayer.

Boy scouts and explorers may work through their own church for religious awards. The award differs in name and requirements, depending on the faith of the scout or explorer, but the procedure of becoming a candidate and receiving the award are alike. For God and Country is the Protestant award; Ad Altare Dei is Catholic; Pro Deo et Patria is the Lutheran and Ner Tamid is the Jewish award. The scout works with the pastor for this award. The church does not have to have a scout unit of its own, but each scout or explorer must qualify by working with their own pastor and in the service of his own church.

More than one-half mile of line will have to be moved and the expense to the city will be heavy. It will require the digging up of the old line, digging a new ditch and moving the pipe to a new location. The line was constructed during World War II and is mostly concrete pipe. The moving of this will damage a large amount of pipe which will have to be replaced with new joints. The line is suspended to the old highway bridge across the river and new supports will have to be arranged while the new bridge is under construction.

Mrs. Scotty Caperton, formerly Miss Charlene Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Black, is now in New Orleans with her husband. She is employed by the Oschner Foundation Hospital in New Orleans and he is employed there by Eastern Airlines. They will be transferred to Eastern headquarters at Miami, Florida in December where Mr. Caperton will continue to work with Eastern Airlines.

Mrs. William O. Coleman Jr., returned to her home in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Thursday, after spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Wade.

Allen Davis returned Sunday from Denton where he had been to place his daughter, Patricia in North Texas State College for the fall semester.

Runnels County organizations, including the Runnels County Water Improvement District, the Soil Conservation Service, the Chamber of Commerce and County Commissioners' Court, are continuing their study of a water conservation program in this county which would be a help to all people. Last week they asked for old pictures and other information on flood damages in the county over a period of the last fifty years. A few pictures have been received but much more information is needed and any person who can supply information dealing with flood damages for the past half century is asked to contact members of the above groups.

These organizations recognize that it is absolutely necessary to conserve and improve our water resources. They point out that water is essential to every phase of life and in quantities that are usually unsuspected. For example, it takes 18 barrels of water to refine a barrel of oil, 85,000 gallons of water to produce one ton of rubber and 80,000 gallons of water to mature one acre of cotton. Each person requires 1,300 gallons of water each day to supply his or her direct and indirect needs. These demands will increase with the growth of population.

The above figures are not necessary to remind people of the urgency of an adequate water supply since the experience of the past six dry years. This very summer people have seen insufficient water for crops and livestock and have watched wells go dry in many areas.

Leaders believe that the proper place to start water conservation is where the rain-drops fall. Through the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention act such a program is possible. The act includes the treatment of the land with a good conservation program to conserve the soil and the plants, to hold in the soil such rainfall as can be profitable in crops and livestock production and to prevent the silting of reservoirs and stream channels. In addition it includes construction of dams for flood water retarding structures, sediment control, floodways and flood water diversion. Such structures could be developed on much of Runnels County to take care of floods on Elm Creek and the Colorado River.

The act also gives new force to local leadership. The program is not a federal work project and no new agency will have to be created to carry it out. A program will be planned only at the instance of local people and with the participation of local and state government.

More information will be published in the weeks to follow on the need of such a program in Runnels County and persons interested are asked to discuss the proposed program with members of any of the sponsoring groups.

Bill B. Stultz and daughter, Miss Bobbie Sue Stultz, were in Gorman Sunday attending funeral services of a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forman returned Sunday from Houston and other points where they took a short vacation.



For The Bearcats.

1956 Schedule

BEARCATS
Games Played
Ballinger 0 — Brady 14
Ballinger 6 — Stamford 53
Games Remaining
Sept. 21—Colorado City, here
Sept. 28—Del Rio, there
Oct. 5—Lake View, here
Oct. 12—Rotan, there
Oct. 19—Cisco, there
Oct. 26—Coleman, here
Nov. 2—Ranger, here
Nov. 9—Winters, there

B-TEAM
Games Played
Ballinger 20 — Coleman 6
Ballinger 33 — Abilene 13
Games Remaining
Sept. 22—Colorado City, there
Sept. 29—Winters, here
Oct. 6—Lake View, there
Oct. 13—Colorado City, here
Oct. 20—Trent, there
Oct. 27—Open
Nov. 3—Winters, there
Nov. 10—Coleman, here

JUNIOR HIGH
Games Played
Ballinger 13 — Colorado City 26
Games Remaining
Sept. 13—Colorado City, here
Sept. 20—Winters, here
Sept. 27—Open
Oct. 4—Coleman, there
Oct. 11—Winters, there
Oct. 18—Lake View, here
Oct. 25—Coleman, here
Nov. 1—Colorado City, there
Nov. 8—Lake View, there

Friday Night at 8 p. m.
BEARCAT FIELD

Colorado City
WOLVES
 vs.
Ballinger
BEARCATS

(Non-Conference)

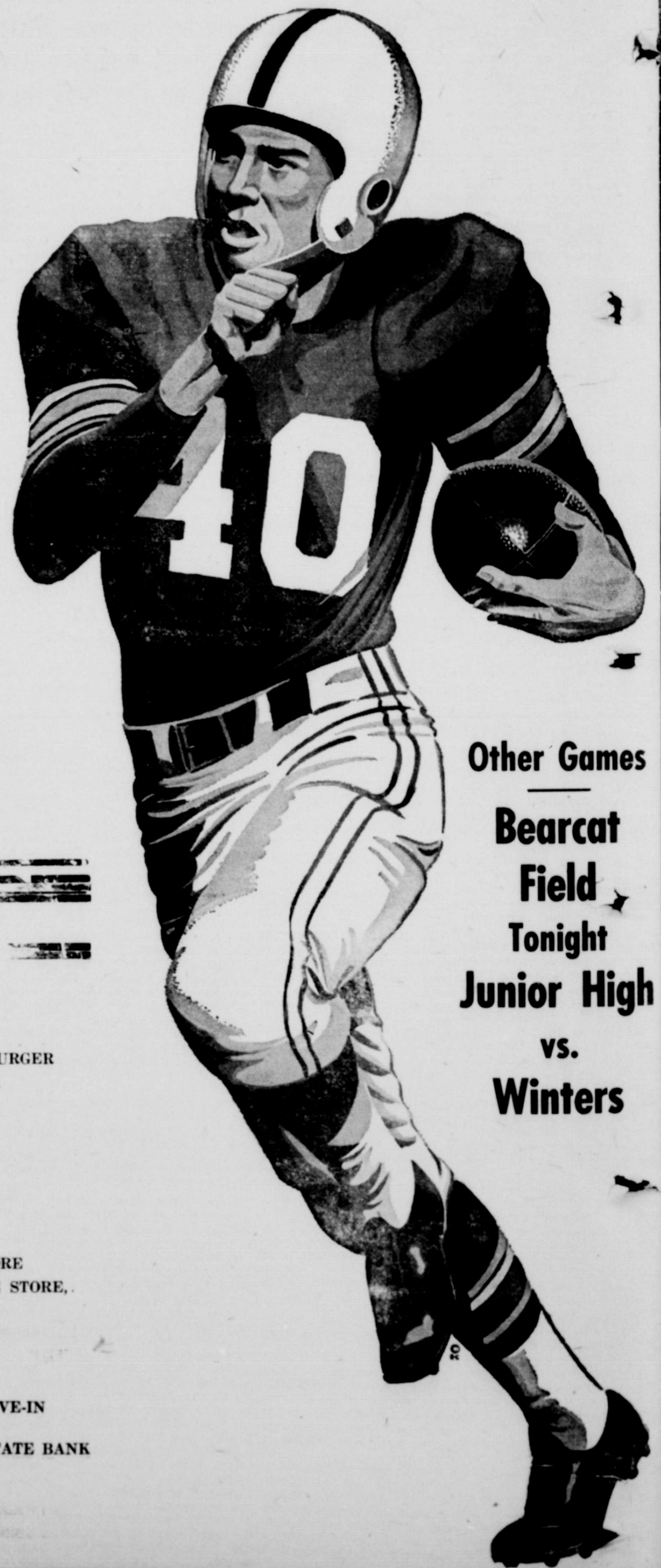
Colorful Bands **Yell Sections**
Between Half Entertainment

Ballinger Bearcats Supporters

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 BALLINGER FLORIST
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 STONE'S
 LINTZ DEPARTMENT STORE
 BELL'S GROCERY & MARKET
 PERRY'S
 CURRY-HAMBRICK, Jewelers
 SAFEWAY STORE
 LOVELADY'S FOOD MARKET
 BALLINGER LIONS CLUB
 HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & CO.
 HORSESHOE DRIVE-IN THEATRE
 PIGGLY WIGGLY
 MORGAN'S
 BILL MOORE, Mayor
 PEARCE-BAILEY DRUG CO.
 HOLBROOK'S OFFICE SUPPLY
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 EDWARDS PARTS CO.
 DAIRY BARN DRIVE-IN
 L. C. DAUGHERTY DRUG STORE
 WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE,
 Chid Stone, owner
 BEN FRANKLIN STORE
 GEORGE'S
 McDONALD AUTO PARTS
 TEXAS AND HILLCREST DRIVE-IN
 THEATRES
 FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK
 FIRST NATIONAL BANK
 MERCER SHOE CO.
 PURIFOY & CO.
 BALLINGER PRINTING CO.



Other Games
Bearcat
Field
Tonight
Junior High
 vs.
Winters

Bearcats Fall Before Powerful Stamford 11

The Ballinger Bearcats had a bad night at Stamford Friday and came off with one of the most decisive defeats in recent years, 53 to 6. The Stamford Bulldogs, picked to win the state championship in class AA again, proved that they have the ability, depth and determination to go all the way.

The Bearcats could not muster an offensive which could control the ball and were forced to kick often and under pressure. The running game of the

Bulldogs was impressive with several backs displaying speed and power in their carries. Mike McClellan proved his all-state claim and made numerous long runs for touchdowns. He is hard to tackle and once in a broken field, displays speed that cannot be stopped.

The Bearcats fought all the way and received a number of injuries. Kenneth Doty was taken to the Stamford Hospital with a head and hand injury and was left there overnight

for observation. Rodney Flanagan was taken from the game in the second half after receiving a side injury.

Ballinger scored their lone touchdown in the second quarter after recovering a Bulldog fumble in Stamford territory. After running plays failed to gain, Jerry Candler pitched to Bill Clifton in the end zone for the counter. Candler's kick for the extra point was wide of the uprights.

An outstanding performance was turned in by all-district tackle, Delbert Wiley. He played practically every down and looked good on both offense and defense. Hugh Campbell and Carroll Edwards also flashed as ball carriers in the final stages of the game.

The large crowd of fans who witnessed the game were well pleased with the fight and determination shown by the Bearcats in their meeting with the No. 1 class AA team in Texas.

B BEARCATS BEAT ABILENE 33 TO 13

The B team Bearcats defeated a team from Abilene High School Saturday afternoon at Bearcat Field by a score of 33 to 13. The game started at 2 p. m. and weather conditions were not good for football. Only a small crowd was on hand for the contest.

The B team continued their good offense and made it two wins of two games played so far this season. Buzzy Underwood turned in three nice runs for touchdowns on a quick

opening play at the line.

SPORTS

The Ballinger Bearcats will meet the Colorado City Wolves at 8 p. m. Friday night at Bearcat Field. Both teams took decisive defeats last week, the Wolves losing 37-6 to Seminole and the Bearcats going down 53-6 to mighty Stamford. The two teams should square-off pretty well balanced and fans expect to see a good game.

The Bearcats and the Wolves were scheduled for the opening game of the season in 1955 but the game was called off after polio developed at Colorado City

with one case on the team.

Game time will be 8 p. m. and general admission tickets are on sale at drug stores and can be purchased at the gate Friday night.

The Junior High team opened the season here Thursday night with Colorado City and were defeated 26 to 13. The visitors had some weight advantage and the Bearcats had only been working for one week and need a little more time.

The Juniors meet the Winters Juniors here tonight with a twin bill. The first game starts at 6:30 and the regular junior high game will get underway at 7:30.

Fine improvement has been

made in the Bearcat band the past week. The band at Stamford made a good showing both in playing and on the field between halves. The band was handicapped at the start of school this year because a large number of seniors withdrew because of other extra school activities. The loss of the experienced players and performers hurt and the membership is being built up with the promotion of a large number of 8th grade students into the band.

The B-team from the junior high also opened their season last Thursday and took a 21 to 0 whipping from the small fry from Colorado City. They will be back for more tonight when they meet the junior B boys

from Winters.

BALLINGER WOMAN WINS SEALY CONTEST PRIZE

Mrs. Tom Caudie of Ballinger was the winner of a \$79.50 Posturpedic mattress in a nationwide contest staged by Sealy dealers in the United States. King-Holt Co. of Ballinger participated in the contest locally.

Sealy Inc. stuffed \$20,000 into one mattress which was delivered to Mrs. Nettie C. Phelps of Nation City, California. This was the grand prize in the 1956 contest.

The money-stuffed mattress, specially made with a padlocked zippered compartment, was delivered to the winner's home by an armored truck. Present at the ceremony were officials of the Bay City Furniture Co. where Mrs. Phelps entered the contest and also officials of Sealy Inc. from the Los Angeles plant.

Presentation of the grand prize was the last act of the company's \$500,000 "Name the Posture Girl" contest. A total of 5,000 \$79.50 mattresses were presented to local qualifying winners, one for each participating dealer and 31 of these were selected for vacations in Jamaica via Delta Air Lines.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENUS ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Bernie Cervenka has announced the following special menus for next week:

Monday
Meat sandwiches
English pea salad
Potato chips
Lettuce with French dressing
Milk
Cherry cobbler

Tuesday
Pork chops and gravy
Creamed corn
Blackeyed peas
Fruit salad
Hot rolls and butter
Chocolate cake, marshmallow icing

Wednesday
Chili and beans
Hot tamales with cheese
Fritos
Cabbage and carrot salad
French bread and butter
Canned peaches and cookies

Thursday
Pork and beans with Vienna sausage
Asparagus
Canned French fried potatoes
Pickled peach
Bread and butter
Cinnamon rolls

Friday
Tenderloin of trout
Potato salad
Yellow wax beans
Tomato wedges
Cornbread and butter
Coconut butterscotch bars

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doose Jr. of Gouldsburg were here Monday to visit relatives and attend to business.



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Cured Ham	BONELESS, SLICED	Lb.	79c
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Fryers	FRESH DRESSED	Lb.	35c
ROASTS			
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Pork Chops	CENTER CUTS	Lb.	59c
Sausage	MARKET MADE	Lb.	29c

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Grape Juice	WELCH	6-Oz. Can	19c
Orange Juice	LIBBY'S	6-Oz. Can	19c
Strawberries	FRESH PACK	10-Oz. Box	19c
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Bananas	CENTRAL AMERICAN	Lb.	10c
Squash	YELLOW	2 Lbs.	15c

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RUSSETS	10-Lb. Cello Bag	49c
Onions	YELLOW	Lb. 5c
Fresh Tomatoes	CALIFORNIA	Lb. 19c

Ice Cream	BIG DIP	1/2-Gal. Ctn.	49c
Pineapple Juice	WAPCO	46-Oz. Can	29c
Tomatoes	OUR VALUE No. 1	3 for	25c
Tomato Juice	DIAMOND	46-Oz. Can	29c
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Cookies	HAWAIIAN JEWEL	Box	35c
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Prunes	TEXO—PURPLE PLUM	1-Gal. Can	59c
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BELL'S GROCERY & MARKET

County Council Meets All Clubs Represented

Mrs. Clyde Simmons presided when the Runnels County home demonstration club council met Friday at 2 p. m. in the office of Miss Ollie Chenoweth. Mrs. Harold Routh read "The Most Precious Thing" and Mrs. Thos. Egan led the club women's prayer. There were 23 members and 1 visitor present with all clubs represented.

Mrs. Neuman Smith, chairman of the yearbook committee, announced an all-day meeting of all club year book committees to be held at the home of Miss Ollie Chenoweth with a covered dish luncheon at noon. Club presidents and the delegates to the national and state meetings are also invited. The date for the meeting will be announced later.

Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen, chairman of the education committee, suggested that the council start making plans for window exhibits in Ballinger and Winters or have a building display of club programs. The event will be held in November.

Mrs. John Cody, recreation chairman, announced that the Bethel Club would give a recreation program at the October council meeting.

Miss Chenoweth reported on the recreation school held in San Angelo last week for four counties. Jimbeth Flynt and Linda Wright of the Ballinger 4-H club and Doris Droil and Betty Lou Sturm of Rowena represented Runnels County. September is the month for reorganizing 4-H clubs and

electing new officers for the year. Adult leaders are needed for some of the clubs in the county.

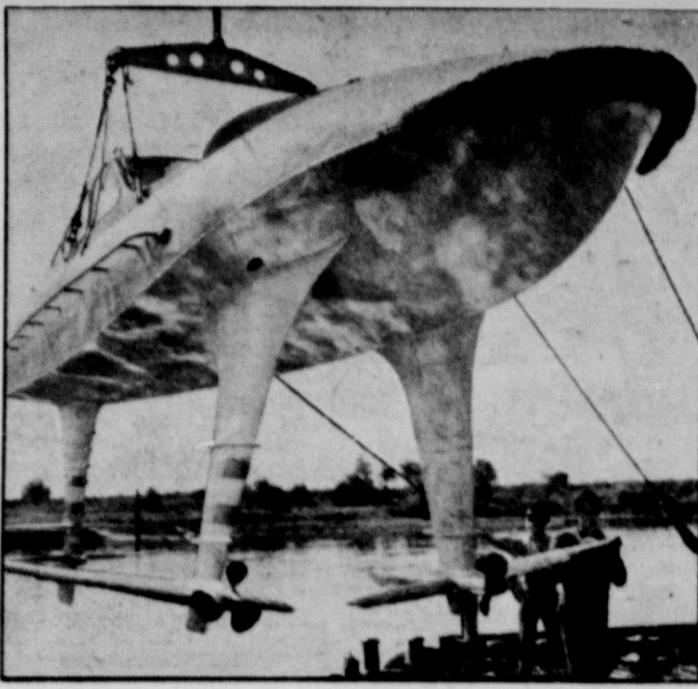
Mrs. B. M. Batts, Mrs. Archie Wallace and Mrs. Thos. Egan were elected as a nominating committee for council officers. The election will be held at the October meeting.

The council voted to pay \$40 to each of the three delegates to the state meeting in San Antonio for expenses and \$5 to each member of the quartet from Runnels County who will sing the national club song at the opening program of the convention.

Miss Eudora Hawkins, of the West Texas Utilities Co. in Abilene, spoke to the council on the nine amendments to the constitution which will be voted on November 6 and 13. She gave special emphasis to Amendment No. 3 which will provide increased funds for college buildings by reinvesting a part of the permanent school funds at a higher interest rate.

Mrs. Robert Conner gave the treasurer's report. Miss Chenoweth gave material for civil defense programs to all club presidents and announced a meeting of the three delegates, Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen, Mrs. J. C. Jarrell and Miss Pauline Shiller for September 21 at 10 a. m. in her office.

Following the council meeting, a social hour was held honoring Miss Geneva Eggenmeyer who is leaving the office of Miss Chenoweth to serve as secretary to M System Stores



NEW WING BOAT—Tall, odd-looking thing, above, at Hamburg, Germany, is the latest in wing boats, as developed by German engineer Friedrich Wendel. The boat rests on three legs, which feature short wings and propellers to drive the vessel. The lower part of the rear leg is moveable and is used to steer the boat. The front wings also have moveable fins to eliminate rolling of the craft in rough seas.

in San Angelo. Gifts were presented to her and coffee and cookies were served. Mrs. J. W. Jones is now secretary to Miss Chenoweth.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas will accept bids until 9:30 A. M. of the 9th day of October, 1956, at the office of The City Secretary in the City Hall, for taking up and re-laying one mile of 8 inch K & M water pipe along the southerly side of highway 87 from the Colorado River bridge to the Evergreen Cemetery. Bids by price per service connection made, and per linear feet of pipe taken up and re-layed are preferred. The pipe to be taken up is covered about 30 inches deep.

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COUNTY WOMEN WILL SING AT CONVENTION

A group of four ladies from Runnels County home demonstration clubs will be in San Antonio Monday and will sing the national song at the opening of the national meeting.

Those on the quartet are Mmes. Elliott Kemp, Dick Holstead, Harold Routh and Ralph Russell.

Delegates from this county to the state and national meetings are Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen,



HE HAS TOO MUCH MONEY—G. E. P. Alsem, of Amsterdam, Holland, has monetary troubles—an abundance of money of all different kinds. Alsem, an airlines flight engineer, sometimes has to carry 25 varieties of money from all over the world. The Dutchman, whose globe-trotting has extended over 27 years and 27,000 flying hours, often finds making change a difficult chore.

Mrs. J. C. Jarrell and Miss Pauline Shiller.

Others who will attend the meeting from this county include Mrs. Joe Crockett, Mrs. Tom Crockett and Miss Ollie Chenoweth. Miss Chenoweth will attend a luncheon Tuesday

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SOCIETY

Ballinger Current Book Club Meets In Caudle Home

Mrs. Chester Cherry, president, conducted the business routine for the meeting of the Ballinger Current Book Club Tuesday afternoon, at which Mrs. Tom Caudle was hostess in her Sixth Street home.

Roses and lilies were used to decorate rooms. Mrs. O. C. Sykes, program chairman, introduced Mrs. J. W. Barr who reviewed "A Christmas Guest," by Ruth McEvey Stuart. Current books were exchanged.

The hostess served a refreshment plate to: Mmes. O. R. O'Neill, A. O. Bartlett, Horace Murphy, A. B. Stobaugh, O. R. Lasater, Jack Nixon, K. V. Northington, James Wear, E. P. Talbott, Cherry, Barr and Sykes.

A letter was received here the past week-end from Mrs. Tom Agnew who is visiting in Brockville, Pennsylvania, stating that her sister there was seriously ill. Mrs. Agnew will remain there indefinitely at her sister's bedside.

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"Foreign Intrigue" at the Horseshoe Drive In Theatre Sunday and Monday, takes its title literally and the result is as exciting a cloak-and-dagger suspense story as any the screen has yet portrayed. The intrigue runs rampant over the capitals of Europe involving an American press agent played by Robert Mitchum, beautiful but mysterious blondes, black-mallers, counter-intelligence agents and just ordinary punks out for a quick buck in the spy-infested cafes of Vienna, Stockholm and Paris.

The ingenious flair for suspense and the unexpected which one has come to expect from Sheldon Reynolds, whose 4-year series of "Foreign Intrigue" TV programs have been consistently entertaining, is here presented in color and range which TV could never approach. It's a most auspicious beginning, to call it that, for young Reynolds as a writer-director-producer of motion pictures.

The story involves the death of an international tycoon on the French Riviera which soon envelops his public relations man, Robert Mitchum, in a quest for four of the most evil men in Europe. Mitchum does a tremendous job in a well-fitted role, ably supported by two beautiful newcomers, Genevieve Page and Ingrid Tulean.

BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. W. A. Nance was hostess to members of the Ballinger home demonstration club Thursday afternoon, entertaining in her Eighth Street home.

Mrs. George Hall, president, was in charge of the business. Members answered roll by naming crafts which they preferred to learn, of which felt craft, china and textile painting were named. Mrs. Barney Wright read the Homemaker's Creed, and Mrs. D. J. Goetz gave the thought for the day.

The club accepted the resignation of Mrs. Ramon Berryhill. Plans for an ice cream supper, to be held on September 25 at 7 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Goetz on Third Street, was planned, at which families of club members will be included.

The president appointed a nominating committee composed of Mrs. Alvin Spreen, Mrs. Drury Hathaway and Mrs. Felix Itz. They will submit names of officers at the next regular meeting which will be held in the home of Mrs. D. J. Goetz on Thursday, September 27, at 2:30 p. m.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, Runnels County home demonstrator, gave a demonstration on the making of Sweet Breads.

The hostess served a salad plate with coffee and samples

INTERESTING FIRSTS OF THIS WEEK

Sept. 19, 1859—"Dixie" sung for the first time in New York City.
Sept. 20, 1853—First union rail depot opened, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Sept. 21, 1885—First auto company, Duryea, Inc., Springfield, Mass.
Sept. 22, 1656—First jury composed of women; Patuxent, Md.
Sept. 23, 1642—First college commencement exercises (Harvard).

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of the sweet rolls which Miss Chenoweth made, to ten members and a visitor, Mrs. Willie Campbell of Coleman, daughter of Mrs. Nance.

4-H OFFICERS ELECTED FOR BALLINGER-BETHEL

The Ballinger-Bethel girls' 4-H club met at the court house Saturday morning to reorganize and elect officers. The new officers are:

Dixie Wilbank, president
Mary Etta Bagwell, vice-president
Ann Richardson, secretary
Karen Conner, Lucia Clark and Margaret Campbell, reporters
Jimbeth Flynt and Linda Wright, recreation leaders
Norma Ohlhausen, Margaret Campbell and Mary Etta Bagwell, clothing demonstrators.

There were 25 members present for the meeting Monday and the third Saturday morning of each month was set for the regular meeting date.

At the Texas . . .

"The Young Guns," Allied Artists' stark action drama of a terrorizing band of youthful desperados of the early West, and starring Russ Tamblyn and Gloria Talbott, opens Friday and Saturday at the Texas Theatre.

Newspaper pictures invariably provoke raised eyebrows among the journalistic gentry, but "While the City Sleeps," showing Sunday and Monday at the Texas Theatre, hardly seems to merit the mildly scornful gesture.

Producer Bert Friedlob who made the RKO film, feels he captured the authentic flavor of a modern newspaper plant with, at least, a minimum of error.

Small native fishing villages on unmapped islands of the Philippines, the Manila waterfront and scenic spots of Manila itself, are the backgrounds of "No Place to Hide," a unusual drama of action and suspense, opening Tuesday and Wednesday at the Texas Theatre, in magnificent color by DeLuxe.

ATKINS IS OFFICER FOR TEXAS SHERIFFS

Don Atkins attended the annual meeting of the Texas Sheriff's Association held in San Antonio last week. At the final business session he was elected first vice-president and next year will be elevated to become president of the state organization.

Atkins has been active in all the district and state law enforcement organizations since he became sheriff of Runnels County. The honor given him last week in San Antonio shows how other enforcement officers of the state feel toward him.

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TONGUE-TEAD—“Beaucaire,” a five-month-old bulldog, found New York's heat too much for him after arriving from London. As befits an English thoroughbred, he disdained water and found relief in a glass of iced tea.

white half hat of pleated gros-grain ribbon, styled with a veil, complimented the costume. She carried a bridal bouquet of silvered white rosebuds and stephanotis atop a white Bible.

Mrs. Wayne Waits was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were twin sisters of the bride, Glynda and Lynda Alsbrook. The attendants wore blue and pink brocaded satin sheath dresses fashioned with low square necklines and overskirts of crystalene. Each carried a nosegay of white pompons.

John Miller of Ballinger attended his brother as best man. Darrell Fariss and Phillip Glover were ushers, and also lighted the candles.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cole Alsbrook.

The bride's table was laid with a white lace cloth over blue. The attendants' bouquets formed the centerpiece. Silver and crystal were used for appointments. The three tiered white wedding cake, decorated with pink rosebuds and topped with a miniature bride couple, was served by Miss Deana Lloyd. Miss Peggy O'Connor presided at the punch service.

Guests were registered by Miss Margaret Earle of Seminole. An arrangement of white carnations was used on the registry table.

The couple left for a wedding trip to New Mexico. They will be at home in Bryan where the bridegroom is a senior student of Veterinary Medicine at A & M College.

Mrs. Miller, a graduate of Andrews High School, has been employed by the Texas Casualty Insurance Co. in Austin.

For her wedding trip, Mrs. Miller wore a tangerine and black tweed dress with black accessories.

Mrs. Q. V. Miller, mother of the bridegroom, and Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, all of Ballinger, were out-of-town wedding guests.

Pre-nuptial courtesies were extended Miss Alsbrook the week prior to the wedding when friends entertained with a bridal shower in the parlors of the Community Hall.

Her chosen colors of pink, ery and clusters of white chrysanthemums. White tapers burning in candelabra and floor baskets of white mums flanked the arch on either side.

Wedding music was presented by an a cappella chorus that sang "I Love You Truly," and the Lohengrin chorus by Wagner for the processional, and "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us" for the recessional.

The bride's father gave her in marriage. She chose a white brocaded satin sheath gown topped with a bolero featuring three-quarter length sleeves and a Peter Pan collar. A small

white and blue were featured in decorations about party rooms.

Chiropractic Association Meets In J. L. Ohlhausen Home

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen were hosts to District 7, of the Texas State Chiropractic Association last Sunday in their Third Street home.

Following the fried chicken luncheon, the group met for a business session with Dr. A. M. Fischer of Coleman, district president, conducting. Discussions were held regarding the district scrap book and on insurance for the sick. Four recorded case histories were heard.

Dr. R. E. Capshaw of San Angelo, state director of the district, gave a report on the state meeting held in Austin on September 8.

The next meeting will be held on November 4, in Sweetwater.

Among the 40 attending the meeting were Dr. Ohlhausen's brother, Dr. O. O. Ohlhausen and family from Sweetwater. Other guests were from Abilene, Anson, San Angelo, Hamlin, Miles, Winters, Coleman, Merkel and Sweetwater.

Ester Y. W. A. Has Meeting Monday Night

The Ester Y. W. A. of the Seventh Street Baptist Church had their regular weekly meeting Monday night in the home of Mrs. Louise Moon. A barbecue was given in honor of the girls who presented a play recently. They made vows and kept them before the annual WMU meeting at Pumphrey in July.

Those present were: Mrs. Moon, Mrs. Paul Jenkins, Rosa Burris, Jane Newsom, Karen Carpenter, Norma and Sharon Hampton, Pat Wiley and Maudie Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Patton Hosts Movie Party

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Patton were hosts to around fifty friends Tuesday evening when they entertained at a movie party in the garden at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen.

Dr. and Mrs. Ohlhausen showed movie slides of pictures taken by Eugene Patton, son of the hosts, while he was stationed in the Air Force in Holland, which included the Tulip Festival and many more interesting floral and picturesque scenes.

Watermelon was served following the showing of pictures.

TIPS FOR SURVIVAL

FCDA Offers Practical Defense Against Fallout

In a split second during the pre-dawn hours of a morning in November 1952, radioactive fallout came of age as a potential hazard to every living thing.

Since then, millions of words have been written and spoken about it. We are told that it cannot be detected by any of the human senses, only by radiation detection devices. It can hitch a ride on the wind for hundreds of miles from a nuclear blast, settle to earth even in remote places and make entire areas temporarily uninhabitable.

BUT WHAT, ACTUALLY, is fallout? Can its movement be predicted? And what can people do to protect against it? Fallout is nothing more than tiny dust particles blasted into the air when a nuclear weapon's fireball intersects the earth's surface. This material is then made radioactive by the fireball, and thus carries dangerous radiation to wherever the dust falls.

By plotting high-altitude winds, weather men can predict the area of fallout, and tell approximately where it will land. Radiological monitoring would then establish specific fallout patterns.

People can protect themselves mainly by staying under cover, and tuning a battery-operated radio to emergency civil defense frequencies for expert instructions. A basement makes a fair shelter, an old-fashioned root cellar an excellent one. This is because only 1/5,000th of the radiation that would hit a person in the open will penetrate three feet of earth.

MOST IMPORTANT, remember that fallout leaves no margin for errors, or amateurs. For example, just because the surface wind is blowing from a "safe" direction doesn't mean that the winds above 10,000 feet—which would usually dominate the direction of fallout—aren't blowing some other way. Only the experts have the equipment to predict fallout areas.

Fannie Stephens Study Club Changes Name to XXXVI Club

Members of the Fannie Stephens Study Club held its first fall program and business meeting Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. G. Agnew.

Mrs. J. Dexter Eoff, president, was in charge of the business, at which time the club chairman reported on several changes. The constitution was amended and the name of the club was changed to XXXVI Club because the club was federated that year. The time of meeting was changed from 4:30 p. m. to 4 p. m. The resignation of Mrs. B. J. Williams as an active member was accepted, and the resignation of Mrs. H. B. Edmondson, an associate member, was accepted. The membership of Mrs. W. O. Irby was changed to active

from the associate list. Mrs. E. Y. Bailey was given a leave of absence from the club until January. Mrs. Alton Patterson and Mrs. Everett James Grindstaff were welcomed as new members.

Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff, federation counselor, reported that a meeting of the board of directors of the Sixth District, also all club presidents, and club members of the district, would meet Monday, September 24, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. in the Hotel Cactus in San Angelo for a program on club planning for the year with Mrs. Gilbert Theriot, district president, in charge. The Texas Federation has set up several new departments, and these will be explained by department chairmen. At the noon luncheon, Mrs. Hart Shoemaker of Abilene will give the invocation, and speakers will include Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, chairman of Council of International Affairs, and Mrs. Jud Collier of Munford, state chairman on legislation. Other state chairmen will speak at the afternoon session.

Mrs. Felix Keys, program chairman, outlined the year's study. The overall topic for the year is "Our World." The Wednesday topic was "Heritage in Our World." Mrs. E. B. Davidson discussed "Texas Architecture," beginning with the structure of the Missions around San Antonio, and described the architecture through the early days up to the modern type of buildings. Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff discussed "Our Heritage in Ballinger," and gave the history of Ballinger churches and

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of some of the pioneers.
Miss Eudora Hawkins, with the Public Relations Department of West Texas Utilities in Abilene, will be the guest speaker at the next meeting on October 3, and her subject will be "DDT-For Traffic Safety."

Other club members present were Mmes. W. E. Moss, John Cody, T. L. Epting, M. E. McClenny, Doyle St. John, Ted Tisdale, Irby, and W. E. Elkins. Mrs. Don K. Stevens and Mrs. Bobby Bryan were visitors.

DEATHS

Mrs. Rosie Smith
Funeral services for Mrs. Rosie Smith, 55, were held at 3 p. m. Sunday at the Eola Methodist Church. Burial followed in the Eola Cemetery with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge.
Decedent died at 4 p. m. Friday in the home of a daughter in Houston after an illness of several months. She was born August 1, 1901 in Collin County and moved to Eola in 1906. She was married that year to W. T. Smith.
Survivors are the husband, one son, M. J. Granz, Houston; one daughter, Mrs. Johnny Howard, Houston; a brother, Tom Page, Eola; four sisters, Mrs. Pearl Fowler, Ballinger; Mrs. Edna Lollar, San Angelo; Mrs. Jewel Huddleston, San Angelo and Mrs. Lillie Turner, Sanatorium, and eight grandchildren.

Mrs. A. N. Willis of Pontotoc, has returned to her home after spending several weeks visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen. Mrs. Willis is an aunt of Dr. Ohlhausen.

Sgt. and Mrs. O. D. Burris of Killeen are the parents of a son born on September 11. The young man has been named Glen Ross. They have one other son, Mike, who is one year old. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Burris of Ballinger and Rev. and Mrs. P. D. Deigado of El Paso.

Mrs. Joe Holloway and daughters, Karen and Janice, are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Burris, of Ballinger. They will go to El Paso soon to join their husband and father who is going to border patrol school and will graduate in October. They will then move to their permanent home at Rio Grande City.

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The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Alsbrook of Andrews, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Q. V. Miller and the late Mr. Miller of Ballinger.

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Council of United Church Women Plan Fall Programs and Used Clothing Drive

The executive committee of the Council of United Church Women met Monday afternoon to make plans for coming events and transact other business.

Mrs. Carl Fouts presided over the business after the opening prayer by Mrs. B. B. Stultz. An offering was made to migrant workers and Church World Service. Nine memberships were received for the Texas Mental Health Association and these were sent in along with a cash offering of \$35.50.

The churches participating in the council will present a children's book, "The Bible in Pictures," edited by the Rev. Ralph Kirby, for sale locally. Anyone interested may contact Mrs. Carl Fouts, Ed Curry, Estes Lynn, Rufus Allen or Horace Murphy.

Plans were made for World Community Day observance to be held at the First Church of God at 4 p. m. on October 29. The committee in charge of this program is Miss Lillie Clayton, Mrs. Victor Miller, Mrs. M. C. Broussard and Mrs. Pat Wood.

Trick or Treat plans are underway for Halloween, with the money going to CROP (Christian Rural Overseas Program) and Mrs. T. L. Hebert is chairman. The program was initiated last year by the council.

All people in this area are urged to cooperate in the used clothing drive which will be sent to Church World Service for overseas relief. The campaign will be started at once and will close November 1. Clothing will be concentrated at the home of Mrs. E. M. Lynn and those who have contributions are urged to take them there. "Parcels for Peace" will be sent to India, Pakistan, Korea, Near East, Japan, Italy, Greece, Germany and Hong Kong. The need this year includes: Clothes for boys 16 years old and up; men's clothes, especially suits and overcoats; yardage of denim and sheeting for refugee mothers to make into work clothes for their husbands and sons. Three yards of material are needed to make a pair of pants or men's trousers; blankets, full size and

childrens. In addition to the above needs, all types of clothing will be accepted and shipped.



Mrs. Malcolm McGregor has just returned from San Antonio, where she was a guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. James Reese Kinser Jr., and baby daughter, Juliette McGregor Kinser.

Baby Juliette McGregor arrived September 10 at a San Antonio hospital, weighing 6 pounds 13 ounces at birth. Her maternal grandmother is Mrs. Malcolm McGregor of Ballinger, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James R. Kinser of Dallas.

Mrs. Kinser is the former Miss Armour Lynn McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hari Moulton are parents of a daughter born at 6:45 a. m. September 10. She arrived at the Goodfellow Base Hospital and has been named Elizabeth Kelley. Her weight at birth was 9 pounds. Mr. Moulton is stationed at Guam. The couple also has another daughter, Rebecca, 2.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Wade of Ballinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moulton of Altoona, Kansas.

MRS. HAINES VISITS

99 YEAR OLD AUNT

Mrs. Bertie Haines returned Monday from Bellville where she spent the week-end visiting her only living aunt, Mrs. Augusta Schneider, who was 99 years old Sunday. She reared three sons and three daughters and all are still living and, with the exception of one, were present Sunday.

A large number of friends and relatives called during the afternoon and left gifts. She lives with a daughter, Mrs. Richard Lorenz, and is still able to walk around and in fairly good health. She is looking forward to observing her 100th birthday.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. Tom King and son, Hatchel, Friday
John Pryor, medical, Friday
Mrs. J. W. Chenault, San Angelo, car wreck, Friday
Jay Heidenheimer, surgical, Friday

Miss Georgia Kohutek, Rowena, medical, Wednesday
Mrs. J. W. Lancaster, San Angelo, medical, Monday
Raymond Batchelor, medical, Tuesday
Barry Simco, medical, Wednesday

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

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collins, San Angelo, a son born September 14

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Perales, a son born September 14
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Richey, a daughter born September 15
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Knight, a daughter born September 20

Patients in the hospital at this time are:

Fritz Kremplin, Winters, medical
Mrs. L. L. Williams, surgical
Mrs. Wilburn Bailey, Lowake, medical

Pam Dean, medical
Mrs. Willie Stephens, medical

LOCAL LIONS CLUB

PLANS MINSTREL SHOW

The Ballinger Lions Club has started plans for the staging of a "home talent" minstrel show at some date this fall. Jay Garrett will direct the show and members of the club will be seen and heard in the principal parts. Ladies and high school girls will be recruited for the chorus.

Jack Moore, Lions Club president, stated that the club would return to their annual minstrel as a means of making money for operating the club during the year. For a number of years the club staged a show each fall and from it made enough money to carry on a large number of local projects.

The show this year will be built for fun and wholesome entertainment. The club has a raft of men who are excellent



LENDS EAR TO LABOR—Adlai Stevenson cups his ear the better to listen to AFL-CIO's vice president, Walter Reuther, as the Democratic presidential nominee visits Detroit, Mich., on a pre-election tour. AFL-CIO executives have announced they'll urge union members to support Stevenson in the forthcoming election.

showmen and good vocal soloists. Mr. Garrett will decide upon the type of show within the next few weeks and assign parts. Rehearsals will get underway within a few weeks and a date set for the performance.

FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN

FORMER MINISTER HERE

Members of the Ninth Street Church of Christ honored Mr. and Mrs. Buster Mullin with a going away party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leach Friday night. After a period of informal fellowship, a treasure hunt led to the presentation of a set of silverware to Mr. and Mrs. Mullin. After this, refreshments were served. The occasion was prompted by the plans of Mr. and Mrs. Mullin

to move to Graham. The Mullin family moved to Ballinger 7 years ago, at which time he served as the local evangelist for the Ninth Street Church of Christ. This work terminated after a number of years of prosperous work. After serving in this ministry Mr. Mullin has been in the Studebaker business in Ballinger. During this time he has continued to be active in church work. He has been a steady worker, not only in the local church, but in maintaining regular preaching with nearby Churches of Christ.

In Graham, he is to devote his full time to preaching for the church of Christ meeting on Grove Street at Second Street.

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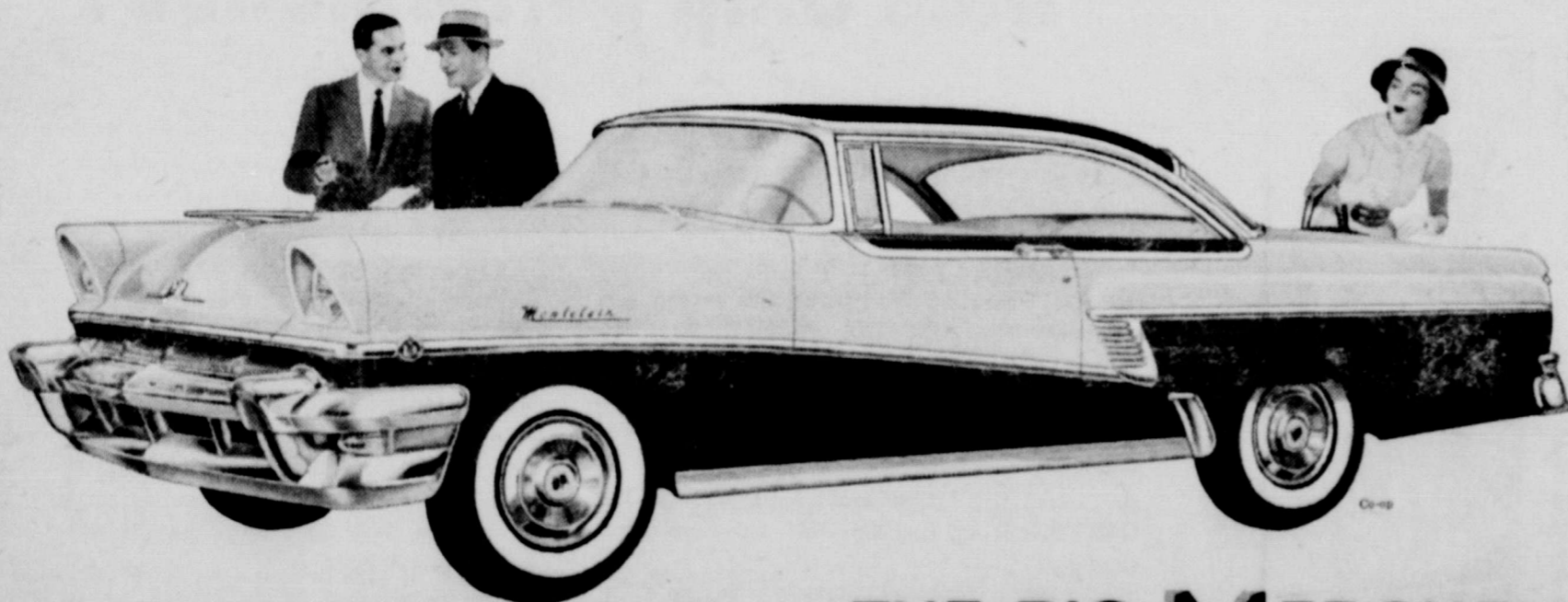
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**WEST TEXAS
NOTES**

Class work started at Howard Payne College in Brownwood this week with the largest faculty on hand in the history of the college. Thursday of last week a total of 816 students registered for the fall semester and others were expected to enroll in classes during the week-end. School administrators expected the enrollment to pass the 1,000 mark in all departments. It was announced that extension classes would be open this fall at Goldthwaite, Hamilton, Brady and Comanche. This program is under the direction of Dr. Joe B. Rushing, dean of the graduate division.

A general plan to make capital of the assets of Menard and the surrounding area was outlined last week at a meeting of the Menard Chamber of Commerce. The program is expected to work into a well balanced project and to attract many people into that area. One of the first parts of the program will be to give assistance to hunters who desire to secure leases on ranches of that area where deer are to be found. They will list ranches on which hunting may be purchased and have this information available when hunters move into the county.

Right-of-way was being secured near Doole and Melvin last week for a proposed project on farm-to-market road No. 734. The first section of work will include a new bridge over the San Saba River at Voca and about 3 1/2 miles of new road in the same area. The State Highway Department estimated the improvements would cost approximately \$400,000. The new bridge will be located about 3 miles from the old crossing. It will be 900 feet long and 30 feet wide and designed to be above flood stage of the river.

The annual Lions Club barbecue at Eden will be held Saturday night at Pfluger Park. Those in charge have started a ticket selling campaign and a crowd from a wide area of West Texas is expected to attend. The price is very low with adults paying 50 cents and children 6 to 12 get by at 25 cents. Most of the meat is expected to be donated for the barbecue and a number of goats have already been given. All money taken in on the barbecue will be used in community improvement projects at Eden and at the Pfluger Park.

City officials at Bronte have started the erection of a new water storage tank which will be completed as soon as possible. The location will be alongside the old storage tank and concrete for the four supporting beams was poured last week and will be in use as soon as it can be erected and connections made with the pumping plant and the distributing system. The tank was

given to the city of Bronte by the Santa Fe Railway Co. and was moved from Mertzon recently. Capacity of the new storage will be 50,000 gallons. A crowd of 400 peanut farmers gathered in Comanche last week to make plans to ask for immediate drought relief. S. F. Cloninger of the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association was one of the speakers and told farmers to urge immediate action by the Department of Agriculture. Each farmer attending the meeting wrote a card giving their idea of what was needed and the relief desired. At the close of the meeting a strong resolution was passed and sent to Senator Lyndon B. Johnson and other members of Congress.

Pat Warren, county civil defense chairman at Coleman, has perfected an organization and announced chairmen and vice-chairmen for nine different phases of the work. The chairmen will be trained and then will complete their organization so that the county unit will be ready for any emergency. Chairmen were named for administration, public relations, law and order, engineering, communications, welfare, transportation, medical and schools. The master plan for the county is being completed and will be published soon so that everyone will be acquainted with the plan.

Rowena firemen in session last week made plans to have the fire fighters there recognized by the state insurance commission in order to receive a credit in insurance rates. The department has good fire fighting equipment and for a number of months a group has been training each week in the latest methods of fighting fires. A report was made showing a net profit of \$170 made on a recent dance. This money was transferred to the department.

The Miles Lions Club is studying a plan to hold another turkey shoot this fall and a report will be made to the club by Dawson Coleman within a short time. The affair would be sponsored by the lions, vocational agriculture chapter and 4-H club boys. It would give the boys an opportunity to raise funds for their annual livestock show which is held each January. Reports on the recent barbecue held at the football field showed a profit of \$26. Boy scout work was discussed, the resignation of a scout master accepted and a committee named to secure his

successor.

The Winters Chamber of Commerce started plans for the annual Christmas program at a meeting held last week. A committee is to make plans for a program and submit it to the board of directors later. If the plan is approved by the directors, a mass meeting of merchants will be called and the program discussed by them. The directors also voted to send a representative to the Water for Texas Conference to be held at A & M College. They also stated that the mayor of Winters would be requested to attend the state water meeting.

Miss Laura Tharp, home demonstration agent in Concho County, held a demonstration for a group of club women last week to teach making of glasses from bottles. Those who receive the special training will give the information and

demonstration to their club later in the year. A demonstration was also given on the art of carving leather and a film shown on the same subject. Final plans were made at Stephenville last week for the program features of the Erath County Fall Fair. Two huge parades were planned for September 27 and 29. Deadline for securing space in the commercial and community buildings was closed last Saturday and reports indicated that every available space would be taken this year. Midway attractions will operate the entire week and offer special entertainment of the crowds during the fair and also to take part in the parades.

Lots of men live to see the day they can rejoice because they didn't get what they wanted.



DOG HERO OF THE YEAR—Lassie, a Shetland sheepdog owned by Gary Gustafson, seven, of San Carlos, Calif., has been named the most heroic dog of 1956. Lassie summoned help for her master when the latter suffered a hemorrhage in the middle of the night—a week following a tonsillectomy. Physicians said the boy would have bled to death in another 15 minutes. Lassie received a \$1,000 U.S. bond, a medal, a gold leash and collar, and a year's supply of dog food at a dinner in her honor in Chicago just recently. The award was sponsored by Ken-L-Ration.

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SOCIETY

Girl Scout Troop No. 2 Meets First Fall Meeting
Members of Girl Scout Troop No. 2 met in the home of their leader, Mrs. Charles Clifton, Monday afternoon for their first fall meeting and for the election of officers.
The following officers were elected: Dina Lou Afflerbach, president; Barbara Clifton, vice-president; Frances Reese, secretary; Pamela Parish, treasurer and Joan Smith, reporter.
Games were played and refreshments served to officers and Kay Gurley.

Fancy Doers Meet To Plan Initiation Service
Linda Crockett and Jane Nixon were hosts to members of Fancy Doers Club Monday evening, entertaining in the D. B. Crockett home on Fourth Street.
Sarah Chandler, president, was in charge of the business, at which time the group set September 24 at 6:30 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Adair, for the date of initiating seven new members, with Midge Adair as hostess.
Following the refreshment period, members on the initiating committee met to make plans for the ceremony.
Those present were Jane Wade, Frances Stokes, Betty Nix, Hettie Mae Herring, Margo Brunson, Sharon Tuckey, Linda Moncrief, Pauline James, Sharon Cook, Marcella Murchison, Patty Sweeney, Jackie Bramley and Midge Adair.

First Methodist Philathea Class Officers Installed
First Methodist Philathea Class met Monday for its regular meeting and for installation of officers in the home of Mrs. R. E. Bruce on Murrell Avenue. Other hostesses were Mrs. Vernon Webb and Mrs. J. L. Davis.
Miss Ollie Chenoweth, president, conducted the business after Mrs. E. R. Gordon gave

the prayer. Mrs. Troy Simpson presided at the installation service.
Mrs. Vernon Webb will serve as president. Other officers include Mrs. Blair Hays, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Gertrude Woods, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Paul Richardson, secretary; Mrs. O. R. O'Neill, assistant secretary; Mrs. C. R. Stone, treasurer; Mrs. A. O. Strother, Mrs. Felix Itz and Mrs. Tom Pattenon, class teachers.
Following the installation, Mrs. Webb named the following committees: program, Mrs. Simpson; finance, Mmes. Marion Hays, O'Neill; social service, Mmes. Tom Caudle, E. R. Gordon, Sam Behringer, Archie Smith; telephone, Mmes. L. T. Allen, Augusta Bethany,

Cordelia Forgy; cards, gifts, and flowers, Mrs. Gertrude Woods and Miss Ollie Chenoweth; membership and attendance, Mrs. Sid Caskey and Mrs. R. L. Bell; birthday, Mrs. O. R. Lasater; social, Mrs. Cal Adair.
The group made pledges for the ensuing year. Birth day celebrants for the month were Mmes. M. O. Smith, Tom Caudle, R. L. Bell, Jack Nixon, Archie Smith, E. L. Williamson, Claude Stone.
For the program, Mrs. Richardson conducted a Bible quiz.
Hostesses served a sandwich plate with cookies and fruit punch. Others present were Mmes. C. L. Howell, J. H. Shelburne and Mack Setser.

Mrs. Hugh Campbell Honored On 80th Birthday
Mrs. Hugh Campbell was honored on her 80th birthday anniversary Sunday in the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Campbell.
Four generations of the family were in attendance. It was a get-acquainted visit for the great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Campbell and the 2 1/2 months old daughter, Carol Ann, of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Campbell of Jonesboro.
Others were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Campbell of Jonesboro, Mark and Hugh Campbell III, Mrs. Helen Tubbs. A great-grandson, Damon Campbell, was unable to attend. He is a junior student at A & M College this year.

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SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB
The South Ballinger home demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon for its regular meeting and for election of officers for the ensuing year in the home of Mrs. Archie Wallace on Fifteenth Street.
Mrs. Wallace, retiring president, was in charge of the business and heard reports. Mrs. V. L. McShan read the Homemakers Creed. "An Unusual Visitor I Have Had," was the answer to roll call. The club voted to cooperate with other county clubs in sponsoring a window display some time in November. Mrs. Neuman Smith gave the council report.
Mrs. Joe Thomas, chairman of the nominating committee, submitted the names of officers for the ensuing year and the following were elected: president, Mrs. B. M. Batts; vice-president, Mrs. Ed Farley; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Neuman Smith; and council delegate, Mrs. Wallace. Committee chairmen will be named at a later date.
Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen and Mrs. R. R. Holstead presented a program on fruit salads. Mrs. Ohlhausen gave the history of fruit and told of its value towards health and how to cook dried fruits.

At the social hour Mrs. Wallace showed movie slides of club members at the Rally Day meeting, and also scenic slides of places in San Antonio. Cake and iced tea were served with samples of the fruit salad made by program leaders. Shadow names were revealed and new names were drawn.
At the next meeting, which will be held on October 2, in the home of Mrs. B. M. Batts, a program on short-cuts in sewing will be given.
Others present were Mmes. Jack Fry, Calton Smith, Tom Crockett, Andrew Flint, C. D. Harris, J. P. Boothe, Austin Williams, John Cody, and Miss Ann Midgley.

Card of Thanks
I wish to thank my friends and neighbors in Ballinger for the many kindnesses shown before and at the passing of my husband, A. F. Brock. I deeply appreciate everything done for us and especially the food, flowers and each kind expression of sympathy. May God bless you all in my prayer.
Mrs. A. F. Brock
20-11.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AND NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE ROAD AND BRIDGE WARRANTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF RUNNELS: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners Court of Runnels County, Texas, will receive bids until 2:00 o'clock, P. M., on October 8, 1956, at the Commissioners Court Room at Ballinger, Texas, for the purchase of the following road machinery:


Two (2)—New Motor Graders, Diesel powered with either International or GMC motors or equal; not less than 100 horsepower, hydraulic controls throughout, sliding 15' mold board, full molded with no extension; electric starter; closed cab with heaters; with and without scarifier; with 140024 (12 ply) tires all around, tandem drive.
The County will offer as part payment of the above described road machinery the following secondhand machinery:
One (1)—Model 102 Gallon Motor Grader, Model 1947.

The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract with the Commissioners Court of Runnels County; however, the County reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
A cashier's check or certified check, issued by a Texas Bank, payable without recourse to the order of W. H. Rampy, County Judge of Runnels County, Texas, in the amount of Five (5%) per cent of the amount of the bid must accompany each bid as a guarantee that if awarded the contract the bidder will promptly enter into contract.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that it is the intention of the Commissioners Court of Runnels County, Texas, to pay all or a part of the net cost of said road machinery by the issuance and delivery of RUNNELS COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE WARRANTS, to be authorized by the Commissioners Court by order to be passed October 8, 1956, in the maximum amount of \$35,000.00, said warrants to bear interest at a rate not to exceed three and one-half (3 1/2%) per cent per annum, and to mature at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, with a maximum maturity not later than 1966.

The County will make arrangements for the contractor to dispose of the warrants herein mentioned at not less than par, and the contractor must agree to deliver the warrants at such price to the party with whom the County has made such arrangements.
W. H. RAMPY, County Judge, Runnels County, Texas 20-21.

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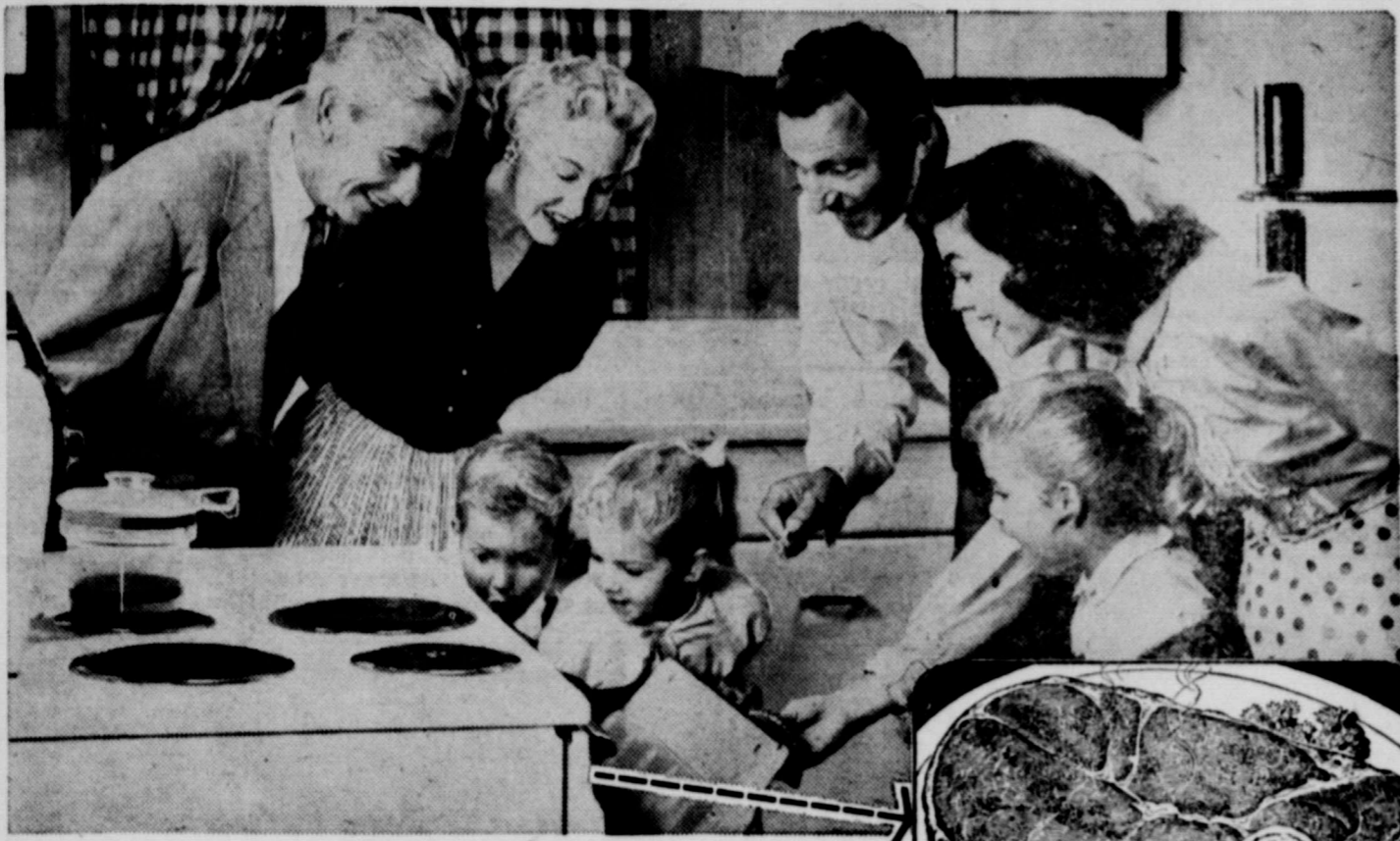


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- Crown Arm Roast** U.S. Govt. Graded Calf Lb. 33¢
- Calf Hindquarter** U.S. Govt. Graded Calf Lb. 49¢
- Calf Forequarter** U.S. Govt. Graded Calf Lb. 25¢
- Side of Calf** U.S. Govt. Graded Calf Lb. 32¢
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 - Salad Dressing** Miracle Whip 32-Oz. Jar 49¢
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- Deviled Ham** Armour 3-Oz. Can 19¢
- White Corn Meal** Aunt Jemima 5-Lb. Bag 46¢
- Pancake Mix** Aunt Jemima 2-Lb. Pkg. 37¢
- Quaker Quick Oats** 48-Oz. Box 40¢
- China Oats** Mother's 42-Oz. Box 47¢
- Salad Dressing** Duchess 32-Oz. Jar 46¢
- Ritz Crackers** For Quick Snacks 1-Lb. Box 35¢
- Air Freshner** Daisy Spray 4-Oz. Can 49¢

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- Spicy Tamales** Armour 18-Oz. Can 27¢
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- Del Monte Catsup** 14-Oz. Bottle 21¢
- Tomato Catsup** Taste Tella 14-Oz. Bottle 19¢
- Tomato Hot Sauce** Taste Tella 2 8-Oz. Cans 19¢
- A-1 Sauce** Gourmet's Favorite 8-Oz. Bottle 35¢
- L&P Sauce** Tangy Flavor 8-Oz. Bottle 36¢
- Buttermilk Biscuits** Skyline Brand 9-Oz. Pkg. 20¢
- Cloverleaf Rolls** Skyline Brand 12-Oz. Pkg. 23¢
- White Bread** Sliced Skyline 1 1/2-Lb. Loaf 24¢
- Buttermilk** Lucerne 1/2-Gal. Ctn. 40¢
- Homogenized Milk** Lucerne 1/2-Gal. Ctn. 46¢
- Tasty Crackers** Busy Baker 1-Lb. Box 25¢
- Mixed Cookies** Melrose 1-Lb. Pkg. 38¢

- Chopped Ham** Swift 12-Oz. Can 49¢
- Potted Meats** Armour No. 1/4 Can 10¢
- Chopped Ham** Armour 12-Oz. Can 49¢
- Detergent** Trend 33-Oz. Box 45¢
- TV Dinners** Swanson, Beef, Chicken, Turkey 11-Oz. Pkg. 79¢
- Chopped Beef** Armour 12-Oz. Can 37¢
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LOCAL OPTOMETRIST TO STATE MEETING

Dr. Z. L. Hale has the honor of being invited by the South-west Visual Training Forum to attend and make a presentation at the annual meeting in Dallas on September 22-24. This is one of the outstanding post-graduate educational meetings of optometrists in the south-west.

The most modern methods for caring for visual problems will be presented.

Dr. Hale is a member of the West Central Texas Optometric Society and the Texas Optometric Association. In addition he is an active member of the Lions Club and other civic groups. He will leave Ballinger on September 22 and return September 25.

NORTON F. H. A. GROUP HAS MEETING SEPT. 8

The Norton chapter for the future homemakers held their first meeting of the new school year on September 8 for the purpose of electing officers and perfecting their organization for the year.

The following were elected to office:

- Jerry Underwood, president
- Dorothy Jennings, vice-president
- Frances Greger, secretary
- Mary Ann Harris, treasurer
- Janice Lynn Roper, parliamentarian
- Nancy Minzenmayer, historian
- Mary Lee Evans, reporter
- Loveta Davis, program chairman
- Carolyn Gottschalk, recreation leader
- Janice Dyess, refreshment chairman

The chapter will have a formal initiation for new club members at 8 p. m. on September 24 in the Norton school cafeteria.

FIELD REPRESENTATIVE VISITS LOCAL OFFICE

Mrs. Jean Pinckney, field director of the Texas Tuberculosis Association, visited the Rannels County office Thursday of last week. She announced a conference to be held in Big Spring on October 18 to discuss a better tuberculosis program. She stated that the county association must bring to light the tuberculosis in this county.

Mrs. Pinckney urged as many from this county as possible to attend the meeting in Big



PROCESSION IN VENICE—With a sea god sitting on the "ram" of the bow piece, a large bisona—Venetian vessel—moves along the Grand Canal. The waterway parade is part of traditional festivities marking the "wedding of Venice with the sea."

Spring. A car from Ballinger will be available and the meeting will be from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Anyone who can attend this meeting will please call 2335 or 8568P2.

GOOD LIVESTOCK SALE IS HELD HERE MONDAY

A good sale was held at the Rannels County Auction Barn Monday afternoon with a large number on hand and several out of town buyers. Those in charge of the sale stated that they needed more fat cattle each week.

Monday 125 head of cattle were run through the ring with the market strong. There were some 200 head of sheep for the sale with lambs bringing 16 1/2 cents and ewes 4 cents.

Another sale will be held Monday afternoon and producers with surplus livestock are invited to bring them.

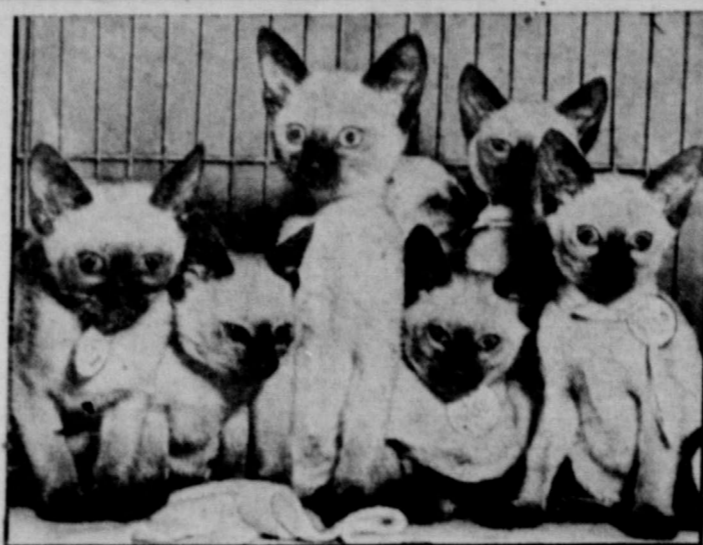
THANKSGIVING DAY DISPUTED IN TEXAS

There will be two Thursdays in Texas when towns will observe Thanksgiving. When five Thursdays occur in a month, part of the state remains with the last Thursday in the month for the annual observance and others go along with the national holiday on the fourth Thursday.

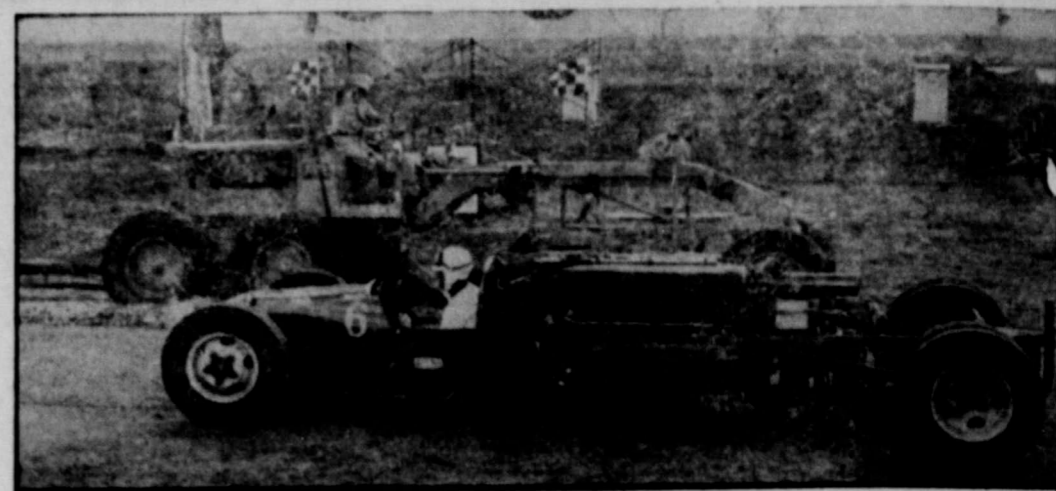
This year there are five Thursdays and already towns have announced different dates. A check up was being made in Ballinger to decide which holiday will be observed and the manager of the chamber of commerce was finding out what other towns in this immediate area will do.

One local service club voted in favor of the last Thursday in the month and the matter will be discussed with others. The Texas University-Texas A & M College football game is always considered a Thanks-

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PLENTY OF DRAG—Arthur Arfons, of Akron, Ohio, eases his 1,200-horsepower "Green Monster" past a grader at the Kansas City Timing Association's drag strip at Kansas City, Mo., prior to running of the second annual National Championship Drag Races.

giving Day event and a number here have bought tickets. This game will be played on the last Thursday in the month, November 29.

SUPT. CASKEY GIVEN VOCATIONAL PLAQUE

Supt. Ernest Caskey is proud of a special plaque which was presented to him at the state meeting of vocational agriculture teachers in San Antonio. The award was for his outstanding support of the program over a period of years.

One such award was presented in each of the ten districts of Texas to the outstanding superintendent. Other awards went to newspapers and other civic leaders who have contributed to the vocational program.

The beautiful glass-covered plaque was inscribed: "The Vocational Agriculture Teachers of Texas, distinguished service award to Ernest Caskey, in grateful recognition of your



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leadership as a school administrator and for your service in the advancement of vocational agriculture in Texas." It was signed by R. E. Post, president, and Lewis B. Taylor, executive secretary.

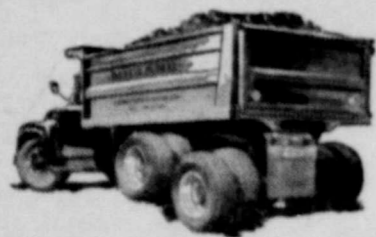
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Mrs. W. E. Moss greeted guests. In the receiving line were Mrs. Howard Bramley, president of the Shakespeare Club, Mrs. House, the guest speaker, Mrs. J. D. Eoff, president of the Fannie Stephens Study Club, Mrs. Theriot, Mrs. Richard Moseley, Rochelle, district program chairman, Mrs. O. M. McGinty, Abilene, organization chairman in Sixth District, Mrs. Edgar Boelsche, Ballinger, third vice-president and district chairman of the Federation, and Mrs. George Beard, San Angelo, district heritage chairman.

"Club women should strive for unity," Mrs. House told the group of more than forty guests. "Each member has a function, and without your performance there can be no success," she said.

She outlined plans and projects of the federation and stressed college scholarships for foreign students, a state level project supported by many federated women's clubs. The scholarship fund is now capable of sending a Korean girl to Texas State College for Women, Denton, next year. Several other scholarships are also planned.

Mrs. House compared the federation as a "university for adult education" and urged that more young people be organized into junior clubs.

The theme of the state federation administration this year is "Abundant Living Through Service." "Such service," Mrs. House said, "must be done for the family, church and community. People who serve are happy and are not lazy."

The state president has written a song, "Texas Federation March," which she introduced to the group at the meeting. The song will be sold and proceeds will be applied on the scholarship fund.

Mrs. House was introduced by Mrs. Boelsche, past president of the Shakespeare Club. Mrs. Theriot poured coffee

from the table centered with an arrangement of autumn foliage and mums.

On the arrangement committee were Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Felix Keys, Mrs. Boelsche, Mrs. Estes Lynn, Mrs. H. G. Agnew, Mrs. W. O. Irby and Mrs. J. B. Dankworth.

Mrs. House has recently returned from Washington, D. C., where she attended a meeting of the executive committee of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. State presidents met to formulate community projects for the year. She will attend an executive board meeting of the state federation on Tuesday and Wednesday at the Gunter Hotel in San Antonio.

Marsh Is Honored At Luncheon On Birthday Anniversary

T. M. Marsh, who was celebrating his 76th birthday anniversary last Thursday, was honored by a group of neighbors when they visited Mr. and Mrs. Marsh in their home on South Sixth Street and brought a covered dish luncheon. Following the luncheon, the pretty birthday cake was served. Twelve friends enjoyed the occasion with Mr. Marsh.

Rebekah Lodge No. 48 Enjoys "42" Party

Approximately twenty-five members of Ballinger Rebekah Lodge No. 48 met in the Odd Fellow Lodge hall Thursday night for a social and game party.

Following games of forty-two, hostesses Mmes. W. M. Robertson, Cora Bush, Johnny Jones, Dause Sherman and Joe Thomas, served home made ice cream and cake.

Baptist W. M. S. Has Programs For Week Of Prayer

The Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church had observance of the Week of Prayer for State Missions with programs at the church last week. Theme for the week was "Building Altars in Texas," and "Building Al-



WHOSE PICTURE ARE YOU DIALING?—The hear-and-see telephones of the future aren't far away any more. Floyd K. Becker, a Bell Telephone Laboratories engineer, demonstrates a successful model of a picture-phone system. A two-by-three-inch screen and small transmitter, left, are the principal components of the system, which uses only one extra telephone line on the customer's premises. It will be possible to dial a caller's picture like an ordinary telephone call. Bell engineers have transmitted recognizable pictures between New York and Los Angeles.

Rows Through Latin Americans.

The meeting opened with singing "To the Work," with Mrs. Jack Jackson giving the prayer and devotional. Mrs. E. P. Talbot directed the program, giving an explanation of the theme and causes for which the offering will be used. This year the state goal is \$200,000. Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff discussed "The Story of the Dollars," and "The Cooperative Program." Mrs. West Talbot talked on "Our Foreign Born Neighbors," and Mrs. R. E. Ruble's subject was "Scholarships for Latin American Students in Texas." Special songs were given by Mrs. Bobby Bryan. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. T. J. McCaughan.

Mrs. M. A. Davidson was leader for the second program on "Building Altars Through City Missions" and "Let Us Build Our Family Altars." Following the opening song, "Rescue the Perishing," Mrs. Elmer Shepperd brought the devotional and prayer. Subjects discussed at this program were: "Building Altars Through City and Rural Missions," by Mrs. David Duke; "Building Altars Through Southwestern Scholarships," by Mrs. LeRay Fowler and "Family Altars," by Mrs. James Wear. Mrs. C. J. Lynn gave the prayer (That We May Keep Our Altars Alive In Our Homes.) Mrs. Max McCrary gave the benediction. Mrs. LeRay Fowler was accompanist for all of the programs.

ROWENA ANNOUNCES TWO PLAYS SUNDAY

Announcement has been made that two hilarious comedies, "Polly Put The Kettle On" and "Sparkin'" will be presented by the Slaton Catholic Daughters, at 8 p. m. Sunday at Komensky Hall in Rowena.

The players will also have excellent between act entertainment. The two plays are sponsored by the Oifen and Rowena Catholic Daughters. Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children. The public is urged to attend and enjoy an evening of good comedy.

SOCIETY

Ballinger's Federated Clubs Honor Officers

Last Friday morning the Ballinger Federation of Women's Clubs honored two members who have achieved district and state honors this fall: Mrs. A. J. House of Yoakum, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs,

and Mrs. Gilbert Theriot, San Angelo, new president of Sixth District, who was installed at the formal ceremonies concluding the 59th annual TFWC convention.

Ballinger Shakespeare Club and Fannie Stephens Study Club were joint hosts in entertaining at a coffee in the Sally



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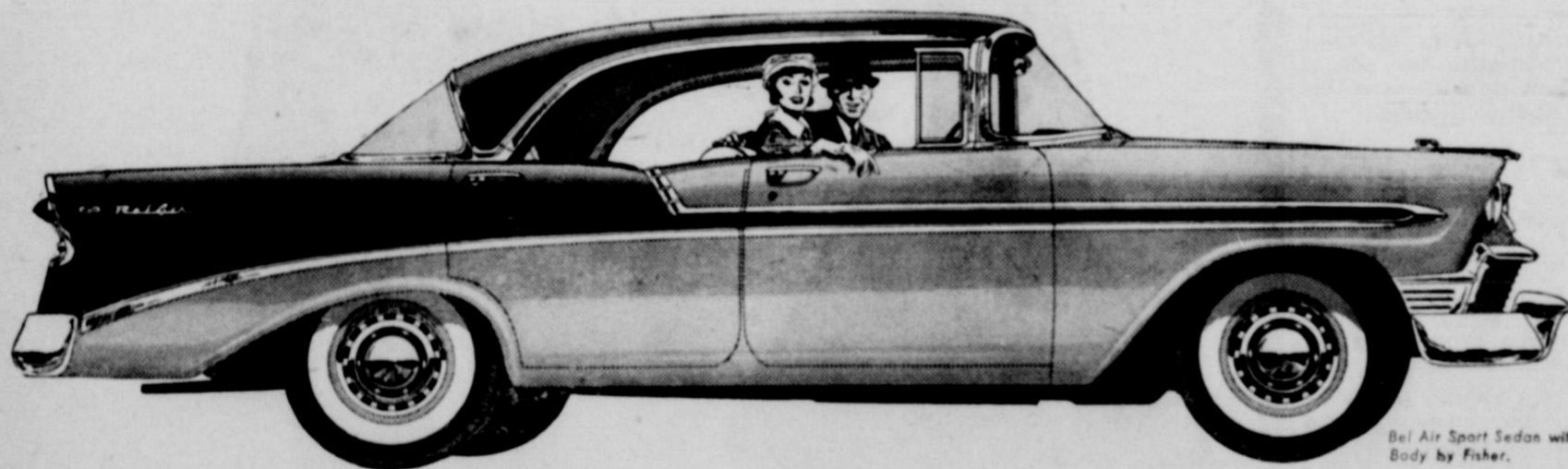
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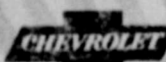
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Sheriffs Of Texas Favor Amendment For Mentally Ill

The Sheriffs' Association of Texas, composed of nearly 8,000 law enforcement officers, today asked fellow Texans to vote for Constitutional Amendment Seven in the November general election.

Meeting in San Antonio for their 78th annual convention, the Sheriffs' Association gave their unqualified approval to Amendment Seven which provides for a waiver of jury trial and requires competent medical testimony in commitment proceedings of the mentally ill. At present Texas is the only state in the nation which still requires a mentally ill person to endure a jury trial before he can obtain more than 90 days treatment at a state hospital.

Known as the oldest law enforcement organization in the United States, the Sheriffs' Association took action after hearing guest speaker John H. Lane, Jr., Executive Director of the Texas Society for Mental Health, declare Amendment Seven an essential first step toward adequate mental health legislation in Texas.

"There is a common misunderstanding," said Mr. Lane, "that the amendment abolishes the jury trial in commitment proceedings. This is not true," he emphasized. "If no criminal offense has been committed, Amendment Seven gives a person seeking treatment a humane choice as to whether or not he wishes a jury trial, just as in any other civil matter."

The passage of Amendment Seven was enthusiastically endorsed by the Sheriffs in the following resolution: "This association endorses and supports Constitutional Amendment Seven which will be submitted to the voters of this state at the November, 1956 general election and which provides and prescribes certain legal requirements for the handling of the mentally ill and further authorizes the Texas Legislature to enact specific laws providing for the trial and commitment of such mentally ill persons and provided further that this association recommends and encourages the ensuing state legislature to enact the proper measures which would implement this enabling amendment in the in the 1956 election."

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