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The contemplated soil erosion program for the ensuing two years will be conducted by county units. The committee above was appointed here several weeks ago to supervise the program in Runnels county and it has enlisted city and county officials to do most of this work through men enrolled in CCC camps. A new call is being made for enlistments and Runnels county is expected to receive a quota of about double the number already sent to camps. A quota is being made up for the entire state and will provide men to do work in every section of Texas.

Counties applying for camps must furnish sites where barracks are to be constructed to house the men. Camps are given on a basis of 250 men to the camp properly equipped by officers, engineers and soil conservation experts are attached to these units.

It will also be necessary to obtain permission from farmers and ranchmen to do terracing on their land in case a company is assigned to the county.

Harry Lynn left for Kerrville Thursday morning and will spend the week-end with his family, who have camped there several weeks.

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The contemplated soil erosion program for the ensuing two years will be conducted by county units. The committee above was appointed here several weeks ago to supervise the program in Runnels county and it has enlisted city and county officials to aid the movement. It is planned to do most of this work through men enlisted in CCC camps. A new call is being made for enlistments and Runnels county is expected to receive a quota of about double the number already sent to camps. A quota is being made up for the entire state and will provide men to do work in every section of Texas.

Counties applying for camps must furnish sites where barracks are to be constructed to house the men. Camps are given on a basis of 250 men to the camp properly commanded by officers. Engineers and soil conservation experts are attached to these units.

It will also be necessary to obtain permission from farmers and ranchmen to do terracing on their land in case a company is assigned to the county.

Harry Lynn left for Kerrville Thursday morning and will spend the week-end with his family, who have camped there several weeks.

Mrs. Froy Simpson left for Abilene Wednesday morning to attend a reunion of the 1915 senior class of the Abilene high school. The 1935 class entertained the class of 20 years ago.

J. A. Schnable went to Abilene Sunday and attended a meeting of CCC officers and reserves at the camp near Lake Abilene.

Delbert Vancil went to San Angelo Saturday to attend the sale of his spring wool clip.

We may all eat hominy before we die, but we will never see women wearing cotton stockings again.

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4 Years Required to Produce 'Lives of a Bengal Lancer'

Perhaps the most ambitious and costly spectacle that Hollywood has ever attempted, "The Lives of a Bengal Lancer," has at last been screened and comes to the Palace Theatre tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday after four years of unremitting effort in its production.

Featuring Gary Cooper, Franchot Tone, Richard Cromwell and Sir Guy Standing in the principal roles, "The Lives of a Bengal Lancer" is a stirring, colorful and action-packed story of the exploits and adventures of England's colonial soldiers in India.

The author, Francis Yeats-Brown, was himself an officer of the Lancers, while Achmed Abdullah, film adapter, and four British army officers served as technical advisers during the production of the film.

The story of "The Lives of a Bengal Lancer" is that of the extraordinary bravery, discipline and skill that has enabled a mere handful of English officers to hold sway over the teeming millions of India. Cooper is a captain of the 41st Bengal Lancers, commanded by Sir Guy Standing, when Sir Guy's son, played by Richard Cromwell, arrives as a raw recruit.

Cooper and Tone, also an officer of the regiment, take over the training of the young lad, but on a visit to an adjoining province, Cromwell becomes involved with a beautiful girl and is kidnapped by Mohammed Khan, a hostile leader, who hopes that his father will pursue him and thus lead the Lancers to disaster.

Cooper, by a daring maneuver, single-handedly effects the release of the prisoners, and saves the Bengal Lancers.

"The Lives of a Bengal Lancer" had more than 4,000 players in its cast during the four years of production. Monte Blue, Douglas Dumbrille, Kathleen Burke, C. Aubrey Smith, Colin Tapley and Akim Tamiroff appear in the supporting cast.

Rudy Vallee to Top Bill at Palace Theatre for Saturday Preview

Rudy Vallee is coming to the Palace Theatre Saturday at midnight for preview.

He will have with him not only his own famous Connecticut Yankees, but the Frank and Milt Britton band of instrument wreckers. He will be assisted by charming Ann Dvorak, youthful screen star who has turned "hooper" for the occasion, as well as Helen Morgan, greatest of torch singers, Ned Sparks, Robert Armstrong, Allen Jenkins, Alice White, Joe Cavithorn, and Al Shean, who was Mr. Gallagher's partner not so many years ago.

They'll all be here, with scores of other singers, dancers, players, in Vallee's greatest film triumph, "Sweet Music," produced by Warner Bros.

"Sweet Music," which is declared even better and bigger than it sounds, will be shown at the Palace at the midnight preview Saturday night, also Sunday and Monday following.

Based on Jerry Wald's story, said to be stronger in plot, more romantic and more hilariously funny even than "Twenty Million Sweethearts," it parallels Vallee's own career insofar as the professional angle is concerned.

Novel dances and specialty numbers, in which scores of beautiful



The Lives of a Bengal Lancer

girls take part, were staged. Impressive settings for these dances include a streamline train in which Ann Dvorak leads a group of talented dancers, two cabarets and a big stage performance.

Others in the large cast include Phillip Reed, William B. Davidson and Henry O'Neill.

"Sequoia," Breath-Taking Record of Life in the American Wilderness

Taking its place among the most unusual films ever attempted in the history of motion pictures is the nature story, "Sequoia" (pro-

nounced "See-quo-yah"), recently completed by the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, opens a two-day run at the Palace Theatre next Tuesday, June 4.

Started nearly two years ago in the wildest section of the Sierras included in the confines of Sequoia National Park, the picture presented almost insurmountable production difficulties.

Into the animal drama is woven a wholesome love story between Jean Parker, as a naturalist's daughter, and Russell Hardie, a national park forest ranger. Their interest in each other and the denizens of the wild around them provides a human continuity to the picture.

Others in the cast are Samuel S. Hinds, Paul Hurst, Ben Hall, Willie Fung and Harry Lowe, Jr.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rhoden went to Merkel Sunday afternoon for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Rhoden remained there this week, Mr. Rhoden returning home Monday.

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PARAMOUNT NEWS

Gas Advertisement Tells Twenty-five Years of Progress

A quarter of a century in developing complete natural gas service is depicted in an advertisement of the Lone Star gas system and affiliated companies, published in this issue of The Ledger.

Twenty-five years ago natural gas service was virtually unknown in Texas. Wood, coal and kerosene fires did the cooking and heating, except in the larger cities where manufactured gas carried considerable of the cooking load. In those days smoking chimneys were a sign of prosperity, and soot-laden cities accepted their murky atmosphere because they didn't know any better. Today all Texas cities using gas are served with natural gas.

Then in 1909 L. B. Denning organized the Lone Star Gas Company and in the fall of the same year started the first long distance pipeline in Texas. This line, running from Petrolia to Fort Worth and Dallas, a distance of 135 miles, was completed in February,

1910, and service was started to Fort Worth in that month, reaching Dallas in April, 1910. From that time, through many struggles, the system has spread over a territory larger than some states and reaches even out of the way villages, bringing a modern gas service to small towns equal in quality to that enjoyed by the cities.

From one pipeline and 15,000 customers, the company has grown into an interconnected system of 4,000 miles of line serving about 300 towns and cities. From an uncertain and at times inadequate gas supply, through years of struggle for gas reserves, financial difficulties, labor shortage and serious engineering problems, the company has worked its way up to the type of natural gas service known at present throughout this territory.

The advertisement published in this issue sketches the pipeline system, indicates the towns where the company maintains offices, shows a few of the high spots in the company's history, and pictures modern gas equipment now available to gas patrons.

Only about 22,000 of the Territory of Hawaii's 375,000 population are full-blooded Hawaiians.

Ballinger Wallops Station A 3 to 1; Rowena Coming

The Ballinger Ramblers won an extra good baseball game from the Station A (Sonora) team Sunday afternoon. The game ended with the Ballingerites on the long end of a 3 to 1 score. The contest was made interesting by many spectacular plays by both teams.

The Ramblers got 6 hits off White, Station A hurler, while Rube Virden, local moundsman, allowed the visitors 8 safe wallops. Virden pitched the entire game for the Ramblers and had plenty of stuff.

Scores were made by Woods, Reneau, and Scott, of the locals, Reneau parked one.

The line-up for the Ramblers Sunday was: Golightly, 3b, Marsh, ss, White, rf, Scott, cf, Woods, 2b, Williams, lf, Reneau, 1b, Underwood, c, Virden, p; Partidge, rf, Turner, rf.

Next Sunday the Ballinger nine will play the Rowena team here. This is not a league game as Rowena is not in the Concho Basin

League, but it is termed a "grudge" contest. The last game these two clubs played ended with the Ramblers winning and the Rowena boys are out for revenge.

This game is called for 3 o'clock at Fair Park. Small admission charges will be made and a large crowd is expected from Rowena. Manager Earl Schuhmann of the Ramblers state that attendance at last Sunday's game was very gratifying, being larger than usual.

NEW TEACHER ELECTED TO LOCAL FACULTY

The Ballinger school board met Monday evening to attend to business and elected one more teacher for the faculty next year. Miss Maurine Tipton, of Merkel, was elected as a first grade teacher to take the place of Miss Eloise Jones, who is being transferred to the junior high school at the beginning of the next term.

Miss Tipton has had seven years' experience teaching the first grade and will complete a college course for a degree this summer. The trustees considered many applications before making a decision.

This about completes the faculty for the next school year unless resignations occur during the summer.

Twenty-five Years on a TRENCHING Expedition to reach Your Doorstep with Natural Gas!

Petrolia cyclone in 1925 wrecked most of the field and compressor equipment, but not a customer on the lines missed his gas that day.

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Deep-sea diving, to relay pipes in Galveston Bay.

automobile japping-ovens. There are House-Heating Systems that clean and moisten the air, as well as warm it; there are Clothes Dryers, Radiators, Floor Furnaces, Automatic Ranges, Incinerators, and so forth. For running a cement plant to warming a baby's bath, these Lone Star towns enjoy an automatic heat that has made their skylines famous for their smokeless chimneys.

A quarter of a century of careful planning has made natural gas so low-priced at your meter that 15 cents' worth a day is the average household load the year around, for heating, cooking, hot water and refrigeration.

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HARMONY HERALDS

The farmers in this section of the county are busy planting. Miss Edith Fowler, of Mann, spent a few days this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Glynn Seals.

Mrs. J. L. Harper is attending to business at Abilene this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Billups and daughters visited Mrs. Cora Maddox, of Coleman, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Worthington, of Cochran, visited in the Joe Worthington home recently. Mr. and Mrs. Pec Bynum, Mrs. I. A. Gray and Elizabeth Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gray and children, of Potosi; and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Burleson and daughter, of Winters, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Gray Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Gambill, of Lamesa, was a recent visitor in the home of her sister, Mrs. Oren Mathis. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White and Wayne Cummings attended the picnic at Bronte Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Seals, Mrs. Oren Mathis and Mrs. W. T. Billups attended a meeting of the Dale home demonstration club Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Mosley and daughter, Zelma Mae, visited in Post Sunday.

The Sunday school teachers' meeting was held Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Fletcher England. Rev. F. R. Cole, of Abilene, taught the lesson.

E. T. Branham, of Ballinger, was a visitor in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Carroll Mosley, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Worthington were business visitors in Ballinger Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Mathis and children were guests of Mrs. E. A. Meadows, of Winters, Sunday. Marcene Pumphrey, of Austin, is here to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pumphrey.

The workers' meeting of the Runnels Baptist Association will be held at the Pumphrey Baptist church June 4. W. T. Billups and daughter, Gene, were business visitors in Ballinger Saturday.

NORTH NORTON NEWS

Farmers in this section are busy after the much needed rain. Some feed and a large acreage of cotton has been replanted. Overflowed feed is dying and farmers are planning to replant the over-flooded spots.

School is out and the teachers have gone to their respective homes. Children of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bryan have been on the sick list but are much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Robinson were shopping in Ballinger Saturday. Mrs. Ed Bryan transacted business in Winters Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Bryan and children, of Wingate, attended church at Norton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Wilson transacted business in Winters Tuesday.

Quite a few from this section attend Arkansas Day at Bronte Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lawler and daughters were shopping in Ballinger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryan and son, Wayne, were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Bryan, of Wingate, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bryan and children, and Mrs. Douglas Bryan and children, all of Wilmett; and Una Dell Lawler were guests in the Leroy Bryan home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmore, of near Maverick, were guests of Mrs. Desmore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Smith, Sunday. Miss Willie Mae Gulley was carried to Santa Anna the first of the week and operated on for appendicitis. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Bob Murphy and daughter were shopping in Ballinger Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lawler and daughters were visitors in the home of Mrs. W. M. Phillips, of the Oak Creek community, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Underwood were guests of Mrs. Joe L. Smith Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bryan were guests in the Glenn Bryan home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Henry and son, Oscar, were visitors in the Phillips home at Oak Creek Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bryan and children were visitors in the Roy Cooke home at Winters Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Ferguson, of Winters, was a visitor in the Ed Bryan

home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Henry and children are visiting in Rockdale this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ownie Louder, of Miles, visited in the Kirby Robinson home Sunday evening. Mrs. Arthur Carlock, of Healdton, Oklahoma, and her mother, Mrs. Henry Lander, of Ballinger, were guests of Mrs. F. E. Lawler and daughter, Miss Hazel, Tuesday.

HATCHEL HUMMINGS

Most of the farmers are busy in their fields since the rains. Mrs. Delton Mathis and children, Anice and Derwood, of San Antonio, are visiting relatives here.

Hatchel people who attended the birthday shower last Sunday in honor of Mrs. J. W. Hendricks, in the H. F. Lehman home at Dale, were: Mmes. Bill and Jack Mathis, Albert Davis, Burley Vinson, Haywood Tierce, R. C. Chandler, John Stanley, D. E. Caudle, S. E. Guin, Ernest Graves, Wirt Bales, B. B. Campbell, C. F. Broadstreet, Alton Gideon, and Jewel Phillips; Misses Almedia Caudle, Corine Graves, Braska Guin, and Rosa Lee Graves. The honoree received many nice gifts. All reported a nice time and wish her many more happy birthdays.

Miss Fern Mayo, of Dale, attended church here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Campbell and family spent Sunday at Dale in the J. W. Hendrick home.

Bro. Westmoreland filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday. A large crowd attended. Lois and Alta Mae Broadstreet spent Sunday with Lorine Albright. Mrs. Burley Vinson took dinner with Mrs. Haywood Tierce.

The seventh grade pupils attended the graduating exercises at Ballinger Sunday and received their certificates. Among them were: Wilma Walker, Lorine Albright, Alta Mae Broadstreet, Leona Case, and Estelle Barmore. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Bailey are the proud parents of a baby boy weighing 6½ pounds. They christened him William Robert.

Members of the Methodist church held their quarterly conference here last Sunday afternoon. A number of people from Wingate were present. Sunday morning following the Sunday school, the presiding elder, Rev. McClure, preached a fine sermon. Dinner at the noon hour was served on the ground.

Miss Charlie Faye Simmons visited relatives at Coleman last week. Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carter accompanied Mrs. W. E. Gray and daughter, Gerelene, to their home in Carlton last week. They stayed for a short visit. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams and

bro. have returned to their home after a short vacation. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams returned to Content this week-end for the seventh grade graduation exercises. They returned to Brownwood from Ballinger.

There were thirteen boys and girls who received diplomas at the Ballinger Methodist church from Content. We are proud of them. Since the last rain the farmers are having to plant part of their cotton again.

Bro. Corbin was unable to fill his appointment at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday. A message received from his wife at Lamesa stated he had been stricken with sciatic rheumatism.

Our Sunday schools were smaller than usual Sunday due to a large number attending "Arkansas Day" at Bronte. They report a fine program and an enjoyable day.

Sheep shearing machines have been busy in this neighborhood for the past few days. Some consignments of wool are being trucked to market today (Tuesday).

Mrs. Willie Norris is ill at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jackson, of the Herring community, were Crews visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gassiot returned Sunday from a visit to relatives at Santa Anna. Mrs. Gassiot expects to leave for the summer term of school at Campon next Tuesday.

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Several from this community attended the singing at Bronte Sunday.

Miss Addie Ruth Cox, Inex Clark and Garlyn Hoffman were among those to participate in the seventh grade graduation exercises for rural schools Sunday. The exercises were at the First Methodist Church of Ballinger.

W. T. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Clayton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hoffman Sunday afternoon.

Miss Laura Bee Gibson is visiting relatives in Brownwood this week. We are sorry to report several on the sick list this week. We hope for each of them that they have a speedy recovery.

Miss Lurline Brookshier, Curry and Gordon Brookshier and Miss Cleo Hoffman motored to Abilene Friday. Miss Brookshier is visiting friends there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Green and Miss Norma Jean Hoffman were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pullin, Miss Lucille Hoffman and Miss Estelle Williams attended church at Ballinger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pullin visited in the A. N. Hoffman home Sunday night.

Mr. Underwood and daughter, Betty, and Mr. Woodall and daughter, Dorothy, of Arden, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gibson Sunday.

The Benoit club women met in an all-day quilting at the home of Mrs. C. M. Gibson Tuesday. The quilt that is to be given away at a later date was quilted. Eleven members and three visitors were present. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Neal Clayton.

One and a half inches of rain fell here Thursday of the previous week, accompanied by a hail storm which beat young cotton in the ground and damaged gardens. Fortunately, only a narrow strip was in the path of the storm. Cotton is being planted over. Others just a short distance away are wishing for a shower as the heavy rains some time ago packed the ground.

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There was a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday. An interesting program was rendered at B. Y. P. U. Sunday night. Will Tyree, president, was in charge. The title of the program was "New Personalities for Old in Africa." Taking part on the program were: John Duke, Mrs. H. E. Ellis, Mrs. S. W. Burks, S. W. Burks and Hollis Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patterson and son, Homer, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tyree and son Sunday.

Rosemary Camp was a dinner guest of Gladys Fae Sides Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norman and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hinson, of Bethel, Sunday.

Rev. Henry Hughes, pastor of the Nazarene church at San Angelo, will preach at the Barnett school house at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Everyone is invited to attend.

Miss Eddie Horn, of Texon, and Miss Mildred Sides, who taught at Eola the past term, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sides the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nelson and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Frost and family. Grandmother Tyree is now at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Laxton. She has been confined to her bed since December. We would like very much to see her able to be up and about again.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyree spent

Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Harwood, of Hagan.

Misses Rosemary, Hollis and Royce Joe Camp visited in the home of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Buna Camp, Thursday morning.

Mrs. J. B. Dorsey honored her daughter, Mary, with a birthday party Sunday afternoon. The table was decorated in red, white and blue. Cake and ice cream was served. The cake had ten candles.

All kinds of games were played. Those present were: Mary, David and Roland Dorsey, Willie and Iretta Ellis, Leo and Gladys Fae Sides, of Winters, Flora Laxton, Rosemary Camp, Mildred and Sanford Burks, Tillian and Mary Ann Allen, Lavette Hughes, Dorothy Forgye of Ballinger, and Clyde Gibson.

Mrs. Leonard Laxton is visiting at Corpus Christi for a few weeks.

Mrs. T. S. Berry and other relatives.

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Runnels County Wardrobe Contest to be Held June 15

The Runnels county wardrobe contest has been postponed a few weeks and will be held June 15. The date was set up in order that Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, clothing specialist of College Station, might be present for the revue.

The dress revue will begin at 3:30 p. m. in the Ballinger high school auditorium. Miss Vera Crippen, home demonstration agent of Taylor county, will do the final judging on the morning of June 15, before the revue in the afternoon.

This is to be the largest and best exhibit of clothing by home demonstration club members ever held here, according to advance information. The public is invited to attend the revue.

There will be two classes of dresses exhibited, those made by demonstrators and those made by non-demonstrators. The demonstrators will be divided into two groups with the following card being used for both groups:

- Record books and reports complete 30
- Narrative of work, including help given others 20
- Pictures of storage space 10
- Foundation pattern 10
- Dress and slip 30
- Cooperators will exhibit a street dress made of cotton with the cost of materials not exceeding \$4. They will also exhibit slips. The score card for this class follows:

 1. Suitability of garment to purpose 10
 2. Materials and trimmings 10
 3. Originality, beauty and interest of design 15
 4. Workmanship 15
 5. Appearance on person 35
 6. Laundering possibilities 10
 7. Pressing 10

All garments, records, etc., must be in the hands of the committee by noon June 14 as the books and narratives will be scored that afternoon.

First place winners in classes 1 and 2 will each receive a scholarship to the A. & M. short course, June 29 to August 2 given by the county home demonstration county.

First place winners in the demonstrators' class will be given a 4-trip ticket to the short course.

All three second place winners will be given sleeve ironing boards by the Wm. Cameron Lumber Co., Ballinger.

Wardrobe demonstrators are:

- Class I.**
- King Barker, Wilmeth
 - Clifford Clark, Oak Creek
 - Lawrence Cary, Content
 - Mayne Jones, Dale
 - W. W. Mitchell, Norton
 - Bill Proctor, Winters
 - Wallace Seipp, Bethel
 - Velma Taylor, Hagan
 - Clara Werner, Benoit
 - Bill Mathis, Hatchel
 - R. R. Halstead, South Ballinger
- Class II.**
- Lester Bryson, Norton
 - Wyatt McKown, Oak Creek
 - W. O. Patton, Content
 - Guy Mullins, Winters
 - J. H. Shelburne, Bethel
 - Arch Brookshier, Benoit
 - Fred Parker, Hatchel
 - D. H. Lane, Wingate
 - Lawrence Bryan, North Norton
 - D. H. Macune, Blanton
 - Riley Marks, Victory
 - John Hooks, South Ballinger

All other club members are cooperators.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Arnew and children left Tuesday afternoon for California where they will spend the next two months on their vacation and visiting relatives.

Fine Showing Made By Vocational Boys Of Content School

J. M. Williams, vocational agriculture instructor at Content, was in Ballinger Wednesday and while here gave a brief resume of the work done by the boys in his class during the past year. Thirty boys took the course and all were enthusiastic students, Mr. Williams said.

The program for the past year including running 14,000 yards of terrace lines, culling 3,000 hens, pruning 50 fruit trees, controlling lice on 1,000 hens, vaccinating 200 calves for blackleg, vaccinating 500 head of cattle, horses, and sheep for septicemia, and tanning 300 pounds of chrome leather which was made up into harness, check-lines, etc.

The vocational agriculture boys also received practical training in many other lines of farm work. They carried a total of 30 projects in their course, including 16 cotton, 9 maize, 1 corn, 1 calf, and 5 pig projects. All those who completed feeder work showed good profits. Four members of the class have already put calves on feed and will have them ready for show purposes next spring.

Every member of the class attended the Fort Worth fat stock show this year, making the trip in one of the school buses. The trip was financed from receipts of a minstrel show produced by the class.

Mr. Williams stated that he was well pleased with the work the boys accomplished during the past year and the excellent cooperation given by the community. He intends to sponsor an even larger program during the 1935-36 term.

Bud Canady is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Canady, before returning to Brownwood to attend the summer session of Howard Payne College.

J. A. Kilgough returned Thursday from San Antonio, where he attended a district convention of J. C. Penney Co. managers. Mrs. Kilgough and sons visited in Temple with relatives while Mr. Kilgough attended the meeting.

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- Vegetable Soup Spaghetti 5c
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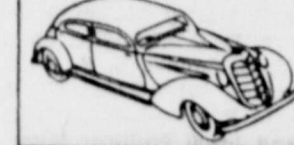
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- Pineapple Juice 2 for 17c
- No. 1 Cock o' Walk Peaches 2 for 23c
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Committee Announces Plans For Farmers' Short Course

COLLEGE STATION, May 29.—"Every phase of agricultural operations from house to field is included in the program for the twenty-sixth annual farmers' short course to be held at A. & M. College from July 28 to August 2," says Roy W. Snyder, chairman of the short course committee.

"What's more, every subject is tied up definitely with the theme—'The Changing Country Life,'" he added. "The AAA, through its adjustment programs; the federal housing administration, through its encouragement of building and improvement; the work in soil control, are all presented."

Several programs are arranged around the subject of housing. There will probably be one showing some of the details of building and repairing, a program on house planning from the artistic standpoint, and something on storage for the whole farm home. There will also be exhibits showing water systems.

For making the home more attractive, plans have been made for special programs on home beautification such as control of rose diseases and insects, and soil management. This follows the program on rose propagation given in 1934.

Special demonstration courses in syrup, fruit juice, cheese, and mattress making, the potting of plants, and the making of purses and moccasins have been planned in which individuals take an active part instead of listening to lectures.

A program on wild game conservation and the place of wild fowls on Texas farms and ranches has been scheduled. Poultry products come in for their share of attention with a demonstration on scoring poultry products to be given by Miss Zetha McInnis, home industries specialist.

According to the new plan being tried this year, each program has been assigned a certain day. On Monday, the day will be devoted to hogs; on Tuesday, sheep, Wednesday, beef cattle; Thursday, work stock; and on Friday, this special meeting on wild game preservation.

Since AAA discussions have been taking place all over the country, the short course committee has planned discussion groups on each commodity. These discussions will be given on the days that the production program on a particular commodity is given.

Friday morning has been set for the wardrobe contest in which the women will model the dresses they have made by foundation patterns. One whole afternoon program will be devoted to the dying and cleaning of fine fabrics,

and other programs will be given over to home improvement, recreation and other subjects.

A banquet has been planned honoring county winners in the bedroom improvement contest. At this banquet the state winners in bedroom improvement will be announced.

A special night program for the boys and girls has been planned when gold star pins will be awarded to the 100 most outstanding club boys and the 100 most outstanding club girls of the state. These boys and girls will be entertained Wednesday night, July 31, at a banquet in their honor.

In addition to the regular short course programs planned by the short course committee, special conferences are being planned by the Texas Home Demonstration Association; the Bee Keepers' Association; the Rural Pastors and Laymen's Conference; the Registered Certified Seed Breeders' Association of Texas; the Texas Agricultural Writers' Conference; the Agricultural Workers' Association; and the Superintendents of Rural Schools.

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A Scotchman who was going to take a trip from Boston to New York by train was told to throw a penny out of the window at every tunnel for good luck.

When he returned to Boston he was asked if he had good luck by throwing the penny out of the window.

The Scotchman answered: "I had good luck the first three times but the fourth time I had bad luck."

"How did you have bad luck the fourth time?" he was asked.

"The string broke and I lost the penny," he replied.

Uncle: "Engaged to four girls at once! How do you explain such shameless conduct?"

Nephew: "I don't know unless Cupid shot me with a machine gun."

Golf Tournament To Attract Best Players of State

The first invitation golf tournament ever held in Ballinger will commence June 20 and continue through June 23. Advertising is being distributed throughout the state and many noted golfers have already signified they will be here for the four-day competition.

Local committees are working steadily on an entertainment program and an effort is being made to book a game with Babe Didrickson and one of the most prominent feminine players of West Texas. In case the game is arranged Miss Didrickson will represent Ballinger and will have one of the best local players for a partner. The other woman contestant, several are available, will select some outstanding player who is here for the tournament for her assistant in the match.

Miss Didrickson has promised to be here if no other date demands her presence at that time.

Listed among those coming here are some of the best known golfers in the Southwest. Richard Schneider, of Dublin, champion at Coleman last year, was one of the first to accept the invitation. Johnny Neal, of Odessa, champion of the New Mexico tournament last year, will be present. Carnes Wilson, of Abilene, for two years winner of the West Texas tournament, is another well known golfer listed for play here. Jimmy Phillips, James Smith, Gib Faircloth and Houston Cole will form a team from Ranger. J. A. Harkrider, champion of the Ranger tourney, will be listed among the top players here. Johnny Marston, winner of the West Texas tournament at Abilene this month, and "Shanty" Hogan, runner-up, are both expected here. Bob Scott, well known Colorado player, is coming to make a fight for the championship, and Gordon Young, of Dallas, has accepted an invitation. J. Dickson White and Ned Robinson, of Brownwood, will be in the first qualifying rounds, and Bobbie Burns, Abilene professional, will take part. These and many others will begin qualifying June 18 and on the morning of June 20 match play will begin.

The entertainment is preparing for a big chuck wagon feed, at which time rodeo features will be staged. On the evening of June 19 the Calcutta pool will be held, during which players in the championship flight will be sold.

There will be 32 players in each flight and as many flights will be formed as the entry list justifies. The public will be welcome to visit the course and watch the matches during the four days.

In Flanders Fields . . .

We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.
—John McCrae (1872-1918)



"In Flanders fields the poppies blow between the crosses, row on row, that mark our place . . ." In the American military "Flanders Field" cemetery at Wareghem, Belgium, pictured above, 556 U. S. doughboys rest in peace.

Hearing Granted By State Board On Land Dispute

The application filed by the Runnels county school board for a hearing on the Crews-Taipa school dispute has been acted on and will be heard by the state board of education June 24. A delegation representing this county's board and Crews district trustees will go to Austin to show proof why acreage transferred from the old Herring district to the Crews district should be allowed to remain there.

State Superintendent L. A. Woods ruled in favor of the Coleman county school board last week, declaring that taxes collected in the disputed area must be returned by the Crews district to the Taipa district. An application was then filed by the Runnels board for a hearing before the state board and this was granted.

County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff stated that a delegation would be selected to represent this county and evidence prepared to submit at the hearing which would likely give the final decision on this matter. More than 6,000 acres of land are involved in the controversy.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

St. Boniface Day Will be Observed At Olfen June 9th

Rev. G. A. Boeckman, of Olfen, was in Ballinger Friday to announce a special observance, St. Boniface Day, to be held at Olfen June 9. A program has been arranged to begin at 2 p. m. and end with a barbecue dinner at 5 p. m.

In the first part of the afternoon a baseball game is to be played between the Olfen and Rowane teams and numerous other entertainment features will be presented. A number of stands will be operated on the grounds, selling cold drinks and lunches, etc.

Members of the Olfen church will prepare the barbecue dinner which will include the necessary trimmings. Serving will commence about 5 p. m. and continue until everybody has been fed.

Citizens of the Olfen parish invite the public to witness this special program. They will prepare for large attendance and their reputation for serving a good meal and for good entertainment promises to be upheld fully in this special program.

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ON TEXAS FARMS

By Minnie Fisher Cunningham
Extension Service Editor

The general rule in the feed lot is for chickens to eat what the horses scatter but on E. C. Schneider's farm in Waller county 270 white leghorn hens have reversed this order and bought the feed for four work horses after paying their own board bill.

Rotten hay and cotton boll waste are ugly—but they make pretty flowers and shrubs if spread on top of the soil and worked into the beds as they are cultivated. They keep the soil from baking and add humus, according to reports made by the yard demonstrators in Kleberg county.

A community raven trap has been set up by M. H. Perkins, of Clyde, in Callahan county. Forty ravens were caught the first afternoon. Experience has proven that fresh bait in the early morning is more effective but the trap

is cleared before nightfall because otherwise dogs tear the traps to pieces to get the bait.

You have to be an expert to make braided rugs worth \$50, but Mrs. Will Siltton, home industries demonstrator of the Hopewell home demonstration in Smith county, is just such an expert. The rug was 7½x10 feet and was made from burlap.

Sammie Hoerster, of Mason county, took his calf 502 miles to enter him in the El Paso show. Sammie declined hotel reservations in favor of sleeping near the calf. He won first place.

Sambo was asked what kind of chicken he preferred. "Well, sah," he replied after a few moment's consideration, "all kinds has dere merits. De white ones is de easiest to find in de dark; but de black ones is de easiest to hide atfah you gits 'em."

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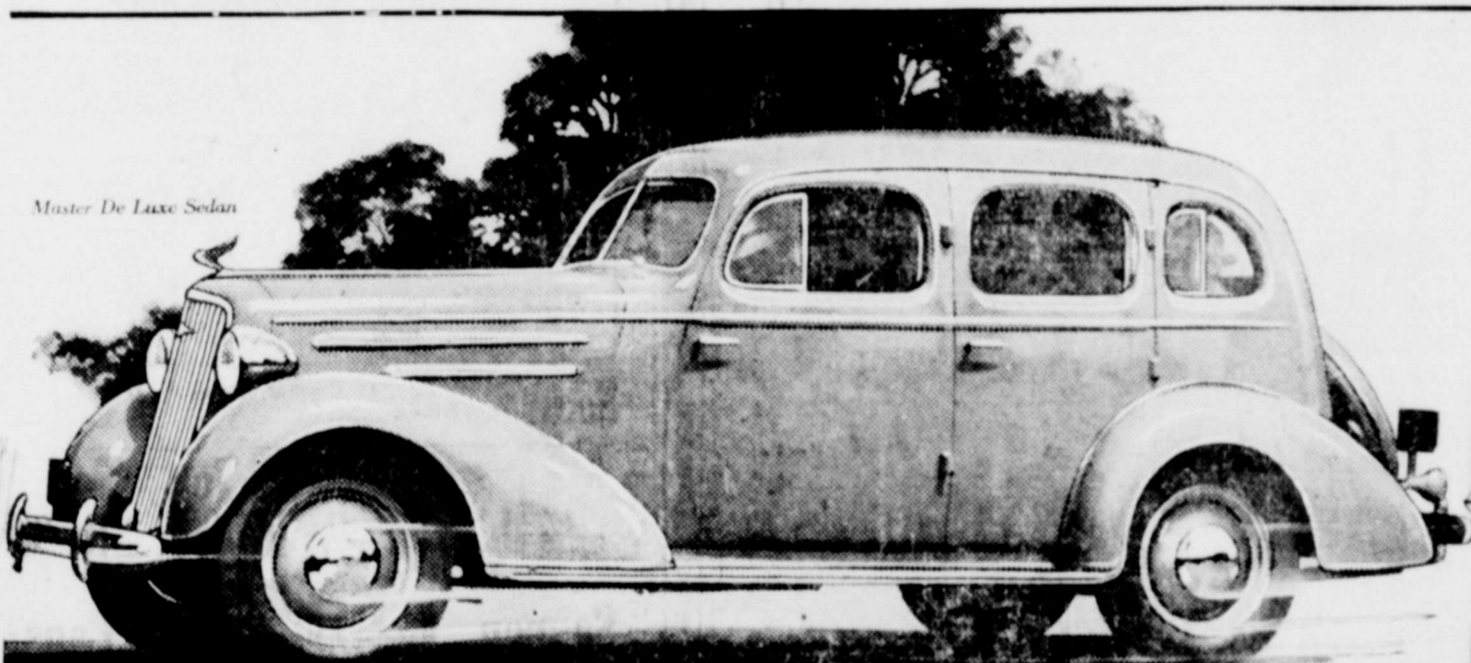
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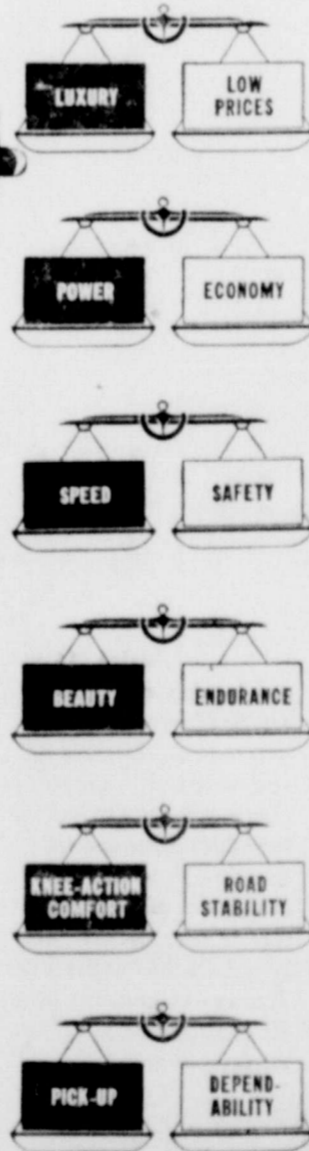
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Common District Teachers Named For 35-36 Term

Practically all teachers for the common school districts of Runnels county have been elected for the 1935-36 term. One more is to be elected at Crews, while at Poe and Mann one each has been elected and these may have two-teacher schools, in which case they will each elect one more.

Following is a complete list of the teachers elected to date in the various common school districts:

Runnels—Lucy A. Naylor, Juanita Trimmier
Crews—W. T. Gassiot, Mrs. W. T. Gassiot, Maud Brookshier, Beth Stiles, Nettie Landrum, J. Edmond Dial

Content—W. B. Williams, Mrs. W. B. Williams, J. M. Williams, M. S. Shelton, Mrs. M. S. Shelton, Loyie Cadenhead, Mrs. Lum Gray, Ione McIntyre

Maverick—Gordon Griggs, Mrs. Gordon Griggs, Myrtle Borders, Mrs. Molena Tunnell

Bethel—H. R. Gassiot, Clyde Simmons, Elsie Gilkerson, Lola Clayton, Pearl Holton

Dale—Mrs. Eula Mae Kruse, Kate Barker, Dale Mexican—Eula Mae Swartz

Dry Ridge—W. E. Elkins, Mrs. C. H. Robertson

Hagan—Clarence Jaeggli, Mrs. Velma Jaeggli

Benoit—H. C. Funderburk, Mrs. Krehbiel Greenwood

Barnett—J. L. Carroll, Mrs. J. L. Carroll

Bell—Jessie Lightfoot

North Norton—Daisy Ruth Sebastian, Maxine Crockett

Marie—Lenora Frazier, Alma Koenig

Pumphrey—C. H. Collingsworth, Ila Mitchell, Mrs. Rosa Lee Cooper

Independence—C. R. Lowe, Mrs. C. R. Lowe, Fay Mitchell

Cochran—Spence Chambers

Mazeland—H. T. McDonald, Addie Lou Glass, Mrs. Ethel Ramsey, Albert Koenig

Oak Creek—W. N. Gaddy, Loris Jackson

Cross Roads—Louise Wardlaw, Juanita Porter

Baldwin—Dale Buckley, Edith Speck

Victory—Ben Featherston, Mrs. Jack Nolan, Martha Kate Singleton

Miller—Bell Russel

Harmony—W. T. Knowles, Nellie Dee Cooke

Blaifon—W. C. Bryan, Mrs. W. C. Bryan, Alida Macune

Spring Hill—Lynette Stokes, Claudia Compton

Greenwald—H. H. Shiller, Mrs. H. H. Shiller

Red Bank—Lucille Stokes

Kristoff—U. S. Daniels

Brookshier—M. N. Turley, Mrs. M. N. Turley

Oifen—Sister Georgia Samland, Sister Emmanuel Obringer, Sister St. Sabas Bruchl, Sister Theonilla Vrbn

Drasco—Mr. Ray, Albert Jackson, Mrs. Stella Duke, Miss Shepberd

Franklin—Alma Ryan

Hatchel—Ruscoe Glaze, Zana Chenoweth, Eva Antonio Smith

Foe—Ray Starke

Mann—Willie Cox

Eagle Branch—Anna Belle Hash, Juanita Hoddleston

Sweet Home—Henry R. Leach, Mrs. Ada Christian

Revival Meeting Attracting Many

The tent revival under the auspices of the Old Fashioned Baptist Church will continue two more weeks. The tent is located at the end of the pavement on Eighth Street, just back of the Jones grocery and Conoco station. Rev. Gilbert W. Wilson, pastor, spoke Sunday night on "Grace versus Works."

The gospel truck operated by the church makes its regular run in Ballinger and sometimes to adjacent communities, bringing in those who wish to attend the revival. Twice last week it brought a great crowd from San Angelo, and on Monday night it went to Brookshier.

The Bible school at 9:45 a. m. and the 11 o'clock preaching service will be held in the Carnegie Library next Sunday, but the night service will be held in the big tent on Eighth Street. The church is arranging for more seats this week, the present seating capacity proving insufficient to take care of the crowd last Sunday night. A speech amplifier is used in connection with the service, making it possible for those who cannot get under the tent to hear the message.

The direction of the service will be given by the pastor.

and they will be services

Primary P.-T.A. Holds Successful Clinic This Year

The summer round-up clinic conducted annually by the Ballinger Primary Parent-Teacher Association was held last Friday at the city hall and was declared successful.

Seventy-eight children were enumerated in the last school census as being eligible to enter school next September and of this number 58 reported at the city hall for the examinations Friday.

The clinic was conducted by County Health Nurse Georgie Stephens. She was assisted by Dr. C. A. Watson, Dr. J. W. Macune and Dr. F. M. Hale in the general physical examinations with Dr. E. W. Stansley, Dr. C. W. Cheatham and Dr. J. D. Eoff conducting the dental tests.

Over 50% of the 58 examined had not had diphtheria immunization, however most of these children were of families which are on the relief rolls; 13 of the 58 were without physical defects; 19 needed dental work; 1 had had smallpox vaccination; 22 had bad tonsils; and 5 of the group were in need of glasses or corrective treatment for their vision.

Another round-up will be held about September 1 for the entire group, including those who failed to attend the summer clinic. In this examination a check will be made to see whether the defects have been corrected or if they are being treated in an effort to correct them.

All children must be vaccinated for smallpox before entering school, but usually parents wait until late in the summer to have this done so it will not hinder the children in their play or school work.

Taken as a whole, the health committee and the county health nurse are very well pleased with the results of the clinic and hope to have most of the defects corrected by September, one of the committee members said.

Ballinger Golfers Beat Brady Team

The Ballinger golf team broke into the win column here Sunday afternoon when it defeated the Brady team, 10-4. The game was not decided until the last match was finished in which C. P. Shepherd, of Ballinger, turned in a win on the 19th hole over E. J. Adkins, of Brady.

The Ballinger team had difficulty in furnishing matches for all the visitors. There were 18 contests played and Winters players, due to bolster the Runnels county team, failed to arrive.

The Brady aggregation arrived here before noon Sunday and a large number played on the new sand greens before noon to get accustomed to them before the matches commenced.

There will be no game for the local team next week but the following Sunday it will go to Santa Anna for a game.

Brady players complimented the local course on which sand greens have been built and new traps added to make it one of the most hazardous in this section.

The feature play of the afternoon was exhibited by Charlie Thorp and H. G. Agnew, both of whom turned in scores under par for the local course.

Miss Helen Brewer is at home from Odessa where she taught school the past term. She will be here for a short time before taking a special course in the University of Mexico this summer.

M. B. Whitbeck, of Abilene, transacted business in Ballinger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Harber returned Sunday night from Sweetwater, where they spent several days last week.

H. G. Whitaker, of San Angelo, transacted business in Ballinger Tuesday morning.

will be held throughout the day and into the night.

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Mrs. Hollingsworth Will Go To Midland County July First

The Runnels county commissioners' court Tuesday approved the transfer of Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth from this county to Midland and accepted the recommendation of District Home Demonstration Agent Kate Adele Hill that Miss Myre Tankersley, of Mertzon, succeed Mrs. Hollingsworth in this county.

The transfer is a decided promotion for Mrs. Hollingsworth, one of the recognized home demonstration agents in the state who has served Runnels county efficiently since January 1, 1927.

Business men, club women of the county, civic groups and many others expressed regret when it was learned that Mrs. Hollingsworth was soon to leave here. Her work has been so capable that she has made a place in the life of the county which makes it difficult to see her go.

Home demonstration work was initiated in Runnels county by Miss Eula Keys, who was in charge here for 18 months before being succeeded by Mrs. Hollingsworth. A number of clubs had been organized when Mrs. Hollingsworth arrived, but most of the extensive program has been done since 1927 and today there are 16 women's clubs, 13 girls' clubs and a county council active, besides the wide influence upon the lives of many other rural housewives who are not

members of a club. The home demonstration agent has gone early and late in carrying on her work in this county and the good done by her in the major projects cannot be estimated. The canning movement, wardrobe demonstrations, yard beautification, camps for women and girls, food preservation demonstrations and short courses have been of great benefit to the women and girls of this county.

A county council has been meeting monthly for two years to plan the work of the clubs, and reporters' schools are held each month to discuss their work, often with specialists from the extension service of A. & M. College present.

In addition to her regular work Mrs. Hollingsworth has always been ready to assist in county and community fairs and other exhibits which offer rural housewives an opportunity to compare their work and benefit from others' efforts.

As a result of the bedroom contests, many homes in the county have been made more livable and at small cost to the owners.

Miss Tankersley has done home demonstration work in Culberson county and is a graduate of C. I. A. Denton. She comes here highly recommended by the extension service and will be here with Mrs. Hollingsworth for some time before the change is made on July 1.

Interest Growing In Bronte Rodeo; Big Prizes Posted

Representatives of the Bronte rodeo were in Ballinger Wednesday stirring up more interest in the attraction, the dates of which are June 6, 7 and 8. The events will be run off at Hearn Park, half a mile east of Bronte, where there is one of the best equipped arenas west of Fort Worth.

Awards of \$400 in calf roping, \$100 in wild cow milking, and \$150 in bronc riding will be posted for the winners in the events.

Day money in the calf roping will be divided \$90, \$30, \$20 and \$10, and the best average on three calves will get the same. There is a \$15 entrance fee for the three days. Wild cow milking is divided \$30, \$20 and \$10 with a \$3 entrance fee.

The bronc riding entry fee is \$2.50 with day money \$25, \$15 and \$10. A specialty calf roping event for men over 50 years of age has

been arranged. Prizes from Bronte and West Texas merchants will be offered winners in various events and according to reports there will be real riders from all parts of Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma.

The Del Rio rodeo closes Sunday and several cowboys stated this week when they stopped at Bronte on the way to Del Rio, that they expected to come back for the Bronte show.

Bucking horses that were used in the San Angelo fat stock show last March will be used in the Bronte riding events. Brahma cattle have also been obtained for the riders to try their luck with. Besides the rodeo events, a carnival will be on the grounds all three days and each night there will be a dance at the park.

A fishing party composed of Pete Thompson, Jim Duncan, Harry Grounds and Bill Paezels report a fair sized catch on the Concho River near Paint Rock the past week-end.

The merchant who advertises wants your business.

Vacation Bible School Will Open Monday, June 3rd

The first vacation Bible school ever held in Ballinger will begin June 3, next Monday, at the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, under the direction of the pastor, Rev. W. H. F. Moore.

This school will be held for the benefit of all the children of the church who are interested and due to conditions existing this year children of other denominations will not be enrolled in the classes. Rev. Moore stated that he hoped to conduct a city-wide Bible school next year, but that this year it must be conducted on a small scale.

The children will be taught courses in Bible, Biblical stories, music, worship and various kinds of handicraft. Rev. Moore stated that the expressional side would not be neglected.

The sessions will start each morning except Saturday at 8 o'clock and last until 10:30 a. m. The school will end Friday, June 14.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all those who were so kind to us during the recent illness and death of our husband and father, W. G. Chapman. Our friends did much for our comfort in this sad hour and we appreciate each kind deed, and especially the flowers.

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Shelled Pecans	8-oz. Pkg. 35c
Pitted Dates	7 1/2-oz. Pkg. 15c
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Camp is Planned For Local High School Grid Team

School officials and a number of local football fans are considering a training camp in August which would take as many candidates for the Ballinger high school team as possible to the South Llano River for two weeks' outdoor conditioning and intensive training.

A check-up at the end of school here revealed that most of the 45 boys in spring training would be able to make the trip and a few others might be ready to attend the camp at that time. Excellent arrangements could be made for the camp in an ideal spot, with plenty of shade, bathing water at hand, and a training field available.

For trainers it would be possible to send four coaches. H. B. Self and George Stowe, coaches here for the past two years, would be able to assist the new coaching staff composed of Felton Wright and Clarence ("Nig") McCarver. This would give the Bearcats a coaching staff as good as can be found in this section. The four coaches would be able to accomplish much in the two weeks and bring the youths back at the beginning of the fall term a jump ahead of other high school teams in the district.

Special need is seen for the camp this year as many of the boys are recruits and have had no football experience. The coaches believe much good could be accomplished in the fall training period.

AAA COTTON SIGN-UP WELL UNDER WAY

COLLEGE STATION, May 29.—Two hundred and six cotton counties in Texas have completed their supplementary contracts for 1935, George E. Adams, assistant state agent of the extension service, has announced.

"All of these contracts continued from last year have been checked and sent to Washington," Adams said, "and about 25 counties have received their first cotton checks."

He went on to say that in 166 cotton counties in the state, there were 47,254 cotton farmers who signed applications this year who did not have contracts in 1934. Also, 192,353 contracts have been sent to Washington so far. Last year a total of 236,000 applications for cotton contracts were filed from Texas.

Willacy county was the first county to send in complete applications for tax exemption certificates under the Bankhead act, followed by Young and Washington counties.

"Bankhead sign-up of applications is now under way in every cotton county in Texas," Adams said, "and it is believed that all Bankhead applications will be checked through, approved, and certificates issued before the cotton farmers of Texas start ginning."

"The state cotton allotment and review board at College Station is prepared to check and approve cotton applications as fast as they come through," he added.

ROTARIANS GO FISHING AND REPORT GOOD CATCH

The Ballinger Rotary Club left in a group Tuesday afternoon for the H. Giesecke ranch on the Colorado River for their annual outing and fishing trip. They were joined Wednesday morning by the Rotarians and the entire day was spent in the camp.

The group returned late Wednesday afternoon, reporting plenty of fish, a good time, and plenty of rest and sleep.

B. L. Malone, of Brady, was here Sunday, visiting old time friends.

Teacher's Salary Schedule is Made By State Board

The salary schedule for teachers announced by a committee of the state board of education has been made public but is subject to change when the state board meets on June 24 to consider it. The schedule is for the year 1935-36 and bases the pay on training and qualification. Heretofore the salary has been set according to the grade taught and no consideration was given in most instances to training or experience.

The salary schedule ranges from \$75 to \$200 per month and begins with sub-college instructors with one or two years' experience. All salaries are for nine months with the exception of superintendents of high schools and these are figured for 12 months.

Most of the teachers in this section hold college degrees and the following wages are suggested in the new set-up: teachers with degrees and no experience, \$90 a month; degree and one to two years' experience, \$95; degree and three to four years' experience, \$100; degree and five years' or more experience, \$105. On this basis principals would get from \$125 to \$140 per month. Superintendents' pay on the above basis of training and experience would be from \$130 to \$200 according to the number of teachers on the faculty.

This schedule is slightly above the former scale, but it would make only a very slight difference in this county.

1935 School Census For Runnels County Shows Loss of 89

The final tabulation of the scholastic census of Runnels county has been completed and reveals there are 89 students less this year than in 1934. A large decrease was shown in the report from Miles and County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff will go there this week to see if some mistake was not made in the enumeration there. According to the lists sent here from that district there is a loss of 135 scholastics.

Ballinger had the largest gain of any district in the county, 98. The count for this year gives this district 1,314 against 1,216 last year.

According to the census the total number of children of school age in the county this year is 5,901 compared with 5,990 in 1934.

Following is a condensed report of the tabulations showing each independent district and the common school districts grouped:

	1935	1934
Ballinger	1,314	1,216
Rowena	189	195
Miles	408	543
Wingate	196	195
Winters	822	805
Norton	168	172
Common districts	2,804	2,864
Total	5,901	5,990

CLARENCE WINANS HURT AT SOFTBALL GAME

Clarence Winans sustained a severe head injury while attending a softball game Wednesday afternoon. The batter swung hard at a ball and the bat slipped from his hands, striking Winans in the head, cutting a deep gash and knocking him unconscious. The youth was on the third base side line and caught the full force of the blow. He was rushed to a surgeon who sewed up the wounds and the young man was reported to be resting fairly well Thursday.

Work Order to Pave Gap On Highway No. 4 Received

W. D. Hooper, resident state highway engineer, this week received a work order on the section of highway No. 4 south of Winters. The contract was awarded several weeks ago to the L. E. Whitman Company and the work order sets the starting date at June 5.

The new construction is for a completed job and will include grading, small drainage structures, and a rock macadam base with three courses of asphalt for the top. It will be the same type of pavement as that north of Winters on highway No. 4.

There is some material on the ground for this road but no machinery has been moved in yet. The Whitman company has done highway construction work in this

county before, building the concrete highway from Ballinger west to the Tom Green county line.

Most of the old route will be followed from Winters to near Hatchel. The route will be shortened somewhat, however, by a cut-off at the Winters Country Club to avoid two bad turps and a hill.

A letter received Thursday from Mr. Whitman stated that he would have a crew here to start work between June 10 and 15.

Work on the Bronte-Ballinger highway continued steadily this week with a full crew of relief labor employed. The route will intersect highway No. 4 at the end of Broadway in Ballinger and part of this street is being torn up at this time for the grade.

The Sunday morning service will be held in the American Legion Hall, and Sunday night's service will be in the tent.

GILBERT W. WILSON, Pastor

Church of God

(Corner of Sixth and Strong) Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., S. H. Skelton, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.

Preaching at 8 p. m. by pastor. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Woman's Missionary Society each Thursday.

W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor

First Methodist Church

9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Sam Behringer, superintendent.

11 a. m., morning worship.

6 p. m., vesper service.

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Baptist, Srs.	4	9	.307
Baptist, Jrs.	3	9	.250

RESULTS FOR PAST WEEK

Firemen 6, Baptist, Jrs., 3
Baptist, Srs., 7, Methodist, Srs., 3
Star Light 10, Methodist, Srs., 0
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E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church

9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Carl Black, superintendent.

11 a. m., morning service.

7:15 p. m., senior Endeavor.

8 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting, followed by choir practice.

8 o'clock, evening worship.

W. H. F. MOORE, Pastor

Church of the Nazarene

(Ninth Street and Harris Avenue) Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., M. D. Freeman, superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by Dr. W. D. McGraw.

Junior Band at 6 p. m.

N. Y. P. S. at 7 p. m.

8 p. m., preaching by pastor.

Evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

W. M. S. each Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

R. E. CUMMINS, Pastor

Ballinger Baptist Church

9:45 a. m., Sunday school, E. E. King, superintendent.

11 a. m., preaching by pastor.

6:30 p. m., B. T. S. meeting, Ernest Moody, director.

8 p. m., preaching by pastor.

7:30 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting.

8 p. m., Wednesday, choir practice, R. E. White, director.

J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor

Church of Christ

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Ladies' Bible class meets in the church building Monday at 4 p. m.

Prayer meeting and young people's service at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday.

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11 a. m., worship and communion service.

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88 Scouts Attend Camporee Here Friday, Saturday

The Boy Scout camporee held here last Friday and Saturday was successful in every way. There were 88 boys and leaders in the camp Friday evening and these attended the court of honor conducted by Rev. E. W. McLaurin.

Army "pup" tents were erected on the court house lawn before the lads arrived, furnished and set up by members of company C, 142nd Infantry, and as Scouts registered they were assigned to tents and instructed about cooking their meals and standing inspections.

The afternoon was devoted to instruction and assigning the boys to quarters. The camporee was officially opened at 7:30 p. m. with a parade headed by the Ballinger Band.

At 8 p. m. the court of honor was called to order and badges presented those in the four troops who were up for tenderfoot awards. Boys in the troops ranking second and first grade Scouts were recognized and a number of merit badges were present first class Scouts who are working for higher rank.

Songs and stunts were given by the various troops and at the conclusion of the program charters were presented the Robert Lee and Paint Rock troops.

A check-up showed 21 here from Robert Lee, 14 from Bronte, 20 from Paint Rock, and 33 Ballinger boys participating.

The boys engaged in contests

Saturday until noon when a barbecue dinner was served them on the court house lawn. The meal was prepared by J. D. Motley, H. W. Lynn and Chester Cherry, Ballinger grocery stores donating the food. The camporee was ended at 3 p. m. Saturday after it was voted to hold it once a year.

Rural Teachers To Receive Pay From Government

County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff received a telegram Wednesday morning from Congressman C. L. South stating that federal aid had been granted Runnels county to pay teachers in the rural schools for finishing eight-month terms. The amount asked for in the application was \$7,099.41.

Two weeks ago the state relief commission refused the application of the Runnels county board of education for the above amount. This information was sent to Congressman South with the request that he make an effort to get federal aid.

Aid became necessary when a number of districts operated without funds before their terms were finished. With prospects of securing aid to finish the terms, teachers of this county taught from two to six weeks after district funds were exhausted. As soon as the appropriation is received here teachers who have back pay coming will be paid.

Supt. Grindstaff received a letter from Mr. South Tuesday stating that he and Congress-

men Hatton W. Summers and Nat Patton would go before the committee and seek aid for the teachers of this county. He commented that it seemed since Texas was spending \$3,000,000 for the centennial program some of the congressional committees thought it should be able to pay its teachers. He further added, however, that since aid was going to 19 other states Texas was entitled to its share.

Wolverton Spuds—

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set drilling will be resumed. Much interest is centering in this test which would revive production in the local field.

Citizens Real Estate & Loan, Dallas, Texas-G. W. Ash No. 1 was spudded May 27. This well, located a mile and a half northeast of Crews on the G. W. Ash farm, is being drilled by J. S. Cates and son, of Madill, Oklahoma. It is expected that the well will be completed to completion without further delay.

The well will be drilled to the depth of the McMillan sand. According to geological estimates this is rated as one of the best blocks in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wenter and children have returned from Dallas, where little Miss Shirley has been under treatment in the Carroll-Driver private clinic.

Mrs. Hatton Laxson has returned from Houston, where she spent a two weeks' vacation. She will resume her work in the Sam Behringer store Saturday.

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Runnels county cotton growers are having to replant a large part of their acreage. Recent heavy rains accompanied by some hail damaged plants that were already up and the remainder which had been planted could not push through the thick crust on the surface. Cotton seed has been in demand and with a little fair weather most of the crop will be planted in this county soon.

Just one year from next month Ballinger will be 50 years old and the celebration of this event which has been scheduled for a long time must be planned soon if it is to be the success it deserves to be. An even better opportunity is seen for a huge celebration because it is the year of the Texas Centennial and tourists from all over the United States will be visiting the state then. Citizens interested in observing the city's golden anniversary should get together, decide how many days will be included in the program, appoint committees, and begin working for a memorable celebration.

Every school in Runnels county has completed its term and approximately 6,000 pupils and more than 200 teachers have begun their summer vacations. The spending of leisure time is a big problem and during the three months' period between school terms youth is entitled to diversion of some kind and this should be planned and provided. An excellent playground at city park is doing a good turn for the younger children of Ballinger, softball is providing amusement for those a little older and yet there are many not touched by these. Boys living in town find it difficult to obtain summer time employment as jobs are scarce, and necessarily there is a certain amount of loafing.

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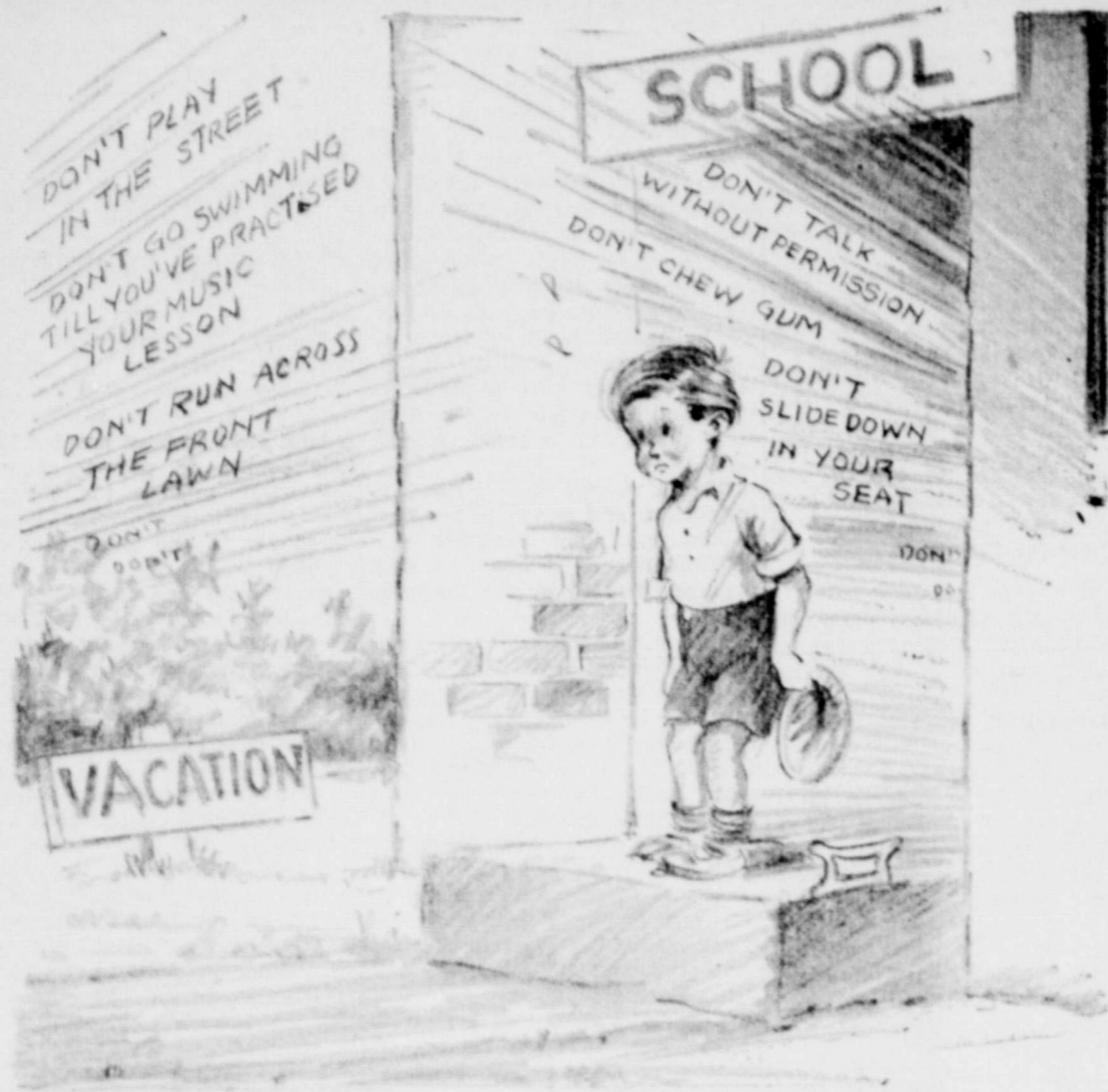
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WEST TEXAS NEWS NOTES

The Arkansawyers' Reunion at Bronte last Sunday was by far the most successful meeting ever held by the group. This was the fourth annual gathering of the Arkansawyers of this section and the leaders state that an even larger reunion is to be planned for next year. This year's convention was held in Hearne Park.

About 50 members of the Coleman high school band will make the trip to Greenwood, Mississippi, for the national band contest June 6, 7 and 8. The city school board and city commission have made arrangements for the band to attend the contest in two large buses and four private cars. The band is composed of boys and girls who attend the Coleman schools.

The trial of Stanley Wood, of Talpa, charged with the murder of Fred Brown, will open June 24, in Brownwood, according to an order issued by District Judge E. J. Miller last week transferring the case to Brownwood. No order was issued by Judge Miller regarding Louis Reis, also charged in connection with the Brown slaying.

Work began on the Santa Anna lake last week, following approval of the project by the state relief commission. Additional ditches are being dug to facilitate drainage and muck is being cleaned out. An allotment of \$4,500 was made for the work and 20 men are employed on the project.

Almost half a million pounds of wool sold at Menard last week at from 23 cents to 25 cents a pound. This news is considered most favorable for this section of Texas. Many of the clips sold were small ones, ranging from 3,000 to 10,000 pounds. The largest day's sale was reported last Thursday when a quarter of a million pounds sold at 25 cents a pound.

A tornado struck in the Peters Prairie area, Mason county, last week, doing damage at several farms. One man was knocked down by lightning and several trees were uprooted by the small twister. A windmill and tank were razed, posts jerked out of the ground and many other minor accidents occurred. No one was injured seriously, it was stated.

V. E. Pruitt, formerly of Ballinger, has purchased the Lawn Echo, weekly tabloid size newspaper. The first issue of the paper under the new management was published last week. M. O. Jenkins formerly owned the publication.

Terracing will probably begin near Robert Lee in the near future, according to information from the Coke county farm agent. The government will provide 50% of the expense, farmers and laborers paying the other 50% of the cost of running the lines. Tanks and levees also may be constructed under the proposed project.

Five hundred and seventy-five rental checks, amounting to \$45,556.76 have been received at

in district 22A in West Texas will probably have representatives at the encampment. Competitive rodeo events will be held for the boys and other forms of entertainment are to be offered. The boys will also receive valuable instruction while in camp.

On June 27 and 28 a big race meet and rodeo will be staged at Sonora. The event is being sponsored by the Lions Club and other civic organizations. All profits from the events will be divided among the sponsors for community work. Six races a day with purses amounting to \$1,100 will feature the meet. All kinds of rodeo acts and contests will also be held.

Strong possibility that a localized park improvement project under the direction of the national park service might replace the proposed CCC camp at Fort Stockton was voiced last week by Judge C. E. Caselber. Such a program would mean much to Fort Stockton, it is asserted, as it would offer employment for local jobless instead of using CCC workers on the park improvement project.

Rev. J. W. Leggett, of Paint Rock, preached at the First Methodist Church here at the vesper service Sunday evening.



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PALO PINTO—Egg shells and match boxes cut in half with the cut edges placed next to the ends of the hot bed were used by Mrs. G. T. Cross, Palo Pinto county home demonstration club member, as containers for tomato seed in her hotbed, according to Miss Pauline Lokey, home demonstration agent.

For her egg plant and cucumber seed, Mrs. Cross made boxes out of oatmeal and meal paper bags. By cutting squares of this tough paper, folding it in triangular shape and sewing up the corners on the machine, she made boxes which were very serviceable. "These can be made very quickly and easily by sewing one right after another," she said.

STANTON—A cellar adequate for storing all the family canned goods can be made at a low cost by using discarded materials. Mrs. J. E. Griffin, 4-H pantry demonstrator in Martin county, told Miss Joellen Vannoy, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Griffin has just completed a cellar 10 feet long, 8 feet wide, and 6 feet deep at a cost of \$5.87 for materials. Three old car frames were covered with steel taken from old oil tanks at a cost of \$1.50 and were used for the top. The remaining \$4.37 was spent for lumber for five shelves extending the full length of the cellar, and for a door.

ALICE—In spite of the wind, La Verne Gerdes, Jim Wells county 4-H club girl, has given her tomatoes a good start by protecting them with old tin cans, according to Miss Erma Wines, home demonstration agent. When the tomatoes were transplanted, each small plant was covered with a tin can from which both ends had been cut. As the plants grew and became hardened the cans were removed.

Hard to Concentrate
 Hubby (over the phone): "Is that you, dear? I'm afraid I won't be able to get home to dinner tonight as I am detained at the office."

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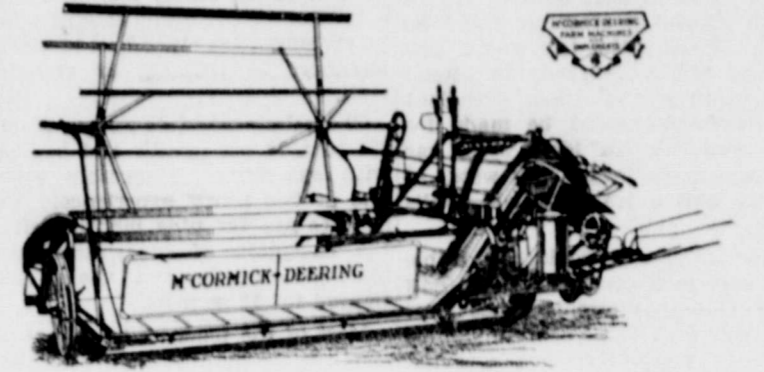
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A father was giving some advice to his son, who was going to college for the first time.
 "Now, my boy," he said, after delivering a long lecture, "you understand perfectly what I mean?"
 "Yes," said the youth. "It boils down to this, doesn't it? If I do well, it's because of heredity; if I fail, it's my own fault."
 Teacher: "Now, Robert, what are you doing—learning something?"
 Robert: "No, sir, I'm listening to you."

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An Old Roman Law and Its Present-Day Significance

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Baskin's Letter Commented On by Press of Entire State

The following article written by Dr. E. C. Baskin of this city appeared in the Dallas News May 26 and has created so much editorial comment in state papers and magazines that it is reprinted in full so readers of The Ledger may get the details first-hand.

The article deals with current problems very clearly and should interest everyone who wonders what the final outcome of the economic mix-up will be. Dr. Baskin deals with things as they are happening and his letter is self-explanatory.

"To the News:
"I read so many letters in your paper and others harping on back-to-the-farm where one may be independent, self-contained and happy and at the same time decrying the fact that we live in a machine age, making it impossible for industry ever again to re-employ the unemployed, that I am sorely disgusted. May I get it off my chest?

"In one breath they tell us we have too much of everything produced on the farm and the prices are too low, therefore, we must reduce production by turning back submarginal land to pasture. In the next breath they tell us the remedy is to reclaim at enormous expense lands requiring either levees or irrigation upon which to locate as farmers the unemployed wholly or in part at government expense. Why do that? We tax ourselves now to pay ourselves not to plant and tax ourselves to provide a farm for the other man to plant. That is our present policy. Not only that but last year we went out to the pasture and shot some fine calves for no other reason than that they were born calves. We tried to justify ourselves by saying feed was scarce and perhaps they might starve anyway. Did we not hire ourselves to cut feed acreage to make it scarce? God knows we need a Joseph in Egypt. We ought to have a seven-year drouth.

"I am a dirt farmer as well as a practicing dentist and as such never did think I needed a bunch of politicians to run my business. The principal need of us farmers is a common sense chance, an opportunity at the markets of the world, an opportunity to buy where we may sell, unhampered by tariffs and politically made trade barriers. The American farmer has not had a fair deal in 100 years. Neither has industrial labor.

"We have, as a whole, done fairly well, not by virtue of a tariff system, but in spite of it due to the fact that we were blessed with unsurpassed natural resources, with almost unlimited virgin acreage in proportion to population, and furthermore our people were a hardy, self-confident, pioneering people with lots of initiative. That has been our salvation. But no longer can we say: 'Go West young man.' Yes, we can still produce more farm produce from year to year than we really need. But how about industry? Some call it technocracy. Some call it the machine age. I call it the most wonderful opportunity in human history for us, all of us, to have so many good things denied our forebearers because their time was consumed in toiling for food and the mere necessities of life. In this machine age we can have most anything if we only have sense enough to use it—the machine. If we as a people elect to be strictly nationalistic, all right. Put the machines to making what we want. If we elect to be internationalistic then put the machines to work reducing both what we want and that we may profitably exchange export.

"But in neither case can we hope prosper by destroying our substance or refusing to utilize the time.

"Perkins spoke a great truth when she said in substance that our basic troubles was that entrenched behind a tariff brought up human invention machine—not to aid labor or ease production, but rather ease cost of production by saving labor and increasing it by thus destroying labor, so destroyed its customer. Industry can re-employ pay labor with its own when the industrial executive industrial laborer, even a trust may eat, for feed them if they will have a little new furniture, a car, a new suit of clothes, or a thousand things.

"We will even buy and subscribe for your papers from Junction to represent our Ledger office.

Donkey Softball Game is Booked For Next Monday

Local softball fans will get some real amusement next Monday afternoon at Fair Park when the Methodist and Baptist senior teams of the city battle in a benefit game, riding trained donkeys on the field and at bat.

The game is for the benefit of the Ballinger Band and the musicians will be on hand to help frighten the donkeys with their music while the oldsters of the city league try to demonstrate their skill as riders as well as ball players.

A truckload of trained burros will be shipped in here Monday to be used as mounts. Owners of the animals have their own rules for the game and the local teams have agreed to abide by these rules and not hurt the steeds.

Every player in the field will ride with the exception of the pitcher and catcher. Neither of these players will be allowed to field a batted ball, but must leave that to the other players who are mounted. Each batsman will go to the plate, hit the ball, mount his donkey and try to ride him to first base before the ball reaches there. It is said some of the burros are left footed and will hardly go to the right but are easy to ride towards third base.

The fielders must get off their mounts to field a ground ball and get back on before throwing to the base. Some players have trouble in getting back on the donkeys once they are off, and all this adds to the fun.

The game will begin at 5 o'clock. The proceeds will go to help wipe out a debt the band owes on its uniforms. Citizens are urged to attend and see a humorous exhibition of baseball.

Rev. W. H. Vanderpool left Sunday for Rising Star, where he will conduct a revival this week and part of next.

Tear Gas Attack in Coast Strike



Violence in the form of tear gas bombs and swinging baseball bats, resulted when San Francisco Bay longshoremen brought in food supplies for striking Jackson, Calif., miners, and jeering between the two factions led to fighting. In the photo above, longshoremen are shown leaping for safety as a tear gas bomb landed on their truck.

FOX KILLED IN ABBEY

LONDON, May 29.—A fox hunt by the Rufford hounds ended in Rufford Abbey near Wellow, when the fox was killed in the abbey cellars. After a chase through famous Sherwood Forest, the hunted animal ran into the abbey through the kitchen door and fled down the cellar steps. The huntsmen and hounds followed and killed it.

Misses Eugenia Baskin and Mary Jane Kiechle will enter summer school at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, to study public school music this summer.

HATCHEL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Hatchel Up-and-Doing Club met at the home of Mrs. Bob Bailey May 23.

Mrs. Irvin Mathis, Mrs. O. E. Beddo and Miss Ruth Bailey will get a trip to the A. & M. short course. They will be sent by the club.

All club members are expected to make a street dress of cotton material, costing not more than \$4, for the dress contest. The date of the contest will be announced later.

Thirty-three dresses have been made since the last meeting. Seventeen quarts of beans have been canned.

The place for the next meeting will be announced later. Refreshments of lemonade and doughnuts were served by Mrs. H. Pierce to the following: Mmes. Frank Smith, J. W. Stehle, Ralph Vancil, Charles James, W. M. Jones, Jewel Phillips, Troy Nichols, Bob Bailey, Key Williams, A. B. Davis, Bill Mathis, Roy Green, Raymond Knight, Irvin Mathis, Jack Mathis, Elbert Allen, Fred Parker; Misses Luella, Viola and Linda Stehle, Ruby, Georgia and Ruth Bailey, Lola, Anna and Helen Henniger, Fern Davis, Margaret Jones.

E. M. Lynn and Mrs. Jack McGregor left Tuesday evening for Houston, where they will be joined by Jack Lynn, student in Rice Institute, and from there the three will go to Galveston for a few days' outing on the gulf. Jack Lynn will return to Ballinger with them to spend the summer.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

COTTON CLOTH IMPORTS PAY HIGH DUTIES

COLLEGE STATION, May 29.—Japanese cotton cloth imports into the United States during the month of January paid duties of 14.2 cents per pound, according to figures compiled by the bureau of agricultural economics of the United States department of agriculture.

Of this amount, 8.7 cents per pound was the ad valorem duty on cotton cloth for January imports. The remainder, 5.5 cents per pound, was the compensatory tax which is levied to offset the processing tax paid by domestic manufacturers.

The processing tax applies only to cotton used to make products sold in the United States, and competing cotton products, imported from foreign countries, must pay the compensatory tax equivalent to the processing tax, in addition to the normal tariff duty imposed on imports of cotton cloth, it is pointed out by Cully A. Cobb, director of the agricultural adjustment administration's cotton division. Processing taxes on exports of cotton cloth are

refunded. An analysis of cotton cloth imports from Japan during January 1935 indicates that the following items were included in their cost before they could be put on United States markets.

Average invoice value at point of foreign departure, 31.7 cents per pound of cloth; average import duty, 8.7 per pound of cloth; compensating tax levied to offset processing tax, 5.5 cents per pound which is equal to the rate of 4.2 cents per pound on raw cotton. To these costs must be added ocean shipping charges, insurance and handling charges.

DIAMOND COSTS \$300 A WEEK

LONDON, May 29.—The Diamond Corporation of London is trying to sell the Yonker diamond, the second largest diamond in the world, which is valued at \$375,000. It was found in South Africa in 1933. The possession and care of the gem costs the corporation \$15,000 a year, so that if it remains on their hands for 25 years it will have cost them just as much as they will get by selling it now.

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- 2—"Are they built to give me the greatest blowout protection?"
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Answer No. 2—Blowout protection must be built into a tire. Friction and heat within the tire is the greatest cause of blowouts. Firestone protects its tires from friction and heat by a patented process which soaks every cord and insulates every strand with pure liquid

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment near town. Phone 179, Mrs. D. C. Simpson. 28-11

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EASTERN STAR TO INSTALL NEW OFFICERS TOMORROW

The local chapter of the Eastern Star will hold installation services for the newly elected officers tomorrow (Friday) night at 8:30 at Masonic Hall. This will be a closed meeting, but all members are urged and expected to be present.

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DEATHS

Mrs. W. T. Routh
Mrs. W. T. Routh, 80, died at the family home, two miles north of Ballinger, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. She had been in poor health for some time and for the past eleven weeks was confined to bed.

Mrs. Routh was a member of one of Runnels county's pioneer families. She came here with her family 38 years ago and made home near this city ever since.

Survivors include the husband; four sons, Kenzie Routh, T. J. Routh, S. C. Routh and Oscar Routh; four daughters, Mrs. A. W. Sledge, Misses Evelyn and Edna Routh, Ballinger; and Mrs. R. S. Dunn, Alamogordo, New Mexico; 21 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the King-Holt Funeral Home Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. W. H. P. Moore officiating, assisted by Rev. E. W. McLaurin. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery. Pallbearers were: Milton Clayton, Frank Kemp, Wesley Woods, Ed Pape, Ross Black and Willie Stephens.

King-Holt Company funeral directors were in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. G. T. Gibson
Mrs. G. T. Gibson, 47, died at the family residence nine miles northwest of Ballinger Tuesday morning at 7:25 following a long illness. Mr. Gibson is a successful farmer of the community and the family has lived at the present residence for over 5 years. Prior to that time they made home at Norton for 10 years.

Before her marriage, decedent was Miss Ollie Brookshier. She was an active member of the Methodist church until her health began to fail.

Besides the husband survivors include four sons, Halley, Leon, Brooks and Clyde Gibson, all of Ballinger; and three brothers and five sisters, Claude, Archie and Audion Brookshier, Mrs. August Herring, Talpa; Mrs. J. A. Reese, Ballinger; Mrs. Perry Pulliam, Ballinger; Mrs. Bob Sims, Roscoe; and Mrs. Sidney Freedman, of New Jersey.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the family home, Rev. R. W. Call, pastor of the Norton Methodist church, officiating. Interment was made in the Norwood cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Will Tyree, Ben Currie, G. S. Walker, Dave Forgye, C. L. Howell and E. A. Norman.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

SOCIETY

Foreign Mission Program Given by Presbyterian Auxiliary

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church enjoyed an unusually interesting program on Monday afternoon in the church basement on Broadway.

Mrs. C. J. Bell, secretary of foreign missions, was in charge of the program which was given in the form of a pageant. The stage was set with Japanese lanterns, scrolls and banners to represent a room in Japan in which the Alumnae of Golden Gate College were holding a meeting. Spoken parts were taken by Mrs. G. M. Vaughn, Mrs. C. R. Stephens, Mrs. John Stitt, Mrs. Chester Cherry and Miss Louise Butts. Mrs. Frank Pearce sang a translation of a Japanese song and little Misses Clara Beth and Mary Lynn and Marjorie McGregor in Japanese costume sang the Japanese words of "Jesus Loves Me." Mrs. Estes Lynn played piano accompaniment.

The offering of \$31.70 will go to Golden Gate College in Japan.

Mrs. Frank Pearce, Mrs. J. Y. Pearce and Mrs. C. R. Stephens were hostesses during the social hour which followed. Refreshments were served to forty.

Methodist Circles in Socials

Circle One of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society was entertained in the basement of the church on Tenth Street Monday afternoon with Mrs. R. W. Bruce, Mrs. Robert Bruce, Mrs. W. W. Chastain and Mrs. J. S. Jones joint hostesses.

Mrs. E. C. Baskin gave the Bible lesson, a study of the 52nd Psalm. Iced soda pop and sandwiches were served to twenty.

Mrs. W. E. Midgley, Miss Theima Midgley and Mrs. John Loveless were hostesses to twenty members of Circle Two in the Midgley home on Eighth Street.

Mrs. W. H. Vanderpool gave the Bible study from "Jesus Among Men." During the social hour a vocal selection was given by Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., and a reading by little Miss Mary Brian Woody.

A salad plate with hot rolls and iced tea was passed.

Party in Park for Birthday

The fifth birthday of Mary Jane Fuller was a happy occasion last Saturday when her aunt, Mrs. E. C. Tinsley, was assisted by Miss Gladys Taylor, of Brownwood, in giving a beautifully planned party in the park at the city park.

Pink crepe paper fairy caps and sashes were favors for the girls and orange caps and sashes with

pirate daggers were boys' favors. Lemonade, cookies and ice cream were served.

Included were: Buddy Fryar, Edmund Hale, Bobby Allen, Bobby Agnew, Sue Hampton, Herbert Adams, Betty Rayburn, Marilyn Agnew, Bobby Tunnell, Beverly Craig, Eva Joe Flynt, Jimmie Richards, Joe Lowell Beck, Jimmie Gressett, Guy Middleton, Jr., Mary Lou Crawford, Patricia Caudle, Martha Saunders, Raleigh Reese, Jr., Shirley Ann Brown, Cordie Lou Forgye, Dorothy Daugherty, Dava June Woodson, John Weeks, Earnshaw, Nedra Glyn McCready, Joan Mason, June McKay, Buddy Wright, June Wright, Joan Rayburn, Bonnie Davis, Patsy Street, Jackie Hampton, Patsy Crawford, Marilyn Sommer, Elizabeth Wear, Mary Brian Woody, Cynthia Lou Jennings, Jr., Mary Frances Clark, Mary Bell Richards, Mary Evelyn O'Neal, Betty Joan Parrish, Betty Jo Middleton, Janette Rae McShan, Billy Jack Middleton, Dorothy Ann Holliday, Alice Robinson, Jimmie Street, Patsy Ely, Helen Jo Cole, and the honoree.

Agnews Honored

The Sockeye Club met Monday evening at the Ballinger Country Club, honoring two of its members, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Agnew, who left this week for California. A chicken barbecue spread was served. The table was laid in white linen with pink roses used for decorations. Following the barbecue the four couples engaged in bridge the remainder of the evening. Members present besides the honor guests were: Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Stasney, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Striplin. Children present were John Weeks Earnshaw, Marilyn and Jimmy Agnew, and James Striplin.

Home Owners

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by responsible parties.

"5. The property must be used by the owner as his home or held by him as his homestead and, as a rule, it must have been his home on June 13, 1933.

"6. The home must have a value not exceeding \$20,000 as appraised by the corporation. No loan may be made for an amount exceeding \$14,000 or 80 per cent of the corporation's appraisal of the property, whichever is the smaller.

"7. Ordinary farm property is not eligible unless the applicant draws his main livelihood from non-farm occupations.

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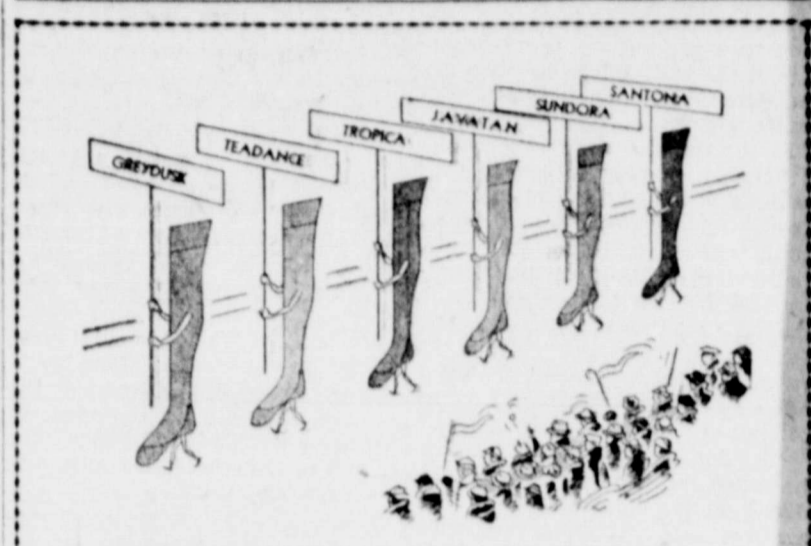
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hours and labor.
A number of those asked about the NRA had no public statement to make, asserting they did not know enough about it to make an intelligent statement.

Mrs. Virgil Reed, of Andrews, is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

BURNS \$2,250, FATHER ILL

JADSIONKA, Poland, May 29.—Returning home from festivities Mr. and Mrs. M. Olzinski found their 9-year-old son finishing an evening of sport in burning, one-by-one, "pretty crinkly papers," which he had found in a can. The lad had consumed \$2,250, which was the entire life savings of the Olzinskis. Father Olzinski was so enraged that his wife had to telephone the police. Olzinski then went to a hospital suffering from blood pressure.



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