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Short Course Delegation Will be Large This Year

Plans have been launched for enlisting a large Runnels county delegation to the farmers short course at College Station, July 29 to August 2. Last year a record breaking crowd of 77 Runnels countyans attended. This year the Santa Fe railroad offers a fare of \$5.65 for round trip provided as many as 75 attend from this county. In case fewer go the rate will be slightly higher.

A request has been received from the officials of the short course to enroll the men in the county who desire to take the tanning course. Only one or two can be entered in this course from any one county and the county agent is anxious to have the name of anyone who wants to take the course so that his name can be listed.

Already about ten club boys of the county have stated definitely that they will attend the 1935 short course and several men have indicated they may enroll. Many women are making plans and several have already been awarded free trips because of their accomplishments in contests.

This county has always led in attendance of any from this section of Texas and interest in the course this year is increasing. Some new entertainment features are promised in this year's course.

Efforts will be made to get more boys and men to attend this summer. Previously a large percentage of the enrollment has been made up of women and girls.

METHODIST WOMEN ATTEND ZONE MEETING AT CREWS

Members of the Methodist Missionary Society of the west zone, Brownwood district, met at Crews Tuesday. A delegation from the First Methodist Church of Ballinger attended the sessions and enjoyed the program. Dr. J. T. McClure, presiding elder, delivered an inspiring message at 11 a. m.

Crews women were hostesses to the visiting delegates at a noon luncheon at the church. The afternoon program consisted of reports from various committees.

Those attending from here were: Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Vanderpool, Mrs. W. B. Woody, Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., Mrs. C. C. Sessions, Mrs. Roe, Mrs. W. F. Mason, Mrs. Ollie Midgley, Mrs. R. A. Williamson, Mrs. Corrie Simmons, Mrs. Viola Allison and Mrs. Troy Simpson.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Patison and Mr. and Mrs. John Patison and son, of Fort Worth, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skinner and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shepherd Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. T. H. Chancey and Miss Dorothy Chancey have just returned from a visit with relatives and friends at Vernon, Childress and Quanah.

Dr. E. H. Boelsche left Sunday for Houston to attend to business several days.

Three Ballinger Scouts Will Attend National Jamboree

The national Boy Scout jamboree is slated for August 21 to August 30 at Washington, D. C. The two Ballinger troops, Nos. 29 and 30, will each send a delegate to this meeting of Scouts from all over the United States and several foreign countries.

The local Rotary and Lions clubs are sponsors of the two troops and the Rotary Club committee has selected Arthur Wiesepape as delegate from troop 30. The selection of young Wiesepape came after a thorough investigation of the merits and qualifications of the boys eligible. The committee which made the selection is composed of H. B. Sessions, chairman; L. R. Tigner, Albert Fryar, Judge Paul Trimmer, O. C. Sykes, and the scoutmaster, Dr. E. W. Stasney.

The Lions Club committee has not chosen a representative yet, but within a few days a delegate will be named from those eligible in troop 29.

Funds to finance the expenses of the two delegates were made up by the two service clubs, but are insufficient now. They will be supplemented with subscriptions to supply the required amount.

Another Ballinger Scout who will attend the jamboree is Jack Bandy McGreggor. He will make the trip independently. Other boys in the local troops may raise the required sums by the time to leave, but they must also fill several requirements before they will be eligible.

The total cost of the round trip and expenses both ways and while in Washington is \$74 per member. Reduced fares are offered by the railroads for this special event so more Scouts will be able to attend the jamboree.

According to leaders of the organization the 16th jamboree is the high point of Scouting's twenty-five years. Scouts from England, Canada, France, Poland, Rumania, Hungary, Japan, Cuba, Mexico, Haiti, Bermuda, the Bahamas, British Guiana, Panama, Puerto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines have already made arrangements to attend and in all probability boys from several other nations will be present for the big event.

Three or four boys in troop 29 are eligible for selection as representative at the jamboree and all are making as much advancement as possible in order to get the appointment, to be made by the Lions Club committee.

Fellowship Service At Library Starts Friday 9:30 a. m.

The Old Fashioned Baptist Church will hold a fellowship service at the Carnegie Library building (American Legion Hall) tomorrow (Friday) morning, commencing at 9:30 o'clock. Singing, preaching, lunch and praise service will feature the day, and the public is invited to attend and take part. The program is as follows:

9:30 to 10 a. m.—Song service conducted by Charles E. Sparks. Special music by Mrs. Raymond C. Wilson and Miss Pet Young, radio singers.

10 to 10:45—Rev. Roy A. Kemp, pastor of Fundamental Baptist Church, Abilene.

10:45 to 11:15—Rev. Massague, Sr., evangelist, Abilene.

11:15 to 12—Rev. Sam Morris, pastor of First Baptist Church, Stamford.

12 m.—Lunch.

1:30 to 2 p. m.—Rev. Sam Morris.

2 to 2:30—Johnny Lovell, evangelist, Dublin.

2:30 to 3—Rev. Burnie Burnside, pastor of Fundamental Baptist Church, Big Spring.

3 to 3:30—Rev. Jasper Massague, Jr., Coleman.

3:30 to 4—Rev. Raymond C. Wilson, pastor of Angelo Heights Baptist Church, San Angelo.

4 to 4:30—Rev. Gilbert W. Wilson, pastor of Old Fashioned Missionary Baptist Church, Ballinger.

Last Sunday night at the tent meeting on Eighth Street, Rev. Gilbert W. Wilson closed a very successful meeting with this message: "Signs of the Second Coming of Christ," Luke 21:25-28. "There shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars, etc."

Monday of this week, Rev. Wilson began a tent revival at Paint Rock. The gospel truck will leave the library at 7:30 each evening to take those from Ballinger who wish to attend these services.

A special service will be held at the tent Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Because of the meeting at Paint Rock, there will be no Sunday night services in the library auditorium.

REV. WHIPPLE ACCEPTS CALL TO OLNEY CHURCH

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Whipple left this week for Olney, where the former has accepted a call to the ministry of the Christian church. Rev. Whipple served the First Christian Church here for the past two years and made many friends in this section. Besides being an able preacher he has a fine tenor voice and did much solo work in connection with his services.

No regular services are being held at the Ballinger church except Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

As Disastrous Flood Vented Fury on West



Fury of the floods which swept several midwestern states, wiping out two towns and taking a toll of many lives, besides millions of dollars' damage, is graphically evidenced here. In the scene above, turbulent flood waters swirl about trail buildings on a Colorado farm, while residents take temporary refuge on the roof shown at left. At right, a railroad bridge near Colorado Springs is shown crumpling after it had been torn from its piers by a swollen, raging stream.

Remember Father Sunday, June 16

Sunday is Father's Day and will be so observed in Ballinger. Merchants are offering special inducements this week to encourage children and relatives to remember "Dad," and most fathers are looking forward to the occasion with pleasant anticipation.

The day will be recognized in most local church services next Sunday and the papas made to feel their importance a little more by the special attention they will receive.

We invite the readers of this paper to carefully read the advertisements this week. Most of them feature suitable gifts for father, something he will like and will use.

For many years Mother's Day has been observed on the second Sunday in May. Father's Day initiated several years ago, is observed on the third Sunday in June. While it has never had the sentiment attached to it that accompanies Mother's Day, it has become popular in a more humorous strain, and has come to be recognized all over the nation.

BENOIT CLUB TO HOLD ICE CREAM SUPPER

The Benoit home demonstration club will sponsor an ice cream supper and forty-two party Friday night, June 21. The affair, to be held in the Benoit school house, will begin at 8 o'clock.

Both the women and girls will assist in serving the ice cream and conducting the party. Both groups will also benefit from the affair. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of a representative to the short course at College Station this summer.

Mrs. Luella Holwegler and daughter, Miss Hallie Holwegler, left this afternoon for Galveston to attend the funeral of H. F. Holwegler, to be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) morning. Deceased had made home at Galveston since leaving Ballinger a number of years ago.

C. A. Doose, Jr., will leave this (Thursday) evening for Washington, D. C., after spending a short vacation here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Maddox, of Cisco, were here Sunday for a visit with R. L. Maddox.

Calling Cards on short notice. Ballinger Printing Co. Phone 27.

Local Postoffice Sells \$19,200 of 'Baby Bonds'

The sale of United States "baby bonds" by the Ballinger postoffice has reached a total of \$14,400 sale price, with a value at maturity of \$19,200. These bonds were first put on sale in March and some sales have been made each month since.

In a number of larger cities in this section the postoffices published the total amount of sales to last week and none were as large as reported here. Postmaster

Relief Case Load is Cut 20 Per Cent This Week

Relief Cannery To be Completed For Run July 1

The building to house the relief cannery plant here will be practically finished this week with the exception of some interior work. Walls were completed Wednesday and a crew began laying the roof and putting in windows and doors. Floors and plastering will be finished next week and equipment installed for the first run about July 1.

H. N. Lyle, county administrator, stated Wednesday that indications were the plant would have capacity runs for some time. Many people have visited his office to arrange for canning on the toll system and orders have been placed for a large number of cans for the initial run.

Mrs. Hulda Mullins will be in charge of the plant when operations are started. She was superintendent of the small cannery operated here last year and is thoroughly capable in every way to take charge of the enlarged plant.

The first run will likely be on vegetables and fruit as patrons have already booked berries and garden produce.

The new plant will be much larger than that operated last year and the new building will accommodate the additional equipment to better advantage. The capacity will be more than doubled.

Bruce Creasy returned the past week-end from Corpus Christi and other points in that section where he had been on business. He reported the finest crop prospects he has ever seen there, declaring fields in that vicinity are a real picture and far ahead of this section.

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The case load of relief workers in Runnels county was reduced about 20 per cent this week. Three representatives of the social service department, Austin, headed by Mrs. Alice Adams, district supervisor, were here to check the case records in the county administrator's office. Other members of the field group were Mrs. Grady Roberts and Robert Via.

Approximately 75 were removed from the rolls here after the case records were examined. This will take about 40 per cent of the men off the Ballinger-Bronte highway work but will not affect other projects underway. The highest peak at any time since relief work started was in January and February of this year when there were 1,164 on the rolls in this county.

As more jobs developed this load was automatically reduced to around 800 at the beginning of this week and the 20 per cent slash brings it still lower.

Farm work is providing a large number with employment now and is expected to take up still more of the slack when weather conditions permit entering the fields.

Relief work was practically stopped in Concho county this week because of a shortage of men. The relief project on highway 4 was without laborers this week, according to State Resident Engineer W. D. Hooper, and no men are available for the resumption of work soon.

Registration of all employable persons receiving emergency relief in Texas with the national reemployment service was ordered by State Relief Director Adam R. Johnson in a communication addressed to all county administrators and directors of transient divisions.

The state director acted under instructions from Federal Administrator Harry L. Hopkins, who said it is necessary that such persons be classified as to occupation and fitness for work, and thus be available for referral to public and private employment.

The regulation applies to non-resident persons receiving transient relief and to all rural rehabilitation families. Local NRS offices are making arrangements to handle this new registration immediately.

At the same time, Johnson said the state board of control has adopted the policy of denying aid to employable persons who refuse to accept employment as farm laborers in the county of their residence.

"We continue daily to hear about shortage of farm labor in many sections of the state. In counties where this condition prevails, we expect relief administrators to supply this labor from the relief rolls. The employable relief client who refuses to work on a farm is not worthy of further assistance from our organization," Johnson said.

Another step toward reducing the

Many Citizens in Favor Of Holding County Fair

Tuberculosis Tests Given 14,979 Head Of Cattle in County

Testing of dairy and range cattle in Runnels county for tuberculosis will probably be completed this week or the first part of next. Nine veterinarians have been here for several weeks and have worked in 2,845 herds, giving tests to 14,979 cattle. Only one reactor has been discovered to date.

Two of the veterinarians were transferred this week to Concho county to begin similar work and others will be sent there as the work is completed here. The excellent condition found in this county will cause the quarantine to be lifted here as soon as the testing is finished.

All dairy cattle and 20 per cent of the range cattle in Runnels county have been tested. The only positive reaction showed on the second test that the animal really had the disease. A recheck will be made in the herd where this animal was found to be sure others are not affected.

Veterinarians who have worked in this county and the number of cattle inspected follow: C. P. Burnett, 1,102; E. B. Crenshaw, 1,025; L. A. Dunbar, 1,172; R. C. Gregory, 979; C. C. Parker, 1,480; E. D. Rhoads, 1,345; George W. Ragan, 944; A. W. Thomas, 573; W. R. Younger, 1,355.

Livestock, poultry, agriculture and clubs would furnish most of the exhibits and a program of hippodrome acts, athletics and a good midway would provide amusement. Some favor a rodeo instead of the regular circus acts formerly used.

As soon as crop conditions are fairly well determined, the directors and committeemen will be called to assemble to determine whether the fair will be held, and if so, set dates. A number of other West Texas fair associations are interested in the dates so that no conflicts in amusement bookings will be experienced in this immediate section.

Drilling Resumed After Casing Set In Two Oil Tests

Twelve-inch casing has been set to 1,130 feet in the Wolverton-Willingham No. 1, two miles southeast of Ballinger, and drilling will be resumed immediately. Rain has interfered with the work to some extent but with the pipe to the bottom of the hole everything is ready to proceed.

Casing was set to about 1,400 feet in the Bean-James No. 1 last week, and the depth of the hole was approximately 1,700 feet to noon today (Thursday). The drillers are making good headway and expect to top the McMillan sand near the 2,500-foot mark.

Both these tests are attracting much attention and in case they are producers would start considerable activity. The Bean-James would add a large extension to the McMillan pool while the Wolverton test is in altogether unproven territory. The latter is to be drilled to 3,500 feet unless pay is encountered at a lesser depth.

No report was received here this week on the oil test being drilled on the G. W. Ash place near Crews. This also is considered unproven area.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forman returned Tuesday from Coleman, where they visited relatives several days.

J. C. Sturges attended to business in Dallas this week, buying merchandise for his Ballinger store.

relief load was taken when the state agent of the United States department of labor promised to supply relief officials with all reports of labor shortages from the farm placement service in order that relief clients may have an opportunity for placement in farm work.

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Big Preparations Made at Sonora For Rodeo, Races



Alfred Schwiening Sonora

The race meet and rodeo to be staged at Sonora on June 27 and 28 is expected to attract thousands of West Texans to witness one of the feature celebrations of the state. Alfred Schwiening, Sutton county ranchman and city commissioner, is in charge of arrangements.

Purses totalling \$1,110, plus entrance fees are to be given race horse owners who enter their mounts in the six-event program to be offered daily. The races each day and the purses offered are:

Quarter-mile, 2-year-olds, \$75; quarter-mile, all ages, \$75; 3-8 mile, all ages, \$85; half mile, all ages, \$95; 9-8 mile, all ages, \$100.

3-4 mile, all ages, \$125.

Racing and roping events, the latter to carry \$330 in purses, are to be at the park with the grandstand on the San Angelo highway just out of town—scene of many pleasing celebrations in years gone by. The free barbecue will be in town the first day, Thursday.

Asked for the secret of his success in putting on celebrations Mr. Schwiening said:

"Like nearly everything else it's mostly a case of the old 'saw' of 'everybody putting his shoulder to the wheel and pushing hard.' It has to be run right, of course."

When his interviewer asked for a bit about some of his amusing experiences while putting on celebrations year after year, Mr. Schwiening "hedged" quite a bit but finally broke through with this:

"It isn't at all funny. In fact, it's sort of pathetic to think that a West Texas man can be that small. Here's what I'm thinking about: I've always got a klick out of standing off to one side and watching a few men try to sneak in and get their barbecue before the ladies are fed. There's nearly always a few like that and it always gets me."

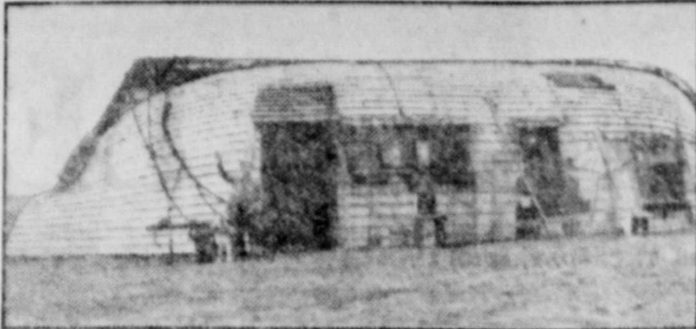
"I always wonder how men can be that small. It just isn't West Texas."

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It's 'Bottoms Up' for Old Boat



Once a proud beauty of the briny deep, this ship's comedown has been gradual. After serving as the home of Capt. Dan Pegotty in the recent filming of Dickens' famous novel, it now plays the prosaic role of a lobster stand on the Malibu coast, at Oxnard, Calif.

Veribest Takes Double Header From Ramblers

The Ballinger Ramblers fell into a streak of bad luck Sunday afternoon at Veribest and lost a double-header to that club. Part of the bad luck was the lack of players. Manager Earl Schuhmann stated that only five or six regulars were present for the game Sunday and they naturally couldn't even come close to the Veribest nine.

The second half of the Concho Basin League starts next Sunday with the first game being played here. The Ramblers will contest Station A at Fair Park at 3 o'clock. Station A finished in third position in the first half of league play and promises to give the locals plenty of trouble.

The Veribest club and Ellis Parts,

San Angelo, tied for top position in the first half of the season and will probably play off the tie before the play-off between the winners of the first and second halves. Ballinger finished in fourth place and the Miles Giants in the cellar.

Admission charges of 25 and 10 cents are announced for next Sunday's game, which promises to be a fast affair.

Mrs. Dave Ransberger was in Ballinger Monday from her home near Pony, and reported her husband, who was hurt several weeks ago when thrown from a horse, improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lynn spent the week-end in Kerrville, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn. They drove down Saturday in their new Pontiac.

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Inspector Views Guard Property; Camp Dates Set

Major Paul W. Taylor spent Wednesday with company C, 142nd infantry, checking equipment and property for the adjutant general's department. The armory, personal equipment and rifle range were inspected by the staff officer and all found in the first class condition.

This inspection is made every year just before the annual encampment. The dates for the encampment this year are August 3 to 17, and Captain Ross Murchison expects 65 men and three officers to enter for the two week's intensive training. The company is at full strength and practically all the men have made definite arrangements to be free to attend the camp near Palacios this year.

Several coaches will be set out here by the Santa Fe railroad the day before entraining so that equipment can be loaded and a baggage car converted into a kitchen. A special train will take the guardsmen from this section of the state to Camp Hulon.

More than half the members of the Ballinger company will attend their first camp this summer. These men, who enlisted in the

Retired Acreage Compliance Work To Begin July 1

The secretary of agriculture has asked all cotton producers to stake off their retired acreage at once and the compliance work in connection with the 1935 contracts will begin July 1. At that time the community committeemen together with what help they need will begin a check-up on the retired acreage and survey the land staked off by the producers against their contracts.

FINNISH GIRL PAINTER IS DECLARED A GENIUS

HELSINGFORS, Finland, June 12.—Critics and public of Sweden, Latvia, Russia and Finland, who have seen the paintings of 13-year-old Irina Backsbacka, declare that the girl is a real genius.

Seventy of her pictures have been exhibited in Stockholm, Riga, Helsingfors and Moscow, and were received with acclaim in all cities. They were taken to Helsingfors by Herr Fahlerantz, owner of a gallery, after he had noticed their reception in the other places. They consist of oils, pastels and water colors.

Irina is the daughter of a well-known Helsingfors art dealer and a Russian mother. Still in school, she can paint only on holidays. Although she has been in the public eye two years she is unspoiled, for at the time newspapers were praising her pictures her teachers were giving her low marks for being backward in Finnish.

Save money on groceries, read the ads.

The exact instructions for the compliance work has not been officially announced, but all contract signers must set apart their retired acreage and designate it by stakes, posts or rock piles, so that the compliance workers can locate it with ease. The work will require more time than last year because there are several hundred more contract signers in the county this year. Most of the contracts have been signed and sent to Washington and Monday of this week was the final date for making application for exemption certificates.

Strict records will be kept on all land specified on the retired list this year and crops planted on it may be devoted by the producer to his own use.

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NORTH NORTON NEWS

After a few days of sunshine farmers are busy plowing over their crops and getting ready to harvest the grain crop which is looking very promising.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Bryan and children and Mrs. Mary Allen, of Wingate, visited their sister, Mrs. Lawrence Bryan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Bryan and children and Mr. and Mrs. Newsum were guests in the Harl McCowan home at Oak Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Underwood attended church at New Norton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ownie Louder, of Miles, and Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cantrell were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Robinson Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Bryan, Mrs. J. P. Hutson and Mrs. Glenn Bryan visited in Winters Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lawler and daughters were shopping in Ballinger Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bryan and children were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hutson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bryan were guests in the Ben Curry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryan were guests in the Jack Isbell home Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Isbell was a week-end visitor in the Leroy Bryan home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson visited Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Hutson Sunday.

Mrs. G. M. Watkin and children are visiting relatives near Wingate.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Eubank visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bryan Sunday.

Billie Joe Emmert, of Winters, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. F. E. Lawler.

Mrs. Sam Little and Mrs. F. Y. Little were shopping in Winters Saturday.

HARMONY HERALDS

Both services at the Baptist church were well attended Sunday. Rev. F. R. Cole, of Abilene, will fill his regular appointment here next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Green, of Victory, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seals Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Keating, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Keating, of Mullin, and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Stubblefield, of Barnett, were guests in the Joe Stubblefield home Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Seals and Mrs. C. E. Branham and baby were visitors in Ballinger Thursday.

Miss Maxine Webb, of Orange, who had been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mollie England, for the past six months, returned to her home recently.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pumphrey Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Worthington and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hawkins and family.

Mrs. J. F. England, Ruth, Merle, and Mildred England, and Ben England were business visitors in Ballinger Thursday.

Mrs. H. M. Burleson and daughter, of Winters, and Mrs. Lucian Gray and daughter visited Mrs.

Truett Billups Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Worthington, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. England, Mrs. Lee Yeager, Mrs. Ella Seals, Mrs. W. T. Billups, Ruth England, T. F. Balms and Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Seals attended the B. Y. P. U. meeting at Content Sunday afternoon.

Wayne Nutt, of Hatchel, spent the week visiting his aunt, Mrs. C. B. Mosley.

Mrs. F. L. Laird and Mrs. J. L. Harper are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Jim Seals and sons, Marvin and Willie V. were Abilene visitors one day the past week.

Myrtle Gallant, of Franklin, attended B. T. U. here Sunday night.

Mrs. Oren Mathis and daughter, Rena Dee, are spending this week visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Gambill, of Lamesa. Mrs. Mathis plans to visit the Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico before returning home.

BLANTON BREVITIES

Rev. McClelland and wife, of Lawn, conducted a study course here last week for the B. Y. P. U. After examination Friday night the meeting was turned into a social hour. Ice cream and cake were served.

Miss Robbie Foreman, of Content, is spending several days with Miss Laverne Boothe.

Misses Mildred Elkins and Juanita Huddleston left recently for Brownwood, where they will attend summer school at Howard Payne College.

Miss Lenora Flanagan spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flanagan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Boothe and children, of Spur, spent the week-end with the J. P. Boothe family.

C. F. Tounget carried a load of lambs to the Fort Worth market last Wednesday.

Miss Amelia Weetner, of Ballinger, spent Saturday night with Miss Serena Lindemann.

CONTENT CONTRIBUTIONS

Farmers here appreciate the pretty weather we are having now. Some of them are having to replant cotton. Grain is being cut, but most of it is just getting ripe.

Morris Lewallen, who had been seriously ill, is better.

Beryl Hudson is still improving. Mrs. Arvel Patton, who has been ill for the past few days, is better.

Mrs. Pink King and son, Manie, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Coleston, of Big Spring, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goats, Sunday.

D. McComb's sister, Mrs. Tulley, and his niece, Mrs. Curbey, of Rogers, are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. McKnight, of Sweetwater, spent a few minutes last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carter.

D. B. McCombs is visiting relatives in San Saba this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings and family, of New Mexico, visited in the home of the latter's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Simmons, Sunday afternoon.

Carroll Griffin, of Arizona, whose father was buried in the Tokean cemetery recently, is making home with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and

Mrs. Caleb Brown. McCoy Nall is at Brownwood in school.

Rev. F. Walter King, of Ballinger, preached here Sunday morning and evening.

Our district missionary, Rev. J. P. King, and wife, of Brownwood, visited the church services Sunday morning and the B. T. U. zone meeting Sunday afternoon.

Rev. F. R. Cole and wife and Rev. R. H. Howell and wife and small son conducted a study course here last week.

The B. T. U. zone meeting No. 2 was held at the Content Baptist church Sunday afternoon. Content will be responsible for the program August 11, second Sunday afternoon, at Harmony.

Rev. Miller, of Howard Payne College, will preach here Friday night. Saturday night and Sunday morning and night Rev. R. H. Howell will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Lockett visited in the home of Albert Lockett, of Lawn, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Patton and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burleson, of Silver Valley, Sunday. They report that the latter family has a new baby girl. Harold Burleson is a former resident of this community.

BARNETT BELL RINGERS

Rev. James Alexander filled his regular appointment Sunday. He rendered good sermons and there was a good attendance Sunday morning and night.

Johnnie Flood, Martin Beal and Charles McPherson, of Fort Cobb, Oklahoma, who had been to the valley, came by to see J. B. Dorsey the first of this week. Mr. Flood is Mr. Dorsey's grandson.

B. D. Camp and Miss Minnie Lea Camp were callers in the J. M. Laxton home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyree and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patterson and son were in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyree and son Sunday.

Willie and Edison Ellis and John Hughes spent Sunday with David and Roland Dorsey.

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And Was Her Face Red!



"There's been a conspiracy hatched up here," is probably what that pigeon is thinking, as she turns an embarrassed gaze on the fruits of her recent labors. Finding an egg in a barrel, she obeyed the maternal instinct and hatched it out. Instead of a baby pigeon, it turned out to be a fluffy chick.

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Sides. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Duke and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Largon Barnett and family, of Hagan. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Tyree and son were in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Forgy Sunday evening.

HATCHEL HUMMINGS

Farmers are busy planting over their cotton and other crops that were damaged.

Misses Corinne and Willie Bell Graves spent Sunday with Mrs. S. H. Guin.

Sunday was community singing day at the Hatchel school auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Berry, of Norton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hurt, of Marie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Golden.

James, Louise and Byron Graves, of Crews, spent Sunday at Hatchel. Little Bobbie Jack Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Nelson, has been very ill recently.

Luin McWilliams, Jr., is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reagan, of Hatchel, and Mrs. Irwin Mathis, of Ballinger, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Nichols.

Billie Sue Mathis, of Ballinger, spent last week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reagan.

Mr. and Mrs. Sollie Vinson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bradshaw.

Sunday was regular preaching day at the Baptist church. A large crowd attended.

Miss Angie Smith and George Reams, both of this community, were married Wednesday night.

Some of the Hatchel people attended the Church of Christ at Ballinger Sunday and Sunday night, where Bro. J. N. Cowan is conducting a meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Williams and Lorine and Junior Allbright left Monday for Dallas.

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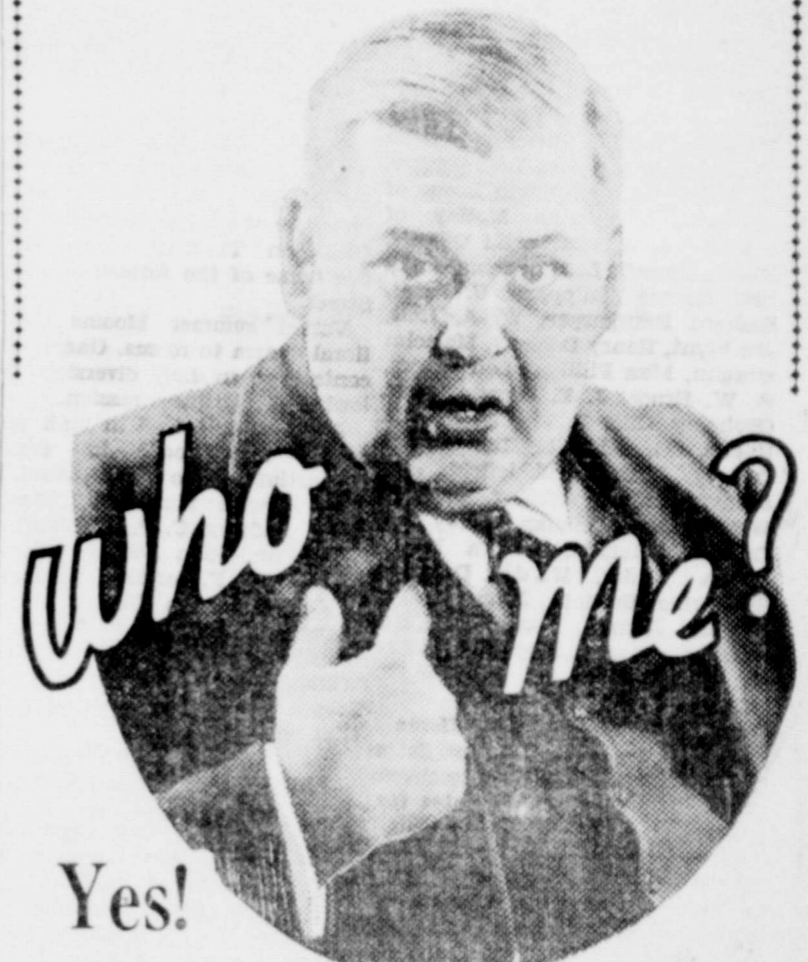
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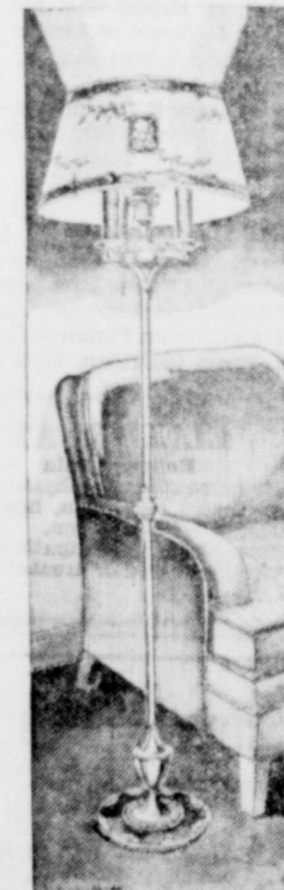
Father's Day

Sunday, June 16



Yes!

Give Dear Old Dad a Gift He Would Pick Himself



An Easy Chair or New Style Lamp

Give dad a real comfort as he reads his evening paper or magazine. We have any type of chair and a big assortment of indirect lamps, special for Father's Day.

Other Suggestions

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FATHERS' Day

Sunday, June 16

For Your Father Select a Gift that He Wants, But Will Not Buy for Himself. He Probably Needs:

- A New Billfold
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- Cigars
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IN SOCIETY

McDonald-Kemp Wedding is Held

Miss Ethel Kemp became the bride of W. A. McDonald of Winters last Sunday in an early morning service performed at 8:35 at the country home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kemp.

Varied summer blooms provided a lovely decoration which centered around an improvised altar formed against double windows in the living room. Only relatives and very close friends witnessed the impressive ring service performed by the Rev. J. H. McClain, pastor of the Ballinger Baptist Church.

The bride wore a Chuker model of heaven blue crepe and embroidered lace. Her corsage bouquet was of sweet peas and maiden hair fern. For traveling she wore a white sport suit of matisse crepe with accessories also in white.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio Mr. and Mrs. McDonald will be at home at Winters.

The bride is a graduate of the local high school and of Simmons University. For the past year she was a popular teacher in the elementary school here.

Mr. McDonald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDonald, of Wilmett, and for the past several years has been associated with Nance-Brown Motor Co. in Winters.

Shower for Bride-Elect

Miss Veda B. Boone, bride-elect of Ted I. Pace, of Brownwood, was given a surprise shower Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Jack McKay in the home of Mrs. J. E. Boone on Twelfth Street.

As guests arrived they registered and wrote a toast to the bride. Misses Janette and Annette Tucker, of Winters, gave musical numbers. Miss Boone was winner in a clever word contest and received the prize, which was the shower of gifts.

Punch and cake was served. Included were: Mmes. Frank Cameron, Freeman Owen, Bob Harrison of Wichita Falls, Hugh Parrish, Arthur Wiesepape, Leon Thomas, Paul Beard, Dick Embry, K. V. Northington, Erwin Boone of Brownwood, Loraine McKay of Winters, L. A. Mosier, Ed O'Kelly, Harris Russell, L. H. Paris, Leman Bell, Horace Attnip, H. U. Jones, Richard Ransberger, W. A. Holt, Joe Flynn, Henry Doherty, Malcolm Morgan, Max Phillips, Lon Mapes, R. W. Bruce, J. E. Brewer, J. P. Goehring, Ollie B. Mosely, Charlie Harris, O. H. Rezzle, Rothal O'Kelly, Frances McKay, Bernice McKay, Bertha Holland, Ruby and Oma Stubblefield, Lenora Neely, Emma Wilder, N. A. Doherty, Katharine Barnett, Jimmy Jewell Taylor, Juanita Jones, Emma Thomas, Anna B. Mapes and Hester Boone.

Luncheon Club in Lynn Home

The spacious home of Mrs. Estes Lynn was opened to Luncheon Club members and substitutes for absentees last Thursday.

Vantage placings of tall vases of gladioli blooms gave added charm to rooms where monogrammed accessories were used in the games of contract.

Home-made peach ice cream was served with cookies preceding the games to: Mmes. F. M. Pearce, Arthur Giesecke, George Holman, R. L. Harwell, K. W. Gregg, Paul Trimmer, Victor Miller, Alex McGregor, Herman Giesecke, Jr., Ralph Erwin, Malcolm McGregor, and Troy Simpson.

Mrs. McGregor Entertains Clubs

Mrs. Alex McGregor was hostess to members of two clubs and additional friends on last Friday and Saturday afternoons, entertaining in her attractive Eleventh Street home.

Gladioluses and summer roses graced rooms where four tables were in play each day.

On Friday high score club award was won by Mrs. George Kirk, high guest by Mrs. Robert Harding of San Antonio, and traveling prize by Mrs. Herman Giesecke, Jr., in games with Mmes. Leslie Baker, C. W. Cheatham, Frank Pearce, Phillip Walker of San Antonio, Arthur Giesecke, George Holman.

Relatives and friends present for the day included Mrs. Stella Jones, R. D. Jones and Katherine Ray, of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tillery, of Paint Rock, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rayburn, and Mrs. D. L. Breward of Ballinger, Sammie, E. W. Gordon and Currie Brookshier, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brookshier, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parker, of Benoit, Mrs. Doela McMillan, Mrs. Lanora

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Mrs. Estes Lynn, Mrs. W. R. Bogle and Mrs. Jack McGregor assisted in serving a frozen salad course with fruit punch.

On Saturday Mrs. J. R. Lusk, Mrs. Malcolm McGregor and Mrs. Arthur Giesecke assisted. Guests were: Mmes. J. C. Sturges, Jr., W. R. Bogle, Paul Trimmer, A. R. Jones, J. B. Striplin, Estes Lynn, Horace Sessions, Sim Cottle, E. W. Stasney, Victor Miller, K. V. Northington, E. C. Baskin, C. P. Shepherd, J. A. Schnable, Troy Simpson, and Miss Frances Trail.

Fort Worth Visitor Complimented

Mrs. Claude P. Jones, of Fort Worth, who is house guest of Mrs. J. B. Striplin, was named guest of honor last Thursday at a prettily appointed late afternoon party.

Roses, gladioli and sweet peas decked rooms of the Striplin home on Broadway where guests assembled for an hour of pleasant conversation with the honoree, a former Ballinger resident.

Included were: Mmes. John Currie, W. B. Woody, E. W. Stasney, C. P. Shepherd, John Weeks, R. W. Earnshaw, Rothal O'Kelly, H. C. Lyon, W. H. Vanderpool, Sam Behringer, Troy Simpson, Ed O'Kelly, Charles Bailey, J. G. Douglass, R. W. Bruce, E. C. Baskin, E. E. King, Robert Bruce, W. A. Francis, Loyd Herring, J. A. Schnable, Leonard Stallings, U. E. Hartman, Claude Stone, J. M. Skinner, J. C. Richards and Miss Eugenia Baskin.

Supper for Mrs. Jones

An informal supper on Saturday at the Ballinger Country Club, by members of the Sockeye Club was an added favor for Mrs. C. P. Jones.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Striplin, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Stasney, Mrs. Jones, John Weeks, Earnshaw and James Striplin.

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Alaska Colonists Draw Farms



Slips of paper in a cardboard box determined the distribution of farms on which 500 families, transported from America's midwest, will carve their futures in Alaska's Matanuska Valley. With Col. Otto F. Olson, holding the box, Martin W. McCormick, former Michigan farmer, is shown above at Palmer, Alaska, drawing the slip designating which 40-acre tract would support him and his family. Don L. Irwin, formerly of Minneapolis, and manager of the colonists, awaits his turn.

Webb and four sons, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bristler, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bristler, and Mrs. B. F. Bunyard and daughter, Marguerite, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Blair, of Ballinger, Von Lee Lewis, Charles Waldrop, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clark and children, Mrs. Mozelle Allison, Bonnie Mae Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson Mrs. Pearl Clark, A. E. Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Clark, of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Kerby, Carl Faubion, Linden Rosford, Winona Faubion, Mona Arent, Maggie Ruth Brevard, Mr. and Mrs. Welby Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Batsell, Alta Hale, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Arent, M. S. Hale, Ozella Arent, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Miller and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brevard, Mrs. R. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Henderson, and James Robert and Evelyn Henderson, all of the Herring-Taipa section; A. M. Moreland, of Wilmett; Mrs. Roy E. Bird, of Texon; Miss Lorene Bush, of Coleman; E. G. Springer and Rev. E. L. Springer, of Brownwood.

PENNY SAVERS HONORED

ELTHAM, England, June 12.—Because Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mills saved their pennies a ward in Eltham and Mottingham Cottage Hospital, has just been named after them. Mills was a workman at the Woolwich arsenal when they began putting away pennies. When he died last year he directed that at the death of his wife all his property, thought to be a small amount, should go to the hospital. She was killed by an automobile recently and also left her money to the institution. The amount was then found to be \$17,500.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

55,000 World War Veterans Get Call For CCC Service

A number of World War veterans have recently been seeking information from Service Officer D. G. Posey, of the Ballinger American Legion post, regarding enlistment in the civilian conservation corps. The CCC army will be increased approximately 55,000 between June 15 and September 1, enough to bring the total enlistments to 600,000. Veterans will be given preference in filling county quotas on the new call.

Data received by the local service officer from Adam Johnson, director of the state relief commission, and from the United States veterans' bureaus at San Antonio and Dallas is to the effect that many already in the camps will be taken first and that others will be accepted in their regular turn.

Those desiring further information regarding the enlistment of veterans in these camps can get complete details from either of the veterans' bureaus located at San Antonio and Dallas. Veterans' organizations also will assist any ex-service man in applying for enlistment.

CRIMINAL NO LONGER SAFE BY BURNING OF BODIES

OSAKA, Japan, June 12.—Murderers who burn the bodies of their victims to hide the crimes will be less secure if police adopt a method discovered by Dr. Masazumi Ohido, of the Imperial University.

He recently expounded his theory before the Japan Forensic Medical Society by reading a paper on the "Progress of Demonstrating the Presence of Carbon Oxide Haemoglobin in the Blood," which revealed how chemical tests on a burned body can determine whether fire was the cause of death.

Calling Cards on short notice. Ballinger Printing Co. Phone 27.

Four Square Gospel Revival Will Start Sunday Evening

Rev. Daniel P. Koop and Rev. Charles R. Dunaway will begin a revival Sunday, June 16, at the Four Square Gospel Church, located on Twelfth Street in the old Howard carpentry shop building near the Santa Fe right-of-way. The services will continue indefinitely each evening at 7:45 with the exception of Monday.

Sunday school will be held at 9:45 a. m. and the morning service begins at 11 o'clock. The revival proper will start Sunday evening and the public is invited to attend. Both evangelists will take turns in delivering messages at the evening services.

The revivalists will preach the Four Square Gospel, which is: "Jesus Christ the Savior, the healer of the body, the baptizer of the Holy Spirit and the coming King."

Further announcements will be made after the meeting is underway and other features are incorporated in the services.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Bell are entertaining a baby boy at their home. He arrived last Friday evening. Mother and baby are both doing nicely.

Miss Velma Parrish is spending the week in Hereford, visiting relatives.

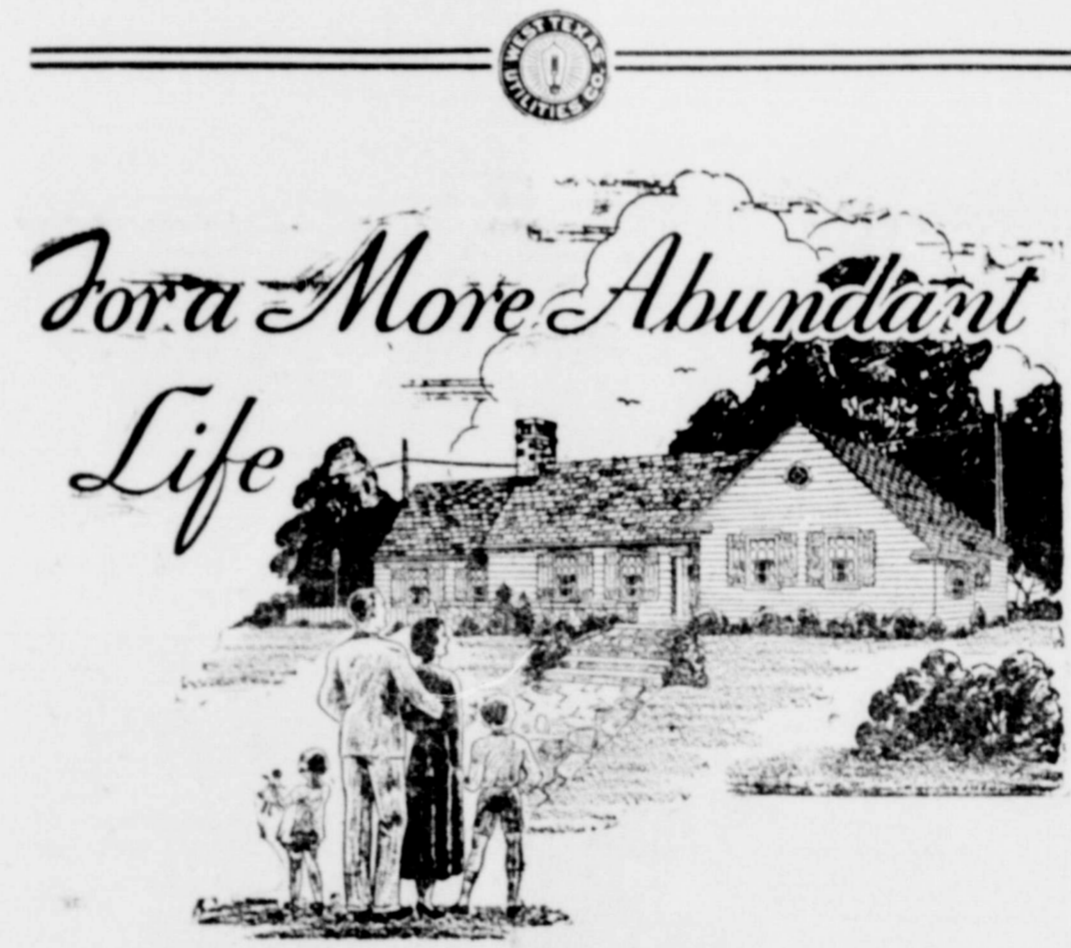
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GOOD YEAR

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St. Boniface Day Observance Draws Throngs to Olfen

The observance of St. Boniface Day at Olfen Sunday drew large number of people from this section. Soon after dinner a baseball game was played between the Rowena and Olfen teams and other entertainment followed.

There were a number of stands on the grounds and all were doing a good business until a late hour Sunday evening.

Beginning at 5:30 Sunday evening the housewives of the Olfen community served a dinner of barbecue and all the trimmings and many guests passed through the dining room.

Rev. G. A. Boeckman, pastor of the Olfen parish, was delighted with the large attendance and the success of the special observance.

INSPIRING OPPORTUNITIES

Young people interested in early incomes should write at once for current Employment Report issued by Draughon's Business Colleges, showing long list of recent placements and many unfilled positions—proof that the world-famous Draughon Training brings inspiring opportunities during good times and bad.

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FORMER BALLINGER PREACHER AT T. W. C.

Rev. H. D. Marlin, former pastor of the First Methodist Church here, has been elected vice-president and history teacher at Texas Woman's College, Fort Worth. He has accepted the position and resigned as pastor of the Handley Methodist church. Rev. Marlin and family are living in the college dormitory.

Mrs. W. E. Miller, of Temple, returned home Sunday after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woody.

Agent Inspecting 4-H Club Calves On Feed in County

County Agent Elmo V. Cook spent the week-end in McCulloch and Mason counties inspecting calves being fed by 4-H club boys. He plans to visit all the boys in this county this week or next who are feeding calves to see how they are progressing while on the trip over this county Mr. Cook will give the boys the benefit of all he has learned on visits to other counties and will make suggestions on what rations should be fed the calves during the next several months.

In speaking of the calves bought in this county Mr. Cook said "I am well pleased and feel that we have some calves as good as anything I have seen so far." Earlier in the year a trip was made to McCulloch and Mason counties to inspect herds and some of the have some calves as good as any-chased in those counties.

Mason county boys have won in practically every show where they exhibited for a number of years. In addition to having some fine stock they are doing other excellent club work.

The stock being fattened in Runnels county has been carefully selected and the county agent thinks if the club boys work hard their exhibits will compare favorably with any in this section next spring.

LOST FAT BECAUSE SHE HEEDED DOCTOR'S ADVICE

And Didn't Listen To Gossiping Neighbors!

Mrs. H. H. Long, of Clarinda, Iowa, writes: "Kruschen was recommended to me by my doctor. Weight when starting was 226. Weight now after 3 jars is 208. Doctor says I'm doing fine."

When Kruschen Salts is prescribed by reputable physicians to safely take off fat and greatly improve health—why listen to gossipers who don't want you to be slender? Envious!

Have a mind of your own—get a jar of Kruschen today (lasts 4 weeks and costs but a trifle). Take a half teaspoonful in a cup of hot water every morning—tastes fine with juice of half lemon added. If you don't lose 12 lbs. and feel years younger—money back. Weeks Drug Store, J. Y. Pearce Drug Co., and L. C. Daugherty Drug Store sell lots of it.

R. A. Perry, of Miles, county commissioner, attended to business in Ballinger Monday.

Ballinger Firemen Attending State Meeting at El Paso

The Ballinger delegates and a few visitors left Sunday for El Paso to attend the State Firemen's Association meeting. They will be there for the entire convention program, expecting to return home some time tomorrow (Friday).

Those attending from here are: Chester Cherry, Ollie Hamilton and K. V. Northington, Jr., by train from Abilene; O. K. Morgan and daughter, Gladys Lee, and Mrs. E. E. Avey and daughter, Bobbie, by automobile. K. V. Northington, Jr., was elected mascot of the state association at Mineral Wells last year and is attending as a state official. Miss Avey is mascot of the Ballinger department and was sent to the convention by the local firemen. Chief Cherry, who has been a director of the state organization for many years, is a director of the state firemen's school which is held annually at College Station.

In addition to an excellent program featuring some of the noted fire chiefs of the nation, El Paso is offering a wide variety of entertainment for the visitors. Some of the entertainment will be an excursion into Mexico one afternoon and a number of banquets in El Paso and in Juarez.

The convention will close this evening.

5,000 RAVENS CAPTURED IN FIVE WEEKS' CAMPAIGN

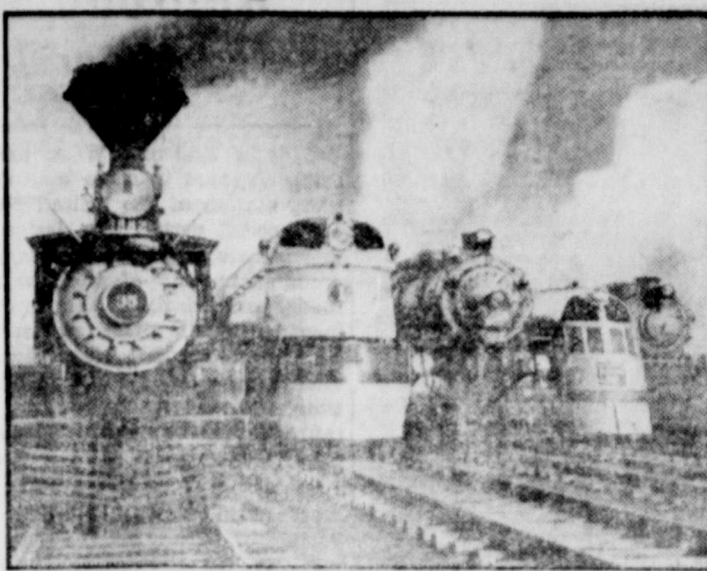
ODESSA, Tex., June 12.—More than 5,000 ravens have been captured in an improved type of cage trap during a five weeks' campaign in Ector and Andrews counties, according to H. L. Atkins, county agricultural agent. The cage is made in panels and this panel construction makes the trap easy to take down and move from place to place. Materials for 25 traps built in Andrews county averaged slightly less than \$5 per trap, and it is estimated that they will give at least three years of service.

Dead rabbits or meat scraps are used for bait. Experience has shown that when a catch is made one or two ravens should be left in the trap to serve as decoys. Feathers of dead ravens should not be left around the trap.

Tad Richards returned home Saturday from the Scott & White clinic, Temple, where he had been for treatment.

Ray Hopper, manager of Hopper's Cafe, replaced a portion of the sidewalk in front of his restaurant this week. Broken places on one side of the walk were taken up and replaced by concrete.

Rail Progress—at a Glance!



In this "family reunion" of the rails, a venerable "wood burner" of the '90's makes the acquaintance of four sleek young moderns. These specimens, assembled by four western railroads preparatory to observance of Railroad Week, are, left to right: The Burlington Limited of 50 years ago; the oil-burning Hiawatha of the Milwaukee road; the Northwestern's "464," the Burlington "Zephyr," and the Alton's "Abraham Lincoln."

Golf Tournament to Bring Noted Players to Course

Local committees are completing preparations for the first annual invitation golf tournament here which will open June 20 and close June 23. Qualifying rounds will be played any time prior to the opening day and many prominent golfers are to be here on June 18 and 19 to play the 18-hole medal score for places in the flights.

H. G. Agnew spent the week-end at the Philpco tournament and reported that practically all the best players in that tourney would be here and that he expected at least three flights of 32 players each to qualify before the opening of the invitation tilt.

Extra laborers were employed this week to put the Ballinger Country Club course in condition. Recent rains made grass and weeds grow rapidly and it will require constant mowing of the fairways to get the course in good shape. New traps have just been built near the greens but have yet to be sanded and embankments rolled before the visiting golfers arrive.

Stands will be erected at the club house where a complete line of balls, tees, drinks and sandwiches will be on sale.

Some of the best known golf players of the Southwest will be here and the championship flight will probably be near par and below. All local players will be eligible for the competition and all other clubs in this section may enter representatives.

The first entertainment feature will be on the evening of June 19 when the barbecue dinner will be

served at 7 p. m., to be followed by the Calcutta pool. The first 32 players will be sold on tickets and later will be offered for sale at the Calcutta. On Friday evening a dance will be given at the club rooms with an out-of-town orchestra furnishing the music. A committee is securing a list of attractive prizes for the winner and runner up in each flight and these will be displayed in some local show window.

Local citizens are invited to witness any of the matches. Play will be underway practically all the time during the four days with the championship 36-hole match on June 23 deciding the winner of the tournament.

HOPKINS COUNTY FARMERS SEEDING PASTURE LANDS

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Tex., June 12.—Farmers of Hopkins county are seeding their pasture land with bur clover, dallis grass and lespedeza this spring.

County Agricultural Agent S. L. Neal recommends that the three kinds of seed be mixed together and fed at the rate of two pounds of the mixture to every 100 pounds of feed. This method serves a two-fold purpose, in that the seed is not injured and is left in fertile places, and the stock does not bother the plant the first year.

Other farmers in this county are mixing the seeds with barnyard manure and putting it out in the pasture.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

Santa Anna Golf Team is Coming For League Game

The Santa Anna golf team will be here next Sunday afternoon to meet the Ballinger players in a regular scheduled game of the Heart of Texas Golf League. The Santa Anna club consists of about 30 players and Ballinger golfers have invited a number from Winters to assist them in meeting all the opposing players.

These teams have met once already this season on the Santa Anna course, the Mountaineers taking the big end of the score. Local golfers are making an effort to muster full strength next Sunday and turn in a win in the percentage column. So far the Ballinger team is trailing behind, a win over the Brady club being its only victory. Most of the locals' games have been away from home, however, when some of the players could not attend and where the course was strange.

Local teams continued their contests this week and this series will end the last week in June when the two losing teams entertain the others with a barbecue dinner.

During the team games 32 players take part, eight on each of the four teams. Team No. 3 and team No. 4, captained by E. R. Griffin and Charles F. Bailey, respectively, are leading Charles Thorp's team and H. G. Agnew's team.

BANKHEAD APPLICATIONS ARE NOW MOUNTING FAST

COLLEGE STATION, June 12.—Young county has completed applications for 1,354 tax exemption certificates under the Bankhead act and the state cotton allotment and review board at College Station wrote the certificates last week. A. L. Smith, chairman of the board announced.

Twenty-six other counties have completed their Bankhead applications. They are Archer, Bastrop,

Burnet, Cooke, Deaf Smith, Frio, Fort Bend, Harris, Jack, Jackson, LaSalle, Leon, Liberty, Limestone, Madison, Marion, Matagorda, Medina, Menard, Montgomery, Rains, Waller, Washington, Wilbacy, Whorton and Zavala. Total applications for certificates now stand at 29,737.

The board has analyzed, approved and sent back to the counties approximately 65,000 new cotton contracts for 1935. A total of 275,000 contracts have been sent in to College Station. "We estimate at least 25,000 more cotton contracts will come in," Smith stated.

Of the total number of cotton contracts, 210,000 are old cotton contracts. Officials of the board expect that a majority of the counties will have their Bankhead applications in by June 15.

Walter Atwell, manager of Perry Bros. store at Albany, spent part of his vacation this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Atwell.

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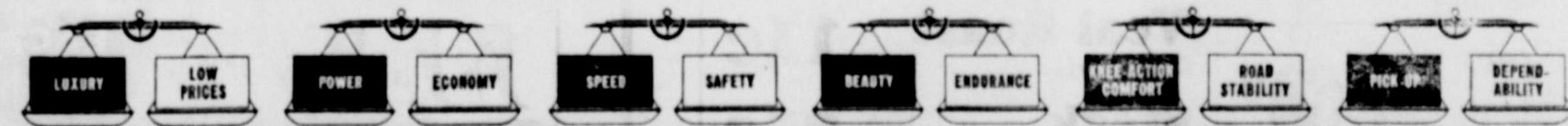
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Slow Rains Cover Area; '35 Total Here 23 Inches

General rains covered this section this week, no points reporting downpours but slow falls ranging from .75 of an inch to 2.25 inches. Streams in the area have been up several feet and motor traffic to the south over dirt roads has been almost impossible.

Precipitation for 1935 to noon today (Thursday) totaled 23.53 inches, according to records of the government weather observer in Ballinger, E. M. Eubank. So far in June 7.39 inches have fallen here, while 9.24 inches fell in May.

The following report was compiled here Thursday morning in the district office of the Southwestern States Telephone Company:

- Ablene, good rain
- Ballinger .50
- Benson .75
- Blackwell 1.50
- Brady 2.00
- Bronte .83
- Brownwood, good rain
- Coleman, good rain
- Concho 1.50
- Crews 1.50
- Eden, good rain
- Hatchel 1.50
- Leadley 1.50
- Maverick, showers
- Menard .50
- Miles, good rain
- Millersview 1.50
- Norton 2.25
- Olsen 1.50
- Owale 2.00
- Paint Rock 1.63
- Rowena 1.50
- San Angelo .75
- Santa Anna 1.00
- Stacy, good rain
- Talpa, good rain
- Wimeth 1.15-2.50 for week
- Wingate 2.00
- Winters 1.88

REV. LESLIE, FORMER LOCAL MINISTER, BURIED AT DALLAS

Funeral services for the Rev. John Douglas Leslie, 75, were held at Dallas Wednesday afternoon. At the time of his death he was stated clerk of the general assembly, Southern Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Leslie was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Ballinger from September 1, 1904 to October 5, 1911, and is remembered by many friends here.

Miss Ida Mae Voelkel and Miss Nola Baker, of Brownwood, spent the week-end here with Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Miss Conger Awarded First Place in Bedroom Contest

The first and second place winners in the 4-H girls' bedroom contest were announced Wednesday by a committee from the Ballinger Shakespeare Club. Miss Joan Conger, of Norton, won first place and will receive a free all-expense trip to the short course at College Station, given by the West Texas Cotton Oil Company, of Ballinger, and Miss Thelma White, of Victory, was awarded second place and will receive a free round-trip railroad ticket to the short course, given by the same firm.

Miss Conger spent \$5.57 on the improvements in her bedroom. Miss White spent a total of \$7.57, the highest of any girl entered in the contest but made improvement

Agronomist Advises Planting of Blight Resisting Sorghums

"Hegari, feterrita, kaffir, sumac, ajax and other grain sorghum not affected by blight should be planted to insure a good grain crop in Runnels county this year," stated E. A. Miller, extension service agronomist, while in this county this week checking up on damage to grain with County Agent Elmo V. Cook.

Mr. Miller further stated, "Milo is about the only grain that is particularly susceptible to this blight. Many other grain sorghums are almost as good and heavier hay producers than milo. There is sufficient moisture now and late grain crops should bear heavily unless unexpected conditions arise to prevent.

Every effort is being made by the A. & M. experiment station specialists to breed or discover resistant milos, but this will probably require some time. Several strains of milo, which are supposed to be blight resistant are being tried in this county in small quantities. Reports will be made later in the year as to their success.

The agronomist added that it is advisable to treat grain sorghums any time, particularly when the ground is wet and cold. The grain should be treated with 2 ounces of copper carbonate per bushel before planting. It was advised that farmers in treating the grain should be very careful about mixing it. The copper carbonate should be mixed dry with the seed in an air tight container. Planters were warned that copper carbonate is poisonous and the dust should not be breathed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Forson, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray, Miss Kathleen Connelly and Charles Evans left Sunday for Devil's River on a fishing trip. They expected to return home the latter part of the week.

USE A Want Ad FOR QUICK ACTION

Both Lemons



A lemon supposed to be the largest ever grown in California and a big orange which was supposedly a "lemon" to its owner are shown being compared by Edward Arnold, movie actor. The orange is hardly larger than a pea.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

Railroad Week Celebrates Improved Train Services

This is Railroad Week and is being observed in some manner in every section of the United States. The special period was designated to celebrate the recent outstanding accomplishments of western railroads, particularly in the improvement of their passenger service, and to strengthen the bonds of friendship and understanding which already exists between the railroads and the traveling public.

Western railroads are still engaged in the most tremendous program in the history of transportation. They have spent millions of dollars and given employment to thousands in air-conditioning their principal trains, improving and increasing their equipment and speeding up schedules.

The Santa Fe Railroad has featured largely in the history of Ballinger. It was this company that conducted the town lot sale on June 29, 1886, when the town was founded. On this date the first train was run into Ballinger, the western terminus of the road

at that time. The Santa Fe and the Abilene & Southern are listed among the heaviest tax payers in Runnels county. Last year they paid taxes in the county aggregating \$17,822.65. Of this amount the state and county received \$8,344.21, the Ballinger schools \$1,232.70, and the city \$776.12. In addition to these sums other towns and school districts of the county have received large tax payments.

During the week in cities where shops are located the equipment has been kept open to inspection by the public, special shows have been presented, boys have run train like stations, "old timers" have been given rides, and everything done to interest the public in the prominent place the railroads hold in the life of every community.

E. W. Barnshaw left for Abilene Monday to attend to business several days.

Typewriter paper at Ledger office.

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Lipton's Tea 1-4 lb. Pkg. **20c**

Kerr Self Sealing Fruit Jars Quarts **83c** Pints **70c**

Cutrite Wax Paper Large Roll **7c**

Scott Tissue 3 Rolls **25c**

Hershey's Cocoa 1-lb. Box **13c**

Clabber Girl Baking Powder 2-lb. Can **23c**

Gold Medal Flour 48-lb. Sack **\$1.85**
12-lb. sack **49c**

Libby's Baby Food 3 Cans **25c**

Post Toasties Large Size Pkg. **10c**

Sour or Dill Pickles 12-oz. Jar **10c**

Libby's Spinach, 2 No. 2 Cans **25c**

Lifebuoy Soap Bar **7c**

Libby's Pineapple 3 9-oz. Cans **25c**

Cook Book Salt 3 24-oz. Pkgs. **10c**

Airway Coffee See it ground **lb. 17c**
Know It's Fresh

Boneless Fish **20c** LB. Fillet or Haddock

Salt Pork **17c** LB. For Seasoning

Stew Meat **9c** L. B. Meaty Ribs

Frying Chickens Fully Dressed **EACH 37c**

Sliced Bacon Sugar Cured **LB. 27c**

Pork Liver Sliced or Piece **LB. 14c**

Veal Roast Chuck Cuts **LB. 11c**

Steak Tender Seven **2 LBS. 25c**

Heinz Catsup 14-oz. Bottle **23c**

Come Around to See US While in Town

We have built new booths, added new individual fans, increased our force, and redecorated our place. Wouldn't you enjoy sitting in a private booth with an electric fan, furnishing a gentle breeze while you sip a mug or bottle of your favorite beer, with added sandwiches or crunchy Fritos or Potato Chips or hard boiled eggs? Then come right along with your best friend or come here and find that friend.

We Have a Full Line of All Popular Beers

We would call your attention to the fact that we have one of the most pleasing locations in Ballinger, being situated on Seventh Street, facing the beautiful court house lawn. You don't suffer from the heat here because it is naturally cool, besides being well ventilated.

EAT AND DRINK WITH THE

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MONKEYS SOLVE MURDER. MAY BE WITNESSES

BENGAL, India, June 12.—Having solved a murder mystery, two monkeys may be witnesses in a trial. They belonged to a gypsy who had them perform at fairs. On the way home the master was murdered while the monkeys looked on from a tree bough.

Marking the spot with a piece of bamboo, the simians hurried to their mistress. Their arrival without their master prompted her to call the police, who followed the monkeys to the spot and exhumed the body. By gestures, postures and facial expressions, the animals recreated the murder by two men with knives. Following the monkeys to a nearby village, the police arrested two men. The pets attacked the suspects at sight, beating and biting them savagely.

Mrs. E. L. McAlpine, of Dallas, is here for a visit with her son, Neil McAlpine, and other relatives.

Young Man (inquiring at post-office): "Any letters for me today?"

Postmaster: "No."

Young Man: "That's strange."

Postmaster: "Nothing strange about it. You haven't answered her last letter."

Fathers' DAY June 16th

For 364 days a year Dad works and slaves—but on the 365th, June 16th, this year, he should reap his reward. He really isn't expecting anything—which makes it just that much more pleasant to give.

Remember your Dad with something he wants but he won't buy for himself.

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Give Him Things He Can Use

Fishing tackle that is just a little better than your Dad would buy for himself, because he thinks he can't afford it. Make him happy on Father's Day with a reel or tackle of some description. We have the best at the best prices.

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EAGLE BRANCH EVENTS

Jim Berry, of the Reeder addition, Ballinger, was attending to business in this community Monday and while here was the dinner guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wood and daughters were guests of Roy Clack and family, of Benoit, Sunday.

Misses Mary Lou and Ruth Sellers and Iona and Merle Sneed, of the Dale community; and Miss Leona Cooper were guests of Miss Geneva Boothe Sunday afternoon. Miss Gladys Smith, of Victory, returned home Saturday after spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Gene White. Beulah Faye and Bobbie June White returned with her and spent Saturday night and Sunday with their grandparents.

Misses Lorena and Sylvia Bradley and Leta McCarter were guests of Miss Aline Kurtz Sunday and attended church services with the Kurtz family at the Lutheran Church at Winters.

Little Miss Pauline, twin daughter of Mrs. J. W. Cooper, was quite ill last week but is reported to be much better at this time.

Miss Dillmas Morris is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Freeman.

Miss Pauline Hemmel, of Dale, spent Saturday night with Mrs. E. J. White.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Freeman, of Winters, were dinner guests of their son, Raymond Freeman, and family, Sunday.

(Received Too Late for Publication Last Week)

And it still rains! A big rain fell here Thursday afternoon, another big one came at 2 o'clock before noon Friday. Sunday afternoon at about 5:30 o'clock another big rain and intermittent hail began falling. The rain lasted until 10 p. m. part of that time a heavy downpour falling. Tuesday evening the fourth rain within the last few days began falling and fell steadily for about three hours. It is estimated that approximately 8 or 10 inches of rain fell during this time. Fields are rather badly washed out and covered up. Some more replanting will have to be done.

Carl Bull and Ted Lindeman and Misses Stella and Sammie Bragg left early Sunday morning for San Antonio for a short visit.

Raymond Kurtz and family and Albert Kurtz and family were Sunday visitors of the Mmes. Kurtz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deike, of near Winters.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Berry have about recovered from the German measles.

Misses Gladys Marie and Claudie Pearl Smith visited their sister, Mrs. E. J. White, the first of the week. They live at Victory.

Monroe Kurtz and family, of near Winters; Travis Cummings, wife, and baby, and H. G. Bradley and family were dinner guests in the J. H. Kurtz home Sunday.

Walter Bull spent Saturday night with Sam Lindeman, of Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Price Sunday.

BETHEL BEAMS

Sunday being a very pretty day, good crowds attended both Sunday schools.

The farmers are taking advantage of the pretty weather and are fighting grass and weeds in crops. Binders are running full force day and some are running at night. The grain crop is very good in this neighborhood.

Clyde Simmons left early Saturday morning for Lubbock, where he will enter the summer term at Texas Tech.

Misses Mabel and Ione Bigby also left last week to attend summer schools; Miss Ione going to San Marcos and Miss Mabel to Alpine.

June seems to be a regular birthday month in this community. A number of families from here and surrounding neighborhoods met after Sunday school at the Ballinger city park, where a real basket picnic was enjoyed at the noon hour. A pleasant afternoon was spent with the children enjoying the many swings, merry-go-rounds, etc. The honor guests who are having birthdays this month were: Mead McShan, Mrs. Paul Richardson, Ralph McShan, Janet Ray McShan, Billy Shelburne, Milton Shelburne, Frank Crockett, and Miss Wanda Davison. The children of Mrs. W. F. McShan were all present for the occasion. Those attending were: Mrs. Reny Silvey and Mrs. Turner, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McShan and family; Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Batts and family, Dry Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McShan, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McShan and little daughter, Janet Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moreland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Routh and family, Mrs. Winans and family, all of Ballinger; Mr. and

Mrs. Mead McShan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hedrick Shelburne and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kemper Shelburne and family, J. M. Shelburne and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crockett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Hays and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Webb, Mrs. Myrtle Walker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. George Killam and family, of Bethel. At a late hour all departed hoping to enjoy another day so pleasantly again soon.

Mrs. W. F. McShan returned home Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Silvey, of Brownwood, for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Butts, of San Angelo, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Duke, and Mary Ruth Duke returned home with them after a week's visit at San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Crockett, of Levelland, spent the latter part of last week visiting relatives here and at Mullin. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crockett and little son, Frank, accompanied them to Mullin Thursday, returning Friday for a visit with relatives.

We are glad to report Vernon Webb is able to be up. He has had a bad foot infection.

Miss Freda Lampe, who had been in the Ballinger sanitarium for an appendicitis operation, is now at home getting along nicely.

A forty-two social was given Friday evening, June 7, in the home of the Crocketts in honor of their son, Fletcher, who was celebrating his 24th birthday. Four tables were arranged for 42, with handpainted pink rose score cards. A refreshment plate of ice cream with squares of white and dark cake with pink rose plate favors was passed to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Atripp, Mr. and Mrs. David Duke, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simmons, Misses Maxine Crockett, Marguerite Crimm, Adell Ashby, Lois Batts, and Davy Crockett, Clyde Simmons and the honor guest.

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Bridal Charm



Just as modern as can be is this bride's cap of pleated satin, with lace-edge tulle veil, which will grace many an enchanting June bride as she marches down the aisle to strains of "Aloha." Rosalind Russell, film star, models the gown.

was discussed and Mrs. George Killam, of Ballinger, gave a drill on parliamentary law.

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Evangelistic Team Coming for Revival At Nazarene Church

The Ballinger Church of the Nazarene will begin a revival June 19 which will continue through June 30. The series of services will be especially for young people, and the youthful evangelist, Rev. Jimmie McGrow, of Bethany, Oklahoma, will do the preaching. He is an excellent speaker and will deliver sermons at each service which will interest young and old. He has conducted meetings for several years in a number of states and has met with unusual success. He will be assisted by Curtis Smith, of Waco, who will have charge of the music.

This is one of the strongest evangelistic teams to be secured, Rev. R. E. Cummings, pastor of the local church, stated, and he is encouraged in obtaining the services of these well known revival workers. The pastor extends an invitation to citizens of this section to attend every service possible and take an active part in the revival.

Services will be held daily at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. Special music will be rendered at each service by the choir and by Mr. Smith.

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Remember father next Sunday. Poor old dad has had a hard time during the past several years dealing with new business problems, facing both rotten and good business, and has had his hands full trying to keep the home together. It is just that a day be set aside for him when those for whom he has worked honor him and show their devotion in numerous ways.

Runnels county farmers began harvesting one of the largest small grain crops in many years the past week-end. Some are cutting oats day and night in order to get them in the shock before wind, rain or hail damages the yield. All available reapers will be busy for the next two weeks and a few weeks later threshers will begin operations.

The vacation period is here and most of those who work down town will have real vacations this summer, being given time off in which to do as they please. Vacations are real assets and are needed every year. The concern that gives employees time off does not lose as the workers return with renewed energy and vitality. The person who stays on the job year in and year out becomes stale and loses health that will take him from the business world sooner.

In securing a federal loan and grant of 30 per cent for the construction and equipping of a modern hospital, Winters has taken a step forward. Whether the citizens vote to underwrite the loan is yet to be seen but a modern hospital is one of the best assets any town can have. The person who has plenty of money and is given sufficient warning by the disease and his family physician to get to a clinic generally survives. But for the poor fellow who has a child or wife in need of surgery and others who are stricken suddenly and must have an operation immediately, the city hospital is too far away. Every town needs its own hospital and there is no institution more deserving of support.

CIVIC ORGANIZATION GIVES CLUB BOYS CERTIFIED SEEDS

PAMPA, Tex., June 12.—Fifty Gray county 4-H club boys were furnished with state certified minkaffir or hegarl seed this spring free of charge by a local civic organization, according to Ralph R. Thomas, county agricultural agent. The only requirements made by the organization were that the boys be enrolled in a 4-H club, that complete records be turned in to the county agent when the demonstration is completed, and that each boy enter an exhibit in the 4-H club show to be held in the fall.

It is expected that each boy who plants a feed crop this year will use the feed in some kind of an animal demonstration when the crop is harvested. All boys carrying on poultry and beef calf demonstrations at the present time will plant feed crops this spring, Thomas said.

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HARRY GROUNDS INJURED IN REAPER ACCIDENT

Harry Grounds, an employee of Whitaker Bros. implement house here, sustained a serious injury at the W. H. Wilde farm south of Ballinger Friday morning when the upper muscle of his left arm was caught in the gears of a power reaper. Most of the muscle was torn badly and he was rushed to the Hatley & Love Sanitarium for treatment. Attending surgeons thought the injury would not be permanent, but it will be several weeks before he can use the arm.

When the Sun Sinks in the West



WEST TEXAS NEWS NOTES

The community house activities at Brownwood have been arranged for the summer with the main feature during the next three months to be a story telling hour for children. Other plans for the vacation period include a sewing club for women and a club for girls. The programs in each division will be of a religious, educational and recreational nature. This annual organization of various groups has proven successful before and prospects are good for another favorable year.

The jury which was trying L. E. Trimble, accused of slaying W. R. Tomlinson, was discharged last week when it failed to agree. The trial was being heard in Llano. The

case will come up again in the November term of district court. Prof. Joe S. Mogford, of Junction, and three ranking students in his cotton culture courses left last week for a study tour in Egypt and parts of Europe. Each year a trip is made to study cotton conditions and methods used in foreign countries. Funds for the trip this year were raised by staging a ball and pageant. Besides A. & M., several other Texas colleges sent representatives on this tour.

The application for a loan and grant of \$43,500 with which to construct a national guard armory and auditorium at Coleman was approved last week by the PWA

at Washington. About \$30,000 of this money will be in the form of a loan, while \$13,500 will be in the form of a grant, or outright gift, if the money is allocated by the national emergency council.

Ray H. Nichols, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, went to Washington, D. C., last week. While there he will complete plans for opening a W. T. C. C. bureau.

James L. Daniels, of Eden, has stored in his warehouse at present about half a million pounds of wool and has sold 275,000 pounds of the 1935 clip. This brings the total receipts to about 775,000 pounds. Top prices were received for all the year were raised by staging a ball and pageant. Besides A. & M., several other Texas colleges sent representatives on this tour.

Beginning last week the Concho Herald, newspaper printed in Paint Rock, increased its size to eight pages. Heretofore it had been four to six pages. A new masthead

also adds to the attractiveness of this paper.

A new business has been opened at Winters known as "Quality Foods." The new grocery and market is operated by C. S. Baker, E. N. Miller, and Johnnie Baker. The building, formerly occupied by Neill's plumbing shop, has been renovated and redecored.

The Concho county commissioners' court has ordered that cattle in that county be subjected to tuberculin tests. The tests, to be made with the cooperation of the bureau of animal industry, will probably start June 17. The cattle will not be examined until the veterinarians are advised by the veterinarian in charge. Ten or eleven veterinarians will conduct the tests.

The Melvin Luncheon Club held its second annual banquet last week. Over 200 members and visitors were present for the affair. Sam C. Thorne, president of the San Angelo Lions Club, was the principal speaker of the evening. Music for the occasion was provided by Striegler's Orchestra, of Brady.

Plans are about perfected for the annual July Jubilee at Brady, which will be held July 3, 4 and 5. This year's program is shaping up as the most important ever presented with the racing purses larger than ever. No single purse will be less than \$100 and a total of over \$2,000 will be awarded. Another additional feature of this year's jubilee is the big parade on the opening day.

Menard is proud of its young sportsmen. Last fall three youngsters killed deer which ranged from 5 to 8 points. Now a 5-year-old lad, Jimmie Hetherly, rates among the best fishermen of the county. Unaided he landed a 3-pound bass last week.

Wild bear hunting—the sport of European nobles—the diversion recently offered Clyde Morris, of Sanderson. He spotted a drove of javelinas, native wild boars, near the Fort Stockton-Sanderson highway and took after them in his automobile. He succeeded in running one of them down and carried it into Fort Stockton. Morris said every time the car got close to one of the javelinas he tried to chew the tires off the car.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kiechle and family left Sunday for Rochester, Minnesota, where they will be for several days. Later they will visit relatives in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland and baby, of Abilene, spent Sunday with relatives in Ballinger.

Hints for the Farm
 Furnished by the Extension Service A. & M. College

KINGSVILLE—The sale of canned chicken during the first four months of 1935 brought \$87.25 to Miss Pauline Arnst and her sister of the San Fernando home demonstration club, in Kleberg county, according to Miss Effie E. McClane, home demonstration agent. Miss Arnst and her sister sold \$134 worth of canned chicken during 1934. Income from the sale of chicken has been used to pay for clothes, for music lessons and for shrubs used in yard improvement work, she said.

SULPHUR SPRINGS—Believing that a well arranged, well kept clothes closet contributed greatly toward prolonging the life of garments, Mrs. Robert Johnson, wardrobe demonstrator of the Center Hill home demonstration club in Hopkins county has constructed an adequate closet, according to Miss Lorene Stevens, home demonstration agent.

A row of shelves across both ends and one near the top reaching the entire length of the closet provide space for folded garments, shoes and out-of-season garments. A rod is provided for hanging garments. The shelves were spaced to fit the objects to be stored. By using materials on hand, the closet cost Mrs. Johnson only \$2.15.

McKINNEY—In spite of the dry weather since she sowed her yard in March, Mrs. M. L. Pittman, yard demonstrator of the Bloomdale home demonstration club in Collins county, reports that she has been able to keep the plants alive by frequent cultivation which encourages growth and helps to conserve the moisture. She told Miss Helen Dunlap, home demonstration agent, that she had her yard plowed up some

weeks before to help mellow the soil, and that the mesquite sod obtained from the pasture was broken into blocks containing two or three plants which were set out 12 to 14 inches apart.

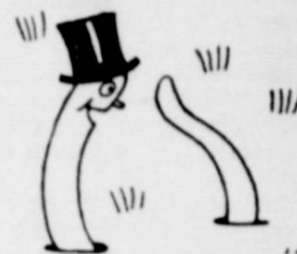
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Water with meals helps stomach juices, aids digestion. If bloated with gas add a spoonful of Adierika. One dose cleans out poison and washes BOTH upper and lower bowels. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co., in Rowena at Shiller's Pharmacy.

CONTOUTRES PREVENT LAND FROM BLOWING

LAMESA, Tex., June 12.—"Contouring on five thousand acres of Higginbotham-Harris farms in Dawson county prevented the land from blowing," Roscoe Holton, manager, told Joe C. Williams, county agricultural agent. Mr. Holton says that in cases in which the land was listed deep and contoured, the land was damaged very little. At least 20,000 acres more will be contoured as soon as crops are harvested, Holton said.

A. B. Legate left Saturday for Paris to be at the bedside of a sister who is critically ill.



The lowly earthworm is pretty lucky after all. At least he can make both ends meet. By the way, if both YOUR ends are in danger of meeting the street (right and left), drop in—we'll half sole and heel 'em for you while you wait.

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Visitor Relates Interesting Facts Concerning West Indies

According to R. H. Bagley life in the Dutch West Indies is very interesting, although not so different from that anywhere in the United States. Mr. and Mrs. Bagley and their two sons, Bob and James, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Bagley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones, in Hillcrest, for the next three or four weeks.

In an interview with Mr. Bagley this week he told a Ledger reporter some very interesting facts about the small island on which he works and lives.

The island on which the Bagleys reside is called Aruba. It is one of the five Dutch owned and governed islands in the West Indies and is second in size to Curacao, seat of the Dutch government which controls the five islands. Aruba, (sometimes spelled Oruba), is only 5 miles wide and 18 miles long and has a population of between 20,000 and 25,000, including the natives.

Aruba is directly south of Haiti, 12° north of the equator, and is only 17 miles from the mainland of Venezuela. It is ruled by a lieutenant-governor, who is under the authority of the governor of the island group, who in turn is governed directly by the queen of Holland. The other islands in this group are Curacao, Bonaire (or Buen Ayre), St. Martin, and St. Eustatius. The latter two are located east of Puerto Rico.

The climate of Aruba is considered almost perfect as it ranges from 80 to 85 degrees the year round. It is also considered a very healthful place as is evidenced by the 17-month-old son of the Bagleys. James has never had any medicine and has never been sick in his 17 months. It fact, the baby had never had a drop of fresh milk until last Friday, when he landed in the United States. He had always been fed on powdered milk.

Mr. Bagley is employed as an engineer by the Lago Oil and Transport Co., a subsidiary of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. This company started operations in the West Indies in 1928 and has built a complete city on the small island. Mr. Bagley has been located there for the past five years. The refinery is operated by a large crew and in production is the largest in the world. Every day 200,000 barrels of crude are put through the plant. The crude is brought from Venezuela by lake tankers of 16,000 barrels capacity each. This size of tanker is used in transporting the oil from Venezuela because Lake Maracaibo, through which the vessels must pass, is shallow in places and large tankers cannot navigate it. Crude from Colombia is transported in larger tankers. Oil refined on this small island is shipped to all points on the globe.

The company camp, in which Mr. Bagley lives, has over 300 houses in it. Fifty new residences are now under construction to accommodate the increased number of workers employed. The company maintains its own commissary, its own club, schools, baseball teams, tennis courts, basketball courts,

two privately owned 9-hole golf courses, hospital, power plant, docks, and everything else needed to comprise a complete city.

The company club is composed of employees of the company and is housed in a large building east of the refinery. Space is provided there for diversion of various types. The baseball and basketball teams are formed from employees, and according to Mr. Bagley they are very good. Tennis and basketball are played both day and night, the courts being well lighted. This is done so that those who work on day shifts may have an opportunity to play.

Aruba's school system is operated on the American plan and at the end of the term this year 188 pupils were enrolled. Grades taught are from the first through fourth year high school work. Eight teachers are employed in the system and all the work is accredited, being accepted by any college or university in the United States.

The 60-bed hospital is managed by a very efficient corps of doctors and nurses. Although the climate is generally termed healthful, many patients are treated in the hospital.

One of the features of the club house not mentioned above is sound pictures. New pictures are booked and many times newsreels from the United States are not more than two weeks old when shown. All current hits are presented and Mr. Bagley said films were screened there much earlier than in many cities of the States.

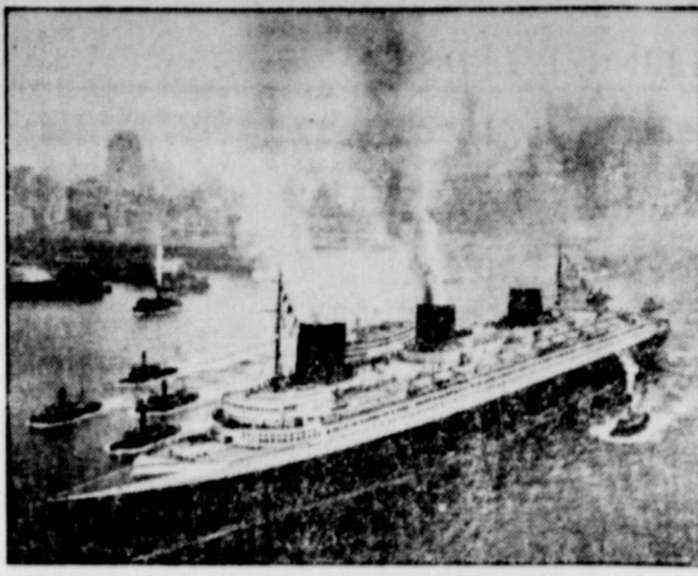
Mail is received at the island about once a week from New York. It is carried on company boats. Drinking water is also shipped from New York. Until a year or two ago all the water used in the large boilers had to be shipped but two large evaporators were installed which made it possible to use salt water for this purpose. Bath water and water used for other purposes besides drinking is obtained from a well on the island.

Although almost every country in the world is represented on the island, nearly all of the important and well paid positions are held by Americans and British. English is the language chiefly spoken, but the natives speak a mongrel tongue which is a mixture of Spanish, Portuguese, Dutch and English.

The island is practically solid coral, with only a small portion tillable. The tillable portion is planted in aloes by the natives. This plant is used chiefly in the manufacture of cathartics. It is practically impossible to raise flowers on Aruba and the only way to have them is to build up the beds, filling them with whatever soil can be found. Soil obtainable is rich in phosphate and in recent years excellent phosphate and gold mines have been worked. All oil lines are above the ground as the coral is difficult to excavate.

Recently an English company began negotiations for working the gold claims. Permission to mine

French Sea Queen Begins Reign



Making an impressive debut, the mighty Normandie, new flagship of the French Line fleet, is pictured above after her maiden voyage to New York City during which she shattered all existing transatlantic speed records. Nearly a fifth of a mile long, the Normandie's mighty hull can accommodate, with ease, 2000 passengers. For them are provided a theater, formal garden, night club, several swimming pools, 1100 telephones, a shopping center, and a 100-car garage. The huge liner cost about \$50,000,000 and took four years to build.

must be obtained from the Dutch government. There are no private land owners on Aruba, as the land cannot be purchased; it is leased from the government.

Mr. Bagley stated that the income tax was extremely high and for that reason mining operations have been curtailed for many years. Other taxes are also very high as shown by the automobile license fee. The government assesses car owners \$63 on any kind of a car used outside the company lease. No charge is made on machines operated only within company territory. About 600 cars are owned by employees of the oil company alone, although these motorists have but a few places of interest to visit. Mr. Bagley stated that though the island was very small several caves and points of interest caused car owners to drive all over the island on their days off.

American, English and Dutch coins are used as mediums of exchange on the island; all of them according to the rate of exchange based on the Dutch guilder. Now the United States dollar is worth about 70c, based on recent evaluation. For a short time, a few months ago, the United States dollar was acceptable but not preferred because of its fluctuation in value. This was for only three or four months, however. As a rule it makes no difference what kind of money is offered, it is accepted.

The company's American employees are paid off each pay day in U. S. money, the Dutch employees in Dutch currency, and the English in British money. Mr. and Mrs. Bagley arrived in Ballinger Sunday by automobile from Houston, where they landed after a voyage from Aruba on a company owned tanker. After spending three or four weeks here they will drive to New Jersey, former home of Mr. Bagley, for a visit, and then plan to return to the island. The return voyage will be made on one of the company's tankers which is equipped to transport 16 passengers besides the

crew. Most of the tankers can carry only four extra passengers, but two of them are equipped to take 16 extras.

Mr. Bagley's hobby is stamp collecting and he stated that he had a wonderful opportunity to improve his collection by living on Aruba as he comes in contact with many different nationalities.

When queried about the possibilities of securing a position with the oil company at Aruba he said there was very little opportunity of obtaining work there, as the company merely transferred men whenever necessary, instead of hiring more.

SUBSISTENCE FARMING IS TRIED IN POLAND

WARSAW, June 12.—Poland is to have a model "subsistence home-stead" colony for workmen and their families, similar in many ways to the subsistence farms planned in the United States. It is being developed in connection with the establishment of a large saw-mill by the Polish state forest administration. Thirty-one houses, each to accommodate two families, are completed and occupied, while twenty-five are under construction. Each home is to have modern sanitary facilities. Proper provision is being made for vegetable gardens. It is expected that the plan will ultimately result in a self-sustaining village. A clubhouse with reading rooms and gymnasium soon will be completed. The project also provides for the erection of a church and for recreation grounds.

ANTI-SUICIDE GAS TESTED

HAMELIN, Germany, June 12.—Tests of the anti-suicide gas to be supplied in Hamelin, for lighting and cooking are reported to be satisfactory and it shortly will be available to householders. The local gas works in the town of the Pied Piper is installing equipment for making regular gas harmless.

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R. E. CUMMINS, Pastor

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6:30 p. m., B. T. S. meeting, Ernest Moody, director.
8 p. m., preaching by pastor.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting.

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Preaching at 11 a. m. Communion following sermon.
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Prayer meeting and young people's service at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday.

The public is invited to attend any and all these services.
HARVEY CHILDRESS, Minister

First Christian Church
(Broadway and Murrell)
9:45 a. m., Bible school, followed by communion.

Old Fashion Baptist Church
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
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.

Prayer meeting 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.

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NAIROBA, Kenya, June 12.—Mrs. M. Fisher has just completed, with her husband a 1,200-mile journey from Addis Ababa to Nairobi, thus becoming the first white woman to make the trek by road.

In the Abyssinian capital Mr. and Mrs. Fisher were received by the emperor, who provided them with an armed guard for the first portion of their journey, which was made by motor truck.

The couple were warmly welcomed by villagers along the route.

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Doctor: "You don't give it to him, you take it yourself."

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June 10 to 16

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The First National Bank was organized in a passenger car attached to the first train that ever ran into Ballinger. With the coming of the railroad here, our founder, the late D. M. Baker, saw the need and the possible success of a bank and organized and started this institution on the day of the sale of town lots in Ballinger.

Railroad Week is for the purpose of celebrating the great improvement to train service on all lines, to educate people to the service rendered by railroads, to convince them that there is supreme comfort in train travel, that it is more economical, more dependable, safer and that the new type of air-conditioned train is really luxurious.

Let us remind you that the two railroads in Runnels county paid into the various tax collecting offices an aggregate amount of \$17,822.65 in 1934.

All this heavy tax burden, the improvement to service and the new equipment has cost the traveling public not an extra penny. In fact, rates have been cut to the point where western railroads actually provide "the world's finest travel service at the lowest cost in the world."

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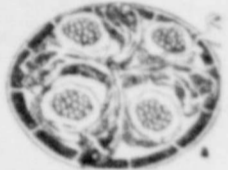
Menus of the Day



Baked Onions and Spinach
Peel and parboil in salted water 10 or 15 minutes medium size onions. Drain and scoop out centers. Fill cavities with baked lima beans. Have cooked and chopped enough spinach to cover bottom of baking pan to the depth of 1/2 inches. Place onions on spinach bed and dot with butter. Bake in moderate oven till onions are tender. Serve from baking dish.



Breakfast Omelet
Beat 6 eggs slightly, add 6 table-spoons milk, 1/2 teaspoon salt and 1/2 teaspoon paprika. Melt 2 table-spoons butter in pan and pour in egg mixture. Stir slightly at first. Then let cook slowly 2 minutes. Lift with fork so uncooked egg mixture may precipitate. Fold outside edges over toward center. Turn out on platter folded side down.



A Toast to Spring
Iced Tomato Juice
Broiled Lamb Chops
Potato Nests Filled with Green Peas
Lettuce with French Dressing
Strawberry Shortcake
Coffee



For Zealful Flavor
Serve giant green olives, ripe olives, smooth and bread packed cauliflower, sweet shrimps and pearl oysters in an assorted relish bowl to give brightened enjoyment to your meals.

ON TEXAS FARMS
By Minnie Fisher Cunningham
Extension Service Editor

Hansford county has gone in for concrete subirrigation tile in a big way this spring. Through an agreement with relief agencies labor has been furnished from the relief rolls for making and installing the tile for which the farmers have furnished the cement and sand and have agreed to pay one-fourth of the produce from the subirrigated garden for the year 1935. In this way 30,000 feet of tile have been put down.

Twenty other gardens using 12,000 feet of tile have been subirrigated by farmers in this county working independently—making a total of 32,000 feet of tile which will subirrigate Hansford county gardens, according to G. Lester Boykin, agricultural agent for the county.

Hemphill county tried out last subirrigated gardens a few years ago finding them satisfactory but not very durable. Last year County Agricultural Agent H. M. Cantrell supervised the installation of tiled relief gardens which proved very successful. This year 18,000 feet of concrete tile have already been made and laid in the county.

Nearly five miles of concrete tile have been made and laid by relief workers in Ochiltree county this spring, according to the report of J. T. Stovall, county agricultural agent. The exact figures are 25,937 feet. The tile has been furnished in such cases as actual material costs plus a one-fourth toll of the garden crops which are produced on the subirrigated land. The material cost has been approximately one and one-fourth cents per foot.

TOWN FINDS IT COLLECTS ITS TAXES ILLEGALLY

DUNDEE, Scotland, June 12.—For fifty years Dundee town council has been collecting taxes from owners of unoccupied and unfurnished houses illegally. Sheriff Malcolm, in deciding a test case in Dundee sheriff court, remarked:

"It is surprising that for more than fifty years the question has never been raised or at least tried," and he decided against the corporation.

An appeal against the decision came before Sheriff-Principal Blades, who upheld the decision of Sheriff Malcolm.

Carbon paper for tracing embroidery patterns at Ledger office.

'Chute Jumping Made Safe



No longer must parachute jumpers learn their trade by leaping out into a void and hoping their 'chutes will open. A less risky method is provided by this device, shown being demonstrated at Prospertown, N. J. From the top of a 125-foot steel mast, to which it is hoisted by motor, a 'chute is released and falls gently to the ground. It is held steady by four steel cables.

Softball League Inactive During Week Due to Rain

The local softball league has been rather inactive this week due to the many rains. Since last Wednesday the position standing of the various clubs has not been altered. The Star Light club continues to lead the field with only a bare possibility of losing the first half.

One of the big upsets of the first half was witnessed last Friday when the Baptist Seniors walked the Methodist Juniors 11 to 1. The Seniors have a firm hold on the cellar position and the Juniors are just one rung above them. The younger Baptists have been playing fairly good ball, but with so many bad breaks they have failed to win but two games.

Willard Woodard did the chunking for the Seniors and with plenty of support from his teammates the Juniors got only 1 hit during the 5 inning game. The Seniors took charge of the game in the first frame when they ran in 4 tallies. The Senior bunch got 13 safe hits off White.

Monday's game between Star Light and the Methodist Juniors started off to be a most interesting affair when Jack Seales, lead-off man for the Methodists, lroued out a long one for the round-trip ticket in the first inning. Rensau got on base free of charge due to the fact that McMillan, Star Light pitcher, failed to feed them over the platter. He stole two bases and on a single by Evans counted the second and last run for that season.

Star Light coasted along for 2 frames without a score, then in the third tied things up with 2 markers. In the fourth the Methodist lads lost control of the ball and the entire team "blew up" at the same time. At this juncture Star Light pushed over 7 tallies to ice the game up.

The Methodists made a futile attempt in the sixth to take up a little slack but managed to drive in only 2 runs. The contest ended with the refiners on the best side of a 13 to 4 score.

Results of games played since last Wednesday follow:
Methodist, Jrs., 12; Methodist, Srs., 4
Methodist, Jrs., 2; Firemen, 6
Baptist, Srs., 11; Baptist, Jrs., 1
Star Light, 16; Methodist, Jrs., 4

How They Stand:

Club	W	L	Pct.
Star Light	14	3	.823
Methodist, Jrs.	11 1/2	5 1/2	.676
Methodist, Srs.	8	8	.500
Firemen	6 1/2	9 1/2	.406
Baptist, Jrs.	5	11	.312
Baptist, Srs.	4	12	.250

Mrs. Loyd Herring is visiting friends at Oklahoma City.

SPORTS

On June 21 the first half of the softball league season will close. The Star Light team is well entrenched in first place and will probably win the first half. The second half will commence June 24.

The Methodist Senior club under the new management of "Pete" McKenzie is getting ready for a bid at the second half. Extra strength will be available at the opening of the last half to make it a tough bunch to handle. The Baptist Seniors are also looking up and with the old veteran Willard Wooden pitching for the boys will give other clubs plenty of trouble.

Officials of the softball league are planning to do considerable work on the playing field and erect a fence behind the outfield where cars may park and spectators be able to see the game without crowding into the field along the foul lines.

Ballinger's negro baseball players took a defeat at the hands of the colored team from the Buffalo Gap CCC camp Sunday. Charlie Roberts, former local negro, was on first base for the CCCs and played a nice game until he faced his brother, Albert, local pitcher.

The Ballinger Ramblers, of the Concho Basin Baseball League, dropped a couple Sunday to the fast Veribest club.

Next week Ballinger for the first time will be host to approximately 60 of the state's best golf players for a four-day tournament on the Ballinger Country Club course. At least six players who have won tournaments or been runners-up recently will be here to provide one of the best exhibitions of this sport in West Texas this summer.

Local golf players are eligible for the invitation tournament and every one who can is urged to qualify. In order that the course not be overcrowded at the last minute, Ballingerites are requested to qualify by Monday evening as many visitors will be here Tuesday and Wednesday to play their qualifying rounds.

H. G. Agnew, manager of the tournament, expects to have three flights of 24 each for the beginning of play Thursday morning. This will depend, of course, on how many local golfers enter. A. J. Thorp and C. L. Baker, who are in charge of registration, will look after the book work and score keeping.

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13-11-

Mrs. Orville Rose, of Abilene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Straley of Ballinger, underwent a major operation in an Abilene hospital Wednesday afternoon. Last reports from there stated she was doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. E. E. King left Sunday for Amarillo, where she is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. B. Fain.

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No. 2 Blackberries 10¢
No. 1 Cock o' Walk Peaches 2 for 23¢
No. 2 1/2 Nile Peaches 2 for 25¢
No. 1 Fruit Cocktail 16¢
World Over Figs, 9-oz. 2 for 17¢

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Blackberries 39¢
Bartlett Pears 43¢
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R. S. P. Cherries 49¢

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Astor Tea!

1/4 lb. with 1 free glass 21¢
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1 lb. 4 free glasses 79¢
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Canned Fish

No. 1 Tall Salmon 2 for 19¢
No. 1 Tall Sardines 3 for 25¢
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F. & P. Fancy California Spinach
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No. 2 Mayfield Corn 2 for 19¢
No. 2 1/2 Crawford Kraut 3 for 25¢
Gibb's Pork and Beans 4 for 19¢
Libby's Asparagus Tips Picnic Size 2 for 27¢
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No. 2 Libby's Beets Sliced or Cut 2 for 25¢
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Texas' Fastest Selling Coffee
1 lb. 21¢ 3 lbs. 62¢
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1 lb. Jar 29¢
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Uncle Bob
Real Value 45¢

2 12-oz. Pkgs. 15¢
2 lb. Pkg. 17¢

P. & G. or Crystal White Bar 4¢
Super Suds 2 for 17¢
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French Dressing Shaker—Special!
Pompeian Olive Oil 5-oz. 21¢
Handy—Useful!
Mrs. Schlorer's Salad Dressing
Qt. 29¢ Pt. 17¢ 8-oz. 10¢

Dried Prunes 4 lbs 27¢
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For Finer Ice Cream 3 for 25¢
Peanut Butter Qt. 35¢
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Table Salt 25 lbs. 25¢

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Stew Meat From Choice Beef lb. 10¢
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Creamery Butter Sunset Gold, None Better lb. 29¢
Steak Fore Quarter Nice and Tender 2 lbs. 35¢
Steak Hind Quarter Cut from Veal Round lb. 23¢
Loin or T-Bone lb. 20¢
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Feed for Sale
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FOR SALE—John Deere two-row Planter, \$25.00. Call Morgan Wrecking Co. 13-11*

FOR SALE—Six room house located in Rowena, west side Main Street. Write Box 155, Rowena. 13-31*

FOR SALE—Jersey and Durham Milch Cows. See J. L. Williams, Concho, Texas. 6-21*

FOR SALE—Good Milch Cows, some fresh, others in good shape. Dee Oliver. Phone 8533F4. 30-31

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment near town. Phone 179, M. D. C. Simpson. 79-11

FOR SALE—Plenty of nice Tomato and Pepper plants. Several varieties. Our prices are right. Whitaker Brothers, Ballinger. 25-11

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Way to Make Apple Cuttings Sprout Is to Give 'em Spin

MOSCOW, June 12.—A way to make cuttings from apple trees and other plants take root and grow by exposing them to many times the earthy force of gravity like the gravity which they might experience on a larger planet, has been discovered by the Russian plant breeder and horticulturist, Prof. I. Michurin.

One difficulty of fruit growers always has been that cuttings from many desirable kinds of plants will not take root by themselves, as cuttings of rose bushes, geraniums and many other plants often do. To grow a grape vine able to produce a specified kind of grapes or an apple tree to yield a certain kind of apples, the grower usually must use grafting. A grape or apple plant of some other kind is first grown from seed or in some other way and is firmly rooted. The cutting from the desired kind of plant then is grafted to this different root. The fruit produced is the kind proper for the grafted cutting, not for the root.

All this would be simpler if cuttings of desired kinds could be made to take root by themselves and grow directly, without need of raising other plants to provide roots for them. Professor Michurin has made apple tree cuttings and several kinds of cuttings do this by whirling them in a centrifuge revolving more than sixty times a second.

The enormous centrifugal force thus created resembles a greatly increased gravity and evidently does something to the cuttings which makes them more willing to put out roots and grow. Whether it makes them dizzy or just what it does to them not even Professor Michurin can imagine.

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His Ransom One of Highest



In only two other U. S. kidnappings of the past two years—those of Edward G. Bremer of St. Paul and Charles F. Urschel of Oklahoma City—were ransoms paid as large as that which secured the release from kidnapers of 3-year-old George Weverhanser, heir to lumber millions. The lad is shown above after his abductors \$100,000 upon payment of \$200,000.

DEATHS

G. E. Lindley

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Jennings Funeral Home for G. E. Lindley, 22, who was killed Monday, June 10, at McCamey. Mr. Lindley was on a power line pole at work when 2,300 volts of electricity passed through his body.

Mr. Lindley and Lofton Barrett, another lineman, had been placing rubber tappets on the pole and the work was finished. As decedent started down the pole his shoulder contacted the live wire and his body was badly burned. When the current was cut off the body fell to the ground and Lindley's neck was broken.

The remains were brought to Ballinger for burial. Decedent had worked in McCamey for about a year, but was employed by the West Texas Utilities Company here about four years ago.

Survivors include the widow, three children, W. C. Bobbie, and Wanda, his mother, Mrs. J. F. Cook Norton, two brothers, Virgil Lindley, Marie, and Walter Lindley Norton, a sister, Mrs. Gertrude Duncan, Post, and a half brother, Herschel Cook, Norton.

Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Deal Lindley

Funeral services for Mrs. Deal Lindley, 76, were held at the Ballinger Baptist Church at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Rev. M. C. Golden officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Lindley died suddenly Tuesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Neely, 1605 Ninth Street. She arose Tuesday morning and ate breakfast but complained of feeling bad, and went back to bed and died soon afterward.

Decedent came to Ballinger in 1910 and made home here ever since. She had no living relatives. Higginbotham Brothers funeral directors were in charge of arrangements.

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As Flood Victim Eluded Death



Flood waters which brought tragedy and devastation to a wide area in the midwest failed in this instance to add to the great toll of victims. Cheating a watery grave after two days and nights atop a flood-bound mill at Arapahoe, Neb., John Zucht is shown here being cradled to safety, grasping the rope thrown to him after boats had failed to breast the flood's current.

Conquest of Germ Diseases Believed Raising Cancer Rate

NEW YORK, June 12.—The theory often suggested by biologists that complete suppression of germ diseases might leave mankind worse off instead of better is quoted with a suggestion of approval by the editors of the official Journal of the American Medical Association, in a recent comment on the ideas of Dr. W. B. Coley concerning the increase of cancer.

Dr. Coley and a few other physicians have been insisting that the present increase of cancer is not unrelated to decrease in germ diseases such as typhoid fever, cholera, smallpox and diphtheria. As these germ diseases have been conquered and have largely vanished, cancer steadily has been on the increase. A similar reciprocal relation has been pointed out between cancer and tuberculosis.

The statistics suggest that people who never have these germ diseases are more likely to get cancer.

Dr. Coley and those who agree with him believe that this is just what happens. Efforts of the body to resist the germ diseases cause some bodily condition which then helps to resist cancer. Complete banishment of germ diseases might leave everybody dangerously

Soil Conservation Meeting To be Held Here Monday

Every farmer and land owner in Runnels county is urged to attend the soil conservation conference here on Monday, June 17. The meeting will begin at 2 o'clock in the district court room and a number of experts will deliver talks on this important subject.

County Agent Elmo V. Cook stated Monday that it was very important to have a large meeting of the land owners as those in charge of the work in Texas are anxious to determine the interest and what cooperation can be expected.

M. R. Bentley, extension service agricultural engineer, will be here to address the conference on soil erosion in the state and what is needed. W. M. Burk, land conservation specialist for the Texas relief commission, will be heard. T. B. Wood, district extension service agent, will address the farmers and L. P. Merrill, regional director in charge of the soil erosion camps, has been invited to attend.

An effort will be made to secure the location of a CCC camp

in Runnels county to carry on soil erosion prevention work. It is understood at this time that all camps have been located which have been authorized by the federal government but that some may be moved soon or that it is possible that new ones will be established in the near future when the new call is made for enlistments.

This county can offer a camp site and the county agricultural council, chamber of commerce, commissioners' court and city commission have all joined in asking that this county be considered. Mr. Merrill has already visited in this county and it is understood that he favors a camp here and an extensive program of soil erosion work.

Camps are located for a six months' period and if the proper cooperation is given they may be continued for several six-month periods or until the work is completed.

When a camp is located a site must be furnished and the government constructs barracks for the men. A company is composed of 250 men and officer.

Large Glaciers in Switzerland Retreat as Earth Gets Warm

BERN, June 12.—New evidence that the earth is slowly growing warmer is supplied by two years' records of the glaciers in the Alps, reported by Dr. P. L. Marcanton, director of the Swiss weather bureau.

The exact positions of the ninety-eight Swiss glaciers are measured every year by agents of the bureau. Some always are found to be retreating and some advancing as a result of inequalities in winter snowfall or in the spring rains which melt the snow before it can consolidate to ice. Recent measurements show, however, a large predominance of glaciers which are retreating.

In 1932 only fifteen glacier fronts were advancing, while eighty were retreating. The remaining three showed no change. In 1933 the evidence of increasing warmth was a little stronger, eighty-one glaciers being measured

susceptible to cancer or to something else.

"It would appear possible," the editors say, "that public health and sanitation, as developed throughout the years, may prove to have been a two-edged sword."

as retreating, while only thirteen were advancing and four were unchanged.

These accurate yearly measurements of the glaciers go back only a few years, but earth ridges, piles of stones and other geological evidences exist to prove that nearly all the Alpine glaciers once reached much farther down the mountain slopes than they do today.

Geologists who have studied these evidences believe that the last time of extreme glacier advance was about 15,000 years ago, since when the average movement has been a slow retreat, interrupted, however, by at least three brief periods of no movement or of advance.

There is much other evidence that during this last 15,000 years the earth, as a whole, has experienced similar back and forth swings of climate, but with a general tendency to grow very slowly warmer and dryer.

Mrs. J. A. Schnable left Wednesday for Sweetwater to visit two weeks with her parents.

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FUNERAL FOR MRS. FAIRISH HELD AT BRONTE TUESDAY

Mrs. John Fairish, 25, died some time Monday afternoon at her home near Bronte. She was found on the floor in her bedroom about 5:30 p. m. She was last seen alive by her son about 2 o'clock the same afternoon and at the time did not complain of feeling ill, it was stated.

Funeral services were held at the Bronte Baptist church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. D. M. West officiating, assisted by Rev. Gilbert Wilson.

Survivors include the husband; one son, James Young Fairish; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Stephenson; two sisters, Mrs. M. L. Nixon, Maverick; and Mrs. J. I. Bowden, Miles; six brothers, Young Stephenson, Ballinger, Scott Stephenson, Sweetwater, Raymond, Burl, O. B., and Hilton Stephenson, all of Miles.

Jennings Funeral Home undertakers were in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Todd and children, accompanied by Miss Lou Howard, have returned from Tennessee, where they visited relatives.

Calling Cards printed on short notice. Phone 27, we do the rest.

WAR AGAINST OPIUM IS STARTED IN CHINA

NANKING, China, June 12.—Gen. Chiang Kai-shek's five-year plan for opium suppression has been started in earnest. The Nanking opium eradication committee has been organized under the joint auspices of the Nanking municipal government, the national opium suppression commission, the Gendarmerie headquarters and the Metropolitan police headquarters. The battle cry of this group is, "Nanking shall be opium free."

The chief aim of the movement is to educate the people, by force if necessary, to the harmful effects opium has upon a people. Smokers are arrested and confined by compulsion in drug addict clinics to be cured. Special beds have been put up in all the hospitals in town for opium smokers. Altogether some 2,790 beds are now available in eight hospitals.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scales and sons, Jack and Leonard, and daughter, Miss Katherine, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Scales will leave here Monday for a 30-day vacation trip. They will go to Hartwell, Georgia, where they will visit relatives several days and later will go to South Carolina for a visit with other relatives.



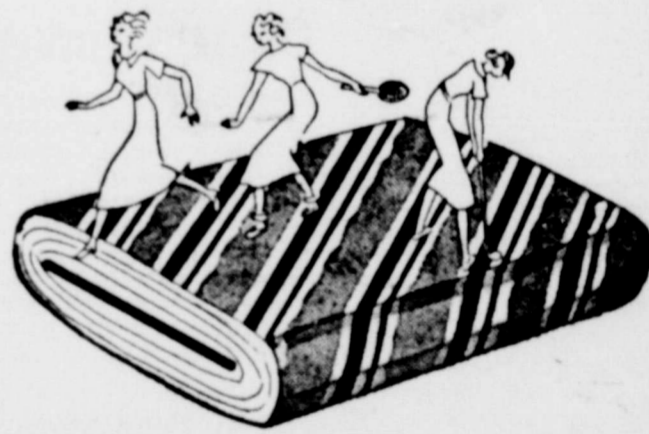
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