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## Fair Association Names Committees for '35 Show

The executive committee of the Runnels County Fair Association and a number of local business men met Friday afternoon to make plans for the 1935 fair and name committees to look after special work. After the mass meeting a number of committees held sessions and began preparations for one of the best fair programs ever presented here.

Elmo V. Cook, county agent and chairman of the agriculture committee, stated that many farmers were collecting produce from their fields now to be shown at the fair. He has had many calls to visit fields and help to select these products. Maize and other grain sorghum heads are being carefully wrapped and stored. Mr. Cook said 4-H club boys would be ready to present a nice show of calves, lambs and pigs at the fair and that these animals were being fed and groomed now.

Home demonstration clubs of the county are making plans to exhibit as individuals and as clubs and are selecting their exhibits. All other departments are to be supervised by good committees and special attention will be given to the curio, antique and historical department in which an exhibit of early Runnels county history will be offered in photographs and other articles.

The program committee has a tentative set-up worked out and intends to contract entertainment at once. For a grandstand feature three afternoons and nights of rodeo events and two nights of feature programs using large casts of local people will be presented. A large carnival will be booked within a few days for the midway attractions and other special amusement acts will be sought.

A telegram was received from Harley Sadler Saturday, asking about dates for his three-ring circus. He will be contacted and if possible a deal closed with him for feature acts at the fair.

Parades will be featured to open the program each afternoon.

J. D. Motley, secretary of the local chamber of commerce and fair association, stated Monday that dates would be set at once for excursions into the rural communities of the county, to announce the county fair.

Following is a list of the officers, committees and various divisions of the 1935 fair:

**Executive board**—Charles Coombes, president; R. E. White, vice-president; J. D. Motley, secretary; Troy Simpson, W. R. Hunton, Miles; T. J. McCaughn, Norton; and R. T. Williams.

**Program**—Troy Simpson, chairman; Neil McAlpine, R. E. White, Mrs. J. A. Schnable and Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly.

**Parades**—K. V. Northington, chairman; Jack Rudd and Frank Cameron.

**Rodeo**—Hugh Campbell, chairman; F. C. Dickey, Hubert Zappe, Zid Herring, Shannon McWilliams, Hamp Byler and Stanley Cameron. **Finance and Ticket Sales**—E. E. King, chairman; R. E. Bruce, A. R. Murchison, Harry Lynn, M. McGregor, Jack Nixon and E. R. Griffis.

**Decoration**—L. C. Daugherty, chairman; G. P. Teague and Guy Lively.

**Concessions**—Chester Cherry, chairman; J. A. Schnable and Towner Dickinson.

**Police**—Lee Moreland, chairman; Joe Beck, Jr., and Sam Davis.

**Livestock**—Dee Oliver, chairman; Clarence Routh, Jess Harris, Fred Kiechle and H. W. Lynn.

**Home-Coming Reception**—C. A. Doose, chairman; J. Y. Pearce, Mrs. John Currie, R. G. Erwin and W. B. Currie.

**Poultry**—to be named later by county agent.

**Curios, Antiques and Photographs**—E. Shepperd, chairman; T. B. Saunders, Mrs. Troy Simpson, Mrs. J. B. Striplin and Mrs. Tom Agnew.

**School Exhibit**—E. C. Grindstaff, chairman; George Stowe and E. D. Stringer.

**Textile**—Mrs. W. R. Hunton, chairman; Mrs. Fred Kiechle and Mrs. E. E. King.

**Culinary**—Mrs. Chester Cherry, chairman; Mrs. R. T. Trail and Mrs. J. D. Motley.

**Agriculture**—Elmo V. Cook, chairman; others to be named by chairman.

**4-H Boys Clubs**—Elmo V. Cook, and J. M. Williams.

**Home Demonstration Clubs and Girls' 4-H Clubs**—Miss Myra Tankersley.

## Women Committees For County Fair Are Called to Meet Here

Miss Myra Tankersley and J. D. Motley have called a meeting of all women in the city and county who are serving on committees for the Runnels County Fair. The meeting will be held at the city hall Tuesday afternoon, beginning at 3:30.

At this meeting the superintendents of each department, assisted by Miss Tankersley and Mr. Motley will make out the premium lists and this data will be included in the printed lists for the exposition.

Miss Tankersley will outline the preparation of exhibits for the women's department and designate those who will receive the displays and place them in the exhibit hall.

All the women who have been named on committees have been notified by letter to be present. Mr. Motley stated that committee meetings would be held nearly every day next week, one of which will be to arrange excursions into the various communities of the county. The Ballinger Cherry Band will furnish the music and an entertainment program will be provided. A five-minute speaker will talk on the fair and invite cooperation of all the citizens of each community in the annual celebration.

Members of the home demonstration clubs have voted to take part in presenting the fair and many are already selecting their exhibits.

## County Planning Board Organized; Trimmer Chairman

A planning board for Runnels county was formed this week at the instance of the WPA district office at Brownwood. Representatives of various towns of the county, county commissioners, school superintendents, and secretaries of chambers of commerce in the county met Monday afternoon to discuss the membership of this board and to make nominations.

County Judge Paul Trimmer was elected chairman of the board and will preside over the meetings. County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff will represent school interests on the board, both common and independent districts; K. V. Northington, the city of Ballinger; T. D. Coupland, Winters; and C. L. Hufstader, Miles.

The board will assist in preparing projects for the county and make recommendations regarding the merit of each when necessary. The county WPA engineer, Towner Dickinson, will meet with the planning board at its regular sessions and present information on projects for consideration.

The first meeting of the board was held Wednesday afternoon in the office of Judge Trimmer to perfect the organization and detail the work. Each member will

look after projects arising in his political subdivision.

## Ballinger Gets First Bale Cotton of 1935 Crop

Troops 'Go Over the Top' in Great U. S. Mimic War



In an enthusiastic "over the top" attack calculated to quell the stoutest enemy, doughboys participating in the Pine Camp, N. Y., army maneuvers are pictured above as they valiantly charge the "foe." At right, a soldier ministers to his comrade, "wounded" in the attack. Nearly 40,000 troops of the regular army and national guard, concentrated in upper New York state, took part in the war games, said to be the most extensive peacetime maneuvers ever held in America. Observers were reportedly astonished at the demonstration of a modern army's mobility and speed.

## Stubble Acreage Need Now To Continue Soil Program

Soil conservation in Runnels county, launched a week ago, is meeting with a serious handicap which may cause the work to be abandoned unless farmers sign up at once for terracing of stubble land which is ready for this work. Approximately 2,500 acres are signed up at this time but practically all of it is planted in row crops or cotton and will not be ready for contouring before late in the year.

The terracing program under Sam Davis, conservation assistant, must have stubble land at once, according to County Agent Elmo V. Cook, to maintain the project. This is the first step in the soil erosion program looking towards the establishment of a CCC camp here later to do this work. If the preliminary program can be continued for the next two months, there will then be plenty of work to keep the assistant and his helpers busy.

An appeal is being made in an effort to get stubble land listed at once. The conservation assistant's charges are \$125 per mile of terrace lines (not \$125 per acre). After the lines are run the land owner can secure a terracing machine from Mr. Davis at the rate of \$1 per day with which to

look after projects arising in his political subdivision.

## County Tax Rolls Being Completed By Office Staff

Clerks in the county tax collector's office are at work on the 1935 rolls and hope to have them in perfect order by September 15. Assessing has been completed, according to W. A. Forgy, county collector-assessor, the rates figured, and all that remains is to copy the information on the sheets.

Two machines are being operated full time on the rolls and as soon as they are in condition they will be submitted to the commissioners' court for examination and after approval will be returned to Mr. Forgy for the collections.

Collections will commence October 1 and property owners will

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## Former Citizens Of County Organize Group at Lubbock

Former Runnels county citizens, who now reside in the Panhandle, met at Lubbock last Sunday to form a Runnels county association and planned meetings to be held annually on the first Sunday in August at the Lubbock city park.

Attending the first gathering were 225 former Runnels county people, who spent the day talking over past experiences and renewing acquaintances.

Mrs. T. A. Puckett, of Petersburg, was elected president of the association, and Mrs. A. B. Forbes, of Abernathy, secretary. W. C. Spence, 32-year-old Runnels county settler, was the main speaker of the day, reviewing colonization of this county, its growth and progress.

A check-up revealed that there are many other Runnels county people living in the Panhandle who were not present at the first meeting and they will be invited to join before another meeting in 1936.

The program committee next year will send invitations to a number of people still living here.

## EVANGELISTIC SERVICES ARE CONTINUED AT CHURCH OF GOD

Evangelist S. W. Joiner reports good crowds and keen interest in the services being conducted at the Church of God twice daily, at 9 a. m. and 8 p. m.

The meeting will be continued through September 8 and the public is urged to attend.

The first bale of 1935 cotton was ginned here Wednesday afternoon. The bale was brought to Ballinger by Earl Wade, of the Red Bank community, ginned by the Texas Cotton Growers' Association gin No. 30, of which Frank Kemp is manager, and sold at public auction to Hubert Parrish for 11.30 cents a pound.

Mr. Wade had been picking for some time on some of his early crop. The bale weighed 441 pounds and was classed as 15-16 inch staple by local buyers.

Mr. Wade had exemption certificates and the number on the bale and was able to sell and deliver Wednesday afternoon.

The first bale received in the county was brought to Rowena Tuesday afternoon. It was picked by Pedro Jacquez, tenant on the Joe Cervena farm. The bale was not sold as the bale tag had not been received.

Local cotton buyers say the first bale this year is of much better grade than in previous seasons. This was attributed to no dry weather to cause premature opening of the bolls.

## CHERRY TO INSTALL LIGHTS AT MENARD FOOTBALL FIELD

Chester Cherry will go to Menard within a few days to install lights at the Menard high school football field. All equipment has been received for the improvement with the exception of 60-foot poles and as soon as these arrive from Louisiana, he will take a crew and make the installation.

There will be four poles on each side with four reflectors on each pole. Seats have been constructed and the field will be one of the best in this part of the state.

## Will Rogers' Last Picture At Palace for Texas Premiere

The Palace Theatre is bringing to Ballinger Will Rogers' last picture, "Steamboat Round the Bend," for presentation Saturday in mid-night preview and on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. This is the Texas premiere of this film which the producers decided to release after the tragic death of the famous comedian recently.

W. D. Scales, manager of the local show house, is bringing the picture here at great expense so that the many Rogers fans of this section may see his last production before it is shown anywhere else in the state.

Regular showing of the comedy will start on Monday and Tuesday at 2 p. m. and presentations will

continue until the crowds have all viewed the production at night.

Several national magazines gave reviews of the picture this week, all declaring that it is worthy of being a living memorial to the famous cowboy philosopher-comedian. Liberty Magazine in its issue of September 7 says: "Steamboat Round the Bend, Rogers' latest and last picture, is quite likely the best picture he ever made. For that matter, it is one of the most enjoyable pictures anyone has made this season."

A wandering patent medicine salesman, whose ambition is to

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### Play-off May be Necessary in Local Softball League

A play-off series in the Ballinger Softball League began to loom this week as the fast Star Light team slipped from the top and three other teams built up their percentages. The referees will be forced to forfeit several games in order to compete in games at Abilene this week and next but will assemble the full team here if they are not on top at the end of the second half on September 13.

Play during the second half has been close, with the Methodist Juniors holding a bare lead of half a game, the Star Lighters holding second, the Methodist Seniors and Baptist Seniors both playing good ball.

The final date to sign players on contracts for this half ended Saturday, September 24, and all clubs must finish the season with what they have. Only a few changes were made in the line-ups. The Baptist Seniors signed "Buck" Gibbs, a fast player from the Pacific coast, however, and he will be eligible for the remainder of the season and in the play-off should this team win the last half.

The Star Light team won the first half and is the favorite in the event of a play-off. Over Dean, manager of the referees, announced Monday that he intended to enter several other contests in the Abilene tournament and would forfeit games here on nights the team is away.

Attendance is growing nightly and motor parties are being allowed to park behind the outfield. This requires a ground rule for two-base hits on all balls under can and has reduced the number of home-runs.

The management of the league has barely been able to pay expenses and fans are urged to make their nightly contributions as liberal as possible. It requires about \$3 per night for lights and about \$1.80 for balls.

#### J. MARVIN WILLIAMS TO TEACH AT WINTERS

J. Marvin Williams, for the past several years vocational agriculture teacher at Content, has been elected to teach in the Winters school. Since coming to Rannels county Mr. Williams has made a fine record and has a year-round program of work underway at Content all the time.

The Winters school will open Monday, September 2, and pupils will register at that time for work in all grades. School buses will transport children from nearby districts for high school courses. The school will have a faculty of 24 this year, including three fine arts teachers.

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Miss Pauline Morley returned here the past week-end and will spend the time between now and the opening of the fall term visiting friends and preparing to resume her school work.

### Grid Team Starts Training; Few Changes Made in Rules

Coaches Felton T. Wright and P. W. Gibbs will meet the candidates for the Ballinger high school football team at the local athletic field next Monday afternoon at 3:30. Equipment will be issued all youths reporting and a light workout taken Monday afternoon. Practice will continue each afternoon next week, using the entire week to put the players in condition before the opening of school.

A shipment of new equipment, which includes 22 complete outfits, has been received. New footballs are here and will be put in action Monday afternoon.

Officials of the school see little chance now for securing lights and seats this season. The grass turf is in fine condition and there is ample room on the south side of the field for cars. Other spectators will have to stand unless temporary seats are provided.

A number of new rules have been put in force this year and are explained below by Roy Henderson, athletic director of the University of Texas bureau of public school interests.

With the increasing number of night sporting events being scheduled, it has become necessary for the Texas interscholastic league to place in effect a ruling controlling to some extent the playing of night football games between member high schools of the league. The resultant ruling is that no team will be forced to play a football game for league competition at night, but that, if mutually agreed upon by the competing schools, such games may be played at night. In the absence of such agreement, Mr. Henderson pointed out, games must be played in the afternoon.

Another change in the league football plan, intended to become effective next season, concerns the participation of small schools in league football. According to the present set-up, there are three classes of schools participating: class A, 500 or less enrollment; class B, 500 or less enrollment; and class C, 150 or less enrollment. Any school with 150 or less enrollment may demand entry in class C, while any school with as much as 180 enrollment may, by action of the county executive committee, compete in class C.

In view of the fact that a state championship is determined only in class A, whereas class B competition closes with the regional championship and class C with the district championship, many smaller schools prefer to compete with the larger schools for higher ranking titles. Any school, regardless of its enrollment, may elect to participate in class A. At present, only short notification of this intention to compete in class A is required. By the terms of a new rule, effective September 1, 1935, any class B or class C school which intends to participate in class A football must give notification to the district executive committee and to the state office one year prior to such change.

It should be noted, Mr. Henderson pointed out, that there is

no appeal from the decisions of the district executive committee within the district. In each class a district executive committee, composed of faculty members from the competing schools, is chosen by the schools themselves. This committee is in complete control of league football affairs within the district. In class A there are sixteen districts in the state; in class B there are ten regions composed of four districts each; and in class C there are thirteen districts.

The 1935-36 football season will be the sixteenth consecutive year that the interscholastic league has sponsored football as an interschool sport, Mr. Henderson said. The university bureau, which serves as the state office of the league organization, is now engaged in getting out thousands of application blanks, contract forms, etc., to the approximately four hundred schools which will participate in football. The deadline for 1935-36 enrollment is September 15, he added, and by that date every school intending to participate must have its definite acceptance of the league football plan in the state office.

District committees were also warned that all district championships must be decided and certified to the state office by November 30.

#### BALLINGER GOLFERS WIN FROM COLEMAN

The Ballinger golf team, composed of six players, went to Coleman Sunday afternoon for a contest with the team representing that city. The Ballingerites won five and tied one of the 18-hole matches for the best showing they have made this year in the Heart of Texas League.

Miss Carmen Demmer has returned from Ann Arbor, Mich., where she took a special course in public school music.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff and son left last week for Abilene and will go from there to the Davis Mountains on a vacation trip.

### As FDR Signed Social Security Bill



A beginning of federal protection for the aged, jobless, dependent mothers and children, the blind and the ill, was assured when President Roosevelt approved the social security bill in Washington. The act provides immediate federal aid to states in pensioning their aged, assessment of workers and employers through the years to provide future old age pensions, and joint state-federal unemployment insurance systems. Grouped about Mr. Roosevelt as he signs the bill are: Left to right, Representative Robert Doughton, North Dakota; Senator Robert Wagner, New York; Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins, and Senator Pat Harrison, Mississippi.

### Hints for the Farm

Extension Service A. & M. College

**SAN AUGUSTINE**—Six quarts of wild summer huckleberries have been canned by Mrs. Amanda Fox, of San Augustine county for making pies in the winter or for serving with sugar and cream, according to Miss Esther Ross, home demonstration agent. "Summer huckleberries taste very much like the ones which ripen in the late fall but are much larger and are on smaller bushes so that they are easier to gather," says Mrs. Fox. "I am going to can all that I can get."

**GRAHAM**—Ten No. 1 cans of ground turkey were sold by Mrs. H. G. Millican, of the Loving

home demonstration club, at 35 cents per can on the first market day held in Young county by home demonstration club women, according to Miss Norfleet Grimes, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Millican already has 20 orders for the next market day.

At the market, which was established early in June, the women have sold all kinds of vegetables, fruits, poultry, cakes and bread. For the past five Saturdays the total receipts have been \$137.32. The market is open only one-half day each week.

**SIERRA BLANCA**—At a cost of only \$19.50, the three room house of Mrs. V. Caulkins, of Hudspeth county, was almost entirely refinished, according to Miss Gladys Young, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Caulkins started with the living room which she calcimined and then refinished the floors and woodwork in light oak.

The kitchen was papered in light green with cream woodwork

and ceiling to make it lighter, as it was a northwest room.

An old hall tree, table and chairs were taken from storage, sand-papered and refinished with burnt umber and gasoline followed by a coat of varnish. Other furniture refinished included a steel cot, a day bed, and a chair. Shelves were also added to the closets and new shades and curtains bought.

Tires on easy payments at Freeman's. 8-11

#### INSPIRING OPPORTUNITIES

**ABILENE, Texas, Aug. 28, 1935.**—Many young people are now finding inspiring opportunities in banks, wholesale houses, with various government recovery agencies, and other big employers as a result of a few pleasant months spent in Draughon's Business College of this city, according to the Employment Report just released. In one PWA office alone a number of graduates have accepted excellent positions, with attractive beginning salaries, during the past few days; and hundreds of other

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Robert ("Smoky") Lusk was operated on at the Halley & Love Sanitarium Monday afternoon for appendicitis. At last reports he was resting well. He had intended to enter Howard Payne College in September and play football this year, but the operation probably will prevent him from playing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams and son, of Brownwood, were guests of relatives here over the week-end.

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pre-release showing and will get the picture after the Palace.

Two unusual entertainment elements combine to make the great and moving story of "Steamboat Round the Bend." One is the laugh-filled rivalry of Will Rogers and Irvin S. Cobb, America's two greatest humorists, as the crusty captains of competing boats; the other is the wistful and tender romance of Anne Shirley and John McGuire.

McGuire is a river pilot, nephew of Rogers, who owns the "Claremore Queen." In a quarrel over Anne Shirley he kills another man in self-defense. Rogers is hostile to the girl because of the trouble she has brought to McGuire. But, when the boy is condemned to hang, their love for him draws them together in the fight to save him.

They join in the struggle to get money for the boy's appeal and to find a missing witness who can save him. Their adventures with a wax museum are among the high points of the picture's comedy. Their narrow escapes from antagonistic river folk among its thrills.

But the great thrill is saved for the last, when Rogers' boat is involved in the great race down to New Orleans as he is hurrying to save his nephew. How Rogers manages to beat pompous old Cobb and his "Pride of Paducah," and at the same time save the boy, is revealed in a surprise-filled climax.

Ben Lucien Burman's novel furnished the original story for "Steamboat Round the Bend." Producer Sol Wurtzel, Director John Ford and Scenarists Dudley Nichols and Lamar Trotti, all of whom assisted in the making of "Judge Priest," are again joined with Rogers in "Steamboat Round the Bend."

In the supporting cast are Stepin Fetchit, Eugene Pallette and Bertone Churchill, assisting in comedy characterizations.

#### Action Thrills Crammed in "The Arizonian," Starring Richard Dix

A peace officer walking into the leveled six-guns of four desperadoes to thwart a daring kidnap scheme is only one of the many thrills packed into "The Arizonian," in which Richard Dix has the leading role. The film will be shown at the Palace Theatre tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday.

Deemed a "cavalade" of the West, "The Arizonian" is a romantic history of the early 80s. Dix as a courageous devotee to law and order in a country teeming with outlaws and gunmen, protects his kid brother and the woman he loves, as well as the community from these enemies.

In producing "The Arizonian," Arizona history was consulted diligently. No incident of the thrilling record of the American frontier was allowed to go unnoticed and, as a result, the picture graphically portrays many incidents of that day.

Well-known stars of the stage and screen are seen in support of Richard Dix, who is said to give his finest performance since "Cimarron" in "The Arizonian." Such lights as Margot Graham, Preston Foster and Louis Calhern play featured parts.

Miss Dunlap will begin her class in piano for the fall-winter term September 2. For particulars phone 122.

#### LOCAL FISHERMEN RETURN FROM THE SABINAS RIVER

A fishing party composed of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright, Mr. and Mrs. John Allbright and Mrs. R. R. Williams returned Monday night from the Sabinas River, in Mexico, where they spent several days. They brought home about 200 pounds of fish and reported a very pleasant outing.

Mr. Stobaugh had the misfortune to burn his hands severely, this interfering with his fishing. About ten minutes after arriving in camp a gas light exploded in his hands. The wounds are still serious but there is no infection.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Karmany and Misses Sara and Frances Elkins visited in San Angelo Monday.



Though dead, Will Rogers for a time will continue to entertain his millions of admirers. Two films—"In Old Kentucky" and "Steamboat Round the Bend"—which the comedian completed just before his ill-fated Alaskan tour, are yet to be released. In this appealing "still" from the latter film, Rogers is shown with his friend and fellow-humorist, Irvin S. Cobb.

## IN SOCIETY

**Club With Mrs. O'Kelly**  
Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly was hostess to her contract club last Friday afternoon in her attractive Ninth Street home.

Pertwinkle blooms and queen's wreath were combined in floral arrangements for the rooms where fan tallies were used in finding places and recording scores. The plate of lime ice and macaroons stressed the same colors, orchid and pink, as did the althea blooms which were plate favors.

High score went to Mrs. Edward Sommer, high cut to Mrs. Henry Doss and the traveling prize to Mrs. Herbert Peoples in games with Mmes. Cicero Smith, Sam Dunlap, J. E. Hayes, Porter Henderson and Jim Flynt, Jr.

#### Circles in Social Meetings

Mrs. J. A. Reese entertained circle one members of the Methodist Missionary Society Monday afternoon in her home on Fourth Street.

Mrs. Sam Behringer was in charge of the business session and Mrs. J. B. Stripin gave the Bible lesson. Home-made cake and cream was served to sixteen.

Mmes. J. S. Roe, A. B. Legate and R. A. Dickinson were hostesses to twenty members of circle two in the Dickinson home on Eleventh Street. Mrs. W. H. Vanderpool presided with Mrs. Herbert Peoples giving the Bible lesson. Home-made cream and cake was served.

#### Lillian Madge Allen Honored on Birthday

On Monday afternoon Mrs. Rufus Allen entertained a group of girls, honoring her daughter, Lillian Madge, on her twelfth birthday.

In the afternoon a delightful swim was enjoyed, and at sundown a barbecue supper was served.

After ghost stories, pranks and games until a late hour, a midnight lunch was eaten. Very soon afterward the party became a real slumber party.

Enjoying this hospitality were

Mary Boyd, Betty Rogers, Norma Jean Riley, Mary Anne Allen, Laverne Hughes, Anita Wood of Dallas, and the honoree, Lillian Madge Allen.

Emma Henniger will begin her class in piano September 9, at 1200 Eighth Street, three blocks from Junior High. For information call 8572F21. 29-11-

#### EVANGELIST TO DISCUSS INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

"Is Instrumental Music Authorized or Condemned by the New Testament of the Lord Jesus Christ?" This question will be discussed by Evangelist Elbridge B. Linn in the meeting now in progress on the corner of Eighth Street and Bonsal Avenue, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. This will be a fair, reasonable, and scriptural discussion, and is not calculated to be a sectarian thrust at honest, truth-seeking people, it was stated. It is hoped that a large audience will hear this message.

This meeting has enjoyed fine interest throughout its entire course. Many have benefited by the gospel preaching and strong denunciation of sin. Shirley Morgan, of Lubbock, very ably directs the singing of favorite old-time hymns.

Evangelist Linn announces the following themes to be discussed: Saturday, 8 p. m., "The Falling Away, the Reformation, and the Restoration."

Sunday, 11 a. m., "Putting First Things First."

Sunday, 8 p. m., "Where Will You Spend Eternity?" Sunday evening will conclude the series of evangelistic services. The Church of Christ extends a sincere invitation to all to attend every service possible.

Corkill Motley has accepted a position with the West Texas Cottonoil Company and will begin work there September 15. He will assist in clerical work in the office.

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- Brown Sugar Celo Bag 7 lb. Pkg. 15c
- Macaroni or Spaghetti Comet or Rosebud Pkg. 5c
- Palmolive Soap Bar 5c
- Soap Chips Crystal White 5 lb. Pkg. 35c
- Soap Crystal White or P. & G. 6 Giant Bars 25c
- Oxydol For Rich Suds, Large Pkg. 23c
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 7:15 p. m., senior Endeavor.  
 8 o'clock, evening worship.  
 8 p. m., Wednesday, prayer meeting, followed by choir practice.  
 W. H. F. MOORE, Pastor

**Church of the Nazarene**  
 (Ninth Street and Harris Avenue)  
 Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., M. D. Freeman, superintendent.  
 Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor. Junior Band at 6 p. m.  
 N. Y. P. S. at 7 p. m.  
 8 p. m., preaching by pastor.  
 Evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m.  
 Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.  
 W. M. S. each Thursday at 2:30 p. m.  
 R. E. CUMMINS, Pastor

**Church of Christ**  
 (Eighth Street, Bonsal Avenue) classes.  
 Bible school meets at 9:45 a. m. with competent teachers for all.  
 Preaching at 11 a. m. Communion following sermon.  
 Ladies' Bible class meets in the church building Monday at 4 p. m.  
 Prayer meeting and young people's service at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday.  
 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.  
 11 a. m., preaching and communion by pastor.  
 8:15 p. m., worship conducted by pastor.  
 We enter an invitation to the public to attend all these services.

**Church of God**  
 (Corner of Sixth and Strong)  
 Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., S. H. Skelton, superintendent.  
 Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.  
 Preaching at 8 p. m. by pastor.  
 Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.  
 Woman's Missionary Society each Thursday.  
 W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor

**First Methodist Church**  
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Sam Behringer, superintendent.  
 11 a. m., preaching by pastor.  
 8:15 p. m., no services.  
 A cordial welcome awaits you at all our services.  
 W. H. VANDERPOOL, Pastor

**Foursquare Gospel Church**  
 Special meetings to be held Saturday at 8 p. m. and Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., with Miss Tolbert from the San Angelo Foursquare revival bringing the messages. Sunday morning will be dedication service of our new location, 506 Hutchings Avenue, old bottling works building.  
 Be sure to come.  
 DAN F. KOOP, Pastor

**Old Fashioned Baptist Church**  
 A special all day service of preaching, song, and praise will be held in the library auditorium Sunday, September 8, beginning at 9:45 a. m. Visiting preachers from out of town will take part on the program. Lunch will be served at the noon hour. The public is invited to attend this service and worship with us.  
 GILBERT W. WILSON, Pastor

Maidie Rose Rubin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rubin, who was operated on recently at San Antonio, has left the hospital and is spending several days in Corpus Christi this week.

Marion Connelly was operated on for appendicitis at the Halley & Love Sanitarium Monday. He is resting well and expected to be up within ten days.

Mrs. S. F. Gartman, of Dallas, has returned home after several days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Cook.

Mrs. C. W. Tibbs and son, Charles W., of Dallas, left Thursday for home after a visit with relatives here.

N. Norton	14	11	7	15	11	13	5	15	3	15	7	14	6	16
Bethel	27	20	20	22	29	16	15	21	24	17	20	18	30	17
Miles	202	78	133	108	133	153	85	134	95	124	116	100	158	114
Brookshier	9	4	5	6	0	13	0	10	1	10	7	4	1	10
Victory	22	4	7	16	12	13	3	19	7	14	7	14	8	14
Harmony	16	6	10	9	6	15	6	8	6	8	7	9	5	18
Wingate	56	16	47	20	32	41	25	34	26	27	36	23	22	48
Dale	2	18	7	14	17	13	12	13	6	14	7	17	9	18
Baldwin	25	4	24	3	5	27	9	9	10	9	10	9	11	17
Wilmeth	57	11	20	26	29	33	14	29	18	25	22	25	25	30
Cochran	18	8	10	10	5	21	4	12	6	9	7	7	9	8
Pumphrey	34	21	17	32	4	52	8	34	6	35	14	26	8	47
Marie	32	4	24	11	9	27	12	15	19	12	15	16	7	30
Token	24	4	19	7	11	16	5	18	11	12	10	12	16	11
Totals	1591	763	1050	1025	1015	1471	579	1254	749	1134	794	917	919	1054

### Representative's Race

Horace B. Sessions, of Ballinger, was elected representative of the 92nd district Saturday when he received the greatest number of votes cast in the special election. He will succeed H. O. Jones, of Winters, in the House at the next session, which will be called soon to make laws governing the sale of liquor.

Sessions' majority in Runnels county put him far in the lead. The returns for Runnels county were: Sessions, 1,031; Rampy, 391; West, 495; and Simpson, 487.

The post of representative for this district was made vacant two months ago when Mr. Jones was appointed postmaster at Winters. Governor James V. Alford called a special election to be held on the same day of the state amendment election and at once four candidates entered the race and made a diligent campaign.

The final tabulations in Concho county gave Sessions 345, Rampy 50, West 121, and Simpson 267.

The complete vote in Coke county was: Sessions 140, Rampy 55, West 343, and Simpson 78.

Totals for the three counties are: Sessions 1,516, Rampy 496, West 1,159, and Simpson 812.

	Seasons	Rampy	West	Simpson
Ballinger No. 1	238	19	68	42
Ballinger No. 24	179	18	55	39
Beroli	15	2	2	2
Oak Creek	10	7	7	7
Winters No. 7	58	48	40	66
Winters No. 26	33	41	30	48
Crews	35	20	39	15
Rowena	114	28	22	65
O'Brien	72	5	6	6
Hatchel	21	5	8	4
Hagan	23	1	15	3
Maverick	13	1	11	13
N. Norton	9	7	7	3
Bethel	5	7	12	3
Miles	103	17	47	113
Brookshier	2	10	1	1
Victory	11	8	4	4
Harmony	12	3	2	4
Wingate	13	35	25	4
Dale	5	8	6	5
Baldwin	11	12	8	8
Wilmeth	2	74	3	7
Cochran	5	11	3	7
Pumphrey	9	21	16	8
Marie	8	2	27	2
Token	5	2	15	2
Total	1,036	391	495	487

### BALLINGER SOFTBALLERS DEFEAT TEAM FROM EDEN

A picked team of Ballinger softball players defeated the Eden team here Wednesday night in an extra-inning contest, 8 to 7. Both teams were selected from city leagues and furnished a fast game for a large crowd of local fans.

White pitched a good game for the Ballinger team until the eighth inning when he gave way to McMillan.

George Stowe, principal of the junior high school, came in this week from Abilene to get ready for the fall term of school here.

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### Notice by Publication of Final Account

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County—Greeting:

H. G. Wilde, Administrator of the Estate of Johanna Wilde, Deceased, and F. W. Wilde, Deceased, having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the Estate of said Johanna Wilde, Deceased, and F. W. Wilde, Deceased, for himself and his co-administrator, G. H. Dierschke, numbered 1107 on the Probate Docket of Runnels County, together with an application to be discharged from said Administration.

You are hereby commanded, that by one publication of this Writ for ten days before the return day hereof, to-wit, September 9th, 1935, in a newspaper printed in the County of Runnels, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday the 9th day of September, 1935, in the County Court of Runnels County, Texas, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Ballinger, Texas, on the 9th day of September, 1935, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Ballinger, Texas, this 27th

day of August, A. D. 1935.

W. W. CHASTAIN, Clerk, County Court, Runnels County.

By Linnie Harris, Deputy Clerk A true copy, I certify.

W. A. HOLT, Sheriff, Runnels County. By Winona Jones, Deputy Sheriff. 29-11

### Peas and Pears

Ten acres Blackeyes and Creams ready Monday. 35 cents bushel you pick, 45 cents we pick for you. 250 bushels large, juicy, ripe Pears fresh off trees. Finest pears in West Texas for eating and preserving—take them right off trees, \$1.25 bushel. Grape and Berry juices.

BOYD'S EVERGREEN NURSERY 29-21

Clarence Winans has accepted a position with Stone's and will begin work there Monday, September 2. He will be found in the gents' department and will assist in the shoe department.

Mrs. Joe Morrison was called to Temple Sunday on account of the serious illness of her sister-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Herring returned Sunday from Brownwood. Mrs. Samuel C. Lee accompanied them home for a visit here.

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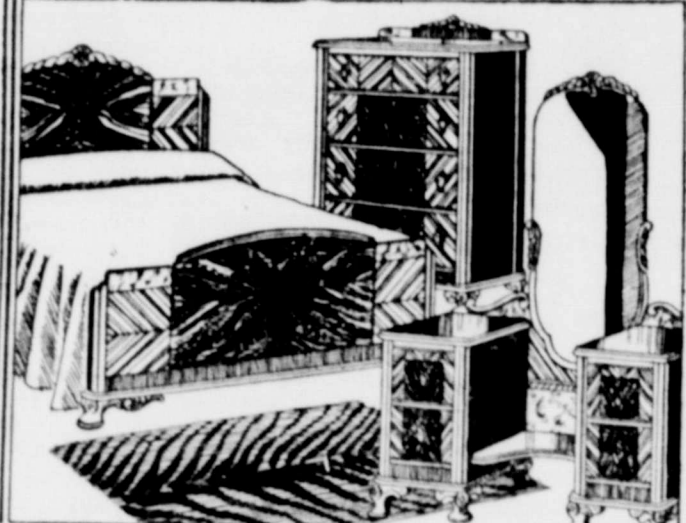
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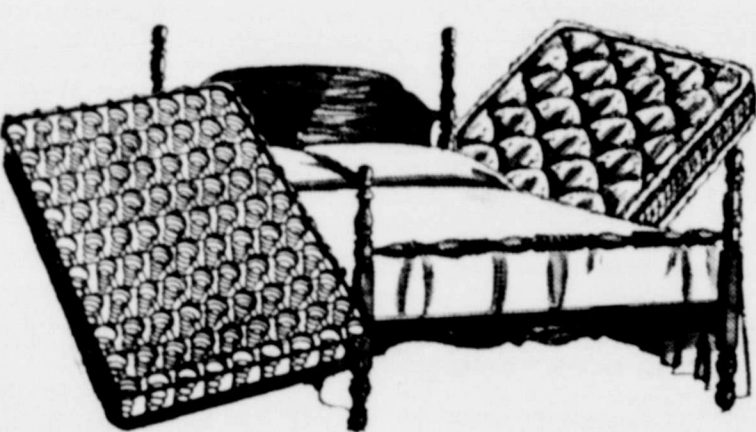


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## How They Voted on the Amendments

THE BALLINGER LEDGER

Rainbow county voters favored two and scratched five of the proposed constitutional amendments last Saturday. The old age pension amendment drew the heaviest vote in this county, 919 favoring and 1,054 opposing. The smallest number of ballots cast on any issue was on the amendment dealing with the fee system, a total of 1,711. Bureau

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 Here she is at the age of 2 years. A real baby to hug. New double action. Eyes that flash, sparkle, sleep and flirt. Dressed in adorable baby clothes with a bonnet that comes in the gift box with the doll.  
 An 8x10 autographed photo of Shirley suitable for framing comes with each doll.  
 Baby Shirley is waiting for you—price \$4.95.

**Weeks Drug Store**  
 "In Business for Your Health" Phones 12 and 33

"They Taste Better"  
**ICE, MILK, BUTTER and ICE CREAM**  
 We Serve **Banner Creamery**  
 Better Dairy Products  
 Ice, Milk, Butter, Ice Cream

**HAGELSTEIN MONUMENT CO.**  
 "MEMORIALS OF DISTINCTION"  
 We will not be here, always, to pay that respect in person. We can, though, assure constant and everlasting honor by causing the most permanent tribute possible to be erected where the loved one lies.  
 San Angelo - Ballinger - Abilene

**Morrison's Gin**  
 Round and Square Bale Ginners  
 Our gin has been completely repaired and overhauled and ready for your first bale of cotton.  
 We will have for your convenience a new cotton house this year.  
 Thanking you for your past patronage and support, I will greatly appreciate your business this fall.  
 Olen G. Morrison, Manager

**Get Your Money's Worth When You Buy a Low Priced Car**  
  
 The most finely balanced car ever built.  
 Let Us Demonstrate  
**Patrick Chevrolet Co.**

### Harley Sadler Circus May be Booked Here For Two Fair Dates

The program committee of the Runnels County Fair Association has been negotiating with Harley Sadler to bring his three-ring circus to Ballinger for two days during the Runnels County Fair. Mr. Sadler is anxious to book in here for two days, giving a performance each afternoon and evening and presenting his mile-long parade each afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The Sadler circus offers a great performance, showing some of the outstanding hippodrome acts on the road. The show has three bands, a herd of elephants and camels and numerous other trained animals. With the organization this season is Jack Hoxie, noted movie star, and five other western performers from Hollywood with their own cow ponies.

If the booking is made the Sadler circus will be presented in its large tent on the athletic field at Fair Park. The program committee thinks it would be very fortunate in engaging a special feature of this kind at the 1935 fair, which coupled with three days of rodeo events and a large resplendent midway will make up one of the best amusement programs ever offered the people of this section.

Terms were agreed upon today (Thursday) and so soon as contracts can be exchanged, the show with Sadler, "West Texas greatest showman," will probably be closed.

### The Hitching Post Is Back to Stay



The new parking device in use in Oklahoma City, while originally intended to save parking lines for motorists, serve the unexpected purpose of hitching posts. This cowboy is now for a morning's shopping, and drops his stick in the hitching post, and goes about his business.

### Miss King is Winner In Spelling Contest

Miss Genevieve King of Ballinger, was winner last week in the spelling contest, sponsored by a group of local merchants. Miss King filed the first corrected list of misspelled words to be found in the page of ads.

There was a total of 28 words misspelled in the page last week. The prize was for the first correct list received. All this week letters have been received which furnished proof that two classes were needed, therefore the rules are changed as follows:

A prize of \$1 will be paid for the first correct list of words by any person residing in Ballinger. Another prize of \$1 will be paid for the first correct list received by mail from out of town. This will make it possible for the rural readers of The Ledger to compete in a separate class.

In making out a list the entrant should use a sheet of blank paper, give the name of the merchant's ad, the misspelled word or words and the correct spelling of each. Do not use a page from the paper on which to mark the corrections.

The words misspelled in the page last week have been corrected and new errors made.

### No School Lunches Will be Supplied By Relief Office

The state relief commission announced this week that no more free school lunches would be served. Last year a total of \$1,000 pupils were served lunches and the announcement is regarded as another warning that the days of "relief business" in Texas are numbered.

Officials of the relief body are asking Parent-Teacher associations, business men's service clubs and church organizations to look after this phase of aid and not to make requests for food at the state and district headquarters.

Repeated suggestions have been sent out from relief offices urging clients to obtain steady employment of some kind as soon as possible. Organization of the WPA indicated that direct relief would end about January, 1936, and intake officers have been reluctant recently to accept applications for government assistance. In this part of the state where a big harvest is to be gathered, officials are insisting that those applying for relief work first seek employment from farmers who need help in their grain and cotton fields.

An effort is being made here to shift all able bodied men on the relief rolls to highway construction in order that work can be resumed on the Ballinger-Bronte road. Other projects to be launched next winter will depend upon the number of laborers available.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hollowitz are the parents of a fine baby girl, born Wednesday morning, August 23. Mother and baby are both doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Reed, of Quincy, Illinois, arrived Monday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sykes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doss and daughter, Patsy, left Monday for a ten days' visit at Austin, San Antonio and Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Towner Dickinson and son spent the week-end on the Cusenberry ranch near Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goughly spent the past week in Mineral Wells on a short vacation.

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NO CARRYING CHARGE

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# PIGGY WIGGLY



Ballinger, Texas

## The Best Store In Town!

Flakewhite Shortening . . . 8 lb. Crt. 98c

### Our Greatest

Betty Peas

Sugar No. 2  
2 Cans 15c

### FOOD Sale!

### Our Greatest

Quick-Jel

Gelatin Dessert  
3 Pkgs. 13c

### Food Sale

### Our Greatest

Rio Coffee

Choice  
2 lbs. 25c

### FOOD Sale!

### Our Greatest

Miracle Whip

Qt. 35c  
Pt. 22c

### Food Sale

### Our Greatest

Ovaltine

\$1.00 Size  
57c  
50c Size  
31c

### FOOD Sale!

### Our Greatest

Table Salt

25 lb. Sack  
23c

### Food Sale

Phillips Pork & Beans . . . 4 Cans 19c

F. & P. California

Spinach

No. 2  
2 Cans 19c

Cut Green Beans

Turnip Greens

Mustard Greens  
No. 2  
2 Cans 17c

Del Monte Golden Bantam

Corn

No. 2  
2 Cans 29c

### Our Greatest

Crisco

Finest Shortening  
3 lbs. 59c  
6 lbs. \$1.15

### FOOD Sale!

### Our Greatest

Comet

Spaghetti, Macaroni  
Vermicelli  
3 for 13c

### Food Sale

### Our Greatest

Bright & Early

Texas' Fastest Selling  
Coffee  
1 lb. 21c  
3 lbs. 59c

### FOOD Sale!

### Our Greatest

Gold Dust

Large 21c  
Small 2 for 5c

### Food Sale

### Our Greatest

Ginger Ale

Cliquot Club  
2 Full Pints 19c  
1 Full Quart 19c

### FOOD Sale!

### Our Greatest

Syrups

Of Man River  
Uncle Bob  
Gallon 49c

### Food Sale

F. & P. All Green Asparagus 2 Picnic Size 27c

Kellogg's Famous Cereals

Corn Flakes - Pep - Whole Wheat Flakes - Rice Krispies

Your Choice Any 3 Pkgs. 25c

Palm Island Pineapple

Sliced or Crushed 3 Flats 23c

Dole's Pineapple Juice 3 for 25c—Dole's Tidbits 2 for 15c

Tomatoes New Pack . . . 3 No. 2 Cans 21c

Sun Graze

Potted Meat

5 Cans 15c

Eatwell

Sardines

No. 1 Tall 8c

Pond's

Vienna Sausage

Can 5c

Nile Peaches . . . 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 25c

Apricots

Gallon 44c

Blackberries

Gallon 39c

Strawberries

Gallon 69c

Cherries

Gallon 49c

Rel Tang Mustard . . . Qt. Jar 10c

Pickles Sours or Dills . . . 2 Qt. Jars 29c

5c Values 5c

Gibb's Spaghetti Jar 5c  
Green Olives Jar 5c  
Red Cherries Jar 5c  
Curtis Mackerel 5c  
Atlas Shoe Polish 5c  
Faultless Starch 5c

10c Values 10c

Ma Brown Grape Jam, 8-oz. 10c  
Brown's Smacks, 8-oz. 10c  
Sliced Beef, 2 1/4-oz. 10c  
Pickles, Dills, Sweet, Sour 10c  
Tea, Mixed, 1/4 lb. 10c  
Peanut Butter, 8-oz. 10c

Carnation Milk . . . 3 Large or 6 Small Cans 19c

Jet Oil

Shoe Polish  
Bottle 12c

Frazier, 14-oz.

Catsup  
2 Jars 25c

White Shinola

Cleaner Removes Grass Stain  
Bottle 9c

Astor Orange India Tea

1/4 lb. 19c  
1 Free Glass

1/2 lb. 39c  
2 Free Glasses

1 lb. 75c  
4 Free Glasses

Strikalite Matches . . . 6 Boxes 19c

California PRUNES

5 lbs. 25c

25 Lb. Box \$1.00

Blue Ribbon Malt

"Most of the Best"

Extra Special 3 lb. Can 55c



2 for 9c 22c Bar 4c

Better Produce Values

Sweet Potatoes 3 lbs. 10c

Cabbage 10c

Onions Crystal Wax each 1c

California Oranges each 1c

Bell Peppers . . . lb. 9c

Cauliflower . . . lb. 12 1/2c

Oranges Red Ball, Regular 35c seller DOZ 29c

You are Sure of Quality at Piggly Wiggly Market

ROAST Chuck Cuts . . . lb. 10c

CERVELAT Choice Quality . . . lb. 23c

SLICED BACON . . . lb. 29c

PORK SAUSAGE Swift's . . . lb. 20c

WEINERS Large or Small . . . 2 lbs. 25c

Watch Our Windows for Other Bargains!

## FOR SALE

\$60 SCHOLARSHIP

DRAUGHON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE

Good at Abilene, Lubbock, Dallas and Wichita Falls

If interested in attending this school see us about this scholarship and save money.

WE HAVE A REAL BARGAIN!

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### PWA Approves Loan For Lights and Seats At Athletic Field

The Ballinger school board was notified Tuesday by Congressman C. L. South that the public works administration had approved the loan and grant asked by the board for building an athletic stadium and lighting the football field.

The final approval by the Washington authorities was for a loan of \$3,850 and a grant of \$3,150. The letter added that the project would have to go to the allotment committee and also to the WPA for approval.

Members of the local board were puzzled as to the meaning of the statement that the loan must be approved by the WPA and decided to take the matter up at once with Karl Wallace, of Brownwood, in charge of the district WPA office.

Mr. South said he would do everything possible to expedite the application for the loan and if possible get it perfected before he left Washington this week.

Final approval by the allotment committee at Washington is believed all that is necessary before starting work on the project here. Tom Caudle, one of the trustees, pointed out that the entire project would require very little unskilled labor. The contract for the seats would have to be a turnkey job, made with some steel concern, and the lighting would be another turnkey contract with an electric company.

The board is very anxious to get the loan-grant approved in time to erect the seats and install the lights this year. One reason for speed is because the Bearcats have seven possible at-home games this season, five of them conference tilts, and it is believed the project will practically pay for itself. Next year all the teams who come here this season will have the right to demand the Bearcats to play in their towns and it is possible that only two at-home games would be played.

H. B. O'Kelly and Arthur Giesecke returned Wednesday from Dallas, where they had been on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Giesecke, Jr., returned Wednesday from a trip to the plains and New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dankworth and family left Wednesday for Christoval to spend several days.

J. Milton Clayton, of Benoit, was here Monday to attend to business and deliver the election returns to the county clerk.

### Christian Minister Recently Called, To Preach Sunday

Rev. Wallace Jones will arrive this week and later will move his family to Ballinger to make home. Rev. Jones was recently called as pastor by the First Christian Church and will move here from Colorado where he has been serving the Christian church.

Rev. Jones will conduct services Sunday, both morning and evening, and all members and friends of the church are invited to attend. The new minister and his wife both specialized in religious education at Texas Christian University. Rev. Jones in adult work and Mrs. Jones in young people's and children's work. She has made a place for herself in Colorado by her book reviews and original religious plays, which have been accorded much favorable comment. She is a member of the Colorado Parent-Teacher Association and an active worker in the study club, one of the leading civic organizations of the city.

Their little daughter, Minnie Edith, age 11, also has taken part in community organizations, being a member of the Camp Fire Girls and the junior high school choral club. She will enter the sixth grade here.

Rev. Jones has assisted in worthy community enterprises and has been a key member in the Lions Club, one of the largest service clubs in West Texas, enrolling 120 members.

Rev. and Mrs. Jones will occupy the minister's home on Sixth Street after September 6.

### STUDENT REGISTRATION IN BALLINGER SCHOOLS STARTS MONDAY MORNING

All students who have not already registered for courses in the Ballinger senior high school and junior high school are asked to be at the high school office Monday morning and attend to this matter. A number of new pupils who will enter these two schools September 9 were not here to register at the end of the spring term.

Faculty members will be on hand Monday to assist the pupils and complete preliminary work so that study can commence the first day. Superintendent H. C. Lyon, Principal H. B. Self of the senior high school, and Principal George Stowe of the junior high school, are here and ready to start work. Mr. Stowe is arranging books in the library and looking after other duties at the junior high building this week.

Read the ads—save money.

### Can't Beat This Seat in the Heat



There's no better way than this to keep cool in sweltering weather, these nymphs agree. An ice chest helps them combat the sun.

### Three Car Loads of Poison Sold in War on Worms

Leaf worms working in Runnels county cotton fields forced farmers to buy two or three carloads of calcium arsenate this week. Practically every farm in the county has some infestation and spraying was started the first part of the week in efforts to reduce the damage.

The West Texas Cotton Oil Company mills at Ballinger and Winters have been supplying the poison in carload lots and their stock was almost exhausted early this week. Other shipments are in transit and will arrive this week-end.

H. W. Lynn, manager of the Ballinger mill, stated that in addition to the large quantity of calcium

arsenate sold by the two plants many farmers had bought white arsenic to use in dusting and spraying cotton.

Cotton men who visited in most communities of the county this week said some sections were affected worse than others, but that farmers were keeping the worms well under control and the crop as a whole had not been damaged seriously. Some boll worms were also reported in the fields.

Most cotton is growing nicely and fruiting fast, a few fields of the most advanced plants having some open bolls. Local ginners think a bale will arrive here this week to open the 1935 season.

### BALLINGER BEATS SHIELDS, LOWAKE NINE HERE SUNDAY

The Ballinger baseball team turned back the fast Shields (Coleman county) team Sunday afternoon, 7 to 2. The game was more interesting than indicate by the score as the count was tied most of the time. A large number of fans witnessed the contest at Fair Park.

"Rube" Virden pitched another good game for the locals, keeping the hits well scattered during the nine innings. Underwood was behind the plate and did a nice

job of receiving as well as uncorking a pair of safe blows to help push the seven tallies across.

Manager Oran Dean announced today that the Ballinger squad would again take on the Lowake boys, the game to be played next Sunday afternoon. Dean will send a strong line-up against the boys from Concho county and fans are invited to witness the game.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. ("Buck") Gibbs arrived Saturday from Seattle, Washington. Mr. Gibbs will teach in the junior high school and be assistant football coach.

### SMITH'S RED & WHITE IS BEING REMODELED

Smith's Red & White grocery and market has been closed this week while remodeling, repainting and other improvements were made. The store will open for business again Saturday morning with a special food sale. An announcement was made that hereafter the store will sell for cash only and delivery will be limited to orders of \$2 or more.

The entire interior of the store has been rearranged. Merchandise was removed from the shelves and the fixtures repainted. The inside of the building has been redecorated and some new displays arranged for the grocery section. Refreshments will be served all day Saturday.

High quality Tires at low prices at Freeman's. 8-11

### OIL ACTIVITY LIGHT IN COUNTY LAST WEEK

Ten-inch casing was run to 1,400 feet and drilling resumed last week in the Art Tucker-T. B. Wade test in the McMillan field. Drilling proceeded this week to approximately 1,750 feet, where a fishing is causing a slight delay.

Announcement was made this week that the Wolvorton-Willingham No. 1 was being plugged at 3,524 feet.

John Castor-Golden Petroleum Company is still rigging up for a test on the H. Giesecke ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Motley left Tuesday afternoon for Junction to spend several days fishing on the Llano River.

George Garrett, of Lubbock, attended to business and visited friends in Ballinger Saturday.

### MAZELAND SCHOOL WILL OPEN MONDAY MORNING

The Mazeland school will open Monday morning for a month's term or until the cotton picking season is under way. H. T. McDonald, principal, has as assistants Albert Koenig, Miss Addie Lou Glass and Mrs. W. H. Rumpy.

The school will dismiss during the cotton gathering season and resume later in the fall when the pupils are able to attend regularly.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Murchison spent the week-end with relatives at Ozona and Sonora.

Mrs. E. W. McLaurin was operated on at the Halley & Love Sanitarium last Friday and is resting well. She will be able to return home soon.

Mrs. T. A. Pace, of Alamogordo, New Mexico, is here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Vanderpool.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw and son left Sunday for Junction to spend several days on the Randolph ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Fielding Byars, of Peoria, Illinois, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lynn. Mrs. Byars received a message Sunday morning stating that her mother had died suddenly at Waco. They left at once for that city and will return home after the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sledge, of San Angelo, have returned home after spending a two weeks' vacation with relatives here.

Mark your eggs and butter with Rubber Stamps. Ballinger Printing Co.

### NORTON SCHOOL WILL SEEK GYMNASIUM LOAN FROM WPA

The board of trustees of the Norton independent school district is making preparations to file an application with the WPA for building a \$10,000 gymnasium. Members of the board were here this week conferring with the county planning board and county engineer, Towner Dickinson, and Wednesday night held a meeting at Norton to confer with an architect and begin work on the application.

O. L. Conger is superintendent of the Norton school, one of the best equipped rural schools in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henderson left Monday for Waco after spending a two weeks' vacation with relatives here.

Henry Mitchell, of Drasco, transacted business in Ballinger Monday.

Rev. W. H. Vanderpool returned Sunday night from Wingate, where he had been conducting a revival for the past two weeks, and left Monday for Eola, where he opened a ten days' revival.

Rev. Homer Vanderpool, of Santa Anna, was a visitor here Monday.

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## SMITH'S RED & WHITE GROCERY ON CASH BASIS

After remodeling our store and re-arranging our stock so that it will be more convenient for our customers we are pleased to announce our readiness for Fall business and invite your inspection on our opening date.

### Saturday, Aug. 31st

—at which time we will have special prices on all merchandise.

**FREE**  
With each purchase of \$2.50 worth of merchandise and up we will give a basket of groceries free of cost, all day SATURDAY AUGUST 31ST  
Come here and buy your supplies and receive this valuable gift—  
**IT'S YOURS**

**These Prices Illustrate Red & White Values**  
**BANANAS, APPLES and ORANGES** each **1c**  
**Concord Grapes** 5 lb. basket 18c, 3 baskets 50c  
**Potatoes** . **10 lbs. 13c**  
**BREAD** . . . . **3 loaves 14c**  
**Potato Chips** 10c size **2 pkgs. 15c**  
**Tomatoes** No. 1 **5c** - 2 No. 2 **15c**  
**Tomato Juice** . **No. 2 can 9c**  
**Macaroni-Spagetti** Yankee Doodle **pkg. 4c**  
**Vanilla Extract** 8-oz. bottle **10c**

- Soap T. N. T brand** 5 bars **19c**
- Pinto Beans** . . . . **5 lbs. 38c**
- Black Pepper** . . . **10c size 5c**
- K. Baking Powder** 50c size **29c**
- Market Specials**
- Weiners** . . . . . **2 lbs. 25c**
- Bologna Sausage** . **2 lbs. 25c**
- ced Bacon** . . . . . **1b. 25c**
- ak, all cuts** . . . . . **1b. 15c**
- k Roast** . . . . . **1b. 9c**
- Meat** . . . . . **1b. 7½c**
- s, fully dressed** each **31c**

**Thanks!**  
We certainly do thank our many friends who have so generously patronized us in the past and only hope that we may continue to be helpful to you in the future.  
Our stocks will be complete and your every wish shall be gratified.  
**COME TO SEE US NEXT SATURDAY**

**Refreshments Served All Day Saturday**

## When it Comes to Carpenter Work

When there's some repairing to do about the premises, father usually plans to be missing from the picture.

Carpenter work isn't in his line, anyway.

For that matter, there are many good carpenters in Ballinger who can do the work much better than father, and in a fraction of the time.

The fall season usually exposes the need for some repair work about the house. It's much better as a rule to have this work done before cold weather sets in. A winter repair job usually means a cold house and accompanying discomforts.

Also it might be suggested that right now would be a good time to build that garage for the car, if you haven't already done so.

Whether it be carpenter work, masonry, or any other type of construction, it is always well to employ local tradesmen. They live here, they contribute to the community's welfare. And they are entitled to first chance at least, on all forms of local building.



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**HAS YOUR ADDRESS  
 CHANGED RECENTLY?**

Ledger subscribers are requested to notify the publisher of any change in their addresses promptly.  
 Under the new postal laws newspapers and periodicals must pay postage due for notices of any change in addresses furnished by the postoffice. Besides, there is always the probability that your paper will be delayed or fail to reach you altogether if you do not give immediate notification when you move.  
 The best plan for all concerned is send the change of address in advance.

Merchants are looking forward to the beginning of the cotton season. Late planting in the spring will retard the movement several weeks and it will be some time in October before the harvest is fully underway. Ginners have overhauled their plants for a busy season and buyers have their offices open and are ready to bid on the new crop.

Indications are that the legislature will soon be back at Austin to take up the most difficult tasks it has faced in years. Laws to be passed in regard to handling liquor and methods of financing the old age pension will give the law makers plenty to think about. This district will have a new representative in the House who will begin his service with the opening of the special session.

Many people have been appointed to help stage the 1935 Runnels County Fair. It is now up to these committees as to what kind of an exposition it will be. The task is too great for one or two persons and in the mass meeting here last week it was asserted that each committee would have to take full charge of its assignment and do it efficiently. There is plenty of interest, plenty of produce to show, plenty of amusements obtainable, and nothing should prevent holding the best fair in the history of Runnels county.

The Ballinger public schools open a little more than one week hence. This will bring to a close the vacation period for both children and parents. The opening was postponed a week in order to complete projected improvements and the 1935 term begins with the best plant and organization ever offered. The teachers will assemble next week to get instructions before meeting classes and preliminary details will be perfected. The enrollment is expected to be the largest in the history of the local schools because in addition to an increase in scholastics in the district, five buses will transport pupils here. The operation of a junior high school will greatly relieve the congested condition in the senior high school.

Freeman's Tire and Battery Store  
 113 South Eighth 3-17

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for the interest, help, and sympathy given us, through the illness and operation of our daughter, Georgia. Especially do we wish to thank Mr. Elmer King, of King-Holt Co., for his kindness in carrying her to and from the sanitarium.

Mrs. Bob Bailey and Children,  
 Hatchel, Texas  
 29-11-\*

Miss Angeline Schwertner and little Miss Jane Smith, of San Angelo, visited Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Olsak.

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Day and Night  
 A Modern Convenient  
 Service Station

**MAGNOLIA PRODUCTS**

Corner Tenth Street and  
 Hutchings Avenue  
 On San Angelo Highway

**"SMOKEY" LUSK**

Service Station  
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**The Strike That Welds the Link**



**WEST TEXAS NEWS NOTES**

Pecos county's tax rate was cut 5 cents on the \$100 valuation by the commissioners' court last week. The school levy remains at 50 cents, making a total reduction of 20 per cent. An estimate indicates property owners of the county will save approximately \$94,000 by reduced state and county taxes.

A ram sale will be held at Brady on September 13 and 14, according to raisers of registered sheep in that section. W. W. Cox, in charge of the show, thinks between 300 and 400 high quality registered animals will be entered. The show is for Delaine rams. Rambouillet rams being sold at a sale held annually in July.

A locating committee of the state board of control visited Brownwood last week, inspecting sites for the location of a state negro tubercular hospital. Three sites were shown the inspectors. Funds raised in Coleman for

sending Boy Scouts to the national jamboree probably will be used to erect troop cabins. Money was contributed to send a number of Scouts to the jamboree and when this meeting was called off because of an epidemic of infantile paralysis in Washington, some of the donors asked that the funds be used to build quarters for the lads.

A new high school to be opened in southern Coleman county this year will be known as Monelle high school. The name is in honor of Monelle Mincey, 13-year-old girl. The child's grandmother donated 10 acres of land for the site.

A successful trades day was held at Lawn last Saturday, merchants of the town cooperating in a program and special bargains for shoppers.

More than 50 carloads of small grain have been shipped from Melvin this season. In addition to the movement of small grain six carloads of maize of the 1935 crop have already been shipped and movement of this feed has just

started. The first car of sudan seed ever shipped from Melvin is being loaded this week.

Women of McCulloch county appeared, with the district home demonstration agent, Miss Myrtle Murray, before the commissioners' court, asking that the county employ a home demonstration agent. The women were assured that the work would be resumed January 1, 1936, the county cooperating with the extension service.

Construction of a swimming pool in the Coleman city park will begin soon if a PWA loan is approved. The work will probably will be done during the fall and winter and the pool opened at the beginning of the season next year.

Winters business men sent sixteen Boy Scouts and two scoutmasters on trip through South Texas last week. The trip was made on funds raised for the national jamboree delegates. The group returned home Saturday after being gone for a full week, visiting Kerrville, Austin, San Antonio and San Marcos.

W. T. Malloy has been retained by the new district relief supervisor to be in charge of commodities in Concho county. Malloy will have an office in Eden where he will direct distribution of food and clothing.

It was announced last week that E. R. Lawrence, Coke county farm agent since 1933, will go to Bosque county. Houston Smith, of San Angelo, will take over the work in Coke county. Smith has recently been employed in extension service work in Brazos county.

J. D. Hext, Mason county boy, was bitten by a black widow spider last week. A ranch hand found the boy soon after he was bitten, suffering intense pain. After learning the cause, the wound was slashed deep, allowing it to bleed freely, and the youth rushed to Mason for medical treatment. He is recovering, according to the attending physician, and was expected to be able to return home this week.

The Eden warehouse company sold approximately 90,000 pounds of wool last week. The sales ranged from 23½ to 24½ cents per pound, which the holders considered satisfactory. The warehouse still has on hand about 85,000 pounds of wool.

Earl Tracy, for 15 years post-

master at Junction, has retired, and was succeeded last week by Harry G. Hubert. Tracy began his tenure of office under Woodrow Wilson and since served under three Republican presidents. Under the Roosevelt administration he was filling an unexpired term.

A number of hill country sheriffs met at Menard last week to discuss plans for checking on cattle movements and preventing rustling. A system adopted provides for inspecting trucks and giving drivers receipts, which they will be asked to retain and show other peace officers when halted. A series of meetings to be held in cattle and sheep growing regions will present the plan to other officers. About 20 attended the meeting at Menard.

Brady citizens are preparing for the entertainment of members of the Heart of Texas Press Association on September 6 and 7. A

program of entertainment and business will take up most of the two-day meeting. Harry Schwenker, publisher of the Brady Standard, is to be host editor.

The Miles public school will open September 2 and seniors have been requested to register on August 30. Registration of other pupils will be attended to Monday morning after the opening program. J. Irvin Warren is the new superintendent of the Miles school.

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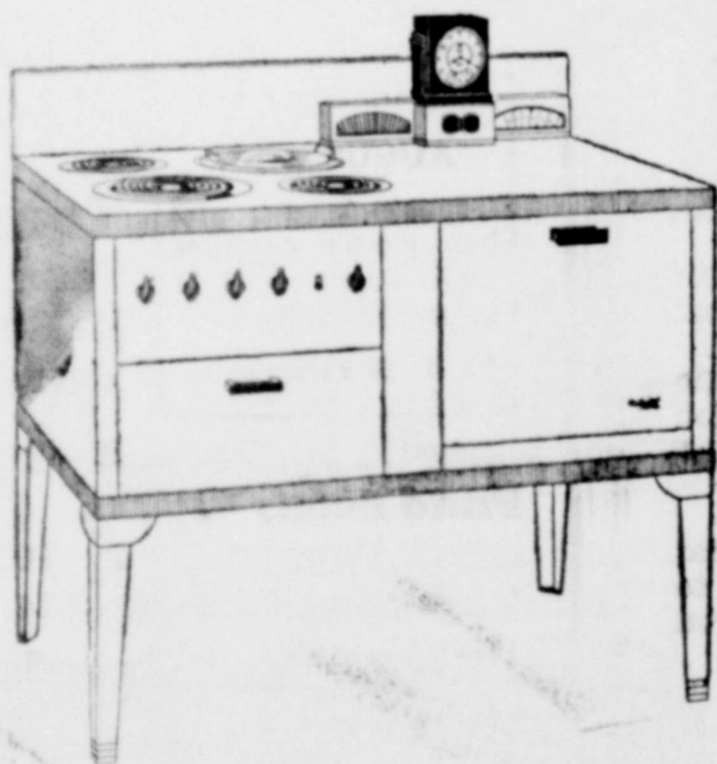
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Miss Ione Bigby had a tonsil operation last week and is resting much better now.

Clyde Simmons will come in Thursday from the summer term of school at Texas Tech, Lubbock.

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Misses Ina and Nina Crockett report a very pleasant visit at Lubbock and Levelland and are expected home the latter part of the week.

Quite a number of Bethel folks went to Ballinger Sunday and Monday to see "Our Little Girl," by Shirley Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp Crockett and family, of Morton, Texas; Mrs. John Crockett, of Winters; and Clyde Fowler and son, of Dallas, visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carwile, and other relatives.

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Crystal Wedding Oats Large Box 23c  
Safeway Butter lb. 27c

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bragg and family were guests Sunday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ellis Madison, of Winters.

Harvey Alzman, of Barnhart, is visiting relatives here this week.

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Will Rogers--

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skipper a boat, gave Rogers a character to show true Mississippi River life in a fine story. The excellent supporting cast includes the noted humorist, Irvin S. Cobb. Local merchants have joined the Palace management in advertising this first Texas showing of the picture and invite citizens of this section to come to Ballinger to witness one of the several performances beginning Saturday at 11:45 p. m. and concluding Tuesday evening.

County Tax--

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have from then until January 31 to pay their property and poll taxes. Renditions in the county probably will show a slight decrease this year, according to Mr. Fargoy. The office anticipates heavy payment of poll taxes this fall and during January, 1936. As next year is a "political" year many will obtain poll tax receipts in order to take part in the Democratic primaries. It is pointed out.

A new ruling will be in force next year in regard to "overs" and "unders." Each "over" and "under" must appear at the tax collector's office, make application and receive his exemption certificate in order to vote. Failure to do this will disfranchise. There is no expense attached to securing an exemption certificate.

The commissioners' court has already met as an equalization board and those whose valuations were changed had an opportunity to appear.

Tommy Vandevanter, of San Angelo, visited his sister, Mrs. Bill Clark, Monday and Tuesday.

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Cecil Justice, of Merkel, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Clifford Rhoden.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sykes and Mrs. Florence Reed have returned from a short vacation trip to Midland, Odessa and McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jeffery, of Oney, were here Tuesday and Wednesday, the guests of Mrs. Jeffery's brother, R. P. Tunnell.

Mrs. R. T. Trail, Miss Frances Trail and James Kemp left Tuesday for Dallas to attend to business.

Mrs. Cecil Jones is in a San Angelo hospital following an operation performed last Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Williams, of Lubbock, and Mrs. Thomas Johnson, of Pampa, returned to their homes Tuesday after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Drew Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cherry and daughter, Billie Joe, and Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, of Wolfe City, spent the week-end here, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cherry.

M. B. Webb and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Webb, Jr., and two sons returned Wednesday from a trip to the Pacific Coast. They visited in Los Angeles and the San Diego Exposition, and on the return trip viewed the Grand Canyon.

David Baker, who has just completed summer school at the University of Texas, and Pat Coleman, of Denver, will arrive here Saturday from Memphis, Tenn., where they attended a fraternity convention. Mr. Coleman will go on to Austin after a few days' visit here and Mr. Baker will remain at home.

until the opening of the medical school at Galveston this fall.

### SINGAPORE GOES MODERN: AUTO REPLACING CARTS

SINGAPORE, Straits Settlements, Aug. 28.—Automobiles are becoming so popular in Singapore that they are crowding out the native forms of transportation.

The municipal council recently ordered public wheeled horse-drawn vehicles removed from the streets. Small taxis appear to be making rapid progress in the city and agitation has recently been started to abolish the rickshaw. It is not expected that this radical move will be attempted, but it is probable that the number of these vehicles will be markedly curtailed at the next licensing period.

There are about 225 bullock carts licensed in Singapore and it is inevitable that this form of transport will be the next to give way to the motor car.

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## Members of Primary P.-T. A. Will Meet To Discuss Program

The Ballinger Primary Parent-Teacher Association will hold a called meeting at the home of Mrs. Dorsey Read, 608 Tenth Street, Wednesday afternoon. Officers and committee chairmen have been requested to attend this first meeting and plan the program of work for the ensuing school year. The meeting will begin at 4 p. m.

All committee chairmen have been appointed but the chairman of the program committee has resigned and the members present Wednesday will name another to this important place.

Officers of the organization are: Mrs. Dorsey Read, president; Mrs. Ernest Moody, vice-president; Miss Eloise Walker, secretary; and Mrs. K. V. Northington, treasurer.

Committee chairmen are: finance, Mrs. J. B. Stripplin; publicity, Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly; health, Mrs. Tom Agnew; membership, Mrs. Cecil Jones; hospitality, Mrs. C. W. Cheatham; publications, Mrs. Sam Dunlap; centennial, Mrs. H. C. Lyon; wardrobe and welfare, Mrs. O. R. O'Neill.

Regular meetings will be held each month during the school year and all mothers of primary grade children are invited to join the organization.

Mrs. Cottelle's Piano Class Begins September 2

Mrs. Sim Cottelle will begin her class in piano for the fall-winter term September 2. For particulars phone 250, 409 Sixth Street. 22-21\*

Supt. H. C. Lyon and Tom Caudie transacted school business at San Angelo Thursday.

## Bathing Beauties Try Ice Rink



It seems a long hop from swimming to ice skating, but these two girls have just come from a dip in the waters of Lake Placid. They are shown above about to cut a few capers on the ice rink of the Olympic Arena at the New York resort.

Banks Will Observe Labor Day Monday

The three Ballinger banks will not be open for business Monday, September 2, Labor Day. Patrons are requested to take notice of this holiday date and make their banking arrangements before Monday.

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### FREE COOKING SCHOOL TO CLOSE TOMORROW

The free electric kitchen school opened at the city hall auditorium this (Thursday) afternoon with Miss Patricia Johnson, of Chicago, conducting the demonstrations. The school will continue tomorrow afternoon, from 2 to 4 p. m., and all housewives in this trade territory are invited to attend.

The opening session was well attended and many more women are expected to be present for the second and last day.

This school, sponsored by the West Texas Utilities Company, is free. Demonstrated in the electrical kitchen are the latest types of equipment including dish washers, ranges, Frigidaires, and other appliances.

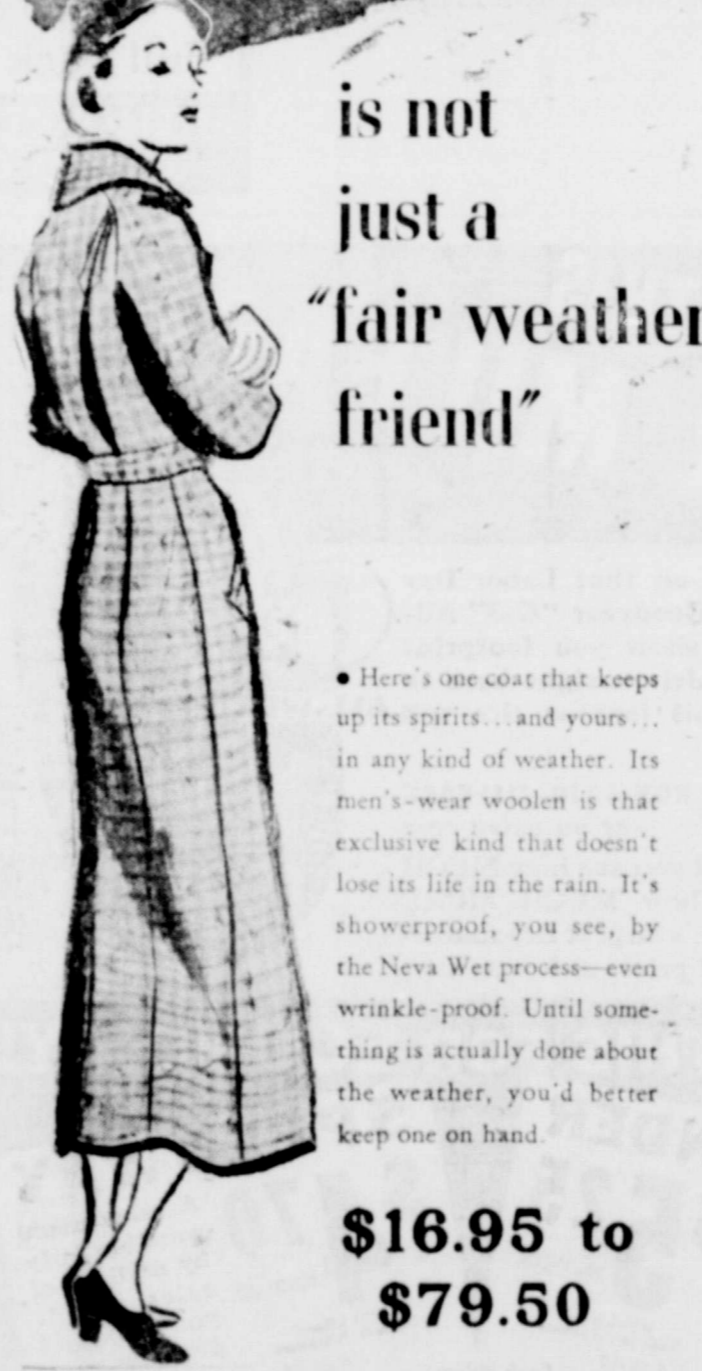
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## To the People of the 92nd District

I want to thank the voters for the way they received my recent campaign. I wish to say that I expect to serve the interests of the people of this section and the state to the best of my abilities.

Horace B. Sessions

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