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Government Aid in Fight On Hoppers Not Probable

Numerous reports from various points in the county were received at the office of County Agent John A. Barton this week telling of crop damage by grasshoppers. Mr. Barton also secured new information to the effect that government aid will be entirely inadequate to meet the alarming situation in Texas. Dr. Gable, of the U. S. division of entomology and plant quarantine, was in the county agent's office Monday and stated that at this time there are 60 counties in Texas threatened with severe hopper damage and that enough poison had been allotted for only about 20 counties in Texas, leaving 40 counties to take care of the situation themselves.

It is suggested that a hopper zone be established around the field from 15 to 20 yards from fences and poison placed in this area. "The danger of killing livestock is so slight that it is not to be considered if the poison bait is properly scattered," Dr. Gable asserted. He also said 100 pounds of poison bran mixture will cover 20 acres when thinly scattered and that a cow or horse would have to pick up the bran from an acre to get enough to kill it. If one is careless and lets an animal eat from a tub where the mixture is prepared, then death may occur.

When the poison zone is established it should be watched carefully and new poison added every four or five days. A better plan, it was said, would be to watch the insects and when they have penetrated about half the zone give them another batch of the poisoned mash.

Even if any bran mash is supplied by the government it may come too late to help out in the campaign against the destruction that is already started. Mr. Barton stated that he was doing all he could to secure the mixture but was doubtful that any would be allotted to this county.

JOE BURNS HAND AND ARM

P. W. Jost, of the Ofien community, was severely burned about his right hand and arm last Thursday when a gasoline iron exploded. Mrs. Jost called Mr. Jost in to assist her with the iron and in repairing it his arm became covered with gasoline. When the iron exploded the flames jumped to his arms and legs. Mrs. Jost and a son extinguished the blaze.

COUNTERFEIT BILLS BEING PASSED IN WEST TEXAS

A number of counterfeit \$20 bills have been found in West Texas towns recently. This week four of the bills were taken in at San Angelo and last week one bill was found in Ballinger after it had passed through several hands and one bank.

Engraving and printing of the bills are said to be almost perfect and it requires very close examination to determine they are bogus. Merchants are urged to look at all \$20 bills carefully before accepting them in payment for merchandise.

BALLINGER GIRLS ATTEND ENCAMPMENT AT KERRVILLE

Mrs. Harry Lynn and Miss Dorothy Lynn accompanied Miss Bitsie Lynn and Kathryn Bell to Kerrville Tuesday morning to attend the Presbyterian encampment. Miss Bitsie Lynn is president of the young people's assembly of the Brownwood district and she will attend all sessions during the encampment. Miss Cordelia Lynn will also attend the encampment, stopping off there as she returns from Houston this week.

LYNN ATTENDS MEETING OF COTTONSEED CRUSHERS

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lynn returned Tuesday night from San Antonio where they attended the annual meeting of the Texas Cottonseed Crushers' Association. Mr. Lynn took part in the golf tournament and in the drawing for prizes received a beautiful carving set valued at \$75. While his play did not warrant the prize, he was lucky on the draw, his name being the first called.

J. W. Little, student of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, came in Friday to spend the summer

Turkey Growers Elect Officers At Meeting Here

Members of the Runco Poultry Association met Saturday afternoon in the district court room of the court house for the purpose of hearing reports of the past year's activities, to elect officers and attend to other business.

John Dean was renamed chairman of the association for another year; Hugh Campbell was elected vice-chairman; and Frank Kemp re-elected secretary-treasurer. Mr. Campbell replaces R. E. Wolber on the board of directors. Other directors re-elected were Mr. Dean, Tom Moreland, Meade McShan, Bert Fletcher and M. F. Lett.

The members voted to affiliate the organization with the Southwest Turkey Growers' Association and checks totaling \$1,050 were distributed as final payments on the past year's pool.

Mr. Lett, manager of the association, gave a report on his trip to Salt Lake City, Utah, where he attended the annual meeting of the regional association and discussed the outlook for the fall of 1937.

The meeting was well attended. Members said indications are that the crop in this county will be heavier this year than last.

Sweetwater Boosters Eat Barbecue Here, And Offer Program

Sweetwater business and professional men spent more than an hour here Wednesday on a good-will trip through this section advertising a water carnival and sports festival to be held there on July 9 and 10 in conjunction with a convention of the fifth division of the American Legion.

Accompanying the 65 boosters was the high school band under the direction of Russell Shader. Sweetwater has maintained a municipal band for many years but this is the first year for a high school band there and the boys and girls displayed rare musical ability in their renditions on the court house lawn.

The trippers arrived here at 12:15 p. m. and were met at the court house park by a number of Ballinger citizens. A barbecue lunch had been prepared for them and was served as soon as all the party was on hand. After the meal a public address system was hooked up and a short program presented from the bandstand.

George Barber, secretary of the Sweetwater Board of City Development, called the crowd to order and presented J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, who introduced Paul Petty, city attorney and president of the Ballinger Rotary Club, for the address of welcome.

The party had visited Hilton, Wingate and Winters Wednesday morning and left here at 1:30 for Miles and Robert Lee, intending to double back to Bronte for the highway celebration at night.

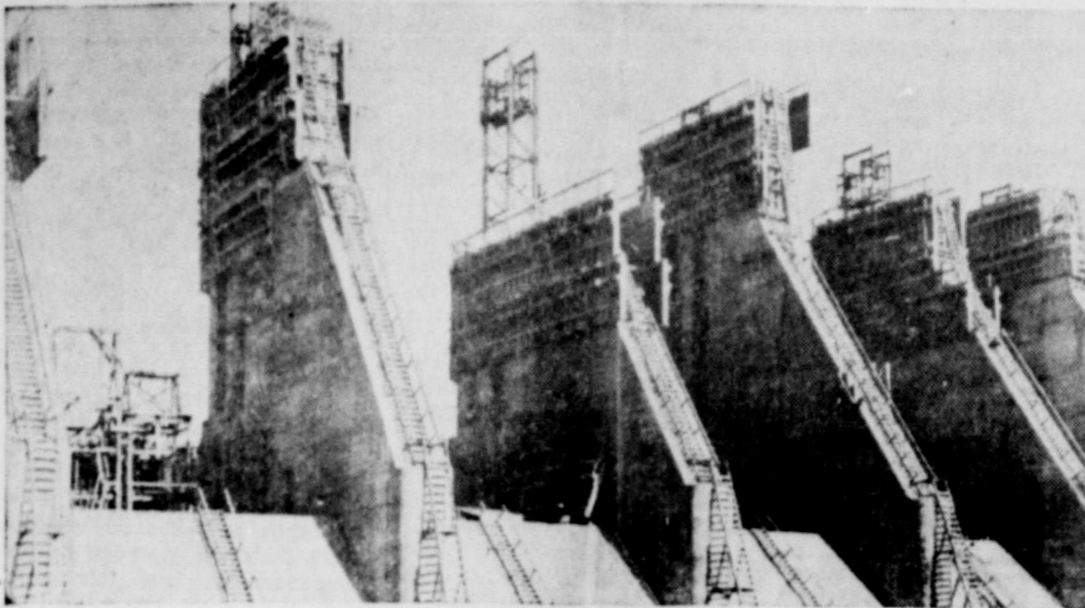
CHEERY LEAVES TO ATTEND STATE FIREMEN'S MEETING

Chester Cherry, chief of the Ballinger fire department, left Tuesday night for Port Arthur to attend the State Firemen's Association convention at Port Arthur. Malcolm Morgan, member of the local department, left several days ago to visit in other towns and was in Port Arthur for the opening session of the convention Tuesday morning.

Mr. Cherry was prevented from attending the opening of the convention because of damage to high lines in this part of the state Sunday morning. He stated that he and his crew have been busy since the electrical storm, repairing lines and getting service restored.

Mr. Cherry stated that farms and ranches were wetter than he had seen them in many years. He said that it was the first time utilities company trucks could not follow the high tension lines in ranches in this vicinity but that it was impossible to do so this week.

Construction Speeded on New Unit of TVA



Like bones of some huge prehistoric monster the skeleton of the TVA dam at Pickwick Landing on the over Tennessee river rises into the air, showing the recent progress of the work.

Committees Named By Rotary President For Ensuing Year

All standing committees of the Ballinger Rotary Club for the ensuing year have been named and will assume their duties at the first meeting in July. Horace B. Sessions, president for the next twelve months, conferred with chairmen in the appointment of committees and all those named have accepted the assignments.

The program committee will begin its work next week and is to submit a six months' schedule covering July to January. This list of programs will be ready and distributed at the last meeting in June.

President Sessions stated that it was hoped to print a weekly club publication during the next year and that efforts would be made to fill all local classifications in the organization. At present there are about 30 members in the Ballinger club.

Edgar Boelsche is secretary and the following are directors: K. V. Northington, George Clements, Paul Petty, Paul Trimmer and Albert Fryar.

Following are the standing committees:

- Alms and Objects—Horace Sessions, chairman; Edgar Boelsche, secretary; E. E. King, Paul Petty, H. C. Lyon, K. V. Northington, Club Service—E. E. King, chairman; O. C. Sykes, Louis Tigner, J. N. Nutt, Dwight Sharpe
- Vocational Service—Paul Petty, chairman; Ralph Erwin, George Clements
- Community Service—H. C. Lyon, chairman; K. V. Northington, J. A. Barton, Sam Behringer
- International Service—K. V. Northington, E. M. Lynn, O. L. Parish
- Classifications and Memberships—O. C. Sykes, chairman; Edgar Boelsche, J. A. Williams
- Program—Louis Tigner, chairman; Troy Simpson, Elmer Sheperd
- Fellowship—Attendance—W. O. Wallace, chairman; Homer Vandepool, J. N. Nutt
- Boys' Work and Crippled Children—K. V. Northington, J. D. Motley, Paul Trimmer

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dren—K. V. Northington, J. D. Motley, Paul Trimmer

Rural-Urban Acquaintance—J. A. Barton, H. W. Lynn, B. C. Kirk

Special Project—Sam Behringer, O. C. Sykes, F. M. Pearce

Club Publication—Dwight A. Sharpe, Estes Lynn, R. T. Williams.

BARBECUE AND FIESTA AT OFFEN POSTPONED UNTIL NEXT SUNDAY

Due to inclement weather last Sunday the barbecue supper and entertainment that was to have been held by St. Boniface Church, Offen, has been postponed until next Sunday, June 13.

The festivities will begin at 3 p. m. with supper served starting at 5 p. m. The same men will be in charge of the various stands as announced heretofore, and women of the parish will have charge of serving the supper.

Members of St. Boniface Society and of the Offen parish hope that those who had intended to come last Sunday will attend next Sunday, weather permitting.

TRI-COUNTY SINGING GROUP WILL MEET AT OAK GROVE

Members of the Tri-County Singing Association will meet at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, June 13, at Oak Grove. All singers of this section are invited to attend this program which will be featured by a number of special groups.

SCOUTS RETURN FROM 10-DAY ENCAMPMENT NEAR KERRVILLE

Three Ballinger Boy Scouts, Jack Bandy McGregor, Douglas Cox and Simeon Cottelle, under the leadership of Roy Worley, returned Tuesday from a ten-day encampment at Wimberley, near Kerrville. They reported having a fine, though damp, time. It rained every day they were in camp.

SMALL CROWD AT FIRST MONDAY TRADES DAY

Only a small crowd attended the first Monday trades day here last Monday. While some trading was done there were very few people on the Ninth Street grounds compared to the usual large number attending these monthly affairs.

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Social Security Expert Will Visit Ballinger Tuesday

In a communication received here this week by Tom Caudle, postmaster, and J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, M. D. Dewberry, acting manager of the social security board, Austin district, announced that Charles Von Rosenberg, social security expert, would be in Ballinger all day Tuesday, June 15, to assist all persons who may be in need of information or advice concerning the social security act.

Von Rosenberg is on a tour of the Austin district, which embraces Runnels county, in an effort to bring about better public understanding of the provisions of the act.

One of the purposes of the visit here is to enlist the support of local officials and civic groups in a campaign to assign social security account numbers to every worker covered by the old age benefits section of the law. Although a majority of workers in covered employments now have their cards, it is believed that there are still many eligible employees who have not applied for numbers.

Until June 30, applications for account numbers may be filed through the local postoffice. After June 30, it will be necessary to communicate with the Austin field office in order to establish a social security account.

Mr. Von Rosenberg will be at the city hall here all day Tuesday to advise public officials, civic leaders, employers and employees on phases of the social security act.

COMANCHE COUNTY SINGERS WILL MEET AT SIDNEY

Singers of Comanche county and surrounding territory are to meet at Sidney next Sunday for the annual Comanche County Singing Association convention. Sidney is located ten miles west of Comanche on the Sipe Springs road. A large auditorium will take care of the crowd.

WINTERS PAIR DENIED HABEAS CORPUS WRITS; RELEASED ON BOND

At a special hearing here Saturday District Judge O. L. Parish denied writs of habeas corpus to Lee White and Mrs. Lenia Clayburn Holmes, both of Winters, and also refused to reduce their bonds of \$2,000 each. Bonds were made by the pair Monday and they were released.

Three More Schools Are Standardized; All Close for Year

All Runnels county schools completed the current term last Friday when closing exercises were held at Spring Hill, Wingate and Kristoff.

County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff announced Monday that three more schools in the county are now standardized. These are Runnels, Spring Hill and Sweet Home.

Hagan and Runnels schools are now 1,000 per cent schools. They are graded on a basis of their plant, including grounds and out-buildings, the teachers, work done, pupils and the community. The highest possible score is 1,000, the lowest for an accredited school is 800.

Rain, Hail and Wind Damage County's Crops

1937 Range-Farm Program Started In This County

A large delegation of ranchmen and farmers are expected to go to San Angelo tomorrow (Friday) morning for a tour of the soil conservation camp and farm and ranch projects. They will meet at the court house in Ballinger at 8 o'clock in the morning and leave in time to arrive at headquarters in San Angelo about 9 o'clock.

Compliance on the range program has started in Runnels county and Inspector G. W. Renfro has viewed approximately 60 per cent of the 121 ranches signed up for 1937. M. F. Lett was appointed assistant inspector last week to rush the work in this county. The 121 contracts comprise a total of 128,000 acres and as soon as the first inspection is made, clearing out underbrush, burning pears, terracing pastures and stopping erosion with small dams will be started.

The last farm contracts for 1937 have been checked by Soil Conservation Agent Thomas B. Hill and sent to headquarters at College Station. A total of 1,101 contracts were signed in Runnels county this year which is a decrease from previous years the agricultural program has been in effect.

Ranchmen who desire help in starting the practices listed in their contracts may get this assistance from either Mr. Hill or John A. Barton, county agent.

Rock Crusher Rigged At Municipal Quarry For Paving Ninth St.

A rock crusher is being rigged up at the city quarry to provide macadam for the paving of Ninth Street. The rock will be crushed there and as needed, hauled to the street by trucks.

Concrete curbing has almost been completed on Ninth Street and only two blocks remain unfinished this week. Trucks began hauling dirt from the 200 and 300 blocks and about six inches of the soil will be removed to be replaced with caliche.

A caliche pit has been stripped on the Farmers & Merchants State Bank farm on the Bronte road near Ballinger. The base material will be taken from this pit for the entire street and only a short haul is necessary for the excellent material found within a short distance of the work.

Pavement of the street will be rushed as fast as possible and after the base of caliche is built the street will be opened to traffic for several weeks until it settles.

No curb and gutter work has been done for the past three weeks since men were transferred from this project to work on the Ballinger-Bronte road.

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The two were indicted with J. W. Reed, of Abilene, by the grand jury at the spring term of 119th district court two weeks ago on a charge of conspiracy for the purpose of extorting money from Sheriff W. A. Holt. Reed made a bond at once and was released but the other two had remained in jail.

W. E. Martin and Pete Turner, of Abilene, were counsel for the pair in the habeas corpus hearing.

W. W. Chastain, county clerk, was ill the first of the week and unable to be at his office.

\$250.00 Reward
Paid for Conviction of Livestock Thieves.
Runnels County Livestock Association

Rain, wind and hail early Sunday morning did considerable damage to Runnels county farms and a check-up this week revealed some places hard hit. The storm clouds came up shortly after midnight from the northwest and some fields in the Herring-Mud Creek section were completely wiped out by wind and hail.

J. T. Brandon, who was here from his place three miles south of Crews Monday, said that a heavy hail storm destroyed the small grain and cotton and that all crops would have to be replanted. The hail, as usual, did not cover a wide area but was destructive to everything growing in its path. He lost 60 acres of wheat ready to be combined, 15 acres of oats and 110 acres of cotton. Several of his neighbors had hail insurance and were here Monday to make reports of their losses.

In other sections of the county small grain was damaged by high winds. Many fields were ripe and ready for the combine when the wind struck and much of the grain was on the ground Sunday.

Rains ranging from 1 inch to 4 inches fell over the entire county. Practically every stream in the county was up Sunday. The Colorado River and Elm Creek both rose about 8 feet.

Other farmers here Monday stated that grasshoppers were working in many fields and during the wet period had destroyed many acres of young cotton. They were here Monday to obtain poison and halt the destruction.

EARNSHAW'S NEW RESIDENCE IN WILKE TERRACE STARTED

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw have awarded the contract for a modern eight-room residence to Alex Yarnell. Material was placed on the ground and the foundation started Monday morning with completion expected in a little more than two months. Mr. Yarnell has already finished much of the mill work and a crew of carpenters will be employed on the construction.

The building site is on Hamilton Avenue adjoining the G. A. Swann residence.

NEW TEACHER ELECTED FOR MEXICAN SCHOOL

The Ballinger school board last week elected Miss Myrtle Lucia Rede to teach in the Mexican school next term. Miss Rede succeeds Oscar Cardenas, who died just before the end of the past term. The new teacher is a graduate of Sul Ross State Teachers' College, Alpine, and comes to the Ballinger schools with the best of recommendations.

Miss Rede's election fills the last vacancy on the local faculty for the 1937-38 term.

Mrs. Wesley Love, of Sierra Blanca, returned home Tuesday after visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sturges and other relatives and friends.

Miss Eleanor Williams is at home from the University of Texas, Austin, to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams.

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H. J. R. No. 23
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to be known as Section 20 of Article VIII, providing that no property of any kind shall be assessed for ad valorem taxes at a greater value than its fair cash market value; and giving the Legislature power to provide that the State and all governmental or political subdivisions or taxing districts may allow a discount for payment of ad valorem taxes before the date when they would otherwise become delinquent; and providing that this Amendment shall become effective January 1, 1939; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of this Amendment; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; and making an appropriation therefor; and prescribing the form of ballot.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section to Article VIII to be known as Section 20

and to read as follows:

"Section 20. No property of any kind in this State shall ever be assessed for ad valorem taxes at a greater value than its fair cash market value nor shall any Board of Equalization of any governmental or political subdivision or taxing district within this State fix the value of any property for tax purposes at more than its fair cash market value; provided that in order to encourage the prompt payment of taxes, the Legislature shall have the power to provide that the taxpayer shall be allowed by the State and all governmental and political subdivisions and taxing districts of the State a three per cent (3%) discount on ad valorem taxes due the State or due any governmental or political subdivision or taxing district of the State if such taxes are paid ninety (90) days before the date when they would otherwise become delinquent; and the taxpayer shall be allowed a two per cent (2%) discount on said taxes if paid sixty (60) days before said taxes would become delinquent; and the taxpayer shall be allowed a one

per cent (1%) discount if said taxes are paid thirty (30) days before they would otherwise become delinquent. This amendment shall be effective January 1, 1939. The Legislature shall pass necessary laws for the proper administration of this Section."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the 23rd day of August, 1937, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"FOR the Amendment to the State Constitution providing that property shall never be assessed for taxes at more than its fair cash market value, and providing that in order to encourage the prompt payment of ad valorem taxes, the Legislature shall have the power to permit a discount for the payment of same before they become delinquent."

Those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to the State Constitution providing that property shall never be assessed for taxes at more than its fair cash market value, and providing that in order to encourage the prompt payment of ad valorem taxes, the Legislature shall have the power to permit a discount for the payment of same before they become delinquent."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

YOUNG COLLEGE HEAD



Dr. Paul Swain Havens, Princeton graduate, Rhodes scholar, professor and author who was inaugurated as president of Wilson College at Chambersburg, Pa., recently. He is only thirty-three, one of the youngest executives of a college in the United States.

BALLINGER TEACHERS WILL ATTEND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

Miss Faye Clark and Miss Lola Eubank, teachers in the Ballinger schools, and Miss Pearl Curry of Paint Rock, will leave next Tuesday for Honolulu, where they will enter the University of Hawaii for a six weeks' summer course. Miss Clark will study public school music, and Miss Eubank will take instruction in health and physical education.

The three women will board a limited train at Abilene and are to embark from San Francisco on the S. S. Mariposa. They will leave Honolulu on August 4 on the S. S. President Coolidge and land at Los Angeles.

The local teachers had been trying to make reservations for the summer course for several weeks but had been unsuccessful until they received notification this week of their acceptance and the period to attend.

We meet prices—Freeman's, if

Attention Jim Farley
 Old Lady (to little boy standing on his head): "Don't you know that if you do that, you'll never get to be president?"
 Little Boy: "That's all right, lady, I'm a Republican."

The above is a true and correct copy.
 EDWARD CLARK,
 Secretary of State
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Tires on easy payments at Freeman's.

Robert Lee Team Meets Revamped Bearcats Sunday

No games were played in the Concho Basin Baseball League last Sunday but play will be resumed next Sunday. Games last Sunday were scheduled at Rowena, Miles and San Angelo where heavy rains fell until almost game time, making the grounds too wet for play.

A double-header will be played at Fair Park, Ballinger, starting at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, with the Robert Lee Confederates furnishing the opposition. This club has recruited a number of fast baseball players within the past two weeks and the team coming to Ballinger next Sunday promises to give the Bearcats all they can handle.

Skipper W. A. Hampton stated that White, Kemp and Virden were all ready for mound duty. White probably will be the selection to start the first game, and Landers will do the receiving.

This will be the first home game for the revamped Bearcats under new management and fans are urged to take the afternoon off and witness two good contests. Attendance has been fair at previous games this season but if the local team keeps going at full speed more fans are needed as cash customers.

Winning of Sunday's double-header will put Ballinger back in the running for the first half. At present the Bearcats have 500 in the percentage column.

High quality Tires at low prices at Freeman's.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation to those who were so kind to us during the recent illness and at the death of our loved one, Jim McDonald. Your expressions of sympathy and the many things done for our comfort were a real help. Especially do we appreciate the beautiful flowers sent by his friends.

- W. R. McDonald
- Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moreland and family
- Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burney and family
- Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Moreland and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald and family
- Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald and family
- Mrs. Ida Franklin. 10-11

LOCAL GIRL SOFTBALLERS LOSE TO MILES TEAM. WIN FROM COLEMANITES

The Ballinger girls' softball team, under the management of George McMillan, won one and lost one game last week. They are still seeking games with clubs in other towns and will meet all offers either away or at home.

The locals dropped a game to the Miles team on the Miles lot by the score of 22 to 21 Tuesday evening. This game was anybody's until the last out was made and each team held the lead at several times during the game. These teams will meet again soon at Ballinger and fans are invited to attend.

Saturday evening the local crew got underway with the Coleman girls' club on the small end of a 14-8 score. This game was played on the softball field here.

Mr. McMillan said it was difficult to book games and that his team was ready to play any time.

Effective

The farmer from the next village was boasting about the effectiveness of his new scarecrow.

"Since I put it up," he said, "no bird has ventured within half a mile of the field. You fellows can't beat that."

The "locals," however, were not to be outdone.

"I can beat it!" announced old Farmer Roberts. "Last week I put a scarecrow which frightened the birds so much that one of them brought back two potatoes it had stolen."

Low Prices on—
 Cookers, Sealers, Cans and Fruit Jars at Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Club Stockholders Talk Improvements At Annual Meeting

Members of the Ballinger Country Club met Monday evening to hear annual committee reports, elect three new directors, and discuss improvements.

A unanimous vote requested that the annual all-day party be held on July 5 as the Fourth of July falls on Sunday this year. Officers were instructed to arrange for the annual golf tournament for both men and women, a bridge tournament, a barbecue dinner, and other entertainment that can be planned.

The directors were authorized to exchange, purchase or lease additional land to provide a better golf course on level ground and to consider the possibility of grass greens. Feasibility of this proposal will be looked into at once and if possible to secure about 20 more acres of land the course will be rearranged so that all canyon hazards can be eliminated.

Improvement of the bathing pier at the lake was discussed and ordered done immediately. Reports were heard on removing moss from the lake and the success attained in poisoning this growth. It was reported that pulling and dragging the moss from the lake will make it possible to keep the water in condition for fishing and bathing.

H. G. Agnew was reelected a member of the board of directors, and Albert Fryar and W. V. Connelly elected new members. These men will serve with J. G. Tuckey, R. W. Earnshaw, E. M. Lynn and R. E. Bruce. The directors will meet soon to perfect the organization, name standing committees for the year, and appoint special committees for the Independence Day celebration.

TRANSFER PERIOD BEGINS HERE FOR STUDENTS. CLOSING DATE AUGUST 1

The period for transferring pupils from one school district to another has begun and County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff has already accepted a number of transfers and expects many more to be made before the closing date, August 1. Children who ride busses from one district to another for high school purposes are included among those who must be officially transferred.

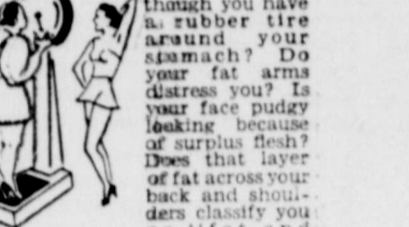
Parents of children who expect to attend a school outside their district are notified to call at the county superintendent's office and have transfers made.

The county superintendent's office staff is making up the annual book report and Mr. Grindstaff will be busy for the next 30 days compiling his report for the past term. This report is a consolidation of principals' reports for all the schools and requires considerable tabulation of figures.

No school districts in Runnels county have made plans for improvement during the summer except painting and minor repairs on buildings.

Miss Bobbie Avey came in Sunday from Southwest Texas State Teachers' College, San Marcos, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Avey.

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of Mr. Reese. Mrs. W. F. James is visiting her son and family, of Miles. Miss Serena Lindemann spent Saturday night with Miss Sylvia Bradley, of Eagle Branch. W. C. Brian left Thursday for Austin, where he will attend school this summer at the University of Texas. Mrs. Brian and daughter will spend the summer at Miles with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Moore. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Foreman are the proud parents of a baby boy. The Helpers Club met with Mrs.

A. W. Malone June 1. Two quilts were finished. Those present were. Mmes. C. F. Tounget, L. C. Canady, E. W. Gray, Otille Foreman, W. F. James, J. P. Boothe, Leonard Williamson, Carl West, J. S. Cooper, and J. W. Reese. The club will meet the fourth Wednesday in June for an all-day meeting with Mrs. J. W. Reese.

Misses Mildred Elkins and Juanita Huddleston left Friday for Brownwood, where they will attend Howard Payne College.

Mrs. Lily Dietz and children, of Crews, spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. W. F. James.

HERRING HOURGLASS

Cotton and feed crops were destroyed here Saturday night when a heavy hail fell. The hail was accompanied by a strong wind, rain and an electrical display. Many farmers reported the loss of turkeys and chickens. The grain loss was heavy, but most of the farmers had insured their grain.

Miss Helen Elms is visiting at Pumphrey.

Chester Simpson spent Friday night with Paul Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kirk, formerly of this community, are announcing the arrival of a daughter on May 30. The young lady was named Alma Lou.

Frank White is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthies, of Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brevard and Lexie, and Mrs. S. H. Miller visited Mrs. Mandy Gideon, of Gouldbusk, over the week-end.

Miss Marie White spent Saturday night with Miss Mary Fuller.

Lyndon and Kenneth Rosford spent Friday afternoon fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Will White and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fuller and family were Winters business visitors Saturday.

BARNETT BELLRINGERS

Everyone was proud of the large rain. Part of the farmers are waiting for it to dry up so they can finish planting their crops. Hail did some damage to some parts of this community.

Rev. and Mrs. Allen Patterson and son, Homer, were the supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norman and family Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lander and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lander spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burtus Jones.

Miss Maggie Mae Watkins was the guest of Miss Dot Norman Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Ashton has been staying a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Wiley, of Hagan, who are entertaining a big baby girl who arrived last Friday night.

Miss Gladys Fay and Leo Sides, of San Antonio, came in last week to spend the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sides.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lander spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Manske and family, of Kristoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsey, of Garden City, returned home Wednesday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sides.

RED BANK RECORDS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keaton and children, O. C. and Bonnie Janette, of Sweetwater, spent the week-end here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Makowsky.

John Toungett transacted business in Ballinger Monday.

Miss Julia Baca spent Wednesday afternoon with Miss Lucy Schwertner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zak and children, of Spring Hill, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Joe Schwertner, and family, Tuesday.

F. W. Makowsky and sons, Benny and Bill Makowsky, and Julius Neumann were in San Angelo Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Baca and son, J. D. were in Ballinger Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Makowsky and son, Billy Harold, left Tuesday for Sweetwater, where they will spend a few days with her mother.

Miss Aileen Wade, J. P. and Clinton Toungett visited with Mr. and Mrs. Zack Toungett Monday night.

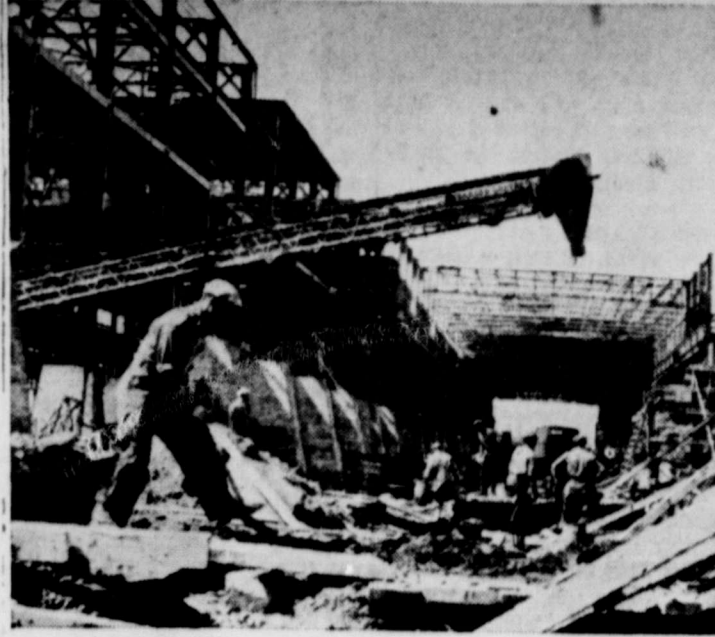
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Browder and daughter, Miss Frances, attended an ice cream party in the Diver home, of the Cross Roads community Saturday night.

Miss Julia, Velma and Elthine Baca visited Miss Aileen Wade Friday night.

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"Who's that awful-lookin' femme in blue over there by the orchestra?"
 "That's my aunt."
 "Oh, I don't mean her. I mean that horrible one who looks as if she had on a fake face."
 "She's my sister."
 "Boy, she sure can dance."

Ohio Will Have a "Little Ruhr"



A new "Little Ruhr" is rising seven miles up the Cuyahoga river from Cleveland, Ohio, which will mark it as America's meeting grounds for iron ore and coal. The development is part of the Republic Steel corporation's program of expansion. A \$15,000,000 plant, shown above, is under construction, which, when completed, will be the world's most continuous strip mill.

SLAYER OF WIZARD HAS LIFE SPARED

DURBAN, Union of South Africa, June 9—Satisfied that a defendant genuinely believed that the man he killed was a wizard, a Durban court spared the life of Nzizwa Ndhlovu, a native, but

sentenced him to four years at hard labor.

The accused testified that he blamed the death of his child and the sickness of his wife on Zongo, another native who had acted queerly and maliciously toward him.

After his child had been buried

Ndhlovu saw someone sitting on the grave. He spoke to the man, who fled. Seeing that stones had been rolled off the grave, he pursued and caught up with the fugitive, who proved to be Zongo, the supposed wizard.

Norway Pine Native American

The Norway pine is not an immigrant from Norway as many persons doubtless think. According to an authority this tree species is a native northeastern tree of the North American continent.

Chester Taylor, student of Baylor University, Waco, came in this week for a visit with relatives and friends here.

Read the ads—save money.

MARYLAND VISITORS IN PHILLIPS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron A. Stone, of Brentwood, Maryland, came in Wednesday night and are guests in the home of Mrs. Kate Phillips on Park Avenue.

Mrs. Stone, who was Miss Mary Phillips before her marriage, formerly resided in Ballinger. She served as district clerk of Runnels county a number of years and was connected with business concerns here several years. She left here for Washington, D. C., 13 years ago and has been making home in the East ever since.

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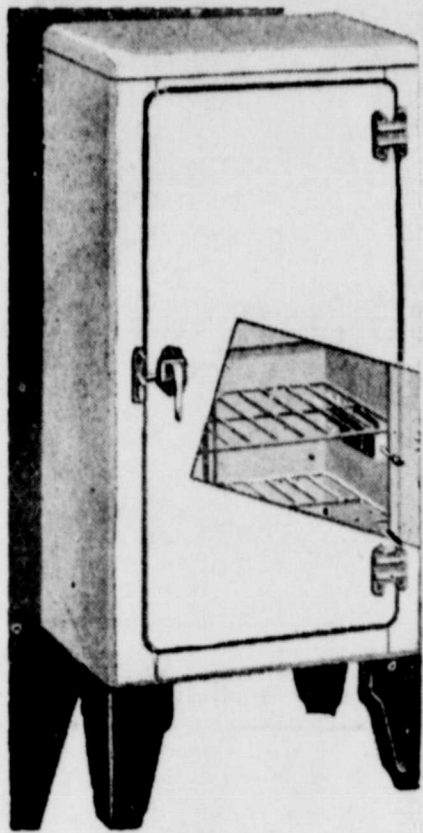
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WEDDINGS

Reese-Southern
Miss Ina Lee Southern became the bride of Troy Reese Friday, June 4, at Colorado city. The ceremony took place in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Childress, the latter a sister of the bride.

Mrs. Reese is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Southern, of Dallas. She has attended Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, and Texas Technological College, Lubbock. She taught school at Springs Hill last year.

Mr. Reese is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reese, who reside northeast of Ballinger. He was a member of the 1935 senior class of the Ballinger high school.

Hayes Barber and niece, Fern Campbell, came in from Fort Worth to visit relatives over the week-end. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Charlie Miller and children of Stamford, have returned home after a visit with relatives here. They were accompanied home by Mrs. A. W. Sledge and Mrs. Herbert Sledge.

DEATHS

Mrs. Alfons Wanoreck
Mrs. Alfons Wanoreck, 36, died at St. John's Hospital, San Angelo, Wednesday morning. She was operated on two weeks before and was doing nicely until Wednesday when death occurred suddenly.

Decedent was born in Falls county and came to Runnels county with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clements Hoelscher, 26 years ago. She resided in the Rowena section ever since and at the time of her death lived with her husband 3 1/2 miles east of Rowena.

Survivors include the husband, the parents; two sisters, Mrs. G. H. Ernst and Mrs. Amos Jenness; three brothers, C. J. Herman and Alfons Hoelscher, all of Rowena.

Funeral services will be held at St. Joseph's Church, Rowena, tomorrow (Friday) morning. Rev. F. J. Pokhuda to officiate. Interment will be made in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

King-Holt Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Leo Patterson, of Cleveland, O., is here for a visit with J. Whit Patterson and friends.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Billups, of the Harmony section, are entertaining a new son at their home. The young man, who arrived June 4, has been christened Lynn Truett Billups. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

BAPTIST CRADLE ROLL WILL OFFER PAGEANT

The cradle roll department of the Ballinger Baptist Church will present a pageant at the conclusion of the lesson period Sunday morning, the presentation being for the entire school. "Take This Child" is the title of the pageant in which a number of children will appear.

NASH HOUSE ENLARGED

The two rooms being added to the Nash boarding house on Eighth Street are nearing the final stages of construction and probably will be completed the first of next week. Mrs. Emma Nash, who operates the place, is planning for increased business during the fall season and will, by the improvements underway, have much added space in her dining room and also an additional bedroom.

OLD SETTLERS' REUNION TO BE HELD AT BUFFALO GAP JULY 16

Officers of the Old Settlers' Reunion of Taylor County have announced the date for their 21st annual meeting as July 16, at Buffalo Gap. Plans are being made for a home-coming program and advertising will be distributed urging all former pioneers of that county to attend the 1937 celebration.

William McCraw, state attorney general, will be one of the speakers and Senator Morris Sheppard is expected to attend. Old timers from several West Texas counties will assist in the entertainment.

Mrs. E. O. Keaton and daughter, Katherine Routh, of Abilene; and son, Will Edwin Routh, of Gaston, were here for a visit Tuesday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn.

Mrs. Willard Wooden and daughter, Martha, have returned from a two weeks' visit in Goldthwaite and other points.

E. F. Krebs and Mrs. W. F. Harrell, Mrs. Armon Cooper and Mrs. Reese Hopkins left Monday for a trip through several western states. Mr. Krebs will spend the summer in Arizona and the others will go to California for their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nixon, of Fort Worth, arrived Saturday night to visit a week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nixon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Trail, of College Station, are guests in the home of Mrs. R. T. Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Strobbe and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Duncan left this morning for Midland on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Perry Boswell returned this morning from a business trip to Dallas.

John A. Barton transacted business at Abilene Monday.

You can't fingerprint dairy cows to make sure of their identity, but they can be marked with ear tags, and thousands are now being tagged.

Fresh Water Guides Fish Back Upstream To Where Spawning

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The popular mystery of how salmon find their way back to the ancestral river where they were born is no mystery at all, according to a recent talk at the Academy of Science by Prof. Henry B. Ward, permanent secretary of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

He says that they don't. They merely find some stream or river that is just as good. What guides the fish up stream is not a mysterious sense of location but merely the taste, smell or feel of fresh, cool water.

All salmon are hatched in fresh-water streams. From here the young salmon migrate down stream to the sea, living there until adult and ready to produce fertilized eggs, when they return up stream to the fresh-water breeding grounds. Such up-stream "runs" sometimes crowd the rivers so that millions of fish are caught in nets or even shoveled out with pitchforks.

The places most suitable for egg laying are recognized by seepage of fresh water into the stream through a gravelly bottom. One advantage is that such water probably will not freeze and kill the eggs.

When salmon migrating up a river need to climb through rapids or up falls, they do not use sight to find their way but merely get up the falls by perseverance, trying every possible and impossible spot until they chance to be successful.

W. D. Scales left Tuesday for Devil's Lake near Del Rio to spend several days fishing with a party of friends.

PALACE OF THE SOVIETS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

MOSCOW, June 9.—Building has at last begun on the great "Palace of the Soviets," planned a decade ago. It will rise on the former site of the razed Cathedral of the Redeemer and will form a giant pedestal for a statue of Lenin. Surmounted by the figure, the building will be the tallest in the world, 12 feet higher than the Empire State building in New York.

The grand hall, or auditorium, for mass meetings and spectacles, circular in shape, will accommodate 20,000 people, its central part being convertible into a vast central stage with a pit beneath. The grand hall will cover 66,000 square feet and will be 300 feet high, its dome giving an open air effect.

Serving as a colossal monument to Lenin, the pedestal palace will be a tiered structure, something like a vast wedding cake of twelve tiers of varying heights, finally surmounted by the great statue for which it serves as a base. The pedestal foundation is composed of terraces connected with the streets by ramps that become spaced entrances to the building. Each tier will be decorated with large sculptural groups, and murals inside will include monumental cycles dealing with the Russian revolution and the life of the people of the U. S. S. R.

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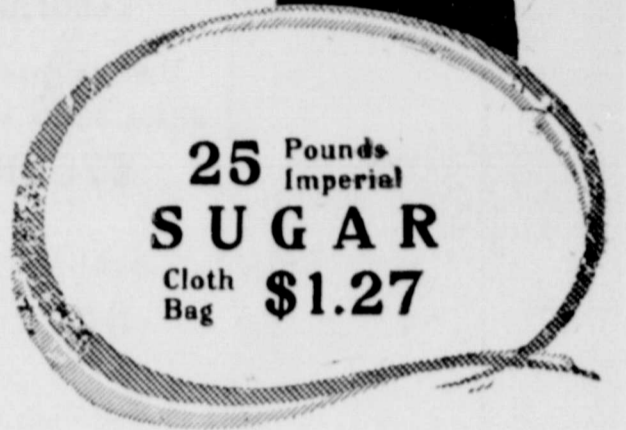
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- French Prepared Mustard 9-oz. Jar 15c
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ASK US FOR DETAILS OUR PRICE
3 Bars 20c

- Del Monte Pineapple Juice can 10c
- Del Monte White Grapes Extra nice for Salads can 15c
- Del Monte Pineapple Crushed Sliced No. 2 can 20c
- Del Monte Peaches Sliced Halves No. 2 1/2 can 25c
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Local Boy Scouts Increase in Rank At '37 Encampment

Eleven Ballinger Boy Scouts returned Saturday night from Camp Louis Farr where they spent more than a week. Cal Adair took a truck and Horace Sessions and Frank Dickey cars to bring the Ballinger Scouts and their equipment home.

The boys were in camp with other Scouts from a number of West Texas towns and received valuable instruction during the week as well as enjoying camp life.

In the court of honor held at the conclusion of the encampment a number of the Ballinger Scouts were raised in rank and received merit badges for projects



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completed. Following is a list of the awards made at camp by local boys:

Second class—Jimmy Dickey
First class—K. V. Northington
Star Scout—James Lasater
Merit badges—Sonny Parrish, Walter Trimmer, Arthur Wiesepape, Alexander McGregor, Quenton White, Jimmy Dickey, James Lasater

Grand Coue Wards—Quenton White, James Lasater and Jimmy Dickey
In the swimming meet held last Friday afternoon Ozona Scouts took first place.

See Freeman for Batteries.

In the Family
For about an hour a man from Denver had been boasting to an Irishman about the magnificence of the Rocky Mountains.

"You seem mighty proud of 'them mountains,'" the Irishman observed.
"You bet I am," replied the man from Denver. "And I ought to be, since my ancestors built them."

The Irishman thought this over for a few moments and then asked: "Did you ever happen to hear of the Dead Sea—in one of 'the old countries?'"

"Yes, indeed," replied the man from Denver. "I know all about the Dead Sea."

"Well, did you happen to know that me great-grandfather killed 'the thing?'"

Sales Books at Ledger office.

SOLAR ECLIPSE NOT OBSERVED LOCALLY

People living in the Samoan Islands may have been able to see the partial eclipse of the sun Tuesday afternoon but locally the astronomical show was not visible. A few citizens were seen on the street squinting at the sun through smoked glasses but reported no luck. Only four per cent of the eclipse could have been seen this far north.

The eclipse was said by scientists to be most prominent in the South Pacific Ocean, beginning at the Samoan Islands in the morning and ending off the coast of Peru at night.

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The Scandinavian had just arrived in California, delighted with the way his new car withstood the trials and tribulations of the trip.

"How are the roads, Hans?"
"Well, dis guy Lincoln was uh great engineer, but dat Frenchman De Tour he was no road builder at all."

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Golightly Elected President of Local Lions Club for '37

The Ballinger Lions Club elected officers at its regular meeting last Friday and attended to other business connected with the closing of the club year this month. The new officers will take over their official duties on July 1.

George Golightly, manager of the Banner Ice Company, was elected president for the ensuing year and will begin at once naming committees and doing other preliminary work. R. P. Canady was named vice-president; Wallace Jones, secretary; Jack Rudd, tall twister; R. W. Earnshaw, lion tamer; and E. C. Grindstaff, Bob Hubbard and Ernest Nance, directors.

The club members, their families and a number of invited guests will assemble at city park tomorrow night for a chicken barbecue and social meeting. A special program is being arranged for this occasion and following the meal the members and guests will linger in the park for the program and games.

The club has retained a good membership this year, holding regular weekly meetings each Friday noon at the Central Hotel. They have done some splendid work and during the year have received a number of new members.

No program will be held Friday noon and attendance at the meeting in the park will count.

J. Y. Pearce Drug Store Offers FREE Sample of New High Blood Pressure Treatment

Every High Blood Pressure Sufferer in Ballinger is urged to go to J. Y. Pearce Drug Company and receive a free sample of ALLIMIN Essence of Garlic Parsley Tablets for High Blood Pressure. These are the tablets used by Dr. Frederick Damrau, eminent physician of New York City, in his now famous clinical work when he reduced the blood pressure and relieved dizziness and headaches in the great majority of all cases treated. Get a copy of Dr. Damrau's interesting report along with your free sample of ALLIMIN. A special new process by which these tablets are produced makes them both tasteless and odorless. A two weeks' treatment costs only 50c.

Miss Gladys Lee Morgan, Ulmer J. Newman, Frank Dickey, Jr. and Jimmie Dickey spent the week-end at Brownwood. Mr. Newman's mother, brother, and sister, of Dallas, met the party at Brownwood, and his sister, Miss Maewin Newman, returned to Ballinger for a month's stay.

Miss Marcella Fryar came in Friday from Southwest Texas State Teachers' College, San Marcos, and will return after a short visit with her parents to take a summer course.

Annual 4-H Club Girls' Encampment Set for July 23-24

The dates for the annual 4-H club girls' encampment were set here Saturday for July 23 and 24 at city park in Ballinger. Sponsors and reporters meeting here set these dates and a complete program will be arranged for the girls while they are in camp for two days and one night.

There are 13 clubs in the county with a membership of 236 girls who are expected to attend this encampment. Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent, will assist in the program and other adults will have charge of special features.

Club reporters will register early on Friday, July 23, and will be given special assignments by Miss Tankersley. A special paper will be published that day and distributed in the camp in the late afternoon. All reporters will participate in publishing the camp news and will receive special training in their project work.

Each girl attending is to bring two towels and a dresser set made during the year. They will also bring their cots, bedding, food including a small amount to help feed special guests, and the meals will be prepared by the girls while they are here.

Each club in the county will have an elimination contest in scoring canned goods before the dates of the encampment. The girl in each club scoring the highest will be entered in the contest at the encampment and the county winner determined here. Each girl will bring two jars of beans, peas and peas for this contest.

On Friday evening, after the supper hour, each club will have charge of one stunt. These stunts will be planned by sponsors and club members and rehearsed for this program. Following this a leader will have charge of group singing and games until bedtime.

Efforts will be made to encourage large attendance at the 1937 encampment. The program will be one of instruction and entertainment for the girls and Miss Tankersley hopes more than 100 will be in the camp by late afternoon the opening day.

Local citizens will assist in arranging the park for the girls and in presenting part of the program.

Handicap
At a territorial camp a battalion was being instructed on "How to take a convoy through open country." One company was told off to represent a convoy, the men being told that they were to represent horses, cows, and wagons. When the order to advance was given, the convoy moved on, but the major noticed that one man continued to lie down. He galloped up to him and said, "Why don't you advance?"
The man replied, "I can't, sir."
"You can't? What do you mean?"
"I'm a wagon and I've got a wheel off."

Save— at Higginbotham's on Lawn Mowers, Sprinklers, Rubber Hose and Garden Tools. 10-11

Miss Hazel Fulton, of Abilene, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Florence Davis returned home Saturday from San Angelo where she spent last week with her parents. Before going to San Angelo she had her tonsils removed at the Halley & Love Sanitarium.

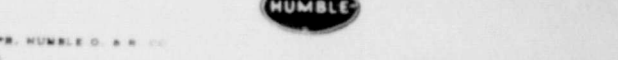
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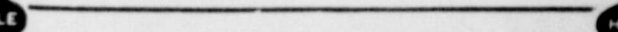
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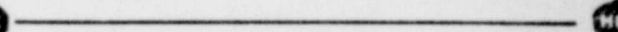
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Taylor and Stanwyck Co-Star In Drama of Supreme Love

Robert Taylor and Barbara Stanwyck—the screen's most talked-about real-life sweethearts—have been teamed by 20th Century-Fox in the picture the world is talking about, "This is My Affair," to be shown at the Texas Theatre next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, June 13-14-15.

The story of a love supremely courageous and unshamed, endangering the nation's highest places and gambling life itself for a greater stake, "This is My Affair" provides both Taylor and Miss Stanwyck with the most important story either of these great stars has ever had, and affords Victor McLaglen, who heads the strong supporting cast, the finest opportunity he has had since his

powerful characterization in "The Informer."

This production would be a triumph for either of its co-stars, for it presents Robert Taylor in a picture which captures the mood of great romance and the urge of mighty drama, while Barbara Stanwyck matches his greatness with a fire and power given full scope for the first time. But for Taylor and Stanwyck, it is their supreme dramatic opportunity—to be together, to act together, to become greater together.

Setting its scene at the turn of the century, "This is My Affair" shows the nation's stability threatened by a series of sensational bank robberies in the Middle West. President William McKinley turns in desperation to a young lieutenant, Robert Taylor, whose record under Admiral Dewey bespeaks his valor. The young officer, sworn to secrecy, is instructed to disgrace himself in the navy, be discharged, and eventually locate the bank-robbing gang and their government informant.

In a mid-western criminals' hangout, Taylor makes the acquaintance of a cafe owner, Victor McLaglen; his right-hand man, Brian Donlevy, and the singing and dancing star of the cafe's show, Barbara Stanwyck. He notes that the two men have acquired large sums of money, and that their absence from the cafe coincides with a bank robbery in another city.

Joining the gang in a robbery during which a secret service man is killed, Taylor is arrested with the others and, in a stirring dramatic climax, faces the prospect of the gallows when the only man who can clear his name, the president himself, is assassinated.

"Slim," with Pat O'Brien and Henry Fonda, comes to Texas Theatre.

"Slim," Warner Bros. melodrama dealing with a class of young men whom the movies have overlooked up to now—the lads who string high-tension power lines across the country—will be the feature attraction at the Texas tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday.

Co-stars in the picture, and pals in the story, are Pat O'Brien and Henry Fonda, the latter carrying the title role and the former acting the part of "Red," who teaches "Slim" the business.

The girl whom they both love is

Great Lakes Exposition Is Opened



James Roosevelt, son of the President, is shown, left, as he cut the ribbon on the gates of the Great Lakes exposition in Cleveland, officially opening the show for the 1937 season. W. T. Holliday, center, and Mayor Harold Burton of Cleveland look on.

the attractive and capable Margaret Lindsay, who plays a hospital nurse, as she did in "Green Light" and in many another film.

Most of the action of "Slim" is outdoors, and there are said to be many amazing scenes depicting the perils and thrills of the wire-stringers, who erect 100-foot towers, clamber up and down them, and put into position the strands that carry energy, sometimes braving blizzards, to do so.

J. Farrell MacDonald and Stuart Erwin are featured players.

Beautiful Glassware, also Tin, Enamel and Galvanized ware at Higginbotham's. Low prices prevail. 10-11

Sheriff's Sale
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Brown County, of the 22nd day of May, 1937, by L. J. Wilson, Clerk of said District Court, for the sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Nine and 78/100 Dollars, and the sum of \$7,378.20, and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Walker-Smith Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 7047, and styled Walker-Smith Company, a corporation, vs. G. O. Hargrove, placed in my hands for service, I, W. A. Holt, as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, d. d., on the 9th day of June, 1937, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land, situated in Runnels County, Texas, being a part of the Henry Bier Survey No. 400, Certificate No. 16-107, Patent No. 637, Volume 20, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N. W. corner of said Henry Bier Survey No. 400; Thence East, with the N. B. Line of said Henry Bier Survey, 1341 vrs. to corner; Thence South 431 vrs. to corner; Thence West, 1341 vrs. to stake in the West line of said Henry Bier Survey; Thence North 431 vrs. to the place of beginning; and being all of the land conveyed to G. O. Hargrove by E. F. Bucy per deed recorded in Vol. 99, page 273 of the deed records of Runnels County, Texas; and levied upon as the property of G. O. Hargrove, Jessie L. Hargrove and First National Bank of Winters, and that on the first Tuesday in July, 1937, the same being the 9th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the city of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said G. O. Hargrove, Jessie L. Hargrove and First National Bank of Winters.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Ballinger Ledger, a newspaper published in Runnels County.

Witness my hand, this 9th day of June, 1937.

W. A. HOLT,
Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas.
By Winona Jones, Deputy. 10-17-24

Farmer: "Yes, sir, that hired man of mine is one of the greatest inventors of the country."
City Boarder: "You don't say! What did he invent?"
Farmer: "Petrifid motion."

War Was Tournament
War in medieval days was a sort of tournament and attempts were even made to subject it to regular rules, so that men fought for three days a week and were expected to keep the "Truce of God" from Wednesday night to Monday morning, under pain of excommunication.

Sales Books at Ledger office.

Records Disclose 78 as Qualified Notaries Public

According to records at County Clerk W. W. Chastain's office seventy-eight have qualified as notaries public in Runnels county this year.

A large number were appointed notaries but some did not qualify. Today is the last day for those applying to qualify, unless they are ill or out of town, in which case they have ten days more in which to make bonds. Under a new state law, applicants must furnish proof of absence or illness.

Following is a list of those who have qualified:

- Roy L. Hill, F. A. Lawrence, O. T. Toney, J. W. Bright, Harry Lynn, Joe Forman, J. Whit Patterson, Paul Trimmer, A. M. King, E. V. Bateman, Thos. G. Patten, C. P. Shepherd, E. P. Talbott, S. C. Harding, Juanita Wright, C. J. Bell, M. S. Patrick, J. M. Jennings, H. M. Sledge, Horace B. Sessions, L. M. Lovelace, E. Shepperd, J. A. Williams, M. C. Gregor, Wm. Doose, Jr., C. A. Doose, Paul Petty, M. S. Karmany, A. H. Lewin, A. McGregor, Winona Jones, Gertrude Woods, Myles Nixon, Estes M. Lynn, Aline Hathaway, Drury P. Hathaway, Neil G. McAlpine, Mary Thiele, W. C. Weatherby, R. L. Young, T. L. Kirby, H. W. Bigler, W. G. Bedford, Maudie Tatum, A. O. Strother, Marvin Bedford, C. E. Sullivan, Lyle Deffebach, C. L. Green, F. H. Broughton, W. A. McDonald, Walter Brian, Marguerite Duncan, Loyle Konesay, Jno. W. Norman, Carl Henslee, Floyd Sims, A. J. Smith, Jr., Jack Seay, M. C. Wilson, H. G. Ashby, Jack Nixon, Sr., Ralph J. Seidel, Earnest A. Coleman, H. Teplick, Ross Murchison, R. G. Erwin, E. C. Grindstaff, T. J. McCaughan, Myrtle Young, Q. V. Miller, R. E. Bruce, J. L. Chastain, Leila Harter, Duncan Hensley, L. O. Sykes, Jack Rudd and Joe Beck.

Dying Trapper Turns Death on Five Killers

Darwin, Australia—Discovery of a trapper, dead from spear wounds, beside the bodies of five poisoned aborigines in a lonely camp in the Northern Territory has revealed the story of a dying man's vengeance upon his murderers.

From tracks in the dust near the camp a searching party concluded that natives had crept upon the trapper and killed him with spears. A trail of blood showed clearly the path he had crawled along back to his camp, where spilled powder leading to a strychnine tin revealed the last act of the dying man.

It was believed he poisoned all his food with strychnine, which he normally used for killing dingoes (predatory Australian dogs), counting on the knowledge that the blacks would raid his camp. Then he threw away the tin and died.

General Store to End Its Days in Cemetery

Orleans, Mass.—This town's general store rendezvous for weather prophets and politicians the last 50 years, soon will become a cemetery chapel.

Provision for the chapel was made in the will of Miss Flora Hurd, who died a year ago, leaving the building and the land on which it stands to the cemetery association.

Girl's Lion Was Cute Until Appetite Grew

Cleveland.—Vivian Snyder's lion is becoming a white elephant. When it was given her by a showman at the Great Lakes Exposition last year, it was only six weeks old.

Now it's more than five months old and getting bigger and hungrier every day.

The Cleveland Zoo is not allowed to board animals, so Miss Snyder has turned her pet over to the Animal Protective League. But she still has to feed it.

"Here comes the parade. Where's Auntie?"

"She's upstairs, waving her hair."

"Goodness, can't we afford a flag?"

Miss Rosemary Lasater returned this week from Austin, where she has been attending the University of Texas the past year.

Somebody's Wrong

He had dined very well and was doing his best to fit his key into the lock, singing a happy song meanwhile. After a time a head looked out of the window above.

"Go away you fool!" cried the man upstairs. "You're trying to get into the wrong house."

"Fool yourself!" shouted the man below, indignantly. "You're looking out of the wrong window."

Attractive prices on Coleman Lanterns, Aladdin Lamps, at Higginbotham's. 10-11

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cowan, of Robstown, announce the birth of an eight-pound son last Sunday. Mrs. Cowan will be remembered here as Miss Ruby Stubblefield.

"Jake," said the friend, "I am beginning to think that girls keep one young."

"How so?"

"Well, I was a freshman three years ago, and I am still a freshman today."

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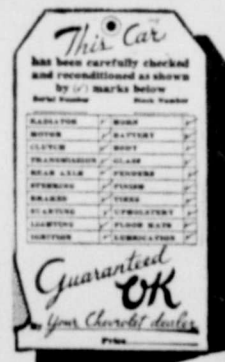
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IN SOCIETY

Miss Cathleen Connelly Becomes Bride of Charles Evans

Miss Cathleen Connelly, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Connelly, became the bride of Charles Evans, son of Mrs. C. W. Evans Saturday morning at nine o'clock in the home of the bride's parents on Eighth Street. Only members of the immediate families and a few very close friends were present for the single ring service performed by the Rev. Wallace Jones, pastor of the First Christian Church.

Floor baskets of white carnations and lilies combined with fern were placed at each side of the fireplace in the living room where the improvised altar was arranged. Crystal bowls of carnations and a triple candelabra holding tall white tapers placed on the mantel gave added beauty to the background.

Mrs. Jones was at the piano for the nuptial music which included the pre-nuptial solo, "I Love You, Truly," by Carrie Jacobs Bond, sung by Minnie Edith Jones; the Wedding March from Wagner's "Lohengrin," and "O, Sweet Mystery of Life," which was played softly while the vows were being taken.

The bride wore a tailored bolero model of navy sheer with collar and vest of white lace. Her only jewelry was a cameo necklace worn by her mother as a bride.

Since her graduation from Ballinger high school Mrs. Evans has

been very active in church and club affairs, especially in art and music. She has served as Miss Ballinger several times.

Mr. Evans has lived here several years and was an employee of the state highway department until he entered the insurance business. After a wedding trip of several weeks to San Antonio, Corpus Christi and Mexico, the couple will be at home in Ballinger.

Scales-Malone Nuptials in Waco
Miss Wilma Malone and Jack Scales were married in Waco last Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Walter Anthony, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Waco, performed the single ring service, witnessed only by Lucius Evans and Frank Barnes, who accompanied the young couple to Waco.

The bride wore a frock of navy sheer with trimmings of pink and navy taffeta. She carried a pink bag and other accessories were navy.

Mrs. Scales is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Malone, of near Ballinger. She is a graduate of the Ballinger high school with the 1934 class and has taken much interest in civic affairs.

Mr. Scales is the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scales and since his graduation from the local high school in 1933 has been actively associated with his father in the theatre business here. Since the completion of the Texas he

Duke of Windsor and Wally Are Wed



Picture of the duke of Windsor and Mrs. Wallis Warfield Simpson taken shortly before their recent wedding at Monts, France. This picture was posed on the lawn of the Chateau de Candé, where they were married. A religious ceremony performed by a rector of the Church of England followed the civil ceremony conducted by the Mayor of Monts.

has been in charge as manager. The young couple are at home at 300 Tenth Street.

Former Ballinger Girl to Marry

The ranch home of Mrs. Hamp Byler was the scene of a prettily planned in-honor affair last Friday afternoon when Mrs. Byler and her daughter, Miss Wayne, named Miss Eleanor Gates, of Big Spring, honoree.

Varied blooms in all the rainbow colors decked rooms and these tones also were featured in other appointments. A surprise gift shower was presented Miss Gates.

Mrs. J. G. Douglas was at the door to receive guests and to present the hostesses, the guest-of-honor and her mother, Mrs. F. V. Gates, Mrs. H. C. Lyon, and Miss Laura Belle Underwood of Big Spring. Mrs. R. W. Bruce presided over the bride's book.

The plate of pink and white brick cream with angel squares, lead in green was served by Misses Minnie Ola Cox, Mary Jane Kiechle, Nell Shepherd and Cathleen Connelly. Plate favors were the announcement printed on tiny white scrolls tied in pink satin ribbon which bore the words: "Eleanor Gates-Dick Oliver," and the date: "June 27, 1937." The wedding will be solemnized in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Included were: Misses Gates, Underwood, Wilhemina Kropfscott of Beaumont, Nanell Jones, Shepherd, Jimmy Taylor, Florence Davis, Rosa Crockett, Connelly, Cox, Bernice Simmons, Jean Gre-

sett, Evelyn Stobaugh, Vinita Davidson of Winters, Kiechle; Mmes. Gates, Douglas, Lyon, John Loveless, Bruce, Otis Jacob, W. V. Connelly, Tommie Hall, A. B. Stobaugh, Hugh Campbell, C. C. Robinson, R. W. Earnshaw, C. G. Jennings, Elmer Shepherd, John Weeks, O. R. O'Neill, John Currie, C. P. Shepherd, C. J. Lynn, Drew Dickson, M. S. Patrick, J. A. Schnable, John Hollingsworth, J. M. Skinner, Albert Fryar, U. E. Hartman, Jess Jones, L. J. Campbell, Oleta Jones, J. A. Williams, W. T. Crockett, E. S. Cox, O. N. P. P. Charles Evans, Herbert Sledge, Will Crouch of Paint Rock, J. W. Dixon, T. V. Jennings and W. D. Norwood of Winters.

Contract Club Entertained by Mrs. Huddleston

Mrs. O. L. Huddleston included club members and substitutes for absentees Wednesday afternoon at a pretty party in her apartment on Ninth Street.

Sweet peas and yellow lilies graced rooms where summer girls adorned parchment folder tallies. High score and high cut awards went to Mrs. W. B. May and Mrs. James Parrish.

A salad course with iced tea was served to: Mmes. Joe Beck, Jr., Parrish, Raleigh Reese, J. R. Hawk, Billie Cordill, May, Earl Schuhmann and Henry Doss.

Florida Guest Complimented

Mrs. Roy Miller, of Orlando, Florida, was guest of honor today (Thursday) at an informal no-hostess luncheon held at the Ballinger Country Club.

Varied blooms gave color to the large living room where contract games were played before and after the delectable luncheon.

Included were: Mmes. Miller, Robert Bruce, Edgar Boelsche, Ford Taylor, W. B. Woody, Oren Chandler, Charles Bailey, George Kirk, Homer Carsey, Arthur Giesecke, J. A. Schnable, Claude Stone, K. V. Northington, Rosa Murchison, C. W. Cheatham, R. W. Earnshaw, Loyd Herring, Leonard Stallings, Jack Rudd, Herman Giesecke, Jr., L. R. Tigner, Harry Lynn, Horace Sessions, Hubert Zappe, Leslie Baker, F. M. Pearce, R. G. Erwin, Troy Simpson, J. B. Striplin, Tom Agnew, E. W. Stasney, Delbert Vanell, John Stitt, Alex McGregor, Floyd Stainback, J. C. Sturges, Jr., George Golightly, M. S. Patrick, Bailey Mack, Robert Lowry, Felton Wright, W. R. Bogle, and E. M. Lynn, Misses Florence Westbrook and Virginia Holman.

Girl Scout Troop Has All-Day Meeting

Troop one, Ballinger Girl Scouts, met in the home of Mrs. Wesley Anderson on Seventh Street for an all-day meeting last Friday.

Tests on bed-making, the compass, table setting, cooking, the flag, were taken and graded. Plans for giving the Girl Scout laws in pantomime were made and work was done on footlights.

A balanced meal was planned, cooked and served at the noon hour by the girls.

Present were: Armour Lynn McGregor, Odessa Parrish, Martha Jo Reese, Pat Lawrence, Ellen Jean Stanley, Pauline Thorp, Jeanne Helwig, Juliette Simmons, Billie Weldon Howell, Gladys Hill, Virginia Nance, Virginia Frances and Jane Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. Anderson.

Crews Alexander Marries in Alabama

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Charles Crews Alexander and Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Woodward in Birmingham, Alabama, where Mr. Alexander is an architect. He is the son of Mrs. Alma Crews Alexander, of Ballinger, who lives in Ballinger for many years.

Mrs. Sturges Entertains Club
Mrs. J. C. Sturges, Jr., was hostess to her bridge club on Fri-

day of last week, entertaining with a four-course luncheon in her home on Seventh Street. Mrs. Wesley Love, of Sierra Blanca, sister of Mr. Sturges, was named guest of honor.

Clusters of balloons in pastel shades centered tables placed in rooms decorated with gladioli and other garden flowers.

Mrs. W. B. Woody received high score prize and Mrs. Love was given a guest remembrance.

Guests included: Mmes. Love, Woody, Leonard Stallings, Loyd Herring, Ford Taylor, Jack Rudd, George Golightly, Oren Chandler, Alex McGregor and Miss Florence Westbrook.

Series of Parties in Stone Home

The first of a series of three parties was the Sock-eye Club dinner given last Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stone in their home on Ninth Street.

A crystal apple tree on a reflector and red tapers in crystal holders were attractive appointments for the lace-laid dining room table from which the supper was served buffet style.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Stasney received high couple score award. Others included were: Messrs. and Mmes. L. R. Tigner, J. B. Striplin, R. W. Earnshaw, Tom Agnew, Troy Simpson, and Mrs. A. R. Jones.

For the afternoon parties on Tuesday and Wednesday Mrs. Stone chose a pink and white theme for emphasis in all details. Roses, sweet peas and lilies in these shades graced rooms where game appointments also stressed a floral motif in these same color tones.

High score trophies went to Mrs. Arthur Giesecke and Mrs. Tom Agnew, and guest favors to Mrs. Roy Miller and Mrs. Lula Noyes, of Orlando, Florida.

Guests were: Mmes. K. V. Northington, J. B. Striplin, L. R. Tigner, Tom Agnew, Troy Simpson, E. W. Stasney, Harry Lynn, Ross Murchison, R. W. Earnshaw, Alex McGregor, J. A. Schnable, E. H. Boelsche, M. S. Patrick, D. W. Hooper, George Stowe, W. E. Moss, Tommie Hall, R. T. Williams, A. J. Thorp, John Weeks, Horace Sessions, Homer Carsey, Robert Lowry, Robert Bruce, Miller, Paul Trimmer, Hubert Zappe, Leslie Baker, John Stitt, W. B. Woody, Frank Pearce, Jack Rudd, Bailey Mack, LaRoe of Whitewright, Arthur Giesecke, C. W. Cheatham, George Golightly, W. R. Bogle, Neil McAlpine, Leonard Stallings, Oren

Chandler, J. C. Sturges, Jr., Ford Taylor, R. G. Erwin, R. L. Harwell, Estes Lynn, J. G. Douglass, Mrs. Noyes, and Miss Florence Westbrook.

Baptist Young People Meet

The monthly supper meeting of the Baptist Young People was held Tuesday evening in the church basement on Eighth Street.

The circle of the Woman's Missionary Society of which Mrs. E. E. King is chairman served the supper picnic style.

Regular program group meetings were held following the supper attended by thirty.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt Entertain Friends

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt were hosts in the nook at city park Tuesday evening to a group of friends, entertaining with a supper consisting of barbecued duck, fried fish and chicken with all the trimmings.

Following the delicious repast a pleasant time was spent in "visiting."

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stephenson of Eden, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patton and daughter, Jewett, of Paint Rock, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Boelsche, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Black, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moreland, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. King and Rev. Homer Vanderpool.

Birthday Party for Leonard Frank Crockett

Honoring his eleventh birthday, Leonard Frank Crockett, of the Bethel community, was given a picnic at the Ballinger city park Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5. A group of little friends were present.

After the children played to their heart's content on the many devices at the park games were played.

A large birthday cake formed of candied popcorn, decorated to represent a merry-go-round, with animal cookies bearing the eleven birthday candles, was sliced into brick shape and served with strawberry punch and candy suckers.

Many nice gifts were presented the little guest.

Those attending were: Bennie, Cora Ellen and Billy Max Sims, of Paint Rock; Mary Louise, Annie Lee and Barbara Adams, of Hen-Lee; Dalton Crockett, of Northington; Grady Jr., and Theda Merle Cotton, of Rowena; Fred Mitchell Carroll, of Ballinger; Claude Jr.,

and Bobbie Thompson, Billy Shelburne, Billy, Jo Ann and David Gassiot, Milton and Betty Joyce Shelburne, Merleine and Jackie Wood, Pearl Hennecke, Ruby Mae Clines, Homer and Albert Hoffmann, Jr., of Bethel. A number of mothers were also present.

K. V. Northington, Jr. To Attend National Boy Scout Jamboree

At least one Ballinger Boy Scout will attend the national jamboree at Washington, D. C., from June 30 to July 9. K. V. Northington, Jr., was certified Tuesday of this week by the Concho valley council as one of the delegation from this section to attend, and one other may make the trip, local officials said today.

K. V. returned last week from Camp Louis Farr where he completed work in Scouting which made him eligible for the trip and all arrangements have been made for his reservation.

Scouts from all over the United States will attend the jamboree. Highlights of the program include a visit by President Roosevelt. Prominent Scout leaders from foreign countries are to appear on the daily programs.

Reservations are available for 25,000 boys at the encampment and all will be taken. Scouts from every state in the union and 24 foreign nations will register. Camping, pageants, excursions and fellowship will be features of the meeting in the 350-acre tented city on the banks of the Potomac River.

Vick Davis, manager of the Cut-Rate Drug Store here, was in Abilene Thursday and Friday, visiting friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Sr., were business visitors in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miriam Pumphrey, of Winters, spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. W. F. Street and family.

Marion Connelly, student of Sul Ross State Teachers' College, Alpine, is at home for the summer.

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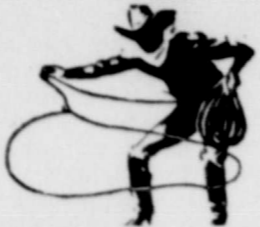
U. S. Army to Build More Motorized Balloons



Tests of a new type of motorized balloon, 100 feet long, with a capacity of 58,000 cubic feet at Scott field, Ill., over a six months period have resulted in a decision by the War Department to construct more of them.

WEST TEXAS NOTES

[Clipped from Our Exchange]



People who have pecans in their yards or orchards should spray as soon as possible. Some worms and insects are working on the tender young fruit now and spraying will forestall damage.

Rivers, lakes and creeks in this section are full and people who like to fish and expect to take a summer vacation in the open are assured of good prospects at least for the next several weeks.

Runnels county is entering the summer with one of the best "seasons" in many years. The entire county was covered by excellent rains the past ten days and while some fields have been damaged by wind and hail, there is still time to replant and make bumper crops.

Ballinger citizens will get softer water for some time as a result of the rise on Elm Creek the past week-end. The city reservoir was flushed out with rain water from heavy downpours on the creek's watershed and gypsum and salt proportionately decreased.

Notice of Voluntary Liquidation to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that on March 26, 1937, at a stockholders' meeting of the Security State Bank, located at Ballinger, Texas, the proposition was duly submitted to the stockholders to close the business of the corporation and that at said meeting the following resolution was adopted, to-wit:

"WHEREAS, the stockholders of the Security State Bank, of Ballinger, Texas, have been called and are now in meeting assembled to consider the liquidation of this bank; now, therefore, be it

"RESOLVED, that the business of this bank be closed; that all depositors, and all creditors of every nature, be paid in full; that after paying all depositors and creditors, and discharging all remaining liabilities, the remaining assets of said bank be distributed proportionately among the stockholders; and that this bank surrender and have cancelled its corporate franchise. Be it further

"RESOLVED, that the officers and directors of this bank be hereby authorized and directed to take all necessary steps, and execute all necessary papers, to carry into effect this resolution."

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Due to an error in preparing for the recent bond election at Eden, the vote on the new water well was declared void and another election ordered for June 12. City officials discovered the property had not been assessed for 1937 and under an amendment voted last year, only citizens who have rendered property for taxation in the year in which the election is called are eligible to vote.

The Winters State Bank made its 100,000th loan Tuesday, June 1. The bank uses a hand-numbering machine to number all notes and on June 1, the capacity of the machine, 100,000, was reached. The bank was opened for business in 1906, the first loan being made to W. M. Smiley. John Q. McAdams, president, has been actively connected with the bank since its organization.

More than 300 4-H club boys from 19 counties of district 7 of the extension service attended the annual encampment last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The meeting was held at Lake Brownwood state park. Officials of the extension service and Brownwood business men addressed the boys. The program also included periods of recreation and study.

To enable work on Coleman county soil conservation projects to proceed at a faster pace, the Central Colorado River Authority last week purchased three new pieces of equipment costing \$8,870. A tractor, scraper and scarifier. This additional equipment will more than double the work now being done.

The sale of privileges for the 1937 July Jubilee, Race Meet and Rodeo at Brady brought \$1,409. This sum is considerably more than a similar sale brought last year. Bidders for the concessions attended from all over West Texas. The profits will be used to buy new uniforms for the Brady municipal band.

Pupils in the seventh grade of the Miles school concluded their school year with a trip to San Angelo. While in San Angelo they attended a theatre and visited several industrial plants.

Officers of district 14 of the works progress administration will be closed out completely tomorrow. Operation of all projects formerly connected with the Brownwood office will be turned over to other offices with which this district is being consolidated. Some of the officials will be transferred to other districts, others will return to private business.

Plans are being completed at Bronte for the celebration of the completion of highway 70 in Coke county. A definite date will be announced soon.

Comanche county public schools had a gain of 107 scholars over enrolments on the same date last year. Comanche (the town) had

resolution hereinabove quoted was duly adopted. W. B. HALLEY, Wm. HALFMANN, R. W. BRUCE, R. E. BRUCE, FRED KIECHLE, Directors 1-141

Complete Abstracts to Land in Runnels County GUARANTY TITLE CO. Ballinger, Texas. Office in Farmers & Merchants State Bank Building

the largest increase, 104. Gustine and DeLeon reported losses. Championship University of Texas swimmers will participate in Fort Stockton's second annual water carnival, to be held June 24. Complete plans for the show are being worked out by the executive committee of the Lions Club. Other events include dances, golf tournaments and a bathing beauty revue.

Sonora citizens, represented by the mayor and two commissioners, agreed last week to pay \$37,935 for the water system now serving the city. Some difficulty had been encountered in agreeing upon a price. An arbiter was selected by the city and the utilities company and the selling price finally fixed.

A softball league has been organized at Menard with six teams of sixteen men competing. The teams will play each Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. Lights have been installed on the field with the cooperation of the local utilities company. An all-star club will be selected to represent Menard in the West Texas tournament to be held at San Angelo in August.

Approximately 125 boys from fourteen towns attended the third annual summer encampment of Future Farmers and Ranchers of America on the Llano River near Mason. The camp featured athletic events, a big rodeo and awarding of prizes on the final night.

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H. J. R. No. 24 A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending Article 16, Section 61, providing for the abolishing of the salary method of compensating all District, County, and Precinct Officers of this State, and further providing that such officers shall be paid in such manner and on such basis as may be prescribed by the Legislature; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; providing for proclamation of said election by the Governor; and providing for the necessary expenses for the submission of this Amendment.

Section 1. That Section 61 of Article 16 of the Constitution be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: "Sec. 61. All District, County, and Precinct Officers shall hereafter be compensated in such manner and on such basis as may be prescribed by the Legislature."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at a special election to be held on the Fourth Monday in August, 1937, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots these words: "FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to authorize the Legislature to fix the manner and basis of compensation for all District, County, and Precinct Officers."

And those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots these words: "AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to authorize the

Legislature to fix the manner and basis of compensation for all District, County, and Precinct Officers.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election. EDWARD CLARK, Secretary of State. 20-41

Tires, Tubes and Batteries at Freeman's. tf

Hints for the Farm. Furnished by the Extension Service A. & M. College. County agricultural agents are receiving many calls relative to West Texas poultry flocks.

Through culling out low producing hens and removing reactors to the pullorum disease test, many flocks are showing increased profit. The county agricultural agent of King county reports that not more than 10 people in the county had surpluses of poultry products to sell prior to 1936, while at present there are seven large commercial flocks and most farmers have increased the size and production of their farm flocks.

A flock of pullets belonging to Mrs. D. M. Kern, of El Paso county, were vaccinated during the past year and she reports that she has had no losses from roup or chicken pox. She will vaccinate her pullets each year. Kendall county farmers are meeting increased feed prices and decreasing egg prices by a rigid culling program. During March nine poultry flocks totaling 1,009 hens were reduced to 689 hens by culling out low producers. The lowered feed cost for the remaining hens will enable farmers to show a profit instead of a loss on their flocks.

Freeman's Tire and Battery Store, 113 South Eighth. tf

Anxious Mother: "What does the average college man do with his week-end?" Dean of Men: "Well, Madam, sometimes I think he merely hang his hat on it."

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Texas now certifies several varieties of cotton, corn, grain sorghum, wheat, oats, and Irish potatoes. The plan used by many farmers is to buy enough certified seed to plant their entire acreage with the increase. When reasonable precautions are observed to prevent cross pollination and mixing, such a plan is usually worth while, and the only expense is the annual purchase of a small amount of seed.

The state certified tag means that the seed is true to variety and free from noxious weed seed. It should not be accepted as a recommendation of the variety represented. Farmers should plant only varieties of field seed known to be adapted to their section.

This is especially true of legumes, which are particular as to their soil and climate requirements. County agricultural agents can recommend soil building crops which will yield the utmost return in soil improvement.

To the Point

A bird in the hand is bad table manners. Success has turned more heads than halitosis. A fool and his money are some party.

A portrait is something which looks like you, and if it doesn't it's good. The technical name for snoring is sheet music. News item: The bearded lady died leaving a wife and three children. Brevity is the soul of romance, bullsessions, and evening dresses.

Wallace Chastain, of Odessa, was here the first part of the week to visit his wife, baby and parents.

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BETHEL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

A table of seven important points that should be known of every motion was outlined by Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent, at the regular meeting of the Bethel home demonstration club when a program on parliamentary law was presented. One of the most important points was to table a motion when a group could not agree, and if not brought up at a future meeting the motion was lost.

This meeting was held June 3, in the home of Mrs. Mead McShan, with 22 members and 4 visitors present. A shower was given one of the members. The spring group entertained with a social hour. A refreshment plate of iced punch, sandwiches and cookies was passed. The next regular meeting will be held in the home of Miss Annie Shelburne, June 17, when a program on the annual state meeting at College Station will be offered.

Mrs. Mead McShan, bedroom cooperater of the Bethel club, has recently refinished her bedrooms by painting the walls, staining the floors, and building a clothes closet for her two small children, ages 1 and 3 years. The chest is built of 8 apple boxes stacked sideways to form two separate compartments, hinged together at the back, with the top partition or side of the boxes left out to provide space where a wire rack is fastened in for clothes hangers. The lower sections were left in to form three shelves for underwear, shoes, hats and other articles of clothing. Six roller casters are fastened to the bottom which make it easily movable. The inside is papered

with a plain paper and the outside papered with a dainty floral design which makes it very attractive, and when closed is fastened with a hook and eye in front, making a closet about four feet high which is dust proof.

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The difference between a rut and a grave is the depth. When a banana leaves the bunch, it soon gets skinned.

Two thirds of promotion is motion. When you come to the end of the rope, tie a knot in it and hang on.

Regulate your life by the standards you admire when you are at your best. The Siamese twins would never have been heard of if they had not stuck together.

About the only exercise some people take is jumping at conclusions. The difference between death and taxes is that death doesn't get worse every time the legislature meets.

You can't fly with the owls at night and keep up with the eagles in the daytime. All Tires and Batteries guaranteed at Freeman's. tf

C. L. Baker was able to be down town this week after breaking a foot ten days ago. He is using crutches and will be on them for several weeks.

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FOR SALE—Fryers, started chicks, pullets and baby chicks. J. C. Reese, South Ballinger. 27-3t

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Miss Teddy Wardlaw, student of Southwestern University, Georgetown; and Miss Faye Wardlaw, business student at Austin, are here for the summer with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Wardlaw.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Bailey and children spent the week-end with friends at Pecos.

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Mrs. George Gollightly and baby are at home from Abilene where they had been for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lynn left Saturday for Houston to attend the graduation of their son, Jack Lynn, at Rice Institute.

Frank Shearer, editor of the Menard Messenger, attended to business here Friday afternoon.

Miss Wayne Byler left Tuesday for Big Spring to visit friends several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller and Mrs. Lula Noyes, of Orlando, Florida, arrived Tuesday evening for a visit with Ballinger friends.

Mrs. L. LaRoe, of Whitewright, has returned home after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bailey Mack.

Mrs. J. G. Douglass attended a Methodist zone meeting at May last Thursday.

Mrs. Emma Nash left Wednesday morning for several days' stay in San Antonio. While there she will attend the graduation exercises at Thomas Jefferson high school, where her grandson is finishing the course.

A. Levy, of Sweetwater, formerly engaged in the dry goods business in Ballinger, was here Wednesday with the Sweetwater good-will trippers, and enjoyed meeting many old acquaintances here.

CHURCHES

First Presbyterian Church
(301 Broadway)
Sunday, June 13, 1937:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon, "The Ministry of Song."
Evening worship, 8 p. m. Sermon, "Pharisee and Publican."
Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 8. A study of great cities of the Bible.
DWIGHT A. SHARPE, Pastor.

Ballinger Baptist Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, E. C. Grindstaff, superintendent.
7 p. m., B. T. U. meeting, Francis Jones, director.
11 a. m., preaching by pastor.
8 p. m., preaching by pastor.
A welcome to all who will worship with us.
J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor.

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
Sunday, June 13, 1937:
9:45 a. m., church school.
11:00 a. m., morning worship.
7:00 p. m., meeting of young people's groups.
8 p. m., evening worship.
Wednesday, June 16:
8:00 p. m., prayer meeting and choir practice.
CHARLES H. WARD, Pastor.

First Christian Church
(Broadway and Murrell)
9:45 a. m., church school.
11 a. m., communion and worship service.
8 p. m., evening service.
You and your friends are cordially invited to be with us in these services.
WALLACE JONES, Pastor.

First Methodist Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school.
11 a. m., morning worship.
8 p. m., evening worship.
Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting.
You will find a cordial welcome at any service of this church.
HOMER VANDERPOOL, Pastor.

Church of God
(Corner of Sixth and Strong)
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., S. H. Skelton, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor.
Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.
Preaching at 8 p. m. by pastor.
Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Teachers' meeting each Wednesday following prayer meeting.
R. L. HULL, 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 the pastor. Subject, "In Remembrance." Communion service.
N. Y. P. S. at 7:15 p. m.
Preaching at 8 p. m. by Rev. J. C. Henson, superintendent of the San Antonio district.
Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.
W. M. S. each Monday at 2:30 p. m.
JAMES MCGRAW, Pastor.

Church of Christ
(Eighth Street, Bonnal Avenue)
Bible classes, 9:45 a. m.
Morning service, 11 a. m.
Evening service, 8 p. m.
Ladies' Bible class, Monday 4 p. m.
Mid-week service, Wednesday 8 p. m.

Church of the Foursquare Gospel
(Twelfth Street between Hutchings and Railroad avenues)
Sunday, 10 a. m., Sunday school.
Sunday, 11 a. m., morning worship.
Sunday, 8 p. m., evangelistic service.
Tuesday, 8 p. m., Bible study.
Thursday, 8 p. m., prayer meeting.
Everyone welcome.
LORA LAWHORN, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gartman and children, George Jr. and Kathryn, of Lampasas, spent a few hours in Ballinger Saturday, visiting Mrs. Gartman's sister, Mrs. J. C. Cook. They were en route to Alpine where Miss Kathryn will attend summer school at Sul Ross College.

O. C. Sykes and son, Billy Sykes, left Wednesday morning for Detroit to visit the Dodge and Plymouth factories and attend to business.

Mary Ann Stephenson, of Lubbock, is here for a visit with Mrs. Z. A. Snell and Mrs. A. R. Jones.

Woodrow Jones will return this week from California, where he had been the past two weeks on vacation.

Misses Frances and Ruth Smith have returned home for the summer from Abilene Christian College.

J. A. Killough is back on the job at the J. C. Penney store after a week's vacation.

SPECIAL SERVICES TO BE HELD AT NAZARENE CHURCH

There will be a special service at the Nazarene church tonight at 8 o'clock, with Mrs. Lula Snelzenbach delivering a lecture and showing stereopticon pictures. Mrs. Snelzenbach is a returned African missionary.
J. C. Henson, superintendent of the San Antonio district of the Nazarene church, will preach at the local church at the evening hour Sunday. There will be many important matters discussed at this meeting and things worthy of the consideration of every member will be attended to. Full attendance is urged by the pastor, Rev. James McGraw.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McMillan and granddaughter, and Miss Lillian McMillan are at La Grange, visiting Mrs. McMillan's sister, who has been very ill.

STATE ADVISORY NURSE SPENDS WEEK IN BALLINGER

Mrs. Zoe Austin Jones, district advisory nurse for the state health department, spent the week here with Miss Beulah White, county health nurse. Mrs. Jones is seeking a more convenient office for the county nurse, and several locations have been offered for this purpose and a change will be announced within a short time. Mrs. Jones stated that the third floor of the court house made it inconvenient for ill people to seek the advice of the county nurse.

The state nurse assisted Miss White in the organization of an adult health class at Wingate Tuesday afternoon and fourteen members were signed up for the six weeks' course. Another class will be formed at Content Friday. One two-hour lesson will be given each week for six weeks and those completing the course will be

awarded state certificates.

BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT SLATED AT MENARD JUNE 26 TO 27

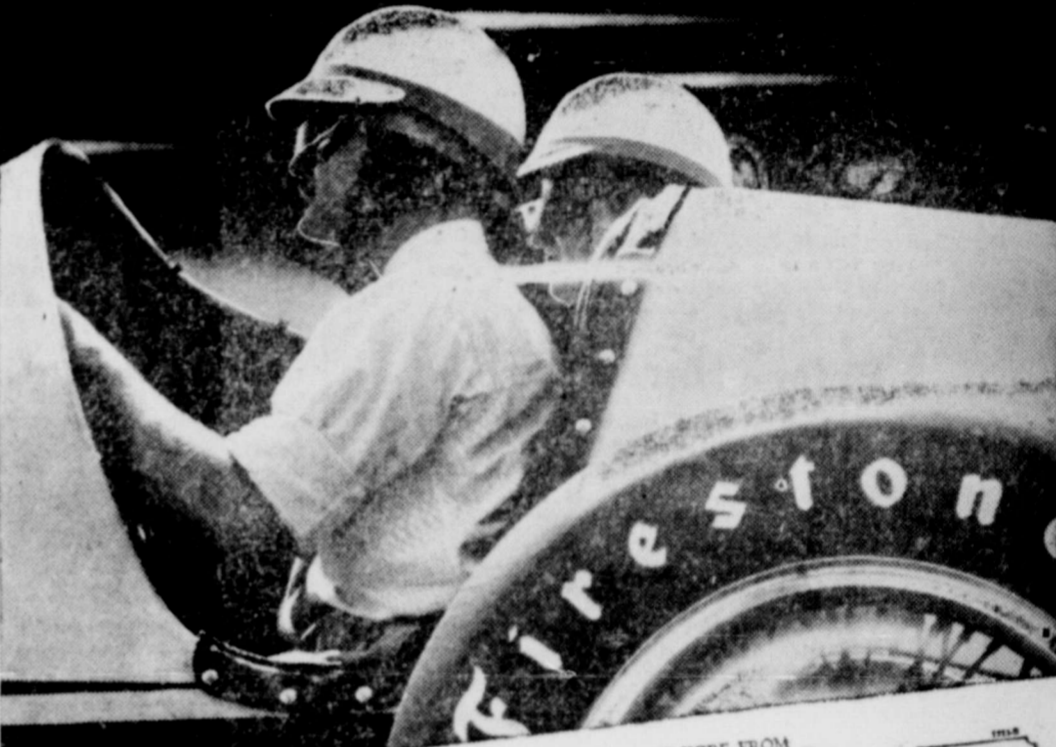
The 1937 Menard Baptist encampment will be held from June 26 to 27. A program has been arranged for the entire period by Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, and a number of prominent Baptist leaders from all over the state will be present.

Sessions will start at 6:30 a. m. and continue through the morning, afternoon and evening, with the last service beginning at 9 p. m.

This encampment is well attended each year, attracting many from this immediate section.

Roy Gulley came in this week from Abilene, where he attended Abilene Christian College the past year.

WHEN TIRE SAFETY IS VALUED MOST!



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5.25-18 ... 12.70	6.00-16 ... 18.40	
5.50-16 ... 13.75	6.50-16 ... 21.15	
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With 6 Air-Mount Tubes, 8 Dynamic Speaker and Sound Diffusers. Price up to \$20.00.
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Custom Built Dash Mountings Available

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Keep cool, clean and comfortable. Fiber or cloth covers.
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BATTERIES
Unequaled for long, trouble-free service.
ASK ABOUT OUR "CHANGE-OVER" PRICE

THOUSANDS said that tires could not stand the terrific grind. They said cars had been built with much greater speed, turns in the track had been repaved with granite-like surface, yet Wilbur Shaw drove to victory on Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires setting a new record of 113.58 miles per hour on one of the hottest days in the history of the Indianapolis track.

Think of the terrific impact on these tires as the cars roared into the treacherous turns and out again. Tons of force straining, pulling, and twisting inside the tire, yet not one cord loosened, not one tread separated from the cord body—all because Gum-Dipping, the Firestone patented process, successfully counteracted the internal friction and heat that ordinarily destroy tire life.

You will never drive your car at these record-breaking speeds, but for the safety of yourself and family you need the safest, strongest and most dependable tires. Come in today. Join the Firestone SAVE A LIFE Campaign by equipping your car with a set of new Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires—the safest tires that money can buy.

DON'T RISK YOUR LIFE ON THIN WORN TIRES

No car owner is going to risk his life and the lives of his family knowingly on thin worn tires.

DO YOU KNOW
THAT last year highway accidents cost the lives of more than 28,000 men, women and children?
THAT a million more were injured?
THAT more than 40,000 of these deaths and injuries were caused directly by punctures, blowouts and skidding due to unsafe tires?

Section of smooth worn tire which is more susceptible to punctures, blowouts and skidding.
Section of new Firestone Tire. Note protection against skidding, punctures and blowouts.

JOIN THE Firestone Save a Life CAMPAIGN TODAY!

Listen to the Voice of Firestone, Monday evenings over Nationwide N.B.C. Red Network

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FISHING!

Yes, for fish and Business too!



No doubt fishing for fish—is for some a tonic—at best it gives them a good appetite. Moral—don't fish too much.

Buy now at Higginbotham's—not only FISHING TACKLE

But STOVES—oil, gas, wood or coal. Prices must be right—you may have liberal terms.

Before Marriage

a man declares he will be master of his home—or he will know the reason why—after marriage he knows the reason why.

For the Home

get your FURNITURE, PAINT, WALL PAPER, RADIO, CHINA and GLASS WARE at Higginbotham's.

Fair Maid: "Oh, sir, what kind of an officer are you?"
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Let the wind do your work—at least part of it—get an AEREMOTOR WIND MILL at Higginbotham's.

Have you thought about—or counted the cost—to equip a complete BATH ROOM? Let us tell you about it. HIGGINBOTHAM BROTHERS & CO.

Tramp: "All I ask is to be given work in my line. But I must be provided with the proper equipment."
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For work in the garden, yard, and field—buy at Higginbotham's HOES, RAKES, FORKS, SHOVELS, SWEEPS, LAWN MOWERS.

Dependability

I am always pleased to observe that only moderate intelligence is needed to get along well. Health, energy, honesty, industry and the ability to work with other people are the important factors in success.

"Is that man dependable?" and "Can I trust him?" are the questions most frequently asked.

So-called "brainless" men are so often erratic and extravagant that they are useless. Employers, like owners of horses, turn with relief to a more fundamental type. Although less showy and speedy they behave better on the job.

For CLOTHING, HATS, SHOES, SHIRTS, and UNDERWEAR—try Higginbotham's.

"Any business that is GOING AHEAD is continually trying to make a better product."

We are continually trying to serve our customers, our friends in a better way—day by day.

Our desire is to make this the FRIENDLY STORE and serve you in a more satisfactory way.

Glad to see you—your presence in our place of business is appreciated.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

City Contracts For Delinquent Tax Collections

The campaign for the collection of delinquent taxes recently announced by the Ballinger city commission is being further strengthened by action taken at a recent meeting of the commission. At this meeting the commission employed D. P. McAlpine, of Dallas, a member of the American Institute of Accountants, to audit the city books annually, and to supervise the collection of delinquent taxes here.

Mr. McAlpine is now engaged in compiling a report from the consolidated rolls and upon completion of this work will immediately begin sending out delinquent notices to those who owe the city.

"Many people do not realize the importance of promptly paying their taxes," Mr. McAlpine said. "Most people accept this as a matter of course and do not give it much thought, when as a matter of fact your tax statement is the most important bill you receive." In an interview he pointed out the use of the "tax dollar" and what is done for the city and the individual.

"Ballinger has always enjoyed a favorable financial position and most certainly the citizens do not want this condition changed," the accountant said.

Records at the city hall reveal a large amount of delinquent taxes due and the commission has turned this detail over to the accountant. He has been in this business for years and has had decided success in other West Texas cities. A delinquent tax section will be set up at the city hall and those who owe back taxes will find it to their advantage to consult with those in charge.

Get the Habit—go to Higginbotham's for Hardware of all kinds—and save money.

GEOGRAPHIC POSERS SETTLED BY BOARD

Nearly 1,000 Queries Answered During Past Year.

Washington.—Close to a thousand requests from federal agencies for decisions were received by the United States board of geographic names during the past year, a recent report reveals. The coast and geodetic survey heads the list with 253 requests. One request for a decision came from the White House. This was for a finding on the proper location of Krum Elbow, near the President's estate at Hyde Park. The board has yet to reach a final decision on whether Krum Elbow is properly on the east or west side of the Hudson river. Research on this point is covering old Dutch records and maps.

During the year, the executive committee held fourteen meetings and approved the spelling of 472 geographic names. These cover place and other names in the United States and in many foreign countries. Approvals automatically reject other spellings. In addition to approvals, the committee rejected as unsuitable several names proposed.

The board is the official authority on use of geographic names. By an executive order its decisions must be accepted by all government departments as standard. It decides questions as to the form, spelling, and application of geographic names and passes on new names proposed by government officials. It also serves informally as an authority on the non-governmental use of geographic names. At the request of local authorities, publishers and individuals it has decided many questions of geographical nomenclature.

Data on Extinction of Mine Fires Collected

New York.—Studies to determine the causes, behavior, and control of mine fires which are wasting natural resources, have been reported to the division of gas and fuel chemistry of the American Chemistry society by G. S. Scott and George W. Jones of the United States bureau of mines.

"It is difficult to estimate, even approximately, the annual losses due to mine fires," the paper says. "One anthracite mining company has had more than 190 separate mine fires on its premises, several of which are active now. It has been reported that one company alone has spent \$1,000,000 in combating a mine fire that started more than 50 years ago and is still active."

"Analysis of atmospheres from burning coal mines lends itself to adaptation as a valuable tool for the study of the incipient heating and combustion of coal in mine areas where actual inspections cannot be made on account of the heat, lack of oxygen, bad roof conditions, and other attendant dangerous conditions."

"The gases may be collected at their points of emergence at the surface, or at points underground sufficiently remote from the fire area to enable inspections to be made with safety."

The Navesink lighthouse at New York has 712,000 candlepower and under favorable conditions its beams can be seen 50 miles out at sea.



Ballinger, Texas

June

MONTH OF BRIDES MONTH OF VALUES



Bridal Take a hint from your older sister... do your marketing at Piggly Wiggly. Here you get honest value for every penny you spend. Garden-fresh fruits and vegetables, high quality meats, the finest canned and packaged goods await your choice. If you're in a hurry, you can finish your shopping in record time. If you like to look around, this is the place to come! Everything is where you can see it easily. No clerks to push you, to urge you to buy. Help yourself... and suit yourself... at Piggly Wiggly!

Flakewhite 8 lb. Pail . . . \$1.05

Kellogg's Corn Flakes With Bowl 2 for 21c

Baby Food Clapp, Gerber or Libby's 3 for 25c

Pork and Beans Giant 20-oz 2 for 15c

White Shinola Cleanser 9c

Morton's Salt 26-oz. Round 2 for 15c

Bee Brand Spray Pint Can 35c

Kerr Regular Lids 3 Dozen for 25c

El Ranchito Ranch Style Beans 2 for 13c

May's Salad Dressing Full Quart 21c

No. 2 Vinton Sugar Corn 10c

Blue Cross Milk 6 Small or 3 Tall 19c

Dried Peaches 2 lbs. 25c

Plymouth Coffee Pound 17c 3 lbs. 50c

Wheaties Ball and Bat Deal 2 packages 25c

Tostadas The original Mexican Corn Chip 10c

Knock Heat Out With

Astor Tea Orange Pekoe 1/4 lb. 15c 1/2 lb. 29c

Cherries 2-oz. 5c

Olives 2 3-4-oz. 5c

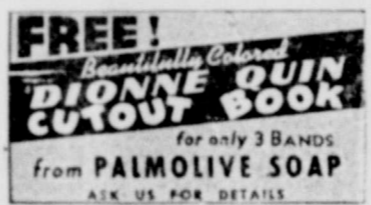
Club Ginger Ale 10c

Vinegar Bulk Gallon 18c

Salmon No. 1 Tall 10c

Mello Small 2 for For Hard Water 19c

See Us for Picnic Supplies



3 Bars 17c



5 Bars 19c

Paper Cups
Plates
Knives
Napkins
Straws
Spoons
Forks

Premium Flour 48 lbs. \$1.83

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Piggly Wiggly quality beef is selected from the finest herds of West Texas. Dressed under supervision of trained government inspectors. Delivered fresh daily under refrigeration and maintained that way in our modern sanitary market. Visit the meat vaults.

7 Steak and Pot Roasts lb. 10c

Catfish, Fresh Water lb. 17 1/2c

Boneless Bar-B-Q lb. 25c

Kraft Loaf Cheese With 1 Yeast Cake FREE lb. 27c

Sugar Cured Bacon Squares lb. 19c

Wisconsin Full Cream Cheese lb. 30c

With 1 FREE Yeast Cake Ring Bologna lb. 10c

Good Fresh Ground Beef 2 lbs. 25c

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

- FRESH CORN 6 ears 15c
- SPUDS, Calif. Shafters 10 lbs. 22c
- CUCUMBERS 3 lbs. 5c
- GREEN BEANS 2 lbs. 7c
- BLACKEYED PEAS 2 lbs. 5c
- POTATOES, New Texas Reds lb. 2c
- SQUASH, white or yellow 3 lbs. 5c
- FRESH TOMATOES lb. 4c
- BELL PEPPERS lb. 15c
- OKRA lb. 13c
- CANTALOUPEs each 5c
- LEMONS, Calif. Sunkist dozen 15c
- Fresh Sugar Loaf
- PINEAPPLE 2 for 25c

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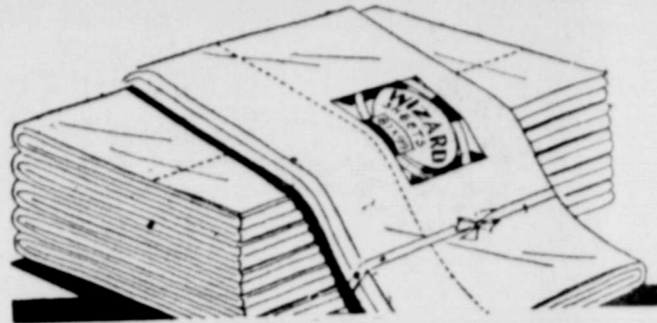
NATION WIDE SHEETS

Get the Most and the Best For Your Money!

This is still an outstandingly low price for this full size, double bed sheet! Of specially selected yarns—firmly woven! Strong selvages.

1.00

NATION WIDE PILLOW CASES, 42x36 in. 25c ea.

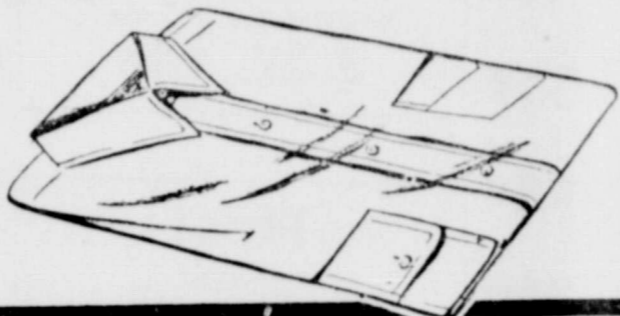


WIZARD SHEETS

Popular 81" x 99" size.

84¢

Thrifty women everywhere consider these sheets a great buy! Sturdy and long wearing—smooth, snowy white finish! You'll need extra sheets for Summer guests!



Men's White Shirts

Cool-Clean, Broadcloth!

50c

Our famous *Toplights!* All-white to give you a cool, fresh appearance! Wear them without a coat and be smartly dressed! Regular or No-Craft collars.



Acetate Canton Crepe

STREET FROCKS

1.98

Don't miss seeing these—they're smart and new! Lots of sports frocks as well as street and afternoon styles! Featuring PASTEL acetate canton crepes! Printed all-rayon crepes, too. Sizes 14 to 44.

100 Pound Flour Sacks

Washed and bleached. Just what you need for dish towels.

9c

We only have 500 of these values and to get your share you will have to come early.

Sheeting and Pillow Cases

- 9-4 unbleached sheeting 23c
- 9-4 Wizard unbleached 27c
- 9-4 Wizard bleached 29c
- 42x36 Wizard pillow cases 13c
- 42x36 Belle Isle pillow cases 16c
- 42x36 Nation-Wide pillow cases 25c

We can say definitely that sheeting will advance in a very short time. Get yours now.

Summer Time is Towel Time

We have secured this exceptional value for you at a great saving.

Sturdy, single loop towels that will find a hundred uses this Summer. Size 18x30.

6 for 50c

Nation-Wide Sheeting

- 8-4 bleached . . . 33c
- 9-4 bleached . . . 37c
- 10-4 bleached . . . 41c
- 8-4 brown . . . 31c
- 9-4 brown . . . 34c
- 10-4 brown . . . 37c

Hand Torn Sheets

Fine quality unbleached sheeting, full double bed width, 81 inches and in the popular length of 2½ yards.

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The supply is limited! Come early!

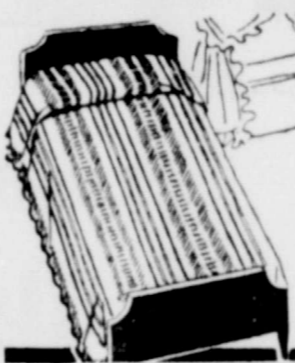


Barber Towels 6 for 33¢

Bleached white cotton crash that dries in a jiffy. Very handy size—14 by 24 inches. The same kind of towel that barbers use—you'll find them just as convenient! For face or hands—they're also at home in the kitchen. Hemmed, ready to use!

You'd NEVER Guess This Very Low Price!

BEDSPREADS



Crinkled Cotton! 75¢

Bring summer right into your bedroom with these fresh new spreads! The colors are clear and practical! This size (80" x 105") will fit a double bed. Edges neatly scalloped.

Belle Isle Muslin

Good Quality! **10¢** yd. Bleached, 36 inches wide. Unbleached, 39 inches wide. Outstanding value. Better buy plenty now. Stock up!

L L Sheeting

A Real Buy! **8¢** yd. Just imagine—good quality, 36 inch unbleached muslin at this price! Get your share today—and stock up!

Honor Muslin

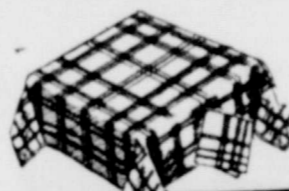
Low Priced! **13½¢** yd. The right quality for dozens of household uses. Bleached, 36"; Unbleached 39". Buy now and SAVE!



The Weather Man Says, "Much Warmer" So be Prepared!

Nightgowns 49c

A new group of the prettiest gowns! Many are hand made. Cool, frill or tailored voiles, batistes nainsook, knit rayon, and many others.



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A smart plaid cloth size 36x36 and four napkins size 12x12. Cellophane wrapped. **49c**



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Satisfaction guaranteed every time you use Kitchen Craft all purpose flour.

24 lb. Sack **95c**

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Salad Dressing

Best Yett Brand

Exquisite new flavor for the simplest of your Salads.

Full Qt. Jar **29c**

Tomato Juice

Serve it at any meal in the day.

4 10-oz Cans **19c**

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Be Sure You Save!

Many homemakers have already discovered a way by which they can reduce their food expense, which is one of the largest items of family expense. And, any reduction of this item, without cutting down on quality or quantity of your foods, releases just that much more money for the other things you want.

SAFEWAY WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

Crackers
Flaky Sodas
2 lb. **15c**

Van Camp's **Pork and Beans** 2 Giant Cans **19c**

Morrell's **Potted Meat** 8 Big 5-oz. Cans **37c**

For Jams and Jellies Use **Sure-Jel** 2 Reg. Pkgs. **19c**

Tiny Kernel **Libby's Corn** 3 No. 2 Cans **37c**

Regular Kerr Mason **Jar Caps** Doz. **19c**

Philsale Early June **Peas** 4 No. 2 Cans **37c**

Punch Extract **Zephyr** 2 8-oz. Bottles **19c**

Monarch **Brooms** Fancy Quality Each **37c**

Soap
P. & G. or Crystal White
7 Giant Bars **25c**

Soap
Crystal White Toilet
4 Reg. Bars **19c**

Meal
Gilt Edge
10 Pound Sack **37c**

Lima Beans
Phillips Delicious
No. 2 Can **10c**

MACARONI or SPAGHETTI
Comet Brand
7-oz. 4 Boxes **15c**

Canturbury **Tea** 1/4 lb. Pkg. **19c**

Camay Soap Reg. Bar **6c**

Crisco 3 lb. Can **59c**

Cream of Wheat Large Pkg. **25c**

Kool Cigarettes Reg. Pkg. **18c**

Jell-O Six Delicious Flavors Reg. Pkg. **6c**

Texas Special **Hominy** 2 No. 2 Cans **13c**

Mustard Triumph Brand 2 Quart Jars **19c**

Purex The Master Bleacher Quart Jar **15c**

Olives Crown Brand Quart Jar **37c**

Rinso-Chipso or Oxydol 4-10c Pkgs. **37c**

Fruit Jars Kerr Mason Doz. **65c** Qts. **77c**

COFFEE

Edwards Vacuum Packed 1b. can **27c**

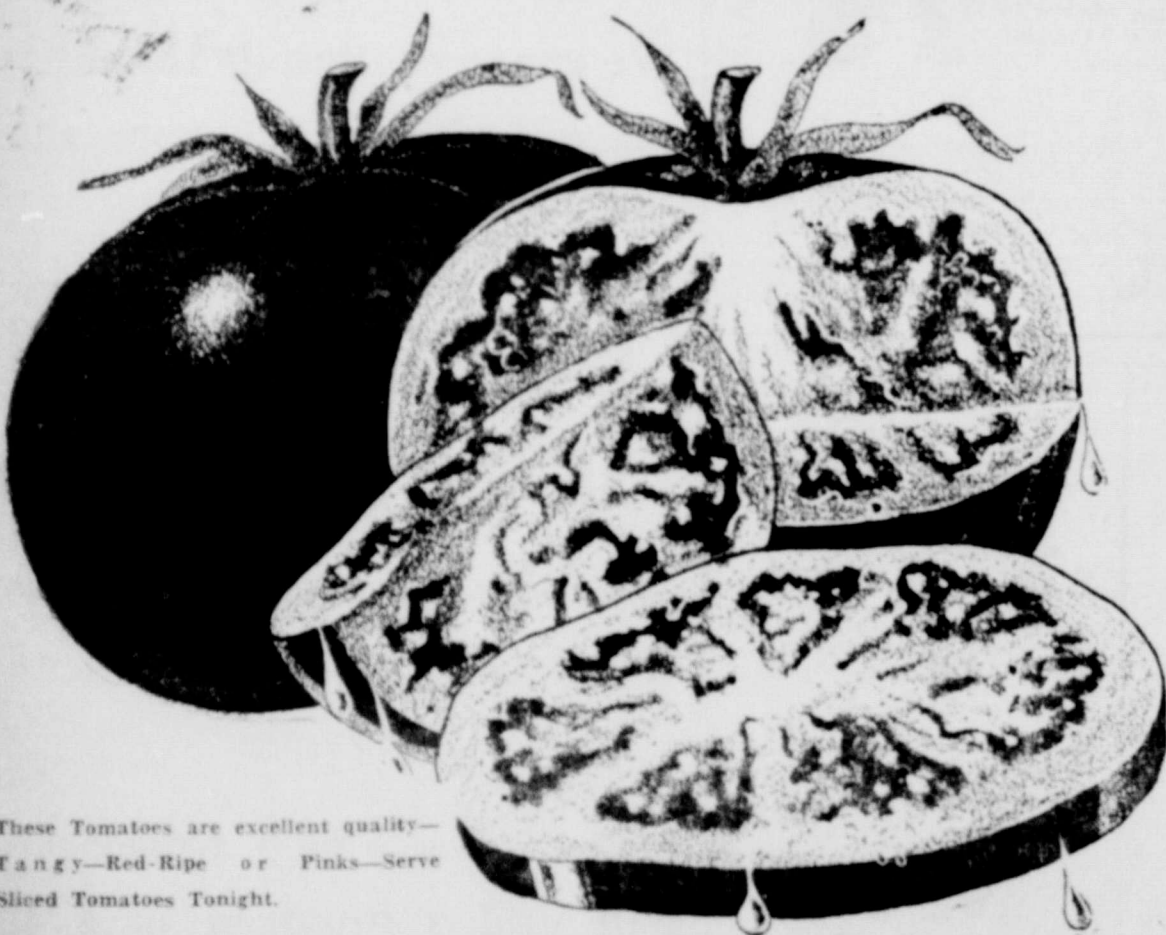
Airway Ground to Order 3 lbs. **50c**

SANKA Coffee without Caffeine 1b. **45c**

MAXWELL HOUSE 3 lb. Can **83c**

COMPOUND

Wilsco Brand 4 lb. Ctn. **53c** 8 lb. Ctn. **\$1.00**



These Tomatoes are excellent quality—Tangy—Red-Ripe or Pinks—Serve Sliced Tomatoes Tonight.

Texas No. 1

New Potatoes 10 lbs. **19c**

Fresh Blackeye **Peas** 3 lbs. **10c**

Extra Nice **Lettuce** 2 Large Heads **9c**

Crystal Wax **Onions** Extra Sweet 3 lbs. **8c**

California Sweet **Oranges** Doz. **15c**

Luscious
Ripe
Tomatoes

2 Pounds

11c

All Aboard for Picnic Time

If you are planning a picnic or motor trip for a day or so, here are excellent items of wholesome, convenient foods for just such an occasion.

Potted Meat Bell Brand 3 1/2 Size Cans **10c**

Tuna Fish Mission Flakes 2 1/2 Size Cans **29c**

Alaflaga Pickles Sour or Dill 26-oz. Jar **15c**

A-Y Bread 2 16-oz. Loaf **15c**

Paper Plates 12 for **10c**

Paper Cups 15 for **10c**

Paper Naps. 80 for **10c**

Steak Chuck 1b. **10c**

Bologna 1b. **10c**

Compound 1b. **12 1/2c**

Sweet Breads lb. **19c** | **Fresh Brains** lb. **10c**

Pork Sausage lb. **15c** | **Dried Beef** 4-oz. Pkg. **15c**

Sliced Bacon Rath Sugar Cured Rindless 1b. **25c**

Friday is Family Circle Day

SAFEWAY STORES

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