Olfen Thanksgiving Fete Scheduled November 26

Rev. G. A. Boeckman was here Turkey Grading Thanksgiving celebration at Olfen would be held on Sunday, November 26, this year. With some controversy prevailing in regard to whether Thanksgiving would be on November 23 or 30, Olfen citizens decided to hold their annual celebration on the Sunday holding a turkey grading school between these dates so that no in Ballinger on Monday and

and serve their justly famous extension poultry husbandman. dinner with turkey, chicken, sau- will be here to conclude arrangesage and all the trimmings to ments for the school with the satisfy the appetite. The affair is assistance of local poultry dealers. to be held in the large community Henry G. F. Hamann, Associated hall where approximately 500 can Marketing Service and Agriculbe served at one time. The dining tural Marketing Service, will have room will be opened at 11:30 and charge of the school. remain open until everybody is The session will begin at 9 a. m.

sented in the afternoon, including Dealers and poultry associations an auction sale and various are invited to bring dressed tur-

crowds and invitations are being between 75 and 100 dressed birds sent to many sections calling cele- will be needed for the school. brants to Olfen on this date.

BLOCK ON TENTH STREET

Street has been finished and was be less than any in several years. opened to traffic this yeek. The Dealers expect to start buying caliche base has been built for the turkeys on November 1 and dresstopping. It is likely that asphalt November 23 and this will cause topping will be started again next shipments earlier than heretofore. street from the Santa Fe right-of-association, declared that the

Building of curbs and excavating started on Phillips Avenue The national production, he said, between Broadway and Seventh will be the greatest in history due Street this week and a caliche to many eggs being shipped the base will be built with asphalt past year to new growing areas. topping to follow soon.

is finished there are nine other U. S. government grades this fall blocks in the city ready for paving, is urged to have representatives at small beginning of either can property owners having put up the the grading school here. money for their part of the work

BALLINGER'S ARMORY BID

Captain Ross Murchison and Gus Barr, secretary of the Ballinger Board of Community Development, returned Sunday from and expansion of guard units are for tabulation. bringing changes that will take In reference to Armistice more

day from Waco, where she had and some cast no vote at all. The Ballinger in 1940. In reply the been to visit her husband, who is local post of the American Legion department stated that every conin the veterans' hospital there. passed a resolution Tuesday sideration would be given this city Mr. Seipp has been in the hos- declaring November 11 Armistice but that no offices have been pital about two weeks and is Day, and the veterans were unani- designated to date.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Reese. .

was improved and he was able to solidly in favor of November 30 for visited in Rising Star Sunday be at his grocery store part of the

School Booked October 23, 24

Plans are being perfected for conflict would reduce attendance. Tuesday, October 23 and 24. George Olfen housewives will prepare P. McCarthy, College Station

Monday and the course will be The usual features will be pre- completed Tuesday afternoon. keys for the demonstrations Plans are being made for large Advance information is that

The Runco Poultry Association and the Ballinger Board of Com munity Development are cooperat COMPLETED THIS WEEK ing in sponsoring the school here

Local poultry men believe the 1939 turkey crop in this area will ing plants will begin operations being watered and rolled prepara- around November 10. Some states way to Snapp Avenue is finished. short crop in Runnels county was not typical of the state or nation

Every association and dealer When the Tenth Street project who intends to market turkeys on

November 11, 30 **Favored as Dates** For Two Holidays During Fire Prevention Week

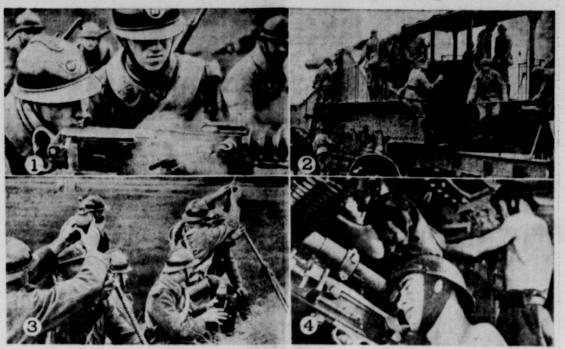
Austin, where they went to trans- A preponderant majority of Bal- the schools, before civic clubs and to get a crew of boys started on on one rim, being unable to get a and other officers have been returned Sunday from a trip act business. They conferred with linger business men favor observother groups, and think much the wood-metal working shop to tire repaired at Miles. Some of investigating a series of thefts through Oklahoma, Missouri and national guard chiefs who will ing Armistice Day on November 11 good was accomplished. They be constructed on the court house those in the Hamby car saw the designate armories in cities where and Thanksgiving Day on Novem- passed out approximately 1,500 lawn. The crew began work this Monroe car approaching from the there are organized units. The ber 30. A questionnaire was sent questionnaires which are being week, taking rock from the city rear at a high rate of speed but date. local men placed Ballinger's bid to all business firms by the Bal- returned and tabulated to make quarry, and Monday will com- expected him to pass. Testimony before the committee but stated linger Board of Community a file of hazards in Ballinger mence laying the foundation. upon return here that no action Development this week and a homes. was expected soon. War in Europe | committee collected the answers

than 7 to 1 favored observing Saturday, November 11. A few Mrs. W. E. Seipp returned Mon- voted for Monday, November 13 ton seeking a census bureau at mously opposed to observing any It is understood that several other date. President Roosevelt Ballinger men will seek the county Mrs. J. Wesley Jones and son, Tuesday night issued a national enumerator's position and the Jimmie, and Mrs. J. C. Reese proclamation for the observance returned Tuesday from Amarillo, of Armistice on November 11, and believe the location will be left to where they visited in the home of pointed out that this 21st observ- the man who is named enumeraance should have a stronger tor. meaning than ever because peace

R. P. Tunnell has been seriously still prevailed in this land.

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France's Heavy Artillery Trains on Siegfried Line



chine gunners in action, preparing to back up the Maginot line. No. 2 is a huge railway gun, run out on its spur track and aimed at some point in Nazi Germany. No. 3 is a trench mortar in action. The missile resembles a small aerial bomb. It is fired from the mortar on a high trajectory to drop down on its objective, firing upon contact. No. 4 shows the interior of giant tanks carrying field guns, preparing to bore toward the Siegfried line into German territory.

Ballinger Firemen Are Special Guests

department and their families MORE RECRUITS SIGNED were special guests at the First Methodist Church at a special service Sunday evening closing tory to putting on the asphalt will observe Thanksgiving on Fire Prevention Week. The front enlisted in company C, 142nd case was the result of a crash on work during the next year. of the church was decorated with infantry, this week. fire prevention posters drawn by Carter was accepted today and ber 8 in which Randall Hamby, week and continued until all the M. F. Lett, manager of the Runco the children of the Ballinger William F. Bollier and Ray P. son of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Hamby, roll call and the chapter officers ber of business houses will be

In the first part of the service

Chief Chester Cherry brought Rev. E. D. Landreth, pastor made an appropriate comparison of the destroying influences of fire and sin. He showed how the neither fire nor sin had any regard for who or what was involved. Illustrations from fires where daring firemen risked their compare how Christ died to save all men from sin.

LOCAL MEN TO SEEK

A bid has been sent to Washing-

committee seeking the office

Mr. and Mrs. Marsden Jarrett ill this week. His condition today Local business men voted almost and baby and G. A. Jarrett planer, lathe, drill press, com-

FOOTBALL PEP RALLY TUESDAY NIGHT 7:30

years a football pep rally for players, students and fans will be held in Ballinger. Years ago the idea that pep rallies hurt caused them to be discontinued but the time has come when that spirit

pep squad, the rest of the students, the players, teach-

Homicide Charge is Filed At Church Service Here Against J. H. Monroe

under the new order to increase alleges that Monroe was under full strength was 65 men until a and was responsible for the acci- believe it can be accomplished. short time ago.

Miss Elsie Motley, of Junction, is visiting friends here.

NYA Crew Begins Metal-Wood Work Shop for Ballinger charge was based. According to the testimony, the

the local firemen were busy in for the national youth administra. Ballinger, moving slowly because presenting prevention programs at tion, was in Ballinger Wednesday of tire trouble, and was traveling

last Wednesday and is now ready knocking it from the highway 1940 CENSUS OFFICE to be occupied. F. L. Duncan was and causing it to turn over in charge of the 30 youths on the several times, landing on its top. Entrance was gained through a frame-stucco annex and completed The Monroe car, according to the side door and the burglar left the job in less than a payroll statements, circled into a plowed without disturbing anyone.

> room for woodwork and another the collision. for metal fabrication. Each room Runnels county authorities sent of the machine. will be equipped with the latest a request today to Oklahoma offi-

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dent that caused the death of

case here today. A number of witnesses made written statements to the county attorney this week. Thieves Get Tires

in the depositions is to the effect field and came to a stop. As soon

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Red Cross Officials Line Up Assistants For 1939 Roll Call of the World War took the stand that the war was over on that Officers of the Ballinger chapter

Vets Set Armistice Day

able time this week visiting which day day to close for Armisvarious communities in the county, tice here, the meeting was on Armistice Day, November 11, not a single member favored Day, November 30. Mrs. Tom November 11, and most of them Agnew, roll call chairman, stated announced that their places would that the response had been good be closed regardless of the action in every community visited and of others workers had volunteered to canvass their communities in the

be able to announce the chairman tinuing until 11 a. m., the hour instruction in regard to the roll than heretofore, referring to the tickers and other materials to for Americans 21 years ago.

A homicide charge was filed increased need for Red Cross convention and turn in the here today by County Attorney funds in 1940. The European war paid-up memberships for 1940

has ever donated since the World had no option in the matter and the strength of the Ballinger com- the influence of intoxicating War but with the evident need had already received instructions pany to 83 men. Company C's liquor at the time of the wreck before the people, local officials to close

Since October 8, officers have to be used in carrying on local ber 10, inasmuch as there will be been investigating the crash charity and the remainder will be no school on November 11. An which resulted in the filing of the sent to the national headquarters, original Armistice sketch will be

And Other Loot;

Chief of Police Lee Moreland Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wallace reported here the past week-end Illinois. Mr. Wallace stated that but no arrests have been made to most of the regions visited were

Someone entered the home of The one-room addition to the that the big Buick sedan crashed Miss Ada Allen on Eleventh Street Ballinger negro school was finished into the rear of the Hamby car, Friday night and stole her purse change and some papers of value. orchards for 50 cents a bushel.

The new project here will be a as passers-by came to the rescue, the garage at the home of Henry interest. beautiful building when com- the injured were rushed to a San Jones on Broadway and took three Mrs. T. H. Chancy accompanied pleted. Plans call for a modernistic Angelo hospital where the Hamby casings and wheels from an auto- Mr. and Mrs. Wallace as far as structure of natural stone, 38 by boy died at 8 o'clock Sunday mobile parked in the building. Hannibal, Missouri, where she 62 feet. It will have one large morning, about four hours after One casing was taken off the car visited relatives. and two from the rack in the rear

type of machinery. Mr. Sassman cers to arrest Monroe. The case a casing and wheel from John A. the first part of this week. stated that the machinery for will be turned over to the grand Barton's automobile on Eighth wood working would cost approxi- jury which 'convenes here on Street. The wheel was jacked up, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lankford, mately \$1,000 and would consist November 13 for further investi- the casing removed and the car of Abilene, were week-end visitors left with the jack under the axle. here. A number of gardens here have been raided this week and two citizens have reported their

> City officers urge the close cooperation of citizens in helping apprehend the petty thieves who have been operating here for the past three weeks.

turnip crop stolen.

MORTON CONDUCTING REVIVAL AT CISCO

Rev. Clarence A. Morton is concials ask the entire town to day afternoon at 2 o'clock. Offi- meeting is the regular time for ducting a revival for the First Baptist Church of Cisco this week. Bearcat Field for an old tives of clubs in the county along Council members will also The Cisco pastor, Rev. Judson with several special committees schedule four or more mattress Prince, will be here Sunday to fill making schools in this county. It the pulpit at the Ballinger church

OnSaturday, November 11 Members of the Ballinger American Legion post in a called meeting Tuesday morning voted to observe Armistice Day on Saturday, November 11. The veterans

of the Red Cross spent consider- Because of the controversy as to lining up roll call aides to solicit attended by practically the entire members in the drive beginning membership. In the discussions and continuing until Thanksgiving closing on any date other than

The Legionnaires will hold their By next week it is expected to morning. November 11, and consupplied with buttons, new European war raging on the

were of Oklahoma. The filing of the badget with which to continue voted by the post, a check-up was is slightly more than the county Postmaster Tom Caudle stated he

> The Ballinger senior and junior As previously, half of the money high schools will have Armistice will remain in the local treasury Day programs on Friday, Novemis invited to attend. This will be presented at the chapel period,

Enter One House W. O. WALLACES RETURN

dry but had gathered some of the hay and apple yields were good in most of these states and he purchased choice eating apples at around 20 cents a gallon. While away he inspected one large power project in the Ozark Mountains Saturday night a thief entered and visited many other places of

C. A. Bissett and Cal Adair The same night someone removed attended to business at Houston

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Ginnings in County Total 10,500 Bales Saturday Night

An estimate of cotton ginned in southern portion of the county is 10,500 bales. This count is the same date a year ago. ginners in the county reported the is open now and will be picked exact number handled so far this soon. Some fields have already season and only a few gin runs been cleaned and small grain is were estimated. Local cotton men being sown on the land. think the 1939 crop is about 70 per cent ginned and that the final Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stroble spent

this county varies, some sections her 88th birthday Sunday. Mrs. ginning as much as they did last Stroble's four sons were all year and others running far below present. the 1938 record. This is due to the rains which fell during the Mrs. L. R. Tigner and Miss growing period being spotted and Dorothy Lynn spent the past no general precipitation being week-end in Dallas.

Runnels county to Saturday night has turned out much less than to fairly accurate since most of the Most of the cotton in the county

total will be slightly more than the week-end at Austin in the home of Mr. Stroble's mother. The condition of the crop in Mrs. D. L. Stroble, who celebrated

received during the entire summer.

Winters gins are running about the same as last year, while the visiting relatives and friends here.

For the first time in many Demonstration Club Council Will Meet Here Saturday

The Runnels county home | Saturday which will nominate demonstration council will meet officers at the November meeting that is generated at rallies at the city hall in Ballinger Satur- of the council. The November join them Tuesday night at cers of the council and representa- election of council officers. The Bearcat band, the will attend this meeting.

A report of the committee that is planned to hold one in each at both services. visited the home demonstration commissioner's precinct and others all Bearcat fans will be on markets in Abilene will be heard may be held if applications are hand. There will be school at the beginning of the business made by communities. Ticking songs, rousing talks by the session. This county's committee and cotton are two of the requirecoaches, students, fans and was sent there to study opera- ments for obtaining a school. players and every effort will tion of the market and to secure One has already been set for Miles be made to create a fight-ing spirit that can be mus- information that might be used on October 31 and club women against Brady on in establishing one or more in will attend and watch the various Runnels county. Farm products steps in the complete manufac Show your loyalty to the Bearcats by being on hand and taking part in this rally. Fans are urged to make their slogan, "Win or lose—we're for you, Bear-time the sound taking part in this rally. The council president will showing agents how the work is The council president will showing agents how the work is

SOCIETY and CLUBS

by Local Group

The Ballinger Business and Professional Women's Club observed National B. & P. W. Week with a pioneer dinner given at the Central Hotel last Thursday evening to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the national organization.

The table was arranged in U-shape in the banquet room. The decoration for the speakers' table was unusually effective. Here the pioneer theme was suggested in the miniature oxen-drawn covered wagon and family group. This scene was encircled with long trailers and clusters of red berries of a wild vine. Potted geraniums centered other tables and green tapers in double holders burned all along the board between sprays of lace fern.

Places were marked with printed program folders and small colonial corsages of tiny asters and baby's breath with lace fern tied in

Preceding the serving of the four-course menu, Miss Alida Macune, president of the local group, gave the club collect.

Mrs. F. A. Lawrence, program committee chairman, spoke of the progress made by women in the business and professional world during the last 100 years. Fields of endeavor have increased from

Mrs. L. Schermerhorn gave as vibra-harp selections, "Believe Me, if All Those Endearing Young fruits flanked by orange tapers, Lloyd Bell. Charms" and "When You and I centered the dining room table. Were Young, Maggie." Mrs. Jack A chicken salad plate with Nixon, Jr., accompanied by Miss spiced punch was served following Maggie Underwood, sang "An games in which high score award Old-Fashioned Garden.

guest and also guest speaker, was trophies to Mmes, E. C. Grindstaff Ohio Limestone Cavern introduced by Mrs. F. C. Miller, a and J. C. Sturges, Jr. Others charter member of the Shakes- included: Mmes. Rothal O'Kelly, peare Club, Ballinger's oldest study H. G. Agnew, Royal Bishop, Roy club, of which Mrs. Vaughn is the Miller and Mike Wright. other charter member.

Mrs. Vaughn told of her early experiences here as a professional Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw included those real pioneer days consisted she was hostess with a one o'clock stream springs suddenly to the surof descriptions of churches and luncheon for the Triple-Four face and runs for the remainder of schools then and comparisons Contract Club. business world that she make her served in three courses. influence a Christian one.

Others, who have been identi-

Elouise Jones were in charge of Edgar Boelsche and Troy Simpson. decorations and Miss Jones presided over the register.

Following the singing of "Auld Lang Syne," a display of old pictures and relics was enjoyed.

. . . The Shakespeare Club held its first regular business meeting and study last Thursday meeting and study last Thursday meeting and plant and plant are the Methodist Phila-

from active membership and Mrs. R. W. Bruce and Mrs. W. B. Woody from associate, were the "Upper Room" by Mrs. E. D. man in Sonora, Mexico. Jacob Walz, accepted. Mrs. J. C. Sturges, Jr., Landreth, the class president, known as "Snowbeard the Dutch-

gave the story of Shakespeare's Mr. Chips. life, Mrs. Claude Collins, Jr., dis-

present.

. . . Mrs. J. D. Forman entertained Mrs. O. R. O'Neill. Ace of Clubs members last Thurs-Sixth Street.

where symbols of the Hallowe'en Ford Taylor, Ona Penn, J. L. season adorned game appoint-ments. A large pumpkin surrounded by autumn leaves and

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Home Again!



Miss Joy-Allen Duncan, Richmond, Va., found herself swimming in the middle of the North sea when the Danish freighter "Ronda" went down after striking a mine. Rescued after clinging to driftwood for many hours, Miss Duncan was returned safely to New York.

went to Mrs. Edward Sommer, low Mrs. George M. Vaughn, honor to Mrs. W. E. Moss, and bing o

Luncheon for Triple-Four

woman. She taught school from her mother, Mrs. John Weeks, as 1883 to 1888. Her accounts of the only added guest Friday when

with the modern plants of today. Beautiful fall roses and dahlias She emphasized the fact that combined with African daisies woman's primary place is in the decked rooms and centered the feet and more above sea level. The home and urged that when one large table in the spacious through necessity of circumstances game room of her home in Wilke feet; that of Lake Erie is 572 feet. or ambitions she needs go into the Terrace where the luncheon was

Autumn leaf designs were used on tallies and score pads for others, who have been identi-fied as business and professional games in which Mrs. Claude Stone received the award for high cut. women for a number of years, Others included: Mmes. J. A. making brief talks were Mrs. T. A. Schnable, L. R. Tigner, J. B. Rape, Mrs. C. J. Lynn and Miss Striplin, K. V. Northington, Harry Lynn, Alex McGregor, Tom Agnew, Miss Wynis Greer and Miss Ross Murchison, E. W. Stasney, lime, soda, magnesia and iron, and douise Jones were in charge of Edgar Boelsche and Troy Simpson. it petrifies all objects, as grass. . . .

Three Are Hostesses to Methodist

Philathea Class Mmes. E. D. Landreth, Tom Caudle and Jack Nixon, Sr., were maintains nearly the same temperahostesses to the Methodist Phila- ture summer and winter."

study last Thursday afternoon in and dahlias decorated the living the club room at the Carnegie room and marigolds were com-During the business period resignations of Mrs. Robert Bruce for the lace-laid dining room

Following the devotional from merly owned by a Spanish ranchwas elected to associate member- Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw, conducted a man," murdered three of the Span-Mrs. Nat Williams, leader of the first program on "Henry Fourth" for the moving picture, "Goodbye his nephew, whom he afterward

cussed the staging and acting of Earnshaw gave a toast to Mrs. M. to find it. the period and Mrs. A. B. Sto- B. Webb, a recent bride, and Mrs. revealing the mine's location. baugh gave the historical back- Landreth supervised a clever conground for the play by tracing test. A dessert course was served the genealogy of the House of with salted nuts and coffee.

Twenty-six members were of Mrs. F. A. Lawrence, Mrs. T. J. Forgey, Mrs. Carl West, Mrs. J. M. Mrs. J. D. Forman Hostess to Club Denny, Mrs. J. E. Dankworth and

Others present were: Mmes. W. day afternoon in her home on C. Redwine. Tom Agnew, J. E. by licensed pilots and from these Yellow chrysanthemums gave a Morrison, Claude Stone, W. L. Mc-pretty floral decoration to rooms Adams, Guy Middleton, E. E. Avey. Smith, Rothal O'Kelly, Glenn

> . . . Senior B. T. U. Has Outing Members of the Senior Baptist Union enjoyed a fall outing in City Park Monday evening. Mrs. Clarence Morton, leader of the group, and Mrs. O. C. Sykes accompanied the young people. The supper menu was prepared over the large ovens and spread at one large table.

About twenty were present. . . . Breakfast for Girl Scouts

Mrs. Bruce Creasy and the Algerita Troop of Ballinger Girl Scouts planned an unusual affair for last Saturday morning.

The girls rode their bicycles to a beauty spot on Los Arroyos. beyond the Country Club, and prepared a delectable breakfast was worse than his bite?"
menu over open camp fires. "Yes." menu over open camp fires. "Yes."

Okris present were: Catharine Then for Clampitt, Patsy and Mary Ellen let him bark.

Moreland, Billie Louise Blair, Ann Creasy, Earlene Webb, Martha Sharpe, Mary Ann Morgan, Betty Jean Harper, Dorothy Jones. Velma Rae Rayburn, and Dorothy

Mrs. Rufus Allen Entertains Sunday School Class

Mrs. Rufus Allen entertained the Friendly Fellowship Class of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church in her ranch home near Ballinger last week. The affair, given Friday, the thirteenth, was a kid

Crepe paper streamers, gaily colored balloons and varicolored giant zinnias gave a festive air to rooms where guests assembled for childish games, such as "Marching Round the Levee," "Flying Dutchman" and "Drop the Handkerchief." Maurine Duncan was winner of a prize in "Pinning the Donkey's Tail," and awards were also given to the best costumed ov and girl

Mrs. L. Duncan and Mrs. V. E esencik assisted in serving pink and green lemonade, animal crackers and lemon snaps to Alice Psencik, Jane Routh, Edith Cameron, Doris Wood, Gladys Sides, Katherine Routh, Maurine Duncan, Lillian and Peggy Allen; Warren Cameron, Henry Fowler, Taylor Russell, Leo Sides, Basil Aycock, J. E. Fowler, Jr., D. Smith, James Fowler, Bobby Jo Duke and

> Other society items on page ten

Has Puzzling Formation

The Blue Hole of Castalia, Ohio, is somewhat of a puzzle to scientists. This interesting natural phenomenon is located in a limestone region, and limestone areas are always marked with water-made caverns, subterranean streams and similar peculiarities. The Blue Hole is a place where such a subterranean its course above ground. The sources of the streams in this area are in land which, to the south of Castalia, has an elevation of 700

The stream which issues from the Blue Hole and descends so rapidly to the lake three miles away is called Cold creek. "In its natural channel," says Henry Howe's Ohio History, "this creek ran through a place of prairie covering several hundred acres into a quagmire and 'muskrat garden.' It now runs nearly its whole length through an artificial channel.

stumps, moss, etc., which come in contact with it. The water is very cold but never freezes, and at its point of entrance to the lake prevents the formation there of ice; it

Superstition Mountain

similar to that given in the Bible. A Dutchman's mine there was forkilled. Other persons, to the num-During the social hour, Mrs. ber of eight, were shot while trying He died in 1892 without bronze tablet marks "Snowbeard's" grave on the mountain.

Pilots Hit Billion Miles

Airplane pilots licensed by the commerce department have passed the billion mark in mileage flown, according to a study of the department's records. The records of the department's aeronautics branch show all flying time accumulated records it is estimated that these airmen have flown approximately 1,054,000,000 miles. Flying by those carried on the records as transport pilots, the highest type licensed by the department, accounted for approximately 11 twelfths of the total, the remaining twelfth having been credited to private, limited commercial and industrial pilots, in that order.

New Dye in Use

A brilliant blue dye, one of a new class of blue-to-green pigments known to scientists as the pthalocyanines, is showing such excellent fastness properties that it is re-placing some of the older dyes used in the coloring of printing inks, paints, lacquers, rubber, wallpaper, and linoleum. The pthalocyanines are closely related in structure to chlorophyll, the green coloring matter of plants, but scientists have discovered no evidence that they occur

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23C

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19c

15c



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Linda Darnell from Texas. Modern Cinderella of Films

ing, October 22, 23 and 24.

the week, she brought with her

the glamour that is a part of

her new profession. Classmates

remembered her as the petite little

drum majorettte of Sunset high,

and her elders recalled her photo-

genic charm and beauty as a

Ivan Kahn, a talent scout for

20th Century-Fox, noticed her

ability two years ago; and she

was given a screen test-then

possible. The rest of her story

was given the cherished part in

"Hotel for Women" almost at

once with such supporting talent

as Ann Sothern, Elsa Maxwell,

'Young Mr. Lincoln" Gives New

The story of Abraham Lincoln

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taining screen plays to come out

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production of "Young Mr. Lin-

THEATRE

Ballinger

Elsa Maxwell's

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GALE - ALDRIDGE - DINEHART - BLACKMER A 20th Century-Fox Picture

Viewpoint of Famous Leader

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voung man.

Hollywood, the city where home town to become a star in everything that happens is sen- the very first picture to which he sational, is agog over the sensa- or she is assigned. tional rise to fame of a lovely More amazing still is the fact little miss, Linda Darnell, native that Linda, who is just past six-Texan. Once in a blue moon it teen, a sophomore in high school happens that an inspiring thespian who must divide her time between is suddenly whisked from a quiet acting and study, was given the



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Bergdoll's Mother



Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, notorious World war draft dodger who came back from German exile to "face the music," is shown at her son's trial in New York.

"Texanita" at the Pan-American lows stands the attorney for the defense, young Abe Lincoln.

sent home to grow up. Undaunted, Monetta, as she is known in Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kemp are Dallas, entered the "Gateway to parents of a 7-pound, 9-ounce Hollywood" contest of Jesse L. girl, born Friday, October 13. The Lasky, and again she was rushed little daughter, christened Carolyn out to the city of make-believe. Sue, and her mother have returned An alternate judge had to be home from the local sanitarium called in to decide between her and both are doing nicely. and another young lady; and she

When 20th Century-Fox saw weighing 9 pounds and 12 ounces wood room. that their little girl, who they upon arrival, was born Sunday, The crew of 30 boys employed thought was still growing up, was October 15, to Mr. and Mrs. C. V. about to slip through their fingers. Talbott. they signed her up as quickly as

parallels that of Cinderella. She out slowly.

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A vivid cross-section of life as Tuesday, October 22-23-24. The men, representing a posse

found bravery, cowardice, jealousy, comradeship, avarice and the association of Ballinger. indomitable will of one man who holds the others to their stern purpose as death strikes again and again. Laid in southeastern Arizona in

a posse, tracking down a halfthe "bad lands," are killed by the Home attacking Indians. With only three left, they perpetrate a ruse which remain in Dallas for a meeting of is announced and Miss Turner, the International Crippled Chilheartbroken, runs away. The and drama.

Robert Barrat is cast as the Sunday. Andy Clyde and Francis Ford.

NYA Crew-

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pressor for a paint sprayer, and about \$200 worth of hand tools. The equipment in the metal room A son, christened John Alan, will be similar to that of the

on the construction will be increased when the work is well underway. Officials in charge Each star in the sky is dying say it will require about three months to complete the building.

A plant of this kind will be opened at Coleman next week. Equipment was received there the first part of this week and is being installed. A crew is being lined up to build school seats, Mr. Sassman said.

Miss Bernice Simmons spent the past week-end in the home of her sister, Mrs. V. L. Reed, and family, of Andrews.

Will Enter Crippled Child in Dallas Clinic

an overwhelming tribe of Apaches, las to take Wanda Russell, 3forms the dramatic basis of "Bad year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lana Turner, to be shown at the support to the cause of Ayres, are Lands," a saga of frontier justice. Alfred Russell of the Harmony Ritz Theatre next Sunday, Monday Tom Brown, Richard Carlson, This picture is the main attrac- community, to the Scottish Rite tion for the Palace Theatre pro- Hospital for crippled children. The eventful in many ways, but fore- Peter Hayes, Don Castle and Tom gram next Sunday, Monday and child, a victim of infantile paralysis, has been affected since she was 15 months old and her appliin the Old West, are of widely cation for treatment was recently different ages, backgrounds and accepted by the hopsital. Transsocial strata. Among them are portation for the trip was provided by the crippled children's

> Miss Harwell has spent most of tions. Monday she was at Drasco and Cochran, Tuesday at Victory, and Wednesday morning at Har-

dren's Association, convening there sudden news that Ayres' father

week-end visitor here.

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Early Frontier Life County Health Nurse 'These Glamour Girls' Gay Collegiate Comedy

presented by a group of ten men miss Sarah Harwell, county their glory in "These Glamour ford, Mary Beth Hughes and a an overwhelming tribe of Apaches, las to take Wanda Russell. 3most is the fact that it brings to Collins. the screen in her first top billing

red-headed, talented Lana Turner. "These Glamour Girls" is the November II, 30story of a dime-a-dance hostess who accepted the invitation of an inebriated college boy to attend the college week-end parties, an the week making school inspec- annual ceremonial, and finds her- Thanksgiving. On more than 50 social war upon her because she November 23 and 30 mony. Wednesday afternoon she is not one of their kind. The taxi 1875, the gripping story reveals met with the women of Ballinger dancer accepts the challenge and how one by one the members of housekeeping aid project to dis- walks off with all the honors. cuss "Care of Expectant Mothers Ayres, who invited her, falls in breed murderer who has fied to and Care of the Baby in the love with her and she with him. of a petition. This year, nowever, because of the president's sugges-The Runnels county nurse will Ayres' engagement to another girl

has been arrested for embezzlevaliant leader of the posse, while She reported that three children ment puts a different complexion other members are portrayed by in the county had been supplied on the situation. The girl to Douglas Walton, Robert Coote, with glasses provided from 'the whom Ayres is engaged turns him Noah Beery, Jr., Paul Hurst, "Big fund raised when members of the down. It is the taxi dancer to Boy" Williams, Francis McDonald, Lions Club and fire department whom he turns and they find love played a donkey baseball game, together. If the cast of "These Glamour Girls" is a criterion, the Rex Nixon, student of John picture is rightly named. M-G-M Tarleton College, Stephenville, was virtually cornered the Hollywood market on the younger glamour

Joe College and the debutante | girls. Besides Miss Turner, in the glamour girls hold forth in all picture are Jane Bryan, Anita college life, with Lew Ayres and G.G.'s On the male side, lending and Tuesday. The picture is Owen Davis, Jr., Sumner Getchell,

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self faced by a phalanx of Park questionnaires all favored Novem-Avenue debutantes who declare ber 30, but a few voted for both

Both Armistice Day and Thanksgiving Day have always been observed here without the passing But through feminine strategy, tion on Thanksgiving and because Armistice Day falls on Saturday







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Women's, Society and Club News

Study Period

Wednesday at its regular home on Eleventh Street. bi-monthly meeting in the Shake-Library.

Federated Women's Clubs to be Allbright. held in Wichita Falls November 13-16.

Miss Maurine Tipton was leader and nearby islands.

Mrs. Layne Moreland gave a Street. first person account of a trip from Touch-me-nots and zinnias the devotional. visitor and thirty members were South America.

Queen's wreath decked rooms speare Club room at the Cornegie where the time spent in handwork was followed by the serving Mrs. J. A. Killough, president of pumpkin pie with coffee and was in the chair. Mrs. E. C. Grind- Hallowe'en candies to: Mmes. the regular third Monday missions anniversary. staff was elected Golden Jubilee James Phillips, Ed Jones, Wix chairman as 1940 is the golden Currie, Jr., France Jones, Bill Missionary Society of the Eighth Included were: Louise Hardin, R. Howell, Halley Gibson and Jack Giesecke, Alex McGregor, Claude anniversary year. A committee Campbell, J. L. Byers, J. C. Wilson, Street Presbyterian Church. The Pauline Thorp, Melba Bankston, Bridwell. was appointed to name a dele- Marvin Bird, Arthur Gee, Clyde foreign theme was India, and the Rosemary Hooper, Ruth Davis, gate to the state convention of Wilkins, A. J. Hendricks and J. E. home, Alaska.

Mrs. Moreland Hostess to Book Club

"Austin to New Orleans." Miss graced rooms where Mrs. W. E. Eugenia Baskin illustrated her Moss read "The Rainbow," an W. Balke, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. talk on "Miami, Key West, unpublished story by her uncle, Clark, hostesses, served a dessert Havana" with movies, and Miss Dr. R. V. Sarrels of Abilene. plate with coffee, with dainty Elouise Jones read the colorful Unsigned criticisms were written corsages as favors, to: Mmes. E. and romantic legend of the Gal- and read aloud. Mrs. Tom Caudle S. Malone, A. W. Sledge, J. R. Holveston Island pirate, Jean LaFitte. read a descriptive list, taken from loway, E. V. Bateman, Allen, F. C. Mrs. C. R. Stephens was a the Rotarian, of travel books on Miller, J. A. Ostertag, J. W. Black,

At the tea hour a salad course was served with hot tea with James Lasater Host at Dance

its first study and business session stone Tuesday afternoon in her A. C. Glover, Alex Saunders and Lasater, on Sixth Street. W. A. Taylor.

Eighth Street Society Studies India and Alaska

for the unusually interesting first Mrs. Layne Moreland included Development of Point Barrow" by Gregor, Leo Sides, Bud Gray, Ben Stasney on Eighth Street. The travel program. The year's theme Mrs. Nat Williams as an added Mrs. Rufus Allen; and "An Air- Denny, Guy Lively, Jr., Thomas affair was a pay-off by men is travel and deals particularly guest Tuesday afternoon when plane Journey Through Alaska" Gee, Quentin White, Wilborn members who lost in a score conwith the pan-American countries she was hostess to the Current by Miss Maggie Lilly, who also Moreland, Walter Trimmier, Sam test. Book Club in her home on Tenth read the names in the Yearbook Wellhausen, Robert Lowry, Herbie of Prayer. Mrs. W. A. Taylor gave Fulcher and Glenn Kenley.

During the social hour, Mrs. R. Misses Eva and Maggie Lilly.

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a thorough tour of inspection of activities. between dances to radio music. A salad plate, with Hallowe'en The affair was the celebration of favors was served with iced tea for high couple score. Mrs. J. D. Coulter was leader for the host's sixteenth birthday to: Mmes. R. W. Balke, a new

Jeanne Endacott, Gayle Hirsch-Topics discussed were "Youth feit, Louise McMillan, Odena Par-

. . . Miss Fowler Hostess in Morgan Home

Miss Mildred Fowler was hostess to Sew Gay Pals Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Malcolm | Sew and Chat Club members and zinnias.

It was decided to spend the month of December sewing for the gifts were presented the hostess Pal gifts were exchanged, names Hallowe'en plate favors to: Mmes. James Lasater was host at an Goodfellows and other plans for and visitors, Mrs. A. B. Fields.

. flettering

Junior Woman's Club in First revealed and new names drawn A. B. Legate, J. D. Eoff, Jack informal dance last Saturday Christmas sharing were made their home on Broadway. by the Humble Sewing Club, when Nixon, Sr., Williams, J. E. Dank- evening in the home of his Colors of red and white were Beautiful fall roses gave floral season. The Junior Woman's Club held they met with Mrs. G. R. Touch- worth, O. R. O'Neill, Caudle, Moss, parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. R. chosen as was a club flower, the beauty to rooms where tables were

member; Morgan, Frank Cameron, program given for the Woman's Cookies and punch were served. Stanley Price, Clyde Gabbert, G.

Men Members Hosts to Sockeyes A no-host supper at the Texas and India" by Mrs. Fred Clark: rish, Jane Cheatham and Pat Grill Tuesday evening was fol-"The Work of Missionaries in Lawrence; Alexander McGregor, lowed by contract games in the India" by Miss Eva Lilly; "The Jr., Pete Agnew, Jack Bandy Mc- home of Dr. and Mrs. E. W.

> Mrs. Claude Stone received the high score award. Others present were Mr. Stone, Messrs. and Mmes. J. B. Striplin, Tom Agnew, R. W. Earnshaw and G. G. Harwell.

. . . Mrs. Causey Entertains Club Mrs. Ross Causey entertained

Morgan on Murrell Avenue which a few added guests last Thursday was decorated with multi-colored afternoon in her home on Tenth Pal gifts were exchanged and

> Mrs. Gurthal Gilligan and Mrs. Ray Tisdale. Angel cake was served with

Others present were: Mmes. J. E. Allbright, M. A. Foy, Henry anniversary, last Saturday eve-Moody, Bud Murphy, and Leon ning, when Mrs. George Kirk

Robert Bruces Are Hosts

hosts to their contract club on served with hot chocolate and Thursday evening of last week in Hallowe'en candies. Favors were J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

rose. These are to be used in prettily appointed for the dessert Malcolm McGregor, R. G. Parks This spacious new home received constructing individual scrap books course served with coffee preced- and W. W. Fowler. Natalind Wil-

> Mrs. Charles Bailey, Dr. and Mrs. and Gwen Morgan. C. W. Cheatham, Messrs. and Giesecke, Alex McGregor, Claude Collins, Jr., Jack Rudd and W. B.

Mrs. Joe Eubank Hostess in New

on Seventh Street.

The Hallowe'en colors and hospitals and are recovering. symbols were given exclusive emphasis in all details. Yellow cosmos decorated attractive rooms and a fruit salad was served in orange cups cut as jack-o'-lanterns, with sandwiches and coffee.

Mrs. Joe Beck. Jr., and Mrs. Otis Jacob received high club and high guest score awards and Mrs. James Parrish the bingo trophy. Others were: Mmes. W. B. May, R. J. Hawk, G. A. Swann, O. L. Huddleston, P. A. Mixon, Theo Bell, and Miss Elsie Motley of

. . . Peggy McGregor is Honoree

Peggy McGregor was guest of honor on her twelfth birthday included close friends who are members of the T. B. Q. Club.

After games, the pretty three-Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce were tiered birthday cake was cut and

Mrs. Kirk was assisted by Mmes. ing games in which Mr. and Mrs. liams was welcomed as a new George Kirk received the trophy member. Others were: Betty Lovelace, Dorothy Bruce, Virginia Bell. Others included were: Dr. and Mary Ellen and Patricia Patrick

Other society items on page six

Mrs. Porter Hamby was brought homeTuesday from a San Angelo hospital, where she had been Mrs. Joe Eubank was hostess to since sustaining serious injuries a contract club last Thursday in an automobile accident last afternoon in her pretty new home week. Other victims of the crash have now been dismissed from

> Cook: "Did the company say anything about the cooking?" Maid: "No, but I noticed the praying before they started e



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Second Monday in November, A. D. 1939, the same being the 13th TO THE HONORABLE O. L STABLE OF RUNNELS COUNTY, and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th suit, numbered on the docket of Boykin, J. M. Williams, Tom Tom Boykin, Mrs. L. Boykin, Belle South Texas Lumber Company, a W. F. Borders, J. T. Rinehart, A corporation, W. C. Haynes, Marie C. Williamson, Jack Godwin, J. C. Williamson, Jack Godwin, J. Mrs. M. J. Murray, T. E. Witcher Mrs. M. J. Murray, T. E. Witcher, J. T. Baker, M. C. Mosley, J. Reese,

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published therein, but if not, then (As is shown by a substantial and each of them and the names C. Ry. Co. Survey No. 135, Abstract in the nearest County where a copy of Plaintiff's Original Peti- of the heirs of the deceased per- No. 535, the map or plat of said into ties, crates and boxes.

That Was No Bearded Lady, It Was-



fair, charged a gentleman named John Durkin tried to kiss "her" in a Manhattan subway. In felony court it turned out "Miss Frances Murphy" was really a man. Here "she" is shown in the police van, after being charged with perjury.

That heretofore, to-wit: on the

Hasha, T. S. Chick, F. E. Mason, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Addition) to the town of Miles, Runnels County, Texas, said addition being created out of 191/2

That afterwards and on the 1st lay of October, 1939, and while plaintiff was in possession of said his string of freight cars almost possession thereof, the defendants the train to sweep out grain so unlawfully entered in and upon that wild turkeys may be fed, the said premises and unlawfully dis- game department feels that it is possessed plaintiff therefrom to getting cooperation of the high-

tatute of limitations in this that plaintiff and those under whom

WHEREFORE, premises con-sidered, plaintiff prays the Court There are approximately 40 that the defendants be cited to turkeys in this bunch which are appear and answer this petition, being fed in such an unusual way. and that upon hearing hereof, plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said lands released in Colorado county last and premises, and that he have year have nested and brought on his writ of possession for the 41 young birds, it is reported to same, and for such other and the game department. It appears further relief, general and special, Colorado county may be one of as plaintiff may be entitled to in the few places in Texas where aw and in equity.

ROY L. HILL E. M. CRITZ

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

J. W. EVANS.

Before me the undersigned limit. authority by J. W. Evans, this 9th

S. C. AUTRY.

next regular term, this writ with wildlife restoration. Funds obtained your return thereon, showing how under the Pittman-Roberston act

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tributed to the drive.

The home economics girls of the Norton high school have organized a Future Homemakers' club, electing the following officers: president, Nora Gene Taylor; vice-president, Joyce Roper; secinstructor, will sponsor the club. Mr. Wood is warden. home making cottage.

decided how the remainder of the money will be used.

Wildlife Briefs

County, Texas, and entitled to trees is detrimental to the squirrel sure you get your money's worth." on one. by regional game biologists who crop of Texas will be determined have started a squirrel and squirrel nest count in Robinson and

> The total squirrel population of these counties will be determined before a large amount of timber been considerably thinned by the felling of large trees to be made

cause of action plaintiff further Runnels County, Texas, to which the thinning of timber will inrecord reference is here made for crease the available food supply for the little "nut-eaters." owning, holding and claiming the again it may be that too many same in fee simple from and suitable nesting sites are removed under the sovereignity of the soil. and the squirrel population will

> When a train conductor stop and and premises and entitled to daily and uses the hoboes riding plaintiff's damage in the sum of est caliber. That is exactly what Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars. The state game warden at Wichita That in addition to his title Falls recently noticed the train aforesaid in fee simple, plaintiff is the owner of the said land and premises under the ten years half a dozen hoboes sweeping out he claims have had peaceable and bunch of wild turkeys that use adverse possession of said land that area. Questioned, the conand premises, cutivating, using ductor said that he had heard the and enjoying the same for more warden's plea, last winter when than ten years next before the snow was on the ground, about institution of this suit, and before feeding wildlife and he decided the 1st day of October, 1939, and that every time he had any empty plaintiff here pleads said ten grain cars on his train he would years statute of limitations as make use of the bums riding by further basis of his title to said having them sweep out the cars at a place where he knew turkeys

Several ring-necked pheasants pheasants will survive

The state game department has issued a warning to hunters that W. Evans, plaintiff in the erroneous information concerning foregoing cause being duly sworn the bag limits on ducks and geese says that the residence of the has been printed on the back of of each of them and the names 29, the season on ducks and geese and residence of the heirs of the in Texas, sportsmen will be deceased persons mentioned in allowed 10 ducks in one day or 20 he foregoing petition and of each in possession. They will aslo be the issuance of citation for publi- ducks have special limits. Only 3 of any of these kinds or an aggregate of 3 of them may be taken SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED, in one day and 6 is the possession

Nineteen restoration areas have been set up by the state game department in the last three Notary Public in and for Tom Green months for the purpose of increasing the quail, dusk, beaver, and Herein Fail Not, and have you muskrat population in Texas, it efore said Court, at its aforesaid is reported by the director of are being used. Projects which will GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and be introduced soon include deer,

Persons bothered with bats inhabiting attics, barns or sheds Clerk, District Court, Runnels can get rid of them by lighting the places these eerie little ani-2 mals inhabit, it has been found by game managers of the state

IN NORTON SCHOOL ROTARY Club Hears **New Game Warden;** Wildlife is Theme

John R. Wood, of Brownwood, retary, Ada Patton; treasurer, deputy game warden for this area, Loudelle Williams; reporter, Imo- was the principal speaker at the gene Taylor; parliamentarian, Ballinger Rotary Club meeting Doris Stuckey; song leader, Deanie Tuesday noon. In the redistrict-Martin; planist, Imagene Fagan. ing of the state, Runnels county Mrs. Neva VanZandt, home making was put in a new district of which

For their first project, the mem- The visitor discussed wildlife in bers are planning the beautifica- Texas and particularly in this section of the grounds of their new tion, comparing it with that of other states. He also referred to the breeding and care of quail for It was probably a home-making this district where an effort is girl, instead of a thief, who took being made to restock the range. your chickens last week, because At the conclusion of the talk the Norton Future Home-makers members were permitted to ask questions about his work.

party" as a means of making E. E. King was appointed by the money to help furnish their new president to serve as a represencottage. Eighty-five families con- tative of the club with a Board of Community Development com-The club voted to buy Venetian mittee to pass on advertising, blinds and draperies for the living- schemes and other activities of dining room. It has not been solicitors.

The program committee stressed the importance of attendance of all members and their families at "ladies' night" on October 31, at Speeding Motorist: "But officer, which time a Hallowe'en party was in a hurry to keep an will be held.

Traffic Officer: "Here's a ticket "A business genius is a man who o you'll have something else to knows the difference between be-Whether the cutting of large talk over with him just to make ing let in on a deal and taken in

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IN SOCIETY

The marriage of Miss Agnes Ballinger.

(Polly) Tolbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tolbert, to Mr. Two Share Honors on Birthday Ralph Seidel, son of Mrs. J. A.

march the bridal party entered guests present. of huge yellow feathery chrysan- candles for each honoree. themums. Miss Mildred Tolbert, The honored guests' mothers, she carried an arm bouquet of for favors. pink baby chrysanthemums with Guests were: Shirley Thompson,

bride, was groomsman.

ing Company of Yoakum.

Mr. and Mrs. Seidel left later for green wool basket weave with relatives and friends.

Ralph Seidel and Miss Agnes Tolbert brown fur trim and brown accesof Yoakum Married October 16 sories. They will make home in

Anniversaries Seidel of Rowena, was solemnized David Simmons and little Miss Tuesday morning, October 10, at Roxie Crockett were honored on St. Joseph's Church in Yoakum their third birthday anniversaries with Rev. H. V. Hug as celebrant. Saturday afternoon with a picnic To the strains of the wedding party at City Park with 34 little

the church. The bride wore a A large two-tired birthday cake lovely model of white taffeta with of candied popcorn was decorated short well and carried a bouquet with pink king, bearing three

sister of the bride, as maid of Mrs. Earl Crockett and Mrs. honor, was gowned in rose taffeta, Claude Simmons, were assisted by carrying an arm bouquet of purple Mrs. Tom Crockett and Miss Nina baby chrysanthemums with match- Crockett in serving ice cream ing garland for head dress. Miss tubs, decorated Hallowe'en cookies Dorothy Jacobs, bridesmaid, was and slices of the birthday cake attired in blue taffeta with which with Hallowe'en caps and whistles

matching garlands for hair dress, Nancy Ruth Thompson, Ann Calk, LeRoy Seidel, brother of the Lewis Calk, Shirley Fletcher, C. B. groom, acted as best man, and Fletcher, Ellen Louise Shelbourne, Arthur Tolbert, brother of the Don Simmons, Curtis Fletcher, Bobbie Ransbarger, Peggy Ann The ceremony was followed by Hays, Fred Wilson McShan, James a wedding breakfast for the bridal Fry, Bobbie Fry, Betty Ann Fry, families at the home of the Dankworth, Lester Hohenser, . bride. The damask-laid table held Elaine Lange, Edna Lange, Andrew . . . wedding cake, flanked on eachHoelscher, Pauline Mueller, Peggy Mrs. A. E. Fuller, of Talpa, is a hospital after receiving treatment side by tapers in crystal cande- Jo Dierschke, Bernice Lange, medical patient at the Halley & for more than a week labra, tied with bows of white Modell Lange, Jean Mapes, Monroe Love Sanitarium. She is reported Rev. E. D. Landreth received Hoelscher.

preparatory work for entering the days for treatment. the Ballinger High School and is In about four weeks Mr. Erwin pital for medical treatment and bed several days.

terrey. Mexico. The bride chose Dorothy Lynn returned Tuesday an appendectomy performed the home Wednesday evening. for her going-away suit, a moss from Dallas, where they visited first part of the week.

Danger Zones in Possible Air Conquest



Here's how German. French and British bombing planes would go about their errands of destruction, endangering the life of every civilian living in that territory within one of the enemy bombing "circles." From Wilhelmshaven, No. 1, and Mannheim, No. 2, would go German bombers to raid Paris. London and other cities. In retaliation, French fliers would start out from Metz, No. 2, and other bases behind the Maginot line, and British airmen would set out from Harwich, No. 4, on their egg-laying

the Ballinger High School and is in about four weeks Mr. Erwin today was resting fairly well but ber general condition remained will go to New York to study radio her general condition remained went to Waco Tuesday to attend unchanged.

party and the two immediate Dan Dankworth, Wilma Jean the hospital Tuesday after receiv-HOSPITAL NOTES * ing treatment several days.

. A. L. Crager was dismissed the

today to be improving nicely. X-ray treatment at the hospital Youkum High School and was Ralph James Erwin returned Mrs. H. L. Barnhart is improv- this morning and was later formerly an employee of the this week from Tyler Commercial ing at the local sanitarium, where removed to his home on Tenth Texas Tanning and Manufactur- College, where he has completed she has been the past several Street. He is suffering from a Mr. Seidel is a 1931 graduate of R. C. A. school in New York city. Dorrio Rodriquez is in the hos-

the funeral of J. C. McBride, an an extended wedding trip to Mon- Mrs. L. R. Tigner and Miss Sam Rolator is recovering from uncle of Mr. Hill. They returned

J. Winans was dismissed from Our advertisers want your trade.

West Indies Island Attractions Cited

two years ago to accept a position camp, the plant being owned by Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. P. with the Standard Oil Company. the company. Fast U. S. boats Boothe with twenty members and

unusual on the voyage.

by the Netherlands and the Stan- tors, surgeons and nurses. is called "The Camp" and have fine schools in connection. In the available in the United States denominational the island, some Dutch and a during the year, the most import- Rock. large number of natives who are ant being Queen Wilhelmina's very dark. The island is about 5 birthday. This year the queen

beginning about November 1.

The company has spent large mas. By Ex-Ballingerite boating, swimming, golf, tennis, feel safer than if they lived in enjoyed the year round.

here from Aruba. West Indies, for a visit with her family. She was accompanied home by a cousin, Mrs. R. H. Baggley, who is visiting relatives here and in other sections.

Shipped from the United States, on the islands and will embark from New York for home about November 15.

Mrs. R. H. Baggley, who is visiting relatives here and in other sections. operated in the camp. A weekly Mrs. Richardson went to Aruba newspaper is published in the airmail is available regularly.

route to the United States and stucco. This is used because of the Runnels. experienced some delay because trade winds and to prevent fires. A buffet luncheon was served at of war conditions, passports and At present there is a large office the noon hour by the hostess other precautions that are not building being built, the walls of assisted by Miss Imogene Boothe. usually taken. There was nothing which will be glass brick. The One quilt was finished and quilt company maintains a modern piecing was done for the hostess. The island of Aruba is owned hospital with a full staff of doc- Following the business session,

there. All employees live in what cathedrals are large and have day, October 24.

and a six weeks' rainy season celebrations on the main U. 8 national holidays, especially Christ-

sums to provide sports and enter- There is not much war talk on tainment for their employees. Sail the islands and those living there baseball and other games are America, Mrs. Richardson said. On the mainland, she declared,

Mrs. J. V. Richardson, daughter All food used in "The Camp" is war was on the lips of everyone. of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doose, is shipped from the United States, Mrs. Richardson likes the life

The Blanton Workers' Club met She was married last January and operate on a four-day schedule four visitors present. Visitors were this is her first visit home since from New York to the island and she left for the islands.

Mmes. Austin Williams, of Hagan; she left for the islands.

P. P. Holton and Troy Reese, of The women were ten days en All buildings in the camp are of Ballinger; and Frank Smith, of

pal gifts were exchanged. dard Oil Company has one of the Protestant churches on the The next meeting will be in the largest refineries in the world island are small but the Catholic home of Mrs. J. L. Cooper Tues-

modern homes, schools, churches camp there is one church which Misses Faye Clark, Griffie Atkins and all conveniences that are all employees attend. It is non- and Edna Mae Lowry will be dinner guests tonight in the home There are about 2,500 whites on Five Dutch holidays are observed of Miss Pearl Currie, of Paint

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Endacott and miles wide and 18 miles long. The requested that no observance be family were called to Cisco this climate the year round ranges held on account of the European week to attend the funeral of

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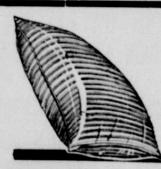
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ONE little thing will illustrate Such a scratch conceivably might smooth its velocity to velvet. the unsparing care we're start a fracture. So we shot-blast start a fracture. So we shot-blast our springs - to heal such tiny scratches, "peening" the surface in miniature like hammered silver.

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For example, we used to balance by weight all sets of parts in our tornadic Dynaflash straight-eight engine, to cancel out even a hint of

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Senator VanZandt To Explain Cuts

County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff received an announcement this week of a meeting at Coleman on Saturday morning, mon districts of the county will Orlan R. VanZandt, chairman of the legislative committee on school budgets, will speak.

reasons for these slashes.

This is the first year for the legislative committee on budgets, which has the final authority in transacted business at San Angelo approving. Reductions in certain this morning. items have been ordered in an effort to save enough money to Large numbers in game animals pay the approved items in full.

is paid off 100 per cent much more ranchmen participating in the oney state aid schools will receive. Last year only 78 per cent

of the budget was paid. following: Last year \$50 per teacher | 1880.

Loans and discounts on personal

or collateral security

Loans secured by real estate

Other bonds and stocks owned

Other resources: Interest accrued

Real estate owned other than banking house

Undivided profits, net Due to banks and bankers, subject to check

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Total

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COUNTY OF RUNNELS,

Cashier's checks outstanding

and due from approved reserve agents

Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check

Furniture and Fixtures

Total

on demand

Capital stock Surplus fund

1939.

Loans

Overdrafts

Banking house

Other real estate

Bills of exchange

Interest accrued

Furniture and fixtures

Cash and due from banks

Commodity Credit Corp. Loans

and profits, net

Bonds, warrants and stocks

Overdrafts

Banking House

was allowed for fuel in state aid schools; while this year the allowance will be \$25 per teacher for fuel, lights and water. Heretofore there has been an allowance of In School Budgets \$75 per teacher for furniture, repairs and equipment. This year it will be \$70 per teacher for the three items and the janitor costs must also be included.

All state aid schools in the combe affected, Mr. Grindstaff said.

Misses Frances and Ruth Smith, All trustees and principals of students of Abilene Christian Colstate aid schools in this county lege, spent the past week-end in are urged to attend this meeting the home of their parents, Mr. and others interested are invited, and Mrs. Ross Smith. They had Senator VanZandt will explain the as their guests, Misses Emma Sue recent reductions in proposed Guthrie, of Rock Springs, and school budgets and give the Louise Arceneaux, of Dallas, who are also A. C. C. students.

County Judge Paul Trimmier

and wild ducks are using ponds In Runnels county the reduc- and reservoirs constructed in the

Tenants, including share-croppers, operated 42 per cent of all Reductions that will affect Run- the farms in the nation in 1935 nels county schools include the as compared with 25 per cent in

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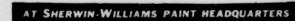
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tions will amount to about \$4,000 drier areas of the range country but if the remainder of the budget of West Texas by farmers and Bethel Methodists Ballinger Men Sell

October, 1939, published in The Ballinger Ledger, a newspaper printed and published at Ballinger, State of Texas, on the 19 day of October, will be present.

> morning a basket dinner will be ber 27, when Crane and Pecos taken to the City Cafe, where Six hogs, a trailer of cotton, a served at noon and a program will meet in a conference tilt.

> held only \$60 was owed on the so all will have full vision of the on their return trip via Menard, J. G. Phipps and Mr. and Mrs structure and those attending that board. service made up the deficit. The The Ballinger men in charge of Hill Country. stone building is modern in every sales stated today that a number Howell Jones, of the San Antonio Erath county, the previous week. particular with ample room for a of West Texas schools are now Chamber of Commerce, was in large congregation and has con- interested in installing Wright charge of the trip, and S. P. Talpa, called on Mr. and Mrs. W venient Sunday school facilities. boards and that other orders are Etheredge, of San Antonio Express, T. Gassiott Sunday afternoon. tion to their friends to meet with season. them on this occasion and take part in the service.

before the Central Texas con- visiting Mrs. Runkle's parents, Mr ference and the Bethel church is and Mrs. W. W. Chastain. expected to have one of the best reports in this section as the new building is free of debt and all other accounts are paid in full for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gaby, of the Blanton community left October 7 for East Texas and will make their home at Frisco. Mr. Gaby has been in a Dallas hospital since October 9 but is doing nicely and hopes to be able to go to his home soon.

Mrs. T. P. Brown returned Tuesday from Abilene, where she visited Mrs. R. E. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Legate and Ross Smith attended a district rural carriers' meeting at Brady last Friday night.

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install the board and have it in Ballinger business men and taneous combustion, destroyed W Following the service Sunday operation by Friday night, Octo- escorted here. The visitors were H. Schwartz's barn Friday night.

be held as soon as dinner is The board to be delivered at free to everyone and a brief pro- a great lot of feed were comfinished. Former pastors and lay- Crane this week-end is precisely gram followed. Mayor C. P. pletely destroyed. A cow was men will be called on for talks. like the one in use at Bearcat Shepherd welcomed the trippers badly burned. The loss was esti-The church was finished and the Field but will be erected in the in behalf of the city and the mated at \$1,500. first service held on July 2. The end zone instead of on the side Ballinger Board of Community We are glad to report Sid Dietz pastor, Rev. Hubert Crain, of Nor- line. Operators will be seated in Development. ton, began the building early in a booth on the 50-yard line. The From here the San Antonians recent operation. He has been the year and he and members of end zone was selected because left for Rowena, Miles and San removed from the hospital to the the church did all the construc- many customers are seated on Angelo, spending the night at the home of a friend in Winters. He tion. When the first service was each side of the Crane field and latter place, and left this morning is expected home soon.

The members extend an invita- anticipated before the end of the was in charge of publicity.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Runkles, This will be the last Sunday of San Angelo, spent Sunday here,

Prelate Succumbs



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is paid off 100 per cent much more ranchmen participating in the will be added to the amount of agricultural conservation program. To Dedicate Church First Blocking Board San Antonio Group Sunday, November 5 To Crane High School Makes Visit Here

Plans are being perfected for the The Crane high school is the and professional men arrived in dedication of the Methodist church first school in the United States Ballinger Wednesday afternoon at Bethel on Sunday, November 5, to place an order for a football and spent an hour here, visiting Dr. J. W. Williams, presiding elder blocking recorder invented by local business houses. They were of the Brownwood district, will Coach Felton T. Wright of Ballin- on a two-day excursion through preach the dedicatory sermon at ger, and at present being sold by this section of West Texas in the the 11 o'clock hour and all former a local company. Claude Collins, interest, of better business relapastors of the church have been Jr., and Pete McKenzie announced tions with manufacturers and invited as special guests for the the sale of a blocking board to wholesalers of the Alamo City. day. Several of these have already the Crane school board today and The delegation was met at the Methodist church Sunday. notified the committee that they will leave here this week-end to Talpa by several cars filled with Fire, supposedly caused by spon-

Iron Lung Baby



Chicago when 22-year-old Mrs. Gertrude Epstein, infantile paralysis victim, successfully gave birth to a

Kural

doughnuts and coffee were served feed grinder, harness, saddle, and

is convalescing nicely from a

Junction and other towns in the J. B. Walden visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Herman Burnett, of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King, of

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fought of Eldorado, announce the arrival of a baby girl. Mrs. Fought is remembered here as Miss Susie Damron Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth and Sybil spent Sunday in Sweetwater with the former's brother Lloyd McBeth, and family.

Relatives received an announcement that a baby girl had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Morrison, of Odessa. She was given the name Marcia Leslie Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Damron

have moved to Eldorado. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee have moved to Crews and Mr. and Mrs Berry Matthews have moved on the L. A. Faubion farm vacated by

the Lees. Mr. and Mrs. Thea Lucas have moved back into our community to the place where Dewey Blackmon formerly lived.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nance and family and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Malone, Jr., went to Odessa Tuesday to attend the wedding of W. A. Nance, Jr., and Miss Juanita Harper. Mrs. Homer Carsey and 16th district. The annual me Ballinger with them.

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Higginbotham's The Best Place to Trade

Mrs. E. Shepperd, Mrs. Clarence Morton and Mrs. Ed Jones went to Brownwood Tuesday to attend a W. M. U. board meeting of the small son, of Rusk, returned to of the Union will be held in Bellinger next April.



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The Ballinger Ledger

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Many Ballinger children received valuable information on fire prevention last week. The programs presented by local firemen to pupils in the lower grades were enthusiastically received and each demonstration had a good lesson in it that will make the kiddles practice, they said was very dan- to open the camp and will be

every civic group in Ballinger to usually prowl around on "all the county. see that the final enumeration of spooks' night." The Melvin should give Ballinger the largest problems. population since its founding in

Two important holidays are offered for sale that could be con- of the students. coming up and local firms must verted into a suitable building at decide shortly about their observ- moderate cost. The finished audiopposition. Recently it has been announced that November 30 in many towns in the South considerable property damage but ing small grain for pasturage. Ballinger pastors will join in a no loss of life is reported. Several is also the date of the Texas were visited by heavy hail. State Teachers' Association conmen, including most veterans of nection with the national live- observance. the World War, have expressed stock show. The team scored first the desire to observe the date on at College Station last summer, Saturday or not at all.

STOMACH COMFORT

ing contest.

Crust Doughboys are another

Erath county rural electrification

administration officials received

tion of \$93,000 to be used in

Bank deposits at Menard made

a decided increase the past several

statement called for on October 2. The two Menard banks had a

net gain of \$90,000 over the total on June 30. Sale of livestock, wool

and mohair contributed to the

The Junction American Legion

post is making preparations for

the 21st district convention to be

held on October 21 and 22. The affair will open at 10:30 a. m.

Saturday, October 21, and continue through the afternoon.

evening and the next day. Special

entertainment is being provided for the Legionnaires and their

wives and large attendance is

highspot of the exposition.

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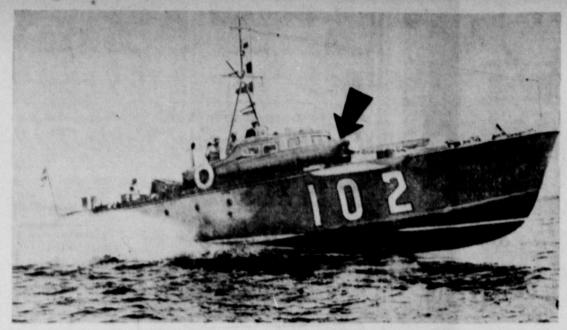
6-1-24t SIX COUNTIES QUARANTINED

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 18. Six Texas counties have been added to the quarantined ares in Texas because of recent discovery of pink bollworm infestations in okra by the United States depart- word last week that they had been ment of agriculture. This section, granted an additional appropriamost of which lies along the Mexican border, has been enlarged to another extension of lines in the include Duval, Jim Hogg, La Salle, county. The new extension will Mayerick, Zapata and Webb make 335 miles in Erath county, counties. Okra from the quaran- built at a cost of \$282,000. Nearly tined area must now be certified 750 customers are receiving elecunder the regulations.

Chuzz: "Bjones never completed his education, did he?" Playfoot: "No. he lived and months. This was reflected in the died a bachelor."



Torpedo Boat: Britain's Answer to German Subs



Here's one of Great Britain's powerful new torpedo boats which can launch a projectile straight ahead while traveling at top speed. Arrow points to one of the torpedo tubes mounted on deck. The British count on these boats to combat the German submarine. A large fleet of these boats has been placed in service in the North sea and they are usually attached to destroyer squadrons.



WEST TEXAS NOTES

look for hazards about their Material arrived at Albany last October 7 in a countywide election homes and cause them to call week and was transported to Fort called to determine the legal sale attention to many of the prac- Griffin, where construction is to of beer. The vote as tabulated tices that lead to fires. Firemen start on a CCC camp. Captain unofficially was 1,477 for the asserted that it was a pity that Thomas Martin received the "drys" and 1,267 for those favoring adults could not be taught to material and a crew of fifty men sale of the beverage. Places sellprevent fires as well as children has been employed to construct, ing beer in the county have been The one habit of putting pennies the buildings. Thirty CCC boys given until November 12 in which making plantings and rearrange- benefit that it brings-not bebehind blown fuses, a common arrived from Brownwood last week to dispose of their stocks. assigned to building the camp.

It is a short time until the The Melvin Parent-Teacher last week and the management post producing trees, grass, stones national census is due. Every ten Association will sponsor a Hal- said the plant would have about and fences. wears the federal census bureau lowe'en carnival in the school four or five weeks' run. The mill "Never before have rural people kitchen textiles because it is easy takes a count of the people and building on October 30. The employs 36 men during the season had so much encouragement in to launder, durable, inexpensive next year is the time for the carnival, an annual affair, attracts but the force will be reduced this making plantings and rerrange- and especially because it is cool next one to be made. This work large audiences and provides fall due to the short cotton crop ments which help in beautifying says Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, specialshould get the cooperation of entertainment for youngsters who and the small amount of seed in their homesteads," the specialist ist in clothing for the A. & M.

1326. Practically every house in A proposition for acquiring a school. One-hour periods were and ranch home, she adds.

ance. November 23 was suggested torium would have a seating were helped last week when a and wildlife production units wife and had to run all the way for Thanksgiving by the president capacity of 900 and would be two-inch rain fell over a wide should be arranged to improve the home."

Thanksgiving by the president capacity of 900 and would be two-inch rain fell over a wide should be arranged to improve the home."

Thanksgiving by the president capacity of 900 and would be two-inch rain fell over a wide appearance as well as to increase the equipped for any public gathering. Area. Stock raisers believe the economic value of the home. range will be improved consider- the economic value of the home-A tornado struck the Fort ably before frost and this well cut would be observed for the holiday Stockton section last week and did winter feed bills. Many are plant-

union Thanksgiving service on farm homes and outbuildings were The Brown wood ministerial gram and qualify for soil build-November 30 and school officials blown down in rural sections, association has announced that ing payments. Last year Texas for fife dollars? An attack of announce holidays on November Following the windstorm a num- Thanksgiving will be observed on 30 and December 1. November 30 ber of communities in the area November 30 this year. Business men of the city waited for the preachers to take the initiative mation may be obtained from the vention at San Antonio. The The Miles F. F. A. dairy judging and civic groups are expected to other observance in question is team left last week for Kansas adopt the same date for observ-Armistice Day, which falls on City to attend the national F. F. ance. Union services were planned agents. Saturday this year Many business A. convention to be held in con- by the pastors as the official

> Coleman county commissioners winning the right to represent are considering the employment Texas in the international judg- of an attorney to collect delinquent taxes. Property owners in arrears will be given opportunity The Midwest Exposition which to make settlement or satisfacopened at Sweetwater this week is tory arrangements before suits

> with practically all the 1940 models on display. This is the What is expected to be a good first time this feature has been gasser was drilled in near Santa included in the attractions. All Anna last week. When seven feet buildings are crowded for exhibit in lime at 2,206 feet the well was space and the program is attract- making about 200,000 cubic feet ing many visitors. The Light of gas.

VALUE OF TREES AND GRASS

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 18 .-Economic value of trees and grass as well as the scenic advantages of nature has been recognized in to Sadie Hatfield, specialist in M. College extension service.

An opportunity to provide continued. beauty, comfort and convenience for the rural home is offered by the crops as soil conservation agenc- extra honor." ies, she says. By this means the The West Texas Cottonoil Co. farm home may secure such landmill at Winters began operations scaping materials as forest or

trees, screen plantings, woodlands the torrid. or woodlots, poultry ranges, live-Ranches in the Eden section stock pastures, recreational areas stead.

> Farmers have until December 31 to carry out soil building practices under the current AAA prooperators failed by approximately epilepsy?" \$2,913,000 to earn full allowances for these practices. Further inforstration and county agricultural

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Enough fruit trees and berry

During the same period, she comments, nearly 2,000 mattresses homes through their work, interest, and influence. Half of this number was actually made by the

enrolled in 4-H club work this qualify for payment. year than were last year, the tours to see good demonstrations, before going to the disbursing attempts to use "home-made" ON TEXAS FARMS STRESSED rallies, exhibits and other public agency in Dallas, Vance added. meetings where they shared in- "The accuracy which has characformation, have increased this terized the work in county offices "My husband is so careless of

Miss Jacks says 4-H club girls' incerased interest in country life is attested by the fact that they been possible had there been any "Are you sure it is carelessness? the government's agricultural are remaining in club work longer fundamental changes in the farm Perhaps they are—uh—not sewed now, and by the increasing enrolllandscape gardening for the A. & despite the fact that contests and despite the fact that contests and during the program's previous ribly careless about his sewing." competitive work have been dis- history.

"The fact is now." she points out, "every girl who does 4-H conservation program which will club work does it for the natural planting of trees, grass and cover cause she hopes for a prize or an

COTTON IN THE KITCHEN

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 18. Cotton reigns supreme among the says. Some of the practices which College extension service. That entitle ranchmen to payment cotton is satisfactory in this fountain pen." the county and every community P.-T. A. is very active and has School enrollment at Paint Rock under the range part of the conin it is accurate. The 1940 census been alding in solving school reached a peak last week when servation program can also be ton uniforms that have been 115 were reported in the elemen- used to improve the landscape adopted almost universally by tary school and 87 in the high and put beauty around the farm dietitians, cooks, waitresses and A proposition for acquiring a school. One-hour periods were the city is occupied and practically all apartments are filled.

A proposition for acquiring a school. One-hour periods were instituted in the high school divibeness men in a mass sion this week which caused a be near the house and part of the landscape plan. Windbrakes share landscape plan, windbrakes share landscape plan windbrakes landscape plan windbrakes landscape plan meeting last week. Property was change of schedule for most landscape plan. Windbrakes, share temperature usually borders on

Mr. A: "I bought a hat for my

Mr. A: "I wanted to give it to her before the style changed."

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GREENWOOD Service Station. **ULLIONS PAID TO TEXAS** COTTON FARMERS IN '39

Texas cotton farmers, who are fine texture skin and are heavy getting their 1939 price adjust- for their size are generally of ment checks at an exceptionally better quality than coarse-skinfast clip, are reaping the fruits ned, light-weight fruit. Nor a of simplicity.

administrator, said more than extension service, also suggests vines to make a row from Browns-ville to Dalhart and halfway back \$7.521,454 in 1939 cotton payment in the shopper watch for decay were planted by Texas 4-H club has been certified for payment in limes or lemons, which appears girls during the past year, says
Onah Jacks, state girls' club agent
for the A. & M. College extension
service, in checking on the girls'
by the middle of October if the
by the middle of October if the
by the middle of October if the present rate of disbursement keeps up. More than 12 million dollars has

were added to 4-H club girls' been paid out to date in the 1939 quent on the farm than elsewhere, cotton price adjustment program according to accident studies of Main factor in the speedy ser- farms and other occupational vice. Vasce explained, is the use groups made recently by the club girls from home grown cot- of an exceptionally simple appli- United States department of agrication-for-payment form. It rec- culture. According to M. R. Bent-At least 4,000 more girls are ords what the farmer has done to ley, agricultural engineer for the

agent points out. She adds: "Texas have been audited and certified dents are the need for haste in 4-H club girls have had more here in a single day, and rarely rush seasons which often means regular meetings than ever. Also has an application spent more working after dark or with makethe number of county groups, than 3 days in the state office shift repairs; and occasional,

has been very helpful," Vance his appearance. He just can't said. "And of course the simple seem to keep buttons on his application form would not have clothes." program, from 1937 to 1939, as on properly."

take your dog in there." Visitor: "That dog's not mine." Doorman: "Not your dog! Why For quick he's following you." Visitor: "Well, so are you."

"A scientist tells us that by take 666 means of a specially constructed Liquid-Tablets-Salve-Nose Drops pendulum it is possible to see the earth turning around. The same result can be achieved by means

Bridegroom: "With all my worldly goods I thee endow." His Father: "There goes his

of a cork-screw."

COLLEGS STATION, Oct. 18 .-COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 18 .- Limes and lemons that have a Ellen Elliott, food preparation B. F. Vance, assistant state specialist for the A & M. College

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 18 .-Accidential deaths are more fre-A. & M. College extension service. As many as 8,500 of these forms factors conducive to farm accielectric wiring

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Football fans are invited to try contest which has been proving day) night the kick-off will be Bulldogs. local merchants and for the best time. two guesses cash awards of \$5 and \$3 will be paid.

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the next page you will find a season. Starting tomorrow (Fripopular among fans all over the at 7:45 instead of 8 o'clock. Fans nation. This page is sponsored by are urged to be on hand by that

The tabulations will be made up of the Brady Bulldogs at Coleman tinue to be.

There are no strings to this and immediate members of their lost a hard and close game to the August business more than row night and will hurl the star- ing over a wider area.

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last Friday threw a scare into the afternoon, 7 to 6. The local boys hearts of local football fans and were fighting against a big weight now they are wondering if the handicap but played their heavier Huff and Shaw. Fans who talk of to a standstill and the extra point these two players are overlooking after touchdown was the deciding other boys on tthe Brady factor in that cost them the game eam that play sixty minutes of every game. There is no doubt that the Bulldogs are a great will be tough games. All the setteam and nothing short of super ups are over and from now on

of games to be played in this sec- change in time for the beginning playing will take care of this the team will have to win one tion tomorrow (Friday) night. On of games the remainder of the attack. The Bearcats go to Brady game at a time. Home games next week, October 27, to meet the include Cross Plains, Rising Star, Fans are again reminded of the and Coleman. request by school officials about being discourteous to officials OPENING OF SCHOOLS BOOSTS RETAIL TRADE equal strength.

The Bearcats will find some working in games. They think tough going against Cross Plains, the officials can see the game in your guesses on the scores of The boys from the oil field town better from their positions than tomorrow's games, or if you desire, are big and have been showing fans in the stands and as long as for Texas' 1,400,000 students plenty of power on offense so far coaches, school officials and play- calling for new shoes, shirts, Ledger office or from the adver- this year. They scored three touch- ers are satisfied with decisions, frocks and hats-boosted August Bulldogs whip the Coleman Blue- which a four-county association from 11,537 in 1932 to 31,205 in downs against Santa Anna last that fans should be good sports and September sales of Texas cats by a score of 35 to 2. After is to be formed, to comprise Run-The entry blank must be filed at Friday which was one better than and accept penalties without department and apparel stores that game Ballinger and Brady nels, Tom Green, Coke and Concho demonstration. Good sportsman- 22.9 per cent above July, Univer- were the only two undefeated counties. Representatives of each Texas, the Southwestern Peanut ship has always been a character- sity of Texas economists stated teams in the district. The running and passing attack istic of Ballinger and should con- today.

The remainder of the schedule Mozelle and Winters, with the team away from home at Brady

AUSTIN, Oct. 18 .- School days

and Mrs. Harry Lynn.



Cross Plains Team To Meet Bearcats | Expected at Hatchel

After resting for a week the

ball at Coleman the past week- Hatchel citizens.

Sales last month were almost 1 the Brady game on October 27.

cent above those of the corres- and will be ready to start Friday special music are to be offered. ponding first eight months of night. The boys have had two scrimmages since the last game, one against the San Angelo Bob-Miss Bitsie Lynn, who is attend- cats, another against the Miles ever to attend a sing-song in this

The game with Cross Plains was choruses will doubtless attract embroidery patterns at Ledger athletic association paid more The public is cordially invited to causes or a focal infection. Carbon paper for tracing first scheduled there but the many. money and brought the game to attend this program. Ballinger at the urging of local

Read the ads-save money.

Heavy Attendance Here Friday Night For Singing Sunday

Ballinger Bearcats will meet the the Runnels County Singing Asso- tributed to all high school students. big Cross Plains team here tomor- ciation will be held at Hatchel Material is being turned in this row (Friday) night at 7:45. The Sunday, October 22, and one of week for the first issue, which will Ballinger team defeated the Santa the biggest programs ever offered soon be out. The editorial staff Anna Mountaineers 13 to 0 two by the group is promised. All-day is supervised by the English weeks ago and last Friday the sessions are planned and many department and the mimeograph-Cross Plains eleven beat the outstanding quartets and other ing will be done in the business Mountaineers 21 to 7, which singing combinations from over department. shows the two teams to be about the state will participate in the program. Dinner will be served Ballinger fans got their foot- on the ground at noon by the \$4,328,000 in 1932 to \$8,574,000,000

end when several hundred went There will be an important busithere to watch the mighty Brady ness session during the day at farms purchasing electricity rose of these counties will be present Growers' Association will pay Coaches "Pooch" Wright and all have signified interest in members \$63 per ton for South-One hundred stores and shops "Buck" Gibbs expect all the Bear- forming the organization in order western Spanish peanuts during reported to the university bureau cats to be ready for action against to increase attendance at pro- 1939, diverting the surplus into except employees of The Ledger The Ballnger junior high team of business research that their the Cross Plains Buffaloes tomor- grams and interest in better sing- oil and by-products. The AAA will

> seasonal increase from July to tions to "open up" and show all Runnels county association, has producers and the oil millers' plays in the game which precedes received word from Sweetwater, price. Abilene, San Angelo, Coleman, per cent ahead of those in August Allison and Long, who were on Brady and Fort Worth singers that last year, and 1939 total sales for the ailing list in the game with they will attend the Hatchel meet-January to August were 0.9 per Santa Anna, are back on the job ing. Quartet numbers and other

> The afternoon crowd at Hatchel ing Hardin-Simmons University,
> Abilene, spent the past week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn.
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> Cats, another against the Miles county. The appearance of some of the famous male quartets of the state and the large number of singers who will make up the singers who will make up the of the papearance of some of the famous male quartets of the state and the large number of singers who will make up the singers who will make up th

fans. The largest crowd of the Gaston Bartlett, son of Mr. and Full directions and the S.S.S. Formula season is expected and fans should Mrs. A. O. Bartlett, left Saturday been benefited. Untold millions have been benefited. If your case is not unusually been benefited. If your case is not unusually be a season is expected and fans should Mrs. A. O. Bartlett, left Saturday been benefited. If your case is not unusually be a season is expected and fans should Mrs. A. O. Bartlett, left Saturday been benefited. If your case is not unusually be a season is expected and fans should Mrs. A. O. Bartlett, left Saturday been benefited. If your case is not unusually be a season is expected and fans should Mrs. A. O. Bartlett, left Saturday been benefited. If your case is not unusually be a season is expected and fans should Mrs. A. O. Bartlett, left Saturday been benefited. If your case is not unusually be a season is expected and fans should be a season in the season is expected and fans should be a season in the season is expected and fans should be a season in the season is expected and should be a season in the season in the season is expected and should be a season in the season in the season in the season is expected and should be a season in the se be in their seats a little before for Mercedes, where he will be sual you will notice an imp 7:30 if they expect to see the band employed by the Western Union once. Why not make this the day to beand pep squad entrances and the Telegraph Co. as a relief operator. gin an 8.5.5, course of treatment. No ethi-kick-off.

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C. A. Matejowsky, Rowena

E. B. Tounget, Ballinger

Albert Spreen, Benoit

J. W. Duke. Ballinger

L. A. Wall, Winters

route 1

E. A. Coleman, Miles

E. C. Pape, Ballinger

R. K. Russell, Winters

S. K. Shelburn, Ballinger

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B. Matschek, Ballinger, route 1

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Drug Store

TIPS ON TERMITES

COLLEGE STATION. Oct. 18 .-

J. W. Parr. Winters, route 4

Walter Lange, Ballinger

G. W. Cotter, Ballinger

G. C. Avent, Talpa

L. H. Rvan. Winters

Joe Ashton, Talpa, route 2

Thanksgiving Query—'When Do We Eat?'

Divided response was accorded President Roosevelt's action in setting

Five Jury Venires Drawn For Fall Court Term Here

The fall term of 119th district court here will open Monday, November '13, for five weeks' ses sions. Jury lists, including one venire for grand jury service and four for petit jury service, have been drawn and each man notified when to appear

No petit jury venire has been summoned for the first week and all the work will be devoted to investigations by the grand jury and non-jury cases heard by Judge O. L. Parish. County Attorney Roy L. Hill will turn over a large number of cases to the grand jury which it is thought will keep the investigators busy the entire week

There are a number of post poned cases on the docket and time for trial of each of these will be set at the opening of the term. Bills returned by the grand jury will be added to the regular docket for trial during criminal

Following are the lists of those selected for the jury venires:

Grand Jury Adams, Miles

George Seitz, Wingate

F. L. Bates. Novice I. G. Burson, Novice, route 1 B. A. Lott, Miles Alex McGregor, Ballinger

C. S. Brown, Lawn, route 1 Roy L. Roper, Norton I. M. Turner, Ballinger C. R. Morrison, Wingate, route 2 Henry Teplicek, Rowena

D. B. Dobbins, Winters, route 4 Owen Ingram, Winters, route 4 L. W. Henniger, Ballinger

Bert Fletcher, Maverick B. G. Owens, Winters Petit Jury, Second Week J. R. Willis, Goldsboro F. M. Turner, Norton Warren Crofton, Lawn H. E. White, Winters, route 4 Ira Klutts, Talpa, route 2

H. A. Williams, Ballinger Clarence Ledbetter, Bradshaw S. P. Dietz, Talpa, route 2 Clarence Routh, Ballinger F. L. Gerhart, Winters Sam Mathis, Novice, route 1 A. L. Condra, Bronte, route 2

E. F. Vogelsang, Ballinger F. H. Lisson, Winters Grady Flynt, Winters V. Recinsky, Rowena C. E. Sullivan, Winters D. A. Macune, Ballinger

E. C. Bridwell, Winters, route 4 Owen Bragg, Talpa, route 2 B. B. Campbell, Hatchel W. W. King, Winters, route 2 Simon Dorotik, Rowena L. B. Gibbs, Talpa, route 2

C. E. McMillan, Talpa, route 2 W. A. McDonald, Winters J. E. Jones, Ballinger A. D. Smith, Winters Ellis Lee, Ballinger Joe Awalt, Winters J. M. Willis, Norton H. T. Bryant, Miles

Ben L. Willberg, Rowena L. E. Wilkinson, Novice, route 1 A. S. Cooper, Ballinger

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L. A. Faubion, Talpa, route 2 Petit Jury, Third Week

W. R. Gray, Ballinger Warren Allridge, Goldsboro Ed E. Kruppa, Rowena C. E. Flanagan, Ballinger Frank J. Smith, Hatchel W. W. Parramore, Winters H. L. Parks, Winters Henry Doss, Ballinger Willie Stephens, Ballinger Charlie Ocker, Ballinger G. W. Poe, Winters Curtis Barrett, Norton J. W. Stehle, Winters J. T. Bratton, Winters

W. Ash, Marie V. E. Colburn, Winters C. E. Pumphrey, Winters G. T. Gibson, Ballinger G. A. Henniger, Ballinger Audra A. Mitchell, Winters W. C. Mathis, Winters, route 2 Horace S. Murphy, Ballinger Jim Chism, Winters

I. S. Story, Miles W. L. Berry, Bronte G. W. Cope, Bronte, route 2 Lee Evans. Ballinger W. B. Richards, Novice George Priedecker, Rowena J. A. Morrison, Talpa, route 2 Walter Schwertner, Ballinger Earl Berry, Winters, route 2 W. E. McNutt. Miles H. J. Moore, Miles

N. R. Iley, Winters, route 2

Jack Nixon, Sr., Ballinger Petit Jury, Fourth Week Hubert Gerhart, Rowena J. T. Moreland, Ballinger Buford Smith, Ballinger Joe Holubec, Rowena Rube Whitley, Talpa, route 2 Ralph Vancil, Hatchel R. M. Curry, Rowena L. T. Johnson, Winters

S. M. Jones, Ballinger F. H. Haverland, Miles Richard Cook, Rowena A. E. Clark, Winters E. W. Rainwater, Winters route 2 Henry H. Ripple, Rowena Jack Vinyard, Novice, route 1 S. M. Wyatt, Winters N. B. Creasy, Ballinger Charles Cary, Novice

W. L. Lampe, Ballinger F. C. Poe, Winters J. C. Stephens, Winters R. L. Boothe, Ballinger R. E. Lafoon, Lawn

Ad Kloesel, Rowena Roy Frazier, Norton L. C. Overman, Winters, route R. L. Huddleston, Ballinger J. S. Wheeless, Winters, route Harold Hudgens, Winters, route L. B. Hensley, Wingate Herman Giesecke, Jr., Ballinger

A. W. Malone, Ballinger Claude Thompson, Ballinger J. C. Cooper, Winters

J. L. Patterson, Winters, route 1 J. D. McDaniel, Winters Petit Jury, Fifth Week T. O. Williams, Winters, route

Guy Taylor, Winters, route 4 J. W. Byars, Goldsboro embedding them in concrete and

> Bentley, agricultural engineer for that might arise.
> the A. & M. College extension
>
> A. H. Lewin. trouble if properly done. Abie: "Nowadays everything is done by machinery." Ikey: 'Vell, I dunno, talking is still done by hand."

Thanksgiving a week ahead. Twenty-two states will celebrate on November 23, the new date; 24 will celebrate traditionally on November 30; Texas will have two Thanksgivings and Mississippi was undecided. STORE IMPROVEMENTS ARE UNDERWAY HERE:

NEW STORE TO OPEN

A number of improvements are underway in Ballinger which will help store appearances and generally improve the entire business district.

Remodeling of the Clements variety store is about completed and the management is preparing for the formal opening soon The new front and show windows have been finished and this week a crew is installing new fixtures which will permit a much better Guy Gannaway, Wingate, route 2 display of merchandise and add attractiveness to the interior.

> A new awning is being built for the Manhattan Cafe, in the Kiechle building on Hutchings Avenue. The old awning was removed and is being replaced by new material

Fate Parker and Early Jones are getting ready to open a new hardware store. They have rented part ready for sale, 14th century bakers of the W. B. Currie building on Seventh Street and are installing fixtures and showcases. As soon as the building is ready they will display a complete stock of hard-

Several other downtown improvements are being considered but contracts have not been let to

McCARVER & LYNN BUYS MILES INSURANCE AGENCY

McCarver & Lynn announced J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. and Weeks this week the purchase of the Lewin Insurance Agency at Miles and will take over operation of the business at once. Operation will be continued under the name of Lewin Insurance Agency, Mc-Most effective way to keep ter-Carver & Lynn managers, and will mites out of the house is to insulook after all insurance business late all wooden parts that would otherwise touch the earth by ers of the former Miles firm. for the territory and policy hold-

Representatives of McCarver & providing metal shields where Lynn will be in Miles most of the needed. Fortunately, adds M. R. time to attend to any business

A. H. Lewin, founder of the service, but it will end termite business at Miles, died recently and his wife has been operating the business.

> The gas industry is one of the oldest public utilities in the United States.

Phone Company Announces Discounts End November 1

Household Illumination

Unchanged in 25,000 Yrs. and John Miles in the 1780s revolu-tionized the art of household illumination. For more than 25,000 years ed of an open or partially closed res- offered for payment by a certain ervoir for oil with a wick lying at date will not be given. the rim or in a protruding spout, writes Howard G. Hubbard in American Collector. They gave poor light, spilled oil abominably, and cast an annoying shadow on the side away from the flame.

All three of these fundamental faults were overcome almost at a stroke by the vertical wick and closed reservoir of Argand and There were left many problems of refinement and, as often happens with epochal inventions, at The earlier lamps, with flame near the fuel, could use either expensive oils or waste kitchen greases. The latter would not work in the new lamps, which utilized whale, sperm, fish and vegetable oils. Here, then, was the new problem: a lamp with the advantages of vertical wick and closed reservoir and the ability to burn inexpensive greases.

We have meager evidence that inmost at once. Perhaps the first to Carolina. He took out a United States patent in 1798 for a "tallow lamp," but this bare title is the sum total of our present knowledge regarding it. Proof that a "lamp for in a statement made by Thomas P. Jones, M. D., editor of the Journal of the Franklin Institute and, previous to that appointment, superintendent of the patent office.

To announce to the people that their bread was finished and

Telephone patrons in Ballinger received notice this week that effective November 1 all discounts The inventions of Aimee Argand on accounts would be discontinued. Bills rendered for service after that date will be net to the customer and the usual discount

Heretofore there has been a 25 cent discount on residence phones and 50 cents on business phones. There will be change in the rates and the hike will amount to only the discounts heretofore granted

for prompt payment. R. P. Canady, district manager, in a letter to patrons stated: "Increased costs of operations beyond our control, occasioned by least one new problem was created. increased taxes of all forms, social security tax, the increased cost of all materials used in the conduct of business, and the necessity of reducing hours of work and of makes the discounting of discounts necessary.

The present telephone rate here has been in effect many years and ventors on both sides of the Atlantic in the letter it was stated that no went to work on this problem al- other change was contemplated.

Company officials were in Balsucceed was John Love of South linger last week and interviewed a number of patrons in regard to removing the discount.

Wimpus: "Have you noticed how burning lard" was invented in this reluctant the young men of today country previous to 1810 is contained are to marry and settle down?" Zimpir: "Yes, I believe you're

Wimpus: "They seem to fear marriage. Why before I was married I didn't know the meaning

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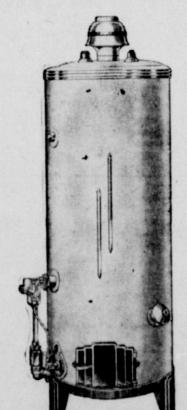
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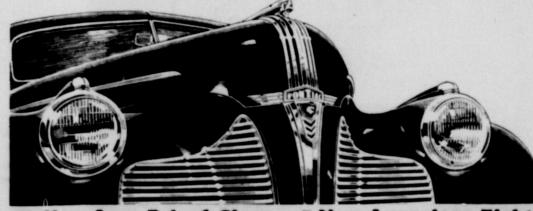
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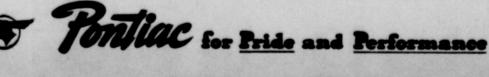
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FOR SALE-Or Trade: Blacksmith and Welding Shop, electric 74 ten miles east Brady. Only any kind of trespassing. shop in town. Good territory. Will sell both or separately. Reasonably priced. D. H. Newman Rochelle, Texas. 19-2t-

WANTED-500 stoves to recondition in this territory, schools, churches, homes. Address Tatum & Sons, Brownwood, Texas, or Box 111, Ledger. 12-5t-*

WHO WANTS A BEAUTIFUL PIANO AT A BARGAIN? We may have in your vicinity in a few days a splendid upright plano with Phone 1239. duet bench to match. Also a lovely Baby Grand in two tone mahogany. Terms if desired plete with batteries, wire and Might take live stock, poultry or lights. For only \$50. W. A. Nance. once. BROOK MAYS & CO., The Reliable Piano House, Dallas, Texas.

FOR RENT-Bedroom with private bath. Mrs. E. J. O'Kelly,

FOR SALE Four mares and house in Hillcrest. Chas. Cun-

FOR RENT -- Apartment with Soil Conservation private bath. Phone 145.

FOR RENT-Furnished house.

FOR SALE-Mohair living room suite, floor lamps, all porcelain gas range, bargain. Downey Simpson, 703 Eleventh Street.

Two cents per word first inser- higera with heads, between 2,700 1939 soil conservation work. Thos. tion, no advertisement accepted and 3,000 bundles, \$80.00. J. J. B. Hill, office manager, stated that for less than 25 cents. All subse-quent insertions 1 cent per word linger. Hoelscher, 9 miles south of Bal-end in order to give instruction

All plassified advertisements FOR RENT-Three room furn-

screens, gas heating stoves, gas linger for this purpose. ment. Lights, water paid. Deposit range, electric range, window and A check-up the first of this up for gas. 301 Thirteenth Street. door frames, kindling. E. Shep- week revealed practically all sub-

> look at my crop. C. H. Eubank, distributed to the farmers. Only grower and breeder of "Little 20 more contracts are to be paid Supreme," 20 miles west in Poe on before this part of the work community.

WANTED-Plain and fancy received by the local office. sewing. Phone 360. Mrs. L. L. ladies. Write Mrs. Lyle Currie. Stroble, 1101 Seventh Street. 5-3t-*

> FOR RENT-Two room furnished apartment and bedrooms. Phone 179, Mrs. D. C. Simpson.

Notice is hereby given that my place, 2 miles north of Ballinger tools, and residence, on highway on Elm Creek, is posted against

5-3t

Electric Refrigerators. Several W. Lee O'Daniel announced the used ones as low as \$25. W. A.

LOOK-Little Supreme cotton seed. \$1.00 per bushel. None better. C. H. Eubank, breeder and grower, I Winters, Texas.

APARTMENT-With garage.

32-Volt Delco Light Plant, com-

For Sale 12-3t BINDER TWINE-Plymouth Red Top and Purple Top. SEIDEL IMPLEMENT CO.

FOR RENT-Good four room ningham, 510 Twelfth Street.

Payments Sign-Up To Commence Soon

The Runnels county AAA farm office is getting the paper work in shape to start the sign-up of applications for payment on the real nature of the firefly's glow reto workers and within a short time a schedule of visits to com-

It is planned to send workers to every community in the county No classified advertisements four sucking mule colts. See J. P. meet farmers and take their signatures on the applications. 12-2t This is done in order to save time for many who would otherwise FOR SALE - Doors, windows, have to come to the office in Bal-

> 12-2t sidy payments made in this county. A total of 3,338 checks ATTENTION-All who are have been received on 2,166 coninterested in good cotton, come tracts to date and all have been 14-5t-* will be finished. Up to Monday a total of \$256,083.10 had been

All applications for payments on the 1939 subsidy have been sent in and the remaining 20 contracts are expected to be paid off soon. Conservation payments will start the latter part of the year and will complete the government payments due this year.

RUNNELS SCHOOL MEN ON STATE COMMITTEE

Two Runnels county school men have been named on the governor's committee to study ways of slashing the administrative cost of the Bargains for cash in New 1940 education program in Texas. Gov. forming of the committee in his radio address last Sunday and this week 183 Texas educators' were appointed on the committee.

Superintendent E. D. Stringer, 5-6t- of Winters, and County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff are members of the committee. They 21-tf received their appointments this week and have accepted.

The first meeting will be held either just before or immediately their nerve centers. after the Texas State Teachers' 21-tf Association convention at San Antonio on November 30 and

Albert Afflerbach, of Winters, transacted business and visited and very often more affectionate. 20-tf relatives and friends here today.

Firefly's 'Mechanism' Still Remains Mystery

Once it was thought that phosphorus was the cause of the luminosity of the firefly and its larva, the glow-worm, and the phenomen was called phosphorescence.

But the substance of the luminous zones of these curious beetles has many times been exhaustively analyzed for phosphorus without an indication of its being found, and the mains a secret.

The key to the solution seems to nosity when permitted to combine with oxygen in an alkaline solution. Just what takes place here is not yet known, but it is a form of commeasurable amount of heat, while in the firefly and in luminous fishes

The light-producing organs of the firefly are unquestionably arranged to bring about this union of daygen and a fatty secretion. The seat of the light is intensely luminous areas in the abdomen or thorax or both. Each is a specialized portion of the fat body, a plate situated directly beneath the skin, and supplied with nerves and fine tubes connecting with the trachea or windpipe

The cells of these fatty places secrete, under the control of the nervous system, a substance which is burned during the appearance of light. This combustion takes place by means of the oxygen conveyed branches.

the opposite sex, and the other as a curious means of defense against bats or other nocturnal insectivorous creatures which prefer less dazzling and alarming fare. This defensive use of light has its counterpart in some of the luminous fish. which light up only under the stimuous of alarm and excitement to frighten off their enemies.

Cat, Dog Rated Equals On Intelligence Scale

The only difference in the intelligence of a dog and a cat is that a dog is "something of a socialist while a cat is an individualist," according to Dr. Charles M. Diserens, assistant professor of psychology at the University of Cincinnati.

Dr. Diserens, who has made a life-long study of cats, says that persons who favor dogs over cats or who believe dogs have a higher degree of intelligence just don't know their cats. He believes one animal is about as intelligent as the other and that there is little difference in

Although classifying cats as rugged individuals, Dr. Diserens wants it understood that felines have a genuine capacity for gratitude. He says this fact may often be noted during and after medical treatment when they become deeply grateful

Mark your butter with a rubber 7-tf with a want ad.

Drilling Proceeds On H. Price Well; Others Rigging weeks.

Good progress has been made on the Homer Price-Williams oil test, business in any way. The front of a homicide charge. The investisix miles northwest of Ballinger, will be kept open at all times and gation is being continued and a and today drilling was below 1,050 the usual business will not be number of written statements and feet. Material is on the ground interrupted. for steady operation and no time lie in the fact that certain fats, oils will be lost in drilling the well and other substances exhibit lumi- to the contract depth or production before reaching that level.

the J. W. Reese place, three miles Mrs. Patterson's sister, Mrs. A. L. spent the week-end at Georgebustion. In the laboratory experiments the contact also produces a place and 10-inch easing is being Burden, and family. place and 10-inch casing is being run in the old hole which was and plants it does not appear to do drilled to about 1,600 feet in 1928. This test was abandoned at that time without drilling the required depth to reach any of the possible producing sands. As soon as the casing is set to the bottom of the hole, drilling will be started.

Art Tucker has a derrick up on the J. L. King place and is rigging up to start a test soon. The location is a short distance northwest of the two producing wells on the Beddo farm.

Local oil men state that a number of other tests are being contemplated and as soon as acreage blocks are made up; locations will to the cells by the fine tracheal be decided and work begun. Several out-of-town oil men have The lighting system seems to been here this week to look over serve two purposes; One, to attract acreage and make plans to drill tests in this county.

MODERN FRONT BEING BUILT FOR WEEKS DRUG STORE

A contract was let this week and work started Wednesday on a modern front for the Weeks Drug Store. The building is owned by J. Y. Pearce and a contract was awarded to C. D. Mills for the work and the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. for the material. The entire front will be changed

two modern show windows installed, a wider opening proweek and will complete the

improvement in about three Weeks Drug Store, stated that the but that sufficient evidence had work would not interfere with been taken to warrant the filing

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Patterson of 119th district court here. and two daughters, Barbara Jean and Sandra June, spent the The derrick and rigging up on week-end in San Antonio, visiting daughters, Margaret and Jean,

ger Printing Co.

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morning that there were still a R. W. Earnshaw, manager of number of witnesses to be heard other evidence will be submitted to the grand jury for the fall term

town in the home of Mrs. Pierce's mother, Mrs. W. E. Thornton. Genuine Manilla Board-Ballin- Mrs. Thornton accompanied her daughter home for a short visit.





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25c Lucky Tiger Hair Oil 12c

Weeks Drug Store



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Per Dez. Apples Size Fancy Texas

Yams Fancy Crisp Celery 24 Doz. Size Grapes

Cabbage Potatoes 10 lb. Mesh Bag 29C

Commercial Russet **Potatoes** Green or Wax

10 lbs. 17C Beans 2 lbs. 15C

No. 2 10C Bar Se Heesbey's Ib. tin 15¢

Durkee's PEPPER Texas HOMINY 3 No. 300 15¢

No. 21 15C Fresh Chocolate DROPS _____2 lbs, 25¢ 90/100 PRUNES 3 lb. cello 29¢ Dried PEACHES __2 Ps. 25¢ Waldorf Standard TOMATOES 3 No. 2 20¢ French's MUSTARP 6-oz jar 9c

Peaches

Kitchen Craft

\$7.35 Flour 48 lb.

Van Camp's Pork & Beans 3 18.30 25c



Cudahy's Gold Coin Hockless—Tender **Picnics** Per lb.

BACON In the Piece Machine Sliced SAUSAGE Pure Pork Ib. 16c OYSTERS STEAM Pt. 29c PORK CHOPS Cott Loin lb. 23c BOLOGNA Sliced or 2 lbs. 25c BACON Maximum Brand

Cherub MILK 3 lg. or 6 sml. 19¢ Lomeo MACARONI __3 pkgs 10¢ Delicious COCOAMALT 16-oz. 39¢ Sunrey CRACKERS 2 lb. box 14¢ Champ DOG FOOD 6 tall cans 25¢ Swifts Jewel SHORTENING 4 lbs. 39¢

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