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## Olfen Entertains Record Attendance At Dinner, Bazaar

The Olfen community was host to people from all sections of West Texas at the annual bazaar and dinner Sunday. Ballingerites jammed the road from here to Olfen near the dinner hour and the large amusement hall was full when serving began at 12 o'clock.

The dinner was the usual success, both from the standpoint of those eating and for receipts. All tables were filled for about two hours during the noon rush and a smaller crowd was present in the late afternoon for the supper. The sausage, turkey, chicken, salads, potatoes, cakes, pies and puddings were served family style and diners were permitted to eat as long as they desired and what they wanted. Citizens of the community were organized in such a way as to render excellent service and there were no long waits for anyone.

Included in the menu were 750 pounds of the famous country sausage, 40 baked turkeys, 100 chickens, 90 puddings, 50 cakes and 150 pies as well as generous amounts of side dishes.

After the meal the visitors took part in the entertainment offered outside the hall, bingo and other games doing a good business.

Articles sold fast and for considerable sums at the auction in the afternoon. The first bale of cotton went to the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Ballinger for 17 cents per pound. The second was bought by the First National Bank of Ballinger for 16 cents, and the next was sold to the Morrison Gin of Ballinger for 15 1/2 cents. Other Ballinger buyers were Hill Hampton and Frank Rubin.

Articles contributed to the sale by merchants of Ballinger, San Angelo and Rowena were sold and bidding was brisk on the smaller items, each bringing a fair price.

Between 500 and 600 people attended the noon meal and citizens of the Olfen community were delighted with the response for their annual affair.

Following the supper hour tables were removed from the floor and a dance was held at night.

## LOCAL OIL MILL RESUMES RUNS FOLLOWING FIRE

The West Texas Cottonoil Co. mill here resumed operations Sunday afternoon following the fire a week before which destroyed the hull and feed house of the plant. H. W. Lynn, manager, stated that part of the seed house would be used to store hulls and provisions have been made for handling the feed.

The reopening of the mill put about 40 men back at work following completion of necessary repairs.

## BANKS HERE WILL CLOSE AT 3 EACH AFTERNOON

The federal wage-hour law has caused slightly earlier closing for the two Ballinger banks and in the future they will close each afternoon at 3 o'clock instead of 3:30. Hereafter open hours will be from 8:30 a. m. to 3 p. m. The change here is not as noticeable as in cities where banks have established hours of 9 a. m. until 2:30 p. m. The new law puts all bank employees on a 40-hour week and to meet the requirement it was necessary to shorten each business day by 30 minutes.

## 218 ALIENS REGISTER AT LOCAL POSTOFFICE

Registration of aliens at the Ballinger postoffice has slowed down considerably and only a few are reporting to fill out the papers. Postmaster Tom Caudle reported yesterday that a total of 218 had been registered to date and that there were plenty of blanks on hand to complete the sign-up in this county.

## November 28 Voted For Thanksgiving In B. C. D. Balloting

The vote on November holidays being taken by the Ballinger Board of Community Development is about completed. There was a big vote polled favoring a holiday on November 11, Armistice Day, only two votes being recorded against this observance.

November 28 is leading by a big majority for the observance of Thanksgiving and unless something happens that will be the day for closing in Ballinger. Both November 21 and 28 were submitted in the ticket and voting on the two dates have brought a big lead for the latter.

There will be some conflict here in regard to the date as the Ballinger schools will observe the proclaimed day on November 21. This date coincides with the meeting of the Texas State Teachers' Association at Ft. Worth. The date for the convention was set after it was understood the president would issue a proclamation for November 21 and practically all schools in the state will have their Thanksgiving holiday at that time so teachers may attend.

A number of Ballingerites had purchased tickets for the A. & M.-Texas football game at Austin on November 28, expecting that day to be observed as Thanksgiving. Many cannot use their tickets if the date is changed.

November 11, falling on Monday, will provide a double holiday for local citizens. The annual Rowena celebration will be held on the 11th and in the afternoon the Ballinger-Coleman football game will provide local entertainment.

## Expansion of NYA Program to Make Additional Jobs

NYA shops in this section will receive additional funds for expansion from the \$1,650,000 appropriated for that purpose and many more boys and girls will be given employment during the winter.

Announced plans call for the expansion of 66 shops in the state and the creation of fifteen new ones where particular emphasis will be placed on the development of youths' manual and mechanical skills on a production basis, health, work, habits and safety.

No announcement has been made as to the expansion of the Runnels county shops, but additional equipment is expected which will permit more production by this plant. The Ballinger shops have been making articles for a large territory, some going as far away as to Melvin, for the community center. It is regarded as one of the best in this district and each week work is done for the county, city and schools, as well as some work transferred from other shops.

Expansion of shops will permit larger forces to be employed and it is hoped that forty per cent of the out-of-school boys will be given employment.

## DUCK SEASON TO OPEN SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2

The duck season will open here Saturday morning, November 2, and there is said to be a fair number on streams and tanks in this area. For several weeks these fowls have been alighting on large bodies of water in this area and the early hunters will find good shooting.

Postmaster Tom Caudle stated Wednesday afternoon that only one 1940 duck stamp had been purchased at the local office and pointed out that it was necessary to have these stamps before hunting ducks.

## TONIGHT IS HALLOWE'EN

Tonight is Hallowe'en and the "ghosts" will be on parade in every section of the city. Chief of Police Lee Moreland stated this morning that extra police were being added to the force and would patrol the town all night. He declared every effort would be made to protect property and prevent pranks from getting out of control. He urges the cooperation of parents in knowing where their children are, in helping to stop damage, and in curbing "too rough" fun.

## As Italians Advanced in Egypt



According to the Italian censor-approved caption for this photo, mobile units of the Italian army, composed of Colonial and Italian troops, speed across the desert land of northern Egypt in the drive climaxed by the fall of Sidi Barrani, objective in the push toward the Suez canal. (Inset): Italian tanks, which were stalled at Sidi Barrani, moving towards what may prove to be the first big battle of the war in northern Africa.

## Library Carnival Brings in \$175; Midway Jammed

The Ballinger Library Board's carnival Saturday afternoon and evening proved a big success and receipts from the shows and games were turned in Monday morning amounting to about \$175.

The midway was jammed from early in the afternoon until late Saturday night with the main business between 6 and 10 p. m. All attractions did a good business and there was plenty of cash customers until a late hour when the shows began to close for the night.

Tents were erected on the loop early Saturday and stands were made ready for the first business at the hour announced for the opening.

A ballyhoo band was on the job and went from one front to another. As the music struck up the performers came out for a brief appearance in front of the show and as soon as they retired inside the tent the music struck up again and ticket takers started their appeals.

Shows operated by the Lions Club, Rotary Club, firemen and "the house of horrors" sold standing room at each performance until after 10 o'clock. The biggest money getter on the midway was the large bingo game operated in the center of the grounds. The operators ran game after game to a full sell-out and turned in about \$47 clear at the close of business.

Members of the library board were delighted with the results of the carnival and deeply appreciate the cooperation of all who assisted in any way with the operation of shows, games and rides.

## 4-H Boys and Girls And Future Farmers Eligible for Contest

Future Farmers of America, 4-H club boys and girls and others interested in vocational agriculture in Runnels county and the territory covered by The Ledger are invited to compete in the Fort Worth livestock market calf contest, officials have announced.

A fine heifer calf will be awarded to the boy or girl who writes the best 100-word theme about the market. The contest will follow the course of instruction in livestock marketing being conducted by county agents and vocational agriculture instructors over the state.

The calf will be a fancy heifer calf of outstanding quality, suitable for starting some boy or girl toward a herd of good cattle. The contest will be run from November 7 to December 7, and the winner will be announced shortly hereafter.

All boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 18, inclusive, are eligible to enter the contest. A committee of livestock experts will select the winning theme. Additional information and rules may be secured by writing to Ted Goudly, livestock market observer, at the Fort Worth livestock exchange building.

Mrs. Howard Parker and daughter, of Cleburne, are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shepherd.

## 2,188 Men Get Order Numbers in Draft Lottery

### Perry Bros. Store Here is Burglarized; Safe Knob Knocked

Burglars entered the Perry Bros. store here some time Saturday night or Sunday morning, knocked the knob from the safe and took the cash from it. Ross Causey, manager, discovered the loss when he came to the store Sunday and observed that the latch on the back door had been broken and left on the stairway leading to the office on the balcony.

He investigated further and found that a glass had been removed from the skylight and that someone had been let down into the store with a rope. Proof that more than one was involved in the burglary was shown by the fact that the rope had been removed and left on the roof of the building. The burglar left by the back door.

Only the cash in the safe was taken and all checks and other papers were left in their place. Change left in the cash registers also was intact, and there was no merchandise stolen so far as could be determined.

Officers were called and began an investigation but so far no arrests have been made.

## Architect Employed For Remodeling Job On Court House Here

The Runnels county commissioners' court has employed Roy E. Lane, of Dallas, as architect on the remodeling of the court house. Mr. Lane was here last week for two days, going over the drawings of the proposed building and discussing the floor plan with the commissioners. He has returned to Dallas to make more complete drawings and plans and will return here to go over the new plans with the court, make changes and will then complete the plans and specifications to submit to the contractors.

The work will be speeded as much as possible so that a contract can be let this fall and actual work be started about January 1. Mr. Lane stated on his last trip here that he believed it would require from five to six months to complete the construction.

The drawings of the building are very attractive and will make a modern and convenient building. Much space is to be added in the two wings to be built, allowing for enlargement of some of the offices and providing new ones for the officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Edmonds, Banning, Calif.; Bert Edmonds, San Bernardino, Calif.; Mrs. Hal Bishop, Hollywood, Calif.; Mrs. Tom Cooksey, Mullin; Tom Cooksey, Jr., and Jack Landers of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, were week-end guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sykes and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sykes.

The national lottery was held in Washington Tuesday and 2,188 Runnels county men between the ages of 21 and 36 have been given the order in which they will be called up for selection in the military training program.

Radio sets drew large crowds Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock as the preliminaries for the drawing the first number began. Number 158, the first number taken from the bowl at Washington, was held by Robert Lee Campbell, of Winters, in Runnels county.

The next step in conscription will be the mailing of questionnaires to those on the list. Members of the Runnels county draft board expect to receive a list of the order numbers from Washington this week and with this, instructions for mailing the questionnaires to the men. This probably will call for a specific number to be mailed daily until all have been sent out. After registrants receive the eight-page folders they have five days in which to fill them out and return them. From the questionnaires the various classes will be made up.

Following is a list of the first 500 names drawn in Runnels county in the national lottery. The numbers in the first column are order numbers, those in the second the serial numbers.

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Mrs. Leland Croft and children, of Tulsa, are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Chaney.

## Breakfast Monday To Decide Events Offered for Xmas

The Ballinger Board of Community Development will hold a breakfast at the Central Hotel Monday morning at which time plans will be discussed for the annual Christmas program series in this city. Gus Barr, secretary-manager, has been lining up plans for the observance of the Christmas season and consideration will be given proposals for a number of events.

Questionnaires have been received which indicate that the merchants favor show window contests with a "treasure hunt" and the parade to select Miss Merry Christmas of 1940. This parade will present also the toyland parade of children and a number of young women who will compete for the honor of Miss Merry Christmas.

Several other special programs will be considered and after the entire program is adopted, committees will be named to look after each feature.

The series of programs is expected to get underway about November 29 and continue until after Christmas with the last feature on January 1, 1941.

Representatives of groups which held one-hour meetings this week will attend the breakfast Monday morning. It will start promptly at 7 a. m. and those in charge believe all the business can be concluded by 8 a. m.

## Armistice Programs Scheduled in City While World Wars

There will be a number of Armistice Day events next week and on November 11. The first of these will be a series of Armistice programs which will be presented by the Pat Williams post of the American Legion on Friday, November 8. The same program will be given at the junior high school at 10:30 Friday morning, at the senior high school at 11:30 and at the Lions Club meeting at noon.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary will conduct their annual poppy sale on the street Saturday. Girls will sell the small red flowers to everyone, asking all to wear them all day. The poppies have arrived and teams are being organized to sell the flowers at 8 a. m. Saturday.

At the football field Monday at 2 p. m. the American Legion will participate in a program with members of the national guard and high school organizations. Opening the ceremonies at the Ballinger-Coleman football game the Legion will present a new flagpole and flag at Bearcat Field. The rites will be concluded with Old Glory being run to the top of the pole as the band plays the national anthem. The kick-off will follow immediately.

Members of the American Legion will close the 1941 membership drive the day before Armistice and all old and new members will attend the annual breakfast at the Ballinger Country Club on the morning of November 11.

Several churches have signified intentions of holding special patriotic programs at the services on November 10 and other special programs are to be announced.

## Grand Jury Will Meet at 9 a. m. On November 11

The time of meeting for the Runnels county grand jury, fall term of 19th district court, on Monday, November 11, has been changed from 10 to 9 o'clock a. m. This one-hour earlier meeting was ordered because the date is Armistice Day and as soon as court convenes the jurors will be excused and officials of the court will take the day off.

The only other item of business to be transacted will be the selecting of a special venire for Monday, November 18, when the case of the State of Texas vs. R. H. Gambell is called for trial. All witnesses have been put under bond to appear here for the trial and both sides are expected to announce ready when the case is called.

Members of the grand jury will return here Tuesday, November 12, to begin investigations of cases to be submitted.

Petit jury venires will be called for the last three weeks of the term as needed and will be notified far enough in advance to be present.

## COUNTY'S COTTON GINNINGS TOTAL ABOUT 32,500 BALES

Cotton ginnings in Runnels county to Saturday were estimated at 32,500 bales and local cotton men believe about 2,500 bales more will be turned out by the end of the season.

Fields of unpicked cotton are widely scattered and many farmers have finished for this season. There are a few sections that still have considerable to gather and it is believed that the crop will not all be picked until about Christmas.

B. C. Kirk, Paul Kirk and Alexander McGregor witnessed the A. & M.-Baylor football game at Waco Saturday, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simpson, of Coleman, were here Sunday, visiting relatives and friends.

## National Guard Officers Attend Camp Conference

Every officer in the 142nd infantry regiment was in Brownwood Sunday for the conference called by the regimental commander. Besides the officers were a number of non-coms who have taken examinations for commissions and probably will receive them by mobilization date.

The officers visited the camp near Brownwood and received maps showing where each unit will be located. The Ballinger group, Captain A. R. Murchison, First Lieutenant James Parrish and Second Lieutenant Price Middleton, stated upon return that there was still much work to be done at the camp, but that the 4,000 workmen were making rapid progress and the buildings probably will be ready for occupancy about December 4.

Mobilization will go ahead on November 25 and all units will train in their home towns for several days prior to entraining for the camp. Captain Murchison said he was completing plans for holding the Ballinger company together day and night. Beds will be installed in the armory and an effort will be made to secure an additional building for some beds and a kitchen and mess hall.

Men will be under regular army routine while here and drilling will be done daily on a local drill ground to be selected.

While at Brownwood plans for the first 13 weeks at the camp were discussed and subjects assigned officers which they are to teach to other officers and non-coms who later will take the training of the men. Captain Murchison is preparing on seven subjects and will be ready to start classes when the men arrive at camp.

The officers reported hundreds of houses under construction outside the camp and said boom days at Brownwood must be seen to be understood.

## WILLIAMS APPOINTED ON STATE COMMITTEE

Supt. Nat. Williams has been appointed a member of the new state advisory board of the inter-scholastic league. The first meeting of the school men will be held at Austin Saturday morning and Mr. Williams will attend.

The board was created to assist league officials in handling affairs that are constantly coming up in which there are arguments. The members will be called to meet from time to time to consider proposed changes.

Mrs. Williams will accompany Mr. Williams to Austin as will Mr. and Mrs. George Stowe, and the four will witness the Texas University-Southern Methodist University football game in the afternoon.

## NAVY RECRUITER TO BE IN BALLINGER TUESDAY

A representative of the United States navy recruiting service will be at the postoffice in Ballinger Tuesday afternoon, November 5. He will interview men between the ages of 18 and 31 who are interested in enlisting in the navy.

Young men of this area are invited to investigate the splendid opportunities offered in the navy for education, travel and good pay.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Halley are attending grand chapter meeting of the O. E. S. at Mineral Wells this week.

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# Women's, Society and Club News

## Miss Pauline Morris and Russell Anderson Marry in Ft. Worth

Miss Pauline Morris and Russell Anderson of Elgin, Illinois, were married in Fort Worth Sunday evening at six o'clock in the home of the Rev. James P. McGraw, pastor of the Nazarene Church. The Rev. McGraw, who was formerly pastor of the Church of the Nazarene here and an intimate college friend of the groom's, read the impressive single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a frock of soldier blue alpaca made with side drapery which hung from the shoulder and trimmed with plaited braid of the self material. The only ornament was a gold pin at the plain neckline. Her small hat and bag were of navy and soldier blue and her gloves were gold. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morris and a graduate of the Ballinger High School. She attended Bethany-Peniel College at Bethany, Oklahoma, for two years and for the past year has been an employee of the AAA office here.

Mr. Anderson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Anderson, of Elgin. Following his graduation from high school there, he received his degree from Bethany-Peniel and returned to Elgin, where the couple will live following a two weeks' honeymoon in the Ozarks. He is owner of the coal and ice company there and manages a grocery.

## Shakespeare Club Hears Talk on Marlin Foundation

The Ballinger Shakespeare Club had as guests Junior Woman's Club members and club women from Winters and Paint Rock last Thursday afternoon in the City Hall auditorium.

Dr. H. E. Hipps from the Marlin Foundation for Crippled Children was scheduled as guest speaker. He was unable to come and Miss Ruby Laurance, hospital supervisor, and Mrs. Hipps came instead.

To illustrate Miss Laurance's comprehensive talk on the hospital plant and the work being done there, numerous moving pictures were shown. Patients under 21 years of age, who are unable to pay, receive free surgery and treatment. It is one of the thirty-five such institutions receiving state approval. Of especial interest to the club women, were pictures of the swimming pool given by the Federated Clubs of Texas. Only Texas children are treated.

Out-of-town visitors were: Mmes. W. G. Bedford and John Carlisle of the Winters Literary and Service Club, and Miss Pearl Currie, Mrs. Shultz Hartgrove and Mrs. Roy Currie of the Paint Rock Study Club.

Mrs. Edgar Boelsche, Shakespeare Club president, was mistress of ceremonies.

## Mrs. T. H. Crockett is Sewing Club Hostess

Mrs. T. H. Crockett was hostess to her sewing club last Thursday afternoon in her home on Fifth Street.

Yellow zinnias and jack-o-lanterns used to decorate rooms suggested the Halloween motif stressed in the salad plate served with coffee and in favors.

Included were: Mmes. Hugh Parrish, Lyle Currie, Paul Best, O. C. Sykes, Ruth Bankston, R. E. White, A. O. Bartlett, Weldon Howell, E. S. Cox, S. M. Jonas and Hubert Parrish.

## Luncheon for Ace of Clubs

A prettily appointed luncheon at the Cactus Coffee Shop, followed by contract games in her Sixth Street home, was the social courtesy extended Ace of Clubs members by Mrs. J. D. Forman on Thursday of last week.

A crystal basket of bronze daisy chrysanthemums centered the table and name cards attached to carsages of these same blooms marked places. The menu was served in three courses.

Giant bronze mums were placed about game rooms of her home and an attractive centerpiece of

## "Build-Up" Relief Explained to Women

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## Art Week



American Art week will be observed November 1 to 7. Miss Florence Green (above) is national director of the American Artists Professional League, which sponsors it.

autumn leaves and fruits with a large pumpkin was arranged for the dining room table. Tallies and score pad sets were in the jack-o-lantern theme.

Mrs. Billie Cordill was winner of high score prize and Mrs. Edward Sommer and Mrs. W. E. Moss of bingo awards. Others were: Mmes. Rothal O'Kelly, Royal Bishop, Roy Miller, E. C. Grindstaff, H. G. Agnew and Mike Wright.

## Mrs. Weeks Entertains Forty-Two Club

Mrs. M. B. Wardlaw was included by Mrs. John A. Weeks as the only added guest Friday afternoon when she entertained her forty-two club in her home on Eighth Street.

Lovely roses and orchid and yellow chrysanthemums were used about the entire living room suite and in small vases centered quarter tables at the tea hour when Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw assisted in serving a salad course with tea. The autumn season was suggested in all game accessories.

Others included: Mmes. E. C. Baskin, C. P. Shepherd, James Wear, Hamp Byler, E. L. Hagan, Elmer Shepperd, J. F. Currie, Ed O'Kelly, R. W. Bruce, H. W. Lynn, B. C. Kirk, and J. G. Douglass.

## Assemblies Home Missions Program for Church Auxiliary

Mrs. Warren Lynn, secretary of assemblies home missions of the First Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary, was leader for the program given Monday afternoon in the church parlors on Broadway.

Following the devotional by Mrs. E. W. Stasney, Mrs. C. R. Stephens, Mrs. M. E. Boggess and Mrs. W. B. Woody gave exemplary sketches of the lives and work done by home and foreign missionaries who received their religious training at the assemblies training school. Mrs. George Holman, Mrs. Stasney, Mrs. P. A. Cobden, Mrs. F. M. Pearce and Mrs. Estes Lynn gave facts about the school itself.

Mrs. Dwight Sharpe and Mrs. Warren Lynn were social hour hostesses. Others present were: Mmes. Chester Cherry, R. J. Persons, J. Y. Pearce, E. A. Trill, Alex McGregor, Harry Lynn, Tommie Hall, Paul Trimmier and Mike Wright.

## Music Club to Meet

The Ballinger Music Club will meet Tuesday evening, November 5, at seven-thirty o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. T. Williams on Broadway.

## "Nutty" Affair for Baptist Dorcas Class

In response to invitations received in nutshells, members of the Baptist Dorcas Class assembled Monday evening in the church basement on Eighth Street for a "gathering of nuts" dressed in "nutty attire."

Decorations for the large room were varied fall flowers together with symbols of the different seasons. Funny games and contests, all cleverly using the nut theme, self portraits in distorting mirrors, and a nut parade in which Mrs. Theo Bell was chosen queen and J. H. Endacott, king, gave hilarious entertainment before the refreshment hour when pecan pie was served with coffee.

Hostesses were: Mmes. E. C. Grindstaff, O. T. Toney, Ernest Moody, Myra Smith, E. F. Lawless, Malcolm Morgan, Carl Black, Endacott, Clyde Gabbert and Drury Hathaway.

Others present were: Messrs. and Mmes. J. G. Tuckey, Raleigh

Reese, Stanley Price, Frank Cameron, J. L. Byers, George Stowe, Ed Lenefeld, Bill Ueckert, C. E. Maedgen, J. A. Killough, Dick Ayres, Bell, and John Castor; Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Boelsche, Dr. and Mrs. Oren Chandler, Messrs. Grindstaff, Toney, Moody, Lawless, Malcolm Morgan, Black, Gabbert, and Hathaway; Mmes. Cam Blackmon, A. A. Wallace, Foy Davis and Albert Morgan, Miss Hodgkiss; Virginia Claire Smith, LaRita Price, Cynthia and Dian Tuckey, Arabella Toney, Jimmy Endacott, Everitt James Grindstaff and Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Morton.

## No-Hostess Luncheon for Sew Gay Pals

Sew Gay Pals enjoyed an all-day meeting last Friday in the

home of Mrs. Malcolm Morgan on Murrell Avenue.

Jack-o-lanterns and other symbols of the Halloween season were used about rooms while chrysanthemums in an orange bowl flanked by black tapers centered the dining table where Halloween cups containing orange and black candies and fortunes, marked places.

Sewing was done in the early afternoon hours and beano played for pal gifts. New officers elected were: Mrs. E. F. Lawless, president; Mrs. Stanley Price, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. G. R. Howell, reporter. Others present were: Mmes. Halley Gibson, Jack Bridwell, Albert Morgan, Clyde Gabbert, Frank Cameron and A. R. Davis.

## Wiener Roast for First Presbyterian Juniors

Mrs. George Holman and Mrs. Estes Lynn were assisted by Mrs. Jack McGregor Tuesday afternoon in entertaining First Presbyterian Juniors with the annual affair given at the Halloween season.

Wieners and marshmallows were roasted over an open fire in City Park following games.

Present were: Mary Catharine Sturges, Betty Anne Sharpe, Mary Brian Woody, Martha Saunders, Virginia Henniger, Billy Boggess, Troyce O'Neill, Joanne Glover, Virginia Baker and Gwen Morgan.

## Dr. and Mrs. Bailey Are Hosts

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Bailey were hosts to their contract club Tuesday evening in their home on

Fifth Street.

Vases of shaggy purple chrysanthemums were placed about spacious rooms where Mr. and Mrs. Ross Murchison were winners of high couple score prize.

Others included: Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Cheatham, Messrs. and Mmes. W. B. Woody, Robert Bruce, Jack Rudd, George Kirk, Arthur Giesecke and Alex McGregor.

## Mrs. Dewey Campbell Hostess To S. S. Class

Mrs. Dewey Campbell was hostess to her Sunday school class of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church and added guests in her home on Tenth Street Tuesday evening.

Halloween games were played in rooms decorated in the season's colors and multi-colored balloons.

Mrs. Bill Erwin and Mrs. Rufus

Allen assisted in serving sandwiches and doughnuts with hot chocolate to: John and Ruth McMinn, Loyd Bell, Margaret Routh, Elizabeth Tyson, Bobbie Jean Bell, Mary Martin, Mary Ann Allen, Billie Louise Blair, Willidene and Winfred Campbell.

## Additional society items on next page

W. R. Salyer has accepted a position with the Weeks Drug Store and will be in the prescription department. Mr. Salyer is a graduate of the University of Chicago and an experienced pharmacist.

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**Aspirin** St. Joseph 10c Size **5c**

**Brooms** Blue Handle, 4 String **15c**

**Plymouth Coffee** 2 lbs. **25c**

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Gebhardt's **Tamales** 2 Tall Cans **25c**

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Arm & Hammer **Soda** 2 for **15c**

Clabber Girl **Baking Powder** 25-oz. **19c**

**Apple Butter** White House Quart **15c**

**Angelus Marshmallows** • lb. **15c**

**Black Pepper** • • • lb Cello **10c**



Rise-N-Shine **Coffee** lb. **5c**



**3 rolls 25c**

**Tomatoes** Fresh lb. **5c**

White or Yellow **Onions** 2 lbs. **5c**

**Spuds** Colorado 10 lbs. **15c**



California Burbank **Spuds** 10 lbs. **19c**

New Mexico Winesap **Apples** doz. **15c** bu. **\$1.25**

**Carrots, Beets, Mustard Turnips and Tops** 3 bunches **10c**

Sandy-land **Yams** 10 lbs. **19c** bu. **90c**

216 Size Jonathan **Apples** 2 doz. **25c**

Plymouth Bacon is lean and flavorful, sliced daily in our stores. Grand eating and a bargain.



**25c** Pound

**Hams** Half or Whole • lb. **18c**

**Roast** Fancy Chuck • lb. **18c**

**Round Steak** lb. **25c**

**Pork Sausage** 2 lbs. **25c**

**Seven Steak** lb. **15c**

**Oysters** Fancy Select Pint **33c**





# Women's Society and Club News

## Bruchmiller-Dierschke Nuptials Held at Olfen

On Tuesday morning, October 15, at 8 a. m. Miss Irene Dierschke became the bride of Raymond Bruchmiller, of Goliad. Miss Dierschke is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Dierschke, of Olfen. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. A.

Boeckman, pastor of the Olfen parish, using the double-ring ceremony.

The bride entered on the arm of the groom. She wore a wedding gown of white slipper satin, fashioned with the new long torso effect and fitted sleeves. The wide skirt extended into an extremely long oval train. Her sweetheart yoke was fitted with lace. She wore a pearl and net coronet to which was gathered the long triple veil, edged with lace. She carried a bouquet of calla lilies and fern, caught with long satin streamers. She wore a gold locket, which her mother wore on her wedding day, and carried a 75-year-old handkerchief, belonging to her grandmother.

Her attendants were Miss Ruby Braden, niece of the bride, as maid of honor. She wore a gown of light open blue, made in gore style with a shirred bodice, and a sweetheart neckline. Miss Cora Wilde, cousin of the bride, was a bridesmaid. She wore a gown of rose moire taffeta, with full skirt and a jacket with shirred bodice. Miss Elvira Haas, cousin of the groom, was a bridesmaid. Her gown was of lavender taffeta made with full skirt and shirred bodice, with velvet ribbons scattered over the skirt. All carried colonial bouquets of colored carnations and fern.

The groom was attended by Monroe Dierschke, brother of the bride, as best man, and Norman Dierschke, cousin of the bride, as groomsmen. They wore dark suits and boutonnières of orange blossoms. The ring bearer was Andrew Lange, nephew of the bride. He carried the rings on a white heart shaped satin pillow. Roxie Crockett, niece of the bride, was flower girl. She wore an orchid gown of taffeta, and carried a basket of mixed flowers. Accompanying the bride to the Blessed Virgin altar after mass were Misses Norma Wilde and Elsie Hafernik, where she was presented with a statue of the Blessed Virgin.

Dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents to the following guests: the Rev. G. A. Boeckman, Henry Felderhoff, of Abilene; Peter Morsch of Littlefield; the families of G. H. Dierschke, Alex Horney of Goliad, W. H. Wilde, Walter Henkhaus of Frelsburg, Hugo Braden, Frank Lange, Otto Dierschke, Willie Dierschke, Earl Crockett, Frank Hohensee, all of Rowena; Mrs. Bill Clay and son of Floresville, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilde of Columbus, Paul Dierschke of Moulton, Walter

## Reunited



This scene was made when a Bulgarian soldier, entering a Rumanian province ceded to Bulgaria, was greeted by his sister, a peasant woman, whom he had not seen in 15 years.—International Soundphoto.

Dierschke of Ganado, Mrs. Alma Werner of Johnson City, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilde, August Lang, Sr., Adolph, Herbert, Edwin Fenton and Bennie Wilde, Roman Multer, Wilton Buegler, Norman Dierschke, Paul Mueller, Misses Elvira Haas of Goliad, Elvira Wilde of Frelsburg, Norma and Amanda Wilde, Cora Wilde, Bobbie Hafernik, and Helen Marie Mueller.

A dance was given in the Olfen community hall with music furnished by the Pelzel Brothers Orchestra.

The couple left on a wedding trip to parts unknown. The bride wore a wine velvet dress, with a three-quarter length fur coat and accessories.

The bride was a member of the Children of Mary Sodality, and of St. Monica Court No. 1262 of the Catholic Daughters.

**Hobo Party at Sharpe Home**  
Martha Sharpe, Pauline Witter, Mary Armstrong, Sheila Moreland, and Mary Ann Morgan were hostesses on Thursday evening of last week at a hobo scavenger hunt given at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Dwight A. Sharpe on Seventh Street.

Following the hunt, wieners and marshmallows were roasted over an open fire and games and contests gave happy entertainment. Winners were Dorothy Bruce, Donald Williams, Wilbur Redwine, Roscoe Dean and Mary Armstrong.

Others present were Patricia Richards, Peggy McGregor and Mildred Hill; Rothal O'Kelly, Jr., Jimmy Agnew, Eldon Moody, S. M. Jonas, Jr., Don McGregor and Harold Richards.

**Breakfast for Miss Flynt**  
Mrs. J. P. Flynt honored her daughter, Miss Janie Flynt, Saturday morning with a prettily appointed breakfast in her home on Fifth Street as a birthday anniversary celebration.

Japanese fireballs and autumn leaves were used to decorate rooms. The dining table was centered with the birthday cake iced in orange and decorated in black. Orange tapers burned in silver holders and marigold corsages tied in black ribbon were attached to name cards to mark places. Small wax pumpkins at each place were filled with orange and black mints. The three-course breakfast was served to the honoree and Mrs. Dan Woodroof, Mrs. Q. V. Miller, Jr., Misses Ruby Nance, Mildred Doherty and Evelyn Teague.

**Methodist W. S. C. S. Meets in Circles**

Mrs. Sam Behringer and Mrs. A. T. Campbell were hostesses to the Etta Burrows Circle of the Methodist Woman's Society for Christian Service Monday afternoon in their home on Tenth Street.

Chrysanthemums and autumn leaves graced rooms where Mrs. Troy Simpson gave the first lesson "Through the Prophets to Jesus" from the new Bible study "Jesus and Social Relations" after a short business session conducted by Mrs. O. R. O'Neill. A salad course was served with cake and coffee in the patriotic theme.

Ettie Gressett members were guests of Mrs. J. B. Striplin and Mrs. W. C. Redwine in the Striplin home on Sixth Street which was decorated with lavender and yellow chrysanthemums. Mrs. Jack Nixon, Sr., presided as chairman and gave the devotional, after which Mrs. O. R. Lasater gave the Bible lesson.

The Halloween motif was stressed at the refreshment hour

when sandwiches and cake were served with coffee.

Mrs. Bill Clark entertained the Sally Odom Circle in her Eleventh Street home. A profusion of blossoms was arranged about rooms where Mrs. Ray Tisdale gave the lesson and cake was served with coffee.

In the three groups a dish shower of iced tea glasses and cups was brought. Others in attendance were: Mmes. John Weeks, W. F. McKown, E. C. Baskin, J. W. E. Meaders, R. W. Earnshaw, John Barton, A. B. Legate, M. B. Webb, W. O. Middleton, W. R. Clark, Jr., E. C. Tinsley, D. R. Causey, Elmo Phillips, Henry Moody, A. B. Fields, Roy Miller, A. C. Haynes, E. L. Rampy, Hugh Campbell, A. G. Ellis, J. G. Douglass, B. F. Guin, W. S. Marchbanks, Hamp Byler, J. A. Reese, E. L. Hagan, Viola Allison, Ford Taylor, John Loveless, W. E. Midgley, R. A. Dickinson, M. L. Patterson of Winters; Misses Zadie Royalty, Alice Morgan and Thelma Midgley; Sandra Kay Miller and Mary Lou Fields.

**Gwen Williams is Six**  
Tuesday afternoon was a happy occasion for Gwen Williams, when her mother, Mrs. Nat Williams, gave a party for her, to celebrate her sixth birthday anniversary.

Halloween games were played in-doors and out. The season's emblems and colors were used to decorate the dining table where Mrs. George Stowe, Mrs. P. A. Cobden and Natalynne Williams assisted in serving sandwiches, candies and the green and white birthday cake with punch. Halloween horns were favors.

Children included were: Dian and Cynthia Tuckey, Mary Jo Forman, Barbara Elin Broyles, Betty Clements, Joan Holt, Eva Jo Flynt, Carol Cobden, Sally Bailey, Cyrena Stowe, Betty Jo Middleton, Lynn Sturges, Mary Lou Fields, Ann Stasney, Arabella Toney and Margaret Ann Hampton.

**Baptist Business Women's Circle Studies Stewardship**  
Mrs. O. T. Toney, chairman of the Baptist Business Women's Circle of the W. M. U., directed a program and gave an introductory talk on the general theme, "God's Unchanging Plan of Stewardship" for the regular monthly meeting

**Baptist Alatheans Meet in Park**  
New officers of the Baptist Alathean Class, Mmes. Robert Lowry, Henry Doss, O. A. Bartlett, Hugh Parrish, Bertha Hardin and Fred Holliday, were hostesses to the Baptist Alathean Class Tuesday evening in the nook in City

held in the church basement on Eighth Street Tuesday evening.

Other topics were "Unchanging Tithes" by Mrs. John Castor; "Motive of the Tithes" by Miss Marie Norwood; "Measure of the Tithes" by Miss Vhelma Parrish; "Message of the Tithes" by Mrs. Myrtle Mann; and "The Larger Stewardship" by Mrs. T. A. Rape.

Others present were: Mmes. L. Schermerhorn, Joe Moore, R. E. Truly, L. B. Rudder, Mollie Morgan, J. H. Endacott, and Miss Annie Shelbourne.

**Halloween Party for Methodist Intermediates**

The Methodist Intermediate League enjoyed a Halloween party Monday evening in the church basement on Tenth Street which had been elaborately decorated for the occasion.

Games of bingo, fortune telling and ghost stories gave diversion and doughnuts and punch were served to: Mrs. James E. Dankworth, Natlynn Williams, Betty Lovelace, Dorothy Bruce, Eloise Dankworth, Sheila Moreland, Pauline Witter, Mary Armstrong, Frances Williams, Betty Lou Morrison, Bobbie Jean Bell, Willdean Campbell, Bobbie Tunnell, Jimmy Agnew, John Weeks Earnshaw, Wilbur Redwine, Jr., Milton Dankworth and Donald Williams.

**Dinner for Aiden Thorp**  
Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams were hosts Wednesday evening in their Broadway home to compliment their daughter, Mrs. Aiden James Thorp and Mr. Thorp with an attractively appointed Mexican dinner.

The dining table laid in lace over red was centered with a circular candelabra arrangement holding six tall red tapers. On each side and extending to the ends of the long table were vividly colored peppers in colorful pots in graduated heights. Favors were hat ash trays of Mexican pottery and place cards from Mexico City were decorated with brilliant feathered birds. An all

red crystal service was used for the four-course Mexican menu.

Guests besides Mr. and Mrs. Thorp were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scales, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., Miss Chloe Bird, Miss Louise Batts, Mrs. John Hollingsworth, Wylie Stobaugh, Arthur Dooze, Jr., and Charles Thorp.

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**BETHEL BOYS' 4-H CLUB**

The regular meeting of the Bethel 4-H boys' club was held at the Bethel school Friday afternoon. Club record books and feeding projects were the subjects discussed by County Agent John A. Barton who met with the club. All boys were urged to complete their records and turn them in as soon as possible. Trips and prizes for the coming year were discussed and as boys turn in their books they were instructed to go to the county agent's office and receive their pins.

Mr. Barton gave much information regarding the feeding of lambs. The amount of grain and other feeds for a balanced ration were specified.

The meeting was attended by 18 boys and it was decided to elect new officers at the next meeting, to be held on November 29.

Reports from 34 states, covering new car registrations, total 211,613 units. This is a 44.14 per cent increase over the July, 1939, total of 146,807 new units.

In 1920 the first auto transcontinental mail was carried, which was the first and only mail ever to be carried across the continent by motor car.

Argentina has 275,000 automobiles, Cuba has 45,528, and Paraguay has 1,526.

The first republic of Spain existed from 1873 to 1875.

## TEMPESTS IN A CUP OF COFFEE

EVER since man first learned the joys of coffee, there have been other men ready to utter a solemn, "thou shalt not."

In the early days the prejudice was religious. Coffee was forbidden by the Koran on the grounds that it produced a stimulant likened to liquor intoxication.

Then it was shown that the action of coffee was in fact antagonistic to that of alcohol, and thus the serving of a once-forbidden beverage became almost a ritual in Moslem Arabia.

When coffee made its way into Europe, it was assailed as an infidel beverage, until pope Clement VIII tasted it and baptized it as a Christian drink, remarking that it was "so delicious that it would be a pity to let the infidels have exclusive use of it."

The next prohibition of coffee was political. Charles II of England attempted to suppress coffee houses on the ground that they were centers of political agitation.

Coffee was originally condemned by doctors because it was not in their pharmacopoeia and little was known about it.

Now that caffeine is in the pharmacopoeia, some people condemn coffee as a drug.

So the controversy has come down through the centuries. As events proved each successive wave of attackers wrong—a new wave inspired by something akin to religious zeal has arisen to confront lovers of coffee with a new set of prohibitions.

The recurring motive in all this seems to be that anything which gives so much pleasure must be sinful.

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Open Saturdays Until 12 o'clock.

**Value Specials**  
In Quality Food

Pecan Valley  
**Blackeyed Peas** Shelled and Snapped, Can 5c

Heinz'  
**Mustard** 7-oz. Jar 10c

Del Monte  
**Preserves** Apricot Plum 9½-oz. Can 10c

Wes-Tex  
**Syrup** Maple Flavor ½ Gallon 45c

**Cranberries** lb. 22c

Decker's Korn Kist  
**Bologna** 2 lbs. 25c

Brookfield  
**Patties** lb. 25c

**Roast Chuck Rib** lb. 15c

**Tunnell's Grocery**  
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**Pre-Holiday SALE OF SHOES**

Armistice, Thanksgiving, Christmas, three holidays in rapid succession are occasions when new shoes are needed. In this sale we place the beautiful 1940 Fall and Winter styles on sale at greatly reduced prices. Save money as you buy the best.

**SALE STARTS FRIDAY**

250 pairs nationally advertised. Regular \$3 to \$4. Paris Fashion Shoes **\$1.99** Pair

One rack of odds and ends. Values to \$5. **\$1.00** Pair

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| 1   | 152  | Robert Lee Campbell          | 170 | 584  | Wesley Ellis Shott           |
| 2   | 192  | Horace Edward Oglesbee       | 171 | 1163 | Lester Claud Lee             |
| 3   | 185  | Joe Fred Bulsterbaum         | 172 | 1411 | J. V. Smith                  |
| 4   | 186  | Robert Gustimer Wallace      | 173 | 309  | J. T. Ford, Jr.              |
| 5   | 120  | Karl Melvin Read             | 174 | 1765 | James George Tuckey          |
| 6   | 846  | Eugene John Halamicek        | 175 | 1152 | William Farrell Polk         |
| 7   | 161  | Joe B. Wilson                | 176 | 536  | Worth B. Fagan               |
| 8   | 14   | Dalton Lloyd Grissom         | 177 | 1252 | John Henry Hallford          |
| 9   | 57   | John Frederick Lee           | 178 | 1754 | Alford K. Bullard            |
| 10  | 153  | Harold Walter Benefield      | 179 | 1682 | Thomas Alfred Parrish        |
| 11  | 19   | Emmit Ervin Stuart           | 180 | 1611 | Walter Orville Lange         |
| 12  | 766  | Ira Erwin Durham             | 181 | 771  | Orville Isaac Phillips       |
| 13  | 172  | Robert Lee Hill              | 182 | 434  | John D. Eppress Waits        |
| 14  | 126  | Milburn Leon Kincaid         | 183 | 251  | Eldon Huse Gray              |
| 15  | 187  | Richard Lee Miles            | 184 | 1367 | Ike Paske                    |
| 16  | 1854 | Excell Segrest               | 185 | 1417 | Manuel Holguin               |
| 17  | 167  | Luther Curtis Williams       | 186 | 1960 | Carl Perry Cummings          |
| 18  | 1369 | Bonifacio Bustus             | 187 | 1902 | Walter Gerhart               |
| 19  | 142  | Willie George Thomason       | 188 | 2087 | Sylvestro Ruis Quirino       |
| 20  | 167  | Roscoe Ward Bartlett         | 189 | 659  | Clyde Wright                 |
| 21  | 1300 | Henry Edsel Treadway         | 190 | 1879 | William Bertram Pagels       |
| 22  | 1355 | Roy Edwin Young              | 191 | 698  | Joe E. Paxton                |
| 23  | 689  | Delbert Harvey Bursom        | 192 | 863  | Joe Marvin Traylor           |
| 24  | 1295 | Willis James Matthews        | 193 | 1089 | George Willford Barnett      |
| 25  | 1234 | Alfred Denton Bryan          | 194 | 1286 | Manuel Crona                 |
| 26  | 31   | Ray Clifton Cochran          | 195 | 417  | Lloyd Goats                  |
| 27  | 156  | Aureliano Hernandez          | 196 | 1916 | Lonnice Calvin Windham       |
| 28  | 676  | Elmo Robert Smith            | 197 | 893  | Lorenzo G. Trevino           |
| 29  | 112  | Richard Paul Sturm           | 198 | 55   | Leonard Maried Laxton        |
| 30  | 185  | Reginald Dennis Cotton       | 199 | 206  | Bayliss Gerald Fletcher      |
| 31  | 1362 | Truman Robert Chick          | 200 | 2049 | William Esterson Kelly       |
| 32  | 108  | William Alton Pumphrey       | 201 | 2064 | Rollin Lee Davis             |
| 33  | 109  | Ervin Wilford Little         | 202 | 1325 | Roy Clyde Dunn               |
| 34  | 1443 | Aubrey Lee Cox               | 203 | 317  | Chester Don Smith            |
| 35  | 184  | Ernest Raymond Coursey       | 204 | 2065 | William Harry Mason          |
| 36  | 114  | Cecil Nelson Patton          | 205 | 2082 | Arthur Lee Daniel            |
| 37  | 174  | Dayton Edward Wilson         | 206 | 1471 | Howard Bane Connelly         |
| 38  | 1801 | Frankie Eugene Berryman, Jr. | 207 | 1849 | Foy Douglass Davis           |
| 39  | 1904 | Ralph James Martin           | 208 | 683  | Glenn Wood Seals             |
| 40  | 125  | Elbert Glenn Brooks          | 209 | 100  | Otheila Percy Watkins        |
| 41  | 138  | Lawrence Ike                 | 210 | 262  | Edwin Otto Wanrock           |
| 42  | 1937 | Boyce Solomon Nichols        | 211 | 1189 | Carl Leon Baldwin            |
| 43  | 142  | Joseph William Powell        | 212 | 399  | Johnnie Harold Sansom        |
| 44  | 166  | J. Lee, Jr.                  | 213 | 217  | Horace D. Cleveland          |
| 45  | 1843 | Floyd Sylvester Wiginton     | 214 | 103  | Arthur Clements Wilde        |
| 46  | 135  | George Rufus Hill            | 215 | 220  | Elbert Woodridge             |
| 47  | 183  | James L. Patton, Jr.         | 216 | 1364 | Carlos Sam Freeman           |
| 48  | 148  | Forrest Bruno Pohler         | 217 | 561  | Herbert Lee Martin           |
| 49  | 1373 | John D. Forman               | 218 | 1133 | Kenneth Edward Kevill        |
| 50  | 198  | Albert Dunn                  | 219 | 753  | Carroll Talton Hardegre      |
| 51  | 139  | John Davibe Thornton         | 220 | 1946 | Oran Lee Huddleston          |
| 52  | 146  | Walter William Ulrich        | 221 | 1071 | E. W. Brookshier             |
| 53  | 685  | Walter Gerard Beimer         | 222 | 755  | Samuel Martin Makowsky       |
| 54  | 6    | Willis Cleo Evans            | 223 | 724  | Ted Monroe Smith             |
| 55  | 122  | Harold Edward Denton         | 224 | 694  | Gordon Otis Griggs           |
| 56  | 83   | Samuel Vinson                | 225 | 2149 | Elves Roger Vosburg          |
| 57  | 1368 | Clarence Sidney Blackwell    | 226 | 1863 | Ant. H. Esquivel             |
| 58  | 1905 | Alien Berl Badgett           | 227 | 1837 | D. W. Turner                 |
| 59  | 280  | Victor Patino Rodriguez      | 228 | 1456 | Edwin Douglass Bryan         |
| 60  | 169  | Daulton Smith                | 229 | 1371 | Chester Thurman Wood         |
| 61  | 1950 | Sam Paul Wood                | 230 | 1219 | Bob Pete Boothe              |
| 62  | 1398 | Alverice Frison              | 231 | 784  | Freddie Edward Smith         |
| 63  | 145  | William Calvin Schott        | 232 | 1449 | Charles Preston Clifton      |
| 64  | 9    | Robert Lee Parker            | 233 | 693  | Delma Ralph Davis            |
| 65  | 765  | Merion Allen Jackson         | 234 | 129  | William Fieldon Shields      |
| 66  | 121  | W. C. Smithwick, Jr.         | 235 | 279  | Hubert Anton Holub           |
| 67  | 625  | John J. Swatchsue            | 236 | 1195 | Forste Barton Dulaney        |
| 68  | 181  | Leon Stephens                | 237 | 1291 | Andez Leza                   |
| 69  | 1305 | Charles Wilson Humphries     | 238 | 157  | Manuel Hernandez             |
| 70  | 660  | William Edward Bennett       | 239 | 275  | Lee Otto Jost                |
| 71  | 702  | Manuel Nuase Mata            | 240 | 1956 | John Wallace King            |
| 72  | 86   | Elzie Otto Cox               | 241 | 270  | Clarence McNaley             |
| 73  | 114  | George Gus Lange             | 242 | 1454 | Ross West Talbott            |
| 74  | 136  | W. J. Richards               | 243 | 799  | J. D. Hodgkiss               |
| 75  | 820  | Raymond Dunn                 | 244 | 1377 | Joel Bross Nail              |
| 76  | 2041 | Curtiss Odell Caffey         | 245 | 1406 | William Davis Waide          |
| 77  | 228  | Clarence Joseph Lange        | 246 | 362  | Audra L. Mitchell            |
| 78  | 812  | Jim Bailey                   | 247 | 1043 | James Lee Johnson            |
| 79  | 231  | Travis Downing               | 248 | 1474 | James David Hart             |
| 80  | 2005 | Ollen Clarence New           | 249 | 1358 | David Finley Bryan           |
| 81  | 1421 | Desmond Dean Holder          | 250 | 1457 | Archie Milliron              |
| 82  | 203  | Joe Esquivel Curtez          | 251 | 245  | George Lee Wilson            |
| 83  | 196  | Lynn Carl Canady             | 252 | 1348 | Fred William Coffey          |
| 84  | 1803 | Ralph Derwood Dunn           | 253 | 2074 | Tranquillino Allambar        |
| 85  | 1918 | Francisco Gaitan             | 254 | 1153 | Adolph Joseph Wilde          |
| 86  | 21   | Davey Woodrow Crockett       | 255 | 1860 | Francisco Gomez Rodriguez    |
| 87  | 2037 | Royce John Hawk              | 256 | 1271 | Marion Clayton Bourland      |
| 88  | 165  | Terry James Hardy            | 257 | 804  | Johnny Allen                 |
| 89  | 768  | Robert D. King               | 258 | 713  | Thomas Wilburn Reynolds      |
| 90  | 747  | John Graham Gardner          | 259 | 177  | John Frank Hadiak            |
| 91  | 159  | Benito Gomez Castillo        | 260 | 1310 | Thomas L. Oimos              |
| 92  | 79   | Henry Rose                   | 261 | 200  | Loyd Esteen Hamilton         |
| 93  | 681  | Charles Walker Thorp         | 262 | 728  | Raymond Alford Hash          |
| 94  | 782  | Elmer Patent Gordon          | 263 | 721  | Wilburn Mortimer Batts       |
| 95  | 2008 | Elgin Willie Piel            | 264 | 900  | Earl Sterling Cox            |
| 96  | 1475 | Earnest Lafayette Holt       | 265 | 1322 | James Morrison Mitchell      |
| 97  | 1873 | Clarence Leroy Coals         | 266 | 1583 | Clara Lindie Eoff            |
| 98  | 673  | Rube Daniels                 | 267 | 227  | Max Bernard Miller           |
| 99  | 1930 | Odie Myrie Campbell          | 268 | 709  | John Oscar Athey             |
| 100 | 78   | Randell Henry                | 269 | 1063 | Wallace Samuel Watson        |
| 101 | 45   | Clyde J. Flanagan            | 270 | 474  | Willie Pokorny               |
| 102 | 1844 | Gustave Alois Frey           | 271 | 81   | Willie Thomas Moreland       |
| 103 | 1890 | Francisco Gomez Rodriguez    | 272 | 635  | Ralph Ray Marsh              |
| 104 | 25   | Alton Glideon                | 273 | 92   | Jerrel Daniel Baxter         |
| 105 | 809  | Alvin Elbert Palmertree      | 274 | 1381 | Spencer Asberry Davis        |
| 106 | 903  | Milton John Wood             | 275 | 1697 | Edward Vanhard Jacob         |
| 107 | 154  | Robert Joe Rutledge          | 276 | 1797 | Lawrence August Halimann     |
| 108 | 1428 | Halley B. Gibson             | 277 | 688  | Frank William Bood           |
| 109 | 77   | Theodore Borton Hodges       | 278 | 638  | Milton Robert Greenwood      |
| 110 | 160  | Andrew Jackson Seay          | 279 | 1556 | Marvin Charles Hanz          |
| 111 | 764  | Homer Thea Sharpes           | 280 | 949  | Terrell Edward Cook          |
| 112 | 666  | J. M. Dunn                   | 281 | 711  | G. C. Blackwood              |
| 113 | 140  | Emil John Havlak             | 282 | 2063 | Pat Brown                    |
| 114 | 210  | Roy Damon Eckert             | 283 | 47   | Johnnie Edmer Dunn           |
| 115 | 1431 | Senovio Luna                 | 284 | 2040 | Eugene Gerald Galbraith      |
| 116 | 67   | Richard Edward Coleman       | 285 | 1470 | Roger Lee Whitworth          |
| 117 | 107  | William Ben Featherstone     | 286 | 1420 | Otto Robert Turk             |
| 118 | 2059 | James David Treadway         | 287 | 44   | Loyd Vernon Byrd             |
| 119 | 180  | Earl B. Berry                | 288 | 1413 | Claudio B. Escobar           |
| 120 | 59   | James Douglass Barnett       | 289 | 2170 | V. T. Bane Thornton          |
| 121 | 2042 | Forfrio Guana                | 290 | 115  | James Edward Wallace         |
| 122 | 74   | Charlie John Kvapil          | 291 | 1021 | Shibley Lingo Bias           |
| 123 | 1925 | Cecil William Dixon          | 292 | 1940 | Delmar Emberek Liddell       |
| 124 | 246  | Oscar Quimton Grisham        | 293 | 164  | Walter Oscar Middleton       |
| 125 | 667  | William Benjam Davis, Jr.    | 294 | 1819 | Monroe Willson Boies         |
| 126 | 176  | Homer Cornelius Brown        | 295 | 1484 | Clayton E. Maedgen           |
| 127 | 781  | William Ladell McNutt        | 296 | 1091 | Elijah Summers               |
| 128 | 134  | Earnest Henry Haupt          | 297 | 1751 | Willis Wilbert Parker        |
| 129 | 124  | Elmer Taylor Patton          | 298 | 695  | Everett Walker               |
| 130 | 104  | Albert Louis Strakos         | 299 | 732  | Louis Thomas Johnson         |
| 131 | 1349 | Joyce William Crockett       | 300 | 822  | John Willie Chatman          |
| 132 | 370  | Wendell Thomas Carter        | 301 | 144  | T. Z. Hollis                 |
| 133 | 1375 | Wallace Murry Barnett        | 302 | 301  | George Odom                  |
| 134 | 225  | Arvis Hamilton Hill          | 303 | 1443 | Aubrey Lee Cox               |
| 135 | 842  | Don Bates Edmiston           | 304 | 1223 | Marvin Nixon Patterson       |
| 136 | 703  | Ernest R. Subiett            | 305 | 634  | Oscar Colquitt Pruser        |
| 137 | 656  | Raymond William Schwertner   | 306 | 1239 | John Burton Swanson          |
| 138 | 128  | Orcal Larnce Green           | 307 | 1931 | Russell Benton Jones         |
| 139 | 150  | James Dee Moore              | 308 | 1182 | Samuel Arthur Crockett       |
| 140 | 2058 | Aubrey Lee Kirkpatrick       | 309 | 957  | Henry Strach                 |
| 141 | 276  | Milton Floyd Henderson       | 310 | 1844 | Virgel Dayton Smith          |
| 142 | 716  | Walter Ronald Duncan         | 311 | 82   | Oral Thomas Toney            |
| 143 | 1015 | Joseph Redman Stubbiefield   | 312 | 305  | Rudolf Rineholt Bahlman      |
| 144 | 883  | Emmit Vernon Brooks          | 313 | 345  | Ernest Franklin Edwards      |
| 145 | 346  | Raymond Frank Halfmann       | 314 | 795  | George Raegen Howell         |
| 146 | 692  | Reynhold Richard Hoelscher   | 315 | 1097 | John Howard McDorman         |
| 147 | 341  | Stanley Wyatt                | 316 | 862  | Vance Carmen Tankersley      |
| 148 | 1998 | Terrell James Cox            | 317 | 825  | Bryan Clayton                |
| 149 | 1354 | Leroy Norman Seidel          | 318 | 261  | Peter Adams Lehnert          |
| 150 | 1000 | Abbie Curtice Dyess          | 319 | 23   | Earl Wylie Witt              |
| 151 | 1187 | Odell Earnest Clayton        | 320 | 1537 | Ben Andrew Odom              |
| 152 | 1890 | Howard Anthony King          | 321 | 1999 | Theron Aldridge Collins      |
| 153 | 1314 | Walter John Andrae           | 322 | 94   | Frank Elijah McCreedy, Jr.   |
| 154 | 412  | Howard Payne Smith           | 323 | 1606 | Lea Columbus Ray             |
| 155 | 436  | Donell Haygood Macaine       | 324 | 224  | Charles Elmore Wetsel        |
| 156 | 175  | James William Farmer         | 325 | 860  | Barnett Frank                |
| 157 | 1053 | Chester Larenz Lee           | 326 | 319  | Oscar Curtis Boswell, Jr.    |
| 158 | 904  | Bannick Pat Watts            | 327 | 1896 | Rubin Tomes Powell           |
| 159 | 226  | Henry Charles Bruehke        | 328 | 627  | Charles Adsur McSwain        |
| 160 | 1285 | Eugene Howard Crawford       | 329 | 1418 | Damacio R. Cortinas          |
| 161 | 1784 | Arthur Bladell Phillips      | 330 | 1389 | Florencio G. Saucedo         |
| 162 | 1084 | Monroe William Bailey        | 331 | 1820 | John Wilson Carlisle         |
| 163 | 1241 | Henry Roger Robinson         | 332 | 111  | Albert Jones                 |
| 164 | 806  | J. P. Toungrett, Jr.         | 333 | 155  | George Marvin Gray           |
| 165 | 282  | Ignacio Romero               | 334 | 1342 | L. Monroe Dodd               |
| 166 | 1613 | James Royston Willis, Jr.    | 335 | 2154 | Charles A. Smith             |
| 167 | 1116 | Jack Bonner Fry              | 336 | 845  | Edward Wordell Long          |
| 168 | 889  | Theibert Walter Moore        | 337 | 723  | Adolph Christian Minzenmayer |
| 169 | 8104 | Bussio Jacques               | 338 | 2155 | Curtis Earl Burk             |
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| 340 | 1907 | Roy Lee Malone          |
| 341 | 107  | Terry Alvis Dodd        |
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| 345 | 331  | Horace Lee Spear        |
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| 348 | 419  | Julius Caesar Pounds    |
| 349 | 776  | James D. Brice          |
| 350 | 1565 | Neal Reese              |
| 351 | 1328 | Russell Moore Burton    |
| 352 | 400  | Samuel Ramirez Valdez   |
| 353 | 1943 | Joe Melton Cline        |
| 354 | 1472 | Bunn Maxwell Jeffreys   |
| 355 | 1475 | Orville Bernest Rapier  |
| 356 | 1363 | Joseph Douglass Kelly   |
| 357 | 1460 | Edward Charles Kotrlak  |
| 358 | 733  | J. Norris Hinds         |
| 359 | 1542 | Woodrow F. Worthington  |
| 360 | 1034 | John Thomas Brown       |
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| 362 | 829  | Rudolph Leonard Gerngross  |
| 363 | 715  | Lee Roy Adams              |
| 364 | 675  | Louis Machann              |
| 365 | 2001 | Johnnie Bernard Wiesepape  |
| 366 | 1656 | William Luther Hampton     |
| 367 | 1345 | Albert Edbert Green        |
| 368 | 1238 | Margarito Sanhaes          |
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| 374 | 2011 | Tom Burkett Hall           |
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| 377 | 773  | Jose Mora Guevara          |
| 378 | 988  | William Taylor Sansom      |
| 379 | 1466 | Thomas Ely Laird           |
| 380 | 942  | Doyle Rupert Lee           |
| 381 | 749  | Grover Cleveland Ross      |
| 382 | 1415 | Daniel Torres Andrade      |
| 383 | 1957 | Matias Rodriguez           |
| 384 | 645  | Spencer Morton McKenzie    |
| 385 | 2135 | W. L. Bourn                |
| 386 | 794  | John Hall Curry            |
| 387 | 1972 | Wade Velma Carter          |
| 388 | 861  | Lester Warren Schultz      |
| 389 | 1867 | Albert Bletter Sadduth     |
| 390 | 674  | Jack Mays Douglas          |
| 391 | 1312 | Jerry Henry Baca           |
| 392 | 1917 | Louis Ben Lenz             |
| 393 | 1301 | Walter Andrew Hoelscher    |
| 394 | 2016 | Ernest Ezell Hall          |
| 395 | 757  | Herbert Otto Henkhaus      |
| 396 | 1008 | Wenceslao Macias Gaitan    |
| 397 | 894  | Trinidad Gomez             |
| 398 | 1255 | Troy Moreland              |
| 399 | 106  | Fred Edward Spreen         |
| 400 | 2075 | Gerald Lynn Proctor        |
| 401 | 1122 | Edward Noel Williams       |
| 402 | 3    | Joel Scott Fletcher        |
| 403 | 1302 | Thomas Davis Wendham       |
| 404 | 1969 | Earl Joe Baker             |
| 405 | 997  | Joseph Frank Anderle       |
| 406 | 1233 | Santos Rodriguez           |
| 407 | 2036 | Alfred Ralph Koenig        |
| 408 | 1115 | Willie Higginbotham Sparks |
| 409 | 1933 | Willie Fred Turk           |
| 410 | 218  | Eugene Pavlicek            |
| 411 | 355  | Emil Phillips Kvasnicka    |
| 412 | 12   | Horace Eugene Traylor      |
| 413 | 1320 | James Marvin Williams      |
| 414 | 1808 | Robert Lee Wesley          |
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| 416 | 2078 | Frank Fayett Matthews      |
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**CHURCHES**

**First Baptist Church**  
(400 Eighth Street)

Sunday, November 3:  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., E. C. Grindstaff, superintendent.

11 a. m., public worship and sermon by the pastor, "The Man in Ecclesiastes Twelve."

Royal Ambassador chapter, 1:30 p. m.

Baptist Training Union, 6 p. m., Miss Janie Flynn, director.

At 7 p. m. the pastor will preach on "The Second Coming of Christ, the Great Tribulation and the Battle of Armageddon."

ACTIVITIES OF THE WEEK:  
Monday:

2:30 p. m., Sunbeam Band

4 p. m., the Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the church.

Tuesday:

4 p. m., Junior G. A.

5 p. m., Intermediate G. A.

7 p. m., deacons' meeting

Wednesday:

Workers' meeting at Bianton.

Night—Sunday school council, prayer meeting and choir rehearsal.

The public is cordially invited to worship with us.

CLARENCE A. MORTON, Pastor

**First Methodist Church**  
(Tenth Street)

Come, worship God!

Sunday, November 3, 1940:

9:45 a. m., church school, Sam Behringer, superintendent. Bring the family to Sunday school.

11:00 a. m., morning worship. Every person who really tries to live should hear this sermon, "Making Dark Shadows White Shadows."

6:30 p. m., Leagues—Juniors, Intermediates and Young People.

7:30 p. m., evening worship. Every person should be careful concerning their influence. Don't miss this sermon, "The Shadow of Our Influence."

Monday:

4:00 p. m., The Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Wednesday:

7:30 p. m., Church Night.

8:00 p. m., choir practice.

Come, worship with God.

AUBREY C. HAYNES, Pastor

**First Presbyterian Church**  
(301 Broadway)

Sunday, November 3, 1940:

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.

Sermon, "Our Father's Faith and Ours." (The story of the Reformation continued.)

Evening worship, 7:00 p. m. (Note change of hour from 7:30 to 7:00.) Sermon, "Sin Enters Human Life," (series on great chapters of the Bible).

Monday:

4 p. m., Ladies' Bible class.

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet at 4:00 p. m.

Mid-week service at 7:30 p. m.

DWIGHT A. SHARPE, Pastor

**First Christian Church**  
(Broadway and Murrell)

MORNING WORSHIP, 10:45 o'clock.

Organ prelude, 10:35.

Communion with Christ.

Minister's message.

EVENING PRAYER: 6:15 o'clock.

Organ recital, Miss Iola Clayton.

Violin solo, Mrs. Leland Croft.

Minister's meditation.

Benediction, 7:00 o'clock.

WM. MACK WEAVER, Minister.

**Eighth Street Presbyterian Church**

Sunday, November 3, 1940:

Church school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Young People's Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.

Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock

Monday:

Auxiliary, 4 p. m.

Wednesday:

Mid-week service, 7:30 p. m.

FRED CLARK, Pastor

**Church of the Nazarene**  
(Ninth at Harris)

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 o'clock.

Young People's Society, 6:30 p. m.

Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock

Wednesday:

Mid-week prayer service, 8 p. m.

Thursday:

Woman's Missionary Society, 3 p. m.

H. H. SPENCER, Pastor

**Foursquare Gospel Church**  
(104 North Twelfth Street)

Sunday:

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.

Classes for all. Be sure and go to Sunday school.

11:00 a. m.—morning worship.

7:30 p. m.—evangelistic service.

Monday:

7:45 p. m.—Fellowship meeting.

Tuesday:

7:30 p. m.—Bible study and prayer service.

Thursday:

7:45 p. m.—Crusader service. A young people's meeting conducted by young people.

G. F. MCKEAN, Pastor

**Church of Christ**  
(Eighth Street, Bonsall Avenue)

Sunday:

9:45 to 10:45 a. m., Bible lessons.

11 to 11:45 a. m., morning sermon, "A Workman That Needeth Not to be Ashamed."

6:45 p. m., young people's service.

7:00 p. m., evening service.

Sermon, "The Model Church."

Monday:

4 p. m., Ladies' Bible class.

7:30 p. m., prayer meeting.

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L. H. OUSLEY, Minister  
1212 Eighth Street.

**Grace Baptist Church**  
(Eighth Street)

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning service, 11 o'clock.

Evening service, 7:45 o'clock.

Wednesday evening prayer service, 7:45 o'clock.

JOE HULL, Pastor

**Church of God**  
(Corner of Sixth and Strong)

Sunday school, 10 a. m.

General service, 11 a. m.

Junior meeting at 5 p. m.

Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.

Service, 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7 p. m.

**MANY FARM FAMILIES  
PLANNING TO MOVE**

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 30.—

Soon thousands of Texas tenants will be on the move and thousands of Texas landlords will be selecting new tenants for 1941.

Four out of ten Texas tenants and sharecroppers will move this year.

At least part of the blame for this situation can be placed on the forms of leasing or rental agreements in use in Texas, almost all of which have four common faults: failure to put the terms of the lease on paper; short—usually one-year leases; heavy emphasis on cash crop farming; and failure to encourage improvement of the farm.

The need for introducing or adding cattle, sheep and swine on tenant farms, the necessity for soil conservation and soil improvement measures in most sections of the state, and the need for crop rotation extending over a period of years all make it imperative that the turnover in tenants be slowed down.

That is the way Tyrus R. Timm,

extension economist in farm management, sums up the situation in announcing that the U. S. department of agriculture and the Texas A. & M. extension service have worked together to prepare five lease forms calculated to meet almost all situations.

Copies of the agreements can be secured free from county agricultural agents, he said.

The forms include a standard flexible farm lease, a flexible share lease, flexible sharecropping agreement, and supplements to the share and sharecropping agreements.

"We realize, of course, that these lease forms are not in themselves the solution to the tenant problems as a whole or to individual problems between landlords and tenants, but they are instruments through which these problems can be approached in a definite and concrete way," Mr. Timm pointed out.

**ARGENTINA'S SUGAR CROP  
BECOMES BIG PROBLEM**

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 30.—Piled up surpluses of sugar and a heavy new harvest are menacing the economic well-being of Tucuman, Argentina's "garden of the republic." In this region Argentina produces yearly far more sugar than it requires for the average annual consumption of 400,000 tons. Last year's production was 531,000 tons.

Sugar men of Tucuman pay the world's only minimum wage for sugar workers, and consequently production costs are high. To meet their problem they must increase local consumption, compete in export markets and curtail future production. A big fall in prices would be ruinous, it is stated in Tucuman, the capital city.

Approximately 680,000 employees, including direct labor and supervisory forces, would be necessary to produce 50,000 military planes yearly.

Male members of the Ainu race, of northern Japan, have heavy natural mustaches and make use of fancy mustache sticks at meal-time to prevent chewing them.

Bullets of stone were used in 1514. Iron ones were used in

**SOCIETY and CLUBS**

**Mrs. Archie is Honoree**

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Archie were honored Monday evening with a surprise gift shower in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bell in West Ballinger with Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Clyde Flanagan, Mrs. L. B. Greenwood and Mrs. Owen Massey hostesses. The June 29 marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Archie has recently been announced. Mrs. Archie was Miss Lou Nell Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Jones.

Yellow chrysanthemums were used to decorate rooms where the Halloween motif was used in accessories for games of forty-two, in the appointments for the lace-laid punch table and in the presentation of the shower by "ghosts."

Others were Messrs. and Mmes. Andy Spreen, Herman Lange, Rankin Jones, Wallace Barnett, A. J. Archie, Early Jones, H. L. Archie, C. W. Jennings, Wesley Reese, E. E. Woodson, Dee Currie of Miles, Willie Stephens, P. A. Pullin, Albert Spreen, W. A. Archie, E. C. Schott, Raleigh Reese, Ernest Moody, Paul Pullin, Robert Lange, Spencer Davis; Mmes. W. C. Jones, Don Jackson, Milton Greenwood, M. J. Winans, Lynn Stokes, Ella Garrett, Tom Moreland; Misses Loretta Garrett, Pauline Simpson, Louise Fowler, LeNora Flanagan, Messrs. Massey, Flanagan, Fred Spreen, Greenwood, Troy and Lloyd Moreland.

**Halloween Party for Senior Training Union**

Mrs. Clarence Morton, sponsor of the Senior Baptist Training Union, entertained the group with a Halloween party Tuesday evening in the church basement.

Decorations were carried out in orange and black with jack-o-

lanterns stressing the holiday motif. The program consisted of games, stunts and contests.

Refreshments of hot chocolate, cookies and candies were served to: Misses Allene Rudder, Tommye Mansell, Maidie Rose Rubin, Creola Henderson, Jeanne Endacott, Odena Parrish, Ruby Nance, Winnie Merle Adair, Sybil Kenley, and Eugene Golden, Quentin White, Melvin Witter, L. J. Byers and Robert Lowry.

**Sponsors Entertain Royal Ambassadors**

The Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist Church were entertained Monday evening by their teachers and sponsors with a hike and a wiener roast.

The group met at the church and hiked to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moody where they roasted wieners over a bonfire and toasted marshmallows. Songs were sung around the campfire and games and contests were diversions with a prize going to Wilson Garner.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Moody, Misses Creola Henderson and Tommye Mansell; Bobby and Eldon Moody, Carl Black, Jr., Bill Heavenhill, Bobby Bartlett, Bobby Clements, Everett James Grindstaff, Billy Hirschfeld, Wilson Garner, David Clements, Junior Henderson, Cleo and Winston Burk, Don Hirschfeld, Dix Caskey, and Robert Earl Morgan.

**Misses Davis and McMillan Entertain**

Miss Media Pearl Davis and Miss Willie Mae McMillan were hostesses to a group of friends Wednesday evening in the Mc-

Millan home in South Ballinger.

Chrysanthemums, pumpkins, autumn leaves, and other decorations carried out the Halloween theme in room decorations and the refreshment plate.

Mrs. Henry Leach and Barney Hensley were winners of high score awards in forty-two.

Others included were: Messrs. and Mmes. Harold Routh, Milton Greenwood, Wesley Hamilton, George McMillan; Mrs. C. D. Harris; Misses Marie Roe, Jane Routh, Gladys Davis, Ena Talbot, Gladys Fry, Thelma Hamilton; Messrs. Henry Leach, Ira Fagle, Morris Stokes, Horace Davis, Doyle Archie, Buddy Davis, Troy Moreland, Buddy Pullin, Shelton and Mitchell Leach.

**BOSWELL ATTENDS TWO-DAY STUDY AT COLLEGE STATION**

Ruel Boswell returned Wednesday night from College Station where he attended a meeting of creamery managers and owners for a two-day course in cream grading. A complete study was made on the care of cream as required by state and federal laws.

Mr. Boswell states that the state and federal laws governing the quality of cream stress that cream products in Texas be brought to a higher standard in order to raise the quality of Texas creamery butter.

Mrs. Arthur Giesecke returned Monday from Cuero, where she had been at the bedside of her father. She reports him improved and recovering from recent illness.

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### 'Brigham Young, Frontiersman' Contains Many Exciting Scenes

In most motion pictures the plot is keyed to build up to one tremendous climax. Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Brigham Young, Frontiersman," by Louis Bromfield, which is to be shown at the Texas Theatre beginning Saturday midnight, has many spectacular sequences, any one of which would make a thrilling climax for most pictures. This attraction is also billed at the Texas Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 3, 4 and 5.

"Brigham Young, Frontiersman," which has been called the great American motion picture, is the story of the historic Mormon trek westward. Tyrone Power is starred in the picture which features Lida Darnell in the leading feminine role, and Dean Jagger as Brigham Young.

The size and scope of "Brigham Young, Frontiersman," can be judged by the epic scenes it contains. Among them are:

The crossing of the Mississippi in the dead of winter by thousands of Mormons fleeing before guns.

The massacre at Nauvoo, Illinois, when masked raiders pillaged the city and struck down defenseless hundreds.

This historic trek of 20,000 people across endless miles of wasteland.

The plague of millions of crickets during the first year at Great Salt Lake, and the miracle of the sea gulls which arrived in time to devour the insects and rid the Mormons of their pestilence.

Featured in Darryl Zanuck's colorful production are Brian Donlevy, Jane Darwell, John Carradine, Mary Astor, Vincent Price, Jean Rogers and Ann Todd.

Lum and Abner Comedy-Drama and "Blondie" Comedy Tomorrow "Dreaming Out Loud," comedy-drama featuring Lum and Abner.

"Blondie Has Servant Trouble," a comedy, are the full-length features at the Texas tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday. Several shorts are on the same bill.

How a small town doctor, portrayed by Frank Craven, sacrifices his health and ultimately his life for his neighbors despite every effort of his two best friends, Lum and Abner, provides a dramatic background for "Dreaming Out Loud," an RKO Radio release.

Lum and Abner in their first screen appearance, provide an understanding and sharply etched performance in this story of life and love and happiness in Pine Ridge, America's typical small town. "Dreaming Out Loud" also features Frances Langford, Frank Craven, Bobs Watson and Phil Harris.

"Blondie Has Servant Trouble," latest of the Columbia characterizations of Chic Young's famous comic strip, has the original cast intact. Arthur Lake is again the harassed Dagwood, Penny Singleton is his pretty wife, Larry Simms, their talkative Baby Dumping, and Daisy, the ever-wistful pooch. Others in the cast are Jonathan Hale and Raymond Turner.

#### LIONS CLUB GETS CASH IN MARQUIS SHOW HERE

A large audience witnessed the show at the high school auditorium Wednesday night by Marquis, the magician. The performance was sponsored in Ballinger by the Lions Club, which received a tidy sum for its part of the proceeds.

The auditorium was practically filled and those attending were entertained in more than an hour of baffling magic with a series of new features never presented here before.

#### DISTRICT RURAL MAIL CARRIERS MEET AT PARK

Rural mail carriers and their families of this district, which comprises Winters, San Angelo, Eden, Wingate, Miles and Ballinger, met at city park here Saturday evening for a picnic supper and business meeting.

Carriers and their families present were: T. L. Colwell, J. E. Hill, San Angelo; W. L. Underwood, Winters; R. E. LaFevre, Eden; B. L. West, Wingate; W. H. Willman, Miles; A. B. Legate and Ross Smith, Ballinger.

### Mass Pilot Training Starts



Rapid expansion of the U. S. air corps begins November 1. Every five weeks 1,292 reserve fliers will be trained, until 50,000 pilots are turned out. Above, left, are neophyte fliers marching at Randolph field, Texas. Left, navy planes, and right, army planes. Chief of the army air corps, Brig. Gen. Henry H. Arnold, is shown in lower right.



#### HERRING

Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Everyone is invited to attend.

This community received the news Tuesday of the death in Coleman of Mr. Wisener. Mrs. Wisener was Miss Bessie Poe before her marriage and has many friends in this community who sympathize with her in her sorrow. May God's richest blessings abide with her and sustain her in her grief.

Arthur Kerby visited his wife and mother at Cisco Sunday and reported both of them improving and thought they would soon be able to return home.

Miss Maree White, of this community, a and Nute Baines, of Goldsboro, surprised their friends Saturday evening by motoring to Winters, where they were married in the home of Rev. Hamor Macee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White and has lived many years in this community and has many friends who wish her much happiness in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Avent, Mrs. Arnold Watkins and daughter, of Talpa, spent the week-end in Ranger, visiting Mrs. Avant's sister, Mrs. Emma Stovall, and family.

Lawton Brevard, of Goldsmith, spent the week-end with home folks.

Jack Whitley and family, of Royalty, visited over the week-end in the Reuben Whitley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Bales, of Winters, Misses Doris King and Alta Mae Schwartz, of Crews, visited in the J. Rosford home Sunday evening.

Miss Billie Jean White, of Valera, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White, Sunday.

Arthur Fuller and family visited in the Marshall Belcher home Sunday.

Shower for Mrs. Elgin Handy Mrs. W. L. White was hostess at

a bridal shower for Mrs. Elgin Handy, formerly Miss Willen Bragg, Tuesday afternoon at her home. Halloween decorations were carried out.

Mrs. Nute Baines and Miss Louise Stevens invited guests in and Miss Dorothy Rosford presided over the bride's book.

The bride was placed in a Halloween decorated chair by the wishing well.

The gifts were drawn from the well by Miss Dorothy Rosford and handed to the maid of honor, Miss Billye White, and were then given to Mrs. Handy.

Cocoa and Halloween cookies were served to the following: the bride, Mrs. Ray Mullenax, Mrs. Jimmie Handy, Mrs. Joe Bragg, Mrs. Nute Baines, Mrs. J. Rosford, Mrs. Herman Davis, Mrs. Marvin Hale, Mrs. Ira Klutts, Mrs. Thelbert Hudgins, Mrs. Will Hale, Mrs. W. L. Alcorn, Mrs. J. H. Handy, Mrs. Owen Bragg, Mrs. A. Stovall, Mrs. J. P. Brevard, Mrs. J. Morrison, Mrs. Arthur Fuller, Mrs. L. A. Faubion, Mrs. Buford Goode, Mrs. J. R. White, Mrs. Jack Fuller, Mrs. J. J. Fuller, Mrs. Welby Fuller, Mrs. Sam Faubion, the hostess, and Misses Dorothy Rosford, Billye White and Louise Stevens.

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Miss Frances Smith, of Junction, and Miss Ruth Smith, of Sylvester, spent the past week-end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Smith.

Miss Emma Sue Guthrie, of Roby, and Wayland James, Lennox Norton and Walter Wood, of Abilene, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Harber, of Abilene, spent the week-end here with relatives and friends.

There were 30 senators in the first congress of the United States.

### Gable, Tracy, Colbert, Lamarr In Spectacular 'Boom Town'

#### NORTON SCHOOL NEWS

By LaVerne Allen

#### Chapel

Miss Eunice Lilly and Miss Ruth Morgan directed the chapel program Friday morning, using their first, second and third grade students.

A group of rhythm band members dressed in Halloween costumes gave "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star." With the entire group playing, the band played "Homer's Waltz."

Nannie Mae Crockett played a piano solo entitled "Redberry Waltz." Neida Faye Lee and Mozelle Martin gave a piano duet entitled "Chop Sticks." These three are music pupils of Miss Eva Lilly. At the piano for all other accompaniments was Imogene Fagan.

A play, entitled "The Witches Dance," was presented by a group of students of the first, second and third grades.

#### Eagles Win First Conference Game

The Eagles won their first conference game Friday, October 25, defeating the Merton Hornets 20 to 13. Ben Taylor, Jr., sustained an injured arm, and Neil Stewart sustained an injured leg. We are proud of the Eagles and hope that they continue to maintain the ambition to win. Their next game is with the Wingate Pirates, Friday, November 1, at Wingate.

#### ELECTRICITY IS WORKING IN TEXAS COTTON FIELDS

AUSTIN, Oct. 30.—Texas farmers, do you know nature's underground electricity is working on your cotton crop?

Well, it is—and a University of Texas engineer is measuring its force and effect on crops.

With a year's field work in and around Austin behind him, R. W. Warner, university professor of electrical engineering, reports that he has successfully recorded the flow of earth currents with potentials up to five milli-volts—about two-hundredth of a volt.

Knowing potentials between two given points is one thing, gauging the actual current flow another, Warner points out. He can't hook up an ammeter, the gadget he'd employ to measure flow along a wire—for underground electricity may dart along any one of countless sub-surface paths.

He conceded that the current he pursues into a practically uncharted field at time may be no more than the tiny potentials already known to exist, while at other times may amount to a considerable flow.

That flow, the university engineer points out, may exert an important effect on the growth of vegetation and, what's more important, crops.

He pictured the possibility some day, for example, of electrical shot-in-the-arm, well placed in an ailing cotton field to kill bacteria on the roots of the plant.

Working under grant from the university research institute, Mr. Warner is currently concerned with the influence sunlight may have on the direction and intensity of sub-surface currents as well as the variance in current intensity in different locations around Austin.

Sam Wellhausen spent the week-end here, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wellhausen, before going to Abilene to accept a position with Walker-Smith Co.

Replete with such spectacular action scenes as a blazing Texas oil well being whiffed out by a blast of TNT, oil gushers roaring in to shoot derricks high into the air, a dive into a sea of mud to escape whizzing bullets, fist fights extending from a frontier saloon to a swanky Manhattan office, and other thrills of the oil fields, "Boom Town" opens tomorrow (Friday) at the Ritz Theatre for a five-day engagement, November 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

Overshadowing even the intense fast action of the story is the stellar cast which comprises Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, Claudette Colbert and Hedy Lamarr as stars, supported by Frank Morgan, Lionel Atwill, Chill Wills, Marion Martin, Minna Gombell, five-year-old Casey Johnson and Baby Quantanilla, who made a sensational debut in "Forty Little Mothers."

The picture was ten weeks in production and location scenes were made in more than thirty sites, including the Burk Burnett field, to record all of the thrilling drama of men who seek fortunes in oil and of the women who love

these two-fisted men. It was directed by Jack Conway, noted for his action pictures.

"Boom Town" covers the entire field of the fabulous oil fields while following the story of two men who meet in a rough boom town and form a partnership. They remain friends through adversity, even when one marries the sweetheart of the other. They split when the husband apparently is untrue to the wife, but are reunited years later when both men bury the hatchet at a time when both are wealthy from oil. Then a siren enters the story to snatch the husband from his wife and the friend resorts to one of the most poignant schemes in screen drama to break up this affair and send the husband back to his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner, Mr. and Mrs. E. Shepperd and Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Boelsche attended the inter-city Rotary meeting at San Angelo Saturday night.

Miss Virginia Lamb visited in Rule the past week-end.

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### Building Laborers Riot in St. Louis

One man was killed and at least 30 men were injured in a labor battle when non-union construction workers stormed an American Federation of Labor picket line in Yelda Village Hills, a subdivision of St. Louis. This photograph shows some of the rioters in the act of stoning the automobiles which were in the vicinity, during the battle.

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Produced by SAM ZIMBALIST



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Tuesday the people of the United States will go to the polls in the general election to name a leader for the country. Those who guide the affairs of this nation will be elected in the good old democratic way. There can be no criticism of those who go and vote but the man or woman who remains away from the polls and then talks is not using his franchise correctly. Have a part in the selection of those who must guide America through these perilous times.

Ballinger will soon have a free library. Those in charge of the work are making splendid progress and the proceeds from the carnival Saturday will complete most of the necessary work to be done before the library can open. The next event will be an open house and book shower and many volumes are expected to be donated at this program. Women are rebinding a number of books on hand, getting the shelves in order, and only a small amount of work is needed on the building before the formal opening.

Another nation has been drawn into the great European war and others are threatened. Those not actually at war have been affected, too, many of their rights having been taken away, and they may soon be drawn in. America comes to the 22nd celebration of Armistice Day still enjoying peace and this year especially it should be a great occasion for every citizen of this nation. It is true that the observance has been neglected in recent years but on November 11, 1940, every American should think of what the United States still offers its people and be thankful for this great democracy. Defend America should be the theme for every Armistice Day program and all citizens should join in making the good old U. S. A. able to protect our liberty and freedom against the world.

Forty-four per cent of the home demonstration club women in the United States belong to four or more organizations besides their local home demonstration clubs.

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Eva Anderson, conductor of the Long Beach women's symphony orchestra, largest all-woman orchestra in the world, is shown leading 45 violins in rehearsal for the orchestra's fifteenth anniversary concert. Sponsored by the Long Beach recreation commission, the orchestra is one of the only two such tax-supported organizations in the world. It has 129 members with an average age of 21. Instruments are valued at \$27,500.



WEST TEXAS  
NOTES

Stephenville football fans operated a special train to Brady Saturday to follow the John Tarleton College Plowboys for their annual game with the Schreiner Institute eleven. In addition to a large number of students, many adults rode the special. The Tarleton band led the parade when the train arrived at Brady.

The Walco Construction Co. was the successful bidder on construction of 278 miles of rural electrification lines out of Brady through the northwest portion of McCulloch county and parts of adjacent counties. The low bid for the complete job was a little less than \$142,000. Work will be started in a short time. Practically all citizens living along the surveyed lines have signed up for service.

Peanut growers in Comanche county have marketed 5,500,000 pounds of goobers already this year. Monday of last week a total of \$17,000 was paid for peanuts in one day and the city bids to again be the largest peanut market in the world. No. 1 nuts are selling for around 96 cents a bushel and the crop is grading high this season.

Rev. C. A. Ridge, Methodist minister at Fort Stockton, has been returned to the church there for the seventh straight year. He sets a record in the New Mexico conference for the length of time a minister has remained on a charge. During the past year the church gained substantially in membership and had a fine record to take to conference.

The state highway commission has let a contract to pave high-

way 151 from the city limits of Menard to the Kimble county line. The low bid was \$183,856, and work will be started at once. The commission also will let a contract in the near future for work on the Menard-Mason highway.

Young men of Sweetwater held a mass meeting last week and launched plans to organize a junior chamber of commerce. The meeting was attended by a large number who took membership in the chamber. Officers of the Board of City Development are assisting the young men in forming the organization.

The Paint Rock Parent-Teacher Association was host Saturday to P-T A. delegations from McCulloch, Tom Green and Concho counties. An all-day program had been arranged with luncheon served by the Paint Rock group at noon. The afternoon program was a school of instruction for incoming officers.

A unit of the Texas defense guard, better known as "home guards," has been organized at Winters. Officers have been elected and the enlistment was effected last week to apply to the adjutant general's department for a permit.

The Kerrville Junior Chamber of Commerce last Thursday held "bosses night" and each member had his "boss" as his guest for the evening. This civic group is doing some fine work and has led in a number of projects for the betterment of Kerrville.

The Melvin Parent-Teacher Association sponsored an all-day Hal-

lowe'en carnival last Saturday using the new gymnasium for the location of booths and shows. More than 25 features were included in the program which was climaxed with the crowning of the Halloween queen.

The 60th anniversary of the Cisco Methodist church was celebrated October 20. Many former members attended some of the home-coming programs. During the life of the church it has been in six districts and under a number of presiding elders.

Preliminary surveying was done last week on the Segovia cut-off in Kimble county and a contract will soon be let by the state highway department for paving the eight-mile road. Engineers stated that the cut-off would add another beautiful scenic drive in Kimble county and would also serve many people.

Newsstands and other places of business in Brownwood began selling city maps last week. With hundreds of people arriving daily on account of the new military camp, maps were in demand and as soon as available sales started with a bang. There were 3,972 men employed at the camp last week.

Wool sales at Eden last week hit the 10-cent mark when the Lee Pfleger clip was sold by the James L. Daniel Warehouse Co. A second clip was sold by Carl Pfleger for a round price of 38 cents.

The Producers' Turkey Egg Cooperative, a Santa Anna organization, is getting a good start already having sold 200,000 eggs for delivery early next year. The Santa Anna co-op sold 100,000 eggs to one hatchery last week.

Damage suits totaling \$30,000 have been filed against the city of Coleman and others. The suits are the outgrowth of the electrocution of one boy and the injury of another at the outskirts of the

city in August. One petition alleges that the city was negligent in not raising high-power lines a full 22 feet above ground following a storm, and the second suit avers that poles were blasted down when other defendants dynamited a roadway in the area.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Charles Woods, whose residence is unknown, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the second Monday in November, A. D. 1940, the same being the 11th day of November, A. D. 1940, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 7th day of October, A. D. 1940, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 4633, wherein Cleo Woods is Plaintiff, and Charles Woods is Defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

This is a suit for divorce, plaintiff alleging in substance, that plaintiff and defendant were duly and legally married in Upton County, Texas, on or about October 12th, 1936, and continued to live together until about January 1st, 1937; that on said January 1st, 1937, defendant without cause or provocation, abandoned plaintiff and has, though often requested by plaintiff, refused to return to plaintiff and live with her as her husband, and without plaintiff's fault has abandoned her for a space of more than three years, praying for divorce.

Heretofore fall not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, on this 7th day of October, A. D. 1940.

(Seal)  
JOHN B. RAYBURN, Clerk,  
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F. & M. BANK MAKING  
INTERIOR CHANGES

The Farmers & Merchants State Bank is remodeling the interior of its building to make it more modern and to add beauty. The old fixtures are being cut down, the brass portion removed and glass added. When finished the fixtures around the cages will be lower and a person standing can see over the entire bank.

A number of new machines have been added to speed up work and to give better records of checks and endorsements. The machines photograph the front and back of every check and the records are available in much less time than required under the former system. The remodeling and installation, to be completed in a short time, will considerably improve the bank.

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

Members of more than 100,000 Texas farm families are sleeping on new mattresses this fall.

Late in October 100,286 new mattresses had been made in the state under the department of agriculture's program for aiding low-income farm families and reducing the cotton surplus. This figure was compiled in the office of Mildred Horton, vice-director and state home demonstration agent of the A. & M. College extension service.

The cooperative program provides that educational work and supervision of mattress making centers shall be furnished by the extension service, cotton and ticking shall be made available by the surplus marketing administration, and certification of eligible families shall be the responsibility of county agricultural conservation committees of the Triple-A.

To date centers have been set up in 2,654 Texas communities, and mattresses are being made in 150 counties, Miss Horton said.

Voluntary leaders who supervise mattress making in the centers number 27,290—24,950 of them women and 2,340 men. More than a million farm families in the Southern states will receive mattresses under the 1940 demonstration program, according to a report received by Miss Horton from Mrs. Ola Powell Malcolm, extension field agent in charge of home demonstration work in the Southern area. Nearly 600,000 mattresses had been made in 17 states late in September.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH WILL  
HAVE NEW TYPE SERVICE

The First Christian Church will present a new type of service starting Sunday evening, known as evenprayer. It will be 45 minutes in length and will start promptly at 8:15 when Miss Lola Clayton presents a recital of sacred music from the organ.

Preceding the meditation by the minister, Rev. Wm. Mack Weaver, Mrs. Leland Croft will be presented in a group of violin numbers. Mrs. Croft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Chancy, is well known here.

For Sunday evening Rev. Weaver's message will be "Heaven, the Land Beyond."

Following the service the minister and members of the congregation will visit one of the local churches for the evening service.

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Lagging national business activity is only waiting for the U. S. defense program to leave blueprint stages for actual construction, and should boom before winter, a University of Texas economist predicts.

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NEW METHOD DETERMINES WHEN CREAM IS "FIT" FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 30.—A new method of determining whether cream is fit for human consumption is presenting a challenge to the dairy industry under a federal food law being enforced by the food and drug administration.

Enforcement of the law is achieved by penalizing manufacturers for making butter out of old, cheesy, decomposed or filthy cream, but the responsibility is also shared by the producer, since

Marines Recall Origin in 1775



Long years of service to the nation will be remembered by the U. S. Marines, who celebrate their 155th anniversary on November 10. Above: their first rendezvous at Tun Tavern in Philadelphia and two sea soldiers of the Revolution. Below: detachment of Marines as they appeared at the New York World's Fair.

Thumbing their way through their logbook to the date of their origin, the U. S. marines will turn back its fading pages to the year 1775, when they pass their 155th milestone on November 10.

Dimming records reveal that the continental marines gathered in the old Tun Tavern in Philadelphia when they rallied their members to fight for the freedom of the colonies. From this quaint hostelry, now no longer a landmark, the Marines sallied forth with rattlesnakes painted on their drums and with high hopes in their hearts to win recruits for their "Cause."

Those were the days when the tavern was famous for its broiled steaks and tankards of ale, while sturdy patriots gathered in its upper rooms to smoke long churchwarden pipes and to discuss the rising tide of public opinion which eventually rolled into the overwhelming flood of the Revolution.

Sailing vessels on the Delaware

River pointed their jibbooms straight at the tavern, while occasionally a stagecoach clattered over the cobblestones to drop patrons at its door.

It was an ideal spot to enlist men "able to serve to advantage by sea when required." This was one of the stipulations made by the continental congress in 1775 when it authorized the formation of two battalions of marines on the day they observed as their birthday.

All during the Revolution they performed loyal service on both land and sea. While the struggle for independence only a memory, the corps was permanently organized in 1798 to follow in succeeding years the illustrious example set by its forebearers.

Stirring chapters of the marines' logbook reveal that they were aboard Old Ironsides in her days of glory, helped to sweep piracy from the seas at home or abroad, mounted Old Glory for the first time on the battlements of a Tri-

politian fortress, carried their banners to the uttermost ends of the earth, and fought in all the big and little wars of our country.

Scores of countries have witnessed the prowess of the globe-trotting sea soldiers who on nearly 200 occasions have landed on errands for Uncle Sam. They have performed every task from chasing seal poachers in the Bering Sea to fighting our nation's enemies or guarding Americans in distant lands.

It is a far cry from the creaking sailing frigates of our first fleet to the floating fortresses of steel which now guard our shores against the assaults of some possible enemy, for the marines have come a long way in the intervening years.

Yet no marine could turn the pages of the corps' well-filled logbook without a quickening pulse and a heartfelt response to the words of the sea soldiers' hymn, "We are proud to claim the title of United States marines."

Holland's first dikes were built by the Romans.

'Ladies Night' Held By Local Rotarians; Dr. Boone Speaker

The Ballinger Rotary Club held "ladies night" Tuesday with a dinner and program at the Central Hotel. The dining room as well as the tables were decorated in Halloween colors and characters.

After the singing of "America" and the invocation by Rev. Wm. Mack Weaver, minister of the First Christian Church, the menu was served to a large group.

President Edgar Boelsche called the meeting to order and after the introduction of visitors turned the meeting over to the program chairman, E. E. King, K. V. Northington, Jr., was presented in a baritone solo with Mrs. A. McGregor playing the accompaniment, and a carnet trio, composed of Alexander McGregor, Quentin White and John A. Killough, was heard in a number. These were introduced by Gurtball Gilligan.

Mr. King presented Dr. L. A. Boone, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Brownwood, who spoke on "The World of Tomorrow" and drew a picture of what may happen in the future as man continues invention. He envisioned the water supply as being taken from the air as well as heat, fuel and other substances. The speaker forecast the probability of automobiles being mentally controlled, the overcoming of gravity as a mode of travel and other changes that may take place which he said are no more revolutionary than those that have taken place in the past. References were given on things being accomplished today along these lines.

Secretary Wallace has endorsed a bill by Senator Capper of Kansas to create a division of cooperatives within the U. S. department of agriculture. Last year farmer cooperatives in the country handled products valued at approximately \$2,000,000,000.

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Methodists Here Close Conference Year Next Sunday

Sunday will close the conference year for the First Methodist Church and the pastor, Rev. A. C. Haynes, will leave the first of the week for the annual conference at Fort Worth. All reports for the church are being perfected this week and will be taken to Fort Worth by the pastor and delivered at the business session.

A number of members of the local church including Ben Denny, chairman of the board, will attend the Fort Worth conference. The preachers and laymen will be in session all next week with cabinet meetings underway most of the

week and appointments to be decided by the week-end but will not be announced until Wednesday, November 13.

All Methodist churches will be without pastors on November 10 but the Ballinger church will have an important laymen's service and launch its financial program for the succeeding year. A well-balanced program of music, prayer and talks will be arranged and presented in the main auditorium at the 11 o'clock hour. A complete program for this service will be announced next week.

The church will have an excellent report to send to the annual conference, showing all obligations paid in full and a nice increase in membership during the year.

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- 1. Clean the cows flanks and udder, and milk with clean dry hands.
- 2. Guard against the entry of dust or other foreign matter into the milk pail.
- 3. Strain milk before separating and cool cream immediately after separating.
- 4. Avoid mixing warm cream with cool cream.
- 5. Keep cream covered in a clean, cool place, free from flies, dust,

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Clean the separator thoroughly after each use.

Clean and sterilize milk pails, strainers, cream cans, and other utensils daily.

Deliver cream at least twice a week—preferably three times a week in warm weather.

FIRE CAUSES DEATH OF MANY TEXANS

AUSTIN, Oct. 30.—The Texas fire death record for the first eight months of 1940 has been the worst in many years, Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner, reported recently.

Hall said he had records of 290 deaths for the eight months as against 383 for the entire previous year. He stated that during the past five years when the annual property loss by fire in Texas has been the lowest in the history of the state, the annual death loss by fire has been the highest, which is definite proof that Texans are not applying the principles of fire prevention to their daily routine.

Sixty-seven persons lost their lives by getting trapped in burning dwellings. Fifty-seven deaths were caused by standing too close to open fires. Automobile wrecks caused 38 fire deaths to rank as the third leading cause.

Records on other fatalities were: Burns, various causes 3; burns from electricity, 3; acetylene torch burns, 4; butane gas explosions, 1; explosions, various causes, 4; gas explosions from improper installation, 9; asphyxiated by gas, 7; cleaning clothes and floors with gasoline, 5; improper use and care of gasoline, 27; explosion of gasoline washing machines, 1; starting fires with kerosene, 14; children playing with matches, 3; murder (arson), 3; falling into open fires, 5; oil well fire explosions, 4; scalds from escaping steam, 1; coffee, tea and grease scalds, 2; scalds from falling into hot water, 15; smoking in bed, 4; gasoline and kerosene stove explosions, 8; suicides, 3; undetermined, 2.

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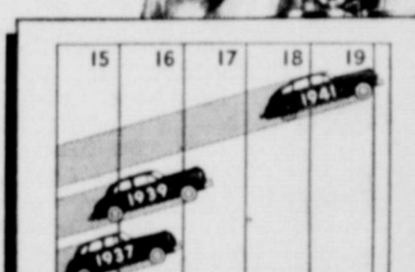
You can get right down to the tough job of building abler performance into the engine—or you can fuss around with things that seem to do the job. It is plain, of course, that the sole source of car performance is the power plant.

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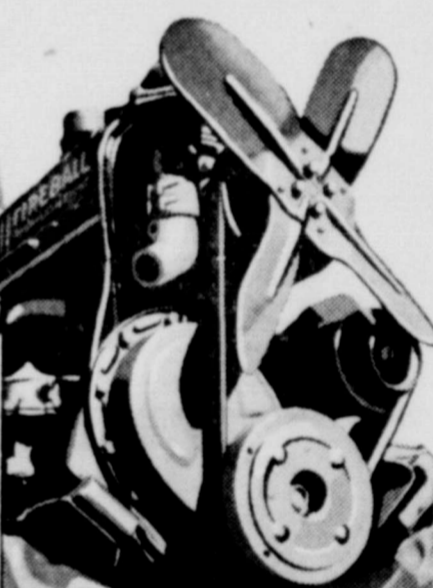
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**BALLINGER SCHOOL NEWS**

By Clara Beth Lynn

**Students' Pictures Made**

Mr. Frederick, Abilene photographer, was here Tuesday morning making pictures of each student for the annual. These pictures (one of each) will be grouped according to classes and there will be a separate section for them in the annual. You will see the members of the faculty, too. The staff thinks that it is a very important part of the book; judging from the way everyone was all dressed up, I'd say that the others do too! We still lack some \$30 of having the required amount, \$200, but we hope to have that amount by the end of the week. If you have not brought your money, please do so immediately for the price will be raised in a very few days now. Hurry!

**"Los Conquistadores"**

"Los Conquistadores" enjoyed an exceptionally good program Monday, concerning present day happenings in Mexico. Pug White gave a report on "The Presidential Election in Mexico," which explained a drastic situation. While Comacho has been elected to succeed Cardenas December 1, Almazan and his followers have declared that they are going to take office. It appears as though Mexico is on the verge of another periodical revolution.

Robert Lowry reported on "Fifth Columnists in Mexico." The government has organized a Mexican council to stamp out fifth columnists and to destroy all propaganda distributed by them. The term "fifth column" was originated by General Franco in the Spanish civil war.

Winnie Merle Adair briefly described the home of Almazan, which recently sold for \$32,000 to further his presidential campaign. A book report on "Ramona" was given by Jeanne Ehadacott.

**"Los Inteligentes"**

The first year Spanish club met with Lawrence Morrison in charge of the program. The program consisted of reports on the better known parts of South America and the opportunities in South America. After reports were completed, the class played "Fruitas." The next meeting, November 3, will be in charge of Eveyln Bankston, on the present situation in Mexico.

**Wake Lazy Insides All-Vegetable Way**

Thousands turn to this way to get relief when they're lazy internally and it has them headachy, bilious, trembly, listless. A quarter to a half-teaspoonful of spicy, aromatic, all-vegetable BLACK-DRAUGHT on your tongue tonight, a drink of water, and there you are! Thus, it usually allows time for a night's rest, acts gently, thoroughly softens, as relieving constipation's headaches, biliousness, bad breath. BLACK-DRAUGHT'S main ingredient is an "intestinal tonic-laxative," which helps impart tone to lazy bowel muscles. The millions of packages used prove its merit. Economical, too: 25 to 40 doses, 25c.

**Rev. Haynes Speaks in Assembly**

Rev. Haynes of the Methodist church, and Rev. Hooper, former pastor there, visited us at the assembly period Monday, at which time Rev. Haynes gave a talk on "Happiness." Using the Beatitudes (Mark 5) as his text, he pointed out that happiness is a state or condition, growing out of good physical, moral, mental, and spiritual health. He showed by illustration that we as students do not have to become grown or rich or great to know true happiness. "The happiest students in this school next spring," he said "will be those who have done each day's work well, who have entered into other activities, who have valued and tried to develop those things which cannot be bought, and who have liked it all." In short, "The secret of happiness is found not in doing the things we like to do, but in liking the things we have to do."

**Football Squad Honored**

Very informal but very pleasant affair was held for members of the football team and their dates, by Winnie Merle Adair after that well game with Brady Sandwichees, hot chocolate, marshmallows on crackers, and apples were placed on the dining room table where everyone could help themselves. (It is needless to add that they did just that.) Then everyone who cared to went to the skating rink for the regular Friday night dance.

**Debate Club Begins Work**

Debate material has arrived, and Miss Lamm, debate coach, is anxious for anyone who is interested—especially a girl—to come by immediately and get a book. So far no girls have "enlisted." The boys include Ludwig Hughes, Eugene Sutphen, J. L. Henderson, and Donald Mullins.

This year's subject, "A Natural Resource Tax for Reducing the State Deficit, and for Supporting Other State Enterprises," not only acquaints the debater with one of current problems of our state, but it is a good, "hot" topic, having many good points on each side. Debating also teaches one to think clearly and quickly, it teaches one to work things out in an organized, concise, and logical manner; it teaches one to study both sides of a situation and then make a decided decision, and it is a great help to one's speech and stage presence. So, if you like a good argument and lots of fun, come out for debate!

P. S.—An invitation tournament is to be held in San Angelo on November 15. A school can send as many teams as it wants to; however the entries must be in by November 9. Here's your chance to start.

**Home Ec. Girls Are Hostesses to F. F. A. Boys**

All of the homemaking classes entertained the F. F. A. boys Tuesday night with a delightful Halloween party at the Ballinger Roller Rink. The festive motive was evident in all decorations, in the group of shocks and pumpkins at one end, and in the black and orange streamers and balloons placed around the ceiling. Members came in masks. After the

**Heads Convention**



Mrs. Raymond Sayre, president of the American Country Life association, will preside at their annual conference to be held at Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 7-8.

unmasking, skating was enjoyed for about an hour. Next came a varied program, a musical quiz, magic skits, "21 years with the chain gang," the Yehudi family, all helped to add fun to the occasion.

At refreshment time, which represented a carnival, hamburgers, pop-corn, doughnuts, coffee and candy were auctioned from booths by the girls. The gala affair ended with a ghost story. A number of witches, goblins and black cats also attended.

**Senior Personalities**

Marga Deane Andrews, sometimes called "Red," has been with us 7 years. She names speech and choral club as her favorite subjects. She hates stuck-up people, and would like to be a beauty operator or a model.

Tommy (T.) Allison, having been here five years, finally decides that civics, law, English and history are his favorites. He likes bulldozing calves, hates Brady and Winters. His chief activity is that of 1940 football manager. He also likes riding and swimming. He now has three ambitions to choose from: to be an aviator, or rancher, or banker. Tommy would give you these further statistics: "Wt. 156, hair, brown, height, 6 ft 3 in."

Frank Atwell, otherwise "Spud," is finishing his entire schooling here this year. He likes typing, commercial law, civics; he hates English and wearing ties. When he isn't hunting, fishing, boating, or playing croquet, he plays in the Bearcat Band. Frank wants to be a commercial army pilot.

B. M. Batts has been going to school here four years, and likes phys. ed. best. He likes to have a good time (this does not mean studying English). He has been a member of the F. F. A. chapter for two years, and he has been assistant business manager of the school paper one year. He hopes to join the army.

**Ballinger Banks to be Closed on November 5**

Both Ballinger banks will not be open for business on Tuesday, November 5, on account of the general election. Patrons are requested to attend to any necessary business before closing time Monday and make arrangements for change.

The First National Bank  
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**ATTENTION VOTERS**

The agricultural and livestock interests of the 21st Congressional District will be served better by electing Ray Ridenhower, of Kimble county, Republican nominee for congress, for the following reasons:

1. He is a sound and conservative business man, sincere and honest, and has the confidence and respect of all who know him.
2. He is a successful ranchman and farmer who knows the agricultural problems of the district, not from theory but from practical experience.
3. He is without political ambition, consenting to offer himself as a candidate for congressman of the 21st district that he may serve the people in this crucial hour.
4. He is a graduate of the A. & M. College, and is well fitted for the office.
5. The humblest as well as the greatest can approach him with their problems and will find him sympathetic and ready to render any service within his power. (Political adv. paid for by friends of Ray Ridenhower)

Third area in which the cotton stamp program of the department of agriculture is to be tested is the Minnesota county embracing Minneapolis and St. Paul. The stamp plan is designed for moving surplus cotton goods to public assistance families through the normal channels of trade.

"Doing an injury puts you below your enemy; revenging one makes you but even with him; forgiving it sets you above him."—Benjamin Franklin.

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**HAGAN**

Rev. M. C. Golden filled his regular appointment here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jaeggli, of Lytton Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Davis Nunn and daughters, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Corder, of Ballinger; were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Crayton Stanley, of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wood and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Patton and children, and Mrs. Fred W. King and daughter, of Ballinger, were guests in the Otto Wood home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Patterson visited her father, Mr. Bradley, of Crews, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wood, of Ballinger, visited relatives at Rockwood Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. M. C. Golden visited Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Turner Sunday.

Miss Emily Johnson, of Rockwood, visited Mrs. Leon Russell the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Patterson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Russel and children visited relatives at Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stubblefield and son, Joe Hale, visited Mr. and Mrs. Stubblefield, of Ballinger, Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Tubbs visited in the D. R. Russell home Sunday.

Buford Wood visited Billy C. and Don Murphy Sunday.

**BENOIT**

The Benoit school will not give a Halloween party this year, prior to custom. Some patrons plan to attend the parties given by other schools near here and some will seek different forms of amusement at other places to celebrate this event.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Connor of Ballinger, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green.

Miss Thelma Wood, of Abilene, spent the past week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brookshier.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Creasy, of Ballinger, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spreen and Otto Spreen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Lange.

Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Brookshier spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Leaman Herrington, of Tuscola, spent Sunday night as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brookshier.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Q. Werner.

Mrs. C. C. Robinson and Jereene attended church in Ballinger Sunday.

L. D. King left last week for some time, attending to business sometimes attending the business there.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brookshier Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hoffman and Perry Bragg.

Citizens of this community attending church in Talpa last Sunday morning and night were: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brookshier, W. T. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clayton, Mrs. Neal Clayton and Misses Margaret Brookshier, Wanda Clayton and Louise Brookshier.

**NORTON**

"Family Portrait," a play written by Lemore Coffee and William Joyce Cowen, was reviewed by Mrs. W. G. Bedford, of Winters, at the Baptist church here Monday afternoon. Nineteen women were present.

Mrs. C. N. Patton led the study course, "Uprooted Americans," which was held at the Methodist church the past week.

Mrs. A. T. Chapman and Mrs. D. W. Williams visited in San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cook and children, of Ballinger, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Scoggins.

Mrs. Elmer Curry and children visited relatives at Stamford over the week-end.

Miss Rhea DaLee and Mrs. Earl Cope and children, Dick and Virginia, visited in Brownwood Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Beas and little daughter and Mrs. Luther Underwood and children, all of Big Spring, have returned home after a week's visit here with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter and family.

**EAGLE BRANCH**

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kurtz had business and visited Mrs. Kurtz sisters, Misses Pauline and Josephine Deike, of Abilene, Friday.

**Urges Safety**



The American Red Cross will launch Home and Farm Accident Prevention week, October 28. Norman H. Davis, chairman, says farming led in accidents last year.

A rummy party was given by Mrs. R. C. Kurtz Saturday night. Hot dogs, roasted marshmallows, cookies and coffee were served to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kurtz, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tee Berry, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kurtz, and their families.

Mrs. Selma Berry and Mrs. A. J. Kurtz visited Mrs. R. A. Hunt Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hays visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kurtz Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cummings and family, of Winters, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kurtz Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tee Berry visited Mrs. Berry's grandfather at Crews Sunday. The grandfather has been ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walden spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Nick Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hargrove, of Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Patterson, of Hagan, visited her father, who has been sick.

On the honor roll for this month at school were:

First grade—Valera June Kurtz  
Second grade—Rosemary Bradley

Fourth grade—Virginia Lee Kurtz, Paul Berry  
Sixth grade—Gwen Berry, Onetta Freeman

Seventh grade—Wanda Jean Queen, Hildegarde Kurtz  
Eighth grade—Loretta Freeman, Hoyt Berry.

**CREWS**

Sunday evening, October 20, Jack Pape preached his first sermon since entering the ministry of the Methodist church. Friends from over a large area attended the service and report a splendid address. Jack is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Pape, of Ballinger, but has lived in our community for several years, and is a young man of high ideals and Christian consecration. We all wish him great success in winning souls for the Lord.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pumphrey and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King attended the singing convention at Pumphrey the previous Sunday. They report a fine singing. Mrs. W. C. Mathis has been quite ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings announce the arrival of a little son recently. Mrs. Cummings and baby are at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Greer, of Novice.

Mrs. W. W. King and children were guests of Mrs. Milton Young, of Glen Cove, Saturday of the previous week.

Mr. Bradley is reported seriously ill at the home of his son, Harvey Bradley.

Rev. J. H. Hallford and C. E. Branham visited Lowell Lewis at the Winters hospital Sunday afternoon. They report him convalescing nicely from a recent appendectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Toungett visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Pink King and Mrs. Chester McBeth were joint hostesses at a social Tuesday evening, honoring their granddaughter and niece, Miss Doris King, bride-elect of Dave Crimm, of San Saba. After games were played the honoree was presented with a large number of useful and beautiful gifts. Cake and punch was served to 85 guests. The marriage of Miss King and Mr. Crimm will take place Wednesday, October 30.

**SAYS TEXANS SHOULD KNOW GOOD DIET**

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 30.—A Texas food standard designed to aid Texans in knowing what should be included in a good daily diet was tentatively accepted last week by representatives of all agencies and organizations in the state working in the field of nutrition. The group which passed on this brief dietary code was the Texas state-wide nutrition committee in session on the University of Texas campus at Austin.

Members of the sub-committee who assisted in drawing up the standard were appointed by the

chairman, Mildred Horton, vice-director and state home demonstration agent of the A. & M. College extension service. The sub-committee included Janie Campbell, extension specialist in home production planning, as chairman; Mattie Trickey, associate state director of the farm security administration; Ruth Huey, director of homemaking education, state board of vocational education; Elizabeth McGuire, consultant in community organization for the state health department; and Dr. Jessie Whitacre, chief, division of rural home research, Texas agricultural experiment station.

As soon as the standard is acceptable to all nutrition agencies, institutions, and organizations in the state, it will likely be made available to the public in large quantities in an effort to help people keep physically fit—their first job in national defense," Miss Horton pointed out.

The committee also will consider production of movies and distribution of radio scripts as part of their program for encouraging citizens to eat the right food. In addition, another sub-committee is considering suggestions for aiding low income groups in the state to have better diets on as little as 10 cents per person per day.

Next meeting of the committee was set for November 23 in Fort Worth.

It is said by chemists that the metal beryllium may change the entire makeup of airplane engines, and perhaps even the airplane itself. The metal is the most durable of the light metals, and remains untarnished in the air.

Use of tear gas (chloropicrin) makes it practical to grow gladioli in soil where previous plantings have been destroyed by the fungus disease known as gladiolus yellows, according to the United States department of agriculture.

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General Election Supplies Sent Out; Ballot is Lengthy

Election supplies are being distributed to the 27 voting boxes of Runnels county this week to be used in the general election Tuesday. Some election managers were here this week to get their supplies and others will be delivered before the balloting Tuesday morning.

day morning for the returns to be canvassed by the commissioners' court and the final and official tabulations announced. No election "party" will be held here as is customary in the Democratic primaries due to the radio service offered from all over the country.

BLANTON 4-H BOYS' CLUB REFLECTS ITS LEADER; PLANS YEAR'S PROGRAM

At the regular meeting of the Blanton boys' 4-H club last Thursday the members elected Arlis Tounget leader for another year and made plans for increased club activities.

County Agent John A. Barton talked on the ease of feeding hogs when the feeder had the proper

Military Visitors See Endurance Test



Military experts from nine Latin-American republics, who are currently touring United States forts, army posts and defenses, are shown watching an army truck undergo a stiff test at the plant of the Dodge Motor company in Detroit, Mich. The tour of these military experts is part of the great Pan-American defense program now under way.

PUERTO RICANS WANT HELP TO PROTECT CANAL

DENTON, Oct. 30.—Down in Puerto Rico, the "Gibraltar of the Atlantic," young men between the ages of 21 and 36 years were registering for military service week before last, just like the 17 million youths of the United States.

The much-publicized Pan-American "trusteeship" for the duration of the war of European possessions in the western hemisphere was proposed at a University of Texas Latin-American institute one month before U. S. state department officials advocated it at the recent Havana conference.

Advertisement for 'COLDS take 666' featuring a bottle of the medicine and the text 'To Relieve Mucous Mucosa'.

nearly every town now has it airport, Betty says.

All the old forts and castles built in the 16th century, and used for protection in the days of piracy are now equipped with modern anti-aircraft guns and cannons, and the same fort built for protection against Sir Francis Drake and Captain Kidd is now equipped for anti-aircraft operations, Betty explained.

The new vacation trade in Puerto Rico since the beginning of the European war has attracted nearly 70,000 American tourists, with tourist literature promising "Old Spain under the Stars and Stripes," Betty said.

When Betty came to Denton teachers' college last year, she was quoted in an interview as being amazed at the big feet and hands of Texans. Now she laughs ruefully and admits that she has acquired "the Texas foot."

Unique beacons on the airline route between Dallas and San Antonio is the floodlighted pinnacle of the 307-foot main building tower at the University of Texas. After the floodlights go off at 11 p. m., a single light serves as a warning to aviators.

Recent research has shown that the summer decreases in egg size is due largely to the high temperature encountered during the season. Protection against the excessive summer heat, especially in the form of floor line ventilation, will pay dividends in the form of longer eggs.

Proven oil reserves in the United States now total nearly 20 billion barrels, of which Texas alone has 55 per cent.

Wildlife Briefs

Trapping of deer, turkey and antelope by the Texas game, fish and oyster commission will be on an even larger scale this year than it was last year, when a new all-time high in trapping and restocking was reached in the Lone Star state.

Last year 257 antelope, 420 deer and 551 turkeys were trapped and transplanted on areas upon which the species of game suitable for the various areas once roamed.

A new single deer trap has been perfected. Twenty-two of them used for a short time late last season trapped nearly 100 deer. The department is now building 100 additional traps and will place them in use as soon as possible.

An all net turkey trap built in octagon shape has proved the most successful of several tested during the last few years. The game department will place two and possibly three turkey trapping crews in the field this year.

How'd you like to snag a five-foot alligator with a mere linen line and an inch and a half fish hook? That's just what Ward Williams, of Dilley, Texas, did recently.

Members of the East Texas Rifle and Pistol Club, near Kilgore, should wound fewer deer and make more sure kills next season than ever before. Regular shoots on deer targets are held by the club.

Such contests are one of the most effective ways to help in the conservation of game. Poor marksmanship causes the death of many deer each year which are not recovered by the hunter.

The East Texas club not only gives much attention to teaching good marksmanship, but it also teaches its members conservation.

Much attention is paid the junior members of the club according to Hugh P. Prince, of Gladewater, acting secretary of the organization.

Pyorrhea May Follow Neglect. Are your gums irritated? Do your gums cause you annoyance? Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO" fails to satisfy. Weakness Injures State.

Consumption of tobacco in the United States is 8.5 pounds per capita, as compared to less than 4 pounds prior to the Civil War.

Adapting weapons of warfare to domestic needs, forestry service officials have announced that a new lightweight radio is being used by parachuting fire fighters for use in the national forests.

Approximately 60 per cent of the North American output of cast iron pipe comes from the Birmingham, Alabama, area.

One-Hour Meetings To Plan Programs Concluded by B. C. D.

The Ballinger Board of Community Development has finished holding one-hour meetings of business men to determine the program of activities for the organization in the future and to get various branches of business organized with a spokesman for each group.

The last two were held this morning and as each group has met general discussions of things needed for Ballinger have been held and sheets filled out sitting forth matters that should receive the attention of the B. C. D. directors and committees.

Mr. Barr asked each group to name a chairman so that proposals of interest to the group could be presented at special meetings. Each of these chairmen will be invited to the breakfast next Monday morning at which time a Christmas program series will be considered.

The last group called was the only one outside the city limits and included farmers and ranchmen of this area who cooperate in livestock shows and other features.

Negro farmers constitute 12.6 per cent of all American farm operators, according to the new USDA publication call "The Negro in American Agriculture."

Advertisement for 'SSS TONIC APPETIZER-STOMACHIC' featuring a bottle of the tonic and the text 'helps build STURDY HEALTH'.

A Third Term? Yes!

EARL BROWDER Communist Candidate for President of the U. S. "The tradition against a third term in the presidency must be set aside."

BOSS EDWARD J. KELLY Mayor of Chicago "I suppose I was one of the very first to go on record for a third term."

BOSS FRANK HAGUE Mayor of Jersey City, N. J., and Vice-Chairman, Democratic National Committee. "Absolutely 100% for a third term for Mr. Roosevelt."

HAROLD L. ICKES Secretary of the Interior. "But, after all, what is a 'sacred tradition' among friends?"

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM OF 1886 "We declare it to be the unwritten law of this Republic, established by custom and usage of one hundred years, and sanctioned by the greatest and wisest of those who founded and have maintained our government, that no man should be eligible for a third term of the Presidential office."

No-Third-Term Democrats of Texas are on the Air. Every morning, six days each week, Texas No-Third-Term Democrats are conducting a morning radio hour over the Lone Star Network consisting of stations KGKO, Fort Worth-Dallas; KGNC, Amarillo; KRVG, Welsaco; ETEA, San Antonio; KXYZ, Houston; and KRIS of Corpus Christi. This program is on from 6:30 to 7:45 o'clock every morning, except Sunday.

Texas Quality Network. Three nights each week from 6:15 to 6:30 o'clock over stations WFAA-WBAP, Dallas and Fort Worth; KPRC, Houston; WCAI, San Antonio; KGNC, Amarillo; KRIS, Corpus Christi and KRVG, of Welsaco, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Columbia Chain. Two days each week from 12:45 to 1-Non-over stations KJLD, Dallas; KTRH, Houston; ETEA, San Antonio; KGNC, Amarillo and KRVG of Welsaco, Tuesday and Thursday.

HOW TO VOTE FOR WENDEL L. WILLKIE OFFICIAL BALLOT

A large table with five columns representing political parties: DEMOCRATIC PARTY, REPUBLICAN PARTY, SOCIALIST PARTY, COMMUNIST PARTY, and PROHIBITION PARTY. Each column lists candidates for various offices including President, Vice-President, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, State Railroad Commissioner, State Comptroller of Public Accounts, Commissioner of General Land Office, State Treasurer, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, State Commissioner of Agriculture, and Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals.

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# Want Ads

**Rates and Rules**  
Two cents per word first insertion, no advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents. All subsequent insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.  
All classified advertisements must be accompanied by cash unless advertiser has a regular account with the paper.  
No classified advertisements accepted on an "until ordered" basis. The number of times the ad is to run must be specified.

**WOOD, Wood, wood**—Five miles north Talpa on former Henry Knox ranch, \$2.00 per cord. Good oak. 31-31

**FOR RENT**—Very desirable bedroom. Phone 1225, 503 Tenth Street. 31-11

**FOR LEASE**—I have good green stalk and cotton field now open. C. W. Johnson. 11-

**LOST**—Leather bill-fold, initials on leather, card and other identification inside. Keep the money and return folder. W. O. Wallace. 31-11

**FOR SALE**—Nortex Oats, free from Johnson grass, 50 cents per bushel. Mrs. Sidney Dietz, phone 3911, Ballinger. 31-31

**FOR LEASE OR SALE**—175 acres well improved farm, 125 acres in cultivation. Eighteen miles out on Valley Creek. M. L. H. Hittington, box 162, Ballinger, Texas. 31-11

**FOR SALE**—Conota Oats Seed. H. J. Zappe. 31-31

**LOST**—Victor Clarinet (B-Flat) on main street in Ballinger last Friday night after football game. Reward if returned to Sheriff Love Kimbrough of McCulloch County, Brady, Texas. 31-11

**WANTED TO BUY**—Sudan seed, Crested Milo and Hegari, Oats or wheat have you. Norris Olson, address Ballinger. 11-

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—40 head Rambouillet registered ewes, registered buck and ewe lambs. W. R. Kennedy, Winters. 17-11

**FOR SALE**—Tenmarq Wheat Seed. State certified, \$1.15 per bushel. H. H. Ripple & Sons, Rowena. 17-11

**FOR SALE**—Turkey Red Wheat and Wintex Barley. P. R. Dietz. 17-31

**FOR SALE**—Full Blood Broad Breasted Turkeys, 3 miles north of Winters, Abilene highway. T. S. Jordan. 17-31

**Salesmen Wanted**  
GOOD OPENING in South Runnels County. Full time route selling Rawleigh Household Products. Start now. Must have car. Get more particulars. See Chas. Adams, Winters, Texas, or write Rawleigh's, Dept. TKJ-39-208A, Memphis, Tenn. 3-91

**Card of Thanks**  
We wish to thank our friends who were so kind to us during the recent illness and death of our husband and father, M. S. Patrick. For the expressions of sympathy and the beautiful flowers along with the many other kind deeds, we are deeply grateful.  
Mrs. M. S. Patrick and family. 31-11

**Be wise—advertise.**

## DEATHS

**Miss Frances Fejfar**  
Miss Frances Fejfar, 54, died at her home in Rowena Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock after illness of six days' duration.

Decedent was born in Czechoslovakia and came to Rowena about 35 years ago. She had been a member of St. Joseph's Church since moving to Rowena.

Survivors include sister, Miss Annie Fejfar, Rowena; and a brother, Joe Fejfar, Rosenberg. Funeral services were held this (Thursday) morning at St. Joseph's Church, Rev. F. J. Pokluda officiating. Interment followed in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

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**Mrs. Dan Dörner**  
Mrs. Dan Dörner, 44, died at her home four miles west of Ballinger Saturday, October 26 at 3 p. m. after illness of about ten months' duration. She was married in Washington county in 1922 and came here at once to make home and resided near Ballinger ever since. She had been a member of the Lutheran church since childhood.

Survivors besides the husband include a son, Andrew Dörner, Ballinger; two step-sons, D. L. Dörner, Jr., McCamey; and Chester Dörner, Hawaiian Islands; two step-daughters, Mrs. Earl Justice, Denton; and Mrs. Bill Haverack, Ballinger; seven sisters, Mrs. Ed Kelm, Mrs. Otto Seelke, Mrs. Albert Baker, Mrs. Walter Schoenemann, Mrs. Otto Whirrmann, Mrs. Erwin Muller, Mrs. Mable Boards; three brothers, Willie and Herman Kammerer, Washington county; and Albert Kammerer, Ballinger.

Funeral services were held at the family residence Sunday afternoon, Rev. Roth, of Winters, officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery. Agnew-Wright Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**James R. Orr**  
James R. Orr, 70, died at his home in the Hatchel community Monday, October 21, following illness of one week's duration. For years he had been a farmer in this section until he recently retired from active work.

Survivors besides the wife include a brother, J. E. Orr, Arlington; and a sister, Mrs. C. A. Orr, Ballinger.

Funeral services were held at the tabernacle in the Runnels cemetery on November 22, Rev. M. C. Golden officiating. Interment was made there following the service.

King-Holt Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**CHARLES PATTON AT KELLY**  
Charles H. Patton, of Norton, enlisted in the United States army October 28, and was assigned to the air corps detachments, Kelly Field, San Antonio.

**Card of Thanks**  
We wish to thank our friends for the deeds of kindness during our recent sorrow, and for the lovely floral offerings.  
Dan Dörner and family. 31-11

**Card of Thanks**  
The members of the Library Board wish to express appreciation to the clubs and organizations of Ballinger that assisted in the staging of the successful carnival last Saturday. Through the efforts of those assisting approximately \$180 was cleared and will be used in opening the library here. It  
Jimmie Dickey returned last week from Tacubaya, Mexico, D. F., where he had spent the past five months.

## Happy Ending of Near-Tragic Sky Drama



Flying Officer L. G. Fuller of the Royal Australian air force in a big reconnaissance plane collided with another plane of the same type 1,000 feet above Brocklesby, New South Wales. Everybody bailed out except Fuller, who brought both ships down to a perfect landing and stepped out unhurt. The planes were only slightly damaged.

## Proper Appliances Advised for Heating To Prevent Illness

Gas men are preparing to meet the extreme demands for fuel service that come with cold weather. For several months they have been repairing mains, laying lines, drilling wells, and checking machinery to be in shape for winter.

Having brought a complete gas service to customers, Lone Star Gas system employees request customers to do their part by supplying proper appliances for health and comfort. They are asking them not to wait until cold weather strikes before taking care of their heating needs. Now is the time to get out heaters and have this service finished before the first north.

During the summer gas company employees promoted modern heating equipment and many customers have installed these appliances early to avoid the last minute rush.

The gas company warns its customers that heating habits are as important in safeguarding health as eating habits, saying, "Winter presents a threat to the family's health, using the common cold as an advance guard to open the door for pneumonia, influenza and other serious respiratory ailments. Doctors generally urge plenty of rest, sensible eating habits, evenly heated rooms, and an avoidance of draughts as allies in warding off colds."

An overheated room can present as serious a health hazard as an unheated room, according to the gas company, which urges customers to heat their entire homes but only to a comfortable, even heat.

Ventilation is another important factor, particularly where unvented heating equipment is used. Opening a window slightly from the top will prevent headaches resulting from stuffy atmosphere and will also prevent wall sweating caused by condensation of moisture in the air of the room.

For safety as well as health, the gas company warns its customers against sleeping in a tightly closed room where a gas heater is burning. The heater takes air from the room atmosphere and consequently there must be ventilation.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rudd attended the Baylor-A & M football game at Waco the past week-end.

Mrs. E. B. Gilliam, of Brownwood, is visiting in the homes of her daughters, Mrs. Leonard Stallings and Mrs. Loyd Herring.

Contrary to popular belief, the use of snuff is not dying out. Around 38 million pounds went to market in 1939.

## New Floral Shop Will be Opened Here Next Month

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Moore, formerly of Winters, are moving to Ballinger and will open a modern floral shop on South Eighth Street across the street from the postoffice. Mrs. Moore announced formal opening of the shop for November 16 and 17, at which time the place will be open for public inspection.

The Moores have been operating a floral establishment at Winters for the past two years. Both received training with the Bibbs Floral Co., of Wichita Falls, and later were employed for four years at Abilene. Mrs. Moore has had 17 years' experience in the handling of flowers.

The building is being remodeled and a large Frigidaire display case has been installed in the display room. The shop will stock a full line of cut flowers, pot plants and novelties at all times and will give special attention to decorations for parties and weddings.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore are members of the F. T. D. and will send flowers anywhere in the nation. They will stock Texas flowers as far as possible and will deliver to the home when requested. They will do special designs and make up work in their shop and will have displays of these at the formal opening.

**Russians Raise Polish Ships**  
Fifty-two ships of Poland's flotilla sunk by their crews in the Pripyat river have been raised by Russian seamen of the Dnieper naval flotilla and work continues in an effort to salvage the entire fleet. The vessels raised comprise some of Poland's warships, auxiliary transports, floating storehouses and workshops. They were sunk, according to Moscow, when trapped by the wreckage of the Muzhevich bridge. The Polish infantry, it is alleged, destroyed the bridge when they mistook the sound of the ships' engines for that of tanks of the approaching Soviet army.

**Dublin's Club of Unemployed**  
The Mount Street club of unemployed in Dublin has been so successful it is branching out by taking over Larkfield farm to supply produce to its members. It already has a carpenter shop, which supplies furniture; a tailor shop, a bakery, a barber shop, a weaving machine and a sock-making machine. The men work at the club producing any useful article they can, and in return receive tallies for the number of hours worked. These tallies can be exchanged for the products of other members.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Evans left today for Coleman, where Mr. Evans has accepted a position with the Owl Drug Company.

The bog-land of Ireland has been estimated at 3,000,000 acres.

## Menus of the Day

**STUFF GREEN PEPPERS WITH MEAT FOR A TREAT**  
It's truly "new stuff," this recipe for stuffed green peppers. You'll find that it tastes unusually different.

- 2 cups cooked meat
- 2 tablespoons grated onion
- 1/2 cup mashed potatoes
- 1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup catsup
- 1 1/2 cups gravy or soup stock
- 1/4 cup grated cheese

**Paprika**  
6 green peppers  
Grind meat; add onion, potatoes and seasonings. Add enough gravy or soup stock to moisten, cut off the top of the peppers. Remove membrane and seeds, precook for two minutes, then drain and rinse with cold water. Fill with meat mixture, arrange on rack in baking pan and put into an oven of 350° F. for 45 minutes. Baste occasionally with the remaining gravy and 15 minutes before the end of the baking period sprinkle each pepper with grated cheese and paprika.

**Hunter's Soup**  
Here's a toast to your health with a bowl of hot hunter's soup: a truly vigorous, outdoorish dish:

- 2 pounds soup bone and meat
- 3 quarts water
- 4 tablespoons grated onion
- 2 1/2 cups grated carrots
- 3 cups diced potatoes
- 1/2 cup barley
- 1 1/2 tablespoons salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper

Simmer soup bone in water for 1 1/2 hours with the grated onion and carrots. Add diced vegetables. Cook barley in boiling salted water until tender. Drain and add to soup. Season and cook until

vegetables are done. Meat may be removed from the bone when tender and cut in small pieces to be served in the soup. Serve twelve.

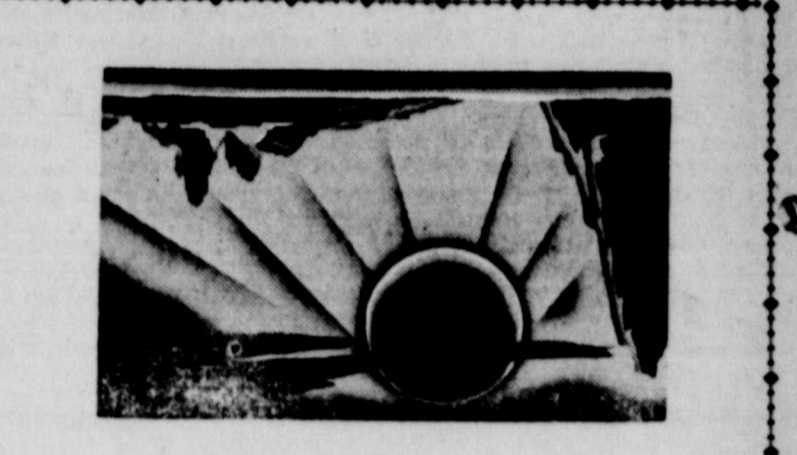
## DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Miss Katherine Henderson, deputy state superintendent, stationed at San Angelo, was killed in an automobile collision near Brady Wednesday afternoon. She was en route home when the collision occurred that caused almost instant death from a broken neck.

Miss Henderson spent two weeks in this county in September and the first part of October inspecting the common district schools in company with County Superintendent E. C. Grindstaff.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Mixon will leave tomorrow (Friday) for Mason, where they will make their future home.

The carryover of domestic wool in the United States at the beginning of the new marketing season—April 1—was the smallest in recent years.



"Simple Elegance"  
are two words that describe the EVENPRAYER service that begins this Sunday evening at 6:15 o'clock in the Sanctuary of the Church. Candle-lighted, the program begins with an organ recital presented by Miss Iola Clayton. Special music precedes the meditation brought by the Minister. The benediction is pronounced at 7:00 o'clock. You leave the Sanctuary as quietly as you enter, the soul at peace with God. Regardless of creed, you are welcome to be in Sanctuary away from the woes and wars of this world.

## First Christian Church

Wm. Mack Weaver, Minister

### Safeway's CANNED FOOD Sale

<p><b>Stokely's KRAUT</b> 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 23c</p> <p><b>Stokely's Honey Pod PEAS</b> 2 cans 25c</p> <p><b>Garden Side PEAS</b> 3 16-oz. cans 25c</p> <p><b>Fine Granulated SUGAR</b> 10 lb. cloth bag 47c</p> <p><b>Airway Fresh COFFEE</b> 2 1 lb. pkgs. 25c</p> <p><b>Sleepy Hollow SYRUP</b> 26-oz. tin 32c</p> <p><b>Granulated Soap SU-PURB</b> 24-oz. pkg. 15c</p> <p><b>No Scrub - No Boil RINSO</b> 23 1/2-oz. pkg. 19c</p> <p><b>Emerald Bay SPINACH</b> 2 No. 2 cans 23c</p>	<p><b>Lima Beans</b> Stokely's Garden Fresh 2 No. 2 cans 25c</p> <p><b>Catsup</b> Stokely's 2 14-oz. bottles 25c</p> <p><b>Vegetables</b> Stokely's Mixed 17-oz. can 10c</p> <p><b>Snowdrift</b> Quick Mixing 3 lb. tin 43c</p> <p><b>Royal Satin</b> Speedy Mix Shortening 3 lb. tin 39c</p> <p>Cherub MILK 3 tall, 6 small 19c</p> <p>Castle Crest SOAP 2 bars 11c</p> <p>Sunny Dawn Tomato JUICE 23-oz. can 10c</p> <p>Town House Grapefruit JUICE 3 No. 2 cans 20c</p> <p>JELL-WELL 3 pkgs. 10c</p> <p>Sunshine Butter COOKIES 11-oz. pkg. 14c</p> <p>Little Rascal TAMALES No. 2 can 10c</p> <p>Van Camp's PORK &amp; BEANS 3 16-oz. 17c</p> <p>Camay SOAP 2 bars 11c</p> <p>Lifebuoy SOAP 2 bars 11c</p> <p>P. &amp; G. SOAP 3 bars 10c</p> <p>White King Granu. SOAP 24-oz. pkg. 19c</p> <p>Mammy Lou MEAL 20 lb. sack 49c</p> <p>96-100 Size PRUNES 3 lb. cello 19c</p> <p>Argo CORN STARCH lb. box 9c</p> <p>Vigo DOG FOOD 3 No. 1 cans 14c</p>
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**Fancy Louisiana Valentine Green Beans** . lb. 5c

Oregon Celery stalk 9c

New Mexico Cabbage lb 1 1/2c

Fancy Colorado Cauliflower head 10c

Idaho Rural Potatoes 10 lbs. 15c

Texas 288 Size Oranges 2 doz. 25c

Texas 96 Size Grapefruit doz. 25c

Jonathan 216 Size Apples doz. 10c

<p><b>Chuck Roast</b> Choice Baby Beef lb. 17c</p> <p>Dry Salt Jowls lb. 8c</p> <p>U. S. Gov't. Inspected Pure Lard 4 lb. ctn. 29c</p>	<p>Sliced or Piece Bologna lb. 12c</p> <p>Pure Pork Sausage 2 lbs. 25c</p>
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