Victory Gardens and More Feed B. C. D. 1943 Goals

Now Being Issued

In 7 Communities

began today in seven Runnels

county communities and will con

one of these booths and secure

Superintendent Nat Williams announced Wednesday that the elementary school would be open two evenings to take care of those who could not register in the daytime. He requested that all who could to please register before evening as only half a crew would be on duty after the supper hour. The following schedule was announced:

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY 9:00 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. 7:00 p. m. to 9:00 p. m. SATURDAY 9:00 a. m. to 1:00 p. m.

many who must obtain books.

made for book No. 2.

coffee and shoes.

B. C. D. WILL AID IN DRIVE

less than anticipated.

TO COLLECT KITCHEN FATS

The Ballinger Board of Com-

cool place for sale later to mar-

Clifford Howell, of Abilene,

visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

C. L. Howell.

ment for two weeks.

Directors of the Ballinger Board No. 2 Ration Books session Thursday night added five rural members to the planning board, voted to sponsor victory gardens, authorized a typewriter survey by the organization for the war department, and voted to lurge an increase in cotton acreage in the county as a means of my the feed situation. the annual meeting of the

organization an amendment was the naming of five additional board, the five new members to be No. 2 books for the various family from the rural section around Ballinger. At the meeting Thursday night a vote was taken and Hamp Byler, P. R. Dietz, W. J. Halfmann, J. Milton Clayton and Curtis Barrett were elected to membership. They will serve with the five local men already on the board to suggest projects in the 1943 program for the B. C. D. committees and directors to work

The organization also voted to sponsor victory gardens and to give every encouragement possible to such work, especially in the town of Ballinger. Speakers pointed out the amount of food that could be raised in flower beds without using any additional water for irrigation. Indications were had already started this work.

department, the B. C. D. will make a survey of the city of Ballinger to see how many typewriters. made since 1935, are in use and government to use in the war effort. A letter received the past week stated that 209,000 such be filled out and brought back to this section. machines are wanted and sug- the registrars when application is gested how they might be obtained. The government will pay | Each person registering for a has such a machine to sell, he is asked to telephone the B. C. D. The registrant must also present ration book No. 1 but this book For some time the feed situating on the high school campus.

Section to feed livestock.

The registrant must also present ration book No. 1 but this book ration below the feed situation book No. 1 but this book ration book No. 1 but this book ration below the feed situation book No. 1 but this book ration below the feed situation below the

for at this time. no cottonseed meal or cake avail- purchase. able, that soy bean cake was

stock areas. John A. Barton, O. T. Toney Friday so all all Saturday morning feeds. and other familiar with the situa- could be open for people from the To date no relief has been tion stated the reason for the rural sections of the community. extreme shortage was the reduction in cotton acreage over the heaviest run on canned goods last past few years and nothing would Saturday in the history of their stepped up this year. improve the condition except to business here. get the government to approve a bigger acreage and turn farmers loose to plant enough to restore the feed situation. A motion was passed to write letters to congresssupport and to require that all munity Development has been cotton produced be gathered

Farm labor was discussed and fats that it lend its support to the committees asked to keep informed effort to get more waste kitchen in regard to what was being done to relieve this need over the

Practically all members of the board were present for this important session

Ritz Theatre Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

"GONE WITH THE WIND"

Two performances Daily Matinee 1:30 p. m. Night 7:30 p. m. No tickets sold after feature is started.

Admission Children 20c-Adults 50c

Last time in Ballinger

Income Tax Returns Individual Partnership Corporations

JACK NIXON

Ballinger, Texas

Actual Fighting Pictures of Battle of Buna



True the Australians drove the Japs out of Buna, but they paid a price. Coming from the battlefield is the long line of stretcher bearers (left), taking the wounded to a dressing station in the rear. Right: Look at the angle of this Australian-manned mortar, which seems to point straight into the sky. As a matter of fact, there is a slight angle, so that the shells will fall on the fleeing Japs, who are less than 100 yards away.

Ballinger Mill to Crush Soy Beans Next Month

elementary school and all teachers and a number of students are H. W. Lvnn, manager of the assisting in the big task. Schools West Texas Cottonoil Company that a number of the directors where booths are located had holi- plant at Ballinger announced this days Thursday and Friday to week that the local mill had been permit teachers to serve as regis- allocated enough soy beans to trars and to provide space for the continue operations through the month of March. He stated that All newspapers have printed the mill would finish its run on consumer declaration sheets and cottonseed next Tuesday and this week one was handed each would then start crushing soy school child asking him to take beans as fast as possible to help county to again start knitting and the form home to his parents to supply protein for livestock of yarn has been received for

supply of cottonseed products large number of garments. prices in line with these in effect at this time for these machines tion sheet listing the number of the person registering for a would be exhaused when the mill supervisors, Mrs. E. C. Tinsley at this time for these machines tion sheet listing the number of ended the run Tuesday. He and Mrs. Troy Simpson, announced This survey will be made at once, cans of rationed food in posses- expects the soy bean meal and Wednesday that yarn would be but in case anyone is missed and sion of the family on February 21. cake to be a great help in this issued tomorrow (Friday) after-

office and list the machine or will be returned after inspection, tion in this area has been acute and all knitters are urged to come machines. No portables are asked to be used for purchases of sugar, and every effort has been made by for theirs or send someone Sales of rationed fruits, vege- is apparently none to be had. The gasoline or tires for delivery of Morris, attended the Ballinger tion. Reports indicated there was taken from book two for each increase in livestock feeding has to see that someone calls for their brought on an urgent shortage yarn, instruction sheet, etc., and Supt. Nat Williams stated that and there is little relief in sight it will be issued for immediate Angelo prior to his appointment as scarce, and peanut cake would be the registration booth in Ballinger unless farmers are permitted to work. only a drop in the bucket com- would remain open until Saturday boost cotton acreage and provide Asked for in this first half of pared with the need in the live- noon. He urged that residents of the seed after the next harvest the present quota are: the city proper register today and for the manufacture of protein

> granted in the cotton program, Ballinger grocers reported the but much work is being done in an effort to get the acreage

Good Progress Being Made on Water Line, Road to Flying Field asked by the salvage division of

fats to the meatmarkets. Various Good progress is being made on army and navy. It was antici-and returned Sunday night to his are eligible for enlistment. The most cases managers will be asked fat conservation drive but to date the Harman Training Center. The pated that there would be an post. the amount collected has been far new water line is nearing com-

manager, stated Monday that teen new fire plugs have been urged at once. every effort would be made to installed for ample fire protecencourage housewives to strain tion.

and keep their kitchen fats in a spent the past week-end here, date. The pump houses have been hope that enough will call for relatives and friends. Alvin Hallmark, 10-month-old pumps will be set up near the each. son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hall- Texas Compress Co. plant to The last of the quota issued base in Florida for a visit with mark, has been dismissed from the boost water through the line and several months ago is being relatives and friends. local hospital where he underwent another will be installed at the turned in this week. The followan operation and received treat- field to build up pressure when ing articles were reported: Mrs.

ready for topping as fast as pos- one helmet.

Yarn to be Issued For Knitting Quota Friday Afternoon

The American Red Cross has

noon at the home economics cot- Morris of Ballinger, are in class

42 sleeveless sweaters 24 turtle-neck sweaters 18 pairs of gloves 18 mufflers

Navy Blue 20 turtle-neck sweaters

8 helmets Knitters will have until May 1 n which to complete the gar-

Since February, 1942, approximately 1,900 pounds of yarn have Major Ross Murchison, of Camp Women and girls, 21 through 45 offices of professional men.

drums and shipped to ammunition pipe has been covered. The line chapters throughout the nation pard Field for a special course release men for combat duty. call was held last fall and at that factories for making war explo- extends from the city limits to for fast work to take care of the before receiving another assign- Foreign service is not compulsory time national headquarters sugthe field and a network covers urgent need of our own men and ment. J. A. Killough, B. C. D. secretary- the building area where seven- shipment of garments on hand is

> K. V. Northington, city secre- week of articles completed week-end for a visit with relatives. tary, stated this week that pumps recently from the last of the 1942 for the line probably would not quota. At the same time all garfinished and installing the pumps yarn Friday afternoon, so that no will be a small matter. Two person need make more than one

> required. Other pumps already in Fred Holliday, one turtle-neck of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Hale, left service at wells will remain there navy sweater. Wingate women, San Antonio Monday night for and lines will be connected with three navy sweaters; O. D. sleeve- Fort Des Moines, Iowa, where she less-Mrs. Myrta Harshaw, Mrs. will begin training in the women's Work on the new road also is Joe Flynt, Mrs. G. A. Swann, Mrs. army auxiliary corps. There were progressing satisfactorily. All Ford Taylor, Mrs. Ernest Caskey, fifty WAACs in this contingent. grading has been completed and Mrs. John Currie, and eight from the caliche base will be finished Wingate. Wingate women also

> Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Avey went to ruote has been erected and when Cuero the past week-end for a and baby are visiting this week in topping is completed the road will visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Underwood.

in the naval aviation school. They will visit Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Macune and other relatives and

Corporal Alex J. Halfmann has een transferred to the army air has written for The Ledger to be

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simpson of roll call immediate work, with two months Coleman, has arrived somewhere Mr. Lynn stated that the local in which to finish and ship a in India. Attached to the armament section of the army air corps, he left the States about

> Fifteen Texans, including Luther cadets to begin training at the Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. an aviation cadet.

dricks of Ballinger.

stationed at Mills Field, San whether she will be accepted. Bruno, California, has been pro- Mrs. Parrish is moving her office Teams have been formed for the geant. He is the son of Mr. and more women and girls in a down- day morning. Mr. Behringer said ments and shipment is due on Mrs. M. R. Brown, formerly of this town office. Every effort is being no part of the city would be

The Runnels county chapter stationed at the bombardier school. will make a large shipment this San Angelo, was here the past

arrive by the end of this month ments in the present quota must at the Lubbock army flying field, this afternoon to undergo major but were expected at an early be issued and the supervisors apent the week-end here with surgery.

> Ensign and Mrs. John Hollingsworth are here this week from his

Corporal Fred Wellhausen, of within the next ten working days. turned in one helmet and one Kelly Field, was here the first of The base will be rolled and made afghan, and Mrs. George Holman the week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Well-

Lieut, and Mrs. Taylor Henley

Red Cross War Campaign Will Start Here Monday

34 Youths Leave Here for Military

entering military service was at issued and information given. the Central Hotel Tuesday mornmen leave for a reception center, action and to Tuesday had turned was to take them away.

The high school band provided in the community.

Cigerattes and candy were the drive the Ballinger Board of Community men Development.

Those leaving Tuesday had already had their physical examinations and were ready to enter reception centers and be assigned to special branches of the armed services. The contingent included recruits for the army, coast guard and navy. Soon after arriving at Mineral Wells they will be assigned and sent to training camps. Every

WAAC Applications In Runnels County Are Far from Quota

corps, announced Monday that she will be handled through the regard to the feed situation and tables and dried foods will be decrease in cotton acreage over a the yarn and for that reason the effect on livestock in this secthe effect on livestock in this section. Reports indicated there was 1939 to 1942. He was employed by the Lone Star Gas Co. at San Saturday afternoon from 2 to 6 Sam Behringer is chairman of o'clock to give information and the Ballinger group and will hold interview anyone interested in a meeting of all local workers Frisigning up. She also announced day afternoon at 2:30 in the court the appointment of Roberta Moore house. Supplies and information Sherman Hendricks, now stationed as colored chairman in Ballinger. will be passed out and territory at the army air base in Salinas, Mrs. Parrish said she had inter- assigned the squads.

California, has been promoted to view a number of prospects in the Members of the Junior Women's the rank of corporal. Sherman, city but that sign-ups were coming Club will conduct the drive in the better known as "Cotton," is the in slow, only one asking for an residential sections of the city, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hen- examination. The one applicant and will make a door-to-door can-Sergeant Doyle H. Brown, now complete tests before it is known tunity to make a contribution to

moted to the rank of staff ser- because she believes she can see downtown canvass, to begin Monmade to secure this county's quota missed and that special squads of eleven this month.

been distributed by the Red Cross Hood, spent the week-end here, years of age, who can pass the Suggestions will be made to and made into garments for the visiting his wife and children, physical and mental examinations firms of amounts if desired and in pletion and with the exception of load but and the series of load but and the series of load and the series of loa 1943, but conditions have changed been transferred from Coffeyville, present to obtaining this number men call. Especially is attention called to the installation of three pumps, and the organization is now the fact that markets will pay will be completed by February 28. and the organization is now the fact that markets will pay will be completed by February 28. This is the heaviest war time fact that markets will pay unable to meet the requests from falls. He was at home the first of recruits are signed up they are call ever made by the Red Cross All the line to the field and the field directors at army posts and the week for a visit with his sent to camps and schools for and is supposed to take care of brought to authorized receivers.
These fats are later put in large laid and tested and much of the happeals are being made to all derson, and will return to Shep-be detailed to army camps to during the current year. No roll to the happeals are being made to all was held last fall and at that and a WAAC can sign up for duty gested that it be postponed until in the United States only. A spring when the drive was made Sergeant Robert Clark, now large number, however, are signi- for war funds. fying preference for foreign service if needed.

Corporal J. Theo Isbell, stationed to the Halley & Love Sanitarium

Mrs. Gertrude Woods INSURANCE

111 S. Eighth Street Texas

The 1943 drive for Red Cross war funds will be launched in Runnels county Monday with every community organized, assigned a make the canvass. Runnels county Reception Center make the canvass. Runnels county \$6.050 to this cause and at a meeting here Saturday of comattend a good-bye party for men munity chairmen materials were

G. L. Fagan, chairman at Noring at 9 o'clock see thirty-four ton, was the first leader to begin were young, included some of 19 quota. He attended the meeting years old and other younger here Saturday afternoon, launched volunteers. The fact of their youth the drive at Norton Sunday, and made the parting harder for rela- with a quota of \$200 went over tives and it was a solemn occasion the top in short order and Tuesas the boys entered the bus that day turned in over \$224, with a number of others vet to be seen

a brief concert as the men E. Shepperd is county chairman assembled for roll call and to hear and J. D. Motley will direct the a few words of farewell by R. W. campaign in the north end of the Earnshaw. He told them of the county. Mr. Shepperd met all job they were getting ready to community chairmen for the south perform and wished them God's half of the county Saturday and speed in their undertaking, assur- has details planned for the drive ing them of a welcome home some to begin Monday. Most of the

passed to each boy, compliments! The following quotas were of the Fannie Stephens Club and accepted by the community chair-

> Ballinger, \$2,500 Rowena, \$300 Miles, \$300 Norton, \$200 Humble Pump Station, \$100 Sweet Home, \$50 Hatchel, \$100 Olfen, \$150 Brookshier, \$50 Kristoff, \$50 Groenwald, \$50 Spring Hill, \$100 Blanton, \$100 Millar, \$100 Cross Roads, \$75 Benoit, \$100 Hagan, \$100 Dry Ridge, \$100 Bethel, \$100 Maverick, \$100

Mrs. Buster Parrish, Ballinger Harman Training Center, has

was sent to Abilene this week and vass. It is planned to give every will go from there to Dallas to resident of Ballinger an opporthis cause.

have been named to visit unstairs

nation quota is 150,000 enlistments to canvass their own employees and all army recruiting stations and have the individual and firm

Actual statements by people well known here of the splendid work being done by the Red Cross are Mrs. H. Ford Taylor was taken expected to cause the quota to be

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\$250.00 Reward Runnels County Livestock

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Women's, Society and Club News

cogular bi-monthly meeting Thurs- ice cream. Novelty toys were muffins and coffee. afternoon at the club room favors. the Army and Navy Club.

at the business session, Mrs. Tracst Caskey heard a report were: Martha Neil and Robert Mc- G. Agnew, Raymond McShan, Roy from the program chairman, Mrs. Alpine, Janice and Jimmy Church, Neal, Jack Dempsey, E. H. King, Morace Murphy. The club voted Robert Wilson, Joy Lengefeld, Gary Tom McEntire, Walter Middleton, to continue meeting twice a month McShan, Margaret Jane Miller, J. G. Douglass, John Hollingsworth, for the duration.

Mrs. C. R. Stephens was program leader with a theme of cur- chison, Bobbie McMillan, Johnnie rent affairs, from Time Magazine. Jackson, Malcolm Hall, Jo Beth All members participated in the and Bill Johnson, Keith Nutt, quiz program. Mrs. Horace Murphy Susan and Lynn Herring and Marwon first place, Mrs. Ford Taylor garet Ann Adair. second, and Mrs. Leonard Stallings

Others present were: Mmes. E. H. Forgy, James W. Guynes, W. J. dembree, Horace Murphy, Alex bunders, C. P. Shepherd, A. B. Stobaugh, Ford Taylor, Leonard Stallings and Sim Cottelle.

. . . Martha Kay Northington is Four

afternoon. Games were played Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Ben Denny

and the white birthday cake, read a paper on "Grace for This lowed by a roundtable discussion.] Tuesday which was decorated with red Day." The Shakespeare Club met in its candles was cut and served with Cherry pudding was served with was served with coffee.

> Mrs. Neil McAlpine and Mrs. J. Sharon Tuckey, Sarah Chandler, J. D. Forman of Abilene, Tom Jon Edwin Schnable, Dickie Mur- Forgey, and Miss Alexander.

Virginia Douglass Class

Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., Mrs. J. D. were hostesses to the Methodist vidual handwork was done. Virginia Douglass Class Friday | Cherry pie was served with herd, and R. A. Dickinson. evening in the Jack Nixon home on Twelfth Street.

The patriotic theme was stressed O. Middleton, Ross Causey, Jessie Martha Kay Northington was with red, white and blue tapers Ward, Fred Middleton, Leon Rustay anniversary when her mother, where Mrs. W. O. Irby directed Tinsley. Wrs. K. V. Northington gave a the business and Mrs. E. C. Tinsparty for her in their home Friday ley gave the devotional and the

The Japs Made

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On December 7, 1941, the Japanese cut the United

Fortunately, America is a great fats and oils produc-

Cottonseed is one of our major oilseeds because of

Nations off from large supplies of oils that are essential for food and industrial uses—fats and oils that help to

ing region. Our animal fats, such as butter and lard, and our vegetable oils, such as cottonseed oil, peanut oil and

others, are great national assets. We are producing more

climate, experience and other factors, many local farmers

can produce needed vegetable oil more efficiently in the form of cottonseed than in any other way. For this reason, we all owe a debt of gratitude to our cotton

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Others present were: Mmes. Jack Hampton, Edward Sommer, Elbert

. . . Sew and Chat Club Meets

Mrs. Walter Kuhn was an added guest when Mrs. Tom McIntire was hostess to the Sew and Chat Club members on Friday after-Three Are Hostesses to Methodist noon in her home on Tenth

Potted plants were used to deco-Jordon, and Mrs. Myles Nixon rate the living room where indi-

Others present were: Mmes. W.

Alathean Class Makes Red Cross

Mrs. Hubert Parrish, Mrs. R. E. Truly and Mrs. Lee Sykes were hostesses to the First Baptist cream, was served with coffee. Alathean Class in the parlors of the church on Eighth Street last

Mrs. A. O. Bartlett directed the business session. The remainder of the afternoon was spent quilting a Red Cross quilt. This class has completed two Red Cross quilts this month.

The hostesses served mince pie with coffee to: Mmes. Bartlett, C. W. Jennings, Roy Holstead, Lottie Faris, Everitt Witter, Fred Holliday and R. P. Canady.

. . . Dance for New Cadet Class

Ballinger and surrounding towns, accompaniments. About seventy-five cadets with Social hour hostesses, Mrs. Paul Services:

Members of the committee and spiced tea. their wives were: Rev. J. C. John-Others present were: Mmes

Methodist Circles Meet

Circles of the Methodist W. S C. S. met Monday in three groups in the regular fourth Monday meetings.

Mrs. W. E. Middleton and Mrs. E. C. Tinsley were hostesses to Sally Odom members in the Middleton home on Tenth Street. Rooms were decorated with potted plants where Mrs. Lemmie Davis, chairman, directed the short busi- Sunday ness routine. Mrs. A. B. Legate gave the Bible study lesson, the first chapter of the book, "Can a Man Rob God?" This was fol-

A sandwich plate with cookies

Others present were: Mmes. T. P. Brown, J. T. Brandon, W. R. Clark, J. M. Borders, Charles C. Johnson assisted. Included King, Henry Moody, Bill Clark, H. Harris, A. B. Fields and Ross

> Mrs. John Loveless presided over the business, when Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw, Mrs. John Weeks and Miss Alice Morgan entertained the Ettie Gressett Circle in the Earnshaw home in Wilke Terrace. Mrs. Weeks gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Tom Caudle directed the lesson. Bouquets of daffodils decorated the living rooms where the hostesses served a sandwich plate with boiled cus-

tard and cookies with coffee. Others present were: Mmes. W E. Midgley, Leonard Scales, W. E. Wednesday: Shipp, O. R. O'Neill, C. P. Shep-

Mrs. Cal Adair was hostess to the Etta Burroughs Circle with enjoy these services with us. the chairman, Mrs. Jack Nixon, Sr., directing the business. Mrs. Eighth Street Presbyterian Church. honor guest on her fourth birth- and arrangements of red primroses sell, W. R. Murphy and E. C. M. E. McClenney gave the Scripture reading and Mrs. J. G. Douglass led the lesson

> The George Washington theme was emphasized in room decorations and on the refreshment plates. Cherry pie, topped with

Others were: Mmes. Viola Allison, Cecil Jones and W. O. Middleton.

Mrs. Saunders Inspirational Leader for Presbyterian Auxiliary

Mrs. Alex Saunders was director for the monthly inspirational program when the First Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary met at the church Monday afternoon.

Bouquets of daffodils decorated the church parlors where the subject, "Christian World Outlook" was discussed following the singing of "Faith of Our Fathers." The Army and Navy Club com- Mrs. Frank Pearce gave the devomittee was host Saturday evening tional, "Trust in God Assures Vicwith a formal dance at the club tory." Mrs. C. R. Stephens' topic to honor Class 43-G, new cadets was "Christianity in the World of at Bruce Field. with the upper Tommorow." The group sang "In class members also included as Christ There is no East nor West. guests, together with girls from Mrs. Alex McGregor played piano

their dates danced to nickelodeon Trimmier and Miss Jennie Bennett, served cream puffs with hot p. m

son, Messrs, and Mmes. Troy Bruce Creasy, George Harwell Simpson, Harry Lynn, Claude Emma Godwin of Waco, Grace Stone, Alex McGregor, and a Thomas, George Holman, Victor visitor, Mrs. Fred Turner, of Fort Miller, W. B. Woody, Jack Mc-Gregor, Harry Lynn, R. F. Zedlitz Winter Schedule: and Warren Lynn.

Junior G. A., 5 p. m., Mrs. W. E. Elkins, councillor.

Deacons' meeting, 8 p. m Wednesday Sunday school meeting, 7 p. m.

Special young people's meeting, The public is invited to worship

with us CLARENCE A. MORTON, Pastor

Eighth Street Church of Christ

9:45 a. m., Bible school. 10:45 a. m., preaching service. 11:45 a. m., communion ser-

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

7:30 p. m., evening service. Monday: 4:00 p. m., ladies' Bible class.

7:30 p. m., prayer meeting ser-Everyone is invited to come and

Sunday, February 28, 1943: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school.

11:00 a. m., morning worship. 8:00 p. m., evening worship. W. A. ERWIN, Pastor

Foursquare Church (104 North Twelfth Street) Where you're a stranger but once." Services

Sunday 10:00 a. m., Sunday school, Mrs. Dollie Bollier, superinten-

dent. 11 a. m., communion service 7:30 p. m., junior Crusader service. Boys and girls, come.

8:15 p. m., evangelistic service Thursday 8:00 p. m., prayer meeting. Please come to these services. Revs. Lale E. and Lydia M. Green,

First Christian Church (Broadway and Murrell)

Co-Pastors

Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Worship, 11 a. m. and 6 p. m. Come and join the fellowship. J. T. SIMMONS, Minister

> Church of Christ (1100 Ninth Street)

Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. You are always welcome. L. W. HAYHURST. Minister

St. Mary's Catholie Church (608 Sixth Street) (Telephone 521)

Mass first, third and fifth Sundays and Holidays of Obligation at 8:30 a. m. Second and fourth

Sundays at 11:00 a. m. Week-day mass at 8:00 a. m. FATHER EDW. B. POSTERT,

Church of the Nazarene (Ninth and Harris) Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. N. Y. P. S., 7:15 p. m. Evening worship, 8:15 p. m.

Grace Baptist Church

WAYNE SEARS, Pastor

(10th and Phillips) 'An Independent Baptist Church' Raymond C. Wilson, Pastor Jim Hash, S. S. Superintendent WEEKLY SERVICES:

Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Sermon, 8 p. m.

Wednesday Prayer meeting, 8 p. m. A cordial invitation to all

Church of God

(Corner Sixth and Strong) Preaching service and Sunday chool, 2:30 to 4:00 p. m. Junior worship, 7:15 p. m. Young people's service, T:30 p.

Evening evangelistic service,

Mid-week prayer service, Wednesiny, 8:00 p. m.

A Christian welcome to all. GEORGE R. HARRINGTON,





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First Presbyterlan Church (301 Broadway)

9:30 a. m., Young People's

9:45 a. m., church school. Classes for all ages.

11 a. m., morning worship. Sermon subject, "Love Divine." 6 p. m., evening worship. Sermon subject, "Turning Back."

4 p. m., Auxiliary busines meeting. 3:30 p. m., executive board

meeting Wednesday

7:30 p. m., prayer service. The public is cordially invited to all worship services. J. C. JOHNSON, Pastor.

First Methodist Church Sunday, February 28, 1943:

Church school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Evening service, 7:45 p. m. Intermediate and Youth Fellowship, 7:00 p. m.

W. E. SHIPP, Pastor

First Baptist Church (400 Eighth Street) Sunday, February 28:

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Judge E. C. Grindstaff, superin-Sermon by pastor at 11 a. m.

'The Gospel of a Second Chance' Cadet Fellowship, 5 p. m.

Training Union, 6:30 p. m. Sermon by pastor at 7:30 p. m Ambassadors"-Obadiah

ACTIVITIES OF THE WEEK: Monday Sunbeam Band, 3 p. m., Mrs.

Mark Davis, leader. From 3 until 5 p. m., the Woman's Missionary Society will observe Week of Prayer program in behalf of home missions in cooperation with the churches of the Southern Baptist Conven-

A. chapter, 5 p. m., Mrs



Bettis & Sturges



Real All-Star Cast Portrays Dramatic 'Tales of Manhattan'

an idea for a screenplay that torn out of the depths of terror. would cut the very heart out of to be shown at the Texas Theatre old New York and lay it before tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday. of its dramatic existence.

would dare to gamble on such a at which they excel.

The engagement extends through Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, DESPITE HITLER THEY STILL February 28 and March 1, 2. The film has been hailed by no less an authority that Walter Winchell as LONDON, Feb. 24.—The light seen!" And it has been acclaimed out of the occupied countries. The with equal enthusiasm wherever Dutch tell of a comedian in Holit has played. And no wonder! land who comes crawling into the Imagine all of these stars in one stage. "Two years ago I had a picture: Charles Boyer, Rita Hay- car," he tells his audience. "When Laughton, Henry Fonda, Edward line I bought a bicycle. The tires G. Robinson, Paul Robeson, Ethel could not be replaced and I had go yet, brother!

Johnson choir, Roland Young, Elsa be driving my car." Lanchester, George Saunders and From Norway comes the story of

every sequence of the entire film you touch a hair on his head I'll Victor H. Schoffelmayer, Frank

Chills and Thrills in "Dr. Renault's him all to myself!" Secret" and Hard Riding in Western

Was this strange creature man or ape? Did he have a right to

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

Three years ago two men, Boris love? The thrilling answer is "Dr. Morros and S. P. Eagle, conceived Renault's Secret," a gripping film old New York and lay it before tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday. America's moviegoers to behold in In addition the program contains lars, making 32 teeth in the permaall its reckless adventure, hilarious a fast-action western, "Down nent set. humor, and palpitating romance— Texas Way," featuring the "Rough Q: Do people ever get three sets indeed, in all of the fabulous facets Riders," and several short sub- Q: of teeth? Why? indeed, in all of the fabulous facets Riders," and several short sub-

jects. The story, to be sure, was a An impressive cast headed by J. natural, but would require a cast Carrol Naish, John Shepperd, as supernumerary teeth. This, howof stars unprecedented in the Lynne Roberts and George Zucco ever, is an unusual and abnormal history of motion pictures and a have parts in "Dr. Renault's condition. staff of writers specializing in Secret," an unusual picture with every human emotion from humor an eye for suspense and chills, Q: times come much too early to pathos. What studio, then, the type of entertainment thrills the second molars coming before

But Morros and Eagle perse- amazing adventures of a young Has this anything to do with diet? vered and 20th Century-Fox dared American doctor, who goes to pre-to gamble. The result, "Tales of war Paris to collaborate with an A: wisdom teeth erupt between Manhattan" it's called, debuts eccentric French scientist, who the 17th and 21st year. Occasionally, locally at the Texas Theatre in specializes in tracing the ancestry for no known reason, these teeth nid with preview Saturday night, of man. The young American gets just as its producers conceived it. more than his share of excitement.

JEST IN OCCUPIED EUROPE to do with this condition.

"one of the greatest films I've ever side of things persists in trickling worth, Ginger Rogers, Charles we were no longer allowed gaso-Waters and "Rochester." But don't to walk. My shoes can't be repaired and so I am crawling. There's Thomas Mitchell, too, Had I started to crawl when the and Eugene Pallette, Cesar Romero, Germans occupied our country two Gail Patrick, the celebrated Hall years ago I am sure I should still

a guest at a private party who To match the brilliance of these said he would like to wring the stars, the finest writers in Holly- neck of Arne Vaage, notorious house . . . from Park Avenue to "Did you say at So-and-so's party recognize the critical shortage of Hell's Kitchen. A story blending that you would like to wring Arne protein feeds and other needed drama, comedy, music, romance Vaage's neck?" "Yes!" stoutly war materials, a survey by the and stirring action in a big-time replied the patriot, expecting the National Cottonseed Products show, it is so conceived that Gestapo to fetch him shortly. "If Association shows. give you hell!" shouted the voice A. Briggs, T. C. Richardson, Ferdie at the end of the line. "I want Deering and other widely-known, facilities to get the job done."

LITTLE LEFT FOR WORKERS

Feb. 24.—Clothing coupon requirements are such that workmen and editorials, include: have little left for purchase of FRANK A. BRIGGS, IN "FARM now bring out the fact that Okla- Vivien Leigh, are now both aiding ordinary attire after obtaining the AND RANCH": "We may get by homa has in prospect less than in the war effort, Gable at the necessary overalls for work. At the present emergency without one-fourth of the protein feeds El Paso air field as an enlisted least four suits of overalls or four serious loss, but there is just one needed for the number of live- man, and Miss Leigh working in jackets and four pairs of trousers logical way to avoid a similar situ- stock in the state. Texas has a British war factory. are needed by plant workers, ation a year from now, and that something less than half enough clothing, it was declared.

Read grocery ads and save.

vast and expensive undertaking? The story, briefly, concerns the

WEEK-END HITS AT THE **Texas Theatre**

Matinee Every Day at 2 p. m .- Continuous Showing Afternoons (Except Saturday and Sunday) 11c and 25c Nights-Adults 25c and 30c-Children 11c

> TWO BIG SHOWS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Hit No. 2



MONSTERL Secre\

J. CARROL NAISH - JOHN SHEPPERD YNNE ROBERTS - GEORGE ZUCCO RIP-ROARIN' ACTION . . .

As the Rough Riders plow through hot lead and fast action in this thrill a minute

BUCK JONES TIM McCOY RAYMOND HATTON

"DOWN **TEXAS** WAY"

PLUS CARTOON AND MOVIETONE NEWS

Saturday Mid-Night Show at 11:30 Sunday—Monday—Tuesday

Walter Winchell says:

"One of the most entertaining and exciting pictures I've ever seen!" And we know you'll agree . . . when you see this star-studded hit that blends comedy, drama, music and romance

CHARLES BOYER . RITA HAYWORTH . ROCHESTER GINGER ROGERS • HENRY FONDA • CHAS. LAUGHTON EDW. G. ROBINSON • PAUL ROBESON • ETHEL WATERS

"Tale of Manhattan"

COLOR CARTOON

MOVIETONE NEWS

YOUR DENTAL I. Q.

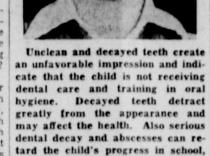
Q: Is it natural for all first teeth to be replaced by new ones,

including the molars? Normally, all of the 20 first or which the individual receives 12 mo-

People do not receive a third A: set of teeth. Occasionally, peo-

the fourteenth year of life and the last molars (wisdom teeth) coming shortly after the sixteenth birthday?

year. Occasionally the third molars are impacted and do not erupt at all. We doubt that diet has much ence on behavior and social relation-



with consequent far-reaching influ-

Send questions with self-addressed, stamped envelope, to American Dental Association, 212 East Superior street, Chicago, Ill.

Must Increase Cotton in 1943 To Meet Needs

(Editor's Note: This is one article of a series, "Feed to Speed War Production," published by the West Texas Cottonoil Company to help the "Food for Freedom" pro-

Immediate steps to increase cot-

experienced agricultural and live-

1943. Let us plant the full legal ments. Other states are short." acreage, control insects, and use T. C. RICHARDSON, WRITING every other practical means of IN "EAST TEXAS": "Texas has increasing acre yields."

greatest food crops in all the Texas' own needs of food and feed world, when we keep on reducing than is permitted under present

"Your Bargain House"

Adults 25c-Kiddies 11c

2 HIT SHOWS

Friday-Saturday-Sunday

Here's No. 1

Plus

FRANK ALBERTSON

JUNE LANG

"City of

Silent Men"

Chapter One of New

Action Serial

And Cartoon

enter CRARRE

Billy the Kid

feed and 240 pounds of cottonseed the past eight seasons? . .

Typical comments from articles of feed, in addition to its value as March 3, 4, 5. a fiber and cash crop. Surveys The stars, Clark Gable and produce more cottonseed in oilseed cake for her own require

the cotton land, the implements, VICTOR H. SCHOFFELMAYER, the know-how and the processing IN "THE DALLAS NEWS": "Are facilities for making a greater we not overlooking one of the contribution to the nation's and cotton acreage in Texas and the regulations. . . With the present Southwest, because that region shortage of manpower and new grows shorter cotton staple than farm implements, it is more the government demands? For important than ever to increase each bale of cotton, produced yields on the acres cultivated. This often on soil which would show no job belongs to the individual proprofit for corn or peanuts, there ducer, on his own farm. The indiis obtained 400 pounds of protein vidual, however, can have little to do with the overall pattern of state and national plans and policies, which do not take full advantage of cotton's merits in the Food for Victory program. Without its by-products, Texas livestock industry would be irrevocably crippled and the nation's food supply greatly reduced. It is up to the cotton producers and their business associates to make this fight for its recognition. What are we going to do about it?"

Cotton's vital part in the war effort is being stressed in similar comments by many other informed editors who fear an even more critical shortage of protein and other needed cottonseed products next fall and winter than at present, unless cotton is declared war crop and farmers are encouraged to produce much more

This information is furnished by the West Texas Cottonoil Co., of

ENGLISH VILLAGE WOMEN MAKE COVERS FOR PLANES

LONDON, Feb. 24.-In Surrey there is an attractive, old-world village called Chpistead. Fifty of its housewives have turned the village hall into a factory where they make aircraft engine covers for the royal air force. It began with twelve housewives

going as volunteers to an aircraft factory to learn how to cut out and stitch the heavy canvas airplane engine covers. After a few weeks' training they hired the village hall for \$15 a week and started their own factory.

> Are you entitled to wear a "target" lapel button? You are if you are investing at least ten percent of your in-

Journey for Margaret' Stars Robert Young, Laraine Day

A dramatic, true-life human THREE LOCAL MEN BECOME interest story of the war "Journey INSTRUCTORS AT AIR SCHOOL and Fat Stock Show, Monahans, for Margaret," written by War Correspondent W. L. White, son of have the leading roles.

made homeless by the air blitz, months. an unfavorable impression and indi- White found 5-year-old Margaret.

The fascinating story on which the picture is based tells how White managed to get little Margaret to Portugal, then brought her to the United States on the Clipper, labeled as baggage. White's book has been applauded as one of the great human documents of the war.

One of the year's most coveted child roles, that of Peter in this picture, was awarded to four-yearold William Severn, youngest member of Hollywood's "acting family. The role is on a part with that of the girl, Margaret, played by fiveyear-old Margaret O'Brien.

RITZ BOOKS "GONE WITH WIND" FOR RESHOWING

hulls-both essential animal feed. The great classics of the screen, If protein feed is scarce and the such as "The Birth of a Nation," North's soybean mills are taxed "The Informer" or "All Quiet on beyond capacity to handle the the Western Front," have been crop just harvested there, why revived from time to time for local should an already overburdened showings, and are still being group of farmers and mills be revived here and there throughout ton acreage are being urged by asked to increase their crop area the country to mark the milewood fashioned the story. It takes quisling. Next morning the patriot many leading editors and agricul- by 1,500 acres this season? Is it stones in the history and growth you from a tenement to a pent- received a call on the telephone. tural writers of the Southwest who not logical to parcel out some of of the movies. The sheer size of this needed increase in our Cotton "Gone with the Wind," however, Belt, where 20,000,000 acres have standing head and shoulders over been retired from cotton during any other picture ever made, the acclaim it has received on its two Texas wants a part in this great previous showings, and the demand protein feed program. It has the of millions of people who have land, the climate, the trained seen the picture before for a farmers, the mills and other chance to see it again, compelled Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, distributors FERDIE DEERING, IN "THE of the production, to release it have called upon the Department FARMER-STOCKMAN"; "The war over the entire country for its AFTER BUYING OVERALLS of Agriculture and other agencies has emphasized to Southwestern third general showing. The film to act promptly and effectively to farmers and to livestock producers is to be presented again at the BELFAST, Northern Ireland, insure more cotton acreage in 1943. everywhere the important posi- Ritz Theatre Wednesday, Thurstion that cotton holds as a source day and Friday of next week,

Three more local men became the famous William Allen White, civilian instructors at the Harman has been fictionalized by Metro- Training Center, Bruce Field, last Goldwyn-Mayer, and comes to the week and were assigned their Ritz Theatre next Saturday, Sun- first students from class 43-H. day, Monday and Tuesday, Feb- Those completing army examinaruary 27 and 28, March 1 and 2. tions to become instructors are said he did not know whether it Robert Young and Laraine Day Tommie Hall, Myles Nixon and Park Kemp.

When White went to England as All three began work the pas a war correspondent, his wife told week-end with four cadets assigned him to bring back an orphan for to each. A number of other local adoption. In the home, operated men have become instructors here by Anna Freud, for young children and have been employed several

> Wasted money is wasted lives. Don't waste precious lives. Every dollar you can spare should be used to buy War Bonds. Buy your ten per cent every pay day.

THEATRE Ballinger

The Home of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer

Admission 10c-25c Saturday, Sunday, Monday,



CAMPBELL ASKED TO JUDGE HORSE SHOW AT MONAHANS

Hugh Campbell, Runnels county ranchman, has been invited to serve as judge of the horse division of the Pecos County Exposition on March 26 and 27.

Mr. Campbell judged horses at this exposition last year and at the request of the board of directors has been asked to perform in this capacity again. He has given no answer to date and would be possible for him to attend this year.



in War Bonds will help to build the planes and tanks that will insure defeat of Hitler and his Axis partners.

THEATRE

Ballinger The Home of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer

Pictures Admission 20c-50c

Wednesday, Thursday and

Friday-March 3-4-5 PREVIOUSLY SHOWN!



buy bonds, pay taxes, donate blood, serve in Civilian Defense and Texas Defense Guardsand still keep an even keel under the barrage of bureaucratic rulings and threats.

. It's a test of individuals, and institutions, and industries.

· And it raises this question: Why are bureau-

crats and crack-pot socialists, who never raised a chicken, a hog, a cow, who never produced an article by manual labor or generated a kilowatt of energy, and who never maintained a payroll or sold a pound of beefsteak ... why are they holding vital posts when the Nation is fighting for survival?

• Why, in time of national emergency, haven't they been replaced by well-balanced men... practical men with training and experience in production and distribution problems?

. Brains and know-how must come to the top in domestic affairs as they have in military

· Of course we're proud that our industry has met the test-and maintained its balance. Service is still good. There has been no increase in cost. And no rationing of electricity!

· These are the accomplishments of experienced men and women under well-balanced business management-the system that made

West Texas Utilities

INVEST IN AMERICA-Buy Wer Bonds and Stemps!

retary the same information

the City Secretary the sum of

\$15.00 for each additional vehicle.

permit to conduct a taxicab busi-

company authorized to do busi-

for injury or death or property

damage resulting from any acci-

painted in fast colors, contrasting

any taxicab owned or used in con-

Section 11. Every holder of a

permit to conduct a taxicab busi-

ness in the City of Ballinger and

between said City and Bruce Field,

shall have each and every taxicab

used in his business inspected once

Point Rationing For Consumers **To Begin Monday**

Ballinger food stores had "no signs on most of their stocks his week while awaiting beginuing of rationing under the new point system next Monday. Canned cruits and vegetables as well as dried foods could not be sold this

up to 2 ounces, 1 point; 2 to 4 There is heavy traffic at the limiting number of passengers to ounces, 2 points; 4 to 6 ounces, 3 library and many more books are be hauled on one trip. ounces, 7 points; 14 to 16 ounces, need for books on aviation and CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS:

8 to 8 ounces, 8 points; 8 to 10 ounces, 10 points; 10 to 14 ounces,

points; 1 pound, 16 points.

accompanying chart of point days.

how the limited supplies shall be tion of books over town. distributed to patrons will be left up to the operators.

JUDGE TRIMMIER BREAKS

knee cap Sunday night when he stationed at the army camp near same driven by some other person. City Secretary of said City of Balfell as he was leaving his house Gainesville. to go in the back yard. He was on the steps leading from the house into the yard when he

Tuesday morning he was taken to Church, wish to thank the Balthe Halley & Love Sanitarium linger Board of Community where the broken bone was wired Development for giving to Malissa firm or corporation shall conduct permit granted under the terms of parts of ordinances in conflict



OPENING

SATURDAY

American

FRED WOODS, Manager

Davis Building, next door to J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. on

Hutchings Avenue

All New and Modern

SUNDAY MENU

Cream of Celery Soup Chilled Tomato Juice Frozen Fresh Fruit Salad

Fried Spring Chicken on Toast, Cream Gravy Grilled Sizzling Sirioin Steak, Drawn Butter

Fried Tenderloin of Trout, Tartar Sauce Pan Fried Pork Chops, Apple Butter Braised Prime Rib Beef, au Jus

Fresh Strawberries or Banana Cream Pie

Regular Drinks

Excellent Chefs - Courteous Waitresses

Pleasing Service

American Cafe

Fresh String Beans

Spiced Muffins

New Potatoes. Delmonico

Hot Rolls

ally to plan for your Sunday dinner at the American.

You are invited to visit us this week-end and especi

Library to Receive

ay, are as follows:

left with the local librarian and be construed to be valid; and proper beans, peas and lentils— will be placed on the shelves here.

left with the local librarian and be construed to be valid; and proper permit he may do so only after he him, any person who does not about \$900.

other technical subjects. With Dried and dehydrated soups-up many men here for a short time cab" as used in this ordinance is

up lists of groceries during March. paign and books donated to this thereof. Rationing will be extended to cause may be left at the library Section 2. By the term "Con-

Skinner and Miss Marryatt Smith KNEE CAP WHEN FALLS returned Monday from a visit to relatives at Gainesville. Mrs.

Thanks from Colored Church

The pastor and members of the church We also thank the The injury will keep him con- many white friends who so liberally donated to her, especially the banks, drug stores and hotel. She was able to raise and report \$100

> M. C. YOUNG, Pastor M L TENNER, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE

Accept Donations

Accept Donations

The Carnegle Library board is striving to render the best possible service to individuals, clubs and rural schools and is asking for suggestions as to books?

An ORDINANCE

Defining a "Taxicab" defining bear a serial number; shall show for any person conducting a taxicab business in the City for the proper protection of the public create an emergency and an imperative or cause to be used or operated, as a taxicab business between the City of Ballinger or between said city and Bruce Field, to use or operated, as a taxicab, any vehicle not of the public necessity requiring that all owned by him.

Section 15. It shall hereafter be dataciabs and the taxicab business in the City for the proper protection of the public create an emergency and an imperative or cause to be used or operated, business in said City and between said city and Bruce Field until the expiration of the 31st day of the conducting a Taxicab business in said City and between said city and Bruce Field until the expiration of the 31st day of the conducting a Taxicab business in the City of Ballinger or between said city and Bruce Field, to use or operated, or cause to be used or operated, or cause to be used or operated, owned by him.

Section 16. The word "person" and all persons and city requiring all persons, firms and corporations before conducting a taxicab business in the City of Ballinger or between said city or cause to be used or operated, or cause to be for suggestions as to books permits; prescribing the contents needed. Lists of books to be purchased may be left with the libchied foods could not be sold this week and grocery stores looked as thought they had practically suspended business with so many litems temporarily "frozen."

The board also will accept donations of good books for the Indianos of good books for April might be increased, ance for April might be increased, allowing more points per person. allowing more points per person. apaign will be conducted and allowing more points will atso be accepted and contains will also be accepted points will stand, it was stated. The point-value of each item was been week and grocery stores looked as those thought they had practically suspended business with so many litems temporarily "frozen."

The board also will accept donations of good books for the local library. During the next few weeks the "victory book" campaign will be conducted and donations will also be accepted for the local library. Those who have books they wish to go to be operated by him under such permit, together with the make, motor number, state license namber and model of each; prohibiting the permit from operating under the regulations of the Railroad Commission of Texas, and coming into or through the more than one vehicle; and if more than one vehicle is proposed to be operated as a taxicab, then shall the sum of the first vehicle; and if more than one vehicle is proposed to be operated as a taxicab, then shall the station of the Railroad Commission of Texas, and coming into or through the more than one vehicle is proposed to be operated as a taxicab, then shall the station of the Railroad Commission of the City of Ballinger for the purpose of locations at a taxicab business in with the city secretary showing more points per person. Section 17. This ordinance shall he station the statement with the city secretary of said City the sum of the Railroad Commission of Texas, and coming into or through the statement with the city secretary of said City of Ballinger for the permit, the permit the statement with the make. The statement with the city secretary showin The point-value of each item was have books they wish to go to carry public liability insurance ment in writing under oath signed said City and Bruce Field, without The point-value of each item was have books they wish to go the point of the property and requiring such politices of insurance to be filed with ordinance, or who shall fail to ordinance. and lentils, plus dehydrated soup deposited there will be shipped at the proper time to army or navy libraries. Other books may be for these items, announced Monfixing a schedule of fares and

points; 6 to 8 ounces, 4 points; 8 needed. With an air school BE IT ORDAINED BY THE to 10 ounces, 5 points; 10 to 14 located here, there is a special CITY COMMISSION OF THE he shall furnish to the City Sec- except when loading or unloading lowed by the sale in which

Section 1 .- By the term "taxito 2 ounces, 2 points; 2 to 4 ounces, during courses at the flying field meant any and all vehicles carry-4 points; 4 to 6 ounces, 6 points; there is also a demand for new ing passengers for hire, except In publishing rules adopted by operated by bus lines over desigthe library board last week one nated routes in and through said Ballinger stores were practically error was made. Books may be City. By the term "Bruce Field" cleaned out of canned goods Satur- kept in the home for two weeks, is meant the air port on fand in day but shelves have been except a few seven-day books. Runnels County, Texas, owned by restocked and preparations made Last week it was said these books said City where cadets for the air could be kept out seven weeks force of the United States Army Housewives are asked to clip the when it should have been seven are being trained by Fred Harman and or Harman Flying School values and put it in the kitchen Many people have been asking under contract with the United where it can be used in making about the "victory book" cam- States of America and agencies

restaurants and other eating places any afternoon from 1 to 6 duct a taxicab business" as used dent, through and by reason of each additional passenger; pro- the work was completed. next Monday but the question of o'clock. There will be no collec- in this ordinance shall be held to the operation of such taxicabs; vided, however, that not more mean the use of one or more taxi- and such policies or certificates of than five (5) passengers shall be cabs within the corporate limits insurance shall be approved by the carried in any one taxicab at a of said City of Ballinger and also City Attorney of said City and time or on any one trip; and probetween Bruce Field and said City filed and left with the City Secreof Ballinger, by the owner thereof, tary of said City of Ballinger, shall charge more than One Dolfor the purpose of carrying pas- Said policies of insurance shall lar (\$1.00) for a trip from said sengers for hire, either by driving not be cancelled or surrendered. City to Bruce Field or from Bruce Judge Paul Trimmier broke a Evans' son, Lieut. Phil Evans, is the same himself or having the except upon written notice to the said City, and no taxicab the same himself or having the except upon written notice to the said City, and no taxicab provided that this definition shall linger. Failure of any permittee passengers between said City and not apply to any licenses chauffeur to procure and file the policies of Bruce Field on any trip. The intent hired as a driver by any person, insurance as required by this sec- of this last provision being to firm, or corporation holding a tion shall immediately forfeit and charge \$1.00 per trip to or from The leg was put in a cast and Tyree Chapel, A. M. E. Methodist permit to conduct a taxicab busi- make null and void such permit Bruce Field regardless of whether ness in said City or between said and all rights thereunder shall at one or up to and including five City and Bruce Field.

clean break with no complica- which to pay off indebtedness on Ballinger or between said City and break with no complica- which to pay off indebtedness on Ballinger or between said City and break that the break that Bruce Field, he shall file with the with color of vehicle, on each side City Secretary of said City, an of each and every vehicle used by application to the City Commis- him as a taxicab, the words sion of said City for a permit to "Taxi --- Permit No. conduct such business in said City filling the blank with the figures of the \$320 that was raised in the and/or between said City and denoting the serial number of his Again we thank our white Bruce Field. The applicant shall permit. The letters and figures state the name and address of shall be not less than five inches such applicant, whether the appli- in height. cant is an individual, firm or corporation, and if a firm the name and address of each member thereof and the number of vehicles proposed to be operated under City of Ballinger or between said such permit.

Section 4. If the applicant is any person who does not hold a an individual, before any permit is valid permit from said City of granted, it shall be made to Ballinger as a taxicab driver, to appear that he is a bona fide drive or operate on the public resident of the City of Ballinger; streets of the City of Ballinger or if a partnership, then that the between said City and Bruce Field, member of the firm who will be in active charge and control of nection with the business of the the affairs of the partnership, is permittee. a bona fide resident of said City: and if a corporation, that the president, or other executive officer, in active charge and control of the affairs of the corporation is a bona fide inhabitant or resident of said City of Ballinger.

each month, and shall file with Section 5. It shall be the duty the City Secretary on or before of the City Secretary, when an the first day of each and every applicant for a permit is filed month, a statement in writing with him, at the next regular signed by a competent resident meeting of the City Commission mechanic showing that he has following the filing of such appliinspected such vehicle, the date cation to call the attention of the of such inspection, the license Commission thereto; and upon number of such vehicle or vehicles, consideration of such application, the name of the permittee and the City Commission of said City the serial number of his permit; may grant or refuse such permit, and that the lights, brakes and as in their discretion may seem to the best interest of the citizenship of said City of Ballinger, and the public in general.

Section 6. All permits for the conduct of a taxicab business in nance shall be nonassignable, and said City of Ballinger and between said City and Bruce Field, shall mission of the City of Ballinger at be issued and signed by the City

A best-selling laxative ALL OVER THE SOUTH

pecause it's thrifty and fits most folks needs

Secretary of said City and shall

is subject to cancellation at any and corporations, as well as individuals.

Section 7. At the time of the Section 17. This ordinance shall

has made application to the City have a valid permit from the City Before the sale begins, John A. Commission for, and been granted of Ballinger to drive a taxicab, or Barton, county agent, will show a by said Commission, a permit to any person who parks or stands a motion picture dealing with the use such additional vehicles, and taxicab on the streets of Ballinger, war effort and this will be foiregarding such additional vehicles violates any provision of this ordi- and girls and bonds to adults. as is required in this section nance, shall be guilty of a misderegarding those covered by the meanor, and upon conviction, PAINT ROCK ROAD GETS original permit, and shall pay to shall be punished by a fine of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), and each day of Section 8. The holder of any such violation shall constitute a in Concho county has received a separate offense.

ness in the City of Ballinger and between said City and Bruce Field adhered to and charged by each and hauled in special trucks from of such permit keep each and person conducting a taxicab busi- here to the seven-mile section ness in the City of Ballinger or As soon as the hot asphalt was under his permit insured in a between said City and Bruce Field, applied it was covered with finely ness in Texas, indemnifying the permittee in the sum of \$1,000.00

The sum of twenty cents (\$0.20) opened to traffic. for the first passenger, and the sum of fifteen cents (\$0.15) for and night out of Ballinger until passengers are transported per

Section 21. If any portion, sec

tion or part of section of this ordinance shall be held invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, parts of sections or portions hereof, but all such remaining sections, parts of sections or portions hereof shall be

held and construed to be valid. Section 10. It shall hereafter be Section 22. The fact that there unlawful for any person, firm or is now no ordinance in existence corporation holding a permit to in said City of Ballinger properly conduct a taxicab business in the regulating taxicabs and the fact that there is now a dire public City and Bruce Field to permit necessity in said City for the enactment and enforcement of an

bear a serial number; shall show unlawful for any person conduct- taxicabs and the taxicab business BY RUNNELS COUNTIANS IN '42

the 8th day of February, A. D. excess of the amount asked, and

Mayor of the City of Ballinger.

AT MAZELAND TOMORROW

and wholesale distributors had any books and the sudden "freezing" of sales on dried beans, peas and lentils, plus dehydrated soup deposited there will be shipped at deposited there will be shipped at the proper time to army or navy and any books. The point values the proper time to army or navy and sales of the proper time to be operated with the library wi of a taxicab permit shall desire to who shall use or employ as a set is enough to buy the programs and return home

passengers or any person who stamps will be sold to the boys

NEW SEAL COAT TOPPING

The Ballinger-Paint Rock road new seal coat topping and is in Section 19. The following excellent condition. Asphalt for schedule of rates shall be observed, the job was shipped to Ballinger crushed rock and the highway

Section 15. It shall hereafter be ordinance properly regulating \$814,463 IN WAR BONDS BOUGHT

tabulated show that \$814,403.00 PASSED AND APPROVED this worth bought. This is \$52,071 in the letter to Mr. Bruce was very complimentary to this county and its citizenship.

The letter also entered a plea for continued buying in 1943 in 25-1t order to maintain the good record.

Judge E. C. Grindstaff left today

Typewriter ribbons at Ledger

Just Unloaded a Car of ROUGH LUMBER

A Car of Cedar Shingles Also have Screen Wire and Hail Screen.

Clay Building **Material Company**

Ballinger, Texas

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Featuring "Amalie in War Dress"

1. Sealed con-

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pantry use.

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Women's, Society and Club News

Mrs. Irby Hostess to Ace of Clubs | Ingram, low by Mrs. Buster Par- | gave diversion. Members presented colors and motifs in all game and Mrs. Ingram. table appointments, in the floral Others included: Mmes. Virgil served a salad plate with sandto Ace of Clubs members Wednes- Urban and Willard Holt. day afternoon in her home on

Mrs. Virgil Reynolds won the high score award, and Mrs. H. G. Agnew and Mrs. D. O. Henson the group of added guests Wednesday bingos. Pecan pie was served with afternoon when she was hostess

Mrs. B. C. Roberts, Jr., was wel- in her home on Fourth Street. comed as a new member, and An arrangement of gardenias I. J. McCook, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Hosts

home to members of their fortytwo club.

Daffodils and yellow acacia decorated game rooms.

A sandwich plate with cup cakes was served with coffee to: R. Tigner, J. B. Striplin, Claude Messrs. and Mmes. George Newby, Stone, K. V. Northington, J. A. Killingsworth, Dee Oliver, W. A. house for the Future Homemak- 1928, at Whitney, Texas. She has E. L. King, Edward Sommer, and Schnable, Troy Simpson, Robert Taylor, E. S. Malone, B. H. Erwin, ers. The chapter president, Lewis dark brown hair, brown eyes, is Mrs. H. G. Agnew.

. . . Know Your Neighbors in Cox Home

Mrs. E. S. Cox entertained Know Your Neighbors Wednesday after- Virginuia Holman. noon in her home on Eighth

Red Cross knitting and individual handwork gave diversion in rooms decorated with bouquets of hold its regulra monthly meeting white narcissus.

coffee to: Mmes. Jack Nixon, Sr., auditorium. Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly Cal Adair, LeRoy McAulay, Dee will discuss "Preparing of Soil Saylors, John Barton, Cecil Jones, and Planting a Vegetable Gar-J. H. Endacott, Ernest Moody, den;" Mrs. Victor Miller's topic Rothal O'Kelly, Malcolm Morgan, is "House Plants;" and Mrs. C. R. of Boy Scout Troop 29. Joe Flynt, Bill Clark, and small Stephens' is "Garden Work as a Lucia Clark.

entertaining with a luncheon in be paid. her home on Eighth Street, followed by games.

was served. Picardy gladioli gave Wilke Terrace. award, second high by Mrs. E. L. knitting and individual handwork

Mrs. W. O. Irby used spring rish, and bingos by Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Levy Lee a gift shower.

decorations of yellow narcissuses Reynolds, K. K. Hoffman, Fred wiches and tea. and acacia when she was hostess Harman, Roy Worley, Robert . . .

Mrs. Murchison is Triple-Four Hostess

Mrs. Ross Murchison included a to the Triple-Four Contract Club

W. E. Moss, W. J. Hembree, and in the game rooms where Mrs. R. afternoon.

creamed chicken, molded salad, "Steps Toward World Organizahot rolls, salted almonds and tion for Peace," by Mrs. A. H. candies with coffee.

Others were: Mmes. E. W. Stasney, Tom Agnew, Harry Lynn, L. Peace," by Mrs. Paul Petty. ring, Hill Hampton, Robert Bruce, A. W. Sledge. Fred Harman, E. L. Ingram, Jerry Church, Julian Hadley, Charles Cheatham, K. K. Hoffman, Arthur Giesecke, Sim Cottelle; and Miss

. . . Garden Club to Meet

The Civic-Garden Club will next Tuesday afternoon, March 2, A salad plate was served with at four o'clock, in the City Hall

> Morale Builder." Mrs. Estes Lynn, president,

Mrs. Caskey Sew Club Hostess

added beauty to game rooms where Potted hydrangeas were used Alvarez. Mrs. Fred Mills won high score about rooms where Red Cross

IT PAYS

For refreshments the hostess

Others were: Mmes. E. C. Grindstaff, J. A. Schnable, J. A. Killough, George Newby.

Post-War Peace Program Theme for Missionary Society

Miss Mae Stubblefield was program leader when the Eighth Street Presbyterian Woman's comed as a new member, and An arrangement of gardenias others were: Mmes. Agnew, Reycentered the lace-laid dining table nolds, Henson, Edward Sommer, while potted hydrangeas were used afternoon.

Wiesepape; "The Relation of the each home. Church to a Just and Durable In scene II, Bobby Jack Priddy,

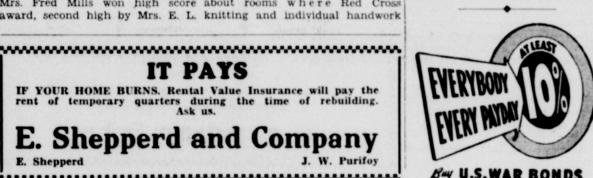
Others present were: Mmes. Ed Allen, as Columbia, held open She was born September 25. Lowry, Victor Miller, Loyd Her- W. A. Erwin, Ola McMillan, and Hensley reviewed the five-point five feet one inch tall. Her fav-

. . . Music Club to Meet

The Ballinger Music Club will neighbors. meet Tuesday evening, March 2, at eight o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Elmer Shepperd, 800 Eighth

assisted by Rev. Fr. Edward B. That Count."

to her contract club Tuesday, and the month for yearly dues to Jessie Collins, Bob Agnew, Joe Eyes of Texas." Baker, Hoyt Smith, Bob Northing-Vernon Woods, Curtis and Jimmy Husband." Assorted spring flowers and Mrs. Ernest Caskey was hostess Davenport, Charles Stewart, Jim L. Atnipp, Paul Howell and Antonio







Homemakers Sponsor Rally Hubert Zappe, W. J. Hembree and Future Homemakers of Texas, 18, with the leader in charge. A "The Home and Future Home- tory and Peace." makers in a War-Torn World."

announcer, James Leonard, rep- inson, president; Mrs. Dave acted by Carl Black. homes. Whether the home was council delegate. W. Earnshaw won high club award and Mrs. C. L. Baker high guest award.

Topic of study was "Post-War of old American stock or the naturalized American, whether the home was council delegate.

After which the meeting was father; Mabel Crane, the favorite adjourned to meet with Mrs. Dave aunt, by Claudia Burk; Roscoe stamps every pay day. to Forty-Two Club

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Irby were

Mrs. Wednesday evening in their

Mrs. Rufus Alex Mc
Mrs. Rufus Allen; "The Transition the Alex Mc
Mrs. Rufus Alex Mrs. Alex Mc
Mrs. Rufus Allen; "The Transition the Alex Mc
Mrs. Rufus Alex Mrs. A were the foundation stones of

> as Uncle Sam, and Doris Mary war program, including war on orite sport is horseback riding. waste, cooperation with school Her ambition is to be a stenogand community for war service, rapher. Her ideal is unknown. total fitness, nutrition, and good

The first group to arrive as Wiener Roast for Scout Troop 29 evidence of war on waste, while "Good for Nothing Dog" and Scout Leader George Newby was they sang, "It's the Little Things "True Love." A play, "Many a

Postert and Assistant Scout Leader | Molly Fowler and Desmal Hil- ters were: Rothal O'Kelly, Jr., in entertaining liard as Red Cross workers told of Bill Buckingham, played by Bill with a wiener roast in City Park the things homemakers were Heavenhill, an ordinary college Wednesday evening for members doing to assist in Red Cross boy, who has brought his college

|activities. After a period of games, wieners The nutrition group brought a were roasted over the open fire message in song using, "Hail! and served with all the trimmings Hail! We All Want Milk" and Mrs. Hadley is Club Hostess | urges a good attendance; it is to: Bobbie Long, Winfield Read, "The Texas Food Standard" Mrs. Julian Hadley was hostess the first meeting of the new year Bobbie Bartlett, Billie Parrish, arranged to the tune of "The

Johnanna Cowan then read her ton, Fred Woods, Dizz Caskey, favorite recipe, "How to Cook a

pink tapers centered the dining to her sewing club members Fri- Johnson, Marion Davis, Bobbie Total fitness was developed table where the two-course menu day afternoon in her home in Gilliam, Jimmy Lee Ferguson, H. under the three divisions of physical, mental and spiritual fitness. Physical fifitnes was high-lighted in tap dancing by Ima Lee Scarbrough and Evelyn Scoggins.

The homemakers chose song as the greatest aid in developing mental fitness. Honoring the chapter sponsor, Mrs. Janie B. Hull, Ouida Merle Sharpes sang "He Wears a Pair of Silver Wings," dedicating the song to Lt. David A. Parker, who is flying somewhere in the South Pacific. Lt. Parker is a nephew of Mrs.

Bonnie Wayne Lee, Ouida Merle Sharpes, and Nita Taylor very cleverly sang "The Three Little Sisters." Then Ima Lee Scarbrough, Charlene Carlton, and Nelda Faye Lee joined the "three little sisters," forming a sextet for "Dearly Beloved," "Good-Bye Dear," "Wonder When My Baby's Coming Home."

Spiritual fitness was expressed in a poem, "Our Gracious Lord," read by Dorthalene Richards, followed by "Have Thine Own Way, Lord." sung by Pansy Setser and Evelyn Scoggins.

Uncle Sam's and Columbia party closed with the entire chapter, quite colorful in formal dress, grouped as a choral club, rendering songs loved by everyone

As a grand finale the audience joined in singing the national anthem and remained standing while the homemakers sang "God Bless America" as the closing

The homemakers were most graciously assisted by Mrs. Earl Cope, the pianist for the program. The total sales of stamps and bonds was \$585.35.

Six Weeks' Test

Six weeks' tests are being given the first part of the week and the registration for food rationing is being held in the gym Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Buy U. S. defense bonds and stamps every pay day.



The Norton chapter of the Tom Crockett Thursday, February assisted by several boys, pre- discussion followed on "Helpful that he will marry her. sented the victory night program Hints on How We Might Help Our for February, using the theme, Neighbors and Help Hasten Vic- takes Mary Lou away from Bill,

The following officers were Scene I, narrated by the elected for 1943: Mrs. Kirby Rob- get rid of her. Jack Parker is met in Miss Knowles' home this

After which the meeting was father; Mabel Crane, the favorite Buy U. S. defense bonds and

· JUNIOR HIGH NEWS

Who's Who?

Chapel Program

The dramatic club was in charge guests exhibited a remodeled of the program last Friday, Febdress, the work having been done ruary 19. The first number on by Tommye Jane Bryson, and the program was two readings by canned fruit and vegetables as Dava June Bell. They were Slip," was presented. The charac-

The North Norton victory home Lou is acting the sweet and innodemonstration csub met with Mrs. cent ideal girl, but really is only playing Bill for the dope in hopes

Jack Parker, the childhood rival, which is just what he had hoped would happen so that he might

by Joyce Boswell. Other character parts are instead of every meeting.

*NORTH NORTON VICTORY | girl friend home with him to Crane, the favorite uncle, by Foy HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB | Mary 1000

The stamp sale for last week totaled \$47.65.

Honeysuckle Scouts Meet

The Honeysuckle Girl Scouts week to wind thread for the Red The mother, who naturally falls Cross. Old business was discussed in love with Mary Lou, is played and it was decided that club dues would be paid every month

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The best plan for all con-cerned is to send the change of address in advance.

Announcement of the number of ration points to be required for the Lawless, young people's secretary. purchase of foods makes American people realize they will have a the following information: Since hard time setting a table during the last annual observance of this the rest of the war. The tabula- week of prayer which is under the tion for March reveals that in leadership of Dr. George W. Truett, canned goods only two or three cans of the principal foods will be committee on relief, the Southern available on the 48 points for the Baptist Convention, has conmonth. The "freezing" of some tributed over and above all the dried foods has brought housewives regular gifts, the following: To another worry and within a short Chinese relief, \$160,000; for evacutime meats will be included in the ation of missionaries, \$40,000; plan. In addition to the small British Baptist relief, \$93,914; quantities of canned and dried world emergency relief, \$444,674; foods shortages of other items funds for Russian Bibles, \$15,000; are fighting.

encourage victory gardens in Bal- Welles, of the state department, on a bomber. linger and every other section of Washington, has written the Runnels county. It is pointed out Southern Baptist board, commend- Rev. Lennie Dubberly, formerly The seven weeks' term of dishelp in the war effort-by raising the world. food for our own use and to help our allies. Not only must food be BEARCATS TO ENTER CAGE grown in every backyard and flower bed, but after it is raised purpose. County farm and home tournament. The locals have been seas soon afterwards. demonstration agents are stressing meeting some of the fastest teams the importance of planning and in this section for the past two The city of Coleman recently livestock show at Comanche is to final score was 35 to 30. At the starting a garden immediately.

break in the shortage of feed for clubs to take the trophy. is livestock. The need for animal A large number of boys are man bank and others were in the fine animals to exhibit. Judges of a tie. proteins is troubling ranchmen working out in the new physical hands of citizens. It is estimated have been secured and other A number of other games are and dairymen in practically every education program since the opensection. Ranchmen now in the ing of the new gymnasium and at by the liquidation. lambing period are losing many this season basketball is being lambs and a percentage of ewes stressed. Several teams are workbecause of the lack of feed. Dairy ing out daily in addition to the Talpa last week the Wayland Hol- of Commerce was held last week, a operators short on feed report a regular program for all boys of the land was awarded the grand large number attending. During savings bonds. decrease in milk and butter pro- school.

The Ballinger Ledger duction. The range is very dry and there seems to be no relief in sight until another crop is pro-

Ballinger, Texas at hte postoffice at Ballinger as second-class mail matter Baptist Prayer **Week Programs** To Begin Monday

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church, of which Mrs. Carl Black is president, will observe the annual week of prayer in behalf of home missions as carried out by the Southern Baptist Convention with which the local church cooperates. Special services will be held at the church Monday, March 1, from 3 to 5

Wednesday night will be observed as young people's night. 'The week's programs will be under the leadership of Mrs. Clarence A. Morton, chairman of missions, assisted by Mmes. T. J. McCaughan, Fred Holliday, Mark Davis and W. J Hembree. The Wednesday night program will be under Mrs. E. F.

The pastor, Rev. Morton, gives chairman of the Southern Baptist

The Ballinger Bearcat basketball weeks and have shown much paid off \$20,000 in outstanding be held on March 12. The 1943 half the Bearcats were down 25 to West Texas has received a hard expect to be one of the favorite the general fund. Part of the boys have double up on their second half with the crowd wild

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a number of first places on his animals The voting strength of Kimble ounty is far below normal this A check-up of polls paid reveals the 1943 total the lowest in

he sewage plant at Camp Bowie was set last week. C. H. Harrison of Waco, offered the successful bid of \$100,000. Growth of the camp nade extension of the system secessary at once and lines will be laid to all new sections of the

end that the Rising Star school unch room would be closed or February 24 for the duration o the war. This school, of which H. B. Self is superintendent, was one of the first in the state to begin operation of a lunch room and has maintained it with WPA assistance and by means of surplus commodity foods. With the withdrawal of WPA aid, Mr. Self stated the cafeteria would be

The grand jury for the spring term of 119th district court at Paint Rock met last week and after a few hours' deliberations found no evidence that would merit an indictment of any kind. The grand jurors reported only on the condition of county property and then adjourned.

Safe for Children "It Tastes Better" PASTEURIZED

Vitality Needed as Basketball Goes Under Water



These girls from the Los Angeles Athletic club disport with pleasure in the very unusual game of underwater basketball, which requires the full of swimming skill and endurance. Water pole was a national sport for men for many years; now underwater basketball may take its place. In picture at right the girls dive into the pool for the start of the game. At the left a goal is scored by the girl in the black suit.

WEST TEXAS NOTES

Lieut. Bedford E. Russell, of when a huge service flag, on which ter members in hauling their livepermit little buying and the war to American Bible Society for Winters, was reported last week to are 175 stars representing Miles stock to market and set March 24 is brought a little closer to the Bibles in Europe, \$33,657; for Bap- be a prisoner of war in Italy, boys now in the armed services, as the date for delivery of all American home front. Urgent tists in Spain, \$3,000; to American Word came to Winters in a relayed was publicly presented. Two of the finished animals. Another meeting needs have developed in all sections of the world where the allies to Chinese orphans, \$18,000; to American message received by his wife who stars are gold in memory of men was slated Saturday night to make to Chinese orphans, \$18,000; to is a hostess in an Abilene USO who met death in this war, and final plans and list all animals winter relief in Russia and Europe, club. Mrs. Russell remained with another was for a soldier reported ready for shipment. her husband during his training missing in action. Stars will be The Ballinger Board of Com- Large sums have been distributed and returned to Abilene when he added to the flag as others join munity Development is throwing to others in need all over the was sent to North Africa in Decem- the armed forces and blue stars Brady last year enitles property Dutch oil, however, is better its full force behind the move to world in other ways. Sumner ber. The lieutenant was a pilot will be exchanged for gold ones as other casualties are reported.

that this is one important way to ing the noble work in all parts of of Melvin, is dodging Jap bullets trict court at Sweetwater ended insurance. The loss during the around Buna. Letters received last week without a single crim- past year was one of the lowest in from soldiers in New Guinea tell inal case being heard. District the city's history. of his conducting funeral rites for Judge A. S. Mauzey stated that it TOURNAMENT AT WINTERS men killed and performing other was the first time this has hapimportant services for soldiers in pened since he had been on the that sector. He left Melvin more bench. He attribtued the absence information has been received team will go to Winters this weekthat cans will be available for this end to take part in an invitation as a chaplain and was sent over- is engaged in the war effort.

> improvement. At Winters they bonds with money accumulated in show will be large since many of 8, but staged a comeback in the bonds were owned by the Cole- livestock projects and have many with excitement but fell five short that \$1,200 in interest was saved arrangements provided for

> > At the annual livestock show at quet of the Stephenville Chamber championship. Gene Evans was biggest winner in the show, taking

many years. The reduction is said to be due to so many mer over 21 years of age being in the armed services at this time

military reservation.

It was announced the past week

A very impressive program was held at Miles last Friday evening



American Cafe Will be Opened

and Sunday. The new cafe, "acrobatic decoration" on war located on Hutchings Avenue in factories. the old C. C. Davis building, next

A counter extends down one side Because scientists agree that fixtures and finishing the kitchen. of the building, booths will be nature herself provides the best installed on the opposite side and camouflage for wild life, biologists tables through the center. There will be large seating space and the restaurant will be able to serve camouflage. large crowds at any eating period. Mr. Woods stated that he had employed a full crew of waiters and other employees and would be able to render fast and courteous

service. Chefs arrived this week to put the kitchen in readiness. Most of the fixtures have arrived, with the exception of the tier of booths and they were to zation has completed many pro- arrive and be installed tomorrow. jects and is recognized as one of Mr. Woods will also continue the strongest and most active in operation of the Texas Grill on

the past twelve months the organi-

The Coke County Livestock Asso-

ciation has made arrangements to

assist 4-H club and F. F. A. chap-

BALLINGER BASKETBALL

TEAM LOSES TO LAWN

The Ballinger Bearcat basketball

team lost a thriller to the fast-

stepping Lawn quintet in the local

being played this week to keep the

locals in condition for the tourna-

Bonds or bondage? Buy U. S.

ment at Winters this week-end.

the state. New officers and Eighth Street. directors were presented at the The new cafe will feature dinner Sunday and will be open in the future at regular hours.

> NETHERLANDS SCHOOL BOOKS REVISED BY NAZI OVERLORDS

LONDON, Feb. 24. - The Dutch are laughing at the amendments nazi censorship has made in Netherlands school books. Stock sentence, "French wine is better than German" has been changed to "German wine is always better The good fire record made at than French.

owners to a maximum credit of than none at all. Old cleaning 25% to apply on all policies. The credit represents a saving of about rags have to be given up in Hol-\$13,064 on present outstanding land when new or clean ones are able are returned to the market.

BRITISH STEEPLEJACKS CAMOUFLAGING BUILDINGS

LONDON, February 24.-Steeplejacks of Great Britain are proving This Week-End a great aid to the war effort by daring feats of camouflage. Men who not so long ago were repair-Fred Woods announced today ing factory chimneys, cleaning that the American Cafe would be weather vanes and painting spires formally opened next Saturday and steeples are today doing

N. H. Wells, secretary of the door to the J. Y. Pearce Drug Co., national camouflage contractors' will be open for business Saturday advisory committee, states that aerial photographs are taken of A large crew rushed work on the areas around buildings to be interior of the building all this week, laying linoleum, installing and the site and prepare plans.



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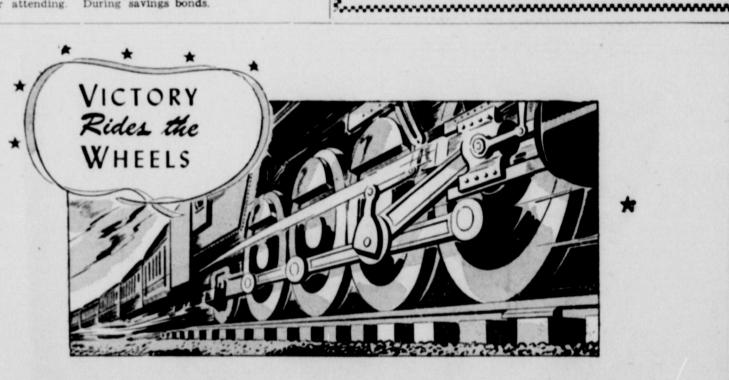




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THE TEXAS AND PACIFIC RY.

Chemical Warfare dinner at the Harman Training Center and the drill started at 7 Demonstration Given Pictures and lectures on gasses Texas Defense Guard were shown and discussed and

Members of company E, 11th troops under gas attack were used battalion of the Texas Defense Guard had four hours' work in chemical warfare at their drill period Monday night. Attending the lectures, pictures and demonstrations were members of the and non-commissioned officers of number of visitors from Eden and Paint Rock, and local guests.

In charge of the special demoncommander of the 11th battalion; Captain Henry Batjer and Cap- and were enveloped in the clouds Angelo. The visiting officers and officers of the local company had

tain J. D. McKinley, of San of gas released. found the way to Amazing NEW



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employed in World War No. 1 lectures were given on treatment and first aid. Actual pictures of

in this part of the demonstration. Pictures were then shown of present chemical warfare and discussion held on treatment and first aid methods for gas victims. The men were then marched to Ballinger fire department, officers had been erected. Incendiary the high school victory corps, a and a small bomb was used to wreck and burn the house.

Demonstrations were given on phosgene, lewisite, chloropicrin, stration was Lieut. Mulligan, of mustard and tear gases. Gas the San Angelo bombardier school. masks were worn by the men in With him were Major Emmett Cox, uniform and the only "casualties" were bystanders who got too close

> Destruction of the set house was accomplished with a thermite bomb, after which a piece of onefourth inch steel was put on top of a five gallon bucket of water. On the steel bar was placed some thermite, which ate its way through the steel, water and bucket to the ground.

Captain K. V. Northington, company commander, said the special drill was one of the best he had ever attended and proved highly educational to the men of company E. Every local guardsman was present and four hours was devoted to the lectures, picture showing and demonstrations.

BALLINGER SCHOOL NEWS

By Catherine Clampitt and Marjorie McGregor

Mr. Posey Speaks to First Aid Classes

Wednesday, February 17, the first aid classes met together in the auditorium for a talk on bandages given by Mr. D. G. Posey. Mrs. Killough, Mrs. Jack Rodgers, Mrs. Langford and Mrs. Hackman assisted him by giving demonstrations of each bandage explained. The bandages explained and demonstrated were: triangle bandage, gauze square, guaze compress (one to four inches), small wound bandage, roll of bandage, forty-inch trianglular bandage, head bandage, hand bandage, chest bandage, shoulder bandage, face bandage for burns, and also the square knot for tying a bandage securely.

Mr. Posey's lecture was very interesting and of much help to the first aid students. The one point stressed by Mr. Posey was to be serious about first aid, even in practice.

A "battle of the sexes" quiz program was held last Friday in the auditorium. This program was based on the radio quiz program of the same name. Masters of ceremonies were Mary Ann Morgan and Fred Carroll. The ontestants—six boys and six girls were taken from the three grades and selected as to their capabilities as students. From the

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sophomore class were Wellington sented the junior class; and the 360 boys and girls are expected to senior class was represented by attend. Mary Lynn, Ann Creasy, "Flop"

girls coming out on top. all, and defense stamps were successful event. given to the winners and all-day | Cal Adair is planning a musica suckers to the losers.

Football Team Honored by Bearcadettes

Friday, February 19, was the day in which the Bearcadettes of the evening. a special program gave entertain- numbers and to greater accompment to students, faculty, and lishments during the year. parents. Refreshments were served after the special program was presented, then the nickelodeon furnished music again for the remainder of the evening.

Sandwiches and drinks were served. Mr. Simpson gave a talk on the most important plays of the year, and Mr. Wright and Mrs. Lovelace also made talks. Mary Lou Routh was mistress of ceremonies and gave verses about each football boy as he came to the stage. Then the pep squad leaders and drum major came forward and gave yells, and directed the high school song, after which gifts were given to by all who attended. the pep squad leaders, Mary Lynn, Gwen Morgan and Bettie Jo Bax-

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4-H Club Boys And Girls of County Will Hold Rally, Party

Runnels county 4-H club boys Pearce and Johnny Earnshaw for and girls will hold their spring the boys and Virginia Bell and rally and party at the Army and Gwen Morgan for the girls. Mary Navy Club here Friday night Lou Halfmann, Anne Egan, Don March 5. The program will start Williams and Eldon Moody repre- at 8 o'clock and approximately

Boys are staging the party and Striplin and Lanham Flynt. Score have invited all 4H club girls to was kept by Mrs. Lindsey, Miss be their guests. Club leaders in Smith, and Mrs. Bailey, with the all parts of the county are assisting the groups in the rally and This program was enjoyed by party and indications point to

> program and this will open the fun at the party. One speaker will be heard, discussing the food program, and after the rally the boys and girls will participate in games and stunts the remainder

This will be the first meeting of final dance at the Army-Navy the kind held by the clubbers Club. The entire school was and leaders hope by this means invited, and dancing, games, and to encourage them to increased

Banks to be Closed for Hoilday March 2

for business on Tuesday, March 2. by Helen Dunlap, county home used in the cleaning process. Customers are asked to take demonstration agent, through the Miss Dunlap says interest in the organized this year, notice of this holiday and arrange for change and attend to other banking business on Monday. The First National Bank

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successful one, and was enjoyed trained in the clinics help neigh-The hall was decorated with ing order, Miss Dunlap has reported ranger service in the Gulf Coast attention to the effect of events black and red streamers and face to Minnie May Grubbs, district area, was here the first of the on the lives of men. The speaker ter, and also to Mary Lou Davis, balloons, with a goal post on agent for the A. & M. College week for a visit with relatives pointed to war conditions of today the drum major. either side of the hall in black extension service. Miss Grubbs and friends and returned to his and asked Rotarians what it was supervises home demonstration post Tuesday night. This party proved to be a very and red and blue and white.

Yanks Pay Visit to Jerusalem



enemy in the Middle East, were allowed time off for a visit to Jerusalem. Here they are bidding good-by to a keeper at Solomon's stables.

OLD SEWING MACHINES GO BACK IN OPERATION TO HELP VICTORY DRIVE

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 24 .tural victory council. The clinics adept at cleaning the machines. were sponsored in communities She assisted in testing the tension

It are not organized. meetings, more than 100 machines venture, other care and repair the Ballinger Rotary Club Tueswere cleaned and many more have clinics will be scheduled in the day, taking for his theme, "What been put in repair as persons county during 1943. bors get their machines in work- J. P. Flynt, now in the state Washintgon and then called

work in 17 North and Central

Texas counties. Many of the machines never had been cleaned before, and collections of lint, thread and dust were

the mechanisms. Paint brushes. Ballinger banks will not be open clinics held recently in Hill county kerosene were among the aids largest since it was formed and cooperation of the county agricul- work was not confined to women, for men, boys and girls also proved

The Farmers & Merchants where home demonstration clubs and stitches and in making other adjustments. As a result of the community As a result of the success of this Church, was guest speaker for

Annual Boy Scout District Meeting Will be Held Here

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Colorado River District, Boy Scouts of America, will be held in Ballinger Tuesday night, March 2. The meeting has been called by E. C. Grindstaff, district chairman, and it was announced that an executive of the Concho Valley Council, of which the local district is a part, will assist with the program. Scouts and leaders from Paint Rock, Eden, Bronte, Rowena, Miles and Ballinger will participate in this meeting and are expected to attend in large num-

posed of Judge O. L. Parish, Hill Hampton and Tom Agnew, will report at the business session on those suggested for new officials of the district. A committee on arrangements, to be named later by Judge Grindstaff, will make all arrangements for the meeting and program.

A detailed program will be Sewing machines, some 35 to 50 found. In the sandy section of announced next week and everythe county grit was removed from one interested in scouting is invited to attend the annual tory as a result of 17 machine tooth brushes, and toothpicks and meeting. The district is now the more troops probably will be

REV. ERWIN IS SPEAKER AT ROTARY CLUB MEETING

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FOR SALE All metal wool sack- large number of pamphlets on passed all examinations and has D, committee in cooperation with poultry raising being asked for been sworn in in the women's the clubs. 14-tf through various agencies. A num- army auxiliary corps at Dallas. O. T. Toney, chairman of the WANTED-Will pay cash for late have been constructed on farms Mrs. A. W. Haynes of Eden, for announced that both the county filling vacant chairs from cadets model electric and also six volt in the county and better feeding the past several years has been farm agent and the county home in later classes. 4-tf methods are being studied.

regular rates. See Buster Caudle baby chicks will be sold here in She left here last week for Dal-4-tf 1943 if the present demand con- las to take physical and other with town gardens have been

> "KEEP FARM LABOR ON FARM" ADVISES SERVICE DIRECTOR

selective service director, in a statement issued from his office army. at Austin this week, appealed to Texas local draft boards to do everything within the powers corps, has landed safely in some balanced gardens during the delegated to them by congress to foreign port. Mrs. Therp received spring and summer.

11-3t-* almost incredible numbers, and in all his training in California, now face of these calls are the heavy has his mail addressed in care of demands of war industries and the San Francisco postmaster. agriculture for manpower. He 18-2t- pointed out that a heavy responsibility rests upon the local linger for a short visit last week FOR SALE-Cedar posts, all boards in determining where each with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. kinds. A. F. Hatch, Segovia, Texas. man can contribute most to the C. Reese. He flew a pursuit ship 18-31-* | war effort.

Complete information, the general said, had been provided each instructors. Immediate opening. Good Watkins Texas board dealing with the

> Joy Lynn Wood, daughter of Mr. "FOR TWENTY YEARS the top with the county quota. 18-2t- and Mrs. M. F. Wood of Ballinger. became the bride of Jack Bass, of I've found ADLERIKA satisfac-

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DEATHS

For Runnels County died at her home on South Seventh Street last Friday after Indications are that the increase illness of one day. She had made

Decedent was a member of the

Services were held at the Mt. Moriah church Sunday afternoon charge of arrangements.

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an employee of the Southwestern demonstration agent would be INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE at It is possible that half a million States Telephone Co. at Ballinger. glad to assist gardeners. A large tests for the WAACs.

After taking the oath she was vice. These folders are very complaced in the reserve and sent plete and cover the subject from home to await her call to duty. hot beds to mid-summer gardens, FOR SALE—Speckled Sussex IN LETTER TO DRAFT BOARDS At that time she will be sent to harvesting, canning and drying an accredited training center and of foods for later consumption. General J. Watt Page, state upon completion of the courses Mr. Toney said many local citi-

FOR SALE-Two large farms, "keep farm labor on the farm," a message this week from the Gen. Page said the armed sel- navy department announcing his vices are now calling men in safe arrival. Thorp, who received Red Cross War Campaign

Lieut. Luther Reese was in Bal-

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18-8t-*

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For Victory Gardens

The agricultural committee of in poultry in Runnels county this home in Ballinger for 24 years and the Ballinger Board of Com- will have a drum and bugle corps presented in a number of army year will be the greatest in history. Local hatcheries are oper- sister, two half-brothers and four ing Wednesday afternoon with play for parades and other occa-N. Nutt's Seed, Feed and Hatchery, ably will be unable to supply all Decedent was a member of the Club, the Fannie Stephens Study Bernfeld, formerly a trumpet Mt. Moriah Baptist Church and Club, the Phone 174.

Decedent was a member of the Club, the Fannie Stephens Study Bernfeld, formerly a trumpet the demand for baby chicks in the colored Eastern Star. to discuss victory gardens and rehearsals have already started. especially plans for planting a The groups will have ten bugles, large number in Ballinger. It is four snare drums and one bass planned to give all aid and infor- drum. Bugles arrived this week mation possible to Ballinger in and drums were en route here, due laying out and planting gardens, to arrive in time for use this This aid will include preparation week-end. All men for the corps of the soil as well as care of the have been accepted and all have

various varieties of vegetables. and other factors will be given in

received from the extension ser-

graden plots, some had already planted onions and other early Alden Thorp, with the marine vegetables and would have well-

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oversubscribed quickly. Especially should this be true since letters were received from men held prisoners of war in Germany and

Mr. Shepperd stated that all here from Oklahoma City, where their assignments without hesitacommunity chairmen had accepted tion and he had never received as much cooperation as he had found in the organization of this! cause and that only a short time should be required in going over

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being selected and rehearsals are had much experience, having Leaders in all clubs will present played in the drum and bugle

for eggs at fair prices is causing he completes the course and gets selection of seed and and plants, formed and would be ready in a the time for planting, cultivation, short time for playing at the Army and Navy Club cadet dances and Interest also is indicated by the Miss Ophelia R. Haynes has the promotion work of the B. C. for other engagements. Lieut. Bernfeld also will have charge of this group. Among the cadets are a large number of experienced musicians and the plan is to mainber of improved poultry houses Miss Haynes, daughter of Mr. and B. C. D. agriculture committee, tain the orchestra continuously by

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the new class here and plans are

being made to present a show to 12. Cadet Barber was in charge and distributed at the post. At Harman Center of the presentation, "Three Dots and a Dash," the cast being made up of Sheppard Field men and States., The proposed show here other entertainment with the full orchestra playing the musical

score. A more complete announce-

ment of the performance will be

made next week. Talent is already

enced showman, is a member of to be started within a short time. Another innovation at Bruce Field was contained in the announcement that a daily news the Ballinger public about March bulletin was being mimeographed

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