



# Coleman Bluecats Fail To Stop Bearcat Team

Cold, wet weather did not keep a big crowd from watching the Ballinger Bearcats and the Coleman Bluecats tangle last Friday night in Coleman. Although untied and unbeaten in this conference, the Bluecats proved just another ball club for the Ballinger boys and at the end of the game the Bearcats were on the big end of a 46 to 0 score.

The game was hailed as the one to decide the conference championship in district 9A, but the Bearcats still have the Winters Blizzards to defeat. Coleman beat Winters, 20 to 19, two weeks ago.

The Bearcats did not wait long to get down to the job of whipping Coleman. Coleman received the

kickoff, failed to gain and kicked the Ballinger 45 yard line. On the first offensive play of the game for the Bearcats Jackie Russell cut through the Bluecat line and raced 55 yards for a touchdown. Sykes converted and the score was 7-0.

Ballinger kicked off to Coleman and after a fumble recovered on the Coleman 34 yard line. A short pass to Flint, two line bucs by Frazier and Russell again went over for a score. Sykes' kick was low.

13-0

The next time the Bearcats got hold of the ball, Sykes, Frazier and Davenport reeled off first

downs with yards to spare and Frazier circled left end for the counter. Russell's kick was low.

19-0

Opening the second quarter Russell got 18 yards, a pass to Flint was good for 8. Frazier made it a first down and added five on the next try. Russell got a first down with yards to spare and Frazier was over through the middle of the line. The kick was no good.

25-0

A blocked kick gave the Bearcats the ball on Coleman's 36. Sykes picked up 5, Russell 28, and on the next carry Russell was over. Sykes kicked.

32-0

Opening the second half the Bluecats came back strong and Smith chalked up two first downs on off tackle plays. The drive stopped over the goal line and Ballinger got the ball on the 20. Frazier made a nice run of 29 yards but a clipping penalty set the ball back to the Ballinger 5 yard line. Russell quick kicked to the Coleman 31 to get the ball out of danger.

Coleman took over again on their own 29, drew a clipping penalty and a poor kick went out of bounds on their 29. Frazier circled end for 18 and was over for the next play. Russell kicked.

39-0

The final score of the game came when Coleman fumbled and Ballinger recovered on the 45. Russell hit the line for 13, Sykes picked up 12, Russell got 11, and Russell went over for the last touchdown. Sykes kicked.

46-0

In the final minute of the game Frazier made a beautiful run to cross the Coleman goal line but an offside penalty brought the play back and the game ended with the Bearcats only a few yards away from a score.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr. spent the past week-end at San Angelo, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Agnew and Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Slasney witnessed the Odessa-Sweetwater football game at Sweetwater Monday.



Ballinger football fans by the hundreds braved cold weather and threatening rain last Friday night to watch the Bearcats beat the Coleman Bluecats in a game which had a bearing on the district championship. Fans were favored in that no rain fell during the game and by the time they were in their cars after the game a downpour started before they reached town.

Coleman failed to show any offense that was dangerous to the Bearcats. Their off-tackle plays that have won for them the first part of the season could not net first downs against the Bearcats, and their defense folded up under the powerful running attack of Coach Wright's men.

The Santa Anna Mountaineers, out of football for two years and back in the district, are to be here tomorrow (Friday) night in the last home game of the year. The Mountaineers have been pretty weak so far this season and the Bearcat second string is expected to see a lot of action this week.

Following the Santa Anna game the Bearcats will go to Winters November 22 to close the season. The Blizzards are all between them and a district championship and the boys are taking the game rather seriously this year. Winters has shown to be a fair team all the season and the Blizzards are not anybody's pushover. The locals will be playing them like a dread foe on equal terms.

For winning the Coleman game, H. Ford Taylor provided tickets for all Bearcats to watch the Odessa-Sweetwater game at Sweetwater Monday afternoon. The club was accompanied by a large number of fans.

Last Friday afternoon the Bearcat B team went to Miles to meet the B team there. In their first game of the year the local B team

showed excellent running and timing and left the Miles Giants on the small end of a 32 to 0 score. Evans was the outstanding performer and chalked up a number of touchdowns while he was in the contest.

The Ballinger junior team was host to the San Angelo juniors here last Thursday night, and after holding a lead of 16 to 0 until the last quarter, let the San Angelo boys explode on them and lost 26 to 16. A large crowd of fans watched the game and said it was one of the best on the home field this year.

The Coleman-Ballinger game was scouted and football men from Dublin, Eastland, Anson, Stamford and Seymour were present to take notes. The Anson-Stamford game in district 10 is expected to decide a championship and Seymour has hopes of meeting the Bearcats in another regional tilt. Dublin and Eastland are going good in their district.

Schnable and other workers, K. V. Northington, Tom Agnew and Ollie Floyd looked after arrangements for the breakfast.

The Armistice breakfast has been held for the past seven years and is a high spot of the annual activities of the local post.

It was announced that the regular meeting of the post would be held next Tuesday night, November 20, at the city hall, with a large amount of business to be considered. Reports on the recent carnival and the district convention are to be made and the financial details promise to be interesting.

The post is closing its fall membership drive and already has the largest number signed up in some twenty years.

Sgt. Thomas Gabbert has been transferred from Mississippi to Camp Campbell, Kentucky, where he is now serving in the infantry.

**How women and girls may get wanted relief from functional periodic pain**

Cardui is a fluid-medicine which many women say has brought relief from the cramp-like agony and nervous strain of functional periodic distress. Here's how it may help:

- 1 Taken like a tonic, it should stimulate appetite, aid digestion, thus help build resistance for the "time" to come.
- 2 Started 3 days before "your time", it should help relieve pain due to purely functional periodic causes.

Try Cardui. If it helps, you'll be glad you did.

**CARDUI**

LOOK INTO the 2-week help!

Salesbooks. Ballinger Printing Co.

# PECANS Wanted

AT HIGHEST MARKET PRICE

A T

## Ballinger Poultry & Egg Co.

Phone 219--South 7th Street

**"Pyorrhea" May Follow Neglect**

Did you ever see an attractive person with irritated "GUMS"? Druggists refund money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to help.

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

## Armistice Breakfast Held by Legionnaires at the Country Club

Members of the Pat Williams post, American Legion, held their annual Armistice breakfast at the Ballinger Country Club Monday morning, a large crowd attending. Activities started at 6 a. m. when the ex-service men began to assemble for the meal of sausage, eggs, jelly, toast and coffee, served at 7 a. m.

There was no set program for the former service men's meeting and there was little need for one. Veterans of World War I and II mingled together until the noon hour, swapping experiences.

Walter Middleton, Texas State Guard cook, was in charge of the kitchen and was assisted by J. A.

Folks sure are getting lazy. That two-coat paint job of Cameron's gets the same results as ordinary three-coat jobs. Saves one-third in labor, too.

You don't need a business of your own to **MAKE YOUR CHILDREN YOUR PARTNERS!**

WHETHER you are proprietor or employe, you want your children to have the best that you can give them. You want them to have a college education, some cash for special training, and an opportunity to enter any business or profession they may choose for a career. You want them to have a real start in life!

Mr. Y, a South Texas citizen, had some such thought in mind when he invested a part of his savings in Southwestern Life insurance for his two little children, shortly after their birth. Through a special contract, he made certain that his children would have their opportunity in life, regardless of what happened to him.

Death suddenly called Mr. Y from life's picture a few months ago. Mr. Y didn't live long enough to complete all the plans he had in mind for his children; but through his Southwestern Life insurance contract, he assured each of his children a real start in life. You can make your children your partners, just as Mr. Y did. You can assure your daughter, come what may, that she will have funds to further her education, buy her trousseau, or help to start her home. You can give your son no greater opportunity in life than to provide him with cash for his technical training... cash to buy instruments if he enters the medical profession, or to buy books if he becomes a minister or lawyer... cash for the capital with which to start a business, or the nucleus of a retirement income when he is ready to end his life's work.

Out of savings you will never miss, you can make their fondest dreams come true. Get the facts on your plan today.

Ballinger Representative  
**JACK NIXON**  
First National Bank Bldg.  
Telephone 544

**Southwestern Life Insurance Company**  
C. F. O'DONNELL, PRESIDENT HOME OFFICE • DALLAS

# clearing a path for the Eagles!

"These are busy days on the Texas and Pacific Railway."

"Along its line in Louisiana and Texas crews of men are working at top speed with huge bulldozers, tractors and giant road machines moving great quantities of earth and leveling the terrain—making a better roadbed for the EAGLES—the new Texas and Pacific lightweight passenger trains that will soon bring to the Southwest a new era in rail transportation."

"The Texas and Pacific is hard at work on its modernization program, which includes the raising of sections of its roadbed, the laying of miles of heavier rail and the reduction of grades and curves."

"Your constructive criticisms and suggestions are earnestly solicited."

W. G. VOLLMER,  
President.

THE TEXAS AND PACIFIC RY.  
DALLAS, TEXAS

**NORTON SCHOOL NEWS**  
By Yvonne Bryan and Betty Shelburne

**Freshman Day**  
Friday, November 9, was Freshman Day here. We had quite a few odd looking characters running around. The freshmen represented the following characters: Roger Bryan Big Sister, D. B. Underwood Little Sister, Mamie Murphy Mutt.

Best Budded Varieties  
**PECANS**  
SAN SABA NATIVES  
**E. H. FORGY**  
Box 565 Ballinger, Texas

Elwood Hambricht Self  
Juanelle Chapman Barefooted Boy and Cast-off Clothes  
Mary Ellen Mitchell Huckleberry Finn  
Jean Smith Cowboy  
Georgia Mae Tinney Lil Abner  
Dorothy Nell Camp  
Baby of the Class  
Royce Phillips Baby  
Marion Hensley Girl in a Play Suit

Mrs. Roy Roper introduced these characters in chapel. We sang a few songs and Mr. Stark read a scripture. Mrs. Corley led in prayer. A pep rally ended the chapel period.

Mrs. Stark and daughter have arrived home and are doing

nicely. They have had several visits from the school children.

**Visitors**  
Monday seemed to be "open house" here from all indications. We had visits from several former students and from students of other schools. Among those were: Dee Elton Hambricht, Jimmy Hambricht, Shirley Hambricht, Bonnie Wayne Lee, Toni Will, Eleanor Bryan, Travis Daniels, Milton Shelburne, Yvonne Forbes, Bobbie Neely, Christine Bowden, Nita Faye Bryan.

Scott Barrett is home on leave from the navy. He spent several months in the Pacific. He will be here until Tuesday of next week. Everyone was glad to see him back and he is glad to be back.

Miss Ruth Morgan, former teacher at Norton, was also back yesterday. She is teaching at Fort Stockton.

**Stricken Brothers Await Death**



The three Pinlon brothers, Billy, 15, left; David, 19, on bed; and Lloyd, 12, right, all crippled by muscular dystrophy, a rare disease, usually fatal, shown as they await their sad fate at the home of their widowed mother, nea. Salisbury, N. C. The boys were recently taken to Duke university hospital where doctors said they could do nothing for them.

will be the first opportunity for the home fans to see this team in action. The B team played its first game of the season last Friday against the class B Miles team and won by the score of 32 to 0.

Members of the first string will be used if necessary to win over the Mountaineers.

Santa Anna has not participated in football for he past several years and only returned to district 9A this fall. To date they have not had time to make a team equal to the better teams of the district and for this reason B team members will get into action in the game Friday night.

Paper clips at Ledger office.

Mrs. Charles Lee and daughter, Miss Juanita Lee, of Norton, are at home from Rochester, Minn. after spending ten weeks there where Miss Juanita went through the Mayo clinic and later had an operation at St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. Cora Green is visiting in Abilene this week.

**AUCTION SALE**  
Drummond Bros., known as the Economy Shoe Shop, will have Auction from 2:00 to 3:00 p. m. Saturday. If you have anything for sale bring it in and we'll sell it. We have delivery service, and have sand and gravel and haul what have you.  
Phone 318

**TURKEYS Wanted**

AT HIGHEST MARKET PRICES

**Ballinger Poultry & Egg Co.**

Phone 219---South 7th Street

The seniors, juniors and sophomores had a theater party Tuesday night, November 6. We all met down at Norton and ate and then went to Ballinger. Most of the kids went to see "Captain Eddie" and the others went to see "Her Highness and the Bellboy." Everyone had a good time.

Oh, oh, here it is again, six weeks test next week.

**Who's Who**  
Our sophomore personality is the only Latin-American in high school. He is about 5 feet 3 inches tall and has black hair.

**NIGHT COUGHS**

are eased, sticky phlegm loosened up, irritated upper breathing passages are soothed and relieved, by rubbing Vicks VapoRub on throat, chest and back at bedtime. Blessed relief as VapoRub PENETRATES to upper bronchial tubes with its special medicinal vapors, STIMULATES chest and back surfaces like a warming poultice.

Often by morning most of the misery of the cold is gone! Remember—**ONLY VAPORUB Gives You** this special double action. It's time-tested, home-proved, the best-known home remedy for relieving miseries of children's colds.

**VICKS VAPORUB**

He is very studious. He can sing well. He doesn't talk so very much part in sports.

Our junior personality is a very cute girl and she is small. She has long brown hair and brown eyes. She has a very nice figure and lovely legs. She is a very active guard on the basketball team. The boys envy a certain guy because they don't have a chance with her. She is about 5 feet 2 inches tall. She has a very sweet personality.

Our last week's who's who were Juanita Lee and Elwood Hambricht.

**Card of Thanks**  
We desire to express our appreciation to our friends who were so kind to us during the recent illness and death of our loved one, Louise Gressett. The expressions of sympathy, the beautiful floral offering and other deeds done for our comfort were all appreciated. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gressett and family  
Mrs. Jim Aly and family  
15-11-

Staples  
Limited quantity of Markwell Staples at Ballinger Printing Co.

**Sam Malone Partner In Weeks Drug Store; Russell an Employee**

Announcement was made this week by E. H. Becton that Sam Malone, Jr., had acquired an interest in the Weeks Drug Store and would be a regular employee of the firm.

Mr. Malone is not a new face at Weeks Drug Store, having been employed there a number of years as pharmacist and retail salesman. He is thoroughly experienced in the preparation of drugs and and the handling of a general stock of merchandise.


At the same time it was stated that Jimmy Russell was a new employee of the store and would have charge of the fountain and food departments. Mr. Russell is making improvements in the service of these departments and the kitchen will feature Mexican foods, steaks and sandwiches.

Both Mr. Malone and Mr. Russell have only recently been discharged from the service and returned here to make their home.

**BEARCAT B TEAM WILL SEE ACTION TOMORROW**

Coach Felton T. Wright stated today that he would have about 40 men suited out for the game tomorrow (Friday) night with the Santa Anna Mountaineers. These will include the first string of 24 players and the entire B team of the local high school.

Coach Wright expects to play the B team a large part of the time against Santa Anna and it



**"I'M NO BOOKKEEPER"**

"... but keeping track of household expenses is never a problem for me. My checking account always gives me a complete, accurate record of where my money goes, with hardly any effort on my part."

**We'll welcome your account.**

**The First National Bank of Ballinger**

Since 1886  
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation



**It's Big-It's Beautiful-It's BUICK**

THIS, we reasoned, is no time to offer folks a car that stops with artful face-lifting.

It has been nearly four years since our last new Buick was built — it wouldn't be shooting square now to give you less than our honor-bright best.

So we overhauled our whole factory to advantage it with the latest in war-developed machines and processes.

We scoured the country for the stoutest metals anyone can buy today.

We set ourselves precisions that in some cases exceed those of aircraft engine production.

And we eagle-eyed every one of this Buick's 12,000 parts to see if it could be bettered in any way, big or little.

The result is that through every stunning inch of this bright new honey runs solid, dependable Buick character, honest and uncompromised.

It's in swift clean lines. In seats that are three-persons wide. In stout, time-defying frames and underpinning. Above all — in the lift and life of a Fireball straight-eight that's even livelier than in 1942.

The cars your Buick dealer will have are big. They're beautiful. They're Buicks.

In fact — the best Buicks yet!

When better automobiles are built **BUICK** will build them

**UNDERWOOD MOTOR COMPANY**---10th and Hutchings NOW ON DISPLAY

**Announcing New RETAIL DEALER for**

**COSDEN**

NEW, IMPROVED, PEACETIME  
*Better Than Before-the-War*

**HIGHER OCTANE GASOLINE**  
**PREMIUM ETHYL GASOLINE**  
**COSDEN PARA-FINE MOTOR OIL**

STOP AT THE SIGN OF THE COSDEN TRAFFIC COP

**Johnnie W. Landers**  
Hutchings Ave. and 13th St.  
Wholesale and Retail  
Ballinger

**COSDEN PETROLEUM CORPORATION**  
BIG SPRING, TEXAS





# Women's, Society and Club News

## Progressive Dinner for First Baptist Rainbow Girls

Members of the First Baptist Intermediate class, the Rainbow Girls, were entertained with an enjoyable progressive dinner last week in the homes of four members and the teacher, Miss Tommye Mansell.

Similar floral arrangements of chrysanthemums and other fall flowers gave floral beauty. The fruit cocktail course, served in the Eighth Street home of LaRita Price with Mrs. Stanley Price assisting, was followed by the soup course served by Barbara Patterson and her mother, Mrs. Melvin Patterson, in their home on Tenth Street. Cynthia Tuckey, assisted by Mrs. J. G. Tuckey, was hostess for a salad plate in their home on Seventh Street, and Miss Mansell was hostess for the main course in her home on Broadway.

The D. D. Winton home on Huichings Avenue was the scene of the dessert course with Patsy Barrett hostess. Here, too, Mrs. W. J. Hembree, department superintendent, gave the devotional.

Others were: Jessie Mae Henderson, Martha Ann James, Irma Baldwin, Joan Rayburn, Patsy Bishop, and Joan Chapman.

## Fannie Stephens Club Has Program on American Home

Mrs. W. O. Irby presided for the routine business meeting of the Fannie Stephens Study Club held last Thursday afternoon at the Library. The resignation of Mrs. Alton Underwood was accepted and plans for an active youth

project were discussed. The Shakespeare Club invited members to a book review the next Thursday, November 15.

Mrs. Underwood was leader and hostess for the program on "The American Home" which began with members answering roll call by giving "One Thing I Love About Home." Mrs. J. H. Endacott discussed "Youth Conservation" and Mrs. W. E. Elkins' topic was "The Home—a Moral and Spiritual Force."

Others present were: Mmes. H. G. Agnew, Carl Black, J. Dexter Eoff, Marvin Davies, Joe Forester, E. C. Grindstaff, Drury Hathaway, Gary Hoffius, LeRoy McAulay, M. E. McClenney, R. D. Midgley, W. E. Moss, W. A. McDonald, Charles Miller, Dee Saylor, Allen Davis, Leonard Scales, and J. M. Williams.

## First Baptist Ruth Class Entertained

Mrs. Wix Currie, Jr., and Mrs. Barnett Frank were hostesses to the First Baptist Ruth Class Thursday evening of last week, entertaining in the Currie home on Third Street.

Yellow chrysanthemums decked attractive rooms where Mrs. J. R. McGraw, teacher, gave the devotional. Yearbooks were distributed and discussed and plans made for the Christmas basket for the needy.

At the social hour Mrs. W. E. Curtis was surprise honoree at a gift shower and a salad plate was served with cookies and coffee. Others present were: Mmes. Jack

Gibbs, Franklin Heath, A. G. Buchanan, W. R. Murphy, E. V. Smith, Joe Lee Cooper, Frad Moncrief, Harold Routh, Ross Bartlett, LaVerne Evans, Otis Jacob, Clara Mae Jobe, Paul Kirk, Dick Ayers, Golda Haggard, O. W. Routh, and Doyle Condra.

## Miss Marryatt Smith is Hostess for In-Honor Affairs

Miss Marryatt Smith was hostess in her home on Sixth Street at a series of informal affairs over the Armistice holiday week-end to compliment her sister, Mrs. F. H. Turbeville, and Mr. Turbeville, of Gainesville, who were her house guests.

A profusion of lovely fall roses and chrysanthemums gave floral decoration to party rooms. On Saturday evening tables were arranged for forty-two. Individual gifts, given by matching numbers on score cards and packages, were exchanged as games were won or lost. A salad plate was served with sandwiches and tea. On Sunday a few close friends were included at a prettily-appointed dinner at the noon hour and on Monday afternoon other friends were guests. After an hour of pleasant conversation, Miss Zadie Royalty read the clever poem "Halsey, Nimitz, and Me." Mmes. Paul Trimmer, Warren Lynn, and Troy Simpson assisted in serving a salad plate with tea.

Others included were: Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Douglass, Messrs. and Mmes. H. W. Lynn, R. W. Bruce, James Wear, C. J. Lynn, Estes Lynn, Trimmer, J. D. Wilson, J.

## They're Here Today . . . Gone Tomorrow



If you are mentally agile, perhaps you can keep up with the Argentine situation. Here is Vice Adm. Hector Mernengo Lima, who became minister of the navy in the coup which ousted Vice Pres. Juan Peron for a short time. When Peron returned to office the admiral was arrested.

A. Forester, Mmes. Oscar Pearson, Gertrude Woods, C. P. Shepherd, J. P. Currie, Charles Bailey, E. C. Baskin, E. L. Hagan, John Gulon, George Holman, W. B. Halley, R. E. Porter, R. A. Dickinson, Alex McGregor, R. W. Earnshaw, John Weeks, F. M. Pearce, Tom Agnew, J. B. Striplin, J. Y. Pearce, Ralph Erwin, Q. V. Miller, and Miss Maggie Underwood.

## Mrs. Saylor is Know Your Neighbors Hostess

Mrs. Dee Saylor was hostess to Know Your Neighbors Wednesday afternoon in her home on Sixth Street.

Chrysanthemums gave a pretty floral decoration to rooms where Red Cross knitting and individual handwork gave diversion.

The hostess was assisted by her small daughters, Linda and Dee Ann, in serving a salad plate with coca colas. Included were members, Mmes. John Castor, Malcolm Morgan, M. A. Foy, Jack Nixon, Sr., John Barton, Jones Taylor, Joe Flynt, Cecil Jones, Bill Clark, L. C. Adair, and LeRoy McAulay.

## Garden Club Has Program on Trees

Mrs. F. M. Pearce presided for the meeting of the Civic-Garden

Club Tuesday afternoon in City Hall auditorium with sixteen members present. Resolutions on the death of Mrs. C. R. Stephens were read and recorded. Mmes. E. M. Lynn, Tom Caudie, and Alex Saunders were named nominating committee members.

Mrs. Estes Lynn was program director and gave a description of the beautiful trees seen on their recent trip through the Ozarks to introduce the program on trees. Mrs. W. O. Irby discussed Texas trees and Mrs. M. A. Foy told of the shrubs and trees that attract birds.

Floral arrangements displayed were of pink and white chrysanthemums by Mrs. B. Frazier; azalea chrysanthemums by Mrs. Oscar Pearson; and Silver Sheen mums by Mrs. Alex Saunders.

## First Presbyterian Auxiliary Members Attend Abilene Conference

Mmes. Harry Lynn, Alex McGregor, Gary Hoffius, C. L. Baker, and Alex Saunders were in Abilene on Thursday of last week to attend an all-day meeting of the district conference of the Mid-Texas Presbytery.

Mrs. Lynn presided as district chairman and Mmes. McGregor

and Hoffius assisted in presenting the program theme, "And They Went Forth." Mrs. Saunders paid tribute to the late Mrs. C. R. Stephens, who was the Presbyterian secretary of spiritual life.

The district is composed of the auxiliaries at Abilene, Coleman, Paint Rock, Talpa, and Ballinger.

## Girl Scout Field Advisor Meets With Local Unit

Miss Alyce Nelson, national Girl Scout traveling professional, was here last Thursday and Friday to consult with local leaders and to make plans for future training in girl scout work for Ballinger council members and leaders. Only recently was Ballinger added to Miss Nelson's territory as field advisor and leaders hope for regular visits at some time in the near future.

Believing that girl scouting can perform a definite contribution during the post war period as it did during war days, the girl scout council is looking forward to the training of leadership and the informing the public in general as to its benefits. "We need not carry a blazing torch, shout

from soap-boxes, beat drums. But we should remember that children are ever with us, and that they do not change basically. They are looking for security and happiness and a pattern for good living." Girl scouting has proved that it can make better citizens and individual scouts the nation over have been distinguished for outstanding service in many phases of war work.

Mrs. W. O. Middleton, recently elected president of the leaders' club, presided for the leaders' meeting Thursday afternoon in City Hall auditorium with Miss Nelson directing a round-table discussion of general problems.

Dr. J. G. Douglass, president of the local council, directed its meeting when plans were made for training courses to be taught by Miss Nelson in late January or early February. A training school for council members of this area of Texas will be held in San Antonio January 7-12.

On Friday Miss Nelson held separate consultations with leaders of the Brownie troops and intermediates.

Mrs. R. E. Porter, of Sweetwater, Tennessee, is here for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Halley, and Dr. Halley. She will also visit relatives at Temple.

# Major Consideration in home building plans



# HEAT

The time to decide about your house heating is during planning stage because the new gas heating equipment requires flues for venting.\*

When heating is planned as part of house and equipment installed when it is built or remodeled, it can be included as part of monthly payments. In this way the finest automatic gas heat costs so little more each month that even the builder of a modest cottage can afford it. So plan heat as part of house.

\*Only when heating equipment is vented to a flue are wall sweating and stuffy air eliminated. Lone Star Gas Company recommends only equipment that is vented.

LONE STAR GAS COMPANY

## Doris Dodson Juniors dress for campus realities



as seen in Seventeen

doris dodson's proud lineage a two-piece to wear proudly with dramatic details of rayon satin and felt flower corsage-american beauty rayon crepe-ocean blue-beige-green gold-sizes seven to fifteen-12.95



as seen in Mademoiselle

doris dodson's chinese modern chinese princess cut dress trimmed with our exclusive embroidery-rayon cloud crepe-green gold-jewel turquoise-ming coral-pearl white-sizes nine to fifteen-14.95



as seen in Vogue

doris dodson's dynamite a two-piece white wool and rayon poncho plaid in red and black combined with red or black wool and rayon shawl-sizes nine to fifteen-12.95

Bettis & Sturges

IT'S A WISE SANTA WHO BRINGS...

Kate Greenaway DRESSES

\$1.20 to \$2.25

This is the one gift above all others that brings joy to little girls... and much satisfaction to their mothers. Daughter knows she will be well dressed in her Kate Greenaway... mother knows it will fit, wear and wash well. Even Daddy knows she will be prettier than ever in her Christmas Kate Greenaway. Sizes 3 to 6X.

Bettis & Sturges

### Signe Hasso and James Craig Teamed in 'Dangerous Partners'

Beautiful Signe Hasso and handsome James Craig are a romantic couple of culprits in "Dangerous Partners," new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer thriller to be shown at the Ritz Theatre Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Hasso is an exciting adventuress who joins forces with Craig when their trails cross in quest of the secret of four millions—for a cool million dollars each—made out to a mysterious beneficiary.

From the moment their eyes meet, it's danger and adventure for daring pair. From Cleveland to New York and then into New England they follow a perilous trail involving a mysterious menu that spells murder, a steel brief case that holds a desperate secret, and a war criminal plot reaching into the heart of our country.

"Dangerous Partners" is at all times a fast-moving and attention-arresting film, expertly directed and produced. The screen play is a tight, well-written affair by top-flight scenarist, Marion Parsonnet.

In addition to Miss Hasso and Craig, the cast includes Edmund Gwenn, veteran character actor; Audrey Trotter, as Lili Roegan, night club singer; John Warburton, Henry O'Neill and Grant Withers.

"Dangerous Partners" is reported to be a fine blend of romance, mystery and intrigue.

### 'Pride of the Marines'



Scene from "Pride of the Marines" at the Texas Theatre Al Schmid, leatherneck hero, who typifies the courage and John Garfield has the leading role in this true-life story of next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 18, 19, 20, skill of America's fighting men.

### Garfield as Heroic Al Schmid In Thrilling 'Pride of Marines'

Rousing with moments of action, heart-warming with inspiration and tenderness, Warner Bros. newest drama, "Pride of the Marines" arrives Sunday afternoon at the Texas Theatre. Starring John Garfield as Marine Sgt. Al Schmid, Eleanor Parker and Dane Clark, the film tells the moving story of that generation of Americans who came of age on December 7, 1941.

Here is the tale of a boy who brought bouquets to his girl in the days before Pearl Harbor and who won one himself in the uniform of a marine. Here, in one motion picture, is everything that makes this country great. The pride in our heritage, our willingness to die if need be, for the rights we believe so deeply are ours, are captured in the story of Al Schmid, "Pride of the Marines."

The local run of this picture is Sunday through Tuesday, November 18, 19 and 20.

"Bedside Manner," Comedy, Plus "Within These Walls," Drama, Texas Program Tomorrow

"Bedside Manner," a howling new comedy, and a grim, furious drama, "Within These Walls," are the two offerings on the double-feature bill at the Texas Theatre tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday, November 16, 17.

"Bedside Manner" stars sparkling Ruth Hussey and handsome John Carroll in a hilarious tale of a surgeon in skirts who set her patient's pulses racing.

The uproarious action involves Charlie Ruggles, Ann Rutherford, Esther Dale, Claudia Drake and Renee Godfrey.

In the shocking and sensational drama, "Within These Walls," Thomas Mitchell is seen as the ruthless warden of a penitentiary, as cruel and hated as any killer with a gun in his hand. Mary Anderson plays the role of his

### Tuneful, Actionful Cisco Kid Adventure Film and 'Dangerous Intruder' to Palace

The double-feature program at the Palace Theatre tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday, November 16, 17, includes Charles Arnt and Veda Ann Borg in "Dangerous Intruder," a quick-action drama and one of the "Cisco Kid" series, "South of the Rio Grande," with Duncan Renaldo in the title role of the gay Latin bandit who robs the rich to give to the poor.

"South of the Rio Grande" finds Cisco racing to the aid of his foster father, only to run into the attempted execution of a ranchero by crooked government officials. Cisco falls this plot with the aid of his side-kick, Pancho, and the two agree to help the ranchmen clean the district of these political thieves. It's easier said than done, and Cisco and Pancho are on the spot when the desperadoes close on them for the kill.

Renaldo as the "Kid" has Martin Garralaga as his humorous but somewhat slow-thinking partner, Armida, George J. Lewis, Lillian Moller, Franche McDonald, Pedro Regas, Soledad Jimenez, Charles Stevens and Tito Renaldo are in the main supporting roles, with the Guadalajara Trio furnishing authentic Mexican folk songs.

Johnston McCulley's original story is based on the fictional O Henry character.

R. E. Pressler was called to Fredericksburg on Tuesday of last week to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Fred Grienke, a native of Germany. Decedent came to this country in 1897 and the family has resided at Fredericksburg ever since.

Be wise—advertise.

Misses Ann Kiechle, Dorothy Crawford and Carmen Demmer spent the week-end in San Antonio.

Mrs. Bobbie Miller, of Abilene, spent the week-end here, visiting in the home of Mrs. T. J. McCaughan.

Buy a share in victory—invest in war bonds and stamps.

Other members of the cast include Mark Stevens, B. S. Pully, Roy Roberts, John Russell and Norman Lloyd.

Be wise—advertise.

### PETE SAYS

ALWAYS BE READY TO SMILE AND GREET THE OTHER FELLOW IF YOU WANT GREETINGS TO COME YOUR WAY.



PETE ALSO SAYS: If you want to be sure of service, fair price and cleanliness of your clothing, send them to

**Holland's**  
Eighth Street  
Ballinger, Texas

### NOTICE

I have installed a Master Pipe and bolt threading machine. I have a stock of pipes and bolts and rod material When in need of either—see me.

Patterson's Shop

been discharged from the service. Before entering the army he at one time was engaged in business in Ballinger.

Staples  
Limited quantity of Markwell Staples at Ballinger Printing Co.

## RITZ THEATRE

Ballinger  
The Home of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Pictures

Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday

**DANGEROUS PARTNERS**  
WITH SIGNE HASSO AND JAMES CRAIG

Edmund GWENN • Audrey TOTTER  
Mabel PAIGE • John WARBURTON  
Henry O'NEILL • Grant WITHERS

Ledge want ads pay.

### City Collections Good in October; 34 Given Tickets

The October report of the Ballinger city secretary showed unusually large collections for this time of year, a total of \$12,808.38 being taken in. Current tax collections supplied the largest single amount, \$6,512.38. Other revenues were: delinquent taxes, \$159.89; penalty and interest, \$26.65; water, \$3,237.06; sanitary service, \$185.75; fines, \$41.25; land lease, \$2,500; and several small items.

During October the city police issued 34 traffic tickets and 21 fines were collected. In addition five arrests were made, resulting in four fines being paid.

The street department dragged 175 blocks of dirt streets during the month, opened a number of drainage lines, and improved alleys in the downtown district. The county commissioner dragged several streets in West End after the city maintainer developed trouble.

The city has gathered a fine pecan crop in the Santa Fe park and in city park. Other routine activities kept all employees busy during the month.

Read the grocery ads and save.

## Ballinger Electric Company

713 Hutchings Avenue  
Phone 199

ELECTRICAL REPAIRS  
ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING  
RADIO REPAIRING  
LIGHT FIXTURES  
FLUORESCENT FIXTURES

See Us for Your Electrical Needs. New Radios and Appliances  
When Available

## Sure Relief From ASTHMA

### Asthma Nefrin

NEBULIZER AND INHALANT SOLUTION "A"  
Relieves the Paroxysms of

### Asthma and Hay Fever

Sold with a written money refund agreement. If user is not entirely satisfied with results within the trial period money will be fully refunded.

Ask us for further details.

---

## Weeks Drug Store

E. H. BECTON, Owner

MOTHERS! HERE'S SOMETHING NEW

*for girls 2 to 12 years!*

### "YOUNG SET" COLD WAVE PERMANENT home kit

Now your daughter can have a permanent wave with the snappy curls, sparkling waves every girl longs for! YOUNG SET, the only cold permanent wave designed for children's hair, is so simple... so easy to use! Two or three hours at home while she plays... and lo, beautiful bouncing curls that Mother doesn't have to pin up every night! Protect the delicate texture of your daughter's hair this newer, safer way, with YOUNG SET, the cold permanent wave exclusively created for children's hair.

**\$1.75** PLUS TAX

ADORABLE CURLS AND WAVES

**Young Set** COLD WAVE PERMANENT  
*especially made for girls 2 to 12*

**WEEKS DRUG STORE**  
E. H. BECTON, Owner

This Week-End at the---

## TEXAS THEATRE

Matinee Everyday at 2 p. m. ....Continuous Showing....

### 2 Big Days Friday-Saturday

### 2 FEATURES FOR THE PRICE OF 1

### WITHIN THESE WALLS

TEMPERATURES SOAR! PULSES ROAR!

ANDREW STONE presents

### BEDSIDE MANNER

Starring JOHN CARROLL - RUTH HUSSEY CHARLES RUGGLES - ANN RUTHERFORD ESTHER DALE - GRANT WARBURTON - FRANK HOWES From The Saturday Evening Post Story by Robert Cannon

ADDED-----LATEST NEWS AND FUNNIES

Sunday-Monday, Tuesday, Nov. 18-19-20

Held over... and how!

MAN! HOW They're going Over!

IT'S THE MOST LOVABLE LOVE STORY IN YEARS! AND BEST OF ALL-IT'S TRUE!

WARNER'S GLORIOUS **Pride of the Marines** STARRING JOHN GARFIELD

ELEANOR PARKER - DANE CLARK

Directed by DELMER DAVES - Produced by JERRY WALK - Screen Play by Albert Maltz - Adaptation by Marvin Swartz - From a Book by Roger Ballantine - Music by Fritz Weinger

Also WORLD EVENTS and CARTOON

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY, NOV. 21, 22

YOUNG DAY

These Endearing Young Charming

ANN HARDING

EXTRA ADDED

MARCH OF TIME

Speed Our Boys Home Buy Victory Bonds

12c---"YOUR BARGAIN THEATRE---25c

## PALACE THEATRE

2 BIG SHOWS for the PRICE of 1

### FRIDAY--SATURDAY

GAY CABALLERO

A SONG ON HIS LIPS, A GUN ON HIS HIP!

THE CISCO KID

South of the Rio Grande

DUNCAN RENALDO MARTIN GARRALAGA - ARMIDA - THE GUADALAJARA TRIO

she was at the mercy of a MADMAN who LOVED only to KILL!

DANGEROUS INTRUDER

Plus-- Funnies "Fox and the Duck" and A Brand New Serial "PURPLE MONSTER"

**SOCIETY**

**Fellowship Luncheon for First Baptist Naomi Class**  
 First Baptist Naomi Class members were guests at a prettily-appointed luncheon Tuesday in the church parlors on Eighth Street with Mrs. J. H. Endacott, fellowship chairman, directing the planning. She was assisted by Meses. Oren Chandler, T. W. Cox, Jim Golden, Melvin Patterson, Homer Bibb, Ted Whitehead, and Alton Underwood.  
 The floral decoration of tables

of yellow chrysanthemums and other appointments were in the sumac leaves in copper bowls and rich autumn color tones. Mrs. Patterson presided and Mrs. C. E. Maedgen gave the devotional after the invocation by Mrs. J. R. Horrburg. The menu was served in three courses. Mrs. E. D. Lovelady gave the benediction.

Others present were: Meses. R. M. Bird, C. E. Cloninger, Richardson, Earl Cope, Frank Flynt, Joe Flynt, Clyde Gabbert, Aubrey Grant, H. R. Green, J. B. Hart, W. A. Jacob, Vivian Marshall, James Parrish, Pat Michaelis, Stanley Price, W. A. Pippen, H. B. Scoggins, H. C. Smith, Wesley Whit-

man, John Castor, W. E. Elkins, W. J. Hembree, E. C. Grindstaff, J. H. Carlisle, W. A. McDonald, O. T. Toney, J. G. Tuckey, and Sidney Myers of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

**MYF Entertained**  
 The Methodist Youth Fellowship group was entertained Tuesday evening in the church parlors on Tenth Street with Dorothy and Paul Harrah, Johnny Calloway, and Mary Lou Howell hosts. Orchid chrysanthemums decked the young people's recreation room where games and singing gave entertainment. Punch was served with cookies.

Others present were: Mrs. H. B. Loyd, Carol McClennay, Betty Jo Middleton, Cordie Lou Forgey, Duane Baxter, Mary Jean Ball, Neida Sanders, Sue Hampton, Kathryn Sensabaugh, Betty Lou Stuart, LaRita Price, Jack Hampton, Pat Byrom, Gene Wilson, Neal Loyd, Joyce Sanders, Gene Hirschfeld, Joyce McCorstin, Alvena Ischar, W. E. Wallace, Walter Hill, Cleo Burk, Bill Hart, and Billy Jack Middleton.

**Miss Batts Hostess to Business Woman's Circle**  
 Miss Louise Batts was hostess to the First Presbyterian Business Woman's Circle Tuesday evening

in her home on Ninth Street. Yellow chrysanthemums graced rooms where Miss Maggie Underwood, vice-president, directed the business period and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson taught the Bible study. The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. E. F. Batts, in serving pecan pie with coffee. Other present were: Mrs. Harold Benefield, a new member; Misses Virginia Holman, Winnie Trill, and Olga Schave.

**Conquest Class in W. A. Erwin Home**  
 The home of Mrs. W. A. Erwin on Eighth Street was the scene of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Conquest Class meeting Tuesday evening with Mrs. Erwin, Mrs. Paul Petty, and Miss Mae Stubblefield hostesses.

regular meeting Tuesday afternoon with a perfect attendance of 15. TB Xmas seals were stamped on 2,000 statement envelopes for the First National Bank under the direction of Mrs. E. W. Stasney. Ginger Ann Gurley served refreshments.

The Robin Brownie troop met at the Library Wednesday afternoon for a business session then hiked to City Park for nature study accompanied by leaders, Mrs. Floyd Wington and Mrs. J. B. Hart, and a troop mother, Mrs. W. A. McDonald. LaVerne Calvert was hostess.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

Ben Taylor, Jr., of Norton, was dismissed Thursday of last week after receiving treatment at the Bailey Clinic-Hospital.

Mrs. S. R. Wood underwent major surgery Tuesday and her condition is described as satisfactory today.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Underwood are parents of a daughter, born Friday. Both mother and baby are doing nicely and were dismissed Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Stark and daughter, of Norton, were dismissed Sunday.

William Parkington, surgical patient, is doing satisfactorily.

W. B. Keesee, medical patient, was dismissed Friday after showing improvement.

Miss Genevieve King was dismissed from the hospital Friday following minor surgery.

The condition of Mrs. T. B. Wade, medical patient, is said to be about the same this week.

Alton Attwood, of Paint Rock, is resting well following an operation Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yarnell are parents of a son, born Tuesday. Mrs. Yarnell and baby are doing nicely.

The condition of M. E. Hagelstein, of Paint Rock, medical patient, is reported as satisfactory.

Mrs. Ruby Smith, of Paint Rock, medical patient, is reported to be improved this week.

Mrs. L. B. Watkins, admitted to the hospital this week, was due to undergo major surgery today.

Frank Tatum, operated on Wednesday night, was reported resting well today.

**VETERAN NOW PARTNER IN DOSS AUTO COMPANY**

The returning of service men and future development of Ballinger took another step forward last week, which saw the return of Henry R. Bieciuk from four years service in the army. Mr. Bieciuk, former professional baseball player from New York, and

**Herman S. Cohen, M. D.**  
 Announces the opening of offices here, about Nov. 19 for the general practice of **MEDICINE AND SURGERY**  
 Second Floor E. Shepperd Building  
 Corner Hutchings and 7th

Henry Doss, owner of Doss Motor Co., have become partners in the Doss Motor Co.

Mr. Bieciuk, known in baseball circles as "Hank," left the study of chemical engineering at C. C. N. Y. and Fordham University to play organized baseball. He was well on his way and was under contract with the Cincinnati Reds of the National League when World War II intervened and saw Mr. Bieciuk enlist in the army. After four years of active service, he was discharged November 3 at Camp Hood.

Hank is of the opinion that Ballinger is and will be an up and coming city in the very near future and it will be the responsibility of the returning veterans to make this so. Mr. and Mrs. Bieciuk, the former Patricia Doss, have decided to make Ballinger a permanent home and have purchased a lot recently. They will build their home as soon as materials will permit.

**Chest Colds**

Relieve Distress This Home-Proved Way

Now to help relieve congestion and irritation in upper bronchial tubes, muscular soreness or tightness, coughing spasms—most young mothers rub Vicks VapoRub on throat, chest and back at bedtime. And at once VapoRub

**PENETRATES** to upper bronchial tubes with its special medicinal vapors

**STIMULATES** chest and back surfaces like a warming poultice.

So soothing, comforting... VapoRub invites restful sleep and keeps on working for hours to relieve distress. And... **ONLY VAPORUB Gives You** this special penetrating-stimulating action. It's the best known home remedy for relieving misery of children's colds. Try it!

**VICKS VAPORUB**

**OUR FIRST Anniversary Sale**

This is a GREAT FIRST for us because it's our FIRST ANNIVERSARY and it's a GREAT FIRST for you because many NEW items are coming on to our shelves and counters and we've priced all of them especially low in honor of this event. Come early and stay to save—our big anniversary sale starts Friday, November 16th. DON'T MISS IT!

**Market Features:**

- Cream Cheese Philadelphia Pkg. 10c
- Beef Roast Seven out Lb. 25c
- Loin Steak or T-BONE Pound 38c
- CHEESE Dressed and L' on Pound 68c
- HENS Pound 46c

**SALE**

- CRISCO Lb. Carton 25c
- Dates Drumstick Pitted Pound 29c
- PI-DO 2 Packages 25c
- Miracle Whip 8 oz Jar 17c
- Soup Campbell Tomato Can 9c
- FRUIT CAKE MIX Pound 59c

**Feature Attractions**

<b>DREFT</b> Regular Pkg. 25c	<b>TOMATOES</b> No. 2 can 12c
<b>RINSO</b> Regular Pkg. 25c	<b>PEAS</b> Mission Brand 16c
<b>LUX FLAKES</b> Regular Pkg. 25c	<b>SARDINES</b> Regular Flat can 7 1/2c
<b>MAGIC WASHER</b> Regular Pkg. 25c	<b>PUREX</b> Qt. 15c
<b>BLACK PEPPER</b> Pure Ground can 9c	<b>BABY FOOD</b> Heinz 8c
	<b>BAB-O</b> 2 Regular cans 25c
	<b>CHOCOLATES</b> Sunshine Lb. Box 59c
	<b>GINGER SNAPS</b> Pound Box 22c

**FROZEN FOODS**

- Sliced Peaches Package 39c
- Apricots Package 39c
- Pineapple Crushed Package 47c
- Golden Corn Package 29c
- Peas Package 28c
- Asparagus Green Package 43c
- Apple Sauce Package 25c

**FRUITS & VEGETABLES**

- Yams No. 1 grade 1b. 9c
- Celery Pascal Bleached 1b. 15c
- Lettuce Large Size 1b. 12c
- Potatoes Idaho Russetts 5 lbs. 23c
- Cauliflower 1b. 15c
- Egg Plant 1b. 15c
- Grapefruit Texas Seedless 1b. 6c
- Oranges Texas 1b. 8c
- Apples Fancy Delicious 1b. 14c

**Jello** All Flavors 2 Packages 15c

**No. 1 Diamond WALNUTS 49¢**

**CRANBERRIES 33¢** Pound

**WAX PAPER** Cutrite 125 feet each 19c

**MATCHES** Diamonds or Rosebuds 6-box 29c

**COFFEE** Folger's—Hills Bros. Lb. 33c  
 Maxwell House—Shillings' jal 33c

**DILL PICKLES** Quart 49c

**MY-T-FINE** All Flavors pkg. 6c

**KLEENEX** 200 Size pkg. 13c

**KRISPY CRACKERS** 2-lb. box 33c

**These Prices Good Friday and Saturday, November 16 and 17. Because of Limited Quantities on some of these hard-to-get items, it is our suggestion that you shop early.**

**Broadway Food Market**

in her home on Ninth Street. Yellow chrysanthemums graced rooms where Miss Maggie Underwood, vice-president, directed the business period and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson taught the Bible study. The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. E. F. Batts, in serving pecan pie with coffee. Other present were: Mrs. Harold Benefield, a new member; Misses Virginia Holman, Winnie Trill, and Olga Schave.

The Robin Brownie troop met at the Library Wednesday afternoon for a business session then hiked to City Park for nature study accompanied by leaders, Mrs. Floyd Wington and Mrs. J. B. Hart, and a troop mother, Mrs. W. A. McDonald. LaVerne Calvert was hostess.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

Ben Taylor, Jr., of Norton, was dismissed Thursday of last week after receiving treatment at the Bailey Clinic-Hospital.

Mrs. S. R. Wood underwent major surgery Tuesday and her condition is described as satisfactory today.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Underwood are parents of a daughter, born Friday. Both mother and baby are doing nicely and were dismissed Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Stark and daughter, of Norton, were dismissed Sunday.

William Parkington, surgical patient, is doing satisfactorily.

W. B. Keesee, medical patient, was dismissed Friday after showing improvement.

Miss Genevieve King was dismissed from the hospital Friday following minor surgery.

The condition of Mrs. T. B. Wade, medical patient, is said to be about the same this week.

Alton Attwood, of Paint Rock, is resting well following an operation Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yarnell are parents of a son, born Tuesday. Mrs. Yarnell and baby are doing nicely.

The condition of M. E. Hagelstein, of Paint Rock, medical patient, is reported as satisfactory.

Mrs. Ruby Smith, of Paint Rock, medical patient, is reported to be improved this week.

Mrs. L. B. Watkins, admitted to the hospital this week, was due to undergo major surgery today.

Frank Tatum, operated on Wednesday night, was reported resting well today.

**VETERAN NOW PARTNER IN DOSS AUTO COMPANY**

The returning of service men and future development of Ballinger took another step forward last week, which saw the return of Henry R. Bieciuk from four years service in the army. Mr. Bieciuk, former professional baseball player from New York, and

**WE WILL BE OPEN FOR Thanksgiving Dinner THURSDAY, NOV. 22 ...with... ..Turkeys and All the Trimmings...**

Plan to eat your Holiday Dinner with us—The Home of Southern Hospitality—If we please you...tell others...If we don't...tell us. We Strive to Please

**AMERICAN CAFE**  
 GABE SMITH, Proprietor

**Now On Display!**



**New 1946 Pontiac**

SEE THIS BEAUTIFUL CAR  
 We will Take your Order NOW!

**Morgan Motor Co.**

SINGING TO BE HELD SUNDAY AT GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH

A singing will be held at the Grace Baptist Church on Tenth Street Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock.

All singers of this area are invited to participate. A number of special quartets have accepted invitations and the public is welcome to attend.

Only 35 Shopping Days Before Christmas

It's Wise to SHOP EARLY...in fact...the EARLIER the BETTER... NOW...You'll Find the Best Assortment to SHOP NOW, you'll experience the Pleasure of leisurely looking and Making Your Selections

Our Salespeople will Be Glad to Render Any Assistance They Can Give...

Higginbotham's Where Most People Shop IN BALLINGER

ADD A THRILL TO WARTIME MEALS WITH PYREX WARE. Today the swing's to casserole cookery! Lots of tasty dishes that use vegetables out of your Victory garden...

HANDY PYREX LOAF PAN! This good looking dish has a dozen uses. Bakes delicious bread, fish, meat, desserts. ... use little or no meat. Serve from stove to table in this Pyrex Double Duty Casserole. ... only 75c

Gonzales Hospital Helped by Schools Of Runnels County

Runnels county schools have cooperated in assistance to the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation and this week a check for \$53.94 was sent the foundation from the school children of this county.

County Superintendent Ernest stated that schools cooperating 100 per cent were: Bethel, Dry Ridge, Offen, Hatchel, Groenwald, Millar, Independence, Mazeland, Hagan-Barnett, Kristoff, Drasco, and Pumphrey.

Mr. Caskey said a final report on the amount raised by all the students would be made later when everything was in and the drive closed. Further commenting Mr. Caskey said:

"The Texas Warm Springs Foundation Center is trying to tag each school child in Texas and the contributions are being converted into brick buildings, wheel chairs, iron lungs, hot pack machines and crutches, and many other things necessary to carry on the work of rebuilding crippled children.

"If every one of the 1,400,000 children in Texas would give ten cents it would build one more large hospital. Last year the school bands gave concerts for the foundation, but the rural communities could not help in this way. This year all children can contribute a dime for a tag."

Rev. and Mrs. Gary Hoffius attended a district "Faith and Action" conference of church and Sunday school workers held in Abilene on Thursday afternoon and evening of last week. These meetings are being held throughout the state under outstanding leaders of the Southern Presbyterian Church.

Local State Guard Company Disbanded As of November 10

Company E, 11th battalion, of the Texas State Guard, was disbanded November 10, it being the judgment of officers and sponsoring agencies that the mission for which it was organized had been accomplished, and due to civic and personal affairs of its members it was becoming an ever-increasing burden to comply with federal standards of membership and weekly drill attendance.

1942, due to the efforts of its Co. E was activated January 9, sponsoring agencies, the American Legion, city of Ballinger, Runnels county, the Ballinger Board of Community Development, the Rotary and Lions clubs, the medical detachment of the 11th battalion, headquartered in Ballinger some time later. Both units have enjoyed a good rating with all state and federal inspectors.

Primarily Co. E was organized as a defense organization. The outstanding accomplishment if the company has been its training program for men who have passed through its ranks to some branch of the armed forces. Approximately 200 men have at one time or another been associated with the company, and of this number some 60 or more have entered some branch of the armed services. Almost without exception these men have written some member of the value of this training to them.

As time progressed the type of training changed from a defense and training program to that of disaster relief, riot control and control of civil disturbances.

It is the belief of the local membership and those who have been consulted locally that the need for this type of security is improbable in this immediate

area. The membership has a sincere pride in the organization, its program and personal relations. When the mustering out officers were here to take final inventory of approximately \$10,000 of federal equipment and clothing, they declared that company E had the lowest check out losses of any organization in the state yet reported. Compliments were passed on the dispatch and orderliness with which the final transfer of equipment in custody of company E was handled.

Officers and men wish to take this means of expressing to their sponsoring agencies and the citizenship their sincere appreciation of their loyal support and cooperation. The entire membership has experienced a degree of relief, but there is a sentiment and fellowship that will long remain.

Ballinger people have taken pride in the fine unit located here and in the men who were responsible for the training program. All men entered into the work with the determination to make the company one of the best in the Texas State Guard and this has been true. The unit, formed soon after the Texas National Guard was mobilized into federal service, has performed well, has trained diligently and those in charge are to be commended for the time and effort given to maintain the company.

4-H Clubs to Have Window Displays At Local Stores

This week-end six 4-H clubs of Runnels county will enter their Achievement Day displays in Ballinger. The clubs will make displays of their accomplishments for the past year in local store windows and these will remain on exhibit until Monday.

Judging of the windows will be done soon after they are arranged and winners will be shown. The score card set up includes: arrangement, neatness and attractiveness, 25 points; under quality: canned goods, 10 points; sewing, 15 points; fresh vegetables or dried vegetables, 10 points; field crops, 20 points; value of club work as shown in the windows, 20 points.

The six clubs and the locations of their exhibits follow: Rowena, Woodroff's; Offen, Rubin's; Crews, Ballinger Electric and Appliance Co.; Hagan-Barnett, Ben Franklin Store; Bethel, J. C. Penney Co.; Groenwald, Stone's.

Representatives of the six clubs were here Saturday to draw for store windows and arrange their details with leaders and the county farm agent and county home demonstration agent.

BIRTHS

Sgt. and Mrs. Theo Isbell, of San Angelo, are parents of a 5 1/2-pound son, Terry Reed, born on November 14 in Shannon Hospital, San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pyburn spent the Armistice holidays in Hondo, visiting Capt. and Mrs. LaDu Craig.

Mrs. H. W. Ketchum has returned to her home at Little Rock, Ark., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Howell.

Christmas Seal Sale Planned for Runnels County

The Runnels County Tuberculosis Association is getting ready for the annual sale of Christmas seals in this county and is stressing the need for reaching the set goal of \$2,000. The expanded program of activities for 1945 and 1946 adopted by the directors will require this much money if the

Yes Sir - Yes Mam - Shop and Save More at Higginbotham's The Best Place To Trade

activities are completed. The minimum amount required is \$2,000 to continue the work in this county and all citizens are urged to contribute in the campaign this fall.

Mrs. W. E. Moss, chairman of the committee of volunteer workers, has started plans to enlist a number of others for this committee soon.

W. J. Hembree is chairman of the special gifts committee for the 1945 Christmas sale of bonds and he and members of the committee are calling on business people to sell bonds to fit their contributions to this worthy cause. Firms are also being urged to use Christmas seals freely in holiday wrapping of bundles.

To date the special gifts have been very good and those in charge point out that the contributions help everyone as they aid in preventing the spread of communicable disease.

DEATHS

Mrs. Johnnie Louise Gressett, Mrs. Johnnie Louise Gressett, 34, died at the Bailey Clinic-Hospital Sunday at 3:30 p. m. after illness of eight days.

Decedent was born in Concho county and had resided in Ballinger since 1927. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ballinger. Mrs. Gressett contracted a severe cold while attending a football game in Ballinger, this illness developing into pneumonia which proved fatal.

Survivors include the husband, J. T. Gressett; mother, Mrs. J. L. Aly, of Ballinger; two brothers, Tom E. Aly, of Ballinger; Ray Aly, of Arizona; four sisters, Mrs. Sam Helms, of San Angelo; Mrs. Ruth Hodges, of Bangs; Mrs. Ruby Woods, of Boerne; and Mrs. Jessie Berry, of Arizona.

Funeral services were held at the Agnew chapel Monday after-

noon at 4:00 p. m., Rev. Wm. B. Waldrop, of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, officiating; and Rev. B. J. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist Church, assisting. Interment followed at Evergreen Cemetery.

pallbearers were John Rayburn, R. L. Bell, T. M. Marsh, E. E. Strickland, Ernest Berry and William Dodson.

Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TEN PETITIONS RECEIVED BY LOCAL MASONIC LODGE

The local Masonic lodge in regular meeting Tuesday night had an attendance of 32 members and after the regular session enjoyed a chili supper in the dining room of the lodge hall.

Most unusual of the business at the meeting was the presenting of ten petitions for membership. This is the largest number taken before any recent meeting and reflects a nice growth for the lodge.

Mrs. S. H. Underwood, of Sanderson, is here for a visit in the home of her brothers, Ray and Alto Lee, of the Norton community, and Robert Lee, of Winters.

DANCE! OLFEN HALL SUNDAY, NOV. 18 Music by Harrison Texans

Presenting the New 1946 Westinghouse Electric Refrigerator. Now on Display with Many New Features. 7 Cubic Foot Box. 12 lbs. free capacity. Large Compartment for frozen foods. Vegetable Crier for 1-4 bushel. Meat Tenderer for 15 pounds. Rust Resisting Shelves. -and many other features. Also - Tex-O-Lite Water Softener. For domestic use. Available in three sizes. A turn of your faucet and it delivers clear, soft water. Sykes Motor Co.

Thanksgivings Specials. Special Waves for Gray Hair. Cream Oil \$7.00, \$10.00 and \$12.50. Free Manicure with \$10.00 and \$12.50 Waves. Oil Permanents \$4.50 up. Thin, baby fine hair and difficult hair to curl are our specialties. Manicure \$1.00. BALLINGER BEAUTY SHOP. AGNES (Blondie) FISCHER, Manager and Operator. 713 HUTCHINGS AVENUE. TELEPHONE No. 196

notice... I will open a radio and small electric appliance repair shop, to be known as Sears radio service in my home at 1101 strong avenue, on or about January 1st. I am now prepared to do a small amount of radio repairing. have good substitutes for many unavailable tubes. can get most others on short notice. reasonable prices modern equipment ten years experience sam o. sears

A FRIEND IN NEED. The fine traditions behind the family physician are symbolic of his undeviating dependability. They are redundant with legends of self-sacrifice, hardship, and suffering. Now, as never before, you need your family physician. You need his counsel and advice to protect you from the fraudulent claims and false prophecies made by vendors of nostrums and cure-alls. These formulas usually have their origin with quacks and charlatans. Seek the advice of your physician. Be governed by his counsel. Depend on him as generations have done before you. Bring his prescriptions to us. We will follow his instructions to the last degree. J. Y. PEARCE DRUG CO. Where Pharmacy is a Profession

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

The Ballinger Ledger

Published Every Thursday by The Ballinger Printing Company... Office of Publication, 711 Hutchings Ave., Ballinger, Texas...

HAS YOUR ADDRESS CHANGED RECENTLY

Ledger subscribers are requested to notify the publisher of any change in their address promptly. Under the new postal laws newspapers and periodicals must pay postage due for notices of any change in address furnished by the postoffice.

Ballinger is getting further behind than most any town in West Texas in starting the Victory loan campaign. Local issuing agents indicated this week that practically no bonds have been bought here to date and leaders are wondering just what to do to make people wake up and do their duty for the men who are yet to come home.

November 22 has been accepted nationally as Thanksgiving Day this year. In previous years the president has proclaimed a day and many states have not followed along, but this year all have set November 22 as the day of national thanksgiving.

is observed is of the most importance. The Christmas holiday season is just a short time away and in another month the rush of shopping will be underway.

Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Augustin Esquivel, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1945, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1945, in this cause, numbered 5167 on the docket of said court and styled Elvira Esquivel, Plaintiff, vs. Augustin Esquivel, Defendant.

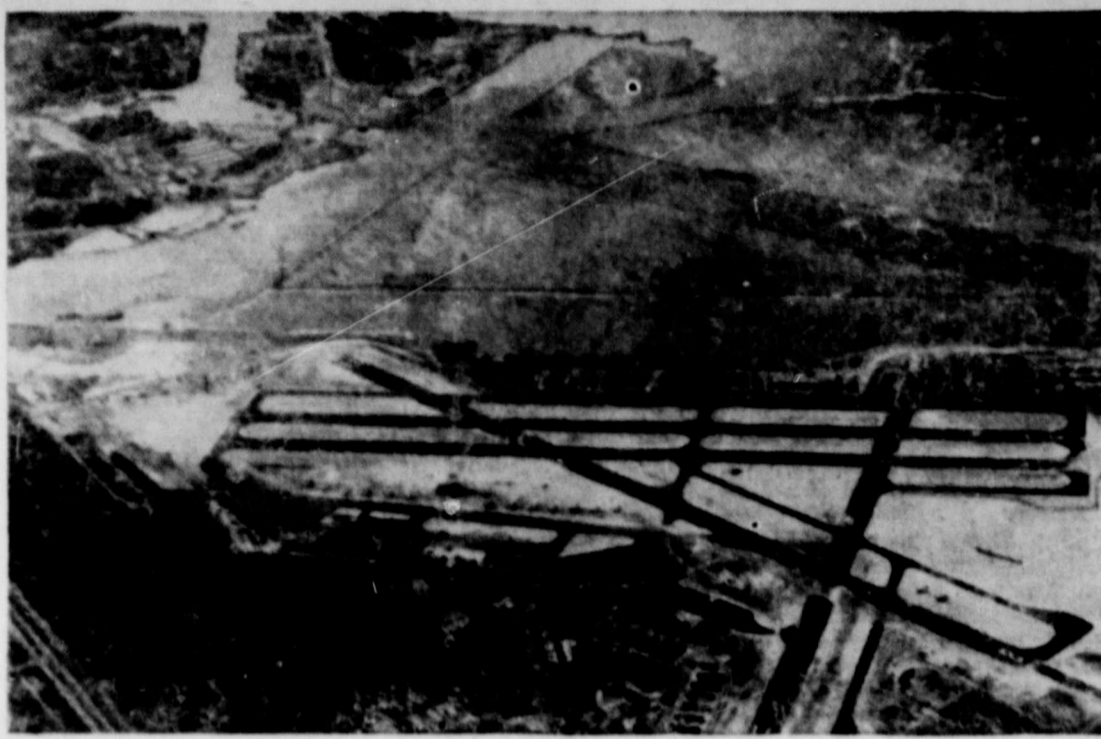
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Plaintiff alleges she is a resident of Runnels County, Texas; that the whereabouts of Defendant are unknown. Plaintiff says that she and defendant were married on or about the 12th day of October, 1940, and that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 8th day of June, 1945. That by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment of Defendant toward Plaintiff their further living together is unsupportable and impossible.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 18th day of October, A. D. 1945. (Seal) Attest:

MRS. WINONA PARKER, Clerk, District Court, Runnels County, Texas. 25-41 A. O. STROTHER, LAWYER, Pearce Drug Co. Building, Ballinger, Texas. Office Phone 685 Res. 596

Honolulu Now Has Largest Airport in the World



One of the first photos of the John Rodgers airport in Honolulu to be released since before the war. The largest in the world, the airport is truly the crossroads of the Pacific, and it is here that Hawaiians will greet many of the delegates to the United Nations organization if their proposal to the Preparations committee, meeting in London, to make Hawaii permanent UNO headquarters is accepted.

WEST TEXAS NOTES

Brownwood city officials have been given encouragement in getting a veterans' hospital established there. A letter was received last week from Gen. Omar Bradley in which he acknowledged the Brownwood application and said the hospital situation was being reviewed by the board.

Rising Star was selected for the next convention of the 17th district, American Legion, at the end of a meeting held at Eastland last week. Rising Star veterans invited the convention to their city and the invitation was accepted.

Four German prisoners of war were captured at Winters last week after they had been loose for three days and were attempting to reach the Mexican border.

Rev. L. Bowman Craven was assigned to the First Methodist Church of Coleman at the conclusion of the Central Texas conference last week. For four years Rev. Craven has been pastor of a Fort Worth church, where he has been highly successful.

Much interest is being shown in an oil test a short distance north-east of Santa Anna. Drilling was suspended last week with 200 feet of oil standing in the hole about 1400 feet where sand was encountered. It is estimated the well will produce 100 to 300 barrels daily when completed and put on a pump.

A good start has been made on the Victory loan campaign in Comanche county. In a special rally on the opening day \$44,000 worth of E bonds were bought. Leaders have planned a number of special events and expect the county to go over the top before the final date.

Miles Methodists were in San Angelo last week to attend a planning meet at the Trinity Methodist Church. Methodists of the district were called to plan for the ensuing year and to organize a unified program for the Crusade for Christ.

Army officers were in Sweetwater last week to make their final inspection at Avenger Field. The field, established in the early days of the war, first served to train girl pilots.

chaplain in the recent war. The Parent-Teacher Association school of instruction held at Paint Rock last week had an enrollment of thirteen. Mrs. W. M. Yeager, of San Angelo, one of the lecturers, talked on the subject of "Today's Education." The school closed with a luncheon in the high school home economics room.

High honors are being planned for retiring Dean J. Thomas Davis, of John Tarleton College, on November 28. He has held the office in the Stephenville college for the past 26 years and friends will gather from a wide area in the state to give testimony at the special dinner being arranged by Stephenville citizens.

The Broadway Food Market, under the management of Weldon Howell and M. A. Foy, is observing its first anniversary this week. Pencil and typewriter erasers at Ledger office.

BROADWAY FOOD MARKET OBSERVES FIRST BIRTHDAY

The Broadway Food Market, under the management of Weldon Howell and M. A. Foy, is observing its first anniversary this week.

During the year Messrs. Howell and Foy have enlarged the store to provide about double the floor space they had when the store was opened and have added a number of features. Elsewhere in this newspaper is an anniversary ad for this week-end.

Pencil and typewriter erasers at Ledger office.

Need a LAXATIVE? Black-Draught is 1. Usually prompt 2. Usually thorough 3. Always economical. 25 to 40 doses only 25¢. Get BLACK-DRAUGHT

You can make your work easier and do it better if you give your eyes the assistance they need. Eyes Examined—Glasses Fitted. L. R. TIGNER Jeweler and Optometrist

"It tastes better" Banner ICE CREAM. Banner MILK. USE 666 Cold Preparations. Phone 234

Earning more? SAVE MORE! SAVE FOR TOMORROW. You're not buying things now for various reasons—war-time shortages, joining in the fight against inflationary buying, and the need to buy war bonds—but after the war, you can have those things you want if you have saved. SAVE FOR A POSTWAR HOME, FOR REMODELING, FOR AN AUTOMOBILE, FOR AN EDUCATION, FOR A NEW REFRIGERATOR. The Farmers & Merchants State Bank. Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

REMEMBER WHEN everyone whistled "The Mocking Bird" It took a pretty good warbler to get through without stumbling. Even the church social was not a success without "The Mocking Bird" with variations. Remember! NEWBY-DAVIS "Knows for Service"

THE NEW HORMONE CREAM DERMA-SKIN. Contains "THE YOUTH FACTOR". Derma-Skin fights signs of age with natural estrogenic hormones...helps women over thirty keep the fresh look of youth in their skin. Only \$3. for a 30-day supply. Weeks Drug Store. E. H. BECTON, Owner

Buy Victory Bonds Now. You can buy Victory Bonds during the current drive with a feeling of reassurance and greater security. Only yesterday we were at war—today we enjoy the blessings of peace. It's the last war loan—but all help you can give is needed. Fighting stopped—but expense goes on. Our armed forces were too vast to be demobilized in a short time. Men still in uniform must be provided with everything they need. Millions who are ready and waiting in far away places must be brought home. Those who were injured must have the best of care. For the last time—for your last wartime service—for your last opportunity—for peace and prosperity—BUY VICTORY BONDS. THE WINTERS STATE BANK. Capital and Surplus \$100,000.00. Winters, Texas. Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and Federal Reserve System.



POSSUM FLATS . . . THE EARLY BIRDS



BY GRAHAM HUNTER

Of Course You Know We  
Are Not IN Business  
For Our Health

But there is Something  
Besides Making Money  
In Our Business.....

We do get a lot of  
Pleasure and  
Satisfaction in being of  
Service to our  
Friends and Customers.....

We Want--that you shall be Pleased  
and Satisfied with your business

....at....

Higginbotham's

having a wiener roast. Later we  
sang popular songs. The meeting  
was adjourned afterwards.

Who's Who

The who's who this week is a  
boy, age 13. His hobby is foot-  
ball and flirting. He is about five  
feet three inches, and weighs  
about 110 pounds. He has one  
brother, who is in college. He  
thinks his girlfriend is Eva Jo  
Flynt. He is in the Ballinger  
senior band. He has green eyes.  
He is also a new member of the  
dramatic club.

The other who's who is a girl,  
age 13, who is five feet three  
inches. She has a boyfriend but  
won't tell his name. His initials

are E. C. J. Her hobby is collect-  
ing vases. She has two brothers,  
one of which plays football on the  
high school team at right end.  
She has one sister.

Last week's who's who was Joe  
Baker and Ann Bryan.

Mimeograph paper, stencils and  
ink. Ballinger Printing Co.

Temporary relief for  
symptoms of bronchial  
**ASTHMA**  
and HAY FEVER  
**ASTHMA NEFRIN**  
COMPANY  
Regular and relief comes in flexible case  
AT YOUR DRUGGIST!

President Escapes



President Isias Medina Angarilla  
of Venezuela, who fled from his  
Miraflores residence before it was  
taken over by rebels in a military  
revolt against the government.

BALLINGER JUNIOR  
HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Handicraft Club Meets

Members of the Handicraft Club  
are very busy making Christmas  
gifts featuring leather work and  
metal work. We can't keep enough  
belts on hand to supply the  
demands of the students for  
making hand-stamped belts in  
original designs. Many beautiful  
billboards in tooling leather are  
also being made, as well as coin purses  
and key rings. Many metal plaques  
in thin copper have been finished  
and will be presented as Christ-  
mas gifts also.

Choral Club Meets

The choral club met November  
8. The meeting was called to order  
and the secretary read the  
minutes. We discussed the fact of

ACTS ON THE KIDNEYS

To increase flow of urine and  
relieve irritation of the bladder  
from excess acidity in the urine

Are you suffering unnecessary distress,  
backache, run-down feeling and discom-  
fort from excess acidity in the urine? Are  
you disturbed nights by a frequent desire  
to pass water? Then you should know  
about the famous doctor's discovery—  
DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT—  
that thousands say gives blessed relief. Swamp  
Root is a carefully blended combination of  
16 herbs, roots, vegetables, balsams. Dr.  
Kilmer's is not harsh or habit-forming in  
any way. Many people say its marvelous  
effect is truly amazing.

Send for free, postpaid sample TODAY!  
Like thousands of others you'll be glad  
that you did. Send name and address to:  
Department D, Kilmer & Co., Inc., Box  
1288, Stamford, Conn. Offer limited. Send  
at once. All druggists sell Swamp Root.

p. m. T. N. MINIX, Pastor

Church of Christ  
Eighth Street

Sunday:  
9:45 a. m., Bible classes.  
10:45 a. m., worship.  
4:00 p. m., ladies' Bible class.  
6:30 p. m., children's class.  
7:00 p. m., worship.

Wednesday:  
7:00 p. m., Bible classes for all  
Monday:  
RICHARD A. ROBBINS, Minister

Zoar Evangelical and Reformed  
Church, Rowena  
Church school, 10:15 a. m.  
Divine worship, 11:30 a. m.  
FRANK W. LAMMERT, Pastor

Union Thanksgiving  
Service Planned Here  
Wednesday Evening

All Ballinger stores will be closed  
next Thursday in observance of  
Thanksgiving. Ballinger business  
managers favored the fourth  
Thursday as the official Thank-  
sgiving holiday after it was pro-  
claimed by President Truman and  
also by Governor Stevenson and  
a change was made here last week  
after November 30 had been set  
as the date.

Ballinger pastors will conduct a  
union Thanksgiving service at the  
First Presbyterian Church next  
Wednesday evening, November 21.  
All churches which are members  
of the Ballinger Ministerial Asso-  
ciation will cooperate in the ser-  
vice, and Rev. B. J. Martin, pastor  
of the First Baptist Church, will  
deliver the sermon.

The program is being arranged  
this week and is to begin at 7:00  
p. m. All church people of Ballinger  
are expected to cooperate and  
all others are cordially invited to  
attend. The association has  
planned nothing for the following  
day and families will have the  
entire day together, eat their  
turkey dinners or visit out of town.  
No football games have been  
booked on the 22nd in this area,  
the Ballinger-Winters game being  
scheduled for Friday night.

Miss Rena White, who is  
employed at Goodfellow Field,  
San Angelo, spent the past week-  
end with her relatives at Herm-  
leigh. She expects to be at home  
during the Christmas holidays.

Be wise—advertise

Grace Baptist Church

Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Preaching hour, 11 a. m.  
Evening service, 7 p. m.  
"The Friendly Church"—come  
worship with us Church located at  
corner of Tenth Street and Phillips  
Avenue.  
J. R. LANSON, Pastor

Park Avenue Baptist Church

(Park Avenue at Broadway)  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
6:30 p. m., Training Union.  
7:30 p. m., evening worship.  
WM. B. WALDROP, Pastor

St. Mary's Catholic Church

(608 Sixth Street)  
(Telephone 521)  
REGULAR SERVICES AND DEVOTIONS  
Sunday Mass: 1st, 3rd and 5th  
Sundays of the month at 8:00 a.  
m. 2nd and 4th Sundays of the  
month at 10:30 a. m.  
Daily mass at 7:00 a. m.  
Rosary and Benediction of the  
Blessed Sacrament every Sunday  
at 7:00 p. m.

Holy hour with our Eucharist  
Lord on the first Sunday of the  
month at 7:00 p. m.  
Devotion of the first Friday in  
honor of the Sacred Heart of  
Jesus after mass on the first Fri-  
day of the month.

Confessions: 1st, 3rd and 5th  
Saturdays of the month, 5:00 to  
6:00 p. m. and 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.,  
and before the early mass on  
Sunday from 7:00 to 7:45 a. m.  
Before daily mass from 6:30 to  
6:40 a. m.  
Christian doctrine classes: every  
Saturday from 2:00 to 3:30 p. m.  
Our non-Catholic friends and  
neighbors are cordially welcomed  
to assist at the above services and  
devotions.

EDW. B. POSTERT, O. M. I.,  
Pastor

Church of the Nazarene

"The Friendly Church"  
(Ninth and Harris)  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Junior N. Y. P. S., 5:30 p. m.  
N. Y. P. S., 6:30 p. m.  
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.  
E. M. WALKER, Pastor

First Methodist Church

Church school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Evening worship, 7:00 p. m.  
H. B. LOYD, Pastor

Foursquare Gospel Church

(104 N. Twelfth Street)  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Worship service at 11 a. m.  
Junior Crusaders at 7 p. m.  
Evangelistic service at 8 p. m.  
Tuesday at 8 p. m., Bible study  
and prayer service.  
Friday at 8 p. m., Crusader ser-  
vice.

All are cordially invited to our  
services. A stranger but once.  
CARL POOL, Pastor

Church of God

Sunday:  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Junior Y. P., 6:45 p. m.  
Young people, 6:45 p. m.  
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.  
Wednesday:  
Mid-week prayer meeting, 7:30



Think on  
These  
Things

by  
Richard Robbins  
Minister  
Eighth Street  
Church of Christ

"And there came unto him  
Pharisees, trying him, and saying,  
Is it lawful for a man to put  
away his wife for every cause?  
And he answered and said, have  
ye not read, that he who made  
them male and female, and said,  
for this cause shall a man leave  
his father and mother, and shall  
cleave to his wife, and the two  
shall become one flesh; so that  
they are no more two, but one  
flesh. What therefore God hath  
joined together, let not man put  
apart. They say unto him, why  
then did Moses command to give  
a bill of divorcement, and to put  
her away? He saith unto them,  
Moses for your hardness of heart  
suffered you to put away your  
wives; but from the beginning it  
hath not been so. And I say unto  
you, whosoever shall put away his  
wife, except for fornication, and  
shall marry another, committeth  
adultery; and he that marrieth  
her when she is put away com-  
mitteth adultery. Please read  
these scriptures again and med-  
itate upon them.

Church  
SERVICES

First Presbyterian Church  
(Corner Broad and Phillips)  
10:00 a. m., Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
7:00 p. m., evening worship.  
GARY HOFFIUS, Pastor

THANKSGIVING  
DANCE  
AT THE  
OLFIN HALL  
Thursday Nite  
November 22  
Music by  
TUNE RAMBLERS  
You Are Invited

Amazing way to be  
Mentally ALERT  
...Physically FIT!

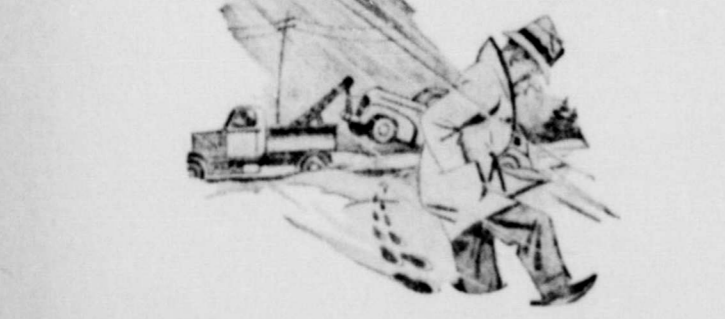


1—Promote the flow  
of VITAL  
DIGESTIVE JUICES  
in the stomach  
2—Energize your  
body with  
RICH, RED  
BLOOD!

WITH AMPLE stomach DIGESTIVE JUICES... PLUS RICH,  
RED-BLOOD you should enjoy that sense of well-being which  
denotes physical fitness... mental alertness! Rich, red-blood  
vitalizes the body cells with fresh, invigorating oxygen for tis-  
sue energy and repair. Food will just naturally taste better...  
and you will be better able to make use of it, too! So if you  
are subject to poor digestion or suspect deficient red-blood as  
the cause of your weakness, nervousness, underweight, listless-  
ness, yet have no organic complication or focal  
infection, SSS Tonic may be just what you need.  
It has helped millions... you can start today...  
at drug stores in 10 and 20 oz. sizes. © S.S.S. Co.

BUILD STURDY HEALTH and keep STALWART - STEADY - STRONG  
S.S.S. TONIC helps build  
STURDY HEALTH

THIS WINTER WILL BE  
TOO LATE!



TO HELP PREVENT COSTLY AND  
'NCONVENIENT STARTING TROUBLE  
WE RECOMMEND

Fall Tune-up, plus a complete check of Battery + Starter  
... Fuel System ... Battery Cables ... Generator ... Cooling  
System. Change to Light Engine Oil ... and Fresh Trans-  
mission and Differential Lubricants (if they haven't been  
changed for 15,000 miles)

M. H. MORGAN MOTOR CO.  
PONTIAC — Sales and Service — GMC TRUCKS  
Phone 168 169 South Ninth

ANNOUNCING  
Two New Employees with the  
Weeks Drug Store  
SAM MALONE, Jr.  
Has acquired an interest with E. H. Becton and will  
be a regular employee with the drug store in the future.  
He is not new to the prescription room or the general  
operation of this store.  
JIMMY RUSSELL  
Will have charge of the fountain and food depart-  
ment in the future. He plans to improve the service in  
both departments and will feature:  
Mexican Foods  
Steaks  
Sandwiches  
We invite you to visit this drug store for your drug,  
drink and food needs. You will find the service courteous  
and our merchandise unexcelled.  
Weeks Drug Store  
Ballinger Phones 12 and 13



"IS THAT IN THE RULE BOOK?"

Whether it's football or business, Americans expect fair play  
all down the line.  
In football, the referee is there to see that the game is played  
according to the rules. But he's not supposed to run with the ball.  
In business, the referee is the government, which establishes  
regulations and fair practices.  
But when government goes into business and competes with  
its own citizens, the American tradition of fair play is set aside.  
The referee then becomes a player, and he enjoys advantages  
that are denied to all the other players in the game.  
Government-owned electric power systems, for example, pay  
no taxes. When they need capital, they get your tax money at  
little or no interest from the U. S. Treasury. To cover operating  
losses—an accepted political condition—you, as a taxpayer, will  
take care of that.  
Business-managed power systems—unlike tax-subsidized politi-  
cal methods—do not have these special privileges. They are not  
tax dodgers, they pay their full share of taxes, pay fair interest  
on public loans. Fortunately for you and your tax bill, over 80  
per cent of all the electric power in this country is produced  
by tax-paying, self-supporting electric companies, owned and  
operated by several million folks like you.

West Texas Utilities  
Company

**POULTRY OWNERS ADVISED TO PURCHASE CHICKS NEAR HOME TO AVOID SHIPPING HAZARDS**

With egg prices at the record high for a five year period, poultrymen may well begin to prepare for replenishing their flocks and discarding older hens that are unprofitable. Many flock owners are already booking their orders for Baby Chicks in order to secure them at the desired time and avoid further worry and inconvenience. Extension Service Agents have recommended for years that poultry owners buy their chicks near home provided the quality is up to standard. With transportation facilities strained to the breaking point, it is all the more necessary that the poultryman avoid the dangers of delays in route and exposure to extreme temperatures which may result in

a large number of chicks being dead on arrival or dying soon after with diarrhea, bronchitis, colds or other ailments. Good breeding cannot be overlooked. Inferior bred chicks are a poor investment and only a rich man can afford to own them. It is therefore important that chicks be purchased from reputable hatcheries who are constantly improving the quality of their chicks by using parent stock of official recorded production. Egg production is definitely an inherited characteristic and the chick can be no better than the parent stock that produced the egg. A hen of long life and profitable production is fundamental to the poultry business as well as the smaller flock owner; therefore careful management and rigid supervision are necessary in hatchery flocks if the Baby Chick

is to have these desired characteristics. Large, strong, sturdy chicks, bred and incubated to assure quality unexcelled is the prime consideration of the Nutt & Williams Hatchery. Their incubators and brooders are kept spotlessly clean to protect the lives of your chicks and they invite you to inspect them any day in the year. Strict sanitation is rigidly observed in every stage of the production of their quality chicks and they live up to their slogan "They Are Hatched to Live." They are hatching now and take off chicks on Tuesday and Friday. They sex the Big English White Leghorn and heartily recommend these R.O.P. Sired Pullets, selected from hens of 260 to 280 eggs per year, to equal or excel in quality chicks from other hatcheries that are much higher in price. They urge you to book your orders now even though you plan to get your chicks next spring. Write or see us at FUTT & WILLIAMS HATCHERY, HUTCHINGS AVE., PHONE 174 BALLINGER. 19-11



"Invasion Craft"—Postwar Style  
American soldiers who have hit the beaches in Army landing craft during invasions now enjoy rides in paddle boats on the Riviera, Nice, France. Corporal Ralph L. Jones, left, and Corporal Thomas E. Williams, both of Jackson, Tennessee, are guests of the Army at the Riviera Recreational Area. The Regular Army is accepting enlistments from qualified civilians 18 to 34 years of age, inclusive.

**FINGERNAILS HAVE HAND IN PLANNING KITCHEN OF THE POST-WAR PERIOD**

Fingernails have a hand in the new kitchen planning. A long-time problem of kitchen designers was how to eliminate the chipping of cabinet and drawer surfaces when the housewife grasped the handles. Some cabinet-makers have solved the problem by replacing the handles with grooves underneath the cabinets and drawers so tell-tale marks from sharp fingernails won't show. This and other departures are being incorporated into plans for the modern gas kitchen which will be tailored to suit individual needs, according to Lone Star Gas Company officials. New kitchens are to be designed for comfort and convenience and many are built large enough for use as gathering places for families and friends. Cooperating with demands of home builders and persons who plan to remodel their kitchens, the gas industry will offer the New

Freedom Gas Kitchen, comfort-conditioned to seasonal desire and available as a package unit. It will contain range and refrigerator and an integrated line of steel cabinets insulated to prevent rattle; sink, water heater and accessories, all in matched ensemble. One of the all-gas kitchens has been designed by Serval, Inc., manufacturers of the gas refrigerator. It will be offered as a complete kitchen installation or in separate work units. A cabinet cowl will provide automatic circulation of air for removal of greasy vapors, moisture and cooking odors. Other appointments include a food conditioning cabinet over the refrigerator for crisping cereals and crackers; condiment bays at convenient eye-level for frequently used items; and additional steel cabinets for storage of cups, dishes and other small containers. Some kitchens are designed to include a snack room, counter or food bar and a desk that can be converted into a serving table.

**LIBERAL ADJUSTMENTS FOR PICKING COTTON**

Oscar Harber, in charge of the cotton picking wage ceilings for this county, stated Wednesday that liberal adjustments would be made in the final stages of the 1945 crop and asked that farmers wishing adjustments made to see their community committeeman. Mr. Harber said cotton was getting pretty thin in places and it would be necessary for farmers to pay higher prices than the allowed ceiling in order to get the remnants gathered. Farmers and pickers have liked the wage ceiling during the past season and there has been little trouble in the enforcement. A good organization has functioned in Runnels county and cotton has been gathered without loss of time because of a shortage of pickers.

**LOANS** } To PURCHASE or To REFINANCE existing liens on FARMS or RANCHES

**TERMS** } Lowest rates of interest Liberal options to repay

Prompt inspections and commitments  
No Brokerage or Commission

**E. SHEPPERD & COMPANY**  
K. Shepperd Phone 73 J. W. Purifoy  
Insurance—Since 1911  
Ballinger, Texas

**Our Roots Are in This Land...**



How often you hear a man say of the land he owns... "When my son takes over, this will be a better place than when I got it!" Such a desire is natural to a father and splendidly American! Along with the expressed thought, there is a deep-rooted pride in continuous family ownership of productive land. So long as this ideal lives, agriculture will continue to be "the broad, enduring base upon which the entire U. S. economy rests."

There are many farm and ranch sons who stay in their families' business on the land. Some who do leave, however, might also stay, were there written business agreements between father and son. Such agreements insure a fair return to both "partners" for the labor, capital and ability they contribute to their joint enterprise.

Practical father-and-son farm business agreements have been worked out and are proving their worth in actual practice on many of the nation's farms and ranches. The various forms of these agreements cannot be explained in detail here, but they are available and worth study. Excellent bulletins on this subject may be had by writing to the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, for Circular No. 587; or to Michigan State College, East Lansing, Michigan, for Special Bulletin No. 330.

We, at Swift & Company, know that a prosperous agriculture is the base of our prosperity and we are proud to say with you... "Our roots are in this land."

**Soda Bill Sez:**  
... That a steer is like a sofa. His frame is built on the range, his upholstery is put on in the Corn Belt, and he is often polished off in the city.  
... That the important thing about a water-hole is water, and the important thing about a good farm is good farming.



**Have you heard about the new improved lard?** Swift & Company, after ten years of research and consumer tests, has developed a brand new product—Swift's Bland Lard. It has all the advantages of other high grade shortenings, plus the important qualities found only in lard. It will cause millions of American housewives to use more lard, and that's mighty important to hog producers.

Any improvement in pork products which boosts consumer demand (such as a superior lard) will have a supporting effect on live hog prices, because the price paid for livestock is governed by what the meat packer can get for the meat and by-products.

\*\*\* NUTRITION IS OUR BUSINESS — AND, YOURS \*\*\*  
Right Eating Adds Life to Your Years — and Years to Your Life

**THE EDITOR'S COLUMN**

The livestock-and-meat industry is like an endless chain. The meat travels in one direction; from livestock producer to meat packer, to retail dealer, to consumer. And coming back in the opposite direction is money; from the meat purchaser to the storekeeper, to the meat packer, to the man who grows the livestock.

There must be motive power to keep that chain running, and that motive power is profit. It is profit that keeps ranchers and farmers producing livestock; profit keeps meat packers slaughtering, dressing and delivering meat to retailers; profit keeps retailers selling meat in their stores.

We at Swift & Company well know that a continuing loss anywhere along the line would mean that all of us would suffer. Thus, it is clearly to our own advantage to operate our end of the livestock-and-meat industry so efficiently that the money the consumer pays for meat shall cover all costs plus a sufficient profit for retailers and livestock producers, as well as for ourselves.

*F.M. Simpson,*  
Agricultural Research Department

**PHENOTHIAZINE FOR FARM FLOCKS**

By RICHARD C. MILLER  
Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station  
All sheep in farm flocks—ewes, rams and lambs—should be dosed late this fall or early winter with phenothiazine and again in the spring after lambing time. From at least May 1, through September, the one-to-nine phenothiazine-salt mixture should be accessible in a covered feeder that protects it from the weather. In Kentucky tests during the past three years, involving 30,000 breeding ewes, this program (in connection with generally recognized good farm flock practices, such as pasture rotation), eliminated the dosing of any lambs in more than 90 percent of the flocks, and made possible the growing out of even the latest lambs to good market weights and finish. The average increase in weight per lamb was nearly 12 pounds above normal average. The average annual cost for phenothiazine was less than 30 cents per ewe. Farmers and ranchers in doubt as to time and frequency of treatment best suited to their conditions and purposes should consult their state agricultural college.

**Swift & Company**  
UNION STOCK YARDS  
CHICAGO 9, ILLINOIS

**Martha Logan's Recipe for CHICKEN REGAL**

- 2 cups cubed cooked chicken
- 2 cups cooked peas
- 4 tablespoons mushrooms
- 2 cups chopped chicken fat
- 4 tablespoons mushrooms
- 4 tablespoons flour
- chopped pimiento
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 4 egg yolks
- 4 cups milk

Make a white sauce of the fat, flour, milk, and seasoning. Add chicken, peas, mushrooms, and pimiento. Heat thoroughly. Beat yolks. Add a little of the hot mixture to the eggs and mix. Remove chicken mixture from the heat. Add egg mixture. Stir well. Serve immediately over hot biscuits, waffles, or cornbread.

**CATTLEMAN ON HORSEBACK**

Next time you are at the Union Stock Yards in Chicago, if you see this big, jovial man sitting on a horse in the middle of a milling pen of cattle, that will be M. S. ("Si") Hughes, Swift's Head Cattle Buyer at Chicago.

"Way back in 1917, Si Hughes walked up to the Swift buyer in Kansas City and said, 'Mister Stemm, I want a job.' He got the job, and he's been with Swift ever since, except for a two-year army hitch in World War I. Kansas City, St. Louis, Fort Worth, St. Joseph, Kansas City again, and finally Chicago—all added to his experience in judging the quality and yield percentages, grading, etc., of cattle.

In 1943 he was made Head Cattle Buyer for Swift & Company at the Chicago Yards. He has a staff of experienced cattle buyers directly associated with him.



**Ballinger Radio Service**  
713 Hutchings Avenue—Telephone 199  
BALLINGER, TEXAS

**All Types of Radio Service**

WE HAVE ON HAND MANY HARD TO GET TUBES AND PARTS

ALL WORK GUARANTEED ♦ FAST SERVICE

Many are planned to contain a play room so mama can watch the baby while doing kitchen duties.

There was a time, gas men point out, when the kitchen merely developed as the house was constructed and the room was placed in any spot available; today's kitchen, they state, should be planned and the house built around this all-important room.

**DR. HERMAN S. COHEN TO OPEN OFFICE HERE**

Dr. Herman S. Cohen, formerly of Groveland, New York, has moved to Ballinger and stated that he will open an office for the general practice of medicine and surgery within the near future. He has leased offices on the second floor of the E. Shep-

perd building, corner of Hutchings Avenue and Eighth Street, and as soon as they are arranged and equipped will hold his formal opening. He hopes to have this work completed by November 19.

For the present Dr. and Mrs. Cohen are living at the Central Hotel until he can find an apartment or a house.

Mrs. Clyde Gabbert and Mrs. Richard Hopper attended the annual assembly of the Rebecca Lodge at Waco last week.

**Good Evening READ THE ADS Save Money**

*Dorothy Perkins*  
*Famous once-a-year*  
**WEATHER LOTION**  
*Sale*

LARGE 8 OZ. BOTTLE REG. PRICE \$1.00 ON SALE FOR LIMITED TIME AT 50¢

By Your Water Supply Now at this Remarkably Low Price

- DRIES VERY QUICKLY
- LEAVES SKIN SATIN SMOOTH
- NEVER STICKY OR GREASY
- DELICATELY SCENTED

**Weeks Drug Store**

**DAIRY CATTLE NEED Cottonseed Meal**

More Cottonseed Meal is needed on the Nation's dairy farms to produce more milk and milk products. Milk is a basic food for growing strong and healthy young Americans. Cottonseed Meal is a basic protein rich feed for producing milk. Let's plan now to produce more Cotton and Cottonseed in 1946 to supply this great market, the dairy herds of the Nation.

**WEST TEXAS COTTON OIL CO.**  
BALLINGER, TEXAS



# NOW add this to your nest egg!

## It's the NEW \$200 Victory Bond

HERE IT IS—a brand new Victory Bond issued in honor of Franklin Delano Roosevelt and the Victory he helped us win.

Take a good look at it. Examine it carefully. Then consider what it can mean to you—what it will mean to our returning wounded.

To you it's the safest investment in the world. It's a private mint of your own that's working day and night—24 hours a day—turning every \$3 you invested in "E" Bonds into \$4 for you alone!

And to our more than 300,000 wounded it's a ticket to recovery, health, rehabilitation. Your buying this \$200 Roosevelt Victory Bond will help pay for a hospital ship, \$4,500,000; a hospital plane, \$110,000; supplies for a thousand-bed hospital, \$177,500.

It's patriotic, it's generous, it's good business sense to add it to your nest egg. And it costs only \$150.00.

Think of the wounded who need your help. Yes—think of your own future, too. Buy your Roosevelt Victory Bond today.



★ **FOR PEACE AND PROSPERITY** ★  
**AMERICA'S GREAT VICTORY LOAN**

PAT WILLIAMS POST, AMERICAN LEGION  
 BALLINGER BOARD OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT  
 WEST TEXAS UTILITIES CO.  
 STONE'S  
 WEEKS DRUG STORE  
 R. E. WHITE, American United Life Insurance Co.  
 THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK  
 THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK  
 CITY OF BALLINGER  
 E. C. GRINDSTAFF, County Judge  
 SYKES MOTOR CO.  
 THE SOUTHWESTERN STATES TELEPHONE CO.  
 BALLINGER ELECTRIC CO.  
 BALLINGER RADIO SERVICE  
 L. R. TIGNER, Jeweler-Optometrist  
 E. SHEPPERD & CO.  
 E. T. BRANHAM, Real Estate  
 C. O. D. GROCERY AND MARKET  
 CURRIE PRODUCE CO.  
 B. & M. GROCERY AND MARKET  
 W. A. FORGEY, Tax Assessor-Collector

JOHN B. RAYBURN, County Clerk  
 MRS. AURELIA WEBB, County Treasurer  
 J. H. PARRISH SERVICE STATION  
 BELL'S GROCERY AND MARKET  
 AFFLERBACH'S 5c to \$5 STORE  
 T. WHITEHEAD, Public Accountant  
 GIBBS SHOE DEPARTMENT  
 BETTIS & STURGES  
 PERRY BROTHERS  
 BEN FRANKLIN STORE  
 RUBIN'S STORE  
 GEORGE'S READY-TO-WEAR  
 HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & CO.  
 HOLLAND'S CLEANERS  
 TEXAS GRILL  
 L. C. DAUGHERTY DRUG CO.  
 POWERS BROS. GROCERY  
 LEE HARDWARE AND FURNITURE CO.  
 SAM BEHRINGER & CO.  
 JENNINGS ELECTRIC SHOP  
 BROADWAY GULF SERVICE STATION

ATNIPP DRY CLEANERS  
 WOODROOF'S  
 J. Y. PEARCE DRUG CO.  
 AMERICAN CAFE  
 BALLINGER AFFLIANCE AND ELECTRIC CO.  
 EDWARDS PARTS  
 HARTMAN'S GROCERY  
 RITZ THEATRE  
 J. C. FENNEY CO.  
 MRS. GERTRUDE WOOD, Insurance  
 KING-HOLT CO.  
 MIDDLETON SERVICE STATION  
 DRUMMOND BROS. SHOE SHOP AND SECOND-HAND STORE  
 WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE  
 BROADWAY FOOD MARKET  
 NUTT & WILLIAMS  
 NEWBY-DAVIS FUNERAL HOME  
 AGNEW FUNERAL HOME  
 UNDERWOOD MOTOR CO.  
 WESTERN PRODUCE CO.  
 TEXAS AND PALACE THEATRES

MORGAN MOTOR CO.  
 FRANK FLYNT MOTOR CO.  
 J. L. MORELAND, Sheriff  
 FORSON'S BARBER SHOP  
 MANSELL BROS.  
 E. C. TINSLEY'S GROCERY AND MARKET  
 PHILLIPS FLORAL CO.  
 CAL ADAIR, Gulf Agent  
 CAREY LUMBER CO.  
 WRIGHTWAY CLEANERS  
 HUDSON AUTO SUPPLY CO.  
 E. M. LYNN & CO.  
 CURRY'S, Jewelry  
 PRICE MOTOR CO.  
 E. C. CASKEY, County Superintendent  
 CENTRAL HOTEL AND COFFEE SHOP  
 O. P. DORSEY SERVICE STATION  
 GOETZ FARM MACHINERY CO.  
 KIRK HARDWARE CO.  
 J. W. (Bill) LIPPE, Insurance  
 W. O. IRBY, Humble Agent  
 CLAY BUILDING MATERIAL CO.

# Want Ads

**Order Your Baby Chicks Now**  
R.O.P. sired Big English White Leghorns our specialty. Our chicks are incubated for livability and noted for size, vigor and rapid development, from rigidly culled and Pullorum tested flocks. Hatches come off each Tuesday and Friday. WE SEX THE LIGHT BREEDS. NUTT & WILLIAMS, Box 664, Ballinger. 11-17

**WANTED**—Will pay cash for late model electric radios. W. A. Nance, 18-17-H

**Farm and Ranch Supplies**  
Poultry and Stock Feed  
**MORRISON GIN FEED HOUSE**  
6-17

**MORTGAGE LOANS**  
Texas, New Mexico and Arizona RANCHES, Farms, homes tourist camps, filling stations, hotels, store and office buildings. If you have a good loan I can make it.  
**WILLIAM H. BICKLE**  
Central National Bank Bldg., San Angelo, Office 4233, Home 5861-3, 1-1-48

Registered Rambouillet ram a range raised, ready to go at my place, route 2, C. E. Jones, 27-17

**LOST**—Sterling silver identification bracelet. Reward. Leave at Ledger office. Helen Clark, 8-17

**WANTED**—Ironing, reasonably priced. 1109 Tenth Street, 3-41-\*

**FOR SALE**—Two nice saddle fillies. Ben Livermon, four miles south Pony on Concho road, 11-\*

**FOR SALE**—F-12 Farmall tractor, cultivator and planter. Good condition. See M. B. Bethel, 11-\*

**FOR SALE**—Pure Nortex seed oats, State tested, germination 98%, no Johnson grass. Everett Witter, Phone 7705. 4-17

**FOR RENT**—Furnished rooms and apartments. Mrs. R. E. Wingham, 301 Twelfth Street, 4-17

**FOR SALE**—Small two wheel trailer with bows for covering with top. Also steel tank tower and two row stalk cutters. Patterson's Shop, 11-17

**Small Place, in Menard County**  
291 acres, good well and windmill, on paved road, nice home, 70 acres in good farm, \$5,300 loan on place at 3%, can be assumed, runs for ten years, balance cash, priced for short time at \$45 per acre.  
133 acres, three miles east of Menard, fronts San Saba River, 100 acres in irrigated farm, watered from Menard Irrigation ditch, nice pecan timber on school bus and mail line, priced at \$11,000.

100 acres 2 1/2 miles west of Menard, mail and school bus line, fronts San Saba River, nice pecan timber, 40 acres in good farm, fair house, priced at \$75 per acre.  
See L. W. Puckitt, Menard, Tex. 11-61

**FOR SALE**—1929 Chevrolet coupe; pick-up, fair tires, registered 1945, \$65.00. Walter Hill, 1200 Eighth Street, 11-17

**FOR SALE**—Farm, 11 regular, new tires and all equipment. Roy L. Hill, 11-17

**FOR SALE**—235 acres, 125 in grass and rest in cultivation, 13 miles east of Winters. Write or see J. L. Jenkins, Rt. 1, Novice, Texas, 1-41-\*

**FOR SALE**—6 room house with hardwood floors and 19 acres on edge of Ballinger. See Smith & Caskey, 15-17-\*

**FOR SALE**—Three-quarter inner spring mattress, cotton mattress with springs, slats, and bedstead, \$30.00. 404 Broadway, 11-\*

**We Sell for Cash**  
And Sell for Less  
**TRY US**  
**MORRISON GIN FEED HOUSE**  
6-17

**FOR SALE**—8 room house with hardwood floors and 19 acres on edge of Ballinger. See Smith & Caskey, 15-17-\*

**FOR SALE**—Three-quarter inner spring mattress, cotton mattress with springs, slats, and bedstead, \$30.00. 404 Broadway, 11-\*

**Wanted**  
Farms and land to sell.  
Have buyer for five room house, close in.  
Want six room house edge of town.  
**A. M. King**  
Ballinger

**DON'T SCRATCH!**  
**Durham's Paracide Ointment** is guaranteed to relieve itching accompanying Eczemas, Rash, Piles, Ordinary Itch and other minor skin irritations—or purchase price refunded. Large 2-ounce jar only 50¢ at  
**J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.**

**FOR SALE**—5 room stucco home with large back porch, modern conveniences, including furnishings. Phone 686. 15-11

**FOR SALE**—1929 Chevrolet coupe; pick-up, fair tires, registered 1945, \$65.00. Walter Hill, 1200 Eighth Street, 11-17

**FOR SALE**—Farm, 11 regular, new tires and all equipment. Roy L. Hill, 11-17

**WANTED**—To buy good used living room suite and dinette suite. Phone 267. 11-\*

**FOR SALE**—Herrick refrigerator, in good condition, capacity 100 pounds of ice, \$55. Miss Helmine Hasse, Rt. 2, Box 10, Winters, Tex. 15-21

**WANTED**—Monthly farm job by two children and parents. Ballinger Rt. 1, Phone Rowena 1511, J. R. Brown, 15-21-\*

**FOR SALE**—Dry dead wood. See H. S. Morgan, Norton, 11-\*

**FOR SALE**—Box wood heater, practically new. R. W. Smith, Rt. 1, Ballinger, 11-\*

**FOR SALE**—Half bed, springs, and mattress. 808 Seventh, 11-\*

**MARINE RECRUITER TO BE IN TOWN ON NOVEMBER 28**  
Potential enlistees for the U. S. marine corps will be interviewed here Wednesday, November 28, by Sgt. Gordon Garre, of the Abilene recruiting office.

Garner will be in the Ballinger post office lobby from 2 to 4 o'clock. He wishes to interview men from 17 to 25, and men up to 32 with previous service.

Those under 18 must have their parents' consent to enlist. Men who have registered with their draft board do not need their parents' consent.

Brown, in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Estes Lynn is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. James M. Brown, in Fort Worth.

**Firemen's Banquet**  
(Continued from Page 1)  
Appointive officers named are as follows:  
Jim Hash, first assistant chief  
M. H. Morgan, second assistant chief  
Chester Cape, third assistant chief  
Truck drivers, Chester Cape, E. Avey, Lynn Candler  
Pumps, D. G. Posey  
Hose, Jim Hash  
First Aid, Herman Hulsey  
Ladders, W. Lee  
Gas masks, Lee Parker  
Tools, S. D. Williams  
Ventilation, R. E. Harris  
Training, Leon Thomas  
Fire Marshal, J. V. M-Nutt.  
Committees named are as follows:  
Finance—H. W. Lynn, Allen Davis, Sam Behringer  
General—J. A. Schnable, Oscar Batts, Mrs. Chester Cherry  
Decorations—Mrs. E. Shepperd, Mrs. George Holman, Mrs. E. M. Lynn  
Entertainment—Mrs. J. A. Schnable, Mrs. Oscar Batts, Mrs. K. V. Northington  
Refreshments—Mrs. J. A. Schnable, Mrs. Chester Cherry, Mrs. Oscar Batts  
Flowers—Mrs. D. G. Posey, Mrs. Malcolm Morgan  
Publicity—Troy Simpson

Mayor Drury P. Hathaway presented service buttons to five members of the department. Two of the men, Claude Mansell and Jack Fry, are still in the armed forces, and their buttons will be given to their families. Mr. Mansell has had three years service in the department and Mr. Fry five years. Others to receive buttons were: Chester Afferbach, 5 years; Walter Mueller, 3 years; Lynn Candler, 5 years.  
The financial report showed a cash balance of \$166.70 and war bonds held by the department totaling \$525.

**Library Announce New Books Added For Local Readers**

Local library officials have announced new hours for opening and closing of the institution during the school year. Hereafter the building will be opened each afternoon at 1:00 o'clock and will remain open until 5:00.

Circulation for the preceding month was 938 books and each afternoon a large number visit the library.

Mrs. George Vaughn has donated the book, "Yankee from Olympus," and dedicated it to Mrs. C. R.

Stephens. The Shakespeare Club also dedicated a book, "Oil Paintings for Beginners," in her honor.  
The board stated that 25 children's books have been ordered and will be placed on the shelves soon. Other recent books added include: "It's a Free Country," by Ben Ames Williams; "So Well Remembered," by James Hilton; "Black Boy," by Richard Wright; "A Texan in England," by J. Frank Dobie; "The Wide House," by T. Caldwell; "Captain from Castile," "The World, the Flesh, and Father Smith," by B. Marshall; and "Dragon Harvest," by Upton Sinclair.

In addition to the regular activities of the library, seven Girl Scout troops are holding their meetings in the building.

Clean, cotton rags wanted at The Ledger office. Full market price paid.

**Sanders Flower Shop**  
Talbot Building—Back of Ration Board  
"Say it Better with Flowers"  
Pot Plants and Cut Flowers for all occasions.  
Telephone 613

**4% Farm and Ranch Loans**  
34 1/2 Years Time  
Easy annual or semi-annual installments with OPTION of paying all or ANY PART of Loan ANY DAY...  
**Ballinger National Farm Loan Association**  
PAUL TRIMMIER, Secretary-Treasurer  
WILLIE STEPHENS, Assistant Sec.-Treas.

**FOR SALE**—700 acre stock farm, half in cultivation. River front with new home and Butane. Water piped in house, \$14,000 loan on place, \$40.00 an acre, 185 acres of good land, good house, sheep-proof fence, 85 acres in cultivation, \$35.00 an acre. Also several good black-land farms near Norton, worth money. Renza Lee, Norton, Texas, 8-21-\*

**FOR SALE**—500 cords wood, heater, stove wood. Good team and steel wheeled wagon and harness, saddle coil. A. P. Pokes, Rt. 1, Talpa, Texas, 8-41-\*

**FOR SALE**—or Trade, '38 Oldsmobile. See J. Frank Smith, 11-\*

**FOR SALE**—Farmall regular with power lift. New rear tires, late model cultivator, planter bedding attachment and breaking plow. See H. E. Routh, phone 833P4, 15-21-\*

**FOR SALE**—7,000 bundles bright fall cut Hegari. Carl G. Tegel, route 1, Rowena, 11-\*

**Complete Abstracts to Land in Rannels County GUARANTY TITLE CO.**  
Ballinger, Texas  
Office in Old Security State Bank Building

**CHIROPRACTOR**  
Health Baths, Scientific Massage  
**Dr. J. Lester Ohlhausen**  
San Angelo Highway, Ballinger

**For Free Removal of Dead or Disabled ANIMALS**  
CALL COLLECT  
San Angelo: 72711 or 40232  
**San Angelo Rendering Company**  
Prompt Service Assured  
Sanitary Trucks

**SORE THROAT—TONSILITIS!**  
For quick relief from pain and discomfort try our **Anesthesia-Mop**. It is a doctor's prescription that has given relief to thousands. Guaranteed superior or your money back. Generous bottle, with applicators on, 50¢ at  
**J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.**

Call 286 or see Rena J. Walker, 809 Fourteenth Street for your Avon Christmas orders. Avon Representative, Rena J. Walker, 11-\*

**FOR SALE**—Poland-China pigs. Price \$7.50. J. A. McClellan, seven miles north of Ballinger, 11-\*

Will pay cash for good used car. Leave name at First National Bank. Aubra Dodson, 15-11

Hand made dolls and animals for children. Also other gifts for children and grown-ups at Mrs. D. R. Hall's apartment, 807 Sixth Street, 15-21

**WANTED**—to rent, lease, or buy typewriter. Juanita Lee, Norton, Texas, Telephone 1813, 15-31-\*

**FOR SALE**—Two wheel trailer, with cattle side boards, good rubber, one standard Underwood typewriter; one table top Philco radio. Oscar Harber, 15-11

**FOR RENT**—Furnished two-room apartment. Call after 2:00 o'clock. 1306 Ninth Street, 11-\*

**For Sale**  
200 acres \$22.50  
335 acres \$47.50  
600 acres \$42.00  
Section \$40.00  
8 room house \$6,000.00  
Will take smaller house in trade.  
5 room house \$1,250.00  
3 room house \$ 750.00  
**A. M. King**  
Ballinger

**SAFEWAY FOR YOUR THANKSGIVING FOODS**  
CLOSED THURSDAY, NOV. 22 SHOP EARLY!  
For a Thanksgiving Dinner you'll be proud to serve, buy where quality and freshness have first consideration! We've done our best to assist you by securing the best obtainable on the markets.

Dressed and Drawn  
**FAT HENS**  
Ready for the Oven Lb. **49¢**

Grade AA and A Beef Shoulder  
**Roast** 2 Pkts. Lb. **26¢**  
Grade AA and A Beef Sirloin  
**Steak** 5 Pkts. Lb. **38¢**  
Grade AA and A Beef  
**Short Ribs** Lb. **17¢**  
Fresh Ground  
**Veal** Point Free Lb. **25¢**  
**Roast** or Steak, Grade AA and A Veal Shoulder, 2 Pkts. Lb. **26¢**  
**Cheese** American Leaf Cheese Lb. **38¢**  
**Lunch Meat** Assorted Loaves Lb. **32¢**  
**Frankfurters** Skillograin Point Free Lb. **32¢**  
**Salami** Sliced or Pkts. Lb. **29¢**  
**Brick Chili** 1-Lb. Pkg. **35¢**  
**Beef Liver** Sliced Lb. **35¢**

**Grocery Values**  
Libby's Tomato **JUICE**  
18-Oz. Can **11¢**

**Juice** Blend O-Gold Orange-Grapefruit No. 2 Can **17¢**  
**V-8 Cocktail** Vegetable Juices No. 2 Can **16¢**  
**Apricots** Seedless Whole Unpeeled No. 2 1/2 Can **20¢**  
**Peas** Tenderloin No. 2 Can **13¢**  
**Catsup** Red Hill Tomato 13 1/2-Oz. Can **15¢**  
**Tomato Soup** Heinz 11-Oz. Can **11¢**  
**Niblets** Whole Kernel Corn 13-Oz. Can **14¢**

**Grapefruit** Texas Marsh Seedless 10-Lb. Bag **47¢**  
**Grapes** California Emperor Red Emperor 2 Lbs. **25¢**  
**Potatoes** No. 1 Idaho Russets 10 Lbs. **49¢**  
**Celery** California Blanched Lb. **14¢**  
Texas Oranges Sweet 10-Lb. Bag **63¢**  
Oranges California Sunkist Lb. **10¢**  
Texas Lemons Full of Juice Lb. **10¢**  
Apples Washington Delicious Lb. **13¢**  
Fresh Limes Green Juicy Lb. **19¢**  
Fresh Dates California 12-Oz. Pkg. **59¢**  
East Texas Yams Lb. **7¢**  
White Onions 2 Lbs. **15¢**  
Lettuce California Iceberg Lb. **14¢**  
Carrots Fancy California Bun. **8¢**  
Green Onions Texas Fresh Bun. **9¢**  
Bell Peppers Large Green Lb. **21¢**

Shop at Safeway and Save  
**Tomato Soup** Campbell's No. 1 Can **9¢**  
**Mince Meat** Lady Betty 30-Oz. Jar **39¢**  
**Queen Olives** Gulf Port Thrown Pack 10-Oz. Jar **51¢**

**Values**  
Sunshine ASSORTED Old Time PEANUT CHOCOLATES Brittle  
1-Lb. Box **59¢** 16-Oz. Pkg. **33¢**  
Candy Boston Baked Beans 16-Oz. Pkg. **25¢**  
Pecans Fancy Large 14-Oz. Box **45¢**  
Sugar Brown or Powdered 1-Lb. Box **8¢**  
Pop Corn Black Beauty 2-Lb. Cello **29¢**  
Currants Sunmaid 11-Oz. Pkg. **20¢**  
Edwards Rich Robust Coffee 1-Lb. Jar **28¢**  
Nob Hill Luxury Blend Coffee 1-Lb. Pkg. **23¢**  
Airway Fresh Roasted Coffee 2 1-Lb. Pkgs. **41¢**  
Conitrary Orange Pkcs 1/2-Lb. Pkg. **22¢**  
Tea Kilch-N-Kraft 4 1/2-Oz. 19¢  
Pimientos Arm. & Hammer 2 1-Lb. Pkgs. **15¢**  
Soda Kitchen Craft 10-Lb. Bag **49¢**  
Flour Gold Medal 10-Lb. Bag **55¢**  
Flour Silver Queen No. 2 Baps Scrub Mops Each **45¢**

Schillings POULTRY Seasoning 2 1/2-Oz. Pkg. **13¢**  
Nabisco SHREDDED WHEAT 12-Oz. Pkg. **12¢**  
Snow White TABLE SALT 26-Oz. Pkg. **7¢**  
LINIT STARCH 12-Oz. Pkg. **10¢**

**BREAD** Enriched Big 1 1/2-Lb. Loaf **10¢**  
**EDWARDS COFFEE**  
Country Home Golden Whole Kernel **CORN** No. 2 Can **15¢**  
**Highway PEACHES** Extra Standard No. 2 1/2 Can **24¢**  
**HIGHWAY**

# SAFEWAY