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## City-Wide Clean-Up Drive Scheduled April 14 to 26

Members of the fire prevention and clean-up committee and the health and safety committee of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce met Monday evening to plan a city-wide clean-up campaign. Tentative dates are April 14 to 26 and committees are being named and the organization perfected for one of the biggest efforts in recent years to give the entire city a cleaning and to remove all possible fire hazards.

An order has been placed for poster and publicity material and the complete plan of operation is to be made public within a few days. It was voted to ask the city government to provide trash hauling for all houses in the corporate limits during the drive.

The clean-up and fire prevention committee is composed of H. G. Agnew, D. G. Posey, Herman Hulsey, J. A. Schnable, Chester Cherry and Lynn Candler. Otis Jacob, Dr. W. K. Wheatley, L. Z. Simco and Jack Rogers compose the health and safety committee. Movies will be obtained to show

to all students and after the representative they will be given stickers to be taken home and put on front doors or windshields.

Special committees to assist in the drive will be announced after they have been contacted and accepted. Merchants will be asked to devote some of their advertising space and house furnishing dealers will be asked to feature paint up as a feature of the campaign.

Inspections of the city will be made before the work begins and at regular intervals during the two-week period.

In order to aid those who want to cooperate but have no one to do the actual work, the steering committee will try to secure a list of laborers who will do yard work. A number of local home owners did not join in the movement last year because they could not get anyone to work in their yards, alleys and garages. The committee will devise a plan this year whereby a phone call will bring a worker.



LABOR SECRETARY ATTACKS STRIKE-CONTROL BILLS . . . Lewis B. Schwellenbach, U. S. secretary of labor, left, has gone on record against the GOP's revised Case bill and warned the senate labor committee that banning the closed shop and industry-wide bargaining would bring "industrial strife" instead of labor peace. Sen. Joseph T. Ball (Rep., Minn.), center, and Sen. Robert A. Taft (Rep., Ohio), authors of pending revised Case bill, are shown with Secretary Schwellenbach.

## Chamber of Commerce Gets Off to Fast Start

New committees of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce are getting off to a fast start in activities for the year and already a number of accomplishments have been reported.

H. G. Agnew, chairman of the fire prevention and clean-up committee, reports completion of considerable worthwhile work and plans have been made for additional activities during national clean-up and fire prevention week which should be of interest to every citizen of Ballinger. Inspections have been made of the public schools to locate every possible fire hazard, very few of which were found.

This committee will also make a survey to determine whether 50 per cent of the residences have composition, tile or built-up roofs. If that percentage is found, the city will be entitled to a credit on the insurance key rate. Many new roofs were added to dwellings here last year following the severe hail storms and it is believed the city may qualify for this insurance saving.

A statement will be made soon on the annual clean-up campaign to be held in May. State health authorities have declared that a general spring house cleaning in every community would do much to improve health conditions. The health and safety committee, Otis Jacob, chairman, will assist in the spring clean-up drive.

The highway and roads committee, G. A. Swann, chairman, has been very busy recently. The committeemen have attended a meeting of the Big Bend Trail Association, have studied pending legislation, and have devoted much effort to local projects.

The public relations committee, Marvin Davies, chairman, has prepared plans for securing new industries and within a short time will call a mass meeting of citizens to outline the plans. If favored by the citizens, an organization will be formed and finances raised for this purpose.

The transportation and airways committee, C. A. Bissett, chairman, has announced the signing of final papers for the portion of Bruce Field to be used as a municipal airport. This group also is

working on details to secure the remainder of the field for the city and local purposes.

The agriculture and livestock committee, C. E. Maedgen, chairman, got to work fast in staging the annual boys' livestock show, possibly the best ever held here.

The church committee, George Beard, chairman, is cooperating with the ministers of the city in sponsoring a sunrise Easter service at Bearcat field April 6.

Other committees have been busy on various projects and Manager Jack Rudd has been kept on the jump looking after matters demanding immediate attention of to come up in the near future.

## County Over Top \$480 in Red Cross Drive for Funds

Charles Hambrick, county chairman for the 1947 Red Cross fund campaign, wants all community chairmen to turn in their final reports by March 31, last day of the drive.

Tabulations made Wednesday noon showed this county donated \$4,415.50, \$480.50 over the quota. Two communities have not been reported at all and Ballinger is still \$100 short of its quota of \$2,000.

Mr. Hambrick said he believed the county total would exceed \$4,500 before the end of the month and Ballinger workers stated that they would make every effort to secure the needed \$100 before the end of this week.

The final report for the county will be made after all receipts are in next Monday and the campaign will be closed here. Mr. Hambrick said he appreciated very much the cooperation of those who assisted in the drive. Community chairmen did a good job and leaders in the county chapter express thanks to all who worked in the 1947 solicitation.

Any person who has not contributed and would like to help put Ballinger over the top is asked to send a check to C. D. Richards, local chairman, or leave the donation at one of the Ballinger banks.

## 120,000 Acres of Grain May Make Bumper Crop

About 120,000 acres of Rannels county farm land is planted in small grain and just now stands a chance to hit a bumper harvest. Recent rains have greatly benefited the fields.

County Agent John A. Barton stated this week that most fields had a good stand and with additional rain and no damage this county would harvest one of its best small grain crops.

Almost half the acreage is planted in wheat. Best information is that approximately 55,000 acres are in wheat and farmers in the county agent's office this week said their crops were looking fine. Oats acreage is about 45,000 to 50,000 acres and small fields are planted in barley, spits and rye.

Present prices of small grain would make a bumper crop worth much money to farmers of this section. Many have already gained big benefits from grazing their small grain fields and now have closed them to permit growth and maturity. Crops were suffering from lack of moisture until the general rain last week. A few got light showers Sunday morning.

## HOFFMAN TO ORGANIZE RANGE CLUB AT A & M

Garlyn O. Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Hoffman, of Ballinger, has been selected as chairman of a committee to organize a range management club at A & M College.

A junior at A & M, Garlyn is specializing in range management. He is an active member of the San Angelo club, one of the leading West Texas organizations at the college. He is an ex-president of Rannels county 4-H clubs and as a boys' club member was on the state championship cotton classing team in 1937.

A veteran of three and a half years in the army air forces, Garlyn served 14 months in the ETO as a P-51 pilot. He expects to graduate from A & M in 1948 and hopes to be employed as a range specialist.

Chief and Mrs. J. D. McNutt have returned from Bellville, where they went to attend the funeral of an aged uncle.

Fred Bedford, of Winters, and Ralph Burns, of Wingate, were here Wednesday to attend to business.

## Lee Hardware Sold To Alfred Dallinger; Will Move April 15

A deal was closed here Tuesday in which Levy Lee sold the Lee Hardware Co. to Alfred H. Dallinger, of Sonora. Mr. Dallinger made arrangements with Mr. Lee to look after the business until about April 15, when the new owner will be here to take over the management of the store.

Mr. Lee entered the hardware business in Ballinger in 1935 and after operating for a short time on Seventh Street, moved to the present location and greatly enlarged his stock and added a line of furniture.

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Mr. Dallinger did not make any statement relative to the operation of the store, except a change of name, but said it would require a short time for him to arrange his affairs so he could move to Ballinger.

Mr. Lee stated that he had no immediate announcement to make regarding the future.

## Cheese and Preserves Received for County's School Lunch Rooms

School lunch rooms of Rannels county had their menus enhanced this week when County Superintendent W. E. Elkins received a shipment of 2,000 pounds of processed cheese, packed in 37 cases. The shipment was all Sherriff cheese, one of the higher grade brands, and was shipped here from Carthage, Missouri.

Supt. Elkins also was notified that 70 cases of peach preserves were being sent here from a shipment received at Sag Angelo the first of the week. The preserves came from a packing house in California.

The cheese received here will be enough for about 1½ pounds per pupil for all lunch rooms of the county. Both the cheese and preserves probably will be distributed this week and each lunch room will get its share.

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## EASTER SERVICE IS SET FOR 5:30 A. M. APRIL 6

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Starting promptly at 5:30, the service will be concluded soon after sunrise and the congregation dismissed to attend church breakfasts and other services of the morning.

Rev. W. R. Karkalits will have charge of the music, and Rev. Quay Farmer, Methodist evangelist, will deliver the Easter message.

The committee has announced that in case of bad weather the service will be held in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church.

## County Vocational School Now Said Self-Sustaining

At a meeting of the county board for the vocational school for veterans this week, Coordinator James Parrish rendered a statement disclosing liabilities of \$3,200 and assets of \$14,481.78.

The Rannels county school is now rated one of the largest and most successful in the state and is instructing ten classes in vocational agriculture and two in varied trades. An additional instructor was employed last week for a new class at Miles.

In February, 1946, when the school was established a group of local citizens signed 30 notes for \$300 each and upon this collateral the board borrowed money to operate until the school could go ahead under its own financing. At first it required considerable time to get tuition applications okayed and the money into the school's funds but during the past fourteen months a regular routine has been established by the veterans' administration and payments are coming through fairly regularly.

In a meeting Tuesday board members were told that proper

financing was now assured and that the thirty local citizens could be handed back the \$300 notes they signed more than a year ago. Mr. Parrish was instructed to return the notes to the signers and express appreciation for the financial assistance which made the school possible.

The financial statement submitted by the coordinator follows:

Liabilities	
Outstanding notes:	
F. & M. Bank, Ballinger, \$1,000	
First National Bank, Ballinger, \$1,300	
First State Bank, Paint Rock, \$600	
Total, \$3,200	
Assets	
Tuition due from state board of vocational education:	
Suspensions prior to January 1, 1947, \$200	
January account, \$3,750	
February account, \$7,190	
Bank balance:	
F & M Bank, Ballinger, \$3,338.91	
First National Bank, Ballinger, \$2.03	
Total assets, \$14,481.78	

## City Receives Final Papers on Portion Of Field for Airport

The city of Ballinger received final papers last week which transfers the portion of Bruce Field to be used as a municipal airport to the city. The papers were signed by officials of the war assets administration and the flight building, garage and dope house, runways, ramp and equipment stored in these buildings.

City officials were assured several months ago that this portion of the primary flying field would be deeded to the city but considerable time was consumed in getting all papers properly signed by city and WAA authorities.

The city took charge of the properties as soon as assurance was given that the transfer would be made and employed Fred Harman as airport manager. Since then Harman and associates have been operating the airport as well as giving flight training to students. Several other projects are underway at the field at this time, including repairing and remodeling of planes.

Sunday of last week was the deadline for priority holders to submit bids on all other buildings and properties at the field. The city of Ballinger was the only one to exercise its priority rights and it now seems that the remainder of the field will be transferred to the city as soon as paper work can be prepared and executed.

## CLERK LANHAM FLYNT TENDERS RESIGNATION

Lanham Flynt has tendered his resignation as city clerk, tax assessor and collector, and the city is now receiving applications for a man to succeed him. Mr. Flynt said he would become associated with the Frank Flynt Motor Co. as bookkeeper in the near future.

Miss Gladys Kemp left the first of the week for Houston to attend a state Sunday school meeting as a representative of the First Baptist Church of Ballinger.

## Concho Schools to Group Students with Paint Rock

Voters of the Paint Rock, White Point, Duck Creek and Concho school districts in an election last Saturday favored the proposal to group together for high school purposes. Returns showed 139 in favor of the consolidation and 14 against.

Each district gave a majority for the move, and Duck Creek residents voted unanimously in favor of grouping. This plan has the full support of the state department of education.

The Paint Rock school is fast becoming second to none in this section. This school year has witnessed the addition of a first class woodshop and a well equipped lunch room. The homemaking department recently added five new sewing machines, a frigidaire, electric range, silverware and other items. The school library now contains about 5,000 volumes.

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## Highway Commissioner Speaks to Local Clubs

Members of the Ballinger Lions and Rotary clubs and Junior Chamber of Commerce were in a joint meeting Wednesday noon to hear Fred Wemple, recently appointed member of the state highway commission. About 130 men attended the meeting, held at the Central Hotel.

Mr. Wemple came to Ballinger at the invitation of Judge E. C. Grindstaff and members of the county commissioners' court. Since his appointment he has been touring the state, inspecting roads and meeting with highway groups in many sections.

In his talk here Mr. Wemple complimented the accomplishments of the state highway commission in the past. He pointed out that only one cent of that out that only two cents of the gasoline tax goes to the department.

## Band Preparing For Busy Month; 4 Events Booked

O. G. Joiner and members of the Ballinger high school band are working hard to get ready for the busy period for the musical organization. Since the end of the football season the band has not made many public appearances but from now until the end of the school year it will play the most important concerts of the year.

On April 9 the band will be host at the local clinic which will be attended by four or five other bands of this region. Raymond T. Bynum, director of the McMurry College Band, Abilene, will have charge of the clinic. The entire day will be devoted to playing and marching.

The band will have its annual banquet April 11 in the school cafeteria. This is the one big social event of the year when an excellent program is presented, special awards announced, and a social follows the meal and program.

The annual spring concert will be presented April 17 and for some time the senior band has been rehearsing to have a good program for music lovers of Ballinger.

One of the biggest events of the year for the local musicians will be on April 6 when the band goes to enter contests at Abilene for this region. Much work has been in preparation for this contest and the Ballinger bandmen are expected to make a good showing.

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**HOME TOWN FOLKS** BY R. T. WILLIAMS

**Agent Will Feature Spraying with DDT For Weeds and Flies**

County Agent John A. Barton is preparing to stress weed destruction and fly control with the use of DDT during April. Two motion pictures have been obtained and will be presented at a number of places in the county to demonstrate the complete methods of using this potent chemical.

"Good-Bye Weeds and 'Doomsday for Pests' are the two pictures and dates will be set for showing in the various communities, to be followed by first-hand discussions of results obtained in experiments last year.

All citizens of this vicinity are invited to see a presentation of the films at the court house Saturday afternoon, April 5, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. After the showing and program questions will be answered. The films will be presented at Rowena on the night of April 1.

Other dates are being scheduled and the final showing will be at Bethel on April 18.

Mr. Barton stated that a number of people used DDT spray last year against flies and had excellent results. This year a number have bought spraying machines to kill weeds and the period will be here soon to start this work.

The county agent believes this new method is of such importance that every person in the county should witness one of the programs. Even in Ballinger a number of spraying machines have been bought for killing weeds this spring. In most cases several neighbors have joined to purchase a machine which can be used to take care of several yards and alleys.

**Local Labor Camps Will be Advertised In Extension Book**

Labor camps at Ballinger, Winters and Rowena will be featured in a booklet soon to be published by the labor division of the A. & M. College extension service. The booklet is being prepared for distribution to migratory farm labor and will carry pictures of the three camps with a description of their locations and facilities in both English and Spanish. Booklets will be passed out in areas where there are large numbers of farm workers moving along with the harvest season. The first booklets were published several years ago and it was found that laborers kept them and in following their routes were provided and there was adequate organization for securing assignment to farms needing crews of various sizes.

Officials in charge of this work in Rannels county will do everything possible to keep the labor camps of the county before farm workers and in this way help to get ample labor on the job when needed.

Russell B. Patterson has been assigned to assist in labor problems in this territory and has moved his headquarters to Ballinger. He and his wife and two children are already making home here and he will be on duty through the spring, summer and fall.

Miss Hamilton taught here last year, resigning because of the poor health of her father, is teaching a third grade room. She recently applied for a position here and when the vacancy occurred last week was telephoned an offer for the place in the elementary school.

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**Canning School To be Conducted At Local Center**

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, will conduct a canning training school tomorrow (Friday) at the Ballinger canning center. She will demonstrate pressure test canning and water bath methods and any woman interested in any kind of canning is invited to attend.

Representatives of every home demonstration club in the county will be present. These delegates have been chosen by their clubs in order that they may pass on to the other members the information gained.

Miss Chenoweth stated that the school would be open to any others who desired to attend. Ballinger women and others who are not members of demonstration clubs will be welcome to come and get the full benefit of the demonstrations.

The school is held at this time in order that all club members in Rannels county may obtain latest information before the beginning of the canning season for early vegetables.

Miss Chenoweth said she could not state just what items would be used in the canning demonstrations but this would depend on what was available in local stores.

**LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION DIRECTORS WILL MEET**

S. C. Routh, president of the Rannels County Livestock Association, stated today that a meeting of the organization's directors would be held Saturday afternoon beginning at 2:30 o'clock in the district court room at the court house. Items of business will be presented for consideration.

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**Plants from Cuttings**

By Miss Ollie Chenoweth, County Home Demonstration Agent

Many of the common shrubs, trees and vines may be grown easily from cuttings, and although they can be planted most any month of the year, cuttings set out early will give you larger plants to put out in the open ground next fall.

When selecting the cutting, choose a limb that grew last year—one about the thickness and length of a new pencil. Be sure you select a healthy, unbruised cutting. If the plant has leaves, two or three left at the top of the cutting will make food for the new plant.

Plant your cuttings in rows—four to six inches apart—in the garden or in a cutting bed. Leave only an inch or two out of the ground. If the cutting has no leaves, see that at least one strong bud is growing about an inch from the top.

Planting four or five extra cuttings for each plant that you actually need is a smart move. Then the surplus plants can be exchanged with neighbors, or given as presents when rooted in pots, cans or boxes.

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 B—Jimmie Don Wertenberger, Jane Mitchell, Reta Butler, Derril Good, Derwood Davis
- Second Grade**  
 A—Darrrell Lee, C. J. Robinson, Jerry Underwood, Janice Lynn Roper, Sammy Doss Morgan, Betty Sue Bryan  
 B—Virgil Lee Blackman, Carl Gottschalk, Ida M. Pilgreen
- Third Grade**  
 A—Bibby Hill, Ethel Hoelscher, Patricia Grubber  
 B—Othella Holden, Norma J. Cope, Ella Wertenberger
- Fourth Grade**  
 A—Francine Hoelscher, Lou Ann Bryan, Janet Minzenmayer, Lavern Hutton  
 B—Doyle Ford, Jerry Turner,
- Jackie Mitchell, Barbara Wertenberger, LaVern Green, Alma Lee Ray, Billy Jack Isbell, Wanda Jo Dyess
- Fifth Grade**  
 A—Peggy Cope  
 B—Jacqueline Cope, Jerry Green, Lelon Bryan, Cecil Lancaster, Leo Minzenmayer, Ralph Hiller
- Sixth Grade**  
 A—Virginia Hoelscher, Patricia Mackey, Wynonne Robinson, Patsy June Sharpe  
 B—Wanda Joy Baker, Laverne Hilliard, Betty June Horton
- Seventh Grade**  
 A—Ray Nell Stark, Dorothy Wertenberger, Ollie Dean Bowden  
 B—Royce Dyess, Lavon Hutton, Curtis Redman, Virginia Gruber, George Butler
- Eighth Grade**  
 A—Otto Gottschalk, Jenora Simpson, Ollie Pearl Tinney  
 B—Gayland Broadstreet, Richard Cope, Alton Hiller, Cecil Patton, Wendell Tekell, Nila Holden

- Freshmen**  
 A—Mary Lou Hoelscher, Shirley Cope, Hubert Brock  
 B—Betty Sue Willis, Nell Hambricht
- Sophomores**  
 A—Juanelle Chapman, Roger Bryan, Elwood Hambricht, Dorothy Nell Camp, Mamie Murphy, D. B. Underwood  
 B—Mary Ellen Mitchell, Larry Mosier
- Juniors**  
 A—Arlie Van Holden, Donald Lee  
 B—Hollis Ray Leonard, Keith Corley, Bill Mitchell, Rowland Allen, Dovie Lou Kornegay, Nealon Carter
- Seniors**  
 A—Betty Shelburne, Martin Gottschalk, Evelyn Ray  
 B—Edward Redman, Wendell Cope, Jo Alice Simpson
- We took part in the literary and athletic events at Bronte last Friday and Saturday. We appreciated the courtesy given us.
- We have had quite a number out of school with the flu. The spring weather has helped those who had flu.

**HOGS GRAZED ON ALFALFA PRODUCE CHEAPER PORK FOR MARKET AND TABLE**

**COLLEGE STATION, Mar. 28.**—A few acres of irrigated alfalfa is a "natural" for hog production in West Texas, says Hudspeth County Agricultural Agent C. M. Knight.

Knight is telling farmers in his county about the demonstration of Joe Neely, irrigation farmer of McNary. Neely has proved to his neighbors that pork can be produced cheaply, both for home use and marketing, by grazing hogs on alfalfa.

Fencing off three acres of alfalfa, last spring Neely put nine bred gilts, four barrows and one boar on the small pasture. When hog killing time came around, he slaughtered 14 hogs for home use and to sell to laborers on his farm, sold "a few" for \$350, and kept 25 pigs on the farm to be killed from time to time for pork.

Very little grain was fed the hogs. The 14 that Neely slaughtered were finished on grain in addition to the alfalfa. The three-acre pasture was estimated to be worth \$900 to Neely.

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**Big Berlin Musical, 'Blue Skies' Stars Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire**

Three million dollars worth of musical entertainment, fashioned by America's master of melody, is the big attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, March 30, 31, April 1, with Paramount's technicolor production of Irving Berlin's "Blue Skies," starring Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire and Joan Caulfield. The melodic masterpiece also features Billy DeWolfe and Olga San Juan, the bombshell from Puerto Rico, via Brooklyn.

and Joan is unfolded, beginning after the first world war and carrying through to a present day finish. It tells of the romance of Crosby and Caulfield, their break-up over his inability to settle down, and the persistent, but fruitless, pursuit of Joan by Fred Astaire. Only after Fred has been crippled in a fall while dancing, and is telling the story on the air in his role of a commentator, are the lovers re-united, and their skies blue forevermore.

All the principals double in brass, doing both their specialties, and teaming up with each other in important production numbers. Bing dances, Fred sings, and the lovely Miss Caulfield, heretofore acclaimed for her dramatic ability alone, sings and dances. Even the comical Billy DeWolfe joins in the singing, and the peppery Latin from across the bridge from Manhattan, sings with Bing and dances with Fred in some of the film's biggest production numbers.

Against this melodic background, a love story involving Bing, Fred

**'Wake Up and Dream,' Romantic Comedy Starring Payne and June Haver to Texas**

Romance, high humor and a heart-warming whimsical story involving some of the most unusual and lovable characters the screen has ever known are combined in "Wake Up and Dream," 20th Century-Fox's technicolor filmization of Robert Nathan's best-seller, which is to be shown at the Texas Theatre Wednesday and Thursday of next week, April 2, 3. The picture, starring John Payne and June Haver, has an outstanding supporting cast headed by Charlotte Greenwood.

Telling a simple but enchanting story of dreams that come true, through a strange and beautiful adventure, for a young sailor and the girl he left behind, the picture presented a real challenge out-

side the ordinary groove of Hollywood movie making. The story is filled with situations straight from the never-never land which appeal so strongly to every imaginative person, but which are extremely difficult to film. Preview reports acclaim it as one of the most delightful screen experiences of the year.

John Payne plays the role of the awkward but romantic young farmer, Jeff, who leaves the soil to join the coast guard. Fresh from her triumph in "Three Little Girls in Blue," Miss Haver is seen as the waitress who dreams of some day meeting a gallant prince. In addition to Charlotte Greenwood, other important roles are played by Connie Marshall, John Ireland, Clem Bevans, Charles Russell and Lee Patrick.

Three hit songs by the famed tune team of Harry Ruby and Rube Bloom are heard in the picture.

are expected to be present.

Following is the program:  
 Group singing, led by Fulton Underwood  
 Prayer, W. T. Billups  
 Special music, Rev. W. R. Kar-kalis  
 Announcements, Judge E. C. Grindstaff

Special music, Miss Jo Ann Smith, Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, who will play a group of marimba numbers.  
 Address, H. L. Wren, Snyder  
 Benediction, C. E. Maedgen.

**CHRISTIAN LAYMEN'S LEAGUE TO MEET IN LOCAL CHURCH**

The Laymen's League of the Christian Church, district 11, will meet in the First Christian Church of Ballinger Sunday. The program is to begin at 4 p. m. and will continue into the evening.

There will be sessions for young people, men and women, all in charge of competent directors. The three sessions will be held simultaneously and the public is invited to attend.

**Baptist Brotherhood Of 26 Churches Will Meet in City April 4**

The Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will be host to representatives of 26 churches in this area at the regular meeting to be held April 4, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Invitations have gone to the men of the other churches and a goal of 300 has been set for attendance at the program to be presented in the auditorium of the local church.

Officials in charge have prepared an excellent program which will be of interest to all the men and at the same time entertaining. A large number of acceptances have been received and all members of the local brotherhood

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POPULAR SCIENCE and MUSICAL SHORT



### Seven Step Cotton Program Declared Gaining Headway

COLLEGE STATION, Mar. 26.—The "seven step" cotton program is spreading in Texas.

Introduced by the extension service in 1945, the program is a cotton farming plan outlined to aid Texas farmers in producing a better grade of cotton with efficient, balanced farm practices.

Annual reports received from the Texas A. & M. College extension service show that many cotton producers are following the plan and producing the kind of fiber that brings in added cash on the cotton market.

F. C. Elliott, cotton work

specialist of the extension service, recently released figures showing some of the results on each of the seven steps that were carried out last year. If these figures cause any cotton producer to become interested in the plan, Elliott urges him to see or write his county agricultural agent for local help in the seven steps in his community.

Step No. 1 is "Fit Cotton into Balanced Farming." Last year, 25,669 cotton growers worked with county agricultural agents in making cotton a part of a balanced farm plan.

Step No. 2—"Take Care of Your Soil." In following this step, barnyard fertilizer was applied to cotton land on 7,128 Texas farms; 3,395 farmers planted cotton following legumes and phosphate fertilizers; and over 2,000 farmers reported a decrease in cotton root

rot by following extension service recommendations.

Step No. 3—"Get Together on the Best Variety." More than 36,000 farmers organized into 343 one-variety cotton communities last year. By getting together and planting the variety best adapted to their community, these one-variety farmers averaged 182 pounds of lint per acre, when the average for the remainder of the state was only 111 pounds. Elliott states that these producers received an extra \$36,000,000 for their cotton crop.

Step No. 4—"Make Your Labor Count." New labor saving machines are gradually finding their place in Texas cotton farming. Elliott reports 1,100 stripper type cotton harvesting machines in operation last year; 26 farmers used cotton picking machines; and 24 frame cultivators were operated.

Step No. 5—"Control Cotton Insects and Diseases." Since cotton insects ordinarily destroy one bale of cotton for every seven the farmer harvests, insect control is a big part of any cotton program. Elliott reports that 27,841 growers recognized that fact and followed specific recommendations in treating 1,077,222 acres of cotton.

Step No. 6—"Pick and Gin for High Grade." Following the extension service's program, 322 cotton communities received assistance in getting clean, white cotton to the market. Over 1,400 gins in 147 counties applied for the free cotton classing service offered under the Smith-Doxey Act.

Step No. 7—"Sell for Grade, Staple and Variety Value." A marketing division was set up in 95 cotton improvement associations in the state, to give growers a better idea of what their cotton was actually worth, and to keep check on market prices. Nine communities also had cotton spinning tests made.

Much of the state's cotton will be going in the ground soon. Elliott says the extension service, as well as many agencies and organizations in the state who have pledged support, is ready to help growers who want to fall in line with the Seven Step Cotton Program.

## SPORTS

Steel was received Monday to start the second grandstand back of the third base line. The center, circular stand, is about in place, and the steel and rafters for the roof were being placed Monday. All boxes were completed last week and a large number were

chewing gum and other items which make a baseball game more enjoyable on sale at the park.

The location of the Ballinger park will solve the parking space problem. Set back from the highway several hundred yards, the parking of cars can be easily handled even when the park is filled to capacity. The lighted field will make it daylight bright all over the parking area and there will be little chance for thieves to operate.

Tickets for the season are to be received shortly. They will include tickets for box holders, admission tickets for the opening day, April 23, general admission tickets for adults and children. The general admission will be 74 cents for adults, 25 cents for children.

Painters began putting signs on the park fence Monday and any one wanting space is asked to see Bob Pruitt at the park this week.

Any person desiring a box seat should contact Roy Worley at once and select the box he likes best. The owning of a box will assure a seat at all attractions held in the Ballinger park during the 1947 season.

Several hundred pillows are being made and will be rented at each game during the season. The pillows are several inches larger than usual and will provide a soft seat either in the stands or in a box.

Concession houses have been built and customers will find cold drinks, peanuts, popcorn, candy,

the evening service.

A large chorus is greeting Mr. Ward just before the evening service and the musical program will be a feature of each evening service of the meeting which will close Easter Sunday. Mr. Ward met with a quick response from the congregation and soon had all singing at the first service. He also renders solos each evening.

Rev. Farmer is bringing forceful messages dealing with living in the present era, is warning of the real dangers faced in a world

crisis and pointing them to the only perfect way of living.

Prior to the evening services prayer groups of all ages meet. These meetings begin at 7 p. m. and continue 20 minutes.

Sunday afternoon a white cross was placed in the yard of every Methodist home in Ballinger. Many post cards have been given individuals to be mailed to friends asking them to attend the services.

The First Methodist membership extends an invitation to all citi-

zens of this area to attend every service possible during the revival.

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY IS DISTRIBUTED IN CITY

The Southwestern States Telephone Co. is distributing a new directory for Ballinger this week. The new book is dated March, 1947, and brings all local listings up to date.

Since the last directory was

printed a large number of new firms and new citizens have been added as telephone patrons here and the new directory will be a decided convenience.

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### Methodist Revival Has Good Beginning

The revival at the First Methodist Church got off to a good start Sunday with two large congregations and interest shown in every phase of the campaign. The first service, Sunday morning, was in charge of local forces and at the end of the service two members were received into the church.

Evangelist Quay Farmer and Singer Earl Ward arrived Sunday afternoon and were in charge of

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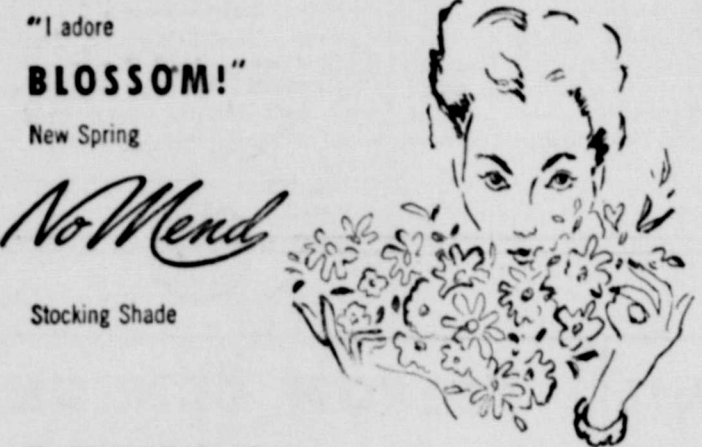
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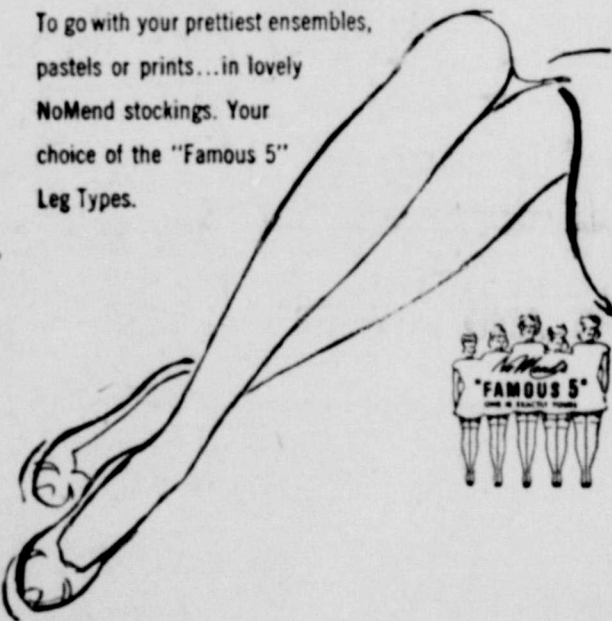
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The actual gain has proved much greater than most breeders would suppose, Regenbrecht says. Reports from Kentucky say that four pigs to the litter by slanting farmers are gaining from one to floors. One swine grower in that state last year ran a comparison check, sloping the floors in one farrowing house and leaving level floors in another house. On sloper floors, he averaged 9.2 pigs to the litter; on level floors his average was 7.2 pigs.

Many farmers are finding it practical merely to block up one side of the house a few inches to give a life-saving tilt to the floors of farrowing pens.

**ROTATION, FERTILIZATION AND IRRIGATION BOOST AVERAGE COTTON YIELD**

COLLEGE STATION, Mar. 26.—What El Paso farmers are doing with long-time planning in cotton production is something that County Agricultural Agent W. S. Foster believes will be of interest



**BLUE BABY OPERATION SUCCESSFUL** . . . Little Tommy Boland, 4½-year-old son of rookie New York patrolman, Henry Boland, came through his "blue baby" operation successfully at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, Md. He is shown playing in his crib with a toy as nurse, Mrs. Maravene Hamburger, attends him. In recent months several successful "blue baby" operations have been performed at Johns Hopkins hospital. The case of Tommy attracted nationwide attention.

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Games were directed by Mr. Virgil McShan and Mrs. Jack Fry. Coffee and cake was served to Mmes. Fred Moncrief, Roy Holstead, B. M. Batts, Reese, McShan, and Fry.

The South Ballinger home demonstration club met Tuesday, March 18, in the home of Mrs. J. Wesley Jones.

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(b) The unknown heirs and legal representatives of each of the following named persons, who are all deceased: Oliver Hoyt, Maria Hoyt, Edward C. Hoyt, C. Ida Hoyt, Theodore R. Hoyt, George S. Hoyt, Walter S. Hoyt, and Lillian A. Hoyt; GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of the issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 28th day of April, A. D. 1947, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the Court House in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1947, at 3:40 o'clock p. m. The file number of said suit is 3406. The names of the parties to and in said suit are: R. F. Bishop is plaintiff, and the defendants are the persons to whom this writ is addressed and

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to all West Texas irrigation farmers.

According to figures released by the El Paso county office of the production and marketing administration, farmers of the county averaged 1.93 bales of cotton to the acre in 1946. The 43,774 acres planted in the county produced 86,684 bales, or 965 pounds per acre.

Thirteen years ago, Foster recalls, the official five-year average yield for El Paso County was 404 pounds. The county agent says that this climbing production is due for the most part to the steadily increasing practice among the county's farmers of rotating alfalfa with cotton, applying commercial fertilizer and leveling land to make irrigation better and easier.

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shrub and trees will often stop a grass fire, says Miss Hatfield, provided they are of the right varieties. Plants suited for the purpose are amar river privet, big-leaf privet, euonymus japonica, cape jasmine, holly, Florida jasmine, cherry laurel, youpon, pyrocantha, and wax leaf ligustrum. Cedars, pines and others of the conifer family are not recommended as fire barrier plants, since they may burn when green, the specialist says.

Landscape gardeners have found that the shrubs are effective in stopping grass fires when planted from three to six feet away from the foundation of the house. Shrub beds, eight or ten feet wide, and planted against the house foundation, are also grass fire protection.

Keeping a well-trimmed lawn is in itself a partial safety measure, the landscape specialist says, while winter lawns of Italian rye or clover keep down fires as well as provide a green year-round covering.

Neatness, order and cleanliness around the home grounds are not only necessary for good appearance, says Miss Hatfield, but for safety as well.

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grandchildren. Agnew Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

**Mrs. M. C. Parramore**  
Mrs. M. C. Parramore died in a San Antonio hospital last Friday following a heart attack at her home.

A former resident of this county, for the past 35 years decedent had been making home at San Antonio. Her husband was among the first ranchmen to settle in this area and operated extensively near Ballinger for a number of years.

Survivors include a son, W. M. Parramore, Winters, a daughter, Mrs. R. E. Sparkman, San Antonio, two sisters, five grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the Newby-Davis chapel Monday afternoon, Rev. Steve Cook officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Palbearers were Frank Johnson, Pete Davidson, D. J. Kirsham, J. M. Ryburn, Fred Poe and Rufus Allen.

Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Mrs. J. D. Reeves**  
Funeral services for Mrs. J. D. Reeves, 39, were held at the First Baptist Church Saturday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Martin officiating.

Decedent was killed instantly Thursday afternoon when she was thrown from a tractor when it overturned and pinned her under it. She and her husband were grading a lane from the ranch house to the highway when the tractor struck a stump and turned over.

Survivors besides the husband include two daughters, Ina Ruth Sanders, Ballinger; Mrs. O. E. Foster, Sterling City; her mother, Mrs. Nellie Hardy, Maverick; four sisters, Etzel and Ina Hardy, Mrs. Grace Lee, Maverick; and Mrs. Yveta Fletcher, Ballinger; two brothers, Roy Hardy, Maverick; and Terry Hardy, Abilene.

Palbearers were Wilbur Martin, Leonard Bowden, Duck Lee, Carl Florence, James Glenn, George Harris, Lester Lee and Ellis Lee.

Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Mrs. Jessie L. Carroll**  
Mrs. Jessie L. Carroll, 39, died in a Corpus Christi hospital Friday following an operation the Sunday before. She had been in failing health the past year.

Decedent lived in Ballinger until 1936 when she moved to Corpus Christi.

Survivors besides the husband, J. D. Carroll, include a daughter, Wanda Lindsey; two sons, W. C. and Bobby Lindsey; four brothers, J. D. Cook, Ballinger; Charles Cook, Abilene; Dale and Wiley Cook, Delton; her mother, Mrs. S. M. Cook, Corpus Christi.

Funeral services were held at the Newby-Davis chapel Monday afternoon, Lewis Hogue officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Jesse Willis**  
Jesse Willis, 64, one of the well known colored men of Ballinger, died at the home of a sister, Maude Willis Chase, Wednesday of last week following long illness.

Decedent had lived in Ballinger 29 years. Survivors include the sister and two brothers.

Funeral services were conducted at Tyree Chapel Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. U. S. Washington officiating.

Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Richard A. Halamicek**  
Richard A. Halamicek, 3, died in a Thoboka hospital Monday from an acute attack of influenza which lasted less than 24 hours.

Survivors are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halamicek; two brothers, Paul, Jr. and Lynn Carl; and two sisters, Peggy Louise and Kay Frances.

Funeral services were held at Thoboka Wednesday morning and interment was made in the Protestant cemetery at Rowena.

Wednesday afternoon. Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of the graveside.

**Improvements Being Made at Country Club For Summer Affairs**

Improvements being made by the Ballinger Country Club will put the entire property in excellent condition for use of members during the spring and summer.

During the winter the club house was redecorated, painted, and a small amount of furniture added. In the clubhouse rooms purchased were games tables and folding chairs for party use.

Many yards of dirt have been moved and rocks picked up to improve certain parts of the grounds. Machinery has been used to cut down the hill approaching No. 4 green and a slope in front of No. 1 green. Soil has been spread on these approaches and grass will be planted to hold them in place.

Bent grass seeds have been bought and will be sowed on the greens within the next few weeks, following which they will be topped with rich soil and irrigated. The greens already have a good bent grass covering but each year more is planted to keep them in perfect condition for summer golfing.

A meeting is to be held at Coleman Sunday to arrange the summer league schedule for the Ballinger, Coleman, Brady and Philpeco clubs. Plans call for two games each month. This will take each team away from home only once each four Sundays.

Dirt is being moved and the putting green near the club house enlarged. This green will be made large enough for 18 holes and when ready for play the grounds committee plans to install lights for night putting matches. Grass will be planted as soon as the dirt is spread.

Several other improvements are being planned, including a foot bridge across a neck of the lake on the No. 2 fairway.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

The Bailey Clinic-Hospital has been full this week but a number of patients had improved sufficiently to be discharged during the past several days. Those discharged recently were:

- A. J. McDaniel, medical, dismissed Monday.
- Mrs. W. D. Duke, Rowena, medical, dismissed Sunday.
- W. M. Halfmann, Rowena, medical, dismissed Monday.
- Ben Schroeder, Rowena, medical, dismissed Wednesday.
- Lois Morgan, Winters, surgical, dismissed Tuesday.
- Mrs. Lloyd Johnson, surgical, dismissed Wednesday.
- Mrs. G. T. Watkins, surgical, dismissed Sunday.
- Roy Higginbotham, Paint Rock, medical, dismissed Wednesday.



"Blue Skies," principal attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, March 26, 27 and April 1, stars Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire and Joan Crawford. Over 30 of Irving Berlin's melodies are incorporated in the elaborate musical score.

Mrs. Nannie Meeks, Winters, medical, dismissed Saturday.

Mrs. B. J. Gully and son, dismissed Monday.

Miss Jerline Reinders, Rowena, medical, dismissed Thursday.

Mrs. Roy Higginbotham, Paint Rock, medical, dismissed Wednesday.

J. L. Gambia, medical, dismissed Tuesday.

C. E. Armstrong was admitted to the clinic Sunday for treatment and is resting well.

Mrs. Frances Hovora, surgical patient, is doing nicely since an operation last week.

Mrs. Ruel Boswell is improving after being admitted for treatment Monday.

Mrs. Jewell Cooper is receiving treatment for a stubborn case of influenza and was resting better today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gallant are parents of a son, born Monday. Mrs. Gallant and baby, doing nicely, were dismissed Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sanders are parents of a daughter, born Tuesday. Doing nicely, mother and baby were dismissed Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Walden are parents of a daughter, born Tuesday. Mother and baby were able to go home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cook are parents of a son, born Wednesday. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hill are parents of a son, born Wednesday. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

B. S. Lusk entered the clinic for treatment Wednesday and was improving today.

The condition of Tom B. Hall, operated on Wednesday, was said satisfactory today.

Mrs. O. E. Purnus, operated on this morning, was resting fairly well immediately following the surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Stone left Friday for College Station, Houston and other points on a short vacation. At College Station they will visit their son, who is attending A. & M. College.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Rodgers, of Whitesboro, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Walden the past week-end. Mrs. Rodgers is the former Miss Rosemary Walden.

Mrs. Fred Underwood and children, Sue, Sallie and Hal, visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bruce, in Whitney, the past week-end.

Pvt. Don E. Hirschfeld, son of Mrs. A. M. Hirschfeld, has completed a course at the AAF technical school, Chanute Field, Ill., which gives him a J-33 power plant rating.

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Judge and Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff went to Austin Saturday to attend to business.

R. W. Barnshaw left Tuesday for Dallas to take a special course at Southern Methodist University to fit him for new work in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simpson, of Coleman, visited relatives here Saturday.

W. R. Marrs, of the University of Texas extension service, was guest speaker. Mr. Marrs pointed out that the state university had planned for 12,000 students this year and had enrolled 13,000. He said classes were being held until 10 o'clock at night and that practically all the university-directed schools had the same crowded condition.

Mr. Marrs praised the splendid work being done by the Ballinger veterans' vocational school and stated that James Parrish was one of the best coordinators in the state and that this was one of the most efficient schools.

On the basis of ration books, issued, the speaker declared Rowena county had about 10 per cent less population than in 1940 while Ballinger had about 15 per cent more. He attributed this to the mechanical age on the farm. "Farming today takes less manpower and will take less all the time," said Mr. Marrs. Small towns are doomed unless they get on their feet and do something to keep their young people at home after they enter the business world, was the warning issued by the speaker.

To stress this point, Mr. Marrs asked for a showing of hands of all men present who received all their education in Ballinger. Only four responded in the affirmative. It was pointed out that young

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## IN SOCIETY

Mary Martha Class in Social The Mary Martha Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church held its monthly business and social meeting in the home of

Mrs. Weldon Howell Tuesday with Mrs. Hubert Parrish as co-hostess. Mrs. Wilbanks, class president, conducted a "Dr. I. Q." Biblical quiz. "Secret pal" numbers were drawn.

Sandwiches and spiced tea were served to the following: Mmes. A. O. Bartlett, Harper, C. W. Jennings, L. A. Faubion, J. H. Parrish, W. D. Howell, Otto Wood, D. P. Wilbanks, O. C. Sykes, William Hill, L. R. Tigner.

St. Mary's Altar Society in Droll Home

Mrs. Louis Droll was hostess to the Altar Society of St. Mary's Church Tuesday afternoon in her home on the Winters highway.

Mrs. Walter Mueller conducted the business routine when plans were made for the decorations of altars at the Easter season and the rest of the time was spent on sewing on altar linens.

The hostess served a sandwich plate with cake and coffee. Others present were: Mmes. W. J. Curtis,

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Mr. C. J. Lynn Honor Guest on 77th Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. C. J. Lynn named her husband, Mr. Lynn, honor guest on his seventy-seventh birthday anniversary Sunday when she included children, grandchildren, and brothers and their families for an informal all-day get-together in their home on Seventh Street.

All the group went to 11 o'clock services at the First Presbyterian Church, and returned home for the venison dinner.

Two long tables were centered with birthday cakes which were topped with the words "Happy Birthday." Pictures were taken in the afternoon and birthday gifts opened.

Present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Harry Lynn, Buddy Hall of Water Valley, Fred Vetterlein of McCamey, H. W. Lynn, Estes M. Lynn, Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Gustavus, Lynn, Bill Tom and Duane Gustavus, all of Ozona; Freddie Vetterlein, and Miss Lilly Mae Armstrong.

First Methodist W. S. C. S. Circles in Meetings

Mrs. E. L. Rampy and Mrs.

George Beard were hostesses to the Sally Odom circle of the First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday afternoon in the church parlors on Tenth Street. Arrangements of jonquils and daffodils were about rooms where Mrs. R. D. Midgley presided and gave the devotional, "Thou Art Our Father." Mrs. J. G. Douglass gave the lesson, "Children and Their Church," from the book, "Of Such is the Kingdom." The Easter theme was emphasized in decorations and on the refreshment plate when hostesses served a sandwich plate with cookies and coca-colas.

Others were: Mmes. W. O. Irby, R. W. Earnshaw, Cal Adair, J. F. Currie, John Loveless, Ford Taylor, Ewing Holt, Ben Guin, J. L. Davis, Marion Hays and Ed O'Kelly.

Ettie Gressett members were guests of Mrs. W. E. Midgley and Miss Thelma Midgley in their home on Eighth Street. Low bowls of pansies and violets, and potted hydrangeas gave beauty to rooms where Mrs. Play Brevard conducted the business and Mrs. O. R. Lasater gave the devotional. Mrs. H. B. Loyd presented the year-book program. Pie was served with coffee.

Others present were: Mmes. C. D. Harris, Fred Middleton, Tom McIntire, C. H. Midgley, Fred Underwood and Troy Simpson.

Mrs. Marvin Davies was hostess to the Ida Campbell circle in her home on Sixth Street. Mrs. H. G. Agnew, chairman, directed the business. Mrs. W. R. Clark gave the devotional, and Mrs. C. P. Shepherd gave the Bible lesson.

Spring flowers were used for decorations. The hostess served a sandwich plate with punch and Easter candies. Others were: Mmes. W. D. Bawcom, O. L. Hart, Frank Moore, W. W. Chastain, E. C. Baskin, A. A. Howeth, Wade, and A. O. Strother.

Officers Installed for Presbyterian Auxiliary

First Presbyterian Church parlors were beautifully decorated with spring flowers Monday afternoon for the Auxiliary's annual meeting for officers' reports and installation of officers.

Mrs. Paul Trimmer was presiding officer and Mrs. Harry Lynn

brought the devotional. Rev. Steve Cook, church pastor, conducted the installation service for the following officers and cause secretaries: Mrs. Trimmer, president; Mrs. E. A. Cezeaux, vice-president; Mrs. H. P. Neal, secretary; Mrs. L. J. Campbell, treasurer; Mrs. G. P. Holman, historian; Mrs. E. A. Saunders, spiritual life and evangelism; Mrs. Victor Mauer, foreign missions; Mrs. Chester Cherry, assemblies home missions; Mrs. Steve Cook, Christian education and ministerial relief; Mrs. T. Hall, religious education; Mrs. E. M. Lynn, S. P. home missions; Mrs. M. E. Boggess, literature; Mrs. K. V. Northington, Christian social service; Mrs. Harry Lynn, social activities; Mrs. Leonard Stallings, pastors' aid; and Mmes. F. M. Pearce and Bruce Creasy, circle chairmen; Mrs. H. W. Lynn, home circle chairman; Mrs. J. M. Pyburn, business women's circle chairman; Mrs. Stallings, training circle chairman.

At the social hour Mrs. M. E. Boggess and Mrs. Harry Lynn were hostesses and served cookies and tea. Mrs. Mary Fuller, of Taylor, was a visitor.

Mary Brian Woody Honor Guest at Tea

Mrs. Wylie Stobaugh was hostess at a prettily-appointed tea in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams, on Broadway Wednesday afternoon to compliment Mary Brian Woody, who is a member of the 1947 graduating class.

Bouquets of spring blossoms were used about reception rooms where Mrs. Williams assisted Mrs. Stobaugh in receiving and presenting the honor guest.

The dining table, which was laid in Normandy lace, was centered with a formal arrangement of pink carnations flanked by tall white candles in silver holders. Mrs. W. B. Woody poured coffee from the silver service and Mrs. W. E. Hall, Jr., served cake squares. Mrs. John Hollingsworth, of Miami, Florida, assisted in serving salad plates.

The hostess presented a gift to Miss Woody.

Others were: Dorothy Holliday, Elizabeth Wear, Martha Saunders, Anna Sue Hembree, Marilyn Agnew, Nancy Guynes, Beverly Barber, Pat Caudie, Lillian Ruth Keithley, June Woodson, Virginia Baker, Pat Richards, Mary Evelyn O'Neill, Bonnie Davis, Betty Parrish, Marilyn Bowden, Carolyn Cheatham; Mrs. Charles F. Bailey, and Mrs. Elmo McCook, of Ozona.

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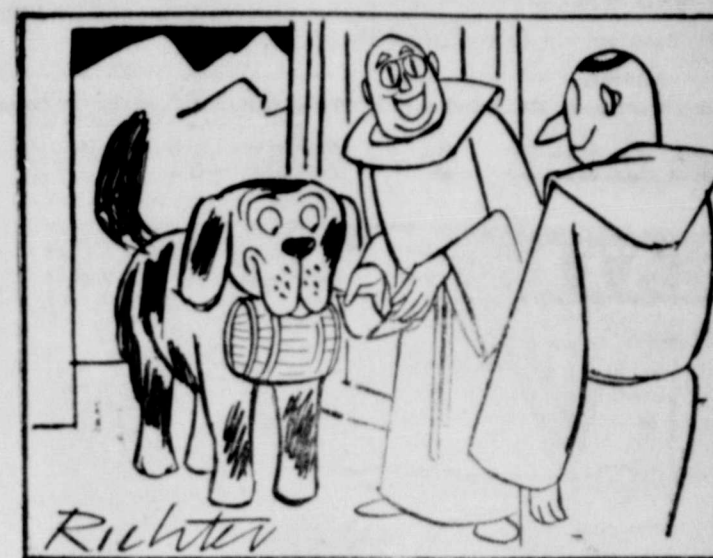
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Just a trip out to the Ballinger baseball park gives a fan the spirit and makes it tough to wait for the opening of the season. The local set is one of the best in this section of the state and players arriving here the past week-end commented on the nice park as soon as they walked inside. During this spring and summer thousands of people will be entertained there and regardless of attendance will be comfortable. Ample seat and foot space will make the stands comfortable besides the approximately 300 who will occupy chairs in the boxes. The management has spared no expense in making the set-up the best that could be built and the great American game will be brought to Ballinger fans in a manner never offered here before. Interest is expected to rise fast as the season gets underway and local fans begin watching the development of the young players.

In Ballinger. Citizens announced for places on the city ticket will fill important positions at meager pay in return for the amount of work to be done. The least the people of this city can do is to go to the polling place and show their interest in the affairs of the municipality and the big construction jobs to be completed during the next two years. There is competition in each race. Two men seek the office of mayor and three are candidates for commissioners, with two to be elected. If you are a qualified voter go to the city hall and cast a ballot.

With the first spring days, local homeowners have begun working in their yards and shrubs are damaged more than believed. Sub-zero temperature caused considerable damage the past winter and some of this may not be observed until the plants begin putting out within a few weeks. Some have trimmed their hedges and foundation plants almost to the ground in order to get below the portion killed by freezing. Yard improvement is noted in every part of the city, many yards being torn up with special machines for this purpose, large amounts of new soil being scattered in others, and new shrubs and trees being planted all over town.

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**WEST TEXAS NOTES**

The Miles Giants baseball team has been reorganized for the year and plan to start spring training soon. New uniforms have been bought and the Giants are expected to place a fast club in the running for the 1947 season. A number of pre-season games probably will be played with league teams of this part of the state.

An influenza epidemic which struck Fort Stockton last week put many citizens to bed and brought a warning from health authorities that public meeting places and schools might have to be closed. Dr. M. E. Barrett, city health officer, stated that isolation was the surest method of halting the epidemic.

Several Stephenville churches are planning to spend sizeable sums in erecting worship places near John Tarleton College. St. Luke's Episcopal Mission has purchased land adjoining the campus and will start a \$25,000 building program in the near future. Baptists recently paid \$12,000 for a site and are converting a residence on the property into a students' center and plan additional construction in the near future. Methodists are seeking a site just off the campus on which to build a house of worship to serve the students.

More than 80 towns on highway 80 between El Paso and Texas-Kana will be represented at a meeting in Sweetwater April 5 to discuss the proposed inter-regional highway program. Two members of the state highway commission and the state highway engineer

also will attend. The delegations will be guests of the Sweetwater B. C. D. at a noon banquet.

The Menard Parent-Teacher Association voted last week to spend \$800 in building tennis courts for the schools. School officials had been asking for this playground improvement for some time, pointing out that the interscholastic league meet could not be held at Menard because of the lack of tennis courts. New officers were elected by the P-T.A. for the year and plans are being made for further cooperation with the schools.

The Brady Junior Chamber of Commerce has named committees and within a short time will begin making a population count in the city. The census will be complete and when finished the exact number of residents will be known. Since 1940, Brady, like many other West Texas towns, has had a big growth. The Jaycees decided that since the next federal census would not be taken until 1950 it would be worth much to get an accurate count now.

Work is underway again on the Comanche county veterans' building after having been stopped last month for failure to secure construction permits. The permits were approved at Dallas last week and contractors have a full crew on the job. The building, to cost \$18,000, is being financed by public subscription.

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Approval for the construction of 28 new dwellings has been received at Coleman and work is to begin at once. Dewey Collins, general contractor, stated that as soon as the 28 dwellings were completed an additional 35 would be started. The homes will be offered to veterans at down payments of \$100 to \$150 and monthly payments of \$30 to \$35.

The Winters Billiards have concluded 30 days' practice and left the coaches elated over the 1947 prospects. There is a letterman for practically every slot and a large number of reserves are fighting for regular assignments. The A squad is composed of forty players. A baseball schedule will be started in the Winters school for the first time in many years and a number of hard games have been booked.

Membership in the Philpeco Country Club near Rising Star has been cut into half for the 1947 season in order to stimulate interest and encourage more activity. Those desiring the privileges must pay \$62.50 for the summer season. Numerous improvements have been made in the club property this spring and the recreation spot is attracting much interest.

The Brown county commissioners' court last week voted to join the city of Brownwood in purchasing the Brownwood-Brown county health unit building from the war assets administration for \$29,000, less than half the original cost. The building has been up for sale twice before with no accepted bids. Recently another sale was arranged whereby citizens of the county might retain the building and organize health services desired.

**FRANK KEENEY RETIRES FROM FUNERAL HOME AFTER 41 YEARS SERVICE**

A deal was closed at Bronte last week in which R. B. Clift, of Robert Lee, purchased all funeral supplies from Frank Keeney and announced that he would convert a building into a modern funeral home. Mr. Clift has been in this business at Robert Lee several

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Mr. Keeney stated that he would devote all his time to the operation of his variety store at Bronte. Engaged in the undertaking business for 41 years, Mr. Keeney recalled numerous changes in that time. "We used to bury them in graveyards, now its cemeteries, and pretty soon I suppose it will be memorial parks," the pioneer declared. Mr. Keeney remembered when wagons were used for hearses, later white-topped hacks and still later horse-drawn hearses, which were replaced by the modern funeral coach. A black pine box was once lowered into the grave with grass ropes, he said.

**SURPLUS FROZEN TURKEY BEING SHIPPED TO BRITAIN**  
 COLLEGE STATION, Mar. 26.—Arrangements have been made between the U. S. department of agriculture and the British food ministry to step up the shipment of frozen turkey to the British Isles, which otherwise would have to further reduce the meat ration. Frozen turkeys in storage in the U. S. as of February 1, were 140 million pounds as compared with a normal storage on that date of between 70 and 80 million pounds.

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# IN SOCIETY

## Mr. and Mrs. Brewer Celebrate 45th Wedding Anniversary

More than 250 friends called Sunday afternoon between three and six o'clock at an open house held to celebrate the forty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Brewer, in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Levy Lee, and Mr. Lee on Seventh Street.

Formal greetings were extended by Mr. and Mrs. Lee, the honored couple, and their other daughters, Miss Helen Brewer, teacher in the Odessa High School, and Mrs. Nile C. Broyles of Corpus Christi.

Reception rooms were decorated with floral arrangements which were gifts presented by the house party and friends. Pink carnations, Picardy gladioluses, and potted daffodils and hydrangeas in pastel tones were used in the living room where pictures that were taken forty-five years ago, were displayed.

Mrs. Ernest Caskey was at the guest register, and Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw ushered callers into the dining room where the floral decorations were in white. The centerpiece for the table, which was laid in Madeira linen, was an exquisite arrangement of white stock with lace fern, blue candles in crystal and prism candelabra were used at each end. Alternating at the silver service were:

Mmes. Asa Cordill, Will Dunlap, J. F. Currie, C. P. Shepherd, B. C. Kirk, and J. G. Douglass. Cake squares embossed with lilies, and nuts were served by Mmes. Troy Simpson, J. A. Schmitt, James Parrish, Jack Nixon, Jr., and O. H. Layton of Fort Worth. The dates, 1902-1947, printed in silver, were on white napkins decorated with silver bells. Others assisting in the house party were Miss Griffie Atkins and Mrs. Ed O'Kelly. Adieus were spoken by Miss Marryatt Smith Love medlies were played on the record player, during the calling hours.

Mrs. Brewer wore a black lace dress and her corsage was of white carnations which was presented to her by Mrs. J. F. Currie. Mrs. Currie made the bouquet for Mrs. Brewer when she was a bride.

Mr. Brewer was born at El Paso, White county, Arkansas, on March 21, 1871. He moved with his family to Brownwood on December 8, 1886, and enrolled at Daniel Baker College in that city in 1890. After moving to Ballinger on February 18, 1898, he worked as a jeweler in the E. D. Walker Drug Store which was located where the First National Bank now is. In 1906 he erected a stone building on Hutchings Avenue and opened a complete jewelry store which he kept until 1921 when he sold to L. R. Tigner, the present owner. Mrs.

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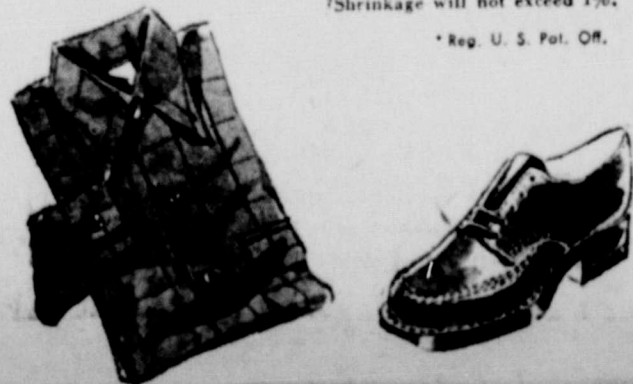
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Brewer was the former Mary Ellen (Neil) Grant, born at Grandview, August 30, 1874, and attended the Normal College the first year it opened at Denton in 1895 she and a sister, Mrs. Jeff D. Shiggins, came to Ballinger and opened a millinery shop. She met Mr. Brewer and they were married on March 23, 1902, at the First Methodist Church here, the Rev. C. M. Shuffler officiating. Wedding attendants were Mrs. Brewer's twin brother, C. T. Grant, and Mrs. Grant, Edward Worley, their first child and only son, died in infancy. There are three daughters, Mrs. Levy Lee, Ballinger; Mrs. Nile C. Broyles, Corpus Christi; and Miss Helen Brewer, Odessa. There are two granddaughters, Barbara Elin and Linda Lee Broyles; and two grandsons,

Tipton Brewer and Mancill Grant Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewer live at 709 Seventh Street. Mr. Brewer devotes his time to looking after his property and real estate.

**United Church Women's Council to Meet Monday**

The United Council of Church Women will hold its regular fifth Monday meeting in the auditorium of the First Methodist Church March 31, at four o'clock, with the president, Mrs. Charles F. Bailey, conducting the business, and Mrs. J. W. Longenette, presenting the program. Mrs. Marvin Davies will give the devotional, and Mrs. Horace Murphy will review the book, "My Indian Family," by Hilda Wernher. Mrs.

Steve Cook will give the closing prayer. Mrs. Robert Bruce will play the prelude and accompaniments for the hymns.

Church women of the city are urged to attend this meeting.

**Music Club to Meet in Giesecke Home**

The Ballinger Music Club will meet Tuesday evening, April 1, at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Arthur Giesecke on Broadway. "The Voice" will be discussed by

Mrs. Giesecke, and others on the program are Mrs. O. J. Jaros and Miss Pearl Currie.

**MICHAEL BRUCE BARRETT IS BORN IN PUERTO RICO**

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Barrett received a message this week informing them that a son had been born to T-Sgt. and Mrs. Travis Barrett, in Puerto Rico. The young man has been named Michael Bruce and he and his mother were doing nicely. Sgt. Barrett has been stationed

on Puerto Rico since February, 1945. He was joined by his wife in May, 1945, and they have made home at the island airfield since. They both like the life there, have excellent living quarters on the post, buy their supplies from the PX, and have only been rationed on rice and butter.

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## 25 Ball Players Report First Day of Training

Manager Stuart Williams was greeted by 25 players when the first official workout was held at the Ballinger Cat Park Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Players on hand for the beginning of the season were rarin' to go and there were a flock of men trying out for each slot.

Infielders were top heavy, however, eleven men reporting for the short garden. Three catchers were on hand and four pitchers began warming up. The rest of the prospects were outfielders. Seven or eight more men are expected to report this week and each morning probably will find new faces for try-outs.

Manager Williams announced work periods from 9 a. m. until 2 p. m. with no lunch recess for the remainder of this week. The Monday session was cut short because several had made arrangements for their noon meal at noon.

The player reporting from the longest distance was Glen Miller,

of Warren, Pennsylvania, candidate for shortstop. A group of eight or ten arrived Sunday from Oklahoma. In this group were a pair of twins, Floyd and Lloyd Geiger, two promising players. Bob Stringfield, left-handed first baseman, also was with the group from Tulsa, and is one of the better looking prospects. Manager Williams is the only class man on the roster so far. J. K. McClain, second baseman from Natchez, Mississippi, is the only limited service man.

Hank Bieciuk, class man and local resident, is out for a place. Some six or seven others hailing from this part of West Texas were on hand Monday and stated that others from their home towns would be in this week.

The first exhibition game booked is to be played April 7 with the Brooks Hospital team of San Antonio. This crew is one of the hottest army teams in the state this year and has been making a creditable showing against base-

ball teams of the Southwest Conference. The Brooks boys will be here for one game, Monday, April 7. Other exhibition games have been booked with the Big Spring and Sweetwater clubs and a game with the Abilene team of the Texas-New Mexico League probably will be arranged.

Other players are expected to come to the Cats around the middle of April when Texas League camps begin to break up. Assistance has been promised by a number of clubs in case the Cats still need players then.

Manager Williams stated Monday that fans could be assured of one thing that they would see a hustling ball club in one of the best parks and on one of the best diamonds to be found anywhere in the state. He said he was delighted with the local set-up and added that the infield, while not perfect, would be one of the best to be found by the end of the training season. After each workout the infield is worked on the rest of the day and all damaged spots patched and rolled smooth.

### FAUBION-BARKER CO. WILL SHOW MOVIES

A general invitation to farmers of this community and nearby towns to view "Men with a Mission," a motion picture in full color, has been issued by Faubion-Barker Implement Co. The movie, to be presented at 2 p. m. March 28, was prepared by the Minneapolis-Moline Co. for dealers. The program also will include refreshments and other features.

The picture tells an interesting story, depicting the part farmers and modern farm machinery are playing in expanding production and in meeting growing demands by the world for food and by industry for raw materials produced on farms. Scenes for the picture were filmed in all parts of the United States.

### ARCHIE W. GRAY TO BUILD MODERN RESIDENCE HERE

Archie W. Gray, minister of the First Christian Church, is preparing to start construction of a modern residence on the corner lots across Murrell Avenue from the church. In recent weeks a large excavation has been made, several tons of stone having been removed from the hole. This stone will be used in construction of the basement which will be the size of the story to be built above the ground.

The basement will also have garage space with a drive-in from Broadway.

The house will have three bedrooms and a large amount of built-in fixtures. The basement will contain a large play-room, large living room and den, laundry, storage room and bath. These are in addition to the heating facilities and garage.



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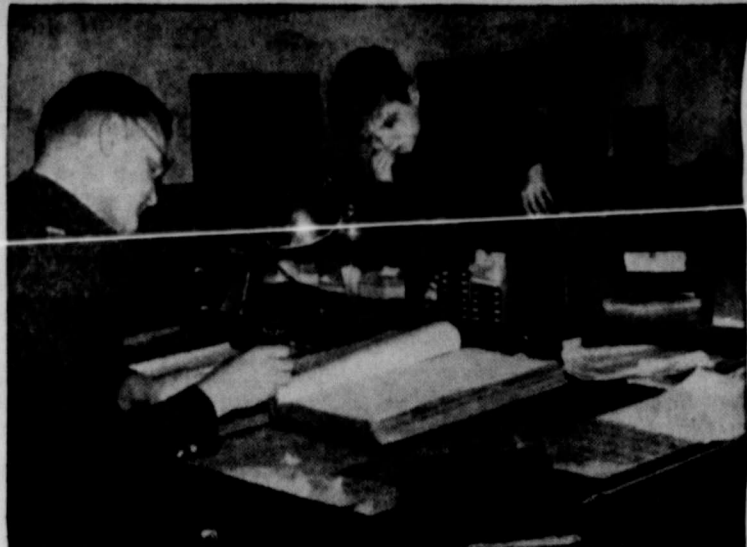
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Ballinger High School for the spiritual program which will be held in the club room on April 2. Roll call was answered by members giving an Alaskan industry. Mrs. O. J. Jaros discussed "The Arctic in Fact and Fable," and Mrs. Chester Aflerbach's topic was "Alaska, the Forty-Ninth State." At the conclusion Mrs. McDonald gave a parliamentary drill.

Others present were: Mmes. W. E. Elkins, Carl Black, Joe Forester, Marvin Davies, J. Dexter Eoff, E. C. Grindstaff, R. D. Midgley, W. C. Bryan, Lee Parker and W. K. Wheatley; and Miss Elizabeth Dodge.

### Kitchen Shower for Miss Cheatham in Richards Home

Miss Carolyn Cheatham, who is to be married to Howard Harrington of Lamesa, April 5, was honored at a kitchen shower hosted by Miss Pat Richards and assisted by her mother, Mrs. C. D. Richards, Thursday afternoon in the Richards home on Eighth Street.

A formal arrangement of white daisies and white candles in crystal candelabra centered the lace-laid dining table where the gifts were opened by the honoree.

A dessert plate was served with coffee to: Mmes. C. W. Cheatham, Murrell Landreth of Abilene, David Caudle, Powell Wear, Rodger Jones; Misses Lois Dickson, Pat Caudle, Nancy Guynes, Anna Sue Hembree, Martha Saunders, Mary Brian Woody, Elizabeth Wear, Virginia Baker, Dorothy Holliday, Beverly Barber, June Woodson, Lillian Ruth Keithley and Marilyn

### Mrs. Houston Reviews "That None Should Die" for Club Program

"That None Should Die," by Dr. Frank G. Slaughter, was selected by Mrs. Jack Houston, member of the Paint Rock Study Club, to be reviewed at the Shakespeare Club meeting Thursday afternoon of last week.

The story "That None Should Die" is on socialized medicine, and if it would be profitable for the public to socialize medicine. Dr. Slaughter brings out the human and the scientific view on the subject. Dr. Slaughter, a surgeon, was a major in the Medical Corps. He has written five novels.

The club room was decorated with orchid hydrangeas where Mrs. C. P. Shepherd presided for the short business when the club voted to donate five dollars to the 1947 Red Cross fund. Mrs. B. C. Kirk was leader and hostess for the review, and introduced Mrs.

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Houston. At the conclusion, an Easter pot plant was presented to the speaker.

Others present were: Mmes. T. J. McCaughan, Elmer Greenwood, Chester Cherry, F. C. Miller, J. W. Guynes, Lela McAdams, R. W. Earnshaw, Duane Treasy, Troy Simpson, J. G. Douglas, A. W. Gray, E. A. Saunders, J. W. Longnette, Charles F. Bailey, W. E. Hall, Jr., A. B. Stobaugh, W. B. Woody, Edgar Boelsche, Key, Elmo McCook of Ozona, Horace Murphy, M. A. Foy, John Puritoy, E. C. Baskin, E. E. King, R. T. Williams, Estes Lynn, Max McCreary, Jr., E. C. Grindstaff, Scott Hartgrove of Paint Rock; and Miss Winnie Trill.

### Miss Morgan Honors Miss Cheatham and Baylor Classmates

Miss Gwen Morgan was hostess for a coke party Saturday morning at her home on Eleventh Street, honoring Miss Carolyn Cheatham, bride-elect of Howard Harrington, and also presented Baylor classmates, Misses Zodie LeMay of Crockett, Carolyn Dublin of Corsicana, and Jackie Billups of Winters, who accompanied Gwen home for the week-end.

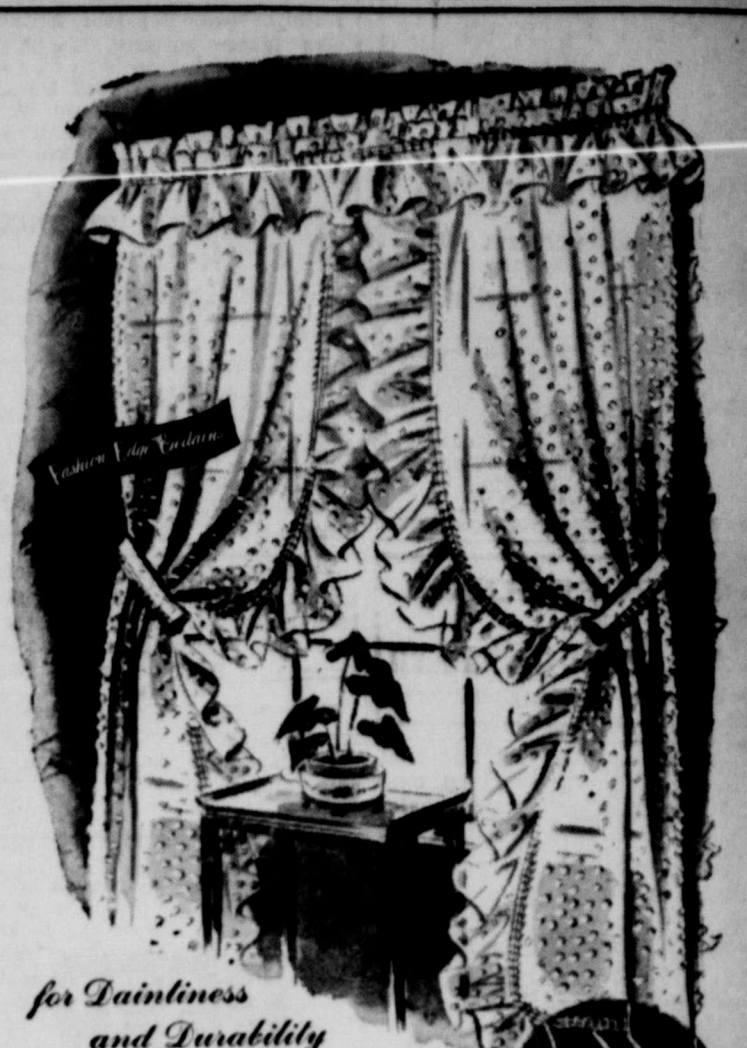
Featuring the Easter theme, the dining table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with a nest filled with eggs, and small rabbit and chicken candies burned at each side. Bouquets of daffodils were about other party rooms.

Easter motifs were also on the sandwich plate served with Coca-Cola by Mrs. Malcolm Morgan and Mrs. Cal Adair.

The hostess presented Miss Cheatham with a gift. Others were: Misses Pat Richards, Mary Edith Loyd, Margie Morgan, Beth Maps, Yvonne Forbus, Betty Jo Burk, Lillian Ruth Keithley, Mary Brian Woody, Elizabeth Wear, Pat Caudle, Anna Sue Hembree, Marilyn Agnew, Dorothy Holliday, Virginia Baker, Martha Saunders, Beverly Barber, Nancy Guynes, and Mrs. Dwan Simpson of Truscott.

### Mrs. Simpson Honor Guest on 89th Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. D. C. Simpson, who was celebrating her 89th birthday anniversary, was honored with a dinner party Saturday evening in the home of her son, Troy Simpson, and Mrs. Simpson in Wilke



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# IN SOCIETY

**Fannie Stephens Study Club Has Program on Alaska**  
Study Club met Wednesday afternoon of last week in the club room at the library.  
Mrs. W. A. McDonald was leader and hostess for a program on Alaska when the Fannie Stephens

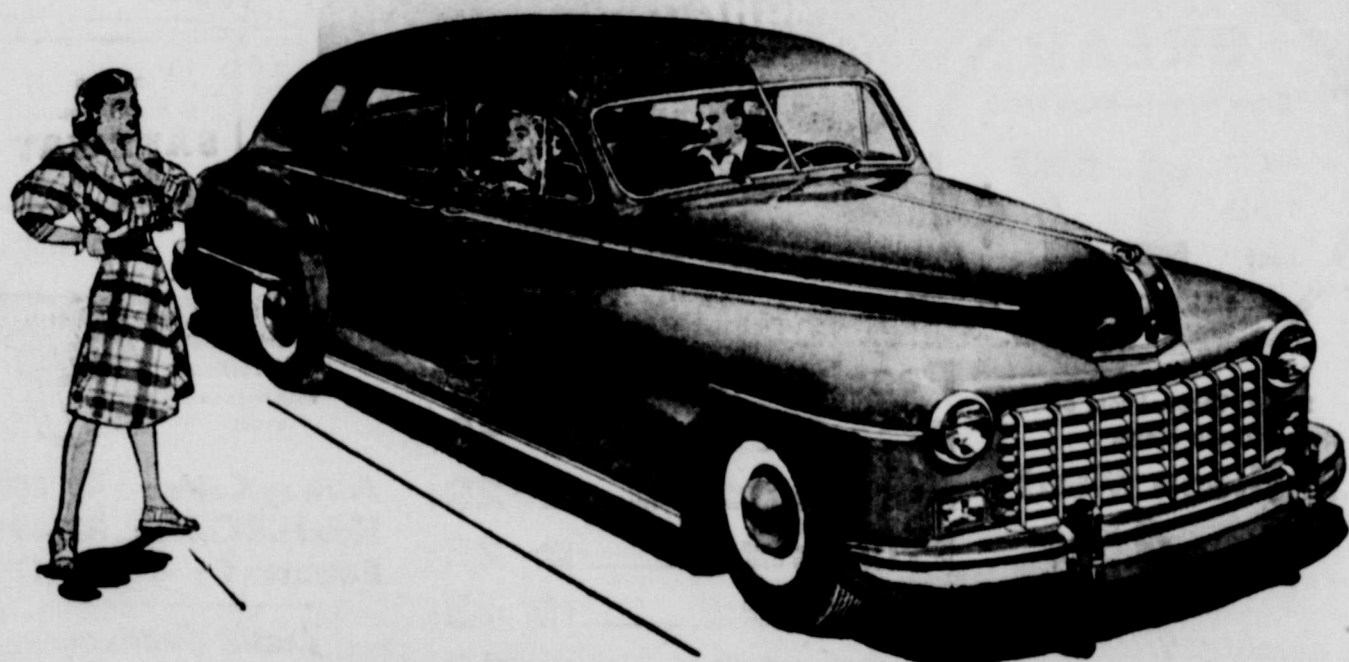
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Spring flowers were used to decorate the entertaining rooms. Centering the lace laid table was the birthday cake bearing the words "Happy Birthday" and decorated with pink flowers. It was surrounded by soft pastel blossoms and flanked by pink tapers in double crystal candelabra.

Miss Elizabeth Dodge assisted in serving the dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson presented their mother a white corsage. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simpson of Coleman, Mrs. I. Vancil, Mrs. W. W. Chastain, Miss Jennie Lou Grammar of Coleman, and Mr. R. D. Williamson.

Mrs. Buddy Rogers, of Los Angeles, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. J. Wilke, and other relatives here. Mrs. Wilke recently moved to Ballinger from Graham.

**ASSISTANT COUNTY AGENT RECALLED TO ARMY DUTY**  
James H. McHaney, assistant to County Farm Agent John A. Barton in extension service, received a call from the army last week to report at Ft. Benning, Georgia, for three month's military training. A reserve officer, Mr. McHaney is subject to training at intervals or return to regular duty.

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 Runnels Lodge No. 291  
 Meets Every Monday Night  
**FRED PARKER**  
 Noble Grand  
**JOHN B. RAYBURN, Sec.**

**W. O. W. CAMP**  
 No. 157  
 Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday,  
 7:30 p. m., Each Month  
 Odd Fellow Hall  
**ROY HILL, C. C.**

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 X-RAY  
**Dr. J. Lester Ohlhausen**  
 San Angelo Highway, Ballinger

WANTED—to buy bundled feed, grinding and threshing each afternoon. New crop hegar, baled alfalfa, mixed Johnson grass and oats. Brunson's Feed and Corn Mill. 25-1f

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 If you have your discharge from any branch of service and want to buy a home or a farm, let us show you what we have.  
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**BABY CHICKS**—Big type R.O.P. bred English White Leghorn and other popular breeds. Book now to assure early delivery. We sex the light breeds.  
 Williams Hatchery & Supply  
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FOR RENT—Nice bed rooms, private entrance, inner spring mattresses. 1001 Seventh Street. 9-1f

Long Terms—4% Interest. Get your farm and ranch loans at E. T. Branham Real Estate. 23-1f

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**MAGNETO**  
 Factory Authorized Sales and Service on Fairbanks-Morse, Wico, Eisemann. Guaranteed rebuilt Magnetos for most all Tractors—\$12.50 up.  
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WANTED—Merchandise and household goods for storage. Bonded Warehouse Receipt issued if desired. We store anything. Write, phone or call Mr. Doyle Glasson, phone 2311, Coleman, Texas. Gen-Tex Storage Company. 6-1f

WANTED—to buy scrap iron, \$12.00 per ton. Morgan Motor Co. 13-1f

FOR SALE—Ten lots, all in same block. Located in West End addition. For information, write C. Knoff, Box 573, Texon, Texas. 13-3f

\$500.00 buys equity in 4 rooms and bath, balance payable \$36.00 per month.  
 4 rooms and bath, garage and breezeway, two lots, \$5,000.00  
 6 rooms and bath, located on corner lot \$8,750.00.  
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 Call 403

FOR RENT—Two room apartment. Mrs. Williamson. 27-1f

FOR RENT—Floor polisher available any time. We have Johnson's Wax and Lin-x Wax. Curries Farm Store. 6-1f

FOR SALE—Planting seeds—hegar test 95%, Plainsman combine maize test 94%, mlo maize test 98%. Three miles west of Rowena, C. E. Schaefer. 13-3f

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Plenty of good, cold  
**BEER**  
 one mile west of  
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 4 1/2 miles off Highway 83  
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 It is time to think about stomach worms in Sheep.  
**MOORMAN'S MINOPHENE**  
 Phenothiazine Mineral will eliminate and control the stomach worm.  
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 15 rooms COMPLETELY FURNISHED with nice pre-war furnishings. 7 room living quarters and income of \$140.00 monthly, with 4 garages. Choice location.  
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 \$290

Sturdy frame construction, ideal for garages, barns, sheds, chicken houses, stores, tourist camps, etc. An amazing bargain!

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**Stock Farm**  
 214 acre farm near Ballinger, 145 acres in cultivation, balance in good pasture, five room house with bath, has good soft water piped all over place, a few bearing pecans, and small orchard, plenty of good barns, sheds, etc. 70 acres sowed to wheat and oats. Is on I.R.E.A., commercial and school bus line. Also has irrigated garden. Close to general store, school, church and gin. Better look this over.  
 Have some choice residence property 8th, 10th, 12th and Broadway streets. Some choice lots on pavement, close in. See us.  
**C. W. (Bill) JOHNSON**  
**O. F. FORBUS**

LOST—Lady's yellow gold Egin wrist watch, last Wednesday morning between Perry Bros. and Ben Franklin variety stores. Please leave at Ledger office for reward. 11

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 That is our business... helping you with your poultry problems. We recommend Hilltop Laboratories "Aids to Poultry Health" when needed in your more-profit poultry program.  
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 Any Type, Anywhere  
**Ballinger Appliance & Electric Shop**  
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FOR SALE:  
 Good small ranch. Well improved farm. Possession now.  
**A. M. KING**

241 acres, 145 in cultivation, 5 room modern frame house, 2 acre orchard, large irrigated truck garden, bearing pecan trees, located 1-4 mile from store and highway.  
 180 acres, 160 in cultivation, extra good black land, 5 room house, fair barns. Possession.  
 640 acres, 200 in cultivation, 5 room modern home, good grass. Small down payment. Priced at \$45.00.  
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LOST—A gold chatelaine or shoulder pin, at Goetz and Hoel-scher wedding dance January 14, at Oifen. Leave at Theo Halfmann house, at Oifen. Reward. 11\*

Repair or trade for used bicycles. Western Auto Store. 27-4f

FOR SALE—20 window screens, 24"x54". Will sell any number. Jack Nixon, telephone 544. 11

WANTED—Ironing at 206 8th Street. 11\*

**FOR SALE:**  
 Farm near Rowena  
 Good small ranch, possession  
 160 acre farm, possession  
 Suburban home, 1 acre land  
 Large house on 4th Street  
 6 rooms and bath, and 4 rooms and bath, pavement  
 4 room house, \$1,600  
 Several good lots, priced to sell.  
 See me if you wish to buy or sell real estate.  
**A. M. KING**

FOR SALE—Young milk cow. First house north of auction barn. D. E. Eaton. 11\*

FOR SALE—Three bedroom modern house. Possession. Phone 1258. 407 Fifth. 11\*

WANTED—to buy good young milk cow. J. P. Boothe, Rt. 1, Ballinger. 11\*

FOR SALE—Fryers, 13th Street and Country Club, road. W. H. Baker. 11\*

FOR SALE—Ice box, porcelain inside, in good condition. Jameson at 11th Street and Country Club road. 11\*

WANTED TO HAUL sand, gravel and dirt. Notify Bud Cline at hamburger stand, Seth Neff. 11\*

FOR SALE—Two lots on Eighth Street on pavement. M. L. Northington, 1207 Broadway, Box 162. 27-1f

FOR SALE—Jersey milk cow. Paul Beard. 11\*

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**New and Used Clothing Store**  
 123 1/2 North Eighth Street  
 We buy used clothing of all kinds, and many other items. Drop in and visit our store.  
 See Dr. Childress at store for your poultry. Ask any question about your flock—Dr. Childress has had 26 years experience.

Wanted  
 Sewing, all kinds. Alterations, buttonholes, draperies, curtains, slip covers, covered buckles, buttons and belts.  
 Mrs. Dicy Fry and Miss Florence Wallace, 501 Hutchings Ave. 27-1f\*

FOR SALE—1941 Ford, 40,000 actual miles, new tires and tubes, new custom made seat covers. Jack Rudd. 27-1f

FOR SALE—My home located at 1006 Eighth Street on pavement. Five big rooms and bath, 20 by 30 stucco business house, concrete floor, 8 by 8 concrete basement, water, lights, gas, four bearing papershell pecan trees, shrubs, roses and nice garden places. Lot size 70 by 120 feet. For quick sale, possession 30 days, \$6,200. Ward Crager. 11

FOR SALE—1942 model Dodge pick-up. Moore Tractor & Implement Co. 11

FOR SALE—Late model Ford tractor and equipment. Moore Tractor & Implement Co. 11

**ATTENTION LADIES AND TEENAGERS:**  
 FASHION FROCKS may now be ordered right here from our own hometown. These frocks have been exclusively styled by Claudette Colbert from her own wardrobe not only for STYLE but ECONOMY as well. The new Spring prints and crepes are as fresh and crisp as the season demands. I would like to invite you to drop by my home anytime to see about that Easter frock. Satisfaction on every order is guaranteed.  
 Your Hometown Representative  
**Mrs. J. R. Hash**  
 1007 Tenth Street

FOR SALE—Two 1946 Fords, 1942 Ford, 1939 Ford, 1941 Chevrolet, 1942 Jeep, and two older cars. Priced to sell. See us before you buy. Bilbrey & Kemp, South Broadway. Phone 82. 11\*

FOR SALE—Good Florence gas range, at 900 Thirteenth or call Mrs. Smith. 490. 11

FOR RENT—A small garage apartment. No child of walking age. 404 Broadway. 11

Need a bath tub, lavatory or commode? See Ballinger Appliance & Electric Shop. 11

FOR SALE—Clean Red kaffir and Arizona hegar seed. Priced reasonable. Wilfred Buxkemper, 10 miles west of Ballinger. 11\*

FOR SALE—Used large white porcelain bath tub. 300 Eighth Street. 11

LOST—Gold locket on chain. Return to Blondie's Beauty Shop. Reward. 11\*

FOR SALE—Table top five burner kerosene range. Can be seen at 406 Fourth Street after 5:00 p. m. 11\*

**SEWING—Any Kind**  
 Efficient and Experienced, Prompt Service. Annie, over office inside of Berry Motors.

FOR SALE—Young man's all-wool spring suit, size 34, practically new. At Atnipp's or phone 8403. 11

FOR SALE—One light oak dinette suite. Call Mrs. Carl Freeman at 115 or 574. 11

Elliott's Sheet Metal and Plumbing Works. The place to buy the best for less. We may not have anything to sell but windmills, automatic pressure pumps, hot water heaters, closet combinations, Rite-Way milkers, lavatories, and guaranteed service, but we believe in the slogan, "the difficult we do immediately, the impossible takes a little longer," so try us for any job. 11

Card of Thanks  
 We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to the many friends who did so much for us in the death of our loved one, Mrs. Jessie L. Carroll.  
 J. D. Carroll  
 Children: Bobby Lindley, W. C. Lindley, Mrs. Wanda Poensh  
 Mrs. Susan Cook 11\*

Rev. B. J. Martin left Sunday for Moran, where he is conducting a revival for the First Baptist Church of that city.

**ST. MARY'S CHURCH TO HAVE SPECIAL EASTER SERVICES**  
 Rev. Edward B. Postert, O.M.I., pastor of St. Mary's Church, has announced services for Holy Week and Easter. The following schedule will be followed for the week:  
 Wednesday, April 2, confessions 3 to 5 and 7:30 to 9 p. m.  
 Thursday, April 3, holy mass, 8 a. m. Adoration of the blessed sacrament 9 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. at 7:30 p. m. holy hour with Jesus in His Eucharistic presence. Sermon.  
 Good Friday, April 4, holy mass of the presanctified at 8 a. m. Veneration of the cross during mass. Stations of the cross and sermon at 2 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
 Holy Saturday, April 5, blessing of paschal candle, reading of prophecies, blessing of baptismal water and holy mass. These services begin at 7 a. m.  
 Confessions, Holy Saturday eve 3 to 5 and 7:30 to 9 p. m.  
 Easter Sunday, April 6, high mass 8 a. m., second mass at Coleman 10:30 p. m.  
 The public is cordially invited to assist at all of these services.

**BLANTON WORKERS' CLUB**  
 The Blanton Workers' Club met in the home of Mrs. J. W. Reese Thursday of last week with twelve members and two visitors present. At the noon hour a delicious dinner was served buffet style with a birthday cake cut for Mrs. J. E. Fowler. A quilt was finished and other hand work done for the hostess.  
 The next meeting will be with Mrs. James Sprott in the home of Mrs. C. F. Tounget on April 3.

**3 FINED IN COUNTY COURT FOR DRIVING WHILE DRUNK**  
 Three cases of driving while intoxicated were heard in county court Monday morning before Judge E. C. Grindstaff. All three violators who were arrested here Saturday night, entered pleas of guilty and were fined \$50 and costs in each case.  
 Those appearing to answer charges were Walter Ulrich, Orval Earet Allen and Raymond Martinez.  
 Mrs. Walter E. Seipp, of Alice, who has been visiting relatives and friends here, returned home Sunday. She was accompanied by her granddaughters, Lana Jean Curtis and Linda Kay Moncrief.

**Card of Thanks**  
 We wish to express our appreciation for the sympathy shown us during the hours of grief in the passing of our loved one, Mrs. J. D. Carroll. May God's blessing be upon all of you.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook and Jackie 11\*

**In Coleman**  
 one of the nicest domino parlors anywhere. Under the same management for 15 years. New building, plenty light and ventilation, 10 tables, 13 sets of dominos, 40 chairs, ice box, other things—all for sale. Am retiring.  
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 New and Rebuilt Radiators in Stock  
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 Extra Tender—Extra Fresh  
 Big 1 1/2-Lb. Loaf 17¢  
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Snack, Treat, Prem or Black Hawk  
**Luncheon Meat**  
 12-Oz. Can 43¢

**Quality Meats**

Fish Fillets	1-Lb.	39¢
Ocean Whiting	1-Lb.	13¢
Pork Roast	1-Lb.	53¢
Pork Chops	1-Lb.	55¢
Beef Steak	1-Lb.	57¢
Beef Roast	1-Lb.	49¢
Beef Roast	1-Lb.	45¢
Beef Roast	1-Lb.	39¢
Hamburger	1-Lb.	33¢
Cheese	1-Lb.	55¢
Wieners	1-Lb.	39¢

Manor House  
**FRYERS**  
 Fully Dressed, Cut Up, Ready to Cook. Grade A. In Carton  
**LB. 55¢**

Peaches	Catlet Crest Halves or Green Snow Sliced	No. 2 1/2's Can	29¢
Preserves	Colonial Pure Strawberry	14-Oz. Jar	59¢
Apricots	Valley Gold Halves, Unpeeled	No. 2 1/2's Can	29¢
Prunes	Small Size Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	23¢
Prunes	Small Size Cello Pack	2-Lb. Pkg.	43¢
Beans	Great Northern Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	17¢
Green Beans	Garden of Eatin'	No. 2 Can	25¢
Peas	Broadfield Garden of Eatin'	No. 2 Can	20¢
Tomato Sauce	Heinz	8-Oz. Can	8¢
Catsup	Heinz	12 1/2-Oz. Jar	19¢
Dressing	Heinz	14-Oz. Jar	43¢
Peanut Butter	Heinz	14-Oz. Jar	29¢
Dromedary	Shagbark	14-Oz. Pkg.	25¢
Beef Hash	Arrow Brand	14-Oz. Can	33¢
Flour	Kitcho Craft Top Quality	1-Lb. Bag	89¢
Cheez-It Jr.	Cheese Crackers	4-Oz. Pkg.	15¢
Dog Food	Park	1-Lb. Can	13¢
Blu-White	Living	7 1/2-Cz. Pkg.	10¢
Borax	20-Mule Team	10-Oz. Pkg.	10¢

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Grapefruit	3 1/2¢
Lemons	14¢
English Peas	18¢
Cabbage	3¢
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**POTATOES**  
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