



Silage Declared Feed Insurance

COLLEGE STATION, April 2.—Some of the best feed insurance a West Texas farmer can have is a few tons of good silage, says D. W. Sherrill, Bailey county agricultural agent.

The type insurance the county agent is talking about is well illustrated by the eye-to-the-future policy of Herschel L. Thomason, farmer of the Pettit community, Bailey county. Last fall, Thomason bought 200 tons of hagar from a neighbor and dug a trench silo that would hold it. Over-all cost of the silo full of good feed was \$1,000.

Feed prices being what they are now, Thomason estimates his "feed insurance" silage to be worth at least \$2,000, or \$10 a ton. County Agent Sherrill says that the stockman now has the choice of selling the feed at a good profit, or buying more cattle and feeding it out. At any rate, he has the hagar where it won't spoil, won't burn, be eaten by rats nor peppered with West Texas sand.

Sherrill believes that more farmers "would do well" to plant a feed crop that will give them a silo full of insurance next fall.

From 1941 to 1946, living costs of farmers went up 70 per cent. Forty per cent of the farm land in the nation is in farms of over 1,000 acres.

Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: (a) Oliver Hoyt, Maria Hoyt, Edward C. Hoyt, C. Ida Hoyt, Theodore R. Hoyt, George S. Hoyt, Walter S. Hoyt, Lillian A. Hoyt, the residences of each of whom is unknown to plaintiff; and

(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 hereinabove named in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this citation. The nature of plaintiff's suit is substantially as follows: Suit in trespass to try title filed by said plaintiff against said defendants to recover the title to and possession of 30 acres of land located in Runnels County, Texas, in the S. F. R. R. Co. Survey No. 13, Runnels County, Abstract No. 978; and plaintiff pleads title to said land to be in himself under the five, ten, and twenty-five years statutes of limitations and under the terms of Art. 5519a, R. S. 1925, as amended. The style of said suit is R. F. Bishop v. Oliver Hoyt et al. If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 12th day of March, 1947.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, on this the 12th day of March, 1947.

(Sdnl) MRS. WINONA PARKER District Clerk, Runnels County, Texas. 20-4t

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ARCHAEOLOGISTS STUDY SHORE FROM ROCKPORT TO RIO GRANDE MOUTH

AUSTIN, April 2.—Studies on the shore line of Texas from Rockport to the mouth of the Rio Grande are being made by a Corpus Christi consulting geologist with the cooperation of University of Texas archaeologists and historians.

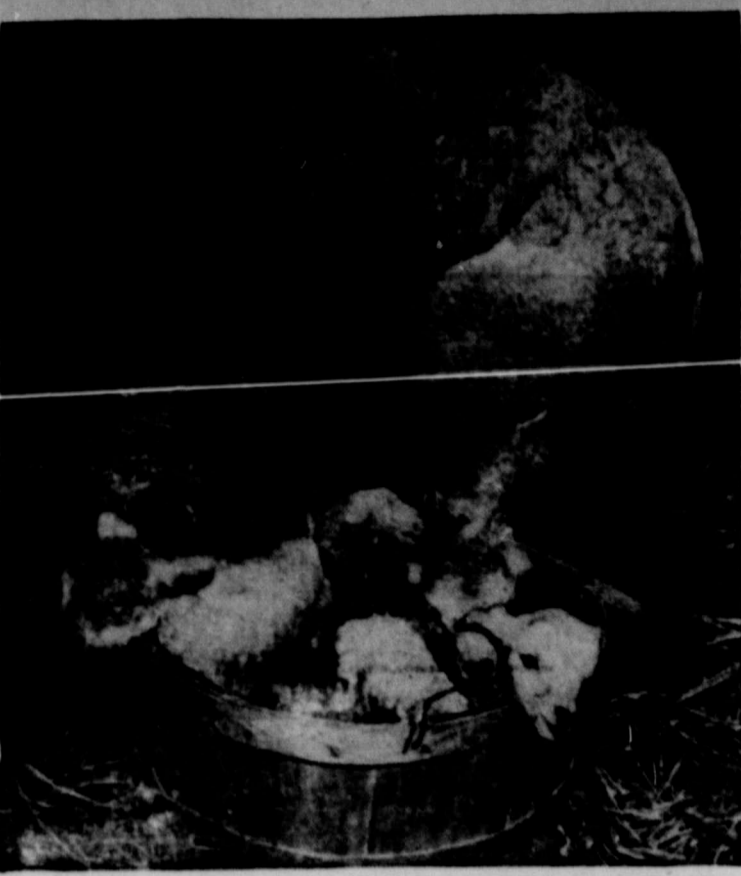
W. Armstrong Price, of Corpus Christi, has been tracing several periods during which the shore has been eroded by the sea and the material blown up on the land in the form of dunes, Alex D.

Krieger, archaeologist for the university, reports.

The geologist believes that there have been many changes in the Rio Grande delta, due to erosion of soil by the ocean and due to changes in the course of the river itself.

In order to determine just how much the river has changed its course, Mr. Price borrowed some of the earliest Spanish maps of Texas from Dr. Carlos E. Castaneda, university professor of history.

Archaeologists working with him are Mr. Krieger, J. Charles Kelley



FOOD FOR THE WORLD . . . Hsy, Bisy and Betsy huddle together in a basket as their mother watches over them. Triplets are not an everyday occurrence in the sheep world—in fact, rather rare. This San Antonio, Tex., mother is doing her part to raise food for the starving people of the world, as well as wool to help keep them warm next winter. Present indications are that every ounce of wool that can be produced will be needed next winter.

YOUNG LAWYERS ADVISED SMALL TOWNS BEST FIELD; LARGE CITIES SURFEITED

AUSTIN, April 2.—Ambitious young lawyers in Texas can find greener pastures in small towns and cities, Dean C. T. McCormick advises University of Texas students.

The four largest cities in Texas, he pointed out, have one-third of the lawyers in the state, and about one-fifth the population of the state. The present average is one lawyer per 700 people, which is about national average.

Advantages for the young lawyer entering the relatively uncrowded practice in small towns and small cities were named as lower expenses with the opportunity of a day off now and then. The disadvantage is that beyond a comfortable living, financial horizons are limited.

and T. N. Campbell. university was 750 in 1940, 40 in 1943, and 900 this current school year.

The deval was responsible for the naming of nickel. The Saxon miners of the 18th century blamed him for casting a spell over their ores. When they attempted to smelt an ore resembling one of copper, they obtained a white metal too hard and tough for them to work due to its nickel content. In christening the metal "Kupfer-nickel," or "Old Nick's Copper," they gave the mineralogist Cronstedt a precedent for calling it "nickel" when he discovered the element.

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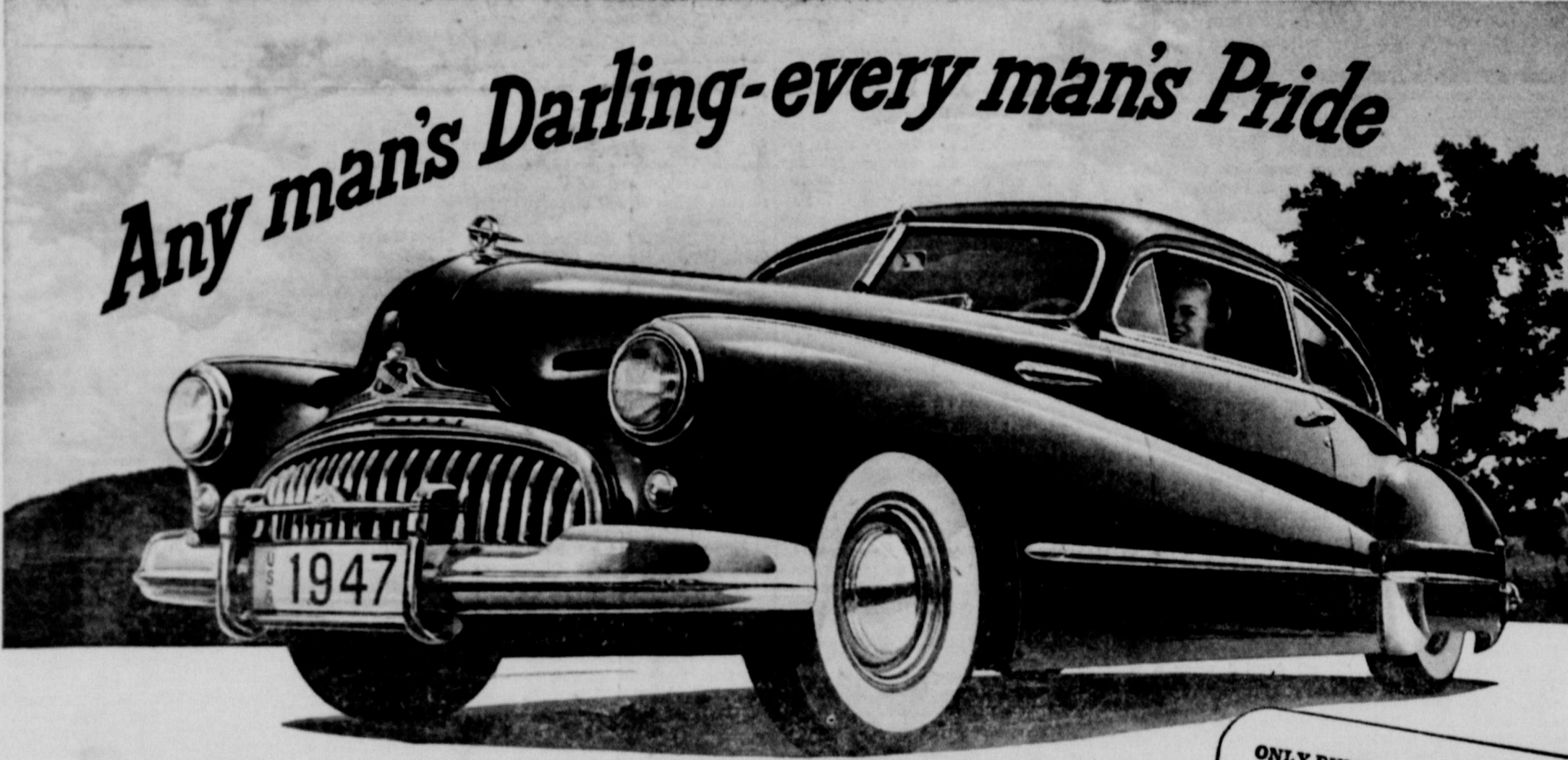
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Lions Show to Feature Best Vaudeville Talent

The Ballinger Lions Club committee in charge of staging the club's variety show has announced a new date for the performance. Friday, April 18, has been set for the presentation and rehearsals are to be resumed next week.

This show was originally billed on March 21 but due to the influenza epidemic and a number of sick members of the cast, it was necessary to postpone the performance and it was announced that it would be staged later.

The committee stated Tuesday that no change had been made in the acts but intimated that one or two additional acts might be offered to make the performance more enjoyable.

All who purchased tickets for the show in March will hold their tickets and use them April 18.

Reserved seats are on sale at Curry-Hambrick Jewelers and a number of Lions Club members have tickets for sale.

The show will be staged in the high school gymnasium and proceeds from the performance will be spent on the purchase of a baby incubator for local use.

In charge of production are Cal Adair, Harry Lynn, Jack Nixon, Jr. and Carl Black. Max McCreary, master of ceremonies, will present each number.

The show will open with the traditional candy sale in which stage. The directors announce the following numbers:

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Work Being Speeded At Local Ball Park As First Game Nears

The rush is on at the Ballinger league park to have everything ready for the opening of the baseball season. Bill Moore stated the past week-end that practically all material was available and that good progress was being made on the remainder of the stands.

The roof is about finished on the center stand, the press box is being built on top and third base steel work is progressing fairly well. Some trouble has been encountered in securing mesh wire of sufficient strength to cover the front of the stands to protect fans from fous.

Welders have started work on the steel towers on which the reflectors will be erected. This work will continue next week and power lines are expected to be extended to the field by the middle of the week. Power is required for water pumps so the infield can be sprinkled and dragged daily.

The first exhibition game of the year will be played Monday, April 7, when Brooks General Hospital, San Antonio, sends its fast army team to meet the Cats. This game is scheduled to begin at 2:30 in the afternoon and other exhibition contests will be carded for afternoons until lights have been tested for night play.

The Brooks team is rated the best army aggregation in the state and has been winning games regularly.

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A game has definitely been booked with the Abilene club of the West Texas-New Mexico League on April 11, and a game will be played with the Clovis club of the same loop the first part of April.

Pre-season games are being arranged with the Sweetwater and Big Spring clubs on the local lot and the Cats also will spend some time on the road preceding the regular opener here.

The local team will be working out each afternoon the remainder of this week and fans are invited to see the practice sessions in the new park.

Buy tickets now for Lions Club Variety Show, April 18.

EAST SIDE HOME STRATION

The East Side home station club met Tuesday home of Mrs. Wallace in an all-day quilting. An covered dish luncheon was to nine members and a demonstration agent.

After a demonstration on curtains led by the agent, a ment was taken. An all-day ing will be held on April the home of Mrs. Clyde Fts

The production and administration is urging fa to include more forage cro their plans for 1947 planting

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Evangelist Parmer Attracts Capacity Revival Attendance



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The revival at the First Methodist Church is in the final week and will close with the Sunday night service. Congregations the past week-end were the largest of the campaign and the largest of any revival held in the church in recent years. Interest in every phase of the revival is increasing and a large class of new members will be taken into the church at the morning service Easter Sunday.

Large prayer meetings for men, women and young people are being held at the church each evening thirty minutes before the regular service. These group meetings have been well attended and interesting as well as inspirational.

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H. M. SHEVYAN, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally be at the Cactus Hotel, San Angelo, Tuesday only, April 8, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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Annette Presson Honor Guest on Birthday Anniversary

Annette Presson was guest of honor on her third birthday anniversary last Saturday afternoon when her mother, Mrs. Walter Presson, assisted by Mrs. Clements Taylor and Miss Betty Stuart, gave a party for her at their home on Eleventh Street.

After yard games were played and pictures made, small guests were invited into the dining room where the white birthday cake decorated with pink rosebuds and topped with pink candles, was cut and served with ice cream. Easter decorations were about the party rooms and small Easter baskets and hats were given as favors.

Guests were: Sue and David Lippe, Shad Longnette, Tommie Bartlett, Barbara Clifton, Robert Owen, Jr., Patricia Jones, Ronald Jones, Joe Jaros, Patricia Kay Rayburn, Wendell Underwood, Danny Sides, Lane Crockett, Robert Hale of Talpa, Charles Lee McCook of Ozona. Adults present were: Mmes. Bill Lippe, Ross Bartlett, Charles Clifton, Jack Jones, O. J. Jaros, Noel Hale of Talpa, and Robert Owens.

Mrs. Giesecke Hostess to Music Club

Mrs. Arthur Giesecke was hostess and presented the program on "Voice" to the Ballinger Music Club Tuesday evening in her home on Broadway.

Miss Carmen Demmer conducted the business routine when Mrs. W. B. Halley, one of the charter members of the club, was made an associate instead of an active member.

Mrs. O. J. Jaros, program chairman, presented Mrs. Giesecke, who spoke on the technical structure of the voice. Mrs. Jaros gave an interesting paper on Elio Pinza. Miss Demmer gave the musical current events.

Others present were: Mmes. L. R. Tigner, Alex McGregor, Eugene Lolka, John Guion, O. G. Joiner, Horace Murphy, A. B. Stobaugh; Misses Olga Schawe and Maggie Underwood.

Shine Phillips is Guest of Honor at His Musical Story's Premiere

A story of their city created by the combined talents of two strikingly different persons, was heard by Big Spring citizens Friday evening in the premiere of a cantata inspired by Shine Phillips' history of his home town.

Mr. Phillips, druggist, was guest of honor at the concert given by the Texas & Pacific male chorus

of Dallas to a large crowd in the municipal auditorium. But the man who wrote the strangely beautiful music and lyrics, Frank M. Grandstaff, was not present. He is serving a life sentence in a Tennessee prison.

Grandstaff himself has not heard the music—except in his mind as he tapped out the rhythm with a pencil on his wrist. The song is the story of a spring and the town that grew up around it. The music is moody with a semi-religious undertone. It contains some weird combinations and minor themes predominate.

The story of Big Spring was written by Phillips out of his life-time of experience in West Texas. A copy of the book fell into the hands of Grandstaff, who had visited Big Spring as a piano salesman. He drew from the book inspiration for his musical work.

Efforts were made for him to be present, but failed, so Grandstaff was represented only by his music. Shine Phillips made his home in Ballinger for a number of years. He was employed as a pharmacist by Weeks Drug Store, and is remembered by many friends. His daughter, Nancy Phillips, is now employed by the Austin American-Statesman.

Pvt. W. Winfield Read telephoned his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Read, last Thursday night that he was sailing Friday for Korea. Pvt. Read has been stationed at Camp Stoneman, Pittsburgh, Calif., several months.

Aubrey Dunn, of Alamo, New Mexico, was accompanied to Ballinger by his sister, Mrs. Laura Ferguson, of Big Lake, the past week-end for a visit with their sister, Mrs. J. W. Black. Mrs. Ferguson returned home the first of the week, and Mr. Dunn will remain for a longer visit.

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The type insurance is talking about. It is illustrated by the future policy of H. Tomason, farmer of community, Bailey county. Tomason bought a large ranch from a neighbor. The ranch cost of the feed was \$1,000.

Feed prices being high, Tomason estimated that with the birth of at least \$2,000, county agent Sherrill, a stockman now has a policy that will give him almost \$200,000.

From 1941 to 1946, living conditions for farmers went up 70 per cent. Our knowledge is expanding at an ever-increasing rate. The pharmacist works with the physician in giving newer and better medication into the sickroom.

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Numerous types of army aircraft will be shown in addition to a continuous concert by the John Tarleton College, Stephenville, band.

All aircraft dealers are invited to fly their machines to the field for display during the afternoon. Pilots of private aircraft wishing to fly in to view the display will be afforded parking space for their machines. All Boy Scouts and Air Scouts are urged to attend. The 10th air force has designated this date as Air Scout Day.

At 3:30 p. m. there will be a special program held on the ramp at the field at which medals will be presented to World War II veterans.

The program is in observance of Army Week, April 7 to 12.

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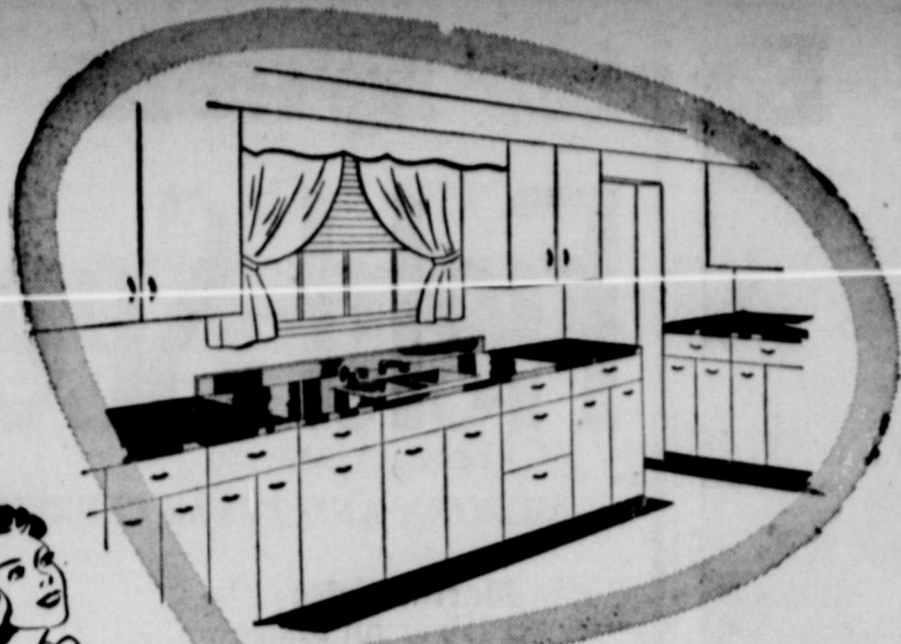
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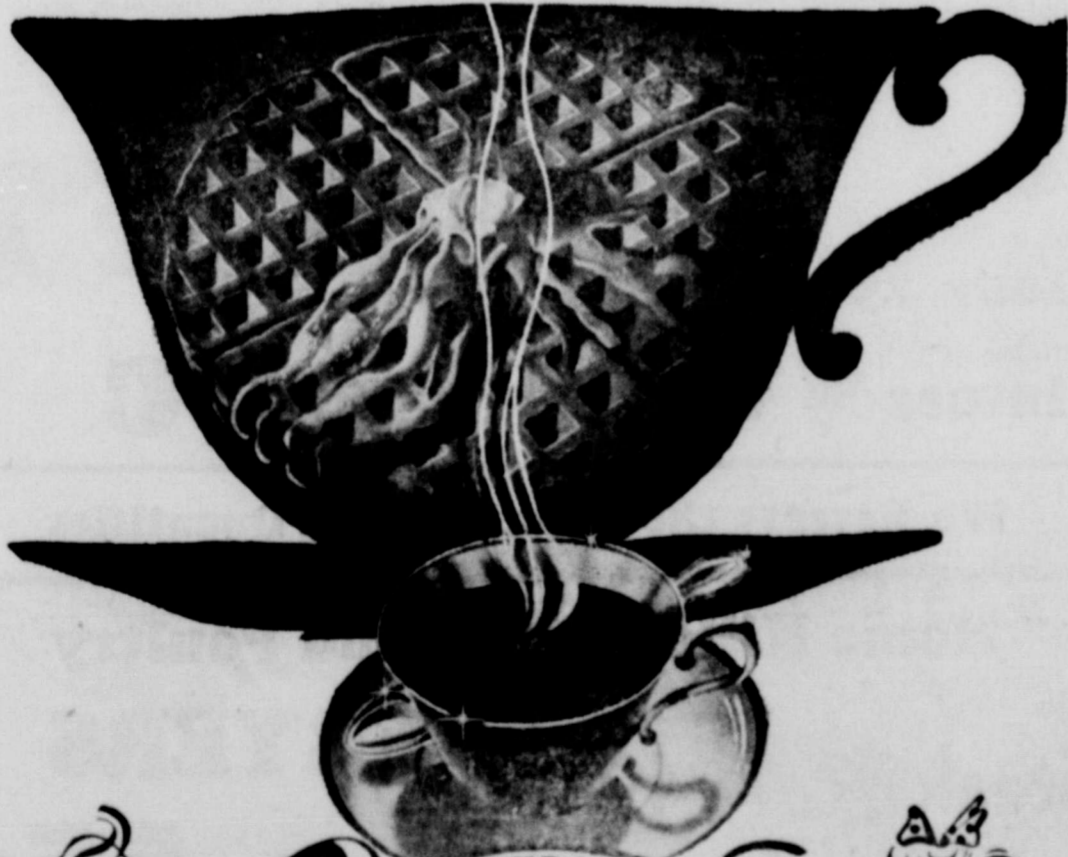
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Miland and Stanwyck Head Cast of Colorful 'California'

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ture-romance, "California," costarring Ray Miland, Barbara Stanwyck and Barry Fitzgerald, with a supporting cast of more than 5,000 headed by Gavin Muir, George Coulouris, Albert Dekker, Anthony Quinn and Frank Faylen. "California" is set in the days before the state was part of the union, when it was the storm center of violently opposing factions—those who wanted it to become part of the growing republic and those who wanted it to be an empire.

Academy award-winning Ray Miland portrays a rugged soldier of fortune in this, his first outdoor action picture. He is romantically teamed with Miss Stanwyck, who will be seen as a glamorous gambler and adventuress. Their love story is told against the action-packed struggle of California toward her destiny.

Barry Fitzgerald, in the role of a visionary but fighting farmer, is said to contribute one of the finest performances of his career. Special music was written for the film by E. Y. Harburg and Earl Robinson, the latter renowned for his "Ballad for Americans." Three numbers are sung by Miss Stanwyck, "I Should Have Stood in Pennsylvania," "Said I to My Heart, Said I," and "Lily-Lily-O."

"Flight to Nowhere," and "Betty Co-Ed" are the features on the Texas program tomorrow and

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The title, "Betty Co-Ed," is a tip-off. It promises laughter, jocular college romances and the excitement of keen campus rivalries. And from advance reports, "Betty Co-Ed" more than fulfills that promise.

With the lilt of a trouser who went to college, "Betty Co-Ed" is said to embrace all the entertainment elements demanded of motion pictures. Rhythm and romance keynote the film while hilarity and heart-throbs alternate in effective degree.

Pert Jean Porter portrays the title role, with Shirley Mills, William Mason and Rosemary LaPlante in leading parts. Jan Savitt, popular orchestra leader, and his band are importantly featured. As an added note of authenticity, 40 young college girls were signed to play co-eds.

MARRIAGE NO. 1 CAREER WOMEN STUDENTS TOLD

AUSTIN, April 2.—Marriage remains the number one career for women, yet the one with the least preparation toward it. Dr. Evelyn Duval, executive secretary of the National Conference on Family Relations told women students at the University of Texas in a recent visit.

Life today calls for a sturdy foundation and an understanding of the meaning of marriage, she pointed out. Couples who marry today, she said, increase their chances of happiness if they realize that they need preparation and recognize problems and work them out.

In selecting a husband or wife, Dr. Duval suggested someone who has similar habits, a similar social, religious, and family background, and someone "easy to live with."

As for combining marriage and a career, the specialist said that it depends on the career chosen, as well as the marriage. A career which allows for flexibility is better as a whole, than those which demand a great deal of the woman's time.

Pheno-Salt Mixture Helps Productivity Of Sheep and Goats

COLLEGE STATION, April 2.—More wool and mohair has been the result of feeding phenothiazine-salt mixture to sheep and goats in Edwards county.

Fred Mathews, foreman for the Spect ranch in Edwards county, reports to A. A. Storey, Jr., county agricultural agent, that he has fed the chemical, with salt, to livestock for the past three years, through the stomach worm season, and that the practice has really paid dividends.

Looking back several years when he didn't use phenothiazine in his

Palace Week Leads Off With Western and Story on Flaming

Monogram's "Rainbow Over the Rockies" and PRC's dramatic expose, "The Devil on Wheels," comprise the double-feature program at the Palace Theatre for tomorrow and Saturday, April 4, 5.

Singing cowboy Jimmy Wakely is seen in his latest musical outdoor film, "Rainbow Over the Rockies." Lee "Lassies" White is featured as Jimmy's side-kick, and Dennis Moore also plays a top role in the drama.

Others in support are Pat Starling, Jack Baxley, Budd Buster, Zon Murray, Billy Dix, Jasper Palmer, Carl Sepulveda and Bob Gilbert. Wesley Tuttle and his Texas Stars give Wakely musical support.

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The type insurance that the R. L. agent is talking about is illustrated by the future policy of H. Thomason, farmer of community, Bailey county. Thomason bought a hegar from a neighbor and a trench silo that would hold all the feed. Over-all cost of the good feed was \$1,000.

Feed prices being what they are, Thomason estimates that the silage worth at least \$2,000, of which the stockman now has of selling the feed at a profit, or buying more to feed it out. At any time the hegar where the silage is stored, won't burn, be eaten, nor peppered with Westcott sand.

Sherrill believes that farmers "would do well" to feed crop that will give the silo full of insurance next year. From 1941 to 1946, livestock farmers went up 70 percent of the feed. Forty per cent of the land in the nation is in pasture. The rate of the feed is set aside or organized by our great Negro rate. The rate of the feed is set aside or organized by our great Negro rate.

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You are hereby commanded to appear and answer the petition at or before 10 o'clock of the first Monday after expiration of 42 days from date of the issuance of this citation, the same being Monday 28th day of April, A. D. 1947, before 10 o'clock a. m., before Honorable District Court, Rannels County, Texas, at the House in Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas. Said petition was filed on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1947, at 10 o'clock, p. m. The file number of said suit is 5406. The names of the parties to and in said suit are: F. Bishop is plaintiff, defendants are the persons hereinabove named in (a) and (b) of this citation. The nature of plaintiff's suit is substantially as follows: Suit to recover the title to 30 acres of land in Rannels County, Texas, S. F. R. Co. Survey, Rannels County, Abstract and plaintiff pleads title to land to be in himself, five, ten, and twenty, statutes of limitations, the terms of Art. 5519a, as amended. The style of the case is R. F. Bishop v. Oliver S. F. Bishop et al. If this citation is served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be deemed served.

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SOCIETY

Rev. Quay Farmer Guest Speaker for Fannie Stephens Club

Mrs. W. O. Irby was hostess for a program on Spiritual Life when the Fannie Stephens Study Club met Wednesday afternoon in the club room at the library.

Mrs. O. G. Joiner presided for the short business routine. Mrs. Irby introduced Methodist Evangelist Quay Farmer, who spoke on "The Woman's Place in the Home, the Church and Community Life." The club room was decorated with arrangements of purple irises.

Present were: Elizabeth Wear, Anna Sue Hembree and Juanita Patton, girls from the high school senior class; and Mmes. J. H. Endacott, Carl Black, E. C. Grindstaff, Marvin Davies, Gay Edwards, Joe Forester, W. E. Moss, W. C. Bryan, Lee Parker, James E. Garrett, Leroy McAulay, Dee Saylor and Leonard Scales.

Baptist Fidelis Class Compliments Miss Truly

Members of the First Baptist Fidelis Class named a former member, Miss Mary Elizabeth Truly, who recently returned from Africa where she was a Baptist missionary, guest of honor at a dinner in the banquet room at the Central Hotel.

Bouquets of purple irises centered the linen laid tables where pansy cards attached to cards marked places for members. The class presented a gift to Miss Truly.

Those included were: Misses Edna Mae Lowry, Josephine Simpson, Lilly Mae Armstrong, Anna Belle Hash, Lillian Knowles, Helen



MOTHER'S HELPER... Because she expects a blessed event in the near future, "Gretchen," intelligent dachshund owned by Mrs. Karl Kaesmeier, Leetsdale, Pa., is rushing the job of preparing tiny garments. "Gretchen" can't handle the needles very well, but she does a swell job of holding the skein.

Williams, Curtis Gregory, Rena Walker, Anna Walker, Gladys Davis and Ruth Morgan.

Mmes. Cherry and Dorsey Attend State Woodman Circle Convention
Mrs. Chester Cherry, a state officer, and Mrs. O. P. Dorsey, a delegate from the local Woodman Circle, attended the state convention of the order which recently met in Mineral Wells.

The national president, Mrs. Dora Alexander Talley; the national vice-president, Mrs. Gene Willard; and the national secretary, Mrs. Ethel Holloway, all from national headquarters at Omaha, complimented the Texas women for the large attendance and also spoke of it being one of the best conventions they had attended.

Edwina Vogelsang Entertains Beta Rho

Edwina Vogelsang was hostess to members of Beta Rho Club Tuesday evening in the rural home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vogelsang near Hatchel. The president, LaRita Price, directed the business routine when projects were discussed and plans made for a social.

Edwina was celebrating her fifteenth birthday anniversary and Mrs. Vogelsang served a birthday dinner. The white decorated cake centered the linen-laid table and was served with a dessert plate. Games were played following the menu.

Others were: Sallyne McGahey, Sue Hampton, Betty Lou Stuart, Dorothy Daugherty, Mary Wright, and Joanne Rayburn.

Maurine Marshall Honor Guest on Eleventh Birthday

Maurine Marshall, who was celebrating her eleventh birthday anniversary, was honor guest at a party last Friday evening when her mother, Mrs. Vivian Marshall was hostess in their Tenth Street home.

After games and contests were played, James and Norman Marshall assisted their mother in serving the pretty decorated cake with hot chocolate.

Others were: Sue Ann Jacob, Elaine Gressett, Willie Wayne Neely, Patsy Minzenmeyer, Helen Kennedy, Ann Stasney, Jo Ann Watkins and Barbara Joiner.

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The congregation will occupy the stands on the northwest side of the field. Lights will be turned on for the beginning of the service and a public address system will be installed so everyone can hear.

Rev. W. R. Karkalits, in charge of the music, will assemble the large chorus in front of the stands for this part of the program. The chorus, composed of singers from the various churches, has been rehearsing Easter music.

Rev. Quay Parmer, evangelist at the First Methodist Church, will deliver the special Easter sermon. The brief program will be concluded about sunrise so that those who attend will have plenty of time to return to their homes for breakfast and attend their regular church services later in the morning.

Arrangements have been made to transfer the sunrise service to the First Baptist Church auditorium in case of bad weather.

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TECH ENGINEERING STUDENTS TO VIEW INDUSTRIAL PLANTS

LUBBOCK, April 2.—A number of engineering students at Texas Technological College are on scheduled field trips through Texas industrial plants to observe actual plant practices.

A group of chemical and industrial engineering students left today to inspect industrial plants in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, and are to return to Lubbock next Saturday. Members of the textile engineering society have mapped a five-day tour of state mills,

including some in Itasca, West, Waco, San Marcos and New Braunfels. This group will also spend some time sightseeing in Austin and San Antonio.

RUNNELS CEMETERY TO BE BEAUTIFIED AND IMPROVED

An interested persons are invited to be at the Runnels cemetery next Tuesday morning at 7:30 for a day of work to beautify and improve the plot. These work days are called each spring in order to make necessary repairs and keep the burial grounds in good condition. Those who come are asked to bring tools.

Judge E. C. Grindstaff and Jack Nixon, Jr., went to San Antonio today to attend to business.

New boxed stationery at Ledger office.

DEATHS

Mrs. Louise Pauline Pagels
Mrs. Louise Pauline Pagels, 84,

died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. T. Michaels, near Hatchel, Sunday at 11:57 a. m. following illness of about two weeks' duration. She became seriously ill Saturday.

Decedent was born in Germany and came to this country at the age of 17, first settling at Austin. She resided there until 1896 when the family moved to Runnels county and resided here ever since. Her husband preceded her in death November 22, 1939. Mrs. Pagels had been a member of the Lutheran Church since she was 14 years old.

Survivors include six daughters, Mrs. C. T. Michaels, Hatchel; Mrs. E. F. Batts, Ballinger; Mrs. Gertrude Pagels, Ballinger; Mrs. H. B. Mullins, Austin; Mrs. J. E. Stovall, Lubbock; Mrs. S. J. Layton, Dallas; a son, W. B. Pagels, Odessa; 11 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Newby-Davis chapel Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Steve Cook officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Pallbearers were V. L. McShan, Horace Murphy, Pat Michaels, O. C. Sykes, Barney Watkins and Archie Wiley.

Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

John Carroll Marshall

John Carroll Marshall, 82, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Dorinda M. Lane, 307 Fourth Street, Tuesday at 7:50 a. m. after being in ill health several years.

Decedent had made home in Ballinger the past four years, coming here from San Antonio, where he spent most of his life. A retired salesman, he was a member of the Christian Church. He was a life member of the San Antonio Elks Club.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Lane, Ballinger, and Mrs. Sarah E. Marshall, Anaheim, California; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the graveside in Elks Rest Cemetery, San Antonio, Wednesday afternoon, the San Antonio Elks Lodge being in charge of the rites.

The body was taken to San Antonio in a Newby-Davis funeral coach.

Pedro Cortinez, Sr.

Pedro Cortinez, Sr., 75, died at his home on Sealy Avenue Saturday from an acute attack of influenza which lasted only 24 hours.

Decedent had lived in Ballinger for 30 years and was one of the well known Mexicans of this city.

He is survived by a wife, three sons, one brother and three sisters. Funeral services were held at St. Mary's Church Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. Edward B. Postert officiating. Interment was in the Latin-American cemetery.

Agnew Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients who improved sufficiently to be dismissed from the Bailey Clinic-Hospital the past week were:

Mrs. J. L. Cook and son, dismissed Thursday

Mrs. T. F. Hill and son, dismissed Saturday

B. S. Lusk, medical patient, dismissed Wednesday

Tom B. Hall, surgical patient, dismissed Tuesday

C. B. Armstrong, medical patient, dismissed Monday

Mrs. Jewell Cooper, medical patient, dismissed Friday

Mrs. O. F. Forbus, surgical patient, dismissed Friday

Mrs. R. H. Russell, medical patient, dismissed Thursday

Mrs. Gilbert Ocker, medical patient, dismissed Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCook, of Ozona, are parents of a son, born at the local clinic last Thursday. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. Frances Hovorka is improving following an operation early last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ayers are parents of a daughter, born Friday. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. W. F. Atnipp entered the clinic last Thursday for medical treatment.

H. W. Lynn entered the clinic Saturday for treatment and was resting fairly well today.

J. M. Watson, of Norton, who underwent surgery Saturday, is improving satisfactorily.

Dr. W. B. Halley is receiving medical treatment, entering the clinic Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holstead are parents of a daughter, born Monday. Mrs. Holstead and daughter are doing nicely.

C. L. West, of Miles, entered the clinic for medical treatment Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Cunningham are parents of a son, born Wednesday. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Ballinger Firemen Pass Resolutions

The Ballinger fire department in session last week transacted considerable business and passed several resolutions. A letter was read from the city of Bronte expressing appreciation for the help of the local department at a recent fire and a check for \$25 was enclosed as a token of that appreciation.

Officers of the department were instructed to write a letter to the citizens of Bronte thanking them for the donation.

A resolution passed was addressed to the city commission of Ballinger as follows:

"Our volunteer fire department in regular meeting last night (March 28) by resolution spread on the minutes of the organization and by unanimous vote expressed the deep appreciation of the department for the consistent and moderate cooperation of your body in the past needs of your fire department.

"It is the intention of the resolution to thank you each individually and as a body for your fine work with us in the past years and it is hoped that such cooperation will be the rule in the future."

The following resolution was passed in honor of Jim Hash, long time assistant fire chief:

"For many years the Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department has been well and ably served by Jim Hash as Assistant Fire Chief, during which time he has been called upon to act in the absence of the Chief. Mr. Hash has served in a very efficient manner; he has taken an especial interest in the Department; he has left nothing unturned that would tend to make the Department better and more efficient in fire fighting; he has sacrificed time from his own business and money out of his own resources unselfishly and generously to make the City of Ballinger a safer place in which to live, directing the defense of property from fire loss and protecting of life while on duty with the Department; and to round out a successful career as a Volunteer Fireman he was tendered the office of Fire Chief upon the retirement of Chief Chester Cherry, but he has seen fit to decline the honor.

"Therefore, be it Resolved by the Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department that this Department extend to Mr. Hash its wholehearted and sincere appreciation for his untiring efforts in its behalf, and its thanks for his loyalty, and from each member his undying friendship for the Assistant Chief, and that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Department, and a copy delivered to Mr. Hash."

Mr. and Mrs. Olean C. Gunion, of El Paso, are parents of a daughter, Janice Rae, born March 29. Mr. and Mrs. Gunion lived in Ballinger several years before moving to El Paso. Mrs. Gunion is the former Nina Crockett, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom A. Crockett.

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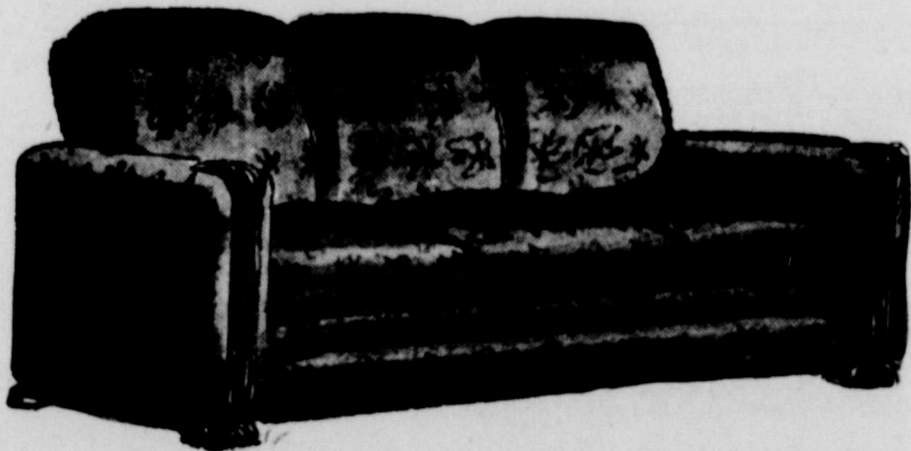
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RAT PROOFING WORK TO START NEXT WEEK
The first rat proofing is to get underway next week with the Kiechle building on Hutchings Avenue the first to receive attention.
A crew has been organized and has been doing shop work in preparation for beginning the actual corrections. Inspections have been completed on most of the buildings in the downtown district. Plans of lists of necessary things rat proof. With inspector crews organized an shop work done, ge now be made on tions.
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by way of Sipe Springs. The request was placed on the records and the delegation assured that it would receive consideration at a later date. H. J. Tanner, Eastland county service officer, attended a meeting at Graham last week to get latest information on the procedure for the return and reburial of World War II dead. He will start at once interviewing citizens of the county who have next of kin buried in foreign lands.

Mac Rippetoe, of Bronte, has announced that construction on the hospital there will be resumed at once after a postponement of two weeks. The delay came about when incomplete applications had been submitted to the civilian production administration and work was ordered suspended pending final clearance of the papers.

Kornegay-Treadway Post of the American Legion at Miles has adopted an active program of civic improvement and is receiving the cooperation of the entire town. The legionnaires have started building an athletic field and plan to have it ready for the summer baseball season and later for school use in the general athletic program. They have purchased 14 acres adjoining the school grounds. Lights have been received and will be installed for night softball games. They will construct a board fence around the playing field at once.

The Rowena Baptist Church has announced a revival which will be in progress from April 20 to 27. Rev. Cecil Ray, of Lubbock, will be with the Rowena church to do the preaching and will be heard each evening. The church will join other churches of the Runnels association in conducting a revival at the same time.

Supt. J. A. King, of Paint Rock, is preparing material for a school annual. Pictures have been made and along with articles will be turned over to printers and engravers. Supt. King published an annual for the Paint Rock school last year which was the first in 34 years.

The Winters school board placed an order for steel grandstands to be erected this summer at Bizzard field. The new section of stands will be placed on the eastern side of the field, formerly used by the visitors and will

accommodate 1,040 people. Old stands on the western side will be repaired and left in place for use of visitors until steel can be bought to match that of the new grandstands. All the steel is to be erected by the Central Texas Iron Works, of Abilene, and this will cost approximately \$5,000. Buddy King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer King, of Wingate, who suffered severe shock and burns when he came in contact with a REA highline last week, is reported to be improving. This week at the Winters hospital. First aid treatment, administered for thirty minutes by Byron Unsel, of the West Texas Utilities Co., caused the young man to regain consciousness.

Bones of a scientifically significant species of bison unearthed at Plainview in 1945 are now on exhibit in the Texas Memorial Museum on the University of Texas campus. Two blocks of fossilized bones cut from a former stream channel which contained the bones of approximately 100 buffalo have been placed on permanent display. Each block contains man-made spear heads and scrapers. They have been named Plainview projectiles. Dr. E. H. Sellards, museum director, said.

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Linen Scarfs, were \$1.95, on sale at	98c	1 Only Table Set, 3 yards long, 1 dozen Napkins, former price \$75.00—you can have it for	\$49.50
Scarfs—were \$4.50—on sale at	\$2.25	1 Only Table Cloth, was \$54.00, on sale at	\$35.00
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SPORTS

More than thirty baseball prospects are fighting it out this week for positions on the Ballinger club. Manager Stu Williams is pleased with most of the candidates and will have a hard time slicing the crew down to the fifteen-player limit.

Two left-handed pitchers came in the first of the week and other players are due here between now

and April 15. Some of the late arrivals will come from Texas League camps and since they are already in good condition will be ready to play when they hit town.

Ticket sales for the opening day game began this week when the management put 5,000 cardboard on sale in a number of West Texas cities. A special ticket has been printed for the opening contest.

Tractor Concern's 'Family Party' Will Contain Much Fun

The Ballinger Truck and Tractor Co. local International Harvester Co. dealer, will be host Friday, April 4, to a "family party" at the Palace Theatre, with everything free and everybody invited. "Family Party," as it will be presented in this community, is entertainment minus the sales talk and advertising of products usually found in dealer-customer shows. It will be just an afternoon of fun and entertainment for all who will accept the invitation to attend.

A combination of new movies and live stage entertainment features the entire program. Other special events have been planned to make it a gala afternoon. For the state show a group of popular entertainers are being brought here. The entertainers will present a performance of one hour's duration featuring the Lone Star Ramblers, Mike and His Dancing Shoes, June and her Golden Voice, the Jerkalotsky and Jerkanotmushsky dance team.

"County Fair," a new rural life movie, will be shown for the first time in this city. The plot of this screen feature holds special interest for 4-H club members and Future Farmers. Another movie, "Under Western Skies," brings a strong plot and deals with soil conservation in a pleasing and educational manner.

This show offered by the Ballinger Truck and Tractor Co. is for every member of the family and will entertain each one.

Few Clues Left When Motors and Wringers Stolen from Laundry

Stobaugh's Helpy-Selfy Laundry was burglarized Thursday night of last week, 16 quarter-horsepower motors and 7 Maytag wringers being stolen.

The robbers entered the building by cutting heavy wire mesh over a rear window. Officers said considerable time was taken in disconnecting the motors from the machines, loading and other details of the burglary.

As soon as employees came on the job Friday morning the loss was discovered and officers notified at once. So far the few clues run down have not netted an arrest.

Sheriff J. L. Moreland stated that the Patterson Blacksmith Shop also was burglarized of a small amount of change and a check for \$10.50 Monday night. Entrance was gained through a shed which connects with the main building, a blow torch being used to cut the lock off a cash box. Tools and other valuable items were left undisturbed.

West Texas officers have been advised of the loss at the Stobaugh laundry and asked to watch for such equipment which may be offered for sale.

See the Apple Tree-O in a great act. Lions Club Variety Show, high school gym, April 18.

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Before beans are planted, they should be inoculated with nitrogen bacteria to stimulate early growth. Place the seed in a pint jar, dampen them slightly, sprinkle a little of the sooty-looking bacteria dust over the surface and shake well. Plant immediately. The bacteria dust can usually be obtained from local seed dealers.

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Court of Honor Held For Local Boy Scouts At High School Gym

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The program opened with the presentation of the colors by troop 42. The oath and scout laws were given by members of troop 30, following which Carl Black led the singing of America and Rev. Steve Cook offered the invocation.

Awards were made, Carl Black presenting second-class scouts, Frankie Berryman, first-class scouts; Jack Gibbs, star scouts; and Charles Hambrick, life scouts.

A vocal duet, "I Would be True," was rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Black and Carl Black, Jr., with Mrs. C. E. Maedgen at the piano. Other awards were as follows:

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Marriage Licenses To Nineteen Couples During Past Month

Frankie Berryman, county clerk, issued nineteen marriage licenses during March. Two couples asked that their names not be published and the others are listed below:

Loren J. Peterson and Mrs. Glee Munro

Cecil W. Wade and Miss Mary Louise Johnson

Homer Cupp and Mrs. Alma Moore

Ernest L. Moreland and Miss Dorine Hovorak

Elmer L. Kemp and Mrs. Leslie Pearl Pleasants

Felix Luna and Miss Maria Geva

Willie D. White and Miss Edwin White

Joseph Warren Jordan and Mrs. Clessie Kincheloe

Evert Samuel Shannon, Jr. and Miss Julia Ruth Goats

L. V. Johnson and Miss Ruby Louola Belks

Floyd L. Turner and Miss Mary Sue Cook

Robert L. Kincheloe and Miss Dorothy L. Hilliard

Lee Roy O. Bryan and Miss Betty Atkins

Albert Harvey and Miss Merle Byrd

Curtis M. Wiesepepe and Miss Billie June Chapman

James Calvin Cottrell and Miss Baylor Muriel Collins

Dudley Hargrove and Miss Billie June Walker

Public is Welcome At Band Clinic Here Wednesday, April 9

The Ballinger high school band will be host to a number of visiting bands April 9 when the spring band clinic is held. O. G. Joiner, Ballinger director, has completed arrangements for the morning and afternoon programs and has

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already received acceptances from a number of band officials.

Mr. Joiner said the forenoon session would be devoted to corrective work in both playing and marching.

At 2:45 p. m. each band present will play a number for the public under the direction of its own director. A recording is to be made of each number and the record will be presented to the band performing.

Raymond T. Bynum, director of band music at McMurry College, Abilene, will be the director of the clinic. Charles Eskridge, of the Williams-Charles Music Co., Austin, will clinic part of the bands during the afternoon. Eskridge is one of the most prominent directors in the state. At the conclusion of the program, he will demonstrate the new tape type recorder, said to be one of the most unique and efficient recording machines on the market.

The program is free to the public. Mr. Joiner said visitors would be welcome to come and go as they pleased during the afternoon program. The Ballinger Bearcat band will play last on the session which ends at 4 p. m.

The Bearcat band will attend the band contest at Abilene on April 26.

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PALACE

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"MIKE AND HIS DANCING SHOES"

"JUNE AND HER GOLDEN VOICE"

"JERKALOTSKY AND JERKNOT-MUCHSKY," Dance Team

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Both new, a fine plot, played by stars.

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Bride-Elect Billie June Walker Complimented with Gift Tea
Miss Billie June Walker, bride-elect of Dudley Hargrove of Winters, was complimented with a gift tea Thursday evening when Mrs. S. M. Jonas, Drury P. Hathaway, Wayne Swift, and W. Board were hostesses in the attractive home of Mrs. Jonas on

Sixth Street. Potted Easter plants were used about party rooms. The dining room featured the honoree's chosen colors of yellow and white. A crystal bowl held a reflected arrangement of daffodils and acacia with lace fern which was flanked by white tapers in double crystal candelabra. The silver service and a crystal tray holding

squares of cake iced in white and gold were placed at opposite ends of the table laid with an imported linen and lace cloth. Open-face sandwiches and nuts were other dainties.

Mrs. Jonas was at the door to present the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Jack Walker, and the bridegroom-to-be's mother, Mrs. Jeff Hargrove of Winters. Mrs. Jack Jones invited guests into the dining room where Meses. Eugene Loika, Jimmy Dankworth, Archie Thomas, Max McCrary, Linden Hargrove, Miss Mary Ann Morgan and Miss Ann Carlisle poured coffee and served the cake.

Guests were directed to the registry room, where Mrs. Leo Sides presided, and gifts were displayed by Mrs. Board, Mrs. Hathaway and Mrs. Swift. One hundred and ninety friends were included at the calling hours between six and eight o'clock.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Officers Installed at Fellowship Supper

The Eighth Street Presbyterian Church auditorium was decorated with tulips and other spring blossoms Wednesday evening for the Auxiliary's installation.

Rev. David Murray, church pastor, brought the devotional and conducted the installation service for the following officers and cause secretaries: Mrs. Roy Hill, president; Mrs. Paul Petty, vice-president; Mrs. Carroll Bell, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Rufus Allen, missionary education; Mrs. E. S. Malone, literature; Mrs. B. H. Erwin, stewardship and spiritual life; Mrs. G. P. Teague, social education and action; Mrs. A. W. Sledge, national missions and overseas hospital service; Mrs. John Reese, home missions; Mrs. Una V. Dooze, membership.

Following the installation members were invited into the church parlors which were decorated with bouquets of redbud and Japanese

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attendant. She wore a dress of oyster white wool gabardine with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations. Charles Lowry was best man.

The bride wore a tailored dress of soldier blue wool, designed with three-quarter length sleeves and high neckline. She wore a halo of white carnations with shoulder length veil of illusion. She carried a white Testament topped with white carnations and satin ribbons. The Testament was "something old," which belonged to Mrs. E. A. Miller, and for "something borrowed" a linen and lace handkerchief belonging to the maid of honor.

Mrs. Wiesepape is a member of the 1947 graduating class of the Ballinger High School. She was a majorette in the pep squad this past football season. Mr. Wiesepape served in the Navy for several years after graduating from the Ballinger High School. The couple will be at home on their farm south of town.

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quince where a fellowship supper was served by members of the Auxiliary.

About fifty church members were in attendance.

Gene Scoggins Honor Guest at Surprise Birthday Party

Mrs. Vernon Lewis was assisted by her mother, Mrs. H. B. Scoggins last Wednesday evening in giving a surprise party to honor her brother, Gene Scoggins, on his birthday anniversary, entertaining in the Wilke Terrace home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis.

Spring blossoms gave a pretty floral decoration about rooms. The decorated birthday cake centered the lace-laid dining table with yellow tapers in crystal candelabra at each side. Punch was served from the crystal bowl which was surrounded with blossoms in pastel tones, with the cake.

Games and dancing to music by a record-player furnished entertainment for: Bob Agnew, Betty Lou Batts, Charles Miller, Nancy Guynes, Marilyn Agnew, Dorothy Holliday, Carl Black, Betsy Coffey, Edgar Payne, Martha Saunders, Skeeter Powers, Jackie Bankston, Joe Baker, Janie Morrison, Sonny Davenport, Virginia Baker, Junior Curry, Arlene Miller, Ebb Grindstaff, Messrs. and Meses. Delbert Davenport, Tom Agnew, Fred Holliday, and sons, Robert and Fred; Mrs. Elmer Curry and Tommy Lou, Mrs. John Coffey, Mr. Lewis and Mr. Scoggins.

Amigas Class in Faubion Home

The Baptist Amigas Class held its monthly meeting in the home of Elnita Faubion. Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff presided for the brief business period when plans were made for an Easter breakfast.

An appropriate devotional was given by Josephine Burkhart on "Helping Others." This was illustrated by a short story. A sandwich plate and iced tea were served to: Jackie Bankston, Betty Lou Batts, Peggy Russell, Betty Burk, Sue Wood and Nettie Sue Cothran, and other members mentioned above.

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Miss Currie Hostess to Club

Miss Pearl Currie included added guests last Thursday evening when she entertained her contract club in her Paint Rock home.

Spring flowers and gold candles gave a pretty decoration about rooms and pink carnations centered the lace-laid dining table. Single gold candles in crystal holders centered foursome tables where Easter place cards marked places. Mrs. Bill Currie assisted in serving a pudding with coffee.

High and low guest prizes went to Mrs. Lena Belle Baker and Mrs. C. W. Cheatham and bingos to Mrs. J. G. Tuckey and Mrs. Marie Carter.

Others included: Meses. Scott Hartgrove, E. A. Sommer, George Newby, Jack Williams, R. W. Earnshaw, L. R. Tigner, Tom Agnew, K. V. Northington, Alex McGregor, John Barton, John Gastor, Naomi Keithley, Levy Lee, Delbert Vancil, E. W. Stasney, Clarence Moore, Misses Griffee Atkins, Mary Jane Kiechle, Ollie Chenoweth, Mary-at Smith and Lillian Knowles.

Miss June Chapman Bride of Curtis M. Wiesepape

Miss June Chapman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Chapman, became the bride of Curtis M. Wiesepape, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wiesepape, on Saturday evening at seven-thirty o'clock in the Lutheran Church at Rowena, the Rev. Frank Lammert, church pastor, officiating for the single ring ceremony.

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