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Ballinger Buys Franchise; Christmas Program Ideas Baseball Planned in 1949 Asked of All Merchants

The Ballinger Sportsman's Club closed a deal at Del Rio Saturday in which it purchased the border city's franchise in the Longhorn Baseball League and acquired papers on eleven players. Other equipment owned by the Del Rio management, including old uniforms and other items, was retained for the use of a high school team there.

T. J. Mansell, R. E. Bruce and Paul Petty made the trip to Del Rio to discuss the purchase and after examining all papers and making telephone calls to the National Association for Minor Leagues and to Howard Green, president of the Longhorn League, the deal was closed.

The franchise purchase is the first step by Ballinger fans to retain organized baseball here. Later in the year workers will launch a campaign to sell stock in a corporation to promote a club for the 1949 season. In the next campaign money will be raised for the construction of a park and stands, a lighting system, to buy uniforms, a bus and other equipment necessary for the operation of a club.

The Ballingerites who went to Del Rio Saturday are well pleased with the deal and believe they have provided the nucleus of a good baseball team in the eleven men. They have also received the promise of more playing material in the spring.

Among the eleven players are several who have been signed since the end of the 1948 season. Mr. Mansell stated there were too many limited service men on the roster and that a few sales or trades would have to be made before the opening of the season next year.

Those who contributed money for the purchase of the Del Rio franchise will receive stock in the corporation for the amount of their subscriptions. If no corporation is formed, the franchise will be sold to some other town which wants baseball.

A Ballinger group will attend

the joint meeting of the Longhorn and West Texas-New Mexico leagues to be held at Abilene. All managers of the Longhorn League were contacted by wire and asked to vote on the purchase of the Del Rio franchise by Ballinger interests. President Green stated the vote was unanimous in favor of the Ballinger group taking over the border city's club.

Players obtained in the deal are as follows:

Paul Baker, 19 years old, 6 foot 2 outfielder, who bats left and throws right. A rookie, he did not play for Del Rio last season.

Lamar Fidler, infielder, is well known here, having been with the Cowboys all season. He hit 250 for the year. He is 18 years old.

James Jacquot, outfielder with the Del Rio club the latter part of the 1948 season, is a holdover. He hit 223 for the season.

Felipe Luna, 19-year-old catcher, was one of the best in the league and had a hitting record for the season of .302.

Ray McAteer, shortstop, who finished the season with the Cowboys, hit for an average of .300 and helped his club greatly in the last few series.

Servando Capetillo, infielder, is to remain in the rookie class next year. He saw action in only a few games.

Walter Fisher, 19, outfielder, was signed since the end of the '48 season. Weighing 180 pounds, he throws and hits right.

In the pitching department Roberto is the most promising prospect. A right-hander, he is 17 years old, stands 6 feet 2 inches and weighs 180.

Edward Norton, 20-year-old right-hander, saw some service with the Cowboys the latter part of the 1948 season.

Phillip Blake, 20-year-old right-hander, stands 6 feet 5 inches and is considered a likely prospect for 1949.

James Mills, 22 years of age, a right-hander, has been signed for next year. Scouts declare he has plenty on the ball.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce this week mailed letters to all Ballinger merchants asking information on the kind of Christmas programs and promotion they would like this year.

The chamber also asked for a listing of the amount which would be contributed by the firm to pay for street decorations and other features of the season to be undertaken.

A number of local merchants have informed the chamber that they would like to have more elaborate street decorations. Roger Wheeler, chamber of commerce manager, points out that better decorations are available but are high priced and that a large sum is necessary if new street pieces are to be bought.

As soon as all letters have been answered, committees and officials of the chamber and business men will be called together to plan this year's event.

In the past the Christmas season has been launched on the Friday following Thanksgiving and from that date until Christ-

mas day, stores and streets have been decorated and several programs have been presented. Last year Christmas show windows were opened in November with special prizes on display for those who held corresponding numbers. Santa Claus visited the city with candy for the children and other programs were staged including special Christmas presentations in local churches.

Ballinger merchants have already received large shipments of holiday merchandise and expect to start the lay-away plan of buying within a short time.

Every business man who gets a letter from the chamber of commerce is urged to answer the questions, indicate the amount he will contribute and return the letter at once so plans can be begun. If any should not be in favor of any type of program and unwilling to donate anything to the fund, he is asked to so indicate and return the letter. Officials of the chamber of commerce want to do whatever is favored by the merchants.

Higginbotham's Will Build New Implement House Here

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. is preparing to start construction of a new farm implement house on Seventh Street and will let a contract for the work this week.

A section of the company's sheet metal building is being torn down and the new structure will have a 90-foot facing on Seventh Street and extend back 60 feet. At the rear of the building the lot will be fenced to provide for used implements and other outdoor storage.

The building of brick and tile will have a large showroom at the front and shops in the rear and will be large enough for all the company's implement business.

R. T. Williams, local manager, stated today that the building had been planned for a year but construction was delayed because of shortages and other handicaps. He declared the new facilities and shops would permit his firm to better serve customers with new equipment and in servicing used implements.

It is expected that the construction will require about three months and the building probably will be put in service soon after the first of next year.

Construction will start adjoining the building erected last year by Elliott Kemp and will extend within 30 feet of the alley.

Absentee Voting Now Underway For '48 Election

Absentee voting got underway in Runnels county Wednesday, a number of applications for ballots being filed in the office of the county clerk.

Printing of the large ballot was finished by the Ballinger Printing Co. the past week-end and delivered to the county clerk Wednesday morning.

Later all voting boxes will be prepared for distribution to election managers appointed by the commissioners' court.

Tabulations of returns on the 1948 election are expected to be slow because of "split tickets."

All 29 polling places in Runnels county will be open November 2 during the legal voting hours.

Miss Charlene Parish, daughter of Judge and Mrs. O. L. Parish, and Miss Emma Jo Goodson, of Lamesa, spent the week-end here. Both are students of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

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Drilling was proceeding about the 2,700-foot level in the J. L. King well seeking the Gardner sand. Production from this sand is anticipated at slightly below 3,800 feet.

Another test was started this week on the Fowler farm, a mile south of the Beddo producer. Work was shut down after spudding and setting surface pipe but tours will be resumed soon.

Local oil men stated that several other prospects were in the mill which might result in wells being drilled in this territory but nothing was ready for publication at this time.

Legion Will Have Important Meeting Tuesday Evening

A very important meeting of the Pat Williams post, American Legion, will be held at the Ballinger Country Club Tuesday night.

Post Commander R. E. Bruce said plans for Armistice Day would be brought before the post at this meeting and committees would be appointed to look after the various activities of the day. Membership time is also here and plans for the annual drive will be discussed Tuesday night.

Several other items of business are pending and committee reports on these will be heard from the floor.

Members of the Auxiliary will meet at the same time and also will consider a number of important projects, including the annual poppy sale to be held on the Saturday before Armistice.

Cards are being mailed to all members of both organizations and other means will be used in an effort to get good attendance. Every veteran interested in the work of the Legion is urged to attend.

Special Awards to be Given Local F. F. A.s; Green Hands in Rites

The Ballinger Future Farmers of America will hold initiation ceremonies for green hands at a meeting of the chapter Monday night. H. B. Edmondson, vocational instructor, announced the special program which will be followed by some special awards.

There are twelve green hand members of the chapter this year and the program will be held in the vocational building at the high school.

On the program three boys, Rosa Fowler, Herman Stokes and J. B. Nunn, will be presented pins for the Lone Star farmer's degree.

The honor of being the first American farmer ever produced in the local chapter will go to Johnny Hays at this meeting when the special award will be presented to him.

The state department of vocational education will make a special presentation of the Lone Star farmer degree to Joe Satterwhite, who is an honorary member of the Ballinger chapter.

BILL PARRISH INJURED AT HUNTSVILLE RODEO

Bill Parrish, brother of T. A. ("Buster") Parrish and son of Mrs. Ewing Holt, of this city, was seriously injured while participating in a rodeo at Huntsville Sunday. He has been taken to John Sealy Hospital in Galveston and placed under the care of a brain specialist. Young Parrish, a student in the State Teachers' College, Huntsville, is not a professional rodeo performer. Mr. Parrish and Mrs. Holt are in Galveston at his bedside.

Mrs. Ruth Lelper and Mrs. Bert Rawlins, of Weatherford, spent the past week-end here, visiting Mrs. J. C. Sturges.

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Runnels 4-H and F. F. A. Boys Show at State Fair

4-H Clubs

County Agent John A. Barton, Assistant Agent Lloyd Rumsey and James Braden, local leader, returned Tuesday night with thirteen 4-H club boys from the State Fair, Dallas, where the boys showed hogs, beef calves, sheep and turkeys.

According to the boys the fair gets better each year with the hog division the largest in the history of the fair this year. Mr. Barton estimated that 500 were being shown, along with 150 sheep, 175 fat calves and 500 turkeys.

Two boys from this county entered calves that weighed a total of 3,520 pounds and which returned their owners \$1,468.50, an average of 41½ cents per pound, with an added \$50 in awards. The boys exhibiting calves were Luther and William Minzenmayer, George and Robert Pruser and Leon Frerich.

Six boys showing 20 hogs were Charles Hoelscher, Arnold Frerich, Hugo Braden, Kenneth Hambricht, David and Vincent Halfmann. These hogs weighed 4,778 pounds and sold for \$1,323.89, or an average of 27.7 cents per pound, with added prizes of \$44.

Werner Halfmann showed one sheep on which he received 31

cents, for a total of \$31.10.

Obie Bradford showed 20 fat turkeys in four pens of five each which all classed blue ribbons. His turkeys weighed 360 pounds and brought 50 cents, a total of \$180, with his pen award of \$10.

Sales by the 4-H boys totaled \$3,110.49 on livestock and poultry.

F. F. A. Boys
H. B. Edmondson, vocational instructor in the Ballinger school, returned Tuesday from the State Fair with four F. F. A. boys who exhibited livestock.

Bill Shelburne placed second in the Hampshire hog class and second in a pen of three Hampshires. He also placed fifth and eleventh in the Hampshire show in which a total of approximately 650 hogs were on display.

Billy Collins placed eleventh with a Southdown lamb and Herman Stokes placed twenty-first in the lamb division.

Mr. Edmondson will take the entire F. F. A. chapter to Dallas this week-end to attend the fair and be present for 4-H Club and Future Farmers Day Saturday. The boys will receive free meals and also be admitted to the fair grounds and given tickets to the various attractions. He expects to take about 50 boys from the Ballinger school.

General Rain in County Ranges Half to 3 Inches

Rain in Runnels county early Saturday ranged from half an inch to as much as three inches. The heaviest downpour was reported in the Crews area where three inches were measured on some farms and ranches.

Just north of Ballinger a general two-inch rain fell, which put much water in surface tanks and made most small streams flow. Elm Creek came down Saturday, water going over the spillway at the city reservoir. The government station here measured 1.32 inches.

The lightest precipitation was south and southwest of Ballinger where most reports indicated only about half an inch. Good rains were reported in the Norton, Wingate and Maverick communities and all the northern portion of the county got a good general rain.

Dry Coleman county received around three inches in spots and Brownwood got about half an inch.

Farmers and ranchmen in town Saturday afternoon said the rain would help greatly but that more

moisture would be needed soon to help provide an underground "season." A large acreage has been planted to small grain and farmers are ready to sow more as soon as they can put drills in their fields.

BALLINGER MEN WILL HUNT PHEASANTS IN SOUTH DAKOTA

Frank Flynt and Dr. C. F. Bailey will leave Sunday for South Dakota where they will spend some time hunting pheasants. Word from that section states that the birds are plentiful and farmers are anxious for hunters to kill them off their places. Dr. Bailey made a trip there last fall to kill his first pheasants.

BETHEL P.-T.A. TO CONDUCT BAKE SALE ON OCTOBER 16

The Bethel Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor a bake sale here on October 16, the booth to be located in the Runnels County Implement Co. building on Seventh Street. They will have home-made pies and cakes for sale and the booth will be open for business at 9 a. m.

Women and Girls to Have Exhibits Here October 30

Achievement Day for the home demonstration clubs and girls' 4-H clubs of Runnels county will be held here on Saturday, October 30. Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, stated today that plans had been completed and that the 1948 show probably would be the largest ever held by the women since a number of new features have been added this year.

The home demonstration clubs will set up their exhibits with all similar articles grouped together while the 4-H club girls will show as clubs with a score card to fill for each.

Arrangements have been made

for the displays to be made in the showrooms of the Ballinger Truck & Tractor Co. on Ninth Street. Raymond Berryhill has assured the club women that the entire showrooms will be available for the day and this will enable a better display.

New this year will be a table of articles for sale to the public. These will include anything that any club or individual desires to sell. Baked articles, dressed poultry and other items will be on this table until all are sold.

Another feature this year will be a number of educational exhibits. A woman will be at a booth during the day to demonstrate the hand-tooling of leather. At another booth a woman will show the ironing of a shirt by the new simplified method and at a third booth will be made during the day. Several others may be added if space permits and if capable demonstrators can be secured.

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D. A. Huley, president of the Lone Star Gas Company, was elected president of the Better Business Bureau of Texas at the annual meeting of that organization at Dallas Thursday. Other officers elected are William L. Pier, vice-president; Eugene McElvaney, treasurer; and G. Duffield, secretary.

In a statement explaining the purposes and objectives of this statewide organization's expanded program to be undertaken at once, Huley declared that "the need of this agency of business to expand its operations throughout the state has long been felt, but the immediate need of providing adequate information and educational materials to offset the activities of the enemies of the American business and economic system now make this expansion imperative."

Stressing the fact that the program is not in the nature of another propaganda campaign, Mr. Huley pointed out that a great need of this nation today is for tomorrow's citizens, in school today, to learn not only the fact that our system has proven to be the best on earth, but why this is true. "Too long have we sat with folded hands assuming that our children somehow would inherit the truth about our own way of life while the enemies of America have been busy in efforts to poison their minds," Mr. Huley stated. "Our children must be able to go out in the business world amply prepared beforehand with knowledge of how our business and economic system works and how they fit into it and can live with it," he stated.

It was pointed out that this is the first step of united Texas business to undertake a constructive, positive and concrete program to (1) enlighten all of our people, and particularly our youth on the facts about our democracy and how it works, and (2) the strengthening of efforts to rid the business world of the small minority of chiselers in business whose unethical and sometimes fraudulent practices breed customer dissatisfaction which makes fertile soil for ideologies which

would destroy our freedom. In accomplishing the first phase of the program, the bureau will utilize a whole new series of studies prepared by educators and financed by business men through the joint cooperation of the National Education Association and the National Better Business Bureau and designed to better prepare today's student for an informed entry into the business world tomorrow; while the second phase of the program will coordinate the efforts of local Better Business bureaus, chambers of commerce, retail merchants Associations and other groups.

SPORTS

The Ballinger Bearcats will complete their road trips tomorrow (Friday) night after a journey to Haskell. They will return home for the rest of the season, playing four conference games in a row, all here.

At Haskell the Bearcats will meet another fine class A team, one that is slated to win the district championship. Scouts who watched the Haskell eleven last week said it was a tough outfit and predicted the Bearcats would have a full evening's work to bring home a victory.

Coleman and Ballinger are stacking up on even terms on comparisons. Local fans wanted to see the result of the Coleman-Stephenville game so they could use the scores against the class AA outfit as a basis for calculating strength. The result left them still figuring as the Stephenville team defeated the Bluecats 33 to 0 and prior to that had whipped the Bearcats 34 to 7.

There were enough Ballinger people in Rotan last Friday night to make it look like an old home town reunion. With the Ballinger band, pep squad and team making the trip, many fans went up and helped to provide transportation. Eating houses at Sweetwater were loaded with Ballingerites as they scrambled for a few bites.

Sweetwater was crowded with football fans as the several hundred Ballinger people arrived about the same time the Midland team and supporters invaded the

city for a game. Other fans also were stopping there, en route to Abilene for a game.

Some Ballinger fans were caused to display some temper when a Rotan man made an upstartman-like remark about an injured

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(b) All persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to R. Q. Adams, of Runnels County, Texas, as grantee, recorded in Vol. 116, page 382, Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas; and
(c) All persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to Wylie Walden of Runnels County, Texas, as grantee, recorded in Vol. 117, page 195, Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas.

You are hereby commanded to appear and answer plaintiff's petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 15th day of November, 1948, 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 27th day of September, 1948; the file number of said suit is No. 5081. The names of the parties to and in said suit are: Joseph Sanger and H. K. Dunn, are plaintiffs; and the defendants are Lucy Adams and the persons to whom this writ is addressed and hereinabove named in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of this citation.

The nature of said suit is substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit in trespass to try title filed by said plaintiffs against said defendants to recover the title to and possession of the following described land located in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit: 297 1/2 acres of land in the T. J. Hardeman Survey No. 267, described in deed from John Q. Adams to Sanger & Dunn, recorded in Vol. 156, page 168, Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas.

Plaintiffs also plead, and seek to recover said land, under the twenty-five year statute of limitations as authorized by Art. 5519a, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas.
The style of said suit is Joseph Sanger et al vs. R. Q. Adams et al.
If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
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SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. J. C. Reese was hostess to the South Ballinger home demonstration club in her new home last week. 18 members and one visitor were present.

Mrs. Joe Thomas was in charge of the meeting and told members of the plan of CROP, Christian rural overseas program for relief of suffering in foreign countries.

Annual reports of the club's activities were heard and the club presented Mrs. Reese with a gift of two bedroom lamps. The club inspected the new home and furnishings.

Mrs. Reese's daughter, Mrs. J. W. Jones, assisted in serving a plate lunch of sandwiches, cake and coffee to the members.

The next regular meeting will be held on October 19 in the home of Mrs. J. W. Jones at which time a program on first-aid will be given.

Mrs. Harold Routh, of the East Side club, was a visitor.

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DOVE SEASON WILL CLOSE OCTOBER 15

Hunters are reminded that the dove season will close in this zone on Friday, October 15. During the season, since September 1, many birds have been killed in this vicinity.

Some parts of Runnels county had an abundance of doves this year and other sections provided very poor hunting.

Rags wanted at Ledger office.



KING PAUL REVIEWS HIS 'REPENTANT COMMUNISTS' . . . In Athens, King Paul of Greece salutes as he and Queen Frederica (at his side) and members of his entourage review his new battalion formed of repentant Communists from Macronissos Island. This is the fourth such battalion composed of former Reds. The ceremony was climaxed by the presentation of a flag to the new battalion. On the king's left here is General Yanizis, chief of the Greek general staff. On the queen's right (white suit) is George Stratos, minister of war.

SOCIETY and CLUBS

Mrs. Lusk Leads Woman's Council Program

Mrs. Marvin Clark, president, conducted the business routine for the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church at its regular inspirational meeting Monday afternoon in the church parlors.

After the opening prayer by Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, she directed the group in singing "The Great Physician." Mrs. Clark read cards of thanks from Mrs. Mae Roberts and Mrs. W. F. Atwell, and asked the secretary to send a card of thanks to the Shakespeare Club for floral arrangements presented the church for the Officers' Institute held last week.

Mrs. J. R. Lusk gave the devotional and told the story of the Church Built on the Mountain Top in Puerto Rico. Mrs. Gene Crawford gave a parliamentary drill, and was assisted by Mmes.

Clark, C. F. Bailey, M. A. Foy, D. B. Crockett, and Miss Lily Clayton. The meeting was closed with the missionary benediction.

Others present were: Mmes. Joe Satterwhite, Horace Murphy, W. F. Atwell, Archie W. Gray, E. D. Walker, O. P. Dorsey, J. E. Gentry, and Miss Nan Kevil.

Mrs. Cherry Hostess to O. E. S. Past Matrons Club

Mrs. Chester Cherry was hostess to the Past Matrons Club of the Ballinger Chapter No. 266, O. E. S., and past matrons of the Norton and Paint Rock chapters, last Friday evening, entertaining in her home on Sixth Street.

Party rooms were decorated with arrangements of autumn flowers, asters and dahlias being placed on occasional tables. The linen-laid dining table was centered with a reflected arrangement of Mexican daisies and cosmos, flanked by orange and black tapers, where the three-

course chicken menu was served. Mmes. Effie Hulsey, O. R. O'Neill, E. A. Saunders and O. R. Lasater assisted in serving.

After the business period, Miss Olga Schawe was presented by the president, Miss Griffie Atkins. Miss Schawe gave a travelogue on interesting places she visited the past summer in California, Arizona and New Mexico. The talk was made more entertaining by the showing of folders and pictures.

The visitors were: Mmes. O. G. Barrett, Carl Lewis and Roy Roper, of Norton; Miss Imogene Waide, Mmes. Mary Mosteller, Ada Waide, Mary Skipper, Aileen Crunk and Florence Hurt, of Paint Rock.

Other past matrons of Ballinger present were: Mmes. Nora McCaughan, T. A. Rape, Luna Mae Seter, Ione Teague, Frances Zedlitz, and Miss Schawe.

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Mrs. E. W. Stasney included Mrs. Jack Bandy McGregor of Dallas as an added guest when she was hostess to members of the Triple-Four Contract Club Friday afternoon, entertaining in her home on Eighth Street.

The Hall ween motifs and fall blossoms were the decorations for party rooms and table appointments where Mrs. Jack B. McGregor won the high score award and the bingo award went to Mrs. K. V. Northington.

The hostess served a salad plate with coffee following games, and coca colas were served during the

game hour. Others present were: Mmes. Edgar Boelsche, Tom Agnew, Alex McGregor, Harry Lynn, F. M. Pearce, Claude Stone, and Troy Simpson.

Miss Patton and Miss Richards Complimented with Gift Shower

Misses Juanda Patton and Miss Norma Joyce Richards, bride-elects of Don Murphy and Bill Murphy, were paid a pretty compliment last Wednesday afternoon when Mmes. Ralph Russell, Roy Tyree, John Duke, Dave Forkey, and Alma Bryan were hostesses at a beautifully-appointed gift tea in the parlors of the Valley View Baptist Church, including 90 friends of the two honorees.

The bride's chosen colors, yellow and green were given attractive emphasis in all details with yellow chrysanthemums and marigolds being used to decorate party rooms where Mrs. G. K. Corley of Norton gave a short skit before the gifts were opened.

The refreshment table, which was laid with a cloth of lace was centered with an arrangement of fall blossoms. Mrs. Russell presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Tyree served cake squares iced in white and decorated with yellow and green floral designs.

Mrs. Gene Wilson registered guests in the bride's book of Miss Patton, and Miss Laverne Dankworth was at Miss Richards bride book.

Patsy Talley Has Birthday Party

Patsy Talley was honored on her first birthday anniversary Monday when her mother entertained with a party at City Park.

After games were played and gifts were opened, refreshments were served to: Mrs. Ross Black, Jr. and Mike; Mrs. A. E. Huddleston, Cheria and Bonnie; Mrs. Sam Wood, Sherian and Gloria; Mrs. Fred McKay, David and Jerry.

Sgt. Walter E. Midgley, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Midgley, here this week on a short furlough from Scott Field, Illinois. He will return to his post next week.

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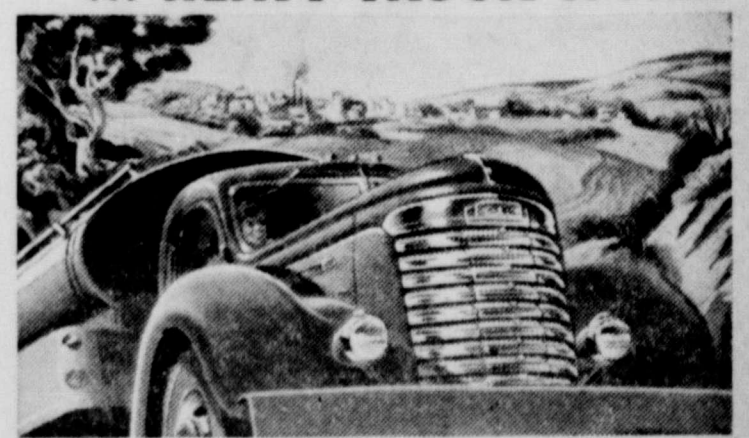
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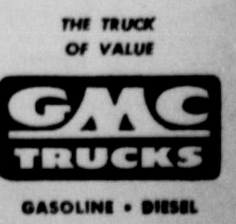


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Rotan Defeats Bearcats In Good Offensive Game

The Ballinger Bearcats found the going a little rough at Rotan Friday night and took the short end of an 18 to 7 score. It was Dr. C. U. Callan Day at Rotan and a celebration had been held throughout the day in honor of

the Rotan physician and surgeon who had been picked by the Saturday Evening Post as the outstanding successful doctor of the nation.

The Abilene Christian College Band added to the color of the

game and performed during the half.

The Bearcats faced a hard charging line in the Yellowhammers and also were confronted with four fast backs which kept the Ballinger boys on the defensive a large part of the game. Fullback Ship cut through the Bearcat secondary twice to work his way into an open field for touchdowns.

The game was not too uneven, however, and could have been a Bearcat victory but for some breaks. In the first quarter the Ballinger lads used power to plow deep into Rotan territory. On a fourth down line buck the Bearcats missed a first down by about one inch. This down would probably have given them a score and a chance for the extra point. Again in the third period the Bearcats drove 67 yards only to fumble on a break.

Ballinger's lone counter came in the third period when Reese slipped over left tackle for 14 yards to score standing up. Davenport added the extra point from placement.

It was a question of two offensive ball clubs meeting and the scoring breaks went to Rotan.

Ballinger threw five passes during the game with three completions, but one was called back when the Bearcats were offside.

The Rotan park was jammed with spectators. Every seat was taken and several hundred were standing along the sidelines.

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HOWARD PAYNE TEAM TO PLAY AUSTIN COLLEGE SATURDAY

BROWNWOOD, Oct. 13.—After a hard season of practice games, when they won two and dropped two, the Howard Payne Yellow Jackets will open their Texas conference play here Saturday night when they meet the Austin College Kangaroos at 8:15 at Brownwood high school stadium.

Entering conference competition with the best prospects since resuming football after the war, the Jackets will be playing almost full force Saturday night. Jerrell Rice, co-captain, who has been ill, is not expected to play, but the rest of the team should be ready for plenty of action.

Traditional rivals Howard Payne and Austin College are both charter members of the Texas conference, organized in 1927. In the 19 years, they have met the Kangaroos on the gridiron since that date, the Jackets have won 14 times, lost twice, and the game

has been tied on three occasions. Last year the Kangaroos came out on top in a close-fought 14-13 game played at Sherman.

RESERVE OFFICERS WANTED BY ARMY ENGINEERS CORPS

The U. S. army is making a plea for a large number of reserve

officers to return to the service in engineering units. To fill vacancies in the ranks the need at present is for 8 lieutenant-colonels, 73 majors and 1,577 junior officers. Tours of duty will be for a minimum of three years and the positions include duty with troops, headquarters, ROTC and post

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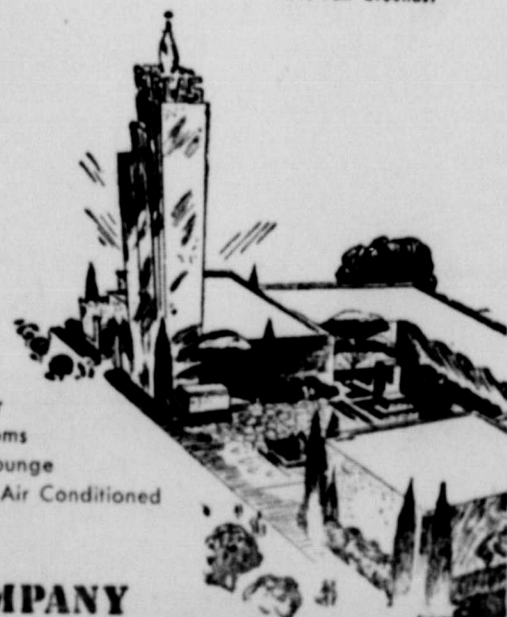
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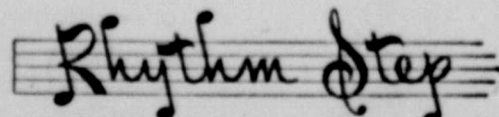
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Epic 'Fury at Furnace Creek' Stars Mature and Coleen Gray

An exciting, but little-known chapter in the winning of the West will be unfolded on the screen of the Texas Theatre when "Fury at Furnace Creek," starring Victor Mature and Coleen Gray, is presented Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, October 17, 18 and 19. Highlighted by thrilling spectacle and hard-hitting action, the 20th Century-Fox film tells of the murderous scheme of an unscrupulous silver syndicate that provokes a massacre as a means of opening up Indian lands to exploitation.

A spectacular Apache attack, the wagon-train massacre and the last-ditch siege of Fort Furnace Creek set the furiously paced action of the film which is keyed to the fight of two sons to clear the name of their father, a U. S. cavalry officer, accused of having betrayed his outfit.



"Fury at Furnace Creek," principal attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, October 17, 18, 19, stars Victor Mature and Coleen Gray.

Sections of southern Utah's famed "badlands"—a wild and beautiful scenic area never before filmed for the screen—were chosen as the setting of the picture, necessitating one of the most complex location operations ever attempted by a movie company. It was here that the drama of the 1880s was recreated, complete with covered wagons, hundreds of charging Indians, wild horses, cowpunchers and the climactic burning to the ground of the authentic 10-acre reproduction of Fort Furnace Creek.

Bringing to the screen the flavor and excitement of life in the pioneer West all dressed up in a modern setting, "Nighttime in Nevada," a Republic picture in Trucolor, starring Roy Rogers, is one of the two features on the double bill at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday.

Roy is supported in his latest film by Adele Mara, Andy Devine, Marie Harmon, Joseph Crehan, George Carleton, Holly Bane, Jim Nolan, Steve Darrell, Hank Patterson and the Sons of the Pioneers.

The saga of an adventurous body of men who pitted their strength and scientific knowledge against nature's greatest terrors, describes the exciting motion picture, "Discovery," second feature at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday.

Made by Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd on his journey to the

South Pole, "Discovery" is a screen epic of excitement and awe. Nature is intriguing and terrifying in the Antarctic, and all of its impact is brought forth on the screen.

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'The Adventures of Robin Hood' Stars Errol Flynn and Olivia DeHavilland

"The Adventures of Robin Hood," is the mid-week attraction at the Texas Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, October 20, 21. The Warner Bros. elaborate Technicolor production of the legend, stars Errol Flynn and Olivia DeHavilland.

The story is filled with breathless adventure, mighty men and mightier deeds, and lovely ladies who are supposed to have spent

most of their time in ivory towers embroidering and weaving. The king of England was Richard, the Lion-Hearted, but was absent for long periods while he led his knights to the Crusades, leaving his villainous brother, John, in charge of the throne.

It was an era of the joust, of the lance and sword and the bow and arrow, of rough fun and rougher warfare.

'Devil's Cargo' Top Grade Film Thriller

Crackling action and taut suspense keynote "Devil's Cargo," a Falcon mystery melodrama, showing at the Palace Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday in conjunction with one of the "Red Ryder" series, "Marshal of Amarillo," starring Alan "Rocky" Lane. John Calvert, magician of world renown, stars in "Devil's Cargo," and he brings much of his sleight-of-hand artistry into play while essaying the role of the debonair Falcon. Rochelle Hudson plays the feminine lead opposite Calvert, while others who add to the exciting entertainment are Roscoe Karns, Lyle Talbot, Theodore Von Eltz, Paul Marion and Tom Kennedy.

The Falcon mysteries always have been a favorite of movie fans, and the new set in which Calvert is starred promises to reach great heights in popularity.

A U. S. representative's term of office is two years.

Ruby Rose, secretary-treasurer Judith Cook, reporter Glynette Priedecker, bedroom demonstrator Doris Rose, garden demonstrator

Plans were made to raise finances for the club's activities during the ensuing year.

The club will meet the first and third Tuesdays of each month. The next meeting will be on October 15 at which time Swedish weaving will be taught.

Mrs. Douglas Barnett and two children, of San Angelo, visited last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas.

Donald O'Connor is Acquired By Luscious Blonde in Comedy

Arriving at the Ford Theatre Saturday for showing October 16, 17, 18, 19, is Universal-International's side-bustin' comedy, "Feudin', Fussin' and A-Fightin'." The nimble-footed, versatile young star, Donald O'Connor, enlists the aid of Marjorie Main and Percy Kilbride, who won fame in "The Egg and I," and the trio manage to make merriment in side-splitting quantities.

Donald starts out as a hair-ionic salesman who runs so fast that he's practically kidnapped to represent the town of Rimrock at the big race with the champion of

a rival town. He's cared for like a full-blooded steed, given the best to eat and finally acquired by a curvaceous young blonde in the person of Penny Edwards. A lot of crazy things happen, but all the goings-on are calculated to please the taste, the eyes and the heart. The songs are there and the people to sing them, and Kilbride and Miss Main are said to be funnier than ever.

"Feudin', Fussin' and A-Fightin'" was directed by George Sherman. The screenplay was written by D. D. Beauchamp from his own Collier's Magazine story.

Eight Men Called For Army Service Report November 1

Roger Wheeler spent Thursday of last week at Coleman attending a meeting of the Rannels-Coleman draft draft board. Mr. Wheeler stated that the eight men called from the two counties, had been selected, 3 from Rannels and 5 from Coleman. Names will not be announced until the men have passed their physical examinations and accepted by the army.

The board has received another quota requiring eight men to report November 1. Of this number four will be taken from each county and the eight men have been advised of this call.

Mr. Wheeler stated that by the end of this week a list of all men put in class IA would be posted at the court house and registrants will be able to go there and see how they are classified.

Most of the detail work in the Coleman office have been completed and all registrants have been listed on file cards and these put in their proper order. No information has been received from the state board in regard to calls beyond November 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crockett have purchased a new home in Fort Worth, where Mr. Crockett has employment. The home is located in a new addition near Texas Christian University.

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Thirty-Eight Doctors Attend Fall Meeting Of 4th District Group

The annual fall meeting of the Fourth District Medical Society was held in the Ballinger library auditorium Tuesday morning and afternoon.

Thirty-eight doctors registered for the opening session and later in the day and a number of visitors were present for some of the important discourses. All speakers were present to deliver the talks assigned them and members of the society were delighted with the fine attendance and the excellent program.

After the afternoon session the visitors were entertained in homes and with drives until 6:45 when a banquet was held at the high school cafeteria. Following the meal, Dr. Tate Miller, of Dallas, president of the State Medical Society, was the speaker.

At the business period Tuesday afternoon, Dr. C. F. Bailey, of Ballinger, was elected president; Dr. Homer Allen, of Brownwood, vice-president; and Dr. Gordon Madding, of San Angelo, secretary-treasurer. The 1949 meeting will be held at San Angelo.

Dr. Bailey was the retiring secretary of the district organization, serving the past year.

Scout Fund Drive Starts October 27; Price Will Direct

October 27 is the date set for beginning the Boy Scout finance drive in Ballinger this year and Stanley Price is chairman of the committee directing the campaign. Mr. Price stated Wednesday that he had only been advised of his appointment but within the next few days would secure helpers and make plans for the solicitation.

Boy Scout work has progressed in this district during the past twelve months and an increased budget probably will be required to provide for all activities during the ensuing year.

Letters will be mailed soon to individuals asking their consideration in support of scouting in the district.

Mr. Price probably will call on local service clubs for volunteer aides and on October 27 will hold a kick-off breakfast, following which workers will go out in an effort to make a complete canvass of all local citizens in one day.

A local quota has not been received and Mr. Price does not know the amount to be sought in the drive.

Baptist Revival To Start Sunday

The annual fall revival at the First Baptist Church will begin Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service and continue through all of next week, ending Sunday evening, October 24.

Week-day morning services are scheduled at 9:30 and evening services being at 7:30. Prayer groups are to meet 30 minutes before the regular evening hour, at 7:00 p. m., and there will be groups for various ages.

Dr. A. B. Rutledge, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Marshall, will be with the local membership as guest preacher, delivering all the sermons for the revival. George May, in charge of the music, will feature chorus and congregational singing at each night service.

The church membership has been preparing for the one week's campaign and all organizational work has been completed.

Every citizen of the community has a cordial invitation to attend all the services.

MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE ELECTS YEAR'S OFFICERS

The Ballinger Ministerial Alliance held its annual meeting yesterday morning, the business including election of officers for the year. Rev. Larry Gilbert, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, was elected president, and Archie W. Gray, minister of the First Christian Church, secretary.

The president and secretary were named as a special committee to make arrangements for holding a Thanksgiving service in Ballinger and will make a definite announcement within a few days. They will also arrange the program for the service, secure the speakers and others to appear on the program.

Mrs. Luther Walden has been with her daughter, Mrs. Robert F. Wood, of Ysleta, for the past five weeks. Mrs. Wood underwent surgery on September 11 but has recovered enough to be up at present. Mr. Walden spent two weeks there but returned home. While there Mr. and Mrs. Walden crossed the border into Mexico. She will return home today.

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Officers Named at Annual Meeting of H. D. Council

The Runnels county home demonstration council held its regular October meeting at Winters Saturday afternoon at the club house in that city. Mrs. Harold Routh, council chairman, presided.

Clubs answering roll call were: Bethel, East Side Ballinger, Olfen, Drasco, Rowena, South Ballinger, Winters and Victory.

This being the annual meeting the following officers were elected: Mrs. B. M. Batts, chairman; Mrs. Tom Egan, vice-chairman; Mrs. Calton Smith, secretary-treasurer; Miss Laverne Dankworth, reporter; and Mrs. Harold Routh, county Texas Home Demonstration Association chairman.

Mrs. B. M. Batts, year-book chairman, reported the 1949 year-book would be ready to go to the printer this month and would be ready for distribution about November 1.

Mrs. Neuman Smith, chairman of the exhibit committee, stated that plans were complete for the annual exhibit which will be held in the display rooms of the Ballinger Truck & Tractor Co. building in Ballinger on October 30.

Girls' 4-H clubs also will show achievements on the same date and at the same place.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, explained the Christian rural overseas relief program (CROP) to the group and suggested that each club in the county donate a box of canned food to be shipped overseas.

Since the Runnels county court house will be closed on Saturday afternoons, the council voted to change the meeting dates to the second Friday of the month.

The club presidents, council officers and committee chairmen gave their annual reports.

As council chairman, Mrs. Harold Routh reported that she had attended and presided at all council meetings except one during the year. She visited four clubs other than her own, met with council committees to help in making 1948 plans, attended three training meetings, assisted in setting up 1947 exhibits, helped her club with two bake sales and attended the district THDA meeting at Sweetwater. For 1949 Mrs. Routh recommended that all clubs continue to cooperate with the new council chairman.

Each club president reported on some of the outstanding activities of her club during the past year. All presidents reported that leaders from their clubs attended each of the training schools held in Ballinger by the agent and extension staff and that follow-up demonstrations had been presented to their clubs. Each president also stated that recommendations of 4-H, Three "E" marketing, recreation and year-book committees had been carried out in her club the past year.

The council secretary reported that plans had been made by the council for serving a banquet to the Federated Clubs and funds were used to pay expenses of 4-H club girls and one leader to the district 4-H club encampment. Plans were also made for Adult Rally Day, Achievement Day, and funds provided for all county-wide activities planned by the council.

Each club in this county made a contribution of clothing to be shipped to Burma.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Marston, of Stockton, California, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Little.

Bob Sykes, Junior Curry, Hie Atsipp, Charles Miller, and Carl Black, all A. & M. College students, spent the past week-end at home, visiting their parents and friends.

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FOUR BALLINGER GIRLS AT T.W.C. THIS SEMESTER

The Texas State College for Women, Denton, has enrolled five Runnels county girls this semester, four of them from Ballinger. Attending T. W. C. from this city are Misses Betty Lou Batts, Jean Martin, Josephine Burkhardt and Mrs. Susie Eaye Kallina.

Mrs. John A. Barton is in Fort Worth this week at the bedside of her sister, Miss Lillian Durham, who underwent major surgery last week. Reports this week stated Miss Durham was resting fairly well.

Mrs. Ethel Peerman, field representative for the Texas Tuberculosis Association, visited officials of the local association Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barron and Mrs. Louella Poole left this week for Bakersfield, California. They had been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Bullock, managers of the Central Hotel. Mrs. Poole is Mrs. Bullock's mother.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT IN REGULAR MEETING

The Runnels county commissioners' court was in regular session Monday for general routine business.

SOCIETY

Noomi Class Has Pot Luck Supper in Moseley Home

Mrs. C. B. Moseley, Mrs. Homer Bibb, Mrs. Aubrey Ashton and Mrs. W. O. Mathis were hostesses to the First Baptist Noomi Class Tuesday evening, entertaining with a pot luck supper in the Moseley rural home. Party rooms were decorated with arrangements of roses and zinnias where Mrs. Joe Flynt presided for the business and heard reports of officers and committee chairmen. Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff brought the devotional.

A social followed the business. Others present were: Mmes. B. J. Martin, J. G. Tuckey, J. H. Endacott, W. D. Davenport, Elsie Fox, H. B. Scoggins, W. E. Wright, Carl Black, Naomi Keithley, Howard Hamner, Jack Brookshier, W. L. Barber, Earl Cope, Frances Jackson, W. A. Jacob, Ted Whitehead, Frank Flynt, Troy Stuart, E. D. Lovelady, Rollin Campbell, Roger Jones, Jeff Lee, Paul Best, D. O. Kennedy, Sim Ledford, W. A. McDonald, Carl Florence and Jim Golden.

Mrs. Clark Hostess to Know Your Neighbors

Mrs. Bill Clark was hostess to Know Your Neighbors Wednesday afternoon when she entertained in her home on Fifth Street which was beautifully decorated with arrangements of dahlias from her garden.

Members spent the party hours in doing handwork while enjoying conversation. The hostess served a salad plate with home-made

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candies and coca colas. Present were: Mmes. Joe Flynt, John Barton, Mack Young, Curtis Bryan, Cal Adair, John Castor, Jack Nixon, Dee Saylor, Malcolm Morgan and LeRoy McAulay.

Baptist Rachel Class Entertained in Price Home

Members of the First Baptist Rachel Class were entertained in the home of Mrs. Stanley Price on Eight Street last Thursday evening, with co-hostesses Mrs. Leon Russell, Mrs. Ralph Burris and Mrs. Floyd Wiginton.

The living room was beautifully decorated with Florabunda roses combined with queen's wreath, and the dining table, laid with a Halloween black and orange crepe paper cloth, was centered with a large jack-o-lantern which held mesquite twigs and other foliage from which cookies iced in black and orange hung from the thorns.

After the class song, "Lead Me to Some Soul Today," was sung in unison, Mrs. Cam Blackmon, class president, conducted the business routine and heard reports from officers. Mrs. Malcolm Morgan presented a quiz on the book, "Jesus the Teacher."

At the social hour, Mrs. Ira Funderburk played piano numbers while the hostesses served cookies decorated with Halloween faces with coffee. Others were: Mmes. C. R. Moore, E. E. Curry, Joe Forester, Mark Davis, Paul Kirk, M. A. Davidson, Fred Moncrief, S. E. Cloninger, Wallace Barnett, E. Y. Bailey, J. P. Hadley, Clara Mae Jobe and Clarence Bissett.

Mmes. Allen and Flanagan Host Conquest Class

Mrs. Rufus Allen and Mrs. Clyde Flanagan were hostesses to the Eighth Street Presbyterian Conquest Class Tuesday evening, entertaining in the Allen home on Tenth Street.

The class colors, gold and purple, were emphasized throughout the party rooms with arrangements of gold zinnias and wild purple digitals being used for floral decorations. Mrs. B. H. Erwin presided for the business routine, followed by the devotional which was given by Mrs. Jack Ashton. The song, "If Your Heart Keeps Right," was sung by the group with Mrs. E. S. Malone at the piano.

Mrs. Malone, program chair-

man, gave a resume on "The Women of the Bible."

At the social hour, Miss Eva Lilly was the birthday celebrant and was presented a gift from the class. The white birthday cake, embossed with "Happy Birthday," centered the lace-laid dining table, and was served with a salad plate with sandwiches and coffee.

Others present were: Mmes. W. F. Lange, Roy L. Hill, Corder, John Reese, G. P. Teague, R. W. Balke, Aituz Stokes, Harper McFarland; Misses Eva, Maggie and Eunice Lilly.

Mrs. Bruce Speaker at Meeting of Civic-Garden Club

Mrs. Chester Cherry was chairman for the meeting of the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club held in the club rooms at the Library Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Elmer Shepperd suggested that the club beautify the boulevard on Broadway, and after discussion members voted to investigate the cost of maintaining the parkway. Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, Mrs. Shepperd and Mrs. T. J. McCaughan were appointed to this committee.

The club room was decorated with a profusion of autumn blossoms, including dahlias, zinnias and cosmos from the gardens of members. The program chairman, Mrs. James A. Wear, presented Mrs. R. F. Zedlitz, who gave the legend of the Forget-Me-Not. The guest speaker, Mrs. R. E. Bruce, gave a very interesting talk on Antique Glass, the discovery of the art, and different patterns. There were about 100 pieces of antique glass on display. An exhibit of antique fans was presented by Sally Bailey and old books also were shown.

Out-of-town visitors were Mrs. G. W. Nibling, of San Angelo; Mrs. R. R. Lovelady, of Santa Anna; Mrs. C. C. Bullard, of Brownwood; and Mrs. F. M. Burk, of Coleman. Ballinger visitors were Mmes. Roger Wheeler, Herman Giesecke, Oren Chandler, Troy Simpson and Sim Cottelle.

Members were: Mmes. C. F. Bailey, J. L. Davis, Beulah Frazier, R. A. Dickinson, Drury Hathaway, Roy L. Hill, W. O. Irbey, H. P. Largent, O. R. Lasater, Estes Lynn, E. S. Malone, T. J. McCaughan, Henry Moody, Tom McIntire, F. M. Pearce, J. O. Satterwhite, J. M.

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Brownie Troop No. 7 Spends Night at Girl Scout Hut

Members of Brownie Troop No. 7 met with their leader, Mrs. Ralph Payette, last Thursday afternoon to make plans for an over-night trip to the Girl Scout hut in City Park.

Mrs. Herman Brown assisted Mrs. Payette with the party Friday evening. After the evening meal was prepared and served, games were played and popcorn balls and candy were made. The girls prepared their breakfast Saturday morning and returned home at 10 a. m.

Making the over-night trip were: Marvella Ashton, Carol Sue Berry, Loretta Brown, Dorothy Heath, Betty Cowlshaw, Patricia

Davis, Melba Parker, Sally Underwood, Peggy Virden, Ruth Watkins, Janie Brevard and Joan Whitman.

Brownie Troop No. 8 Meets in Scout Room

After the business routine, plans were made for a hike on Saturday, when members of Brownie Troop No. 8 met at the Scout room on Eighth Street, Tuesday afternoon.

Irene Piel was hostess for the afternoon, and served cookies and popovers to: Sue Herring, Patsy Berry, Barbara Jean Bradshaw, Shirley Harvey, Gwen Davies, Peggy Ann Branham, Dorothy Bishop, Shirley Sweatman, Mary Tisdale, Faye Ueckert, Martha Kay Northington, and the leaders, Mrs. Herman Brown and Miss Doris Gressett.

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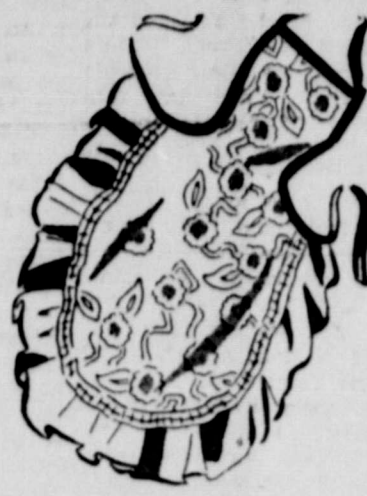
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HOSPITAL NOTES

A number of Bailey Clinic-Hospital patients were improved sufficiently the past week to be discharged. They were:
Mrs. Curtis Barrett, Norton, surgical, Saturday
Mrs. Ed Moeller, Rowena, medical, Friday
Mrs. Arthur Gottschalk, medical, Saturday
Wayne Liles, San Angelo, surgical, Monday
Mrs. Johnny Baker and son, Friday
Mrs. Emma Hagelstein, Paint Rock, medical, Sunday
Nancy Hambrick, minor surgery, Friday
Mrs. Henry Schertz, minor surgery, Wednesday
W. A. Smith, Paint Rock, medical, Tuesday
Mrs. Anna Mae Bruce, Big Lake, minor surgery, Wednesday.
Miss Eleanor Jansa, of Miles, underwent surgery the first of the week and is improving.
Mrs. Kathryn McLean, operated on Wednesday, is improving.
A. W. Gully is improving after undergoing surgery Tuesday.
Jerry Ann Davis, who underwent surgery Wednesday, is resting well.
Harry Robinson, Jr., of San Diego, California, entered the local clinic yesterday for medical treatment.
Kenneth Dell Hodges entered the clinic Wednesday for treatment.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation to the friends who were so kind to us when our loved one was returned from overseas for burial. The expressions of sympathy, the beautiful flowers and the many deeds for our comfort meant much in this sad hour. Especially do we wish to thank members of the American Legion for the military rites and other thoughtful deeds.
Mrs. Wesley Jones and Billy Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones and girls 11*

ARCHIE GRAY'S RETURN FROM 5 WEEKS VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Archie W. Gray have returned home after a five weeks vacation and business trip to the West Coast. They attended the National Church Convention at San Francisco and then toured the coast to Los Angeles. En route to the convention city they spent some time in Colorado, at Salt Lake City and other tourist spots.
Mr. Gray stated they had a very enjoyable trip but were glad to be back home and ready for work.

Inter-City Rotary Program Attracts Large Attendance

The Ballinger Rotary Club held an inter-city meeting Tuesday night in the banquet hall at the Central Hotel which was attended by a large number from towns in this area. The regular noon meeting Tuesday was postponed until night, and all local members and wives attended.
Out-of-town guests included: Paul Poag, district governor, and wife, Del Rio; Aubrey Stephenson, past district 127 governor, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nail, Abilene; Otis Darley, president of Brady club, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Estes, Mr. and Mrs. B. Davis, Earl Ferguson, past district governor, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Billingsly, Brady; Dick Wagner, president of San Angelo club, Joe Galbraith, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Verner, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hartgroves, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Runge, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Charles, San Angelo; Pic Lamour and Prof. Gilmer, Graham.
Clifford Cook, president of the Ballinger club, offered the invocation preceding serving of the meal. Following introduction of guests, Joe Galbraith was in charge of a sing-song. Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., vocalist, sang a group of numbers, Miss Wilma Duke playing the accompaniments. Stanley Price introduced Pic Lamour, of Graham, for the main address of the evening.

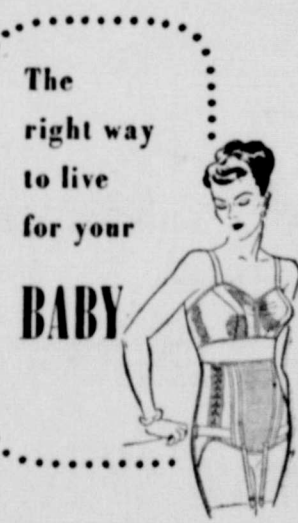
TAYLOR AGAIN CAPTAIN

Recently a master-sergeant, and stationed at Scott Air Forces Base, Vember D. Taylor has reverted to his original war-time rank of captain, and has transferred to Pope Air Forces Base, Fort Bragg, North Carolina. Capt. Taylor was among the first to see combat service in the South Pacific at the beginning of World War II.

BIRTHS

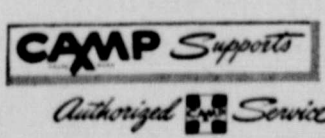
Mr. and Mrs. Duke Jimerson, of Midland, are parents of a son, D. E., Jr., weighing eight pounds and four ounces. The infant was born Monday, October 11. Mrs. Jimerson is the former Miss Janie Flynt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Flynt, Sr.

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It is only a short time until the general election and people of the United States are likely to roll up the largest number of votes ever cast. Party lines are taut and organizations all over the country are urging people to get out and vote. In Texas the Jaycees are again asking that every eligible elector go to the polls and vote his convictions in this important election.

Ballinger merchants are beginning to receive and unpack gift items for Christmas. Due to shortages in previous years, most local merchants bought early and this year have the most complete stocks for the holiday trade since before the war. It is only a little more than two months until Christmas and displays will be shown early this year so that those who desire may use the lay-away plan for their gift items.

Ballinger fans are not willing to give up professional baseball for the summer of 1949 and are making arrangements for a franchise so that there will be a place in the league if the other requirements can be met. Many local business men who were not particular fans have stated they believe organized baseball is good for the town and are willing to put up some money to keep it here. One man who resides near here made the statement that he had never traded in Ballinger until he got in the habit of coming here to baseball games. Since then he and members of his family have purchased all their needs here. Baseball may never pay visible dividends in a town of this size, but there are many interested fans here who want the sport for their own entertainment and for the good publicity it gives Ballinger.

November contains two holidays, each coming on Thursday. The first is the observance of Armistice Day and the second is Thanksgiving. Both will be observed here and Armistice will be a big day in the city so far as

football fans are concerned. It will bring the big game between the Coleman and Ballinger teams, a contest expected to decide the district championship. This city celebrates five holidays a year and on these specified days no lists are passed to merchants in regard to closing.

CUE AND CURTAIN CLUB

ELECTS YEAR'S OFFICERS
Members of the Cue and Curtain Club, Ballinger high school dramatic organization, met Friday with their sponsor, Mrs. T. L. Epting, for the first meeting of the 1948-49 term.

Plans were made for a year-book. New members will be eligible only by formal notice. The following officers were elected: president, Walter Hill; vice-president, Arlene Miller, secretary-treasurer, Grace Ann Bryan; historian, Cynthia Tuckey; assistants, Janie Morrison and Martha Ann James; reporter, LaRita Price; sergeant-at-arms, Betty Middleton.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES

A group of Comanche citizens and members of the city council went to Fort Worth the first of this week to appear before the Brazos River Authority and make application for engineering costs on the new Comanche city lake. Engineers were paid about \$12,000 for surveys and planning the lake and city officials are seeking to get the money refunded by the Fort Worth office. The new lake is nearing completion, but funds are low and it was stated that if the \$12,000 was refunded it would help greatly in the final stages of the project.

Commissioner Henry Carter, of Eastland county, stated at Rising Star last week that an election to legalize beer sales probably would be called at an early date. A petition asking for the election has been presented making it mandatory that the referendum be taken. The election would be on county-wide basis.

The Brownwood Junior Chamber of Commerce has been asked to help in a fund raising campaign so that a full-time, qualified director can be employed for the Brownwood-Brown county health unit. The Jaycees were told that the county and city do not have the money at this time to finance the salary of the director. The health unit has \$4,508 that can be used for this purpose but officials stated that it would require \$6,500 to secure a qualified director. This would leave about \$2,000 for the Jaycees to raise.

The Coleman Democrat-Voice, a weekly newspaper for the past 67 years, will be published five days a week beginning October 17.

Carrier service will be provided in Coleman and Santa Anna. Two additional editors have been added to the staff, one to handle news and wire service and the other to look after club and society reports. The paper will carry leased wire United Press service and NEA features.

R. L. (Bob) Davis has tendered his resignation to the Coke county commissioners' court as county judge and announced that he will go to Pecos as city secretary. He requested that his resignation become effective October 17. Davis, formerly a citizen of Pecos, attended the city schools there. While living at Robert Lee he has been active, serving as president of the Jaycees and in offices of the American Legion post, Boy Scout organization, W. O. W. and Masonic lodges.

A contract was signed last week by the city of Bronte and the West Texas Utilities Co. for the erection of 20 new street and alley lights. Most of the lights will be in the business district and two on the highway leading into town. Street lights which now hang from the center will be removed. Work on the project is expected to start about December 1.

Members of the First Baptist Church at Winters have started work on an educational building. The two-story structure will be 46 by 100 feet, the ground floor to contain a 24 by 32 general assembly room, four Sunday school rooms, two nursery departments, a small kitchen and two other departments for children. The pastor's study, library and other Sunday school departments

will be on the second floor. The first community chest drive at Stephenville will be launched today. Several months ago civic leaders decided to adopt the community chest plan in order to avoid so many fund-raising campaigns which demand free time of busy men. The past week-end a meeting was held of organization heads which will share in the chest to get their estimated budgets for 12 months. A goal was to be set to properly care for all the beneficiaries.

Superior Oil Co. has filed an application for a permit to drill a 6,000-foot test with a rotary rig in the southwestern corner of Runnels county, 1 3/4 miles from Miles. About one mile southwest of the new location, the Miles Oil Co. drilled a 2,420-foot test which was abandoned dry about two years ago. Work on the new well is to be started in the near future.

Five Brady men last week went to Dallas, where they boarded a plane for Cleveland to attend three games of the world series to be played in that city. Making the trip were Dr. D. W. Jordan, J. A. Maxwell, Walter Morrow, Jack Roddie and Bill Miller. Many years ago Maxwell was a pitcher for the New York Giants, being a member of the team when John J. McGraw was manager.

The Bishop Forest Council of the Knights of Columbus, Rowena, held a business meeting last Monday. Members authorized a \$50 contribution to be used on paving adjoining parish property. Members were urged to attend the annual field mass which was held at San Angelo on October 12. The annual barbecue for members and their families was set for October 24 at the parish hall.

Ex-students of the Melvin school are to hold their first home-coming on October 22. Committees have been planning the event for some time and already a free barbecue has been booked for 5:30 in the afternoon. This will be followed by a general assembly and program in the high school gymnasium. After the program all former students will be guests at the Miles-Paint Rock football game.

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MISS SENSABAUGH TO BE IN McMURRY RADIO SERIES
ABILENE, Oct. 13—Kathryn Sensabaugh, of Ballinger, will be included in the cast of "Legend of Arabia," a play which will be the first in a series of KRBC radio broadcasts originating on the campus of McMurry College.

group of one-act plays as the first series, explains Mrs. Edith Grimes, acting head of the speech department. Mrs. Grimes will also direct the entire series.

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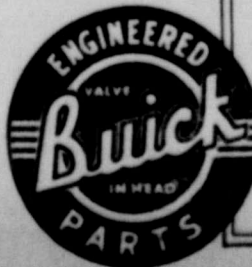
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WHO CASTS THE FIRST STONE . . . For a study in the brutalized emotions that can grip men who are caught in the surge of mob action, take a look at this picture of some young French aviation workers in the middle of a big riot in Paris. They are posing defiantly with hands filled with stones and chunks of broken concrete which they hurled at police during the recent riot of the members of the nationalized aviation industry in the French capital. Several persons, including police, were injured in the clash which was touched off when the workers staged a mass demonstration outside the industry's headquarters.

FOOTBALL

HOWARD PAYNE COLLEGE

vs.

AUSTIN COLLEGE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16

8:15 p. m.

Brownwood High School Stadium

HEAR COACH FELTON T. WRIGHT

Sports Program

Each Thursday, 8 p. m.

Station KBWD

1380 Kilocycles

were added:
Two pieces of furniture were refinished, 3 chairs and sofas were upholstered, 2 slip covers made, 43 aluminum trays made, 13 quilts made, 15 tile tables made, \$575.25 worth of milk, \$32.41 of cream and \$60 of butter were sold;

All members are improving food preservation methods. Five families reported 3,050 pounds of meat cured and 1,207 pounds frozen. Eight families sold eggs totalling \$904.48. Six families added 625 chickens, 2 large picture frames were converted into mirrors, one piano was bought, one hobbinal bedspread was made, 38 dish towels were made and embroidered, 25 pot holders were made, 10 scarfs were made. Three family socials and one community social were held;

Members helped with seven bridal and stork showers, bought equipment needed in school lunch room, and 15 non-club members were helped.

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Feeding Parasites On Animals Costs Raisers Big Loss

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 13.—Most of the stockmen know there hasn't been much grass in the pastures and on the range this year. There hasn't been enough to feed the cattle, so there sure isn't enough to feed the cattle parasites too. But lots of farmers and ranchmen are feeding them, and it's costing an awful lot of money to do so, says C. A. King, associate extension entomologist of Texas A. & M. College.

Cattle that are free of parasites have a better appearance, are healthier and more productive than cattle that have to keep swatting flies off, or rubbing against the fence post to scratch the ticks. Cattle lice and four kinds of ticks are the parasites that bother cattle most in the winter.

Cattle are bothered by lice more in the winter and early spring when the hair is long, so the best time to treat cattle for lice is the fall of the year. Both rotenone

and DDT are good for the control of lousy cattle. If you use rotenone, two treatments two weeks apart will give a good lice control. Here's the recipe: one pound of 5 per cent rotenone and 10 pounds of wettable sulphur for each 100 gallons of water. Or you can use 50 per cent DDT wettable powder to each 100 gallons of water.

Four ticks common to Texas cattle are the Lone Star, the spinose ear, the Gulf Coast ear, and the winter tick. All are blood suckers and cause the cattle to lose weight if there are enough ticks.

The Lone Star tick can be controlled by dipping every two weeks, beginning when the first ticks are found and stopping when they are gone. Eight pounds of 50 per cent wettable DDT in 100 gallons of water used as a spray or dip is recommended for tick control. The spinose ear tick is a common cattle parasite throughout most of Texas, and can be controlled by treating the ears of livestock with Stock 1029, using a small paint brush. Also it's important to treat all salt, mineral and feed troughs with equal parts of kerosene and lubricating oil.

The Gulf Coast ear ticks are found in a 100 mile area from the coastline along the Gulf of Mexico. A good treatment inside the ear and out with Stock 1037 kills any

ticks present and holds them off from three to six weeks. The winter tick is found down around San Antonio. A spray or wash with eight-tenths per cent DDT will get rid of these winter ticks. Farmers and stockmen will notice better and bigger gains on their livestock if they keep the lice, ticks and mites away, especially during the winter months, says King.

TWO AUDIENCES WITNESS ALLAH AXIOM MAGIC SHOW

The junior and senior classes of the Ballinger high school presented Allah Axiom Tuesday afternoon and evening in a show of magic.

At the afternoon performance students packed the high school auditorium and Tuesday night the house was about half filled. The show was postponed a week due to a breakdown in equipment and the second date was not well advertised.

Axiom utilized excellent stage equipment in presenting his mystifying stunts and the show made a decided hit here.

The two classes are raising funds for their activities during the school year and worked together in the advance sale of tickets for this attraction.



HEAR

Hon. Harold E. Stassen

KGKL San Angelo

October 15, 7:30 p. m.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Boelsche left Sunday for Hearne and Industry to visit relatives and attend to business.

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BETHEL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Aprons were displayed at the Bethel home demonstration club meeting held in the home of Mrs. Robert Wood September 30.

The meeting opened with singing led by Mrs. Marion Hays after which the annual exhibit was discussed. Mrs. Wood was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Cotton, in serving punch to seventeen members and one guest.

The October 7 meeting was held in the home of Mrs. L. F. Loika. It was decided that leather tooling would be the Bethel club's educational entry in the county exhibit on October 30. Annual reports were given by sixteen

members. Club pal names were disclosed and new names were drawn. Two new members, Mrs. Bob Fowler and Mrs. Perry Elliott, were welcomed. Mrs. Ben Livermon was in charge of the program which was based on balanced meals.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Marion Hays on October 21. Cookies and cold drinks were served.

Items listed in the members' annual reports were:

Nine kitchens improved, 4 living rooms improved, 5 bedrooms improved, 4 added major equipment such as ranges, refrigerators, washing machines, one added a built-in kitchen cabinet, one added a woolen bed cover, 53 pieces of cotton household articles

Girls Forget Fears, Thanks To 2-Way Help

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KEELHAULED . . . This British model is having her hair done up from starboard to port, with the combers breaking over a frigate on top. Her coiffure was featured in a commemoration of the granting of the Oxford charter to barbers in 1348.



TONSILS . . . John Taber Fitzgerald of Los Angeles made his debut as a singer at Town Hall in New York last month at the age of 81. The aging baritone took to song during the depression.

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FRESH		
GROUND MEAT	No Cereal	39c
Folger's Coffee	lb	49c
Y A M S	lb	7c
Potatoes	RUSSETT lb	4c
Jewel Shortening	3 lb carton	85c
Cranberries	Fresh lb	25c

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• 10 Lbs. 82c	FRESH
5 Lbs. 43c	12c each
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CHIMNEY SWEEP ON MISSION TO MOSCOW . . . Because he had lost all faith in formal diplomacy and striped-pants negotiators for peace, Arthur Cuttriss, 43-year-old London chimney sweep, appointed himself ambassador of the working man and started to plan his own mission to Moscow. Cuttriss (left) is shown with Lewis Rollwell, a bobbin-winder, as they called at the Russian consulate in London to see about visas. He hopes that a man-to-man talk with Stalin will settle the whole problem of world peace. The two "envoys" will use this little car for the trip to the Russian capital. They're taking along a change of clothing and three extra gallons of gas.

FOR SALE

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Sealed bids will be received by County Superintendent W. E. Elkins through October 20, and will be opened at 10:00 a. m. on October 23.

10% of bidding price must accompany each bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.



Come to Church

First Presbyterian Church
 Sunday: 10:00 a. m., church school, 11:00 o'clock morning worship, 7:30 o'clock, evening worship.
 Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., mid-week service.
 LAWRENCE E. GILBERT, Pastor

Seventh Street Baptist Church
 (Meeting in the Junior High School building)
 Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Morning worship, 11 a. m., Training Union, 7:00 p. m., Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
 Wednesday: Teachers' and officers' meeting, 8:00 p. m., Prayer practice, 7:30 p. m., Choir practice, 8 p. m., 1st and 3rd Monday Nights: Brotherhood.

Foursquare Gospel Church
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 11:00 a. m., morning worship, 6:45 p. m., Junior Crusaders, Mary Lou Tindle, captain, 8:00 p. m., evangelistic service, pastor in charge.
 Tuesday: 8:00 p. m., prayer meeting.
 Thursday: 8:00 p. m., Senior Crusaders, Bible study, Clifton Wright.

captain.
 If you are looking for a place to worship, we invite you to the Foursquare Gospel Church, 104 North Twelfth Street, where you will only be a stranger once.
 C. R. DUNAWAY, Pastor

Church of the Nazarene
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 11:00 a. m., morning service, 6:45 p. m., N.Y.P.S. program, 8:00 p. m., evening service.
 Wednesday: 8:00 p. m., prayer service.
 Tuesday: 3:30 p. m., W.F.M.S., J. MARVIN HARRISON, Pastor

Church of Christ
 (Eighth and Bonsall)
 Sunday: Bible School, 9:45 a. m., Preaching, 10:45 a. m., Lord's Supper, 11:45 a. m., Young people's service, 6:45 p. m., Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
 Tuesday: Women's Bible study, 4:00 p. m.
 Wednesday: Worship, 8:00 p. m.
 The church welcomes you to all of its services.
 H. E. JOHNSTON, Minister

First Baptist Church
 (400 Eighth Street)
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Preston Fitzhugh, superintendent, 11:00 a. m., morning worship, 7:30 p. m., evening worship, 8:30 p. m., Baptist Training Union.
 Wednesday: 7:00 p. m., teachers' meeting, 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting, 8:15 p. m., choir rehearsal.

First Christian Church
 Murrell Avenue and Broadway
 Archie W. Gray, Minister, O. P. Dorsey, Sunday School Superintendent.
 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 11:00 a. m., worship and communion, 8:00 p. m., evening worship.

Grace Baptist Church
 Sunday school, 10 a. m., Preaching hour, 11 a. m., Evening service, 8:00 p. m., Wednesday evening, 8:00.
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 EARL H. RICHARDS, Pastor

First Methodist Church
 (Corner Murrell and Tenth)
 Sunday: 9:45 a. m., church school, 11:00 a. m., morning worship, 6:00 p. m., young people's service, 8:00 p. m., evening worship.
 Wednesday: 8:00 p. m., senior choir rehearsal.
 E. L. CRAIG, Pastor

Church of God
 Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Morning worship, 11 a. m., Junior Y. P., 7:15 p. m., Youth Fellowship, 7:15 p. m., Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
 Wednesday: Mid-week prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
 J. H. SHELL, Pastor, Phone 134

Church of Christ
 (1100 Ninth Street)
 Lord's Day services, 10 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., Wednesday, Bible study, 8 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend all of our services. You are always welcome.

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
 9:45 a. m., Sunday School, Carl Black, superintendent, Vesper service, 5:00 p. m., Dr. Anson T. Dewey, Winters.
 K. V. Northington has been elected to membership in the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association at Chicago. It was announced recently by Secretary Frank Richards, Mr. Northington was one of thirteen purebred Aberdeen-Angus breeders in Texas elected during the past month to membership in the organization.
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<p>CADILLAC</p> <p>DressOxfords</p> <p>For Men Regular Price \$9.95 Sizes 6 to 12 Solid Leather Construction</p> <p>\$6.98</p> <p>Final Close-Out Price</p>	<p>BOYS' Famous Dickie's</p> <p>Blue Jeans</p> <p>All Sizes 2 to 16 Now Only</p> <p>\$1.98</p>	<p>New Styles New Colors in Men's GENUINE FUR</p> <p>Felt Hats</p> <p>Grays, Blues, Tans and Browns Sizes 6¾ to 7¾ Sold to \$5.00 Friday, Saturday</p> <p>\$2.98</p>	<p>Group of Carry-Overs</p> <p>Ladies' Bags</p> <p>Some sold to \$4.95 but they are not worth it—Out They Go</p> <p>50c Plus Tax</p>	<p>One Group of Ladies' Millinery</p> <p>Carry-Overs But Sold to \$4.95 Choice on Sale</p> <p>25c Each</p>	<p>BROKEN LOTS of Shoes</p> <p>Sold to \$4.95 Ladies' and Misses' OXFORDS and STRAPS</p> <p>\$1.00 Pair</p>

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IN SOCIETY

Mrs. Louella Poole Honor Guest at Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Louella Poole, of Kansas, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tex Bullock, and Mr. Bullock for several days before going to Bakersfield, California, to visit several months, was named honor guest by the Bullocks when they entertained with a surprise birthday dinner party in the banquet room at the Central Hotel Friday evening.

The linen-laid table was centered with a floral arrangement of red carnations and white chrysanthemums, a gift of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Smith and Mrs. Nell Cape. Other table appointments were red tapers in crystal holders and places were marked by floral designed cards with limericks. A white carnation corsage was presented to the honoree by Misses Elverie Sorrells and Barto Wade.

The "Happy Birthday" song was sung as Mrs. Poole entered the dining room, and gifts were opened following the four-course chicken menu.

Others present were: Mr. and

Mrs. Tom Barron, of Bakersfield, California; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cezeaux, Mrs. R. R. Williams, Mrs. Augusta Bethany, Mrs. C. L. Baker and Mrs. Sim Cottle.

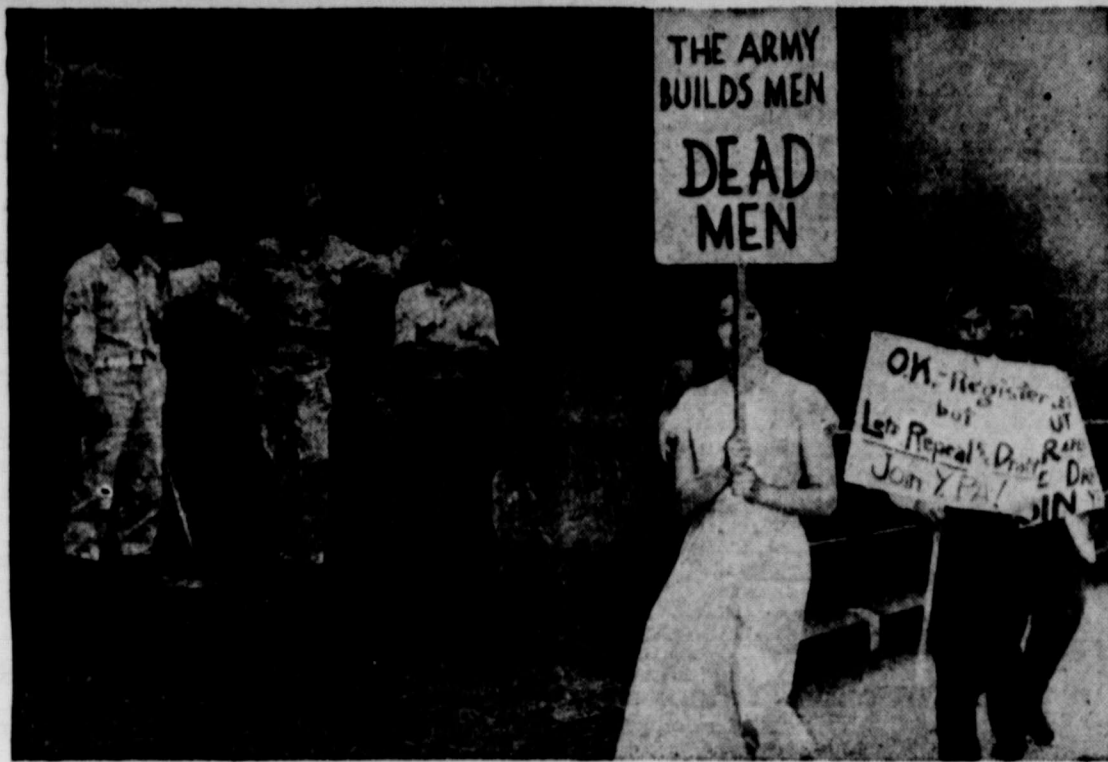
Shakespeare Club Opens Fall Season

The Ballinger Shakespeare Club opened its fall season with a tea for the membership and a few added guests last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Estes Lynn on Eleventh Street.

Reception rooms were colorful with arrangements of fall flowers which included gladioli in salmon shades, yellow zinnias and michaemas daisies.

Mrs. Bill Sykes greeted guests and presented Mrs. Dorsey Read, the new president. Others in the receiving line were Mrs. L. E. Dudley, of Abilene, state chairman of fine arts; Mrs. Edgar Boelsche, Mrs. Powell Wear and Mrs. Paul Petty.

Mrs. C. P. Shepherd, program chairman, presented Miss Rose Mary Bruce, violinist; Mrs. O. G. Joiner, accompanist; and Mrs. Jack



VISUAL PROTEST AGAINST PEACETIME DRAFT... All over the nation young men were lining up again. The occasion was the second peacetime draft in the U. S. within eight years. There were the usual long lines of impatient men wanting only to sign up and get it over with. And there were the usual delays and snarled up procedure. In short, the draft registration seemed to be progressing pretty normally, even to the inevitable "protest." In Boston, as soldiers looked on, a group of picketers carrying placards objecting to the draft marched in front of the first corps cadet armory during the first registration day.

Nixon, Jr., soloist, in a musical program which included the violin number, "Concerto in D. Minor," by Wienlanski (second movement) and the vocal number, "Lo! Here the Gentle Lark," by Sir Henry R. Bishop. Mrs. Read introduced Mrs. Dudley, guest speaker, who chose "The Fine Art of Living" for her subject. Mrs. Dudley's principal thought was that there are many palliatives offered for personal unhappiness, but there is really only one cure, and that is peace of mind, and to have that we must be of service in our home, our community, to our fellowman, and insist upon tolerance, education and culture.

At the social hour Mrs. Lynn was assisted by the social committee, Mrs. W. J. Hembree, Mrs. Sykes and Mrs. R. E. Key, in serving cheese wafers and cookies with spiced tea. Visitors were: Mmes. Fritz Koehler, of Cuero; J. B. Dankworth, Reed Slay, Larry Gilbert, C. J. Lynn; Jack Bandy, McGregor, of Dallas; W. A. McDonald, F. M. Pearce, B. J. Martin, John King and Alex McGregor. Members present were: Mmes. H. Blecluk, Ernest Cezeaux, Marvin Clark, Sim Cottle, H. C. Daniels, M. A. Foy, Arthur Giesecke, J. W. Guynes, E. L. Ingram, B. C. Kirk, T. J. McCaughan, Max McCrary, Jr., Orland Middleton, F. C. Miller, E. A. Saunders, Ford Taylor, active; Mmes. J. F. Currie, John I. Guion and E. E. King, associate.

Jerry Lee Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Etheline Lee entertained Wednesday afternoon with a party honoring her son, Jerry, on his sixth birthday, at the home of Mrs. Guy Middleton, 303 Ninth Street. The Hallow'en season was emphasized in decorations, favors and refreshments.

After games and stories told by Mrs. Middleton, the beautifully decorated birthday cake with its lighted candles was brought in and the children sang "Happy Birthday," followed by blowing out the candles and making wishes. Ice cream was served with the birthday cake to Bill and Kay Key, Paul Sanders, Bobbie and Barbara Browning, Joe Dan Scott, Douglas Schoenwolf, Linda Jo and Martha Hudgins, Mary Hampton, Shirley and Gene Harvey, Shirley, Pat and Donnie Bates, Carolyn Roach, Carylon Tisdale, Frankie Jean and Dickie Duncan, Darline and Sonny Jennings, Joe and Tommie Ray, Jan and Karen Connor, Mike and Melanie Scales, David Pearse and Mike Roundtree.

Double Wedding Performed at Valley View Church

Beautiful double wedding rites uniting Miss Juanda Patton and Don Murphy and Miss Norma Joyce Richards and Bill Murphy were read Sunday morning at 8:00 o'clock in the Valley View Baptist Church west of Ballinger, by the pastor, the Rev. Ralph Perkins.

Miss Patton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Patton; Miss Richards the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Richards of Bethel; and the bridegrooms are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Murphy.

The vows were recited before a background of ferns and other greenery and shell pink gladioli in floor baskets. The scene was candle lighted by white tapers in floor candelabra. Aisle pews were marked by white satin bows.

Jean Murphy, sister of the bridegrooms, and Merle Richards, sister of the bride, Miss Richards, lighted the tapers.

Miss Wilma Lois Duke, pianist, presented a medley of love songs, and accompanied Mrs. Merle Taff, who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Always." Miss Duke also played the traditional wedding marches and softly played "At Dawning" as vows were spoken.

The brides were given in marriage by their fathers, Mrs. Don Murphy wore a street dress of winter white crepe with a shirred bodice and full circular skirt. Her off-the-face hat was brown with matching veil. Her other accessories were brown suede. She carried a white Bible which was given her by her uncle, Willard Patton, graced with white carnations caught in cascade streamers. Following tradition, she also carried for "something old and borrowed" a linen handkerchief belonging to her mother. Her only ornament was a strand of pearls which was a gift of the bridegroom. Mrs. Bill Murphy wore an electric blue crepe dress trimmed with black jed bead designs around the neckline and the skirt was fashioned with side draped peplums. Her gray hat was ornamented with feather tips and veiling and her other accessories were gray. She also carried a white Bible topped with white carnations and satin streamers.

Attendants for Mrs. Don Murphy were Miss Helen Russell, maid of honor; and Miss Neita Fay Bryan, bridesmaid. Miss Russell chose a Dresden pink crepe dress with brown accessories, and Miss Bryan wore a soft blue crepe dress with black accessories. Serving as maid of honor for Mrs. Bill Murphy was Miss Wanda Richards, sister of the bride, and Miss Susie Harris was bridesmaid. Miss Richards wore a gray gabardine dress and brown accessories, and Miss Harris wore a dusty rose wool crepe with black accessories. Attendants for both brides wore white carnation corsages.

Wesley Stuart, of Sweetwater,

was best man for Don Murphy, and Barney Machann served as best man for Bill Murphy. Grooms-men were J. B. Nunn and Billy Jack Williams, of Abilene.

Parents of both brides were hosts at a reception following the ceremony in the banquet room of the Central Hotel, in Ballinger, which was decorated with baskets of pink gladioli.

The brides' table was laid with linen and outlined with maline, caught with sprays of white mums, and lighted by white tapers in double crystal holders. A large arrangement of white mums centered the table and the two-tiered wedding cakes were laid in white and decorated with green and yellow floral designs and topped with miniature bridal couples, were at opposite ends of the table. Misses Helen Russell and Susie Harris cut the cake and Miss Neita Fay Bryan presided at the tea service. Misses Wilma Jean Murphy and Wanda Richards registered guests.

Leaving on a honeymoon trip, Mrs. Don Murphy wore a black and white checked two-piece wool dress trimmed in green with black accessories. They will be at home in Sweetwater, where the bridegroom is employed. Mrs. Bill Murphy was wearing a suit of gold gabardine with brown accessories, and they will be at home at 1200 Pou Avenue, Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy are both graduates of Ballinger High School. Mrs. Murphy was employed in the office at Higginbotham Bros. & Co. the past year. Mrs. Bill Murphy is a graduate of Ballinger High School and attended Draughton's Business College. She has been employed at Malone Drug Store. Mr. Bill Murphy attended Ballinger schools before he enlisted in the Navy, where he served three years.

Miss Baldwin Weds S. D. Wood in Winters Home

In a ceremony held at the home of the bride's mother at seven o'clock Thursday evening, Miss Dorothy Baldwin, daughter of Mrs. Lillie Baldwin, became the bride of S. D. Wood of San Angelo, son of R. H. Wood of San Angelo.

The Rev. Thomas B. Granger, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Winters, read the double-ring service under an improvised arch of greenery flanked by baskets of white gladioli and yellow mums.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Buford Baldwin, wore a gray gabardine suit and a black picture hat trimmed with bows of net. She carried a white Bible borrowed from Miss Glyndena Harrison, topped with gardenias showered with satin streamers. Her accessories were black.

Miss Marilyn Kuykendall of Cherokee was the bride's only attendant and wore a sky blue gabardine suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of roses.

Coy Baldwin, cousin of the bride, played the nuptial music. Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held for the wedding party and guests. On the lace-laid table were an arrangement of yellow and white mums and two-tiered wedding cake topped with yellow rosebuds.

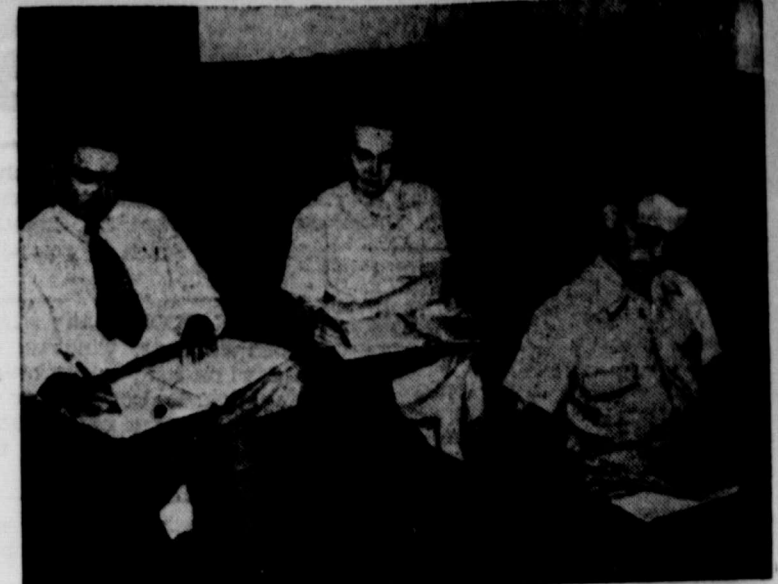
Mrs. Bob Williams of Ballinger and Mrs. Buford Baldwin assisted at the reception.

Mrs. Wood is a graduate of Winters High School and of Shannon School of Nursing in San Angelo. Since her graduation she has been employed on the Staff of Winters Municipal Hospital.

Mr. Wood attended the Ballinger schools and served in the Marine Corps for almost three years. At present he is employed by a trucking concern in Ballinger, where the couple will make their home at 707 Harris Avenue.

Mrs. Eulalia Nicholson attended to business at Abilene Saturday.

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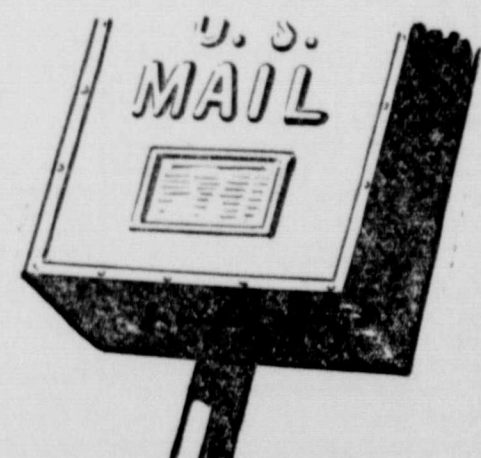
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