



# IN SOCIETY

## Bridge Luncheon Club Members Entertained by Mrs. McGregor

Mrs. Malcolm McGregor was hostess to members of the 1925 Bridge Luncheon Club and a few added guests Friday afternoon, entertaining in her home on Broadway.

At the conclusion of contract games, the high and low awards went to Mrs. Q. V. Miller and Mrs. George Holman.

The hostess served a two-course refreshment plate to the following guests: Meses. Kenneth Wadsworth, Sherman Hendricks, Delbert Vancil, E. B. Clappitt, R. T. Hall, R. G. Erwin, Lena Belle Baker, Alex McGregor, Sim Cottelle, and Miss Clara Lynn; and to members: Meses. E. A. Saunders, John I. Guion, Estes Lynn, Joel Bales, George Holman, Paul Trimmer, F. M. Pearce, N. Bruce Creasy, Q. V. Miller, and Miss Winnie Trill.

Mrs. Barr Hostess to Ace of Clubs  
Mrs. Earl Barr included Mrs. Arthur Underwood, Mrs. J. R.

McMahan, and Mrs. Hill Hampton when she was hostess to Ace of Clubs last Thursday afternoon.

The Darr ranch home was given added attractiveness by bouquets of late summer blossoms where Mrs. Hampton received high score award and the bingo award went to Mrs. Edward Sommer.

A salad plate was served with lead tea. Others were: Meses. H. G. Agnew, Sam Conner, John Bradley, W. O. Irby, Price Middleton, George Newby, and W. E. Moss.

## Mrs. Agnew Hostess to Triple-Four Club and Added Guests

Mrs. Tom Agnew included Meses. Powell Wear, R. T. Williams, Lena Belle Baker, Ernest Caskey, Allen Davis, John Bradley, S. E. Cloninger, Herman Price, Herman Herzing and Sim Cottelle when she was hostess to members of the Triple-Four club Friday afternoon.

The Agnew home in Wilke Terrace was decorated with a profusion of zinnia arrangements where Mrs. Troy Simpson received the high score award; Mrs. Edgar



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Boelche, the low award; and the bingo awards went to Mrs. Wear, Mrs. K. V. Northington and Mrs. E. W. Stasney.

At the conclusion of games Mrs. L. R. Tigner and Mrs. Stasney assisted in serving a salad plate with lead tea. Others were: Meses. F. M. Pearce, Claude Stone, Ross Murchison, Alex McGregor, Harry Lynn and Delbert Vancil.

## Brownie Troop 5 Makes Plans for Year

August is the birthday month for Brownie Troop No. 5, and members met last Thursday morning at the Girl Scout house on Fifth Street with their leaders, Mrs. Wallace Barnett and Mrs. S. E. Cloninger, for re-registration and to make plans for activities for the ensuing year. Mrs. Barnett and Mrs. Clon-

## Business Leader With Great War Record Tells How Hadacol Has Rebuilt Him Physically

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Mr. Hedburg has an enviable record of combat with the U. S. Army in the South Pacific in World War II. He is very active in civic affairs. And just as he was anxious to pitch in and do a job during the war—he now wants to help his fellow citizens who (like he was once), are physically run-down and weak due to lack of Vitamins B<sub>1</sub>, B<sub>2</sub>, Iron, and Niacin in their systems.

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ger served refreshments after the following girls registered: Nelida Jo Barnett, Martha Gallant, Jim Beth Flynt, Linda Frances Wright, Janice Hadley, Paula Jean Bishop,

Jane Nixon, Linda Kay Moncrief, Margaret Lou Campbell, Linda Kay Crockett, Lucia Clark, Mary Kay Cloninger and Rosalie Jones. Mrs. Barnett announced that if

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any more girls wished to register they should contact her before schools begins. A meeting date is to be set later. All troops will meet at the Girl Scout house.

alumna who was the first president of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union in Texas and who was instrumental in getting a southwestern organization underway. One scholarship is awarded to a girl in each of the 17 WMU districts in the state.

## College Scholarship Won by Local Girl!



Miss Reni Marrene Ford, of Ballinger, has been named winner of a Fannie Breedlove Davis scholarship to Mary Hardin-Baylor College, Belton, for the term which begins September 7. This scholarship honors the memory of Fannie Breedlove Davis, a Mary Hardin-Baylor

graduate of Ballinger high school, Miss Ford was queen of the high school in 1948-49, was secretary of the junior and senior classes and was a member of the Quill and Scroll, national high school organization for journalists.

She plans to study medical technology. Miss Ford was a member of the staff which published Cat Tracks and was also among the ten high ranking students in the graduating class.

Increased consumption of milk by city people would be a big step toward improving their diets. In 1948 sixty per cent of all city families were using less than five quarts or its equivalent per person per week.

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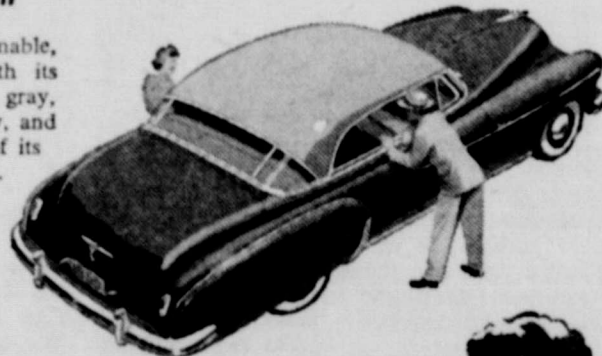
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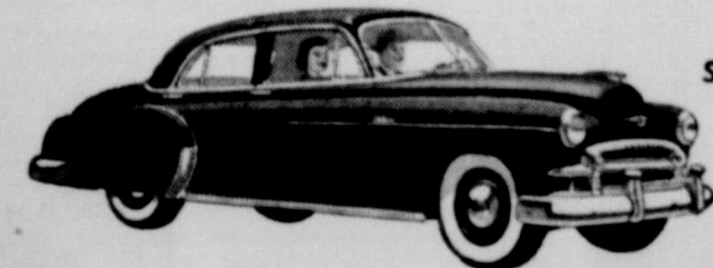
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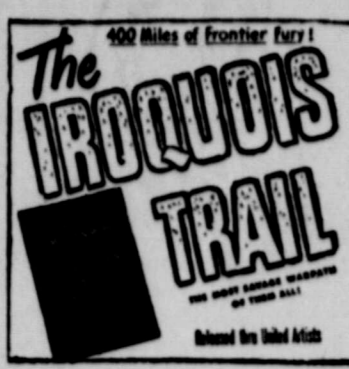
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### Drama, Western, Mystery Thriller, Romance Varied Fare Offered at the Hillcrest Drive-In

Jeanette MacDonald's glorious voice, Lloyd Nolan's two-fisted ruggedness, Claude Jarman, Jr.'s juvenile appeal, Lassie's exciting exploits, Technicolor reproduction of the majestic Santa Cruz mountains, are highlights of the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer drama, "The Sun Comes Up," billed at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre tonight only.

Savage in its action, well cast and dramatically told, "Brimstone," Republic's newest Trucolor saga of the early west, is to be shown at the Hillcrest tomorrow and Saturday, August 25, 26. Rod Cameron, Adrian Booth, Walter Brennan, Forrest Tucker, James Brown, Jack Lambert and Jim Davis make up the cast.

"D. O. A.," which has probably aroused more curiosity than any film of recent months because of its provocative title, arrives at the Hillcrest Sunday for a two-day run, August 27, 28. The story has a strong element of novelty and surprise. Taken all together it is declared gripping entertainment, with the strangest murder ever filmed providing the motivating theme.

Edmund O'Brien is starred, and others in the cast are Beverly Campbell, Luther Adler, Neville Brand, Lynn Baggett, Henry Hart, William Ching and Laurette Luez.

Slated to take its place with the greatest lover teams in cinematic history, to rank with the John Gilbert-Greta Garbo and Clark Gable-Vivien Leigh pairs, is the newest one of Gary Cooper and Patricia Neal, the two who are bringing alive the tempestuous love story of "The Fountainhead." The Warner Bros. film is to be shown at the Hillcrest Tuesday and Wednesday, August 29, 30.

Supporting players are Raymond Massey, Robert Douglas and Kent Smith.

## PALACE

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### Joel McCrea and Barry Sullivan Fight For Gold, Affections of Arlene Dahl

Joel McCrea and Barry Sullivan fight to the death over a million dollars in gold bullion and the affections of Arlene Dahl in "The Outriders," new M-G-M outdoor adventure drama, to be presented at the Texas Theatre in Saturday midnight preview, Sunday and Monday, August 27, 28.

A swirling torrent is forced by a wagon train to keep a date with death; Indian fights, a livestock stampede, and the spectacle of the Utah mountains and canyons filmed on location in Technicolor, are other highlights in this highly-touted production. McCrea has a role which climaxes such of his outstanding characterizations as those of "Union Pacific," "The Virginian," and "Wells Fargo." Miss Dahl comes to the feminine lead fresh from her western role in "Ambush." Sullivan, cast as McCrea's rival, recently scored in "Tension" and "Nancy Goes to

### Monte Hale Western Film No. 1 on Palace Program

The No. 1 offering on the double-feature program at the Palace Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday is "Pioneer Marshal," a Republic western "sager" starring Monte Hale.

Things get off to a rousing start in the first sequence and things are still going strong in the final scene when Marshal Monte Hale and villain Damian O'Flynn come face to face in a six-gun duel. Paul Hurst, Roy Barcroft and Nan Leslie are featured players.

The solving of a series of baffling murders forms the basic story structure for "Snow Dog," second



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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: Annie Laura Bobbitt Staley, wife of W. O. Staley, J. Connaway, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of J. Connaway, Deceased; Mary Castleberry, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Mary Castleberry, Deceased; S. R. Frost, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of S. R. Frost, Deceased; B. T. Berry, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of B. T. Berry, Deceased; J. A. Younger, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of J. A. Younger, Deceased; all Defendants—GREETING.

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 25th day of September, A. D. 1950, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of

Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 5th day of August, 1950. The file number of said suit being No. 5808. The names of the parties in said suit are: Jewell Clement Robinson as Plaintiff, Annie Laura Bobbitt Staley et al as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit in trespass to try title filed by said plaintiff, suing to recover the fee simple title to and possession of the following described land located in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit:

Being all of three acres of land of the B. Sandoval Survey No. 312, Abstract No. 419, one acre of which being the same land described in a deed executed by H. E. Petty et ux to W. R. Bobbitt and Alice Bobbitt of record in Vol. 111, Page 395, Deed Records, Runnels County, Texas, and two acres of land being the same land described as two tracts in a deed executed by W. A. Glenn et ux to Mrs. Clyde E. Odom of record in Vol. 77, Page 88, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, to which and the records thereof reference is hereby made for a more complete description.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unreserved.

Issued this 7th day of August, A. D. 1950.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1950.

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**Robert Sterling Western, Joan Davis Comedy  
And Betty Grable Musical Billed at Horseshoe**

The unflinching courage of a young ranchman who faces murder at the hands of his enemies is the underlying motive of the RKO Radio western, "Roughshod," to be shown at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday. Robert Sterling, as the hero; Gloria Grahame, as the dauntless heroine; Claude Jarman, Jr., as the hero's young brother; and John Ireland, as a vengeful convict, have the leading roles.

Joan Davis' hilarious misadventures as "The Traveling Saleswoman," a Columbia comedy, will be seen at the Horseshoe Sunday and Monday, August 27, 28. Featured in support of the star are Andy Devine, Adele Jergens, Joe Sawyer and Dean Rieszner.

The gaudy, rollicking 20th Century-Fox Technicolor musical, "Wabash Avenue," starring Betty Grable, Victor Mature and Phil Harris, is booked at the Horseshoe Wednesday and Thursday, August 30, 31. Set against the background of the Chicago Columbia Exposition of 1893, the story revolves around the antics of a song and dance girl and the two men in her life who constantly battle each other for her favor. Five bright new tunes by Mack Gordon and Joseph Myrow are featured as well as a host of old time numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. O'Neill and daughter, Mrs. W. R. Glibreath, have returned from New Orleans, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gressett and family.

**BLANTON WORKERS' CLUB**

The Blanton Workers Club met Thursday, August 17, in the home of Mrs. Willard Reese, with nine members and three visitors present.

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour. A birthday cake was cut for Mrs. Carl King which was a gift from Mrs. A. W. Malone.

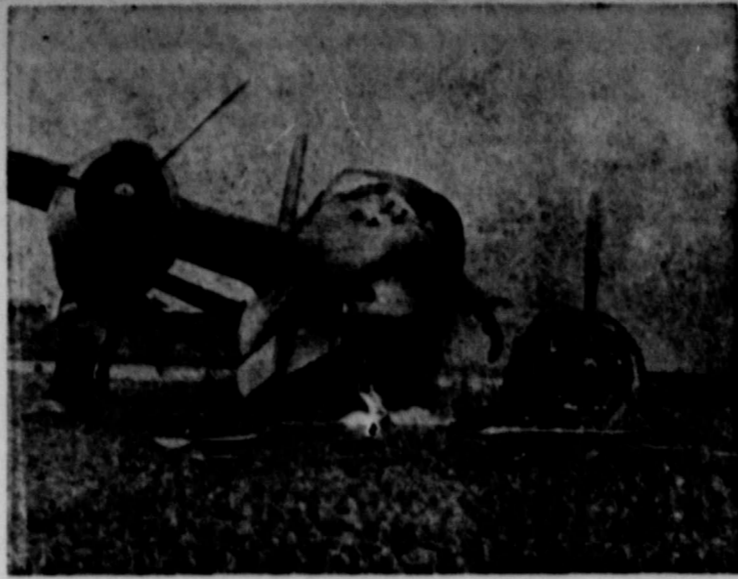
Mrs. Cecil Horner, a former member of the club, invited the club members to meet with her in her home at their next meeting. This was voted upon and carried.

Quilting was the diversion for the day. Mrs. Arlis Tounget gave a description of her recent trip to the Yellowstone National Park and other points of interest in Wyoming and other states they visited.

Visitors present were: Mrs. Jessie Moore, of Rogers; Mrs. J. E. Talley and daughter, Mrs. T. L. Whittenburg. Members present were: Mmes. D. L. Brevard, Cecil Horner, Malone Gallant, A. W. Malone, James Sprott, Arlis Tounget, Charles Tounget, G. R. Witter and Willard Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nixon, of Yoakum, are here for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon and other relatives. Mr. Nixon is manager of the J. C. Penney store at Yoakum.

Billy Jack Rudd, of Abilene, is here for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cloninger and with friends.



**U.S. BOMBER BURNS IN KOREA** . . . An American bomber, one of the planes destroyed during the battle in the Suwon area that fell to the Red invading troops, burns on the Suwon airstrip. This occurred as American and South Korean air and land successes were reported against the invading North Korean army. Air action was aimed at halting the surging Communist armor, with a major battle shaping up in the Chonan sector, 26 miles north of the rail center of Taegon.

**MISS BOWDEN TO GRADUATE AT NORTH TEXAS TOMORROW**

Miss Marilyn Joyce Bowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bowden will receive her B. B. A. degree from N. T. S. C., Denton, tomorrow (Friday). She is a member of the following honorary organizations of which in order to attain a B average is necessary: Kappa Delta Pi, Gamma Delta, Pi Omega Pi, the Future Teachers of America; and she was also a member of the Mary Arden Club. Mr. and Mrs. Bowden and daughter, Pat, will attend the graduation and accompany Marilyn Joyce home this week-end.

**WAGE BOOST MAY FORCE NEW TELEPHONE RATES**

Wage negotiations between the Southwestern States Telephone Co. and the Communications Workers of America have been concluded with an increase in wages for all employees covered by the contract on a professional scale, D. T. Strickland, general manager of the Southwestern States Telephone Co., announced this week. Mr. Strickland stated that the contract would be in force for a period of one year from August 1. "The telephone company employees, like all other workers, are affected by the present

increase in the cost of living. Should this trend continue and material costs likewise keep climbing, telephone rates must be increased," Mr. Strickland said.

G. E. Holstrom, of Fort Worth, who was repairing a barn on his farm near Rowena last week, while he and Mrs. Edward Sommer, fell from a ladder and broke an arm and sustained other injuries. He is receiving treatment at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital. Mr. Holstrom is employed by the First National Bank at Fort Worth, and spends some time every year in Ballinger looking after his farm interests. Mrs. Holstrom and Mrs. Sommer are sisters.

Mrs. D. W. Williams, of Drasco, is doing nicely following major surgery in the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital.



**BRITISH ENVOY TALKS PEACE** . . . Sir Ronald Kelly, British ambassador to Moscow, has had talks with Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko on "a possible peaceful settlement of the Korean conflict."

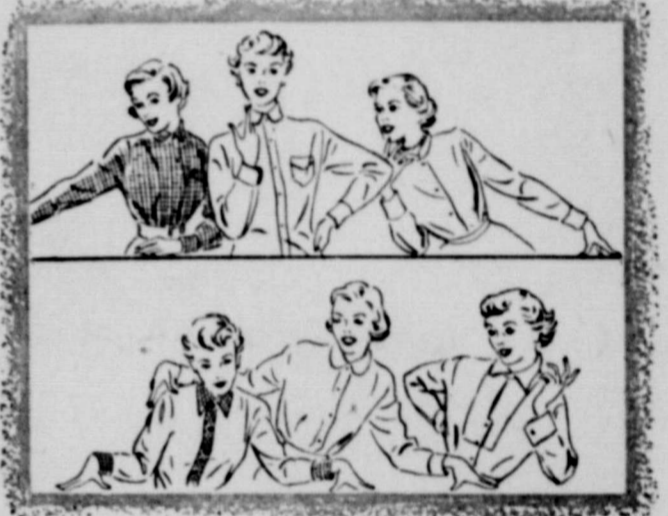
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The veterans administration office at Waco has issued a warning in regard to a number of salesmen who have been working in this area on programs which they claim have the endorsement of the V-A. This has been particularly true of magazine salesmen working in rural communities. Officers of the Waco office state they have endorsed no salesmen of any kind. It is urged that people be very careful before making any financial deal with these imposters. A number of schemes have been worked in West Texas this year in which peddlers declared they represented various veterans groups and as making money for charity organizations.

Runnels county will collect some \$11,250 more in taxes this year because of the increases in oil property holdings in Runnels county. The commissioners' court met with representatives of operators in this county last week to settle differences on valuations for taxes and after minor adjust-

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**WEST TEXAS NOTES**

C. T. DeWitt, of Paint Rock, is drilling a wildcat oil test on the Mrs. Texanna Ledbetter ranch near Pasche in Concho county. Standard cable tools are being used and the contract depth of 2,750 feet will be reached in about 90 days. The lease was assigned to DeWitt by C. M. Page with the stipulation that a well would be drilled.

The Brady high school band left last Sunday on its annual encampments, the tax rolls showed about \$1,500,000 added to the rolls. The same operators will pay taxes to towns and school districts which will be a big help. Some of the school districts, like Wingate, will be greatly benefited because of oil development which covers all of that section.

September marks the start of fall in this section and usually all business shows a marked increase. Ballinger schools will be opened on September 5 and this will create new activities downtown and set up a new routine for homes. Harvesting of Runnels county's main crop will get underway during the month and cotton picking will bring many new workers for several months. Merchants will start promotions of heavy clothing that mean the biggest sales of the year and many other things will engage local people full time. There will be changes in some store forces as employees leave for college and are replaced by other clerks. Practically all local merchants have returned from fall merchandise showings and are now receiving heavy shipments. With conditions unsettled, local merchants have purchased sufficient to guarantee the needs of their customers for the fall and winter seasons.

ment at Lost Creek on the San Saba River. Director Douglas Fry has announced that two hours a day will be devoted to marching and four hours to rehearsals. New music will be studied and the band will plan and rehearse between-half stunts for football games. The first band encampment was held in 1949 with such success that another was planned this year. The Brady band is one of the outstanding high school musical groups in this section of Texas.

Supt. L. M. Hays stated last Thursday that the fall term of the Miles schools would begin September 4, and that all faculty members had been employed, that all held degrees, and would be teaching in positions for which they had received special training. Ralph Wilmet is principal of the high school and Billy Johnson is principal of the elementary school.

Melvin citizens attended a mass meeting in the high school auditorium Friday to discuss the forming of the Central Texas Telephone Cooperative Association, and rural residents were given an opportunity to sign up for service. The number of people signing will be a determining factor in obtaining approval. A price has been submitted by the owner of the Melvin exchange and application made to make it part of the co-op.

The Pre-Madison Square Rodeo is underway at Dublin and will end Saturday night after five performances. It is declared the roughest and toughest western show ever held in this part of the state and is attracting the usual large crowds. Everett Colborn is arena director, a position he also fills in the New York show later in the year. Bob Wills and his nationally famed western band is a special feature this year and is helping to pack the stands.

Besides an arena filled with star performers many special acts are booked.

The Alpine Cowboys, one of the best semi-pro baseball teams in the Southwest, became the state champions last week and will go to the national tournament in the near future. The Cowboys whipped the Weimar Herder Truckers three straight games to become Texas semi-pro champions.

Twenty-five girls have been nominated for the beauty revue to be held at Menard next Wednesday, opening the Central West Texas Exposition. The winner, "Miss Menard County," will be crowned queen of the pageant. Menard business houses are sponsoring the entries. Five dances have been booked as special features during the fair and many other attractions are being arranged.

The Harmony school building has been moved to the Winters campus and work is well underway to make it ready for use this year. The building will have four rooms for elementary pupils, a heating system, sewerage and water. Baldwin district buildings also have been moved to Winters and converted into a negro school which will offer all facilities given white students.

Stephenville city officials have taken a new section into the corporate limits after a vote of the people in the addition favored the move. The land, north of the city, forms a triangle between the Glen Rose road and highway No. 281. The new subdivision offers excellent building sites and within the near future will be supplied with all utilities.

The Coleman Band Boosters Club announced last week that new uniforms for the Coleman high school band were practically assured. A drive to raise \$3,200 was started some time ago. The plan is to buy 50 new uniforms and the school board last week appropriated \$1,000 to the fund. A light blue coat with gray trousers will make up the uniform and the cost will be \$60 each. A number of new instruments also have been ordered for the band.

The Brownwood school board last week adopted a new set of

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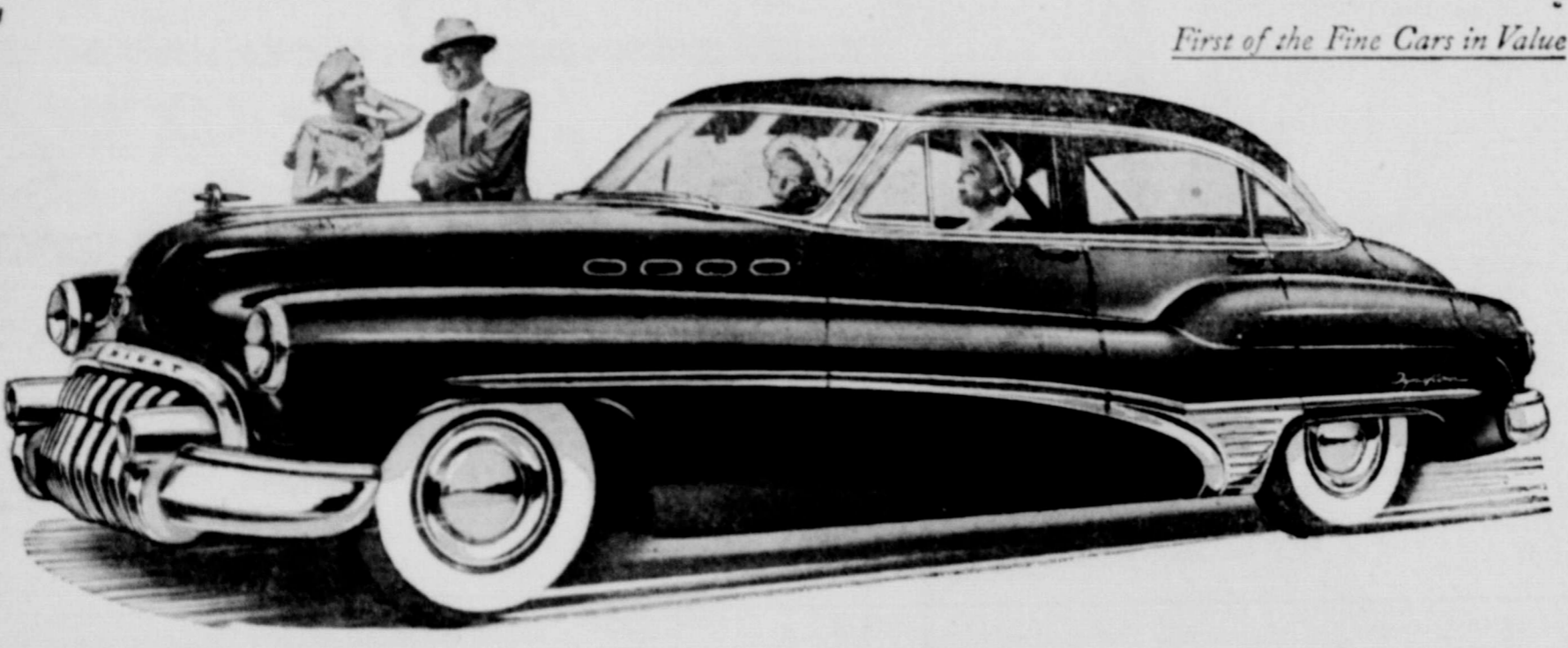
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policy regulations banning secret organizations among students and making those who marry ineligible for enrollment until one full semester following their marriage. Students are forbidden to wear rings or other insignia indicating membership in fraternities or other groups which select their own members. Boy Scouts, Rain-bow Girls and other organizations for public welfare are exempted.

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The annual meeting of the Comanche REA Friday drew attendance of about 2,500. Members met at Lake Eanes for the program which was featured by a basket dinner at noon. After the morning program and dinner a discussion was held on the proposed rural telephone co-op. The Comanche REA, organized in 1938, has a membership of about 5,000.

One of the best peanut crops in history is forecast for Eastland county. Notwithstanding an acreage cut, growing conditions have been good and with the set price the overall income probably will be the greatest ever attained. J. M. Cooper, county agent, estimates production at 1,250,000 bushels, which would bring the growers approximately \$3,375,000. About 1,200 farmers will participate in the benefits.

Formal installation of officers of St. Boniface Council, Knights

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of Columbus, was held at the Olfen hall last week with District Deputy R. B. Lange, of San Angelo, in charge of the ceremony. Grand Knight A. T. Halfmann announced the appointment of committee chairmen for the year. A number of San Angelo members attended the meeting.

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The Alice First Presbyterian  
Church was the scene for the  
wedding of Miss Mildred Gene  
Hinnant, daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. Archie Adams Hinnant of  
that city, and Alexander Mc-  
Gregor, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs.

Alexander McGregor, of Ballinger.  
The Rev. Andrew Byers officiated  
at the ceremony which took place  
at 7:30 Saturday evening.  
The altar was flanked by cande-  
labra holding blue candles and  
baskets of white gladioli and  
French mums. Prenuptial music  
was played on the organ by Mrs.



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Dawning" and "I Love Thee." Mrs.  
Laughlin also played the tradi-  
tional wedding marches.

The bride entered with her  
father, by whom she was given in  
marriage. She wore an ankle-  
length gown of white embroidered  
nylon over pale blue taffeta. The  
neck treatment was of a wide  
caplet design. The sleeves were  
long, ending in points to the  
wrists. The bodice of the gown  
was closely fitted to the billowing  
skirt. Her shoulder-length veil of  
imported illusion cascaded from a  
cap of embroidered nylon accented  
with seed pearls. Her only orna-  
ments were a string of pearls and  
pearl ear-screws, a gift from the  
bridegroom. She carried an  
old-fashioned bouquet of blue  
stephanotis centered with white  
orchids.

Her only attendant, Miss Alpha  
Ray Hinnant, cousin of the bride,  
wore a frock of blue embroidered  
organdy and mits of the embroi-  
dery with organdy cuffs. Her bou-  
quet was white flowers.

Jack Bandy McGregor of San  
Angelo, brother of the bridegroom,  
was best man. Ushers were Robert  
Jones and Thomas R. Holland, the  
latter of Galveston.

The parents of the bride entere-

ained at a reception immediately  
following the ceremony in the  
church annex. Blue asters and  
blue and white delphinium floral  
arrangements were used for decora-  
tions.

The bride's table was covered  
with a white organdy cloth over  
blue satin. The centerpiece was a  
reflector around which was a blue  
maline ruffle. On the reflector was  
a bridal party in figurines. At  
either end of the table were hurri-  
cane lamps holding blue candles  
and surrounded by blue and white  
forget-me-nots. The cake was dec-

orated in blue spun sugar orchids  
and other small flowers in pastel  
colors.

Mrs. Jack Bandy McGregor reg-  
istered guests in the bride's book,  
and Miss Martha Ann Lloyd  
played a program of harp music.

Mrs. Hinnant, mother of the  
bride, received in a gown of navy  
Chantilly lace. Mrs. McGregor,  
mother of the bridegroom, wore a  
light blue faille. Both wore orchid  
corsages.

Following a short wedding trip  
the couple will be at home in Gal-  
veston after September 4. For  
traveling the bride chose a blue  
gabardine suit with navy acces-  
sories and an orchid corsage.

The bride is a graduate of Alice  
High School and attended Bel-  
haven College in Jackson Missis-  
sippi, Presbyterian Austin College  
at Sherman and Texas University.  
On August 31 she will receive her  
diploma from the Brackenridge  
Hospital, School of Nursing, Austin.

Mr. McGregor attended A. & M.  
College after graduating from Bal-  
linger High School. He served  
three years in the Pacific area  
during World War II, and after  
being discharged from the service  
with a rank of captain in the Air  
Corps, returned to A. & M. College.  
He is now in charge of the plan-  
ning and managing in the engi-  
neering department of the Pan-  
American Oil & Refining Co. in  
Texas City.

Out-of-town wedding guests  
were: Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Mc-  
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Jack Bandy McGregor, San  
Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hesse,  
Jack Hesse, Sam D. Hesse, San  
Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Eldridge, of Austin; Mr. and Mrs.  
William C. Seale of Houston; Mr.  
and Mrs. Charles East, Mr. and  
Mrs. Richard Riggins and John R.  
Polhamus of Corpus Christi; and  
Ella H. Hesse of Taft; Mr. and  
Mrs. Thomas McGinnis and Miss  
Billie Hensley of Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Bissett  
and sons, Scott and Jeff, of Gar-  
land, were week-end visitors in  
the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Der-  
ward Bissett and Mr. and Mrs. C.  
A. Bissett.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Curtis  
and son, Randy, of Pearsall, are  
visiting in the homes of Mr. and  
Mrs. W. R. Clark and Mr. and  
Mrs. Derward Bissett.

Mr. and Mrs. Felton Wright  
have returned to their home at  
Brownwood after a visit in the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Adair.

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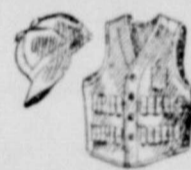
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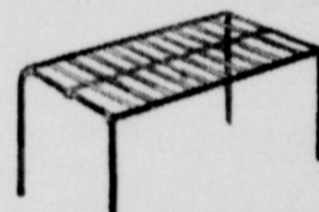
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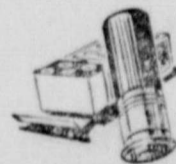
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**4-H Club Boys Are Given Reminders On Future Events**

Runnels county 4-H club boys have been given a large number of reminders in regard to fall and winter work and activities in which many will participate.  
 First will be the field crop show on October 28, in which boys may show one bale of cotton, 20 bolls of cotton, 10 heads of maize, 10 heads of begari, one gallon of threshed grain of each variety, 10 ears of corn and a five-inch bundle of feed cut in the rough stage. Boys are urged to start making preparations for this show and those who need information or instructions in preparing their exhibits may secure help.  
 Boys are reminded that the junior livestock show in connection with the State Fair at Dallas will be held October 17 to 22. All entry cards should be in the office of the county agent by September 1 and they will be forwarded to Dallas. Swine entered in the Dallas

show must be vaccinated for chloera in September or sooner and be accompanied by a health certificate from an approved veterinarian. Swine should be notched in the ear and completely healed.  
 In preparation for the spring livestock show club boys are reminded that lambs and pigs should be obtained within the next 30 days. Those who need animals and have not located any may contact the agent's office and get assistance.  
 The district livestock show will be held at San Angelo next March. Boys who are carrying projects should complete their record books and turn them in as soon as possible. Those who need forms may obtain them at the agent's office in the court house.  
 The agent's office now has a complete set of plants needed for training club boys in grass, forb and browse classes. A meeting of all boys interested will be held from 8:30 to 11:30 a. m. Saturday, August 26. Teams for district and state contests will be made up of boys showing the most progress in these training classes.

**LIONS CLUB GETS REPORT ON BOY SCOUT ACTIVITIES**  
 The Ballinger Lions Club met Friday at the Central Hotel for its regular weekly luncheon, a business session and program.  
 A report was given by Scoutmaster Jimmy Dankworth, in charge of troop 29, sponsored by the club, on the recent swim meet held at San Angelo in which this troop swept the entire meet.  
 John F. Purfoy presented a bronze plaque to the club, an award from Lions International for a successful membership campaign last January.  
 Volunteer workers to operate the concession stands at the baseball park were secured and other business was brought up for consideration.  
 A motion picture presented for the program showed how fine watches are made. The picture was made in the Hamilton factories, showing actual operations in the making of watches.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Reese, of Shreveport, have returned home after a visit with Mrs. J. C. Reese and other relatives.  
 Bill Worley, of Big Spring, has been here for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore.

**FOUR BALLINGER BOYS WITH McMURRY INDIANS**  
 Four Ballinger men will be playing with the McMurry College Indians this fall. They are Edgar Payne, Charlie Miller, Alton Patterson and Marvin Sanders.  
 Payne will be seeking his third letter with the Indians at a guard position. Last year he was on the second team all-conference selection and is expected to make the first team this season.  
 Patterson is the largest man on the team, tipping the scales at 242, and plays tackle. He is expected to be one of the better linemen of the Southwest this season.  
 Miller is a versatile player and last season worked at center, guard and tackle. This season he probably will be a starter at tackle.  
 Sanders is one of the fastest men on the team and probably will be at one of the tackle positions.

**REUNION IS HELD BY LEE FAMILY AT COUNTRY CLUB**  
 Members of the Lee family held a reunion at the Ballinger Country Club last Saturday. This was a no-host, all-day affair and at the noon hour barbecue and all the trimmings were on the menu. Games of 42 and canasta were played and dancing supplied entertainment for the younger generation.  
 Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Renza Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Alto Lee and children, Bailey and Ona Mae; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lee; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lee and son, Ronnie; Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Lee and children, Mary Jo and Turner; Mr. and Mrs. Royce Lee and son, Royce, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lee and son, Charles Ben; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lee and son, Don; Mrs. Claude Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Jim T. Jones; Mr. and Mrs. Jim T. Jones, Jr. and son, Jim T. 3rd; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Martin and children, Gary and Dorothy; Miss Bobbie Joy Lee; Winifred Lee; Mrs. James Lee, Midland; Miss Carolyn McCabe, Sterling City; Mrs. Wayne Kiker, San Angelo; Mrs. Erma Lee and son, Bill, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Underwood, Sanderson; Ross Underwood, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Simmons and daughter, Betty Jane, Gladewater. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Zid

Herring and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mapes, Mrs. Dwain Simpson and daughter, Carrie; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simmons and sons, David, Don and Tom; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Simmons and son, Wilton; Mr. and Mrs. Herring, Mrs. J. W. Blasdel, Miss Shirley Cope, all of Ballinger; Miss Blanche Arnold and Sam Houston, of Gladewater.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schnable and son, Jon, of Mexia, were week-end guests of friends here.

**TWO BUILDING PERMITS APPROVED HERE MONDAY**  
 Two building permits were given city approval Monday.  
 J. Powell Wear was granted a \$500 permit for enlarging a room and making other improvements at his home on Twelfth Street between Murrell and Phillips avenues.  
 A permit for \$2,750 went to Charles P. Williams for improvements in his laundry on Sealy Avenue.

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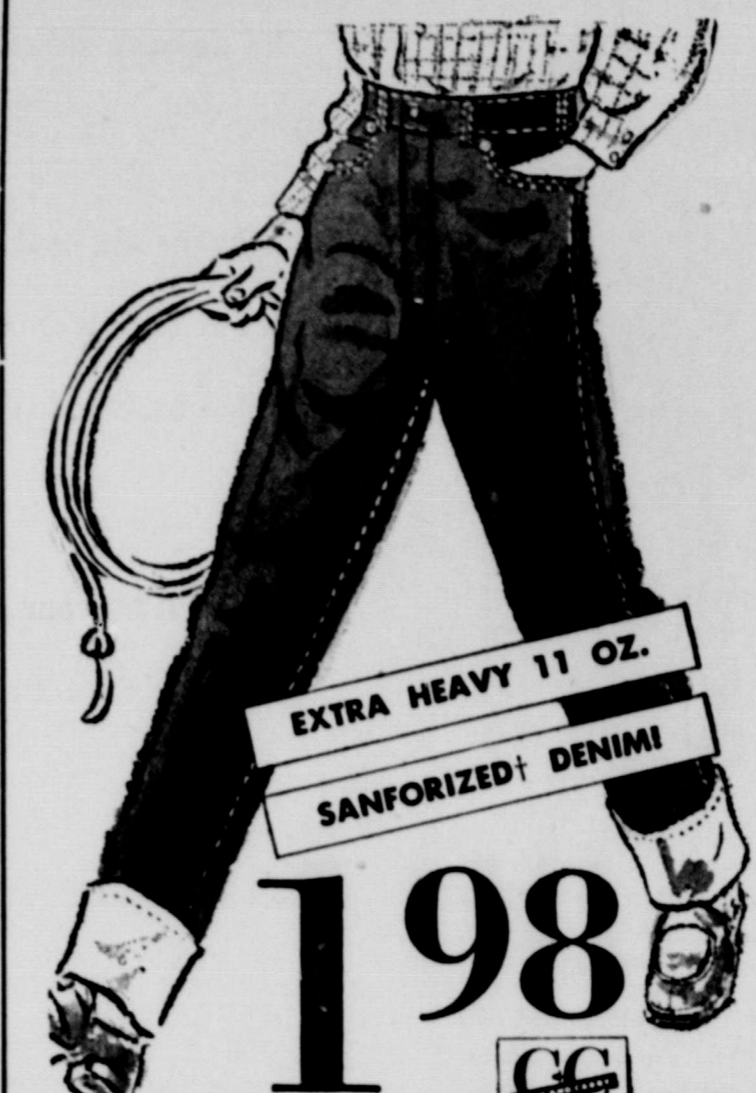
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<b>Pineapple</b> SLICED VALLEY ROSE Two No. 2 Cans <b>49c</b>	<b>Sardines</b> AMERICAN Three Cans <b>25c</b>
<b>Crisco</b> 3-Lb. Tin <b>91c</b>	<b>Tomato Juice</b> HUNT'S Two No. 2 Cans <b>27c</b>
<b>Preserves</b> MOTHER HUBBARD ASSORTED 2-Lb. Jar <b>37c</b>	<b>Corn Flakes</b> KELLOGG'S 13-Oz. Box <b>18c</b>
<b>Tide</b> Large Box <b>29c</b>	<b>Oleomargarine</b> KEYKO COLORED 1 Lb. <b>33c</b>
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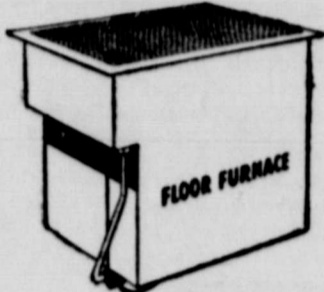
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6:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship, intermediates and seniors  
6:30 p. m., Junior Fellowship  
7:30 p. m., evening worship  
Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., choir rehearsal  
C. D. WOOTEN, Pastor  
First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. (501 Eighth Street)  
9:45 a. m., Church School  
11:00 a. m., morning worship  
7:30 p. m., evening worship  
6:30 p. m., session meets each first Sunday.

Monday: 3:00 p. m. Woman's Auxiliary.  
Wednesday: 6:30 p. m., devotion and choir rehearsal.

Sunday: 6:30 p. m., junior and junior high Westminster Fellowship.  
ALVIN O. RUE, Minister

Church of Christ (1100 Ninth Street)  
Lord's Day services, 10:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Wednesday services at 7:00 p. m.  
BUSTER MULLIN, Minister

First Christian Church (Corner Broadway and Murrell)  
Sunday: 9:30 a. m., pre-prayer service for teachers  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school  
10:40 a. m., general assembly  
10:50 a. m., morning worship  
7:30 p. m., evening service  
Monday: 4:00 p. m., women's council  
Wednesday:

7:30 p. m., Baptist Training Union  
Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., teachers' meeting  
7:30 p. m., prayer meeting  
8:30 p. m., choir rehearsal  
B. J. MARTIN Pastor

First Baptist Church (400 Eighth Street)  
Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school  
11:00 a. m., morning worship  
6:15 p. m., Junior Crusaders  
6:15 p. m., Senior Crusaders, Jeanette Sparks, captain  
7:15 p. m., evangelistic service, pastor in charge  
Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., prayer service.  
C. R. DUNAWAY, Pastor

Church of God  
Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Junior Y. P., 7:15 p. m.  
J. H. SHELL, Pastor

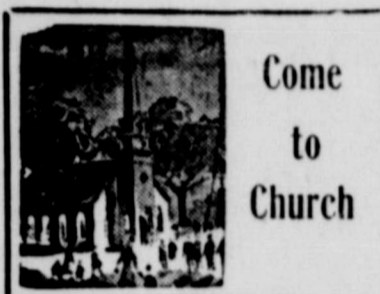
Grace Baptist Church  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Preaching hour, 11 a. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.  
Wednesday, Bible study, 8 p. m.

Monday: 3:00 p. m., ladies Bible class  
Wednesday: 8:00 p. m., prayer meeting

Seventh Street Baptist Church (Corner of Hamilton and Seventh)  
Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, C. E. Smith, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m., morning worship  
7:00 p. m., Training Union  
8:00 p. m., evening worship  
Youth Fellowship hour following evening services.

Monday: Brotherhood and W.M.U. each first and third Mondays.  
Wednesday: 7:15, teachers' and officers' meetings  
8:00, prayer service  
8:30, choir rehearsal.  
E. V. BROOKS, Pastor

First Baptist Church (400 Eighth Street)  
Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, W. E. Elkins, superintendent  
11:00 a. m., morning worship  
8:00 p. m., evening worship



Come to Church

Church of the Nazarene (Corner Ninth and Harris)

Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school  
11 a. m., morning worship  
6:45 p. m., N.Y.P.S. and Juniors  
7:30 p. m., evening worship  
Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., mid-week service  
C. H. LUCAS, Pastor

Eighth Street Church of Christ (Corner Boushall and Eighth)  
Sunday: 10:30 a. m., Bible school  
10:50 a. m., morning worship  
6:45 p. m., young people's meeting  
8:00 p. m., evening service



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Church services, 3 p. m.  
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Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school  
11:00 a. m., morning worship  
6:30 p. m., young people's service  
7:30 p. m., evening service  
Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., Bible study  
W. L. EDWARDS, Pastor

MISS CHENOWETH HOME FROM STATE MEETING  
Miss Ollie Chenoweth returned home Saturday after attending the

state conservation meeting at Trinidad, Texas. The meeting was attended by 100 4-H club boys and girls, extension service agents and staff workers.

Two girls, two boys and two agents were present from each district in Texas. Miss Chenoweth was the home demonstration agent from district 7, and Garyl Hoff-

man, of Sterling City, was the farm agent. Miss Barbara Minzenmeyer, of Runnels county, also attended, being one of the club girls selected.

Miss Chenoweth stated the program took up every phase of conservation and was very instructive and entertaining.

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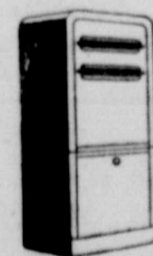
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### Boys' Sox

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**THE BERRIES—A HATFUL!** . . . Mary Goodman, Washington, D.C., eats a hatful of a new type of strawberry introduced at recent meeting in Washington of the American Association of Nurserymen, the oldest agricultural organization in the country.

## Frerich is Elected Farm Bureau Head To Succeed Albro

A meeting of the Runnels County Farm Bureau board of directors was held at the court house last Friday to further complete plans for future operations and to perfect the organization. The resignation of E. F. Albro, president, was accepted and Ben Frerich, vice-president, was elevated to the position. Mr. Albro stated that he did not have time to serve as an official but would continue as an active member and added that he believed farmers should have a strong organization to represent them.

The directors discussed the membership drive to be held in October. Raymond McElrath, of Coleman, director of district 7, with C. H. de Vaney, of Colorado City, director of district 6, attended the meeting and explained the statewide plan to be followed in this county.

Speakers pointed out that many times farmers need representation in state and federal government programs. One example was cited of securing a raise in cotton seed prices last fall when seed were selling for \$36 to \$37 a ton. It was declared that largely through the efforts of the Farm Bureau prices were set at \$46.50 per ton, which added a value of \$10 per ton for the farmers. This increase applied to about 21,000 tons in this county and represented a total of \$210,000.

A number of sub-district meetings are scheduled and a district meeting will be held on September 18 at the Cactus Hotel, San Angelo.

Equipment in the sewing room should include a sewing machine, work table, full view mirror, ironing board, sleeve board and iron. Small items should include shears, scissors, measuring tape, pins, thread, pin cushion, and needles to take care of the different sewing jobs.

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**SOCIETY**

Mrs. Forman, Mrs. Itz Will Speak at Christian Fellowship Program. The ecumenical register, conducted by the United Council of

Church Women, will be discussed by Mrs. Joe Forman, when the First Christian Women's Fellowship meets at the church on Broadway next Monday, August 28, at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Forman will discuss the goal to register at least a million church women and bring

a full registration to the national assembly, which will meet November 13-16 in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Felix Itz will speak on "The Women of the Bible Compared with the Modern Women."

Miss Lilly Clayton, president, will be in charge of the program and Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh will give the devotional.

All the women of the Christian Church are invited to attend, and visitors will be welcomed to attend this interesting program.

Mrs. Allen is Leader for Program of Presbyterian Women's Council. The First Presbyterian U. S. A. Women's Council met for the regular monthly missions program at the church on Eighth Street Monday morning.

Mrs. Rufus Allen was leader for the program, when the book, "Japan Begins Again," by William C. Kerr, was reviewed. Mrs. E. S. Malone brought the devotional; Mrs. J. D. Coulter's topic was "Beneath and Beyond"; and Miss Maggie Lilly read the names in the Yearbook of Prayer, and gave

the missions prayer. A special summer offering was given for the national and foreign missions.

After Mrs. Allen gave the introductory remarks on the study book, she was assisted by Mrs. Pierson Corder, Mrs. Carroll Bell, Mrs. Bill Stultz, and Miss Eunice Lilly in reviewing other chapters.

Crepes myrtle and pot plants were arranged about church parlors where Mrs. J. Stubblefield, Mrs. J. R. Mackey and Mrs. Paul Petty were joint hostesses at a social hour and served a sandwich plate with cookies and cold drinks. Mrs. Corder assisted in serving. Others were: Mrs. A. W. Sledge and Miss Eva Lilly.

Fuquas Hosts at Supper for Guard Fastball Team

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fuqua were hosts at a barbecue supper Fri-

day night at the Ballinger Country Club, honoring members of the National Guard fastball team and their wives. The Guard team had earlier been declared winner in the local fastball league comprised of eight teams.

Their record shows 16 wins, 4 losses; scoring 342 runs to 187 for their opposition. Caleb Brown, Jr., served as manager for the Guard club. The team had been furnished uniforms through the courtesy of Mr. Fuqua, owner of the Ray Fuqua Chevrolet Co. here and prominent civic-minded business man.

Prizes of ten dollars each were given to five present for lucky numbers concealed beneath their plates.

After the supper the Guards-

men and their wives were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fuqua when they attended the baseball game between the Ballinger Cats and the Sweetwater Swatters at Cat Park.

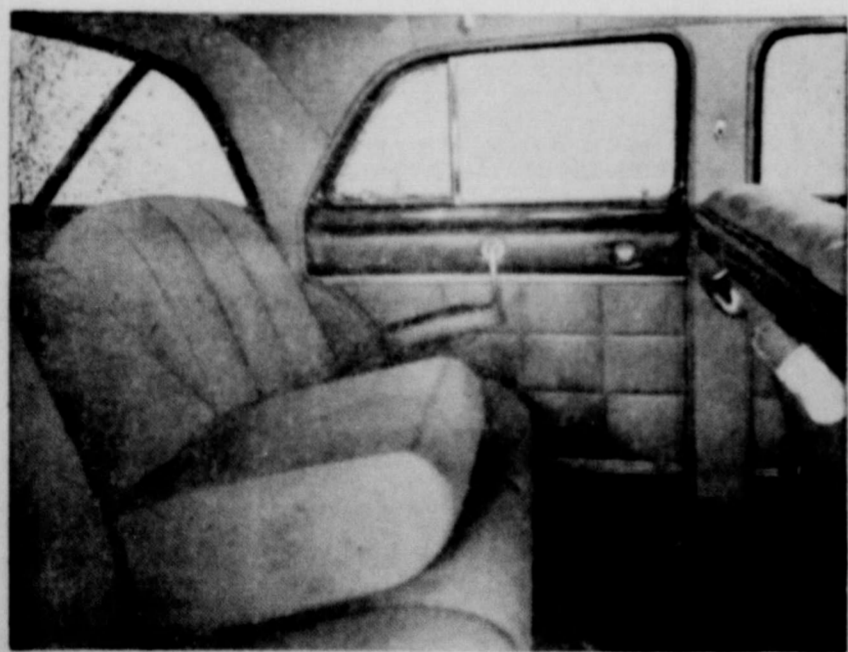
Present were: Messrs. and Mmes. H. B. Edmondson, John D. Bradshaw, Charles Bradshaw, Bill Dean, Chester Simpson, Bob Farmer, Aubrey Watson, Jimmy Whitaker, Caleb Brown, Jr., and Walter Middleton; and Tommy Bazan, Edwin B. Zly and Charles Nall.

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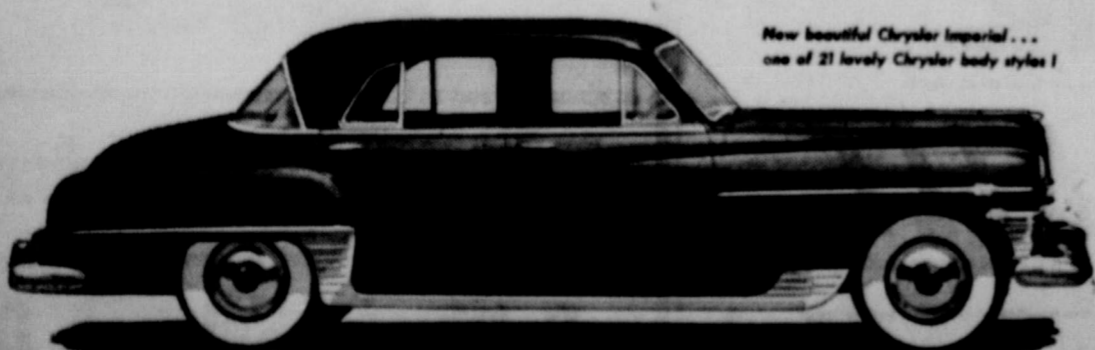
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There were thirty-four in attendance as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Crenshaw and five children, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Kirkendall and three children, Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lindley and three children, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Crenshaw and three children, Winters;

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	H.P.	Torque	H.P.	Torque
Ford 110-h.p. Six	110	212	97	186
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Make C	110	207	97	195
Make D	105	193	96	186
Make E	109	197	91	180

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**For District Clerk:**  
 WILLIE STEPHENS

**For Sheriff:**  
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**For County Clerk:**  
 FRANKIE BERRYMAN

**For County Judge:**  
 E. C. GRINDSTAFF

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:**  
 PAUL GORDON

**For Assessor-Collector:**  
 DALTON E. CROCKETT

**For State Senator, 25th District:**  
 DORSEY B. HARDEMAN

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:**  
 CLYDE CHAPMAN

**For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1:**  
 B. G. SHARP

**For Representative, 92nd District:**  
 W. H. RAMPY

**For County Attorney:**  
 JACK MOORE

**For County Treasurer:**  
 PRICE MIDDLETON

**BASEBALL BENEFIT IS ANNOUNCED THIS WEEK**

A baseball benefit has been arranged for members of the Ballinger Lions Club and Jaycees. It will be a donkey game at Cat Park on the night of September 1 with members of the two organizations forming the teams.

It will be a strictly fun night and other features will be added to make the program outstanding. Besides the local men wrangling the donkeys, a clown will be on the field and efforts will be made to book a musical program.

All funds taken in above actual expense will be given to the baseball association.

No species of birds now living have teeth.



**MIDYEAR ECONOMIC REPORT . . .** Leon Keyserling, chairman of the President's council of economic advisers, discusses with newspapermen the charts which appear in the report to the President by the council. It is entitled, "The Economic Situation at Midyear, 1950."

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

2—FEATURES—2

Feature No. 1—  
**DEAD-END KIDS**  
 in **GIVE US WINGS**

Feature No. 2—  
**ROUGH SHOD**  
 STERLING GRÄHAME JARMAN

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**JOAN DAVIS THE TRAVELING SALESWOMAN**

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- ✓ The business-managed electric power and light companies are the second largest taxpayers in the nation. Last year the West Texas Utilities paid \$2,238,634.00 in taxes—an amount equal to the total electric bill for all residential and farm customers for seven months!
- ✓ Despite all the "whoop-de-doo" over hydroelectric energy, if all the available water power resources in the United States could be completely developed, this would produce only one-fifth of the total energy the nation will need by 1960. In order to insure ample electric power for West Texas, the West Texas Utilities Company began in 1947 a program to more than double its generating capacity!
- ✓ Since World War II, the business-managed utilities have invested nearly \$2,000,000,000 a year in new plants and equipment to serve the people. This is the largest construction program undertaken by any single industry. The West Texas Utilities is now in the midst of a \$20,000,000.00 program expanding facilities to serve West Texas!
- ✓ Electric service is the one item in the family budget that costs substantially less than in pre-war days. Since 1939—while the cost of living as a whole has risen nearly 70 per cent—the average cost of a kilowatt hour of electric service for West Texas household use has dropped 18 per cent!

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