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NO. 1

County's Oil Production Stepped Up Past Week

Activity in the Fort Chadburne oil field the past week netted a new producer. Humble No. 68-Sallie Odum was completed for a daily flow of 281.28 barrels of 43.5 gravity oil. Production is from perforations between 5,415 and 5,430 feet.

Production in the Hull-Dobbs field was extended one location north with the completion of Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. No. 6-Mrs. G. L. Paxton. Daily flow was gauged at 107.64 barrels of 41 gravity oil. Top of pay was encountered at 3,978 feet.

The Winters (Gray sand) field was extended 1/4 of a mile southeast when the George Gillman No. 2-L. Tinkle was finished for a daily flow of 53 barrels of 46 gravity oil. Top of pay is 4,180 feet.

The Saxon (Serratt sand) field was extended 3/4 of a mile southeast when Keith Graham No. 1-Lena Martin was completed and flowed at the rate of 121 barrels of 46 gravity oil per day. Top of pay was picked at 2,948 feet.

The Cree-Sykes (upper Gardner) field was extended one location north with the completion of Union Sulphur & Oil Co. No. 20B-O. C. Sykes. Flow is at the rate of 130 barrels of 42.6 gravity oil daily. Top of pay was found at 3,939 feet.

Gulf Oil Corp. has staked its No. 1-W. O. Hudson, one location north of production in the Suesse (Fry sand) field. Drilling will explore to 4,400 feet.

Warren Petroleum Co. No. 1-A. W. Hancock has been spotted as a northern extension of the 'Bays (Goens lime) field. The drilling permit is for 5,500 feet.

B. E. Phillips No. 6-Mrs. Pink Burrus has been staked and is to be drilled to 4,200 feet. The location is in the Cree-Sykes field.

Gilliam Drilling Co. No. 1-W. A. Ashton, southeast of production in the Beddo field, is projected for 4,200 feet.

Miami Operating Co. No. 6-C. L. James has been located in the Lindemann (McMillan) field. The hole will be drilled to 2,500 feet with rotary equipment.

Union Sulphur & Oil Co. No. 1-E. L. Wilkerson, in the Cree-Sykes east field, will go to 4,500 feet or pay above this level.

Union Sulphur & Oil Co. has staked its No. 23B-O. C. Sykes, projected for 4,500 feet. The location is 3/4 of a mile west of production in the Cree-Sykes field.

Henry Kloppenburg, of Taipa, and others have spotted No. 1A-Lena Martin for a try in the Serratt sand. The drilling permit calls for 2,500 feet.

Union Sulphur & Oil Co. No. 1-A. B. Stovall has been staked in the South Creeks field. Drilling will go to 4,500 feet.

The Palo Pinto sand had been picked up in Mar-Tex Realization Corp. No. 1-Mrs. J. Stubbfield Tuesday after drilling to 3,900 feet.

Ballinger F. F. A. Boys Win at Livestock Show

H. B. Edmondson, instructor, and Ballinger F. F. A. boys returned Saturday from the state fair, Dallas, bringing back approximately \$5,000 in prize money and from sales of livestock.

Mark Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Campbell, showed the reserve champion Hereford calf of the entire show.

In addition to the prize money received from this entry, the calf brought \$150 a pound in the auction. It was estimated that winnings on the calf totaled about \$2,000.

Weldon Lange showed the second place shorthorn calf at Dallas and in the sale received 43 cents per pound.

Delbert and Bobby Smith had the 11th place Hereford calf, which sold at 47 cents per pound.

Jerry Egan received 41 cents per pound for his commercial calf, which won 7th place in its division.

Bill Ashton had the 11th place cross-bred lamb in the show.

Henry Wolf, Jr., showed the 15th place fine wool lamb.

Herman and Henry Stokes, Weldon and Kerry Lange and Henry Wolf all placed in the sheep division.

In the calf sale, the Ballinger boys received from 27 cents to \$150 a pound for their animals.

Mr. Edmondson stated that members of the local chapter would attend the district meeting at Coleman on October 30 and take part in the leadership contest.

Runnels county 4-H club boys attending the fair placed two animals in the hog division.

Harry Kalina, of Rowena, showed the 16th and 19th place Duroc hogs in the middle weight class. These boys had one calf and seven other hogs in the show.

Conservation Practices Being Listed for 1953

Runnels county PMA officials disclose that to date 1,999 farms are listed for conservation practices. Farm operators are being contacted personally by committee members, listing the needed conservation practices that the farmers wish to carry out in 1953. To date about 600 farms have been listed for 1953 work, either by the owners or operators.

December 1, 1952, is the final date for committee-man-producers contracts in Runnels county. Farmers must discuss the most needed practices with the committee members and sign requests for these practices before the final date if they are to receive assistance under the 1953 ACP program.

Special attention is called to the provision that a farmer who has not signed must see his committee member as the committee man has in his possession the listing sheets and requests cannot be filled out at the county office. The main purpose for the change in listings is to make sure each producer in the county has an opportunity to participate in the conservation work he wants. After December 1, 1952, farmers will not be able to make requests for the 1953 program.

Early Ballinger Subject of Talk For Rotary Club

At a regular meeting Tuesday the Ballinger Rotary Club heard Frank Pearce in a talk on the early days here. Mr. Pearce gave some of the early history which is not commonly known by many who reside here now.

He told how lots on Strong and Sealy avenues sold at high figures for business locations and it was thought the main part of town would be located there. Business people from Runnels purchased one entire block on Hutchings Avenue and drew for locations and this quickly changed the picture for the main business district.

Rotarians also conducted a secret vote on the presidential election due November 4. Results showed 34 favoring Eisenhower, 5 for Stevenson and 1 undecided. The club also named a committee and authorized a fund to conduct a local "get-out-the-vote" campaign. The committee has made plans for a number of special announcements at public gatherings where citizens will be urged to vote.

Seniors to Present Annual Carnival



Ballinger senior class officers and sponsors who are helping to plan and present the annual Halloween carnival Saturday night are: back row left to right—Mrs. Leonard Stallings, sponsor; Robert Holliday, reporter; Carol Bailey, reporter; Bib Ransberger, vice-president; Glen Ferguson, president; Mrs. T. L. Epting, sponsor; front row—Claude Lange, treasurer; Polly Maas, secretary.

Eisenhower Group Is Formed Friday; Mansell Chairman

Democrats for Eisenhower supporters met in the district court room Friday night for the purpose of forming a county group to do special work in the final days before the general election.

The meeting was called to order by R. E. Bruce, who presented Bart Mann, of San Angelo. Mr. Mann is serving as chairman of the 25th senatorial district and after a short talk asked for an organization in Runnels county.

T. J. Mansell was named chairman with R. E. Bruce as co-chairman and Sam Behringer as secretary. This board with others were to hold meetings during the week-end to line up a committee for work in all sections of the county.

During the final days before the voting on November 4, publicity material will be distributed including marked ballots, Eisenhower buttons, windshield stickers and other items. The group will also plan local advertising and publicity for the campaign.

The meeting was well attended with a number of rural voters present.

Commission Order Severs 103 Wells In the Cree-Sykes

The Texas railroad commission this week severed pipelines to a large part of the Cree-Sykes oil field and other parts of the producing area in the northeastern part of Runnels county. The commission stated that approximately 60 "dead" wells were found in the section which had been listed producers.

An emergency hearing was set for October 27 at Austin so operators could explain the irregularities and tell the commission why their properties should not remain closed in.

The order concerns a large number of operators and actually affects 103 wells carrying 137 allowables. Some of the wells have allowables for dual production.

The order issued named a group of producers and declared that no tenders were to be approved on any of the specified leases until further notification.

Land owners living here said this morning that they knew nothing about the order other than what had been published in newspapers.

LAST RITES FOR NEPHEW ATTENDED BY RIEGERS

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Rieger left Tuesday morning for Thordale to attend the funeral of a nephew, Junior Rieger.

Young Rieger was injured in an automobile accident Saturday night and died Sunday night. Funeral services were held at Thordale Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore went to Austin Saturday to attend the Texas-Arkansas football game.

20 Runnels County Boys for Physicals At Abilene Friday

Twenty Runnels county youths have been ordered to report at Abilene tomorrow (Friday) for pre-induction military physicals. A total of 32 will report from Coleman-Runnels draft board No. 21.

Runnels countians included in the call are:

Raul G. Nembrano, Ballinger
E. J. Mosen, Ballinger
Susy Castillo, Winters
Searcy Parker, Jr., Winters
Bobby Glenn Drake, Winters
Alton Joe Fischer, Ballinger
Bobby Orlis Bryan, Ballinger
Henry J. R. Schniers, Miles
Roger H. Bryan, Winters
Bennie J. Frenzel, Rowena
Robert L. Harber, Winters
James Clay Keele, Winters
Malcolm C. Davis, Ballinger
Verlon L. Gideon, Winters
Douglas B. Smith, Winters
Buddy McMillan, Winters
Erwin W. Kieppas, Rowena
Donald R. Schwartz, Taipa
Alvin A. Geringross, Rowena
Beryl E. Baldwin, Winters

Dates Announced For Xmas Mailing To Foreign Lands

Postmaster K. V. Northington reminds the public on Christmas mailing to foreign countries and urges that there be no delay in this regard.

A memorandum has been received from the post office department on packages to the Far East, October 15 being set as the final date for mailing with guarantee of delivery before Christmas. Later mailings may be delivered but probably after the holidays.

Final dates for guaranteed delivery to other parts of the world are as follows:

Africa, November 1
Near East, November 1
Europe, November 15
South and Central America, November 22.

So far foreign mailing has been light, but is expected to gain momentum soon. Senders can obtain other information on overseas mailing at the post office.

MAGNOLIA DEALERS IN MEETING HERE

Magnolia Petroleum Co. dealers and other representatives of the company assembled here Wednesday for the annual fall dealers' meeting and sales conference. The meeting was held at the Central Hotel.

N. B. Knight, territorial salesman, of San Angelo, was in charge of the program and presented Mr. Hobbs, assistant district manager, of Fort Worth, who delivered the main talk.

Purpose of the meeting was to help promote better customer service and to make plans for more effectively carrying out company policies. Dealers and representatives of Menard, Miles, Winters, Rowena, Blackwell, Eden, Fort Worth and Ballinger attended.

Mrs. Coy Calvert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Boswell, underwent major surgery in the San Angelo Clinic-Hospital Wednesday morning. A report from her bedside late yesterday was that she was resting well.

The Ballinger high school senior class is inviting all friends and citizens of this section to attend the Halloween carnival to be presented at the library building Saturday, starting at 7:00 o'clock.

There will be bingo, a fish pond, a baseball throw, a fun house and many other attractions to entertain the visitors. No admission will be charged to the hall and nothing will sell for more than 25 cents.

The climax of the entire program will occur at 10 o'clock Saturday night when the high school queen will be announced and the coronation ceremony held. Voting for the queen has been underway for sometime, all classes from the eighth grade up taking part and offering candidates for queen and her escort.

Balloting will be concluded only a short time before the announcement is made.

\$150 More Needed On Salvation Army 1952 Finance Quota

The Salvation Army fund campaign was \$150 short when tabulations were made Tuesday of all money received to that date. Joe Forman, secretary-treasurer, reported Tuesday that \$850.17 had been turned in to him and that most of the committees had completed their work.

The campaign will be kept open for another week and any person who has not contributed is asked to mail to or leave a check with Mr. Forman, at the First National Bank.

Workers are anxious to close the solicitation as soon as possible. A quota of \$1,000 was set by the local board and every effort will be made to reach the goal before the drive is concluded.

Part of this money will be retained for the local treasury to be spent in taking care of needy cases in Ballinger. The remainder will go to the state Salvation Army board.

Officers Report Quiet Week-End

Local peace officers had a comparatively quiet week-end, only a few cases being handled.

Thomas L. Mason entered a plea of guilty in county court Tuesday on a driving while intoxicated charge and was fined a total of \$72.80.

Harold Dobbins was fined \$72.80 Saturday on a DWI count.

Fred M. Edwards was fined \$122.80 Saturday on a DWI complaint filed in county court.

Officers reported that burglars entered the home of G. L. Cook at Brookshier Saturday night. Two guns, a revolver and a shotgun, are missing.

Three fines were paid the first of the week for fighting, and three "hot" checking cases were filed.

FIRST BAPTISTS TO HEAR BROWNWOOD PREACHER

Rev. F. R. Smith, of Brownwood, will be the guest speaker at the First Baptist Church at both services Sunday.

All members and friends of the church are invited to hear him.

TB Association Board in Meeting Plans Unit Visit

The Runnels County Tuberculosis Association board met in the office of Dr. L. L. Downing Monday night to perfect details for the visit of the state mobile X-ray unit to four towns in the county.

The mobile unit technician, Stephen Miles, of Austin, met with the group Dr. Downing, president of the county organization, conducted the business and announced the following chairman: Rev. Mussley, Miles; Mrs. E. H. Voelkel, Rowena; Bob Shyles, Winters; and Dr. A. T. Taylor, Ballinger.

The clinic opened at Miles Tuesday, October 21, located in front of the city hall. Two hundred and twelve people above the age of 15 had chest pictures made. The clinic was held at Rowena in front of the locker plant all day Wednesday, and moved on to Winters for pictures today, tomorrow and Saturday. The clinic will be held in Ballinger in the front part of the building recently vacated by Bates Home & Auto Supply next Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. School children will be brought to the clinic by bus Tuesday.

The association expects at least 4,000 adults to take advantage of this free offer. All costs of the clinic will be borne by the county association from funds received in the Christmas seal sale. Members of women's clubs will assist in registration and other work.

It was decided that the association would hold quarterly meetings in Ballinger. The next meeting is scheduled December 29, and the annual meeting will be held in March. The treasurer, Mrs. L. F. Jackson, listed a balance of \$2,318.32. Dr. A. T. Taylor has been named chairman of the Christmas seal sale, to be conducted from Thanksgiving until Christmas.

Attending the board meeting were: Supt. Ernest Caskey, Mrs. Foy Farmer, Alvin Holbrook, J. O. Satterwhite, Mrs. Jim Cusenbary, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Alvarez, Mrs. L. F. Jackson, F. A. Jernigan, of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Dixon and Rev. L. D. Braun, of Winters; Mrs. E. H. Voelkel and Mrs. W. A. Schuhmann, of Rowena; and Henry Kasberg, of Miles.

Broiler Project Causes Interest Among Farmers

A large number of farmers have shown interest in the meeting of November 3 to discuss the broiler industry. Herman Price, manager of the Price Feed & Hatchery, stated that a large number had indicated they would attend the meeting and were interested in the plan.

Mr. Price is making possible special long-term financing for houses and equipment, and even for chicks and feed for the first broilers.

The meeting will be held at the court house and Martin Lindsey, representative of Sears, Dallas, will be here to explain the financing available and to detail the successful operation of a broiler project.

C. W. Crawley, field representative of Purina Mills, also will assist in the meeting.

Mr. Price extends an invitation to every person in the county who is interested in a new project on his farm to attend this meeting and get full particulars on raising broilers.

3,250 BALES COTTON GINNED IN COUNTY TO WEDNESDAY

A check up through Tuesday showed a total of 3,250 bales of cotton ginned in Runnels county. In giving reports the ginners stated that about 55 per cent of the crop had been gathered and ginned and that about 95 per cent of the cotton was open.

Hands are still needed by farmers. Some farms have been gone over while others have not been touched because of the shortage of pickers in the county at this time.

G. A. Swann, O. L. Huddleston and J. E. Simco returned the past week-end from Colorado where they had been on a hunting trip. The party killed four deer.

\$100,000 Bond Issue Election November 8

The Ballinger city commission in special session the past week-end called an election for November 8 when a bond issue in the amount of \$100,000 will be submitted. This issue is for water works improvement and expansion. At the same time an outstanding issue of \$100,000 in bond for airport expansion may be cancelled by the voters.

The holding of the election is being speeded as much as possible so that if the bonds are favored, orders can be placed for critical materials and deliveries made before the peak of water consumption next summer. Engineers estimate that it will require about six months to secure pipe for the work and that it will be necessary to get deliveries and most of the project completed before the end of March, 1953.

The proposed improvement would include the installing of a 1,400-gallon-per-minute pump at the Valley Creek lake, an additional pump at plant to send water to the water tower, a pump house extension, two filters, piping, drains and concrete, basin extension, controllers and feed machines and 3,300 feet of 8-inch pipe for the distribution system. These improvements would make possible more than 2,000,000 gallons a day from the Valley Creek lake.

Both issues will be submitted on the same ticket, one to issue \$100,000 in water works bonds and the other to cancel \$100,000 in airport bonds.

City officials stressed that if bonds were authorized on November 8, it would require speed to secure materials and complete the work before the beginning of the heavy consumption period. Critical materials will be brought as soon as the bonds are approved and an early delivery date asked.

Work that can be done, will be completed during the early part of the year and no time will be lost when pipe, pumps and other equipment arrive.

Club Achievement Day Exhibit Here Saturday

Home Demonstration club members and 4-H club girls from all sections of the county will be here Saturday for the annual Achievement Day program. The program will be held in the building next door to the Pearce-Bailey Drug Store and will be open morning and afternoon.

All home demonstration clubs in the county will have booths in the building and will display their main projects and demonstrations of the past two years. The 4-H club girls will show their exhibits in one large booth. The 1952 show will resemble the women's department at a county fair. Many articles will be included in the booths for inspection by visitors.

The county council will serve coffee and cake throughout the day and local citizens are invited to visit the building and help in raising funds for the council by patronizing the concession stand.

Several clubs will have baked items for sale and will deliver them to the buyers after the conclusion of the show Saturday afternoon.

The club members have done much work in selection of their show articles and preparing them for public inspection.

Legion Plans Armistice Feed; Auxiliary to Pack Xmas Boxes

The American Legion and Auxiliary held meetings Tuesday night at their club rooms, a large number attending.

Legionnaires planned their annual Armistice Day observance with a breakfast at the hall starting at 6 a. m. and lasting until 11 a. m. They also made plans for the annual membership campaign with Claude Mansell and W. B. Woody as team captains.

Commander E. J. Liska named standing committee for the year and planned for representation at the 21st district convention, to be held at San Angelo this week-end.

Auxiliary members mapped a campaign for packages to be sent to the Christmas gift shop at Legion hospital.

These gifts will be received at Stone's store and it was stressed that anyone could help in this movement. Shipment of gifts will be made in time for the hospital shop before the holidays.

At the conclusion of the business sessions, Auxiliary members served coffee and doughnuts.

Visiting Masons Greeted by 250 At Meeting Here

Masons from 33 lodges in four states assembled here Friday evening for the special program, sponsored by the Ballinger lodges.

Approximately 125 had dinner at the high school cafeteria before the hour for the program. The lodge hall was made ready in the high school gymnasium where the degree team from the Scottish Rite Lodge, Dallas, presented work in the master's degree. About 256 Masons were present for the program.

Judge Marcus Weathered, of Coleman, was the principal speaker.

O. L. Sims, of Paint Rock, district deputy grand master, introduced the visitors.

The meeting was a success in every way and the Ballinger Masons were complimented for their arrangements and for sponsoring the program.



FOOTBALL OPENER

BEARCAT FIELD

Friday, October 24, 8 p. m.

BEARCATS

vs.

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INDIANS



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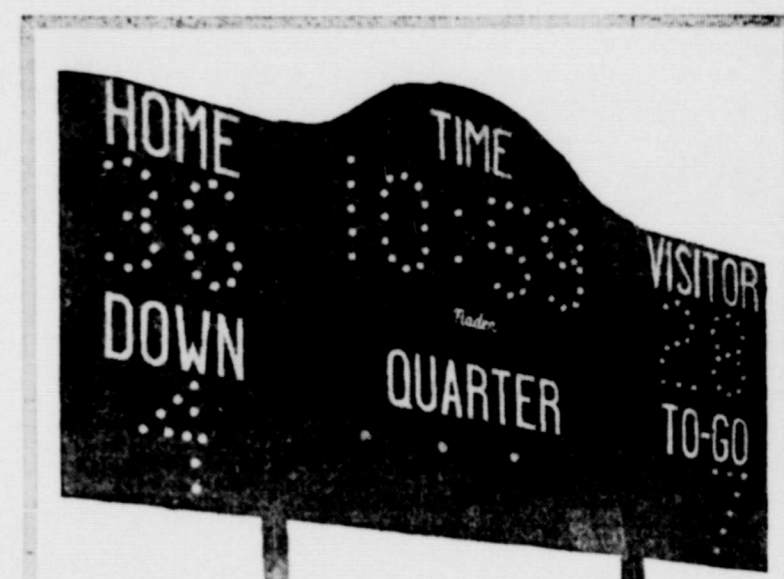
Students 30¢ Adults 90¢

Sideline Color

BEARCAT BAND

and

PEP SQUAD



Ballinger Jaycees
Will Formally Present
New Elect. Scoreboard
to Ballinger Schools

Conference Schedule

Oct. 31—Lake View, Here
 Nov. 7—Brady, Here
 Nov. 14—Coleman, Here
 Nov. 21—Winters, Here

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 GERTRUDE WOODS, Insurance
 FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK
 WEST TEXAS UTILITIES CO.
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 RIEGER'S
 LINTZ DEPARTMENT STORE
 SELBY & EPTING STATION
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 CURRY-HAMBRICK, Jewelers
 L. C. DAUGHERTY DRUG CO.
 FRANK FLYNT MOTOR CO.
 CAL ADAIR, Gulf Consignee
 B. C. D. CONSTRUCTION CO.
 FRANKIE BERRYMAN, County Clerk
 HOLBROOK OFFICE SUPPLY
 PRICE MIDDLETON, County Treasurer
 CLYDE CHAPMAN, County Commissioner
 W. H. RAMPY, County Judge
 DON ATKINS, Sheriff
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 CITY BAKERY
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 BALLINGER MOTOR SALES, INC.
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 BETTIS & STURGES
 DAIRYBARN DRIVE-IN
 C. O. D. GROCERY & MARKET
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 SMITH'S CLEANERS
 PRICE MOTOR CO.
 ATNIPP CLEANERS
 GOETZ FARM MACHINERY CO.
 CLAY BUILDING MATERIAL CO.
 HOLLAND'S CLEANERS
 W. O. IRBY, Humble Agent
 TINSLEY'S GROCERY
 DALTON CROCKETT, Assessor-Collector
 PERRY BROS.
 ADAMS ABSTRACT CO.

HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & CO.
 GRANT AGENCY
 RAY FUQUA CHEPROLET CO.
 J & B PLUMBING & ELECTRIC CO.
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 ACME SHEET METAL CO.
 WM. P. CAREY CO.
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 MASON'S HUMBLE SERVICE
 WILLIE STEPHENS, District Clerk
 JACK MOORE, County Attorney
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 BALLINGER BUILDERS SUPPLY
 TEXAS CO., R. A. Bagwell, Agent
 DUNGAN STUDIO
 DILLION MOTOR CO.
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TO: M. E. Somerford and the unknown heirs of M. E. Somerford, Deceased, GREETING: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to 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 10th day of November, A. D. 1952, 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 23 day of September, 1952. The file number of said suit being No. 6157. The names of the parties in said suit are: Charles Preston Barker and R. P. Williams as Plaintiffs and M. E. Somerford and the unknown heirs of M. E. Somerford, Deceased, as Defendants.

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

Being all of the oil, gas and other minerals which are purported to have been conveyed

to M. E. Somerford by deed executed by W. W. Rainwater, dated October 5th, 1927, and recorded in Vol. 139, at Page 29 of the Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, which deed undertakes to convey to said H. E. Somerford all of said W. W. Rainwater's interest in and to all of the oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the following described lands in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit: all of said W. W. Rainwater's undivided one-half interest in thirty-seven and one-half (37½) acres out of Survey No. 2 (G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co.) Abstract No. 1369, and containing 396½ acres; also 296½

BETHEL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Claude Simmons included Mrs. Aribert Hoffman, Mrs. Nina Gunyon and Mrs. Tom Crockett when she was hostess to sixteen members of the Bethel home demonstration club Friday afternoon, entertaining in her rural home.

Mrs. J. H. Shelburne conducted the business period when plans for Achievement Day, to be held on Saturday, October 25, were completed and exhibits were made ready.

Mrs. Charles Dankworth and Mrs. Shelburne gave a cake decorating demonstration. The cakes were served to members with coffee.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Bill Ransberger.

Card of Thanks

Our recent sad loss leaves us with grateful hearts toward neighbors and friends. Their comforting expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

Sisters, nephews and nieces of Ewell Murrah 11-

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acres out of the North part of J. W. Meek School Survey No. 511, Abstract No. 1361, and also 160 acres out of the W. C. Hartin Survey No. 41, Abstract No. 620; said lands are more fully described in said deed to which reference is here made for better description of said lands and for all other purposes.

Plaintiffs also plead, and seek to recover said land under the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitations.

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

Issued this 24th day of September, A. D. 1952.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 24th day of September, A. D. 1952. (Seal) WILLIE STEPHENS, Clerk, District Court of Runnels County, Texas. 2-41

'King Kong,' 'Black Swan,' 'Jet Job' Features of Week at the Horseshoe

Following the first-run presentation of "King Kong," at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre Saturday night, a pre-Hallowe'en special, "Frankenstein Meets the Wolf Man," will be shown, beginning at 11:00 p. m. All who have purchased tickets for "King Kong" will be admitted free to see "Frankenstein Meets the Wolf Man."

Don Quixote tilted at windmills for a gallantly lost cause and in "King Kong," billed at the Horseshoe tomorrow and Saturday, "King Kong," a prehistoric ape of tremendous size, tilts at a squadron of bombing planes from a precarious perch atop a thousand-foot New York building—and loses! "King Kong," RKO Radio's amazing release, features Fay Wray, Robert Armstrong and Bruce Cabot.

"The Black Swan," 20th Century-Fox's exciting production of Rafael Sabatin's famous swashbuckling story of piracy in the Caribbean, will be presented at the Horseshoe Sunday and Monday, October 26, 27. Starring Tyrone Power and Maureen O'Hara, "The Black Swan" recreates the era when villainy wore a sash and cutlass and the minds of men dwelt only on love, gold and

adventure. It is the story of one of these seafarers, played by Power, who plundered a ship's prize or a lady's lips with equal abandon. Supporting players include Laird Cregar, Thomas Mitchell, George Sanders, Anthony Quinn and George Zucco.

"Jet Job," also to be shown at the Horseshoe next Sunday and Monday, tells of the thrills and risks that make up the life of a test pilot of jet-propelled aircraft. Filmed with cooperation of the air forces, the picture stars Stanley Clements and Elena Verdugo. Supporting actors include John Lital, Tom Powers, Bob Nichols, Russ Conway, Todd Karns and Steve Roberts.

Coming to the Horseshoe next Tuesday for a three-day run on October 28, 29, 30, is the triumphant new 20th Century-Fox production of Victor Hugo's immortal "Les Miserables." Starring Michael Rennie and Robert Newton as the classic enemies of all literature

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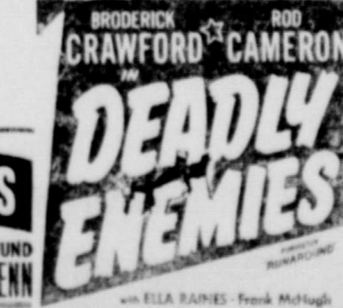
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Nita Duke Feted at Coke Party on Birthday Anniversary

Nita Duke was named honor guest on her thirteenth birthday anniversary last Thursday afternoon when her mother, Mrs. Walter Duke, was hostess to members of the Girl Scout troop which the honoree belongs to, and several added guests. A cake party was held in the garden at the Duke home on Fifth Street.

After a period of games, Mrs. Duke served a sandwich plate with coca colas to: Midge Adair, Lynn Herring, Tommye Lou Curry, Margo Brunson, Pat Darby, LaNell Holbrook, Gale Jennings, Sharon Tuckey, Sue Tubbs, Sarah Chandler, Frances Allen, Marcia Murchison, Linda Crockett, Patti Robinson, Brenda Bowers, Frances Stokes, Patsy Lou Ashton, Barbara Ann Medlen, Peggy Virden, Sue Herring, Marilyn Mason, Martha Kay Northington, and Jane Wade.

Mrs. Middleton Ace of Clubs Hostess

The Price Middleton home in Wilke Terrace was decorated with roses and zinnias when Mrs. Middleton was hostess to members of Ace of Clubs last Thursday afternoon.

In contract games, Mrs. W. O. Irby won high score award and the bingo went to Mrs. H. G. Agnew.

A dessert plate was served with coffee to Meses Agnew, John Bradley, Earl Barr, Sam Conner, Jack Seales, Irby and W. E. Moss.

Brownie Troop No. 10 Makes Posters

Members of Brownbird Brownie Troop No. 10, met with their leaders, Mrs. Jack Pridden and Mrs. Price Middleton, Wednesday afternoon of last week in the Scout house

to work on posters which will be used to solicit notions for the overseas kits troop members are making.

Rebecca Bowers was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Mack Bowers, in serving refreshments to: Suzanne Witter, Loyette Ann Dillion, Grace Ann Parrish, Joan Dallinger, Suzanne Middleton, Ann Davison, Mary Louise Hampton, and Patricia Rayburn.

Brownie Troop No. 1 Elects Officers

After the Brownie smile song was sung and the Brownie promise given, members of troop No. 1 elected officers at the regular meeting last Thursday afternoon in the Girl Scout house.

Officers are: president, Jane Hampton; secretary, Judith Hampton; treasurer, Esde Norton; scribe, Carol Kay Jube; troop leaders, Mrs. H. J. Zappe and Mrs. A. J. Thorp, Jr. directed games and other activities.

Nibbles were served by Pauline Jones and Judith Hampton. Others present were Kay Mansell, Billie Marie Selby, Elaine Zappe, Dorothy Wilson, and Georgia Newby.

"As You Like It" Reviewed for Shakespeare Club

Mrs. Paul Pettit was program leader for the regular meeting of the Ballinger Shakespeare Club in the club rooms on Eighth Street last Thursday afternoon.

In discussing the Shakespeare play, "As You Like It," Mrs. B. C. Kirk gave the history of the play, its origin and its relation to other plays. Mrs. J. B. Dankworth presented the story of the play, and Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh gave famous quotations from the play. Mrs. Powell Wear conducted

the business in the absence of the president, Mrs. E. A. Saunders. Mrs. Joel Bates, federation counselor, announced the 53th meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs would be held at Austin on November 5. The resignation of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. O. L. Parish, Jr., was accepted and a successor will be named at a later date. A report was given on the Club Workshop held at Winters last week.

The American Art Week program will be presented on November 6. The guest artist will be announced soon. Mrs. R. H. Thomson, of Corpus Christi, a former resident of Ballinger, was to have been the guest artist but regretted because of illness.

Others present were: Meses Edgar Boelche, B. W. Clauch, Chester Cherry, Lanham Flynt, Arthur Giescke, J. W. Guyne, Loyd Herring, Estes Lynn, T. J. McCoughan, Dorsey Read, J. O. Satterwhite, R. F. Zedlitz, F. M. Pearce and Horace Murphy.

Miss Canady, Marvin K. Clark to Marry

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Canady have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patsy, to Marvin K. Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Clark. The ceremony will take place at the First Christian Church in Ballinger November 26 at 7:30 p. m. Mr. C. B. Orabood to officiate.

Boy Scout 30 Senior Patrol in Outing

Dwight Davis, leader of the senior patrol of Boy Scout troop No. 30, and other patrol members, Truman Conner, Lucius Wood, Richard Ayers, Robert Ledford and Jim Doser, spent the past week-end on Valley Creek.

The group built its own shelter for the night, and hunted for provisions as the only food taken was bread. The boys were not lucky in catching fish but squirrels furnished rations for the day and night.

Methodist Philathea Class Meets in Nixon Home

Mmes Jack Nixon, T. J. Forgy and Sid Caskey were hostesses to the First Methodist Philathea Class Monday evening, entertaining in the Nixon home on Eighth Street.

Arrangements of chrysanthemums were used to decorate rooms where Mrs. Paul Richardson conducted the business routine and heard reports from committee chairmen and officers. Mrs. C. A. Watson, of San Angelo, a former member of the class, gave the prayer.

A study of parables, "In Quest of the Kingdom," by Dr. Leslie Weatherhead, which calls for study programs throughout the year, was begun at this meet-

ing. Mrs. Troy Simpson presenting the first lesson. Birthday celebrations for October were Mrs. T. J. Forgy, Mrs. O. R. O'Neill and Mrs. Felix Iltz.

Hostesses served cake and coffee. Others were: Meses O. R. O'Neill, John Barton, Cal Adair, A. M. Smith, Augusta Bethany, Tom Caudie, Claude Stone, R. D. Midgley, R. L. Bell, M. L. Forgy, Marion Hays, Sam Behringer, and Miss Ollie Chenoweth.

Girl Scout Troop 9 to Get New Uniforms

Members of Girl Scout troop No. 9 will soon proudly wear new uniforms. They met at the Girl Scout House Monday and discussed the new uniforms which will be a green skirt and white blouse, and the cap will be decided on later. Other activities were discussed along with their projects with their leaders Mrs. Cal Adair and Mrs. Fred Harwell.

Frances Allen was hostess and served refreshments to Nita Duke, LaNell Holbrook, Sarah Chandler, Frances Stokes, Pat Darby, Patsy Ashton, Sharon Tuckey, Linda Crockett, Midge Adair, Gale Jennings, Brenda Bowers, Patti Robinson, Lynn Herring, Ava Nell Brand and Tommye Lou Curry.

Baptist Ruth Class Meets in Walden Home

The Ruth class of the Seventh Street Baptist Church held its regular October meeting in the home of Mrs. Louis Walden Wednesday of last week.

The class finished the election of officers for the ensuing year, planned programs and activities for the next few months and discussed other business.

Cakes and cookies were served to: Meses Jack Nixon, Lee Roy Mueller, J. D. Williams, Frank Cowan, Floyd Wimberley, Edward Redman, Fred Cobb, Ross Campbell and the hostess. The teacher, Mrs. J. D. Mann, was not present, having undergone major surgery earlier in the week.

Oliver Cochran Honored at Tea on 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cochran were honored at a tea in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest T. Caskey, on Eleventh Street Sunday afternoon. The occasion was the Cochran's golden wedding anniversary.

Hosts for the affair were the children of the honored couple, Mrs. Caskey, Mrs. Joe Martin, of Amarillo, and Roy Cochran, of Levelland.

Arrangements of golden yellow chrysanthemums, gladioli and carnations with gold lace-ribbon were used throughout the house where friends in groups, assisted in dispensing hospitalities.

The 90 friends who called in

two groups were received by Mrs. Hutton Laxson and Mrs. O. R. Lassater, and presented to the honored couple, and to Mr. and Mrs. Caskey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cochran.

Mrs. Vernon Webb and Mrs. Alex McGregor directed guests into the dining room where Mrs. John Loveless and Mrs. Lee Evans served the tiered heartshaped cake iced in white and decorated with tiny golden bells and topped with "50" in gold letters. Mrs. W. E. Midgley and Mrs. Leroy Williamson presided at the punch service. Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff assisted in serving.

Miss Pat Martin, of Amarillo, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cochran, who was celebrating her sixteenth birthday anniversary, registered guests. Mrs. E. C. Baskin and Mrs. C. F. Shepherd displayed the many gifts received by the honored couple. Mrs. J. F. Currie played a selection of old favorite medleys throughout the tea hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Cochran were married October 16, 1902, at Casa. They moved to Rising Star where they lived until 1923. They moved to Ballinger in 1923 and lived there until 1948. They moved back to Rising Star and lived there until 1948, when they moved back to Ballinger. Mr. Cochran was a merchant prior to his retirement.

The Cochrans were parents of four children. One son died in infancy. They have two grandchildren.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lee, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cochran, of Santa Anna; Mrs. C. A. Watson, of San Angelo; Mrs. O. H. Layton, of Fort Worth; Mrs. Guy Taylor, and Mrs. H. P. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Hazziwood, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Martin, of Rising Star.

Methodist W. S. C. S. Lesson on "Human Rights"

Mrs. J. W. Barr conducted the business for the regular meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church, held at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. Guyne, chairman of the Spiritual Life Committee, announced the Week of Prayer and Self Denial would begin on October 25. Mrs. Sam Conner, chairman of Supply Work, announced that supplies be furnished for the boxes to go to the Bethlehem Center, Wesley Community House, and the Ponca Indian Methodist Mission.

For the final lesson on "Human Rights" which was "You Hold the Key," Mrs. Troy Simpson discussed several phases of leadership by which the key to Human Rights is held. The other five lessons included "You Hold the Human Rights," "Human Rights in Minority," "Education," "Accent

on Liberty," and "Milestones." As an outgrowth of this study which was completed, the group voted to give twenty-five dollars to the Spofford Home and divide the remainder among the other three organizations. A committee was appointed to outline a Women's Action program and a date will be set later.

Fancy Doers to Compliment G.G.s at Thanksgiving Dance

When members of Fancy Doers held their meeting Monday evening in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Stasney on Eighth Street plans were made for a Thanksgiving dance at which members of G. G. Club will be named honor guests, and the entire B. H. S. student body will be included.

A committee, composed of Sally Bailey, Joyce Campbell, Klen Williams, Louise Miller, and Barbara Stuart, will be in charge of all arrangements for the dance.

Following the business, Mrs. Stasney and Mrs. Hal Yoder supervised the handwork period. Dorothy McShan and Joyce Campbell were hostesses and served a sandwich plate with cold drinks to those previously mentioned and to Joyce Wigninton, Margaret Hampton, Merle Richards, Mary Jo Forman, Pat Tisdale, Helen Kennedy, Delphane Berryhill, Tookie Wade, Anne Stasney, Carol Ann Bailey, Dian Wilson and Carolyn Bigby.

G.G.s Draw Up Constitution and By-Laws

Delle Tisdale and Betty Berryhill were hostesses to the G. G. Club Monday evening, entertaining in the Tisdale home on Sixth Street.

At the business session the constitution and by-laws were rewritten. After a discussion they were amended. An initiation committee was named to make arrangements for the following pledges: Martha Kay Northington, Sue Herring, Gwen Laxton, Bobbie Stultz, Peggy Branham, Barbara Medlen, and Virginia Harral.

Mrs. H. G. Agnew and Mrs. Jimmy McAden, sponsors, directed the group in handwork.

Hostesses served refreshments. Others present were: Catherine Richards, Ann McDonald, Nancy Davis, Marvella Ashton, Dorothy Thomas, Sally Underwood, Shirley Jones, Patricia Davis, Loretta Brown, Pat Zappe, and Joan Blackmon.

Current Book Club Has Health Program

Since Ballinger is on the eve of the mobile chest X-ray unit visit, the Ballinger Current Book Club presented a health program Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. O. R. O'Neill on Eleventh Street.

Dr. Lloyd L. Downing, president of the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association, was guest speaker. He talked on mankind's most vicious killer, tuberculosis, and how progress toward hemming the disease had been made. He reminded club members how the Texas Tuberculosis Association was cooperating with local organizations in promoting health surveys and in advisory service on locally owned and operated equipment. L. F. Jackson projected a film on tuberculosis.

Mrs. O'Neill conducted the business routine and named the nominating committee, Mrs. K. V. Northington, Mrs. O. C. Sykes and Mrs. Jack Nixon. The Christmas party program was discussed. Current books were circulated among members.

At the social hour, pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream was served with coffee in rooms decorated with sweetheart roses and other fall blossoms.

Mrs. C. A. Watson, of San Angelo, a former member, was a visitor. Others were: Meses J. W. Barr, John Barton, Sam Behringer, Tom Caudie, Chester Cherry, A. H. Dallinger, J. W. Guyne, O. R. Lassater, J. O. Satterwhite, K. V. Northington and Gertrude Woods.

Board Meeting Held at Abilene by Federation

Americanism was the theme of an all-day meeting held Monday at Abilene by the Sixth District Federation of Women's Clubs. Emphasis was placed on helping club women to become better informed citizens.

Among the 200 women who attended the meeting were district officers and club presidents. Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, a Sixth District officer, took part in a discussion of "Democracy" and the panel discussion, "How to Promote Women in Public Affairs."

During the morning session, various departments and individual clubs announced plans for the coming year, including

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a sidewalk art exhibit, field trips to historical points, study of the "home town," displaying items from foreign countries in members' homes, and visiting industrial plants.

Miss Eudora Hawkins, of Abilene, emphasized the need of better speakers from club membership and suggested more member-participation will improve club programs. Miss Hawkins also showed two films, "Duck and Cover," a civil defense film, and "Government is Your Business."

Mrs. J. F. Boren, sixth district president, was in charge of the meeting and reminded club members of their responsibility to vote on November 4, and asked that each woman call ten women and ask them to vote.

Mrs. Satterwhite took the collection of children's clothing and toys to Abilene from the Shakespeare Club and Fannie Stephens Study Club, which will be sent to the Austrian aid project.

Posey Honored on Birthday Anniversary

D. G. Posey was named honor guest on his birthday anniversary when Mrs. Posey entertained friends informally in their Seventh Street home Monday evening. Decorations included roses and other fall flowers.

After a period of get-together and wishing "happy birthday," the all-white birthday cake was served with coffee, candy and nuts.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Brush, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Avey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forman, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Underwood and children, Barton, Buzzy and Sue.

Know Your Neighbors Club in Brevard Home

Mrs. Flay Brevard included Mrs. Doc Wilson as an added guest when she was hostess to Know Your Neighbors Club Wednesday afternoon, entertaining in her Seventh Street home.

Arrangements of gladioli in shades of pink, and marigolds

gave added beauty to parlors where knitting and other handwork provided diversion for the afternoon.

The hostess served fruit cake and coffee. Others were: Meses Malcolm Morgan, Herman Rountree, Lee Roy McAulay, Jack Nixon, Fred Harwell, Bobo, Bill Clark, John Barton, Joe Flynt and Cal Adair.

Elsie Damron Honor Guest at Birthday Dinner

Elsie Damron was honor guest at a dinner in the Andy Riddle home on Twelfth Street when his daughters, Mrs. Riddle and Mrs. Connie Bryant, were hostesses.

Mrs. Damron and relatives and friends attended the chicken dinner with all trimmings along with the birthday cake.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. Damron's sister, Mrs. J. W. Copeland, and Mr. Copeland, and his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. John Estes, all of California; and another sister of the honor guest, Mrs. Lucy Atkins, of Talpa.

OFFEN HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

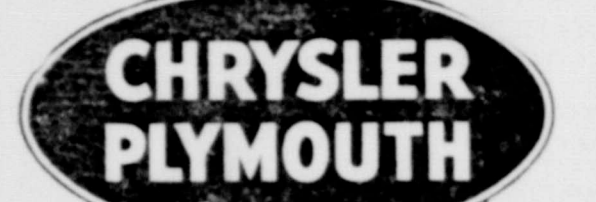
Mrs. B. J. Halfmann was hostess to the Offen home demonstration club Friday afternoon, when she gave a demonstration on making of fabric purses. Four velvet purses and one felt purse was completed at the meeting.

Mrs. Halfmann also played several bags and a hat which she had made.

During the afternoon the members planned the exhibit and bake sale which will be held in Ballinger on October 24 in connection with Achievement Day. The Offen club will sell cakes, pies, rolls, eggs and other items at its booth.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Halfmann and Miss Beatrice Halfmann to seven members and a visitor, Miss Veronica Doran.

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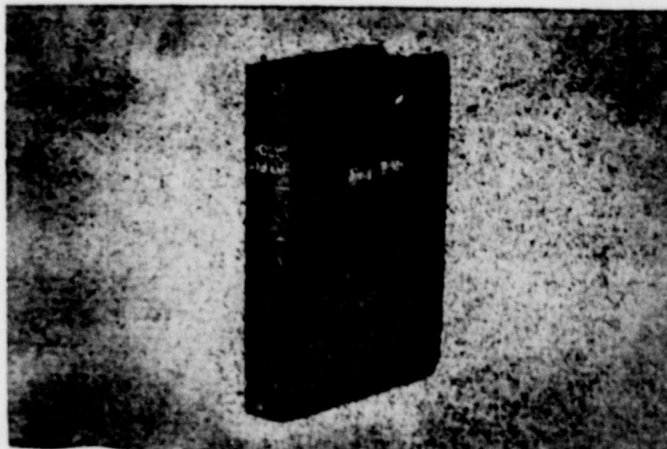
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DEATHS

L. L. Strobbe

Lewis Lenward Strobbe, 81, died at his home, 305 Tenth Street, Monday evening at 6:15 following a heart attack. He had been feeling as well as usual and was about his affairs during the day until he started to eat supper. He complained then of a pain in his chest and succumbed after being assisted to a couch in another room.

Decedent came to Runnels county in 1909 and made home here ever since. He was engaged in local business for many years, operating a meat market, a cafe and a dairy farm. For the past two years had been retired from active work.

Mr. Strobbe was an honorary life member of the Ballinger fire department. For 22 years, while engaged in the cafe business, he opened the place and had hot coffee for the firemen after every alarm, regardless of the hour of night. He was a life long worker in the Baptist Church and took part in many phases of church activities.

He was married to Miss Kate Howard in 1898.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church Wednesday at 10 a. m. Rev. Emmett Brooks officiating, assisted by Dr. C. T. Wharton. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors besides the wife include four daughters, Mrs. J. D. Fraser, Fort Worth; Mrs.

Mrs. Sallie Skaggs

Mrs. Sallie Skaggs, 72, died Monday in a Roswell, New Mexico, hospital. She became ill there 17 days before while en route to Idaho to visit a daughter.

The body was brought to the Newby-Davis Funeral Home and held until time for funeral services Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. at the Paint Rock Baptist Church. Rev. Chester Sylvester officiated, assisted by Rev. Ted Spellman. Burial was in the Paint Rock cemetery.

Decedent moved to Concho county with her husband in 1902 and remained there until 1941, when they moved to San Angelo and later came to Ballinger to make home. She had been a member of the Baptist Church since she was 17 years old.

Survivors include two sons, Noel N. Skaggs, San Angelo; Cecil M. Skaggs, Eden; three daughters, Mrs. Hugh Bishop, Ballinger; Mrs. Joe L. Puett, Salmon, Idaho; Mrs. Rufus M. Cummings, Ephrata, Washington; a sister, two brothers, 13 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

R. P. Taylor

R. P. Taylor, 91, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Horace Oliver, in San Angelo Friday. He had been ill the

past three months. Decedent was a pioneer farmer and merchant of the Norton section. He was born on December 25, 1861, at Roanok, Alabama, and came to Texas in 1880, settling first in Milam county in 1898 and made home ever since in the Norton Community. He was married in 1893 to Miss Mittle McCamey, at Cause. She died in 1940.

Funeral services were held at the Norton Methodist Church Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. William Gunkle officiating, assisted by Rev. J. H. Hodges. Burial was in the Norton cemetery with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge.

Survivors include two sons, Loy C. Taylor, C. V. Taylor, Norton; two daughters, Mrs. Curtis Barrett, Norton; Mrs. Oliver, San Angelo; 10 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. C. D. Branham was hostess to members of the South Ballinger home demonstration club at an all-day meeting Tuesday.

The purpose of the meeting was to complete aluminum trays and hand bags which had been started at a previous meeting. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. Sixteen members and three visitors were present. Visitors were Miss Ollie Chenoweth, Mrs. H. G. Agnew, and Mrs. Fred Harwell.

At the afternoon session, Mrs. Calton Smith presided after the club prayer and collect was given by Mrs. Tom Crockett. Roll was answered by naming "Something I've Learned in Club Work That I Use More Often." Mrs. Neuman Smith gave the council report. Plans were completed for the Achievement Day exhibits, to be held next Saturday, October 25.

Announcement was made that the South Ballinger club would serve members of the county council at the Christmas banquet. A committee for making banquet arrangements are Mrs. Joe Thomas, Mrs. Tom Crockett and Mrs. Austin Williams.

The next club meeting will

CREWS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Crews home demonstration club met at the community center Friday, Mrs. P. R. Dietz serving as hostess.

An interesting demonstration on cake decoration was given by Mrs. Owen Bragg and Mrs. Ernest Tounget. Refreshments consisted of ice cream and cake.

The next meeting will be held on Friday, November 7, beginning at 2:00 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Edgar Jayroe.

SERVING UNCLE SAM

Pvt. Donald Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett, of the Valley View community was informed October 17 that he was the father of a son, born that day at Goodfellow AFB hospital, San Angelo. The young fellow has been named Charles Ray. Pvt. Bennett is a typist clerk with the army in Korea.

Sgt. and Mrs. Billie Russell are visiting here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Russell, of the Valley View community. Sgt. Russell was recently discharged from the army after serving several months in Korea. He was a gunner on a heavy artillery piece and saw considerable action at the front. He and his wife plan to locate on a farm somewhere in West Texas.

Airman 2c Kenneth P. Landers has returned to Barksdale AFB, Shreveport, after spending two weeks with his mother, Mrs. L. L. Williams.

Sgt. Bill Hart and S-Sgt. Jim Parker have returned to Smoky Hill AFB, Salina, Kansas, after a visit with Sgt. Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hart. They met Mrs. Hart and son, Mickey, at Lubbock and attended the Texas Tech-Baylor football game and visited Grayson Hart, who is a student at Tech.

Pfc. David O. Atkeson, marine corps, who was recently reported missing in Korea, has been heard from by his parents. He landed in Japan on October 4 and reported he was feeling fine. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Atkeson, of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Brookshier and son, Gordon Brookshier, left Tuesday morning for Fort Worth where Mr. Brookshier will consult a bone specialist. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Hatton Laxson, who will go on to Whitesboro to visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Legate, former residents of Ballinger.

Hipparchus invented trigonometry.



WOUNDED KOREAN INFANTRYMAN . . . Two Korean aid men help a Republic of Korea infantryman from a frontline position to a medical aid station after he was wounded during the fierce fighting for the hotly contested central Korean front outpost tabbed Capitol Hill.

Special Feature At Opening Game Here Tomorrow

There will be at least one special feature at the opening of the football season here tomorrow (Friday) between the Ballinger and Comanche teams. At the beginning of the game, the Ballinger Jaycees will officially present the new electric scoreboard to the Ballinger schools.

The program has been planned to be short and interesting. It will present some of the leading figures in the Jaycee organization who gave much work to raising the money, the purchasing and installing of the new board.

The project was started by the Jaycees under the administration of L. R. Rieger and completed after C. E. Dillon became president. Both of these men probably will be recognized in the official presentation. A member of the school board, the superintendent and the head coach will be on the receiving end.

Legion, Auxiliary Membership Drive Is Now Underway

The Pat Williams Post, American Legion, is preparing to launch its annual membership campaign and will make every effort to conclude it on Armistice Day, November 11. The new quota received from the state department is slightly in excess of last year's total.

Officers of the Auxiliary have been soliciting members for the past week and about have their 1953 quota ready to report. The Auxiliary will be active this year in its meetings and work programs. The Auxiliary served refreshments to the Legionnaires at the post meeting Tuesday night.

The Auxiliary will start at once receiving Christmas gifts for the shop at the Legion veteran's hospital. All gifts from this section will go to Legion hospital and shipments are due to be made several weeks before Christmas so that patients can select their gifts in time to send them to relatives before the holidays.

Legionnaires plan two meetings a month. One will be a joint gathering with the Auxiliary members for business and the other will be a stag party for Legionnaires only.

ARRESTED . . . William Billy Allan, 45, correspondent for the Daily Worker, Red newspaper, was arrested in Detroit by the F.B.I. and held on \$25,000 bail on charges of conspiracy to advocate the overthrow of the government of the U.S.

FIREMEN CALLED WHEN MOTOR SCOOTER BLAZES

Ballinger firemen were called to West Hutchings Avenue Monday morning to extinguish a motor scooter fire. The blaze was under control quickly and little damage was done to the machine.

BALLINGER YOUTH NOW AT GONZALES

Charles James Parrish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Parrish, has been admitted to the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation. The boy began receiving treatments there on October 13. He was stricken with polio on September 11 and was in a San Angelo hospital several weeks.

Miss Wilma Duke, senior student at North Texas State College, Denton, was a week-end visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duke. She left Sunday for Dallas, where she will do student teaching the next nine weeks at Lakewood school. Mr. and Mrs. Duke accompanied their daughter to Dallas.

Bill Moore left the first of the week for San Antonio to visit relatives and attend to business.

Miss June Walker, formerly of Ballinger now an employee of the city of Odessa, is spending her vacation in the homes of the Verbecks and her grandmother, Mrs. P. D. Walker.

Ballingerites attending the Baylor-Texas Tech football game and visiting Tech students at Lubbock were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rountree and son, Mike; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Berryhill and daughters, Delphine and Betty; and Mr. and Mrs. Hal Yoder; Misses Norma Jackson, Barbara Stuart and Mary Harral; Wayne Cole, Luther Parker and Harlan Forbus.

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BALLINGER TEAMS WIN 2 BALL GAMES

The Ballinger juniors defeated the Lake View juniors by the score of 36 to 14 before a large crowd of fans at Bearcat Field last Thursday night.

Coach Bill Scoggins left his first string in the game for the first half and the starters piled up a count of 36-0 at half time. The second string took over during the last half and were unable to score, but held the Lake View team to two touchdowns.

Coach Frank Barnett took the B team to Coleman Thursday night and handed a defeat to the B team there, 26 to 7. The B team has been improving each week and showed a good offense against Coleman, which paid off.

SINGING CONVENTION TO BE AT CREWS SUNDAY, 1:00 P. M.

The Runnels County Singing Association convention will be held at the Crews Methodist Church next Sunday, October 26, beginning at 1:00 o'clock.

Special song numbers will be featured. The public is invited to attend this musical program, presented by musicians from surrounding towns.

Card of Thanks

To our many friends who wish to express our deep appreciation for the many kindnesses shown in our recent sorrow, the death of our husband and father, the flowers, the food and the many kind expressions of sympathy were comforting to us in this sad hour. May God bless you.

Mrs. L. L. Strobbe and children

Mrs. J. D. McNutt accompanied by Mrs. Mary Spreen and Mrs. Sherman Hendricks, returned Tuesday from Brenham, where they visited relatives and friends.

MRS. WAGNER ATTENDS FUNERAL OF GRANDSON

Mark Wagner, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hilmar E. Wagner, Jr., of 9139 Highway 54, died in an El Paso hospital Monday. Graveside rites were held at 3:00 p. m. Tuesday in the Fort Bliss National Cemetery, Rev. Wachter, Catholic chaplain, officiating.

Mrs. Hilmar Wagner, of Rowena, grandmother of the deceased infant, attended the funeral. She was accompanied to El Paso by her niece and nephew, Margaret and Edward Moonen. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brand, of San Antonio, maternal grandparents of the infant, also attended the funeral.

Mr. Wagner is with the 65th army band at Fort Bliss.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Arthur the past week-end were Mrs. J. L. Youngberg, Mrs. Vertie Hughes Rose and Chief Johnson, all of Pampa.

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NOTES**

The first day of absentee voting on Wednesday of last week totalled 50. Frankie Berryman, county clerk, received and mailed out that many ballots the first day of the period. The calls for sample ballots were also so large that the county authorities had an extra number printed for this purpose. The interest shown by those who will be away from home indicates heavy balloting in the November 4 election. A number of local organizations are joining in a national campaign to get all eligible voters to the polls. Boy Scouts will conduct a last minute drive here, attaching liberty bells to an urge to vote statement on every door knob.

Ballinger citizens are being asked to authorize a \$100,000 bond issue which will be spent to increase water pumping and filtration facilities and lay new and larger lines. This is being done in an effort to furnish an adequate supply of water during the summer peak. Last summer the Elm Creek plant was in service until the supply was exhausted and had it not been for opportune rain it would have been necessary to ration water when daily consumption shot above 1,250,000 gallons. The proposed expansion calls for more pumps, an addition to the filtration plans and some new mains in the distribution network to give pressure in sections that have had large growth. At the same time, citizens will be asked to void a \$100,000 bond issue voted two years ago for airport expansion which was not spent.

Runnels county farmers are signing up in the Farm Bureau in considerable numbers at this time and leaders conducting the annual membership drive expect to reach the goal of 500 for 1953. More than 400 rural citizens who are members this year realize the many benefits and present indications are that many additional members will be on the 1953 list. Insurance, legislation, marketing and other items are included in Farm Bureau benefits and are being taken into consideration by prospective members. Possibly the most important benefit is direct touch with the state legislature and congress in

Peace officers from a wide area in West Texas were at Brady Wednesday to attend a conference dealing with automobile theft. Agents of the federal bureau of investigation were in charge of the program to perfect in officers methods of picking up those who have stolen cars. Fred McIntire, special FBI agent, was assisted by members of the state public safety department. Various methods of picking up clues, especially with used car dealers were stressed.

City street paving and recreational improvement were described as the most needed projects in the recent chamber of commerce clinic at Hamlin. A total of 162 Hamlin citizens attended the sessions, held throughout the day. Suggestions given by those present indicated the city's greatest needs, and tabulations disclosed paving and recreation headed the list. Committees will be named at once to start work on the two favored projects.

The Colorado City city council voted last week 4 to 0 to grant a rate increase to the Lone Star Gas Co. Application for the increase had been on file for some time and had been discussed at previous meetings. At the same meeting aldermen voted an increase in pay to police and firemen. The resignation of J. M. New was accepted. New, a former mayor, resigned because his business made it necessary for him to be away from town several months.

A Melvin committee started work last week in an effort to secure its part of the 425 members in the McCulloch County Farm Bureau Meetings have been held in the county to inform farmers of the many benefits they receive from membership in the organization. A large number in the Melvin community are members of the Bureau and the total probably will be increased for 1953.

The Menard American Legion post will repair toys for kiddies preceding the Christmas holidays. Legionnaires are calling for all discarded toys which can be repaired and painted and will open a shop where work will be done evenings until Christmas. The toys will be made available for the baskets to be distributed by the Menard county social service council to needy families on Christmas eve.

The community chest drive at Stephenville was launched Monday following a kick-off breakfast. Workers were given instructions on raising the \$7,350 budget which will provide funds for eleven organizations during 1953. The chest plan has been in force at Stephenville the past five years and every budget has been raised. The providing of funds for eleven organizations in one campaign eliminates many separate drives which were made before the plan was adopted.

The Paint Rock Parent-Teachers Association is discussing pending farm legislation.

Teacher Association will present its annual carnival Friday night, October 24. In previous years the carnival has attracted many people and the organization has made most of its money from this attraction. The entertainment program has been enlarged and will hold the crowds several hours if they see all the shows. An auction ring has also been added and this will be operated by the Paint Rock Lions Club.

The Comanche Lions Club and Comanche Chamber of Commerce jointly sponsored an appreciation dinner last Wednesday to honor J. C. Wilkerson, publisher of the Comanche Chief. Boyce House, of Fort Worth, was the principal speaker. A certificate of appreciation was given for the publisher's faith in the community and his untiring efforts in helping to build the city and county. A historical sketch of the newspaper was presented since its establishment in 1873.

A turkey processing demonstration will be held at Rising Star on November 3. The program is sponsored by the Central Texas Turkey Growers' Association and only three will be held. The purpose is to instruct growers how to kill and dress birds for deep freeze units and how to exhibit in the national turkey show to be held at Dallas in January. Invitations have been sent to all turkey raisers in the vicinity.

A special committee was named at Brownwood last week to look into the matter of locating an airplane assembly plant. The committee could secure space at the municipal airport for the proposed plant. A representative of a Dallas firm was in Brownwood earlier last week and indicated that he would like to locate the industry at Brownwood if certain requirements could be met. He told committee members that he would need approximately 75,000 square feet of floor space.

Three members of the Miles Future Farmers of America chapter went to Kansas City last week and indicated that he national poultry judging events. The team, composed of Jimmie Kellermier, Gilbert Kubenka and Daniel Jansa, won in the district and the state contests earlier this year, which made them the Texas team at Kansas City. They were accompanied by Cadmus Brown, vocational agriculture teacher at Miles.

The Coleman county commissioners' court in a special meeting last week voted to purchase right-of-way from Valera to Coleman and from Valera to Santa Anna. These requests had been made two weeks before by the district highway engineer. In passing the measures the commissioners indicated they would purchase the Valera-Coleman right-of-way at once and the route to Santa Anna as finances would permit. Coleman civic groups condemned the action of the state highway department asking the short cut from Valera to Santa Anna on highway 67.

E. B. Fuller, Democratic nominee for the office of county attorney in Coke county, has informed the commissioners' court that he will not qualify after the election. He will soon move to Austin, where he has accepted a position. Fuller was nominated in the July primary, defeating his opponent, Frank C. Dickey. The court indicated it would appoint a successor to the office on January 1, when other county officials qualify.

The Winters Chamber of Commerce has made application to Postmaster Rankin Pace for free city mail delivery. A sign-up for service was conducted in the spring and many favored this plan for distributing mail. Sidewalks have been improved and all houses numbered to meet requirements.

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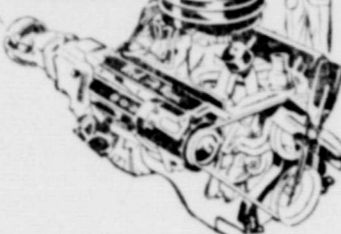
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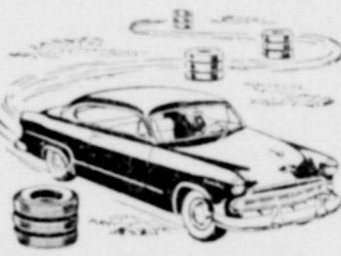
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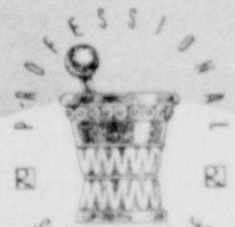
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Girl Scout Troop 5 Does Textile Painting
Members of Girl Scout Troop 5 completed their textile painting project when they met at the Scout House Monday afternoon with their leader, Mrs. Harold Mueller and Mrs. John McGrath.

The troop changed its visit to the Concho Museum from October 25 to November 1. The girls will go to San Angelo by car and return home on the night train.
Margaret Lou Campbell was assisted by her mother, Mrs. L. J. Campbell, in serving refresh-

ments to: Paula Jean Bishop, Dorothy Smith, Lucia Clark, Linda Wright, Deatrice Lindermann, Pauline James, Glenda Cook, Linda Crockett, and the leaders.

Presbyterian Women's Council Meets in Stultz Home

Mrs. Bill B. Stultz, Mrs. Mary Stubblefield, Mrs. Milton Redmond and Mrs. Harper McFarland were hostesses to the Women's Council of the First

Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., Monday morning, entertaining in the Stultz home on Sixth Street.

Arrangements of fall blossoms decorated rooms where Mrs. Alvin O. Rue presented a quiz program on the study book, "Outreach." Miss Maggie Lilly gave the devotional from the 7th chapter of Matthew and closed with a prayer. The group sang "Oh Zion Haste" with Mrs. Rue playing the accompaniment. Mrs. J. D. Coulter

read the names in the Year-book of Prayer and gave the prayer for missions. After the offering, the Mizpah benediction was repeated.

Mrs. Walter Lange assisted the hostesses in serving banana nut cake topped with whipped cream and coffee.

Others present were: Mmes. A. W. Sledge, R. T. Russell, B. H. Erwin, Mart Gorman, E. S. Malone, Pat Wood, Rufus Allen, and Miss Eva Lilly.

Art and Needle Club Completes Quilt for Needy Family

Art and Needle Club members completed the quilt they had been working on at an all-day meeting in the home of Mrs. Walter Mueller on Tenth Street Friday.

Mrs. Ralph Willingham presided at the business period when new officers were elected, as follows: president, Mrs. E. F. Krc; vice-president, Mrs. Charles Olzak; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Louis Loika; reporter,

Mrs. Fred Mapes. The president named a committee composed of Mmes. Krc, Olzak and Loika to find a needy family to which the quilt will be presented.

Arrangements of roses, queen's wreath and other fall blossoms decorated rooms where a covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

The next meeting will be held at 2:00 p. m. November 20, in the home of Miss Mary Krc on Sixth Street.

Visitors were Mrs. E. C. Lindemann and Mrs. H. F. Lindemann. Other members present were Miss Krc, Mrs. E. C. Schott, Mrs. Newt Stephens and Mrs. Earl Crockett.

Miss Rayburn, Airman Weaver Wed at Goodfellow Chapel

A ceremony performed at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon united in marriage Miss Jo Anne Rayburn, of San Angelo, and Airman 1c Walter Edward Weaver, stationed at Goodfellow AFB, San Angelo.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rayburn, of Ballinger, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Weaver, of Bluefield, West Virginia.

Chaplain Ivor L. Clark read the double-ring ceremony in Goodfellow Wing Chapel. Altar decorations included arrangements of white carnations. Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a gown of white satin. The fitted bodice featured a lace yoke and long sleeves which came to points over the hands. The full skirt was floor length.

The fingertip veil of illusion was caught to a white satin collar. She wore a white ivory necklace which was worn in the weddings of her mother and sister. Her prayer book was topped with white carnations and puffs of net.

Mrs. Billy J. Doty, of Abilene, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a blue tulle gown and carried a nosegay of blue carnations.

Robert M. Danielson, of St. Cloud, Minnesota, was best man and ushers were Gayle I. Casey, of Oklahoma City, and Walter T. Wilson, of Chattanooga.

A reception was held at the Shannon Nurses Residence, 120 E. Beauregard. White carnations and candles centered the refreshment table. Miss Neva Marion, of Elko, served the wedding cake and Miss Edwina Vogelsang, of Ballinger, presided at the punch service. Miss Shirley Priebe, of Fairfield, Iowa, was at the bride's book. The couple will be at home at 203 N. Magdalen. A grand-

uate of Ballinger High School and San Angelo College, the bride was graduated from the Shannon School of Nursing and is now assistant instructor of nursing arts at the school. A graduate of Beaver High School in Bluefield, the bridegroom is stationed at Goodfellow AFB.

Miss Smith, Bill Herron to be Married Wednesday

Announcement has been made by the bride-elect's parents of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Bobbie Smith, of Ballinger, and Bill Herron, of Bronte. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Smith, of Ballinger, and Mr. Herron is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Herron, of Bronte.

Vows will be exchanged on November 29 in the First Baptist Church chapel here.

Mary Stubblefield Circle Meets in Wilson Home

Mrs. L. F. Wilson entertained the First Presbyterian U. S. A., Mary Stubblefield Evening Circle in her Eighth Street home Monday evening.

Mrs. Lloyd Downing presided at the business session at which time it was voted to hold a bazaar in November. A date will be named later.

Mrs. Mart Gorman, program chairman, directed the group in singing "America," and also brought the devotional from "The Sermon on the Mount." Mrs. Jack Ashton presented the program, "It Was to Be." Rev. Alvin O. Rue gave the Bible study, "Three Different Kinds of Light."

A salad plate was served with punch to those previously mentioned and to Mrs. Goldie Kilpatrick, Mrs. Billy B. Stultz, and Mrs. Pat Wood.

Girls Auxiliary Has Program

The Girls Auxiliary of the Seventh Street Baptist Church met Monday at the church for a regular program. Donna Lee, Katherine Taff, Ruby Callshaw, Bobby McDavid and Joan Morris gave a very interesting program on stewardship.

Others present included Dixie Curry, Dortha Montgomery, Delores Clark, Helen James, Charlene Davis, Ruth Ferguson, and a visitor, Katherine Witt.

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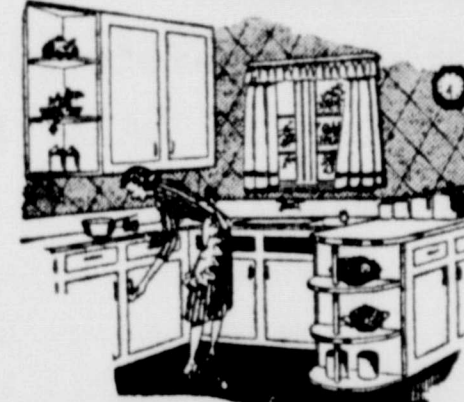
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Notice of Election to Revoke and Cancel Airport Bonds... THE STATE OF TEXAS... CITY OF BALLINGER... COUNTY OF RUNNELS... To All Qualified Voters of the City of Ballinger, Texas, who own Taxable Property in Said City, and who have Duly Rendered the Same for Taxation: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Ballinger, Texas, on the 8th day of November, 1952, in obedience to a resolution and order duly entered by the City Council, on the 15th day of October, 1952, which is as follows: Resolution and Order for Election to Revoke and Cancel Airport Bonds...

Resolution and Order for Election to Revoke and Cancel Airport Bonds... THE STATE OF TEXAS... CITY OF BALLINGER... COUNTY OF RUNNELS... ON THIS, the 15th day of October, 1952, the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, convened in special session at the regular meeting place thereof in the City Hall, there being present and in attendance the following members: J. W. MOORE Mayor, CHARLES HAMBRICK, Commissioner, RAMON BERRYHILL, Commissioner and with the following absent: None, constituting a quorum; and, among other proceedings had, were the following: Commissioner Berryhill introduced a resolution and order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Hambrick. The motion, carrying with it the adoption of the resolution and order, prevailed by the following vote: AYES: Mayor Moore and Commissioners Hambrick and Berryhill. NOES: None. THE RESOLUTION AND ORDER is as follows: WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, deems it advisable to hold an election within said City for the purpose hereinafter stated; therefore BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS: I. That an election be held on the 8th day of November, 1952, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this resolution and order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City, who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation: "SHALL the authority of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, to issue \$100,000 general obligation tax bonds voted at an election held in said City on the 17th day of February, 1951, for the purpose of developing, enlarging, improving and equipping the City's Airport, and the site thereof, including buildings and other facilities incidental to the operation thereof and the elimination of hazards thereto, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 114, Acts of the 50th Legislature at its Regular Session in 1947, said bonds being unissued and unsold, be revoked and cancelled?" II. That said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Ballinger, Texas, and the entire City shall constitute one election precinct. III. That the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of the election, to-wit: O. J. Harber, Presiding Judge; E. B. Clappitt, Judge; Max McCrary, Sr., Clerk; Lee Evans, Clerk. IV. That said election shall be held under the provisions of and in accordance with the laws governing the issuance of municipal bonds in cities, as provided in the General Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified electors, who own taxable property in the City, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote. V. That the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V.A.T.S. Election Code, adopted by the

Ballinger, Texas, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 15th day of October, 1952. (City Seal) J. W. MOORE, Mayor, City of Ballinger, Texas. Attest: FRED UNDERWOOD, City Secretary, City of Ballinger, Texas. THIS NOTICE of election is issued and given by the undersigned, pursuant to authority conferred by virtue of the above and foregoing resolution and order of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, and under authority of law. WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS, this 15th day of October, 1952. (City Seal) J. W. MOORE, Mayor, City of Ballinger, Texas. Attest: FRED UNDERWOOD, City Secretary, City of Ballinger, Texas.

NORTON WOMEN MEET WITH MAVERICK GROUP The women of the Norton Baptist Church met with the women of the Maverick Baptist Church Monday, October 13, to present the "Royal Service" program of the W. M. U. for October. The program theme was "Choosing the More Excellent Way." Mrs. C. S. Lewis gave the devotional. Others participating in the program were Mrs. Kemper Shelburne, program chairman; Mrs. Bill Kornegay, Mrs. E. Otis Allen, Mrs. Tom Setser, Mrs. Clarence Lee, Mrs. George Cope and Mrs. Jim Hambrick. Others from Norton attending the meeting were Mrs. Joe Yarnell, Mrs. Gaddy, Mrs. Grady Barrett, Mrs. Tyree, Mrs. Ben Taylor. The meeting opened with the group singing of "America," a prayer by Mrs. Gaddy following Mrs. N. T. Gault, president of the Maverick W. M. U., gave the benediction. The bungalow originated in the Orient.

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Notice of Election for Issuance of Waterworks Improvement Bonds THE STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF BALLINGER COUNTY OF RUNNELS To All Qualified Voters of the City of Ballinger, Texas, who own Taxable Property in Said City, and who have Duly Rendered the Same for Taxation: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Ballinger, Texas, on the 8th day of November, 1952, to determine whether or not the City Commission of said City shall be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the following amount and for the following purpose: \$100,000 general obligation tax bonds for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the city's waterworks system; and which election was duly called and ordered by the order of the City Commission of said City, passed on the 13 day of October, 1952, and which election order is made a part of this notice, and is in words and figures, as follows, to-wit: Bond Election Order THE STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF BALLINGER COUNTY OF RUNNELS ON THIS, the 15th day of

October, 1952, the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, convened in special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the City Hall, there being present and in attendance the following members, to-wit: J. W. MOORE, Mayor, CHARLES HAMBRICK, Commissioner, RAMON BERRYHILL, Commissioner and with the following absent: None, constituting a quorum; and, among other proceedings had, were the following: Commissioner Hambrick introduced an order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Berryhill. The motion, carrying with it the adoption of the order, prevailed by the following vote: AYES: Mayor Moore and Commissioners Hambrick and Berryhill. NOES: None. The Order is as follows: WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, deems it advisable to issue the bonds of said City for the purpose hereinafter mentioned; therefore BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS: I.

That an election be held on the 8th day of November, 1952, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation: "SHALL the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, be authorized to issue ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000) general obligation tax bonds of said City, maturing serially over a period of years not to exceed twenty (20) years from the date thereof, being interest at a rate of not to exceed FOUR PER CENTUM (4%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the city's waterworks system; and to provide for the payment of principal of and interest on said bonds by levying a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest and to create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem said bonds as they become due?" II. That said election shall be

held at the City Hall in the City of Ballinger, Texas, and the entire City shall constitute one election precinct. III. That the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of the election, to-wit: O. J. Harber, Presiding Judge; E. B. Clappitt, Judge; Max McCrary, Sr., Clerk; Lee Evans, Clerk. IV. That said election shall be held under the provisions of and in accordance with the laws governing the issuance of municipal bonds in cities, as provided in the General Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified electors, who own taxable property in the City, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote. V. That the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V.A.T.S. Election Code, adopted by the Fifty-Second Legislature in 1951, and that printed on such ballots shall appear the following proposition: "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS IMPROVEMENT BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS IMPROVEMENT BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF" AS TO THE foregoing proposition, each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his or her vote on the proposition. VI. That a copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City and attested by the City Secretary, shall serve as proper notice of said election. VII. That notice of said election shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS IMPROVEMENT BONDS." Said notice shall be posted at the City Hall and at two other public places in said City not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in the BALLINGER LEDGER, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of

Ballinger, Texas, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 15th day of October, 1952. (City Seal) J. W. MOORE, Mayor, City of Ballinger, Texas. Attest: FRED UNDERWOOD, City Secretary, City of Ballinger, Texas. THIS NOTICE of election is issued and given by the undersigned, pursuant to authority conferred by virtue of the above and foregoing order of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, and under authority of law. WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS, this 15th day of October, 1952. (City Seal) J. W. MOORE, Mayor, City of Ballinger, Texas. Attest: FRED UNDERWOOD, City Secretary, City of Ballinger, Texas.

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Walt Disney's Colorful 'Robin Hood' Closes Three-Day Engagement at Hillcrest Tomorrow

Walt Disney has done it again! In his current live-action drama, "The Story of Robin Hood," which concludes a three-day run at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre tomorrow (Friday), is a lavish Technicolor production combining the romantic elements of the legend with the tense danger which surrounded the gallant hero. Richard Todd stars as the Sherwood Forest hero, and Joan Rice is introduced in the role of Maid Marian. Vast production scenes mingle with fascinating details of life as it was lived by the merrie band of deadly bowmen, to make "The Story of Robin Hood" one of the most distinguished of the season's RKO Radio offerings.

at the Hillcrest Saturday only, October 25, has been given the highest possible praise by the Hollywood trade press. The Cinecolor picture stars the sensational newcomer, Ben Johnson, Edgar Buchanan and Martha Hyer. Featured players include Hayden Rorke, Hugh Beaumont, Don Haggerty, Barbara Woodell.

Fred Astaire and Vera-Ellen literally "dance on air" in "The Belle of New York," to be presented at the Hillcrest Sunday and Monday, October 26, 27. Previewers say the spirits of everyone seeing this captivating new M-G-M musical in Technicolor are lifted accordingly. Laid in the nostalgic period of New York's gaslight, horse-drawn streetcar and Currier and Ives era, "The Belle of New

York" comes as an enchanting blend of songs and dances, colorful sets and costumes, and a plot bubbling with laughs.

Paul Henreid and Lizabeth Scott are starred in "Stolen Face," attraction at the Hillcrest Tuesday and Wednesday, October 28, 29.

Henreid is cast as a plastic surgeon who remodels the face of an inmate in a women's prison, making her the likeness of the girl he loves. Miss Scott plays a dual role, as the girl with the "stolen face" and also as the original model.

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Sealed proposals addressed to W. H. Rampy, County Judge, Rannels County, Texas, for the construction of repairs and improvements to the Rannels County Jail, will be received at the Commissioners' Court room at Ballinger, Texas, until ten o'clock a. m., on the 10th day

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Audie Murphy Heads Top-Action Players in 'Duel at Silver Creek'

A top-action cast, headed by Audie Murphy, Faith Domergue and Stephen McNally, brings a new saga of the settling of the West to the Texas Theatre screen Sunday and Monday, October 26, 27, in Universal's Technicolor "The Duel at Silver Creek."

"The Duel at Silver Creek" tells the exciting story of the fight waged by law and order against the nefarious gangs of claim jumpers who killed and plundered in their greedy quest for valuable mining sites.

Although football is the springboard from which the story is launched in "The Rose Bowl Story," color film drama

of November, 1952, and publicly opened and read, after which the bids will be considered by the Commissioners' Court and award of contract made as soon thereafter as practicable.

A certified or cashier's check on a bank in the State of Texas or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company payable without recourse to W. H. Rampy, County Judge, of the amount of not less than five (5%) per cent of the total bid shall accompany each bid as a guaranty that if awarded the contract, the bidder will promptly enter into contract and execute a performance bond of One Hundred (100%) per cent of the contract price. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any

on the double-feature program at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday, a passionate boy and girl romance is a strong ingredient. The screenplay stars Marshall Thompson and Vera Miles, one time Miss Bathing Suit of the Atlantic City beauty contest.

"Fighting Coast Guard," action drama of the nation's first sea-going armed force, is the other feature on the same program. In this presentation Republic has contributed another stirring screen document to its long list of service pictures which pay tribute to the U. S. fighting forces. The stars are Brian Donlevy, Forrest Tucker and Ella Raines. World War II action highlights the story of the Coast Guard on convoy duty and spectacular invasion missions. John Russell, William Murphy and Richard Jaeckel are seen in support.

and all bids and to waive any or all formalities.

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The story of a woman with a secret she can neither share nor keep is told in Columbia's "Paula," starring Loretta Young and featuring Kent Smith and Alexander Knox. "Paula" will be shown at the Texas Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, October 28, 29.

Smith appears as the husband while Knox plays the doctor and family friend. Young Tommy Rettig, who plays the boy, is a product of the legitimate stage, having toured the country with Mary Martin in "Annie Get Your Gun."

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after 5:00 p. m. 11-*

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5822. 11

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23-11-*

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23-11-*

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients dismissed from the
Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the
past week included:

Ralph Vancil, medical, Sun-

day

J. G. Goetz, medical, Friday

Mrs. James Tinney, medical,

Saturday

Mrs. R. A. Conner, Paint

Rock,

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SPORTS

A new press box is being completed at Bearcat Field this week and will be in service tomorrow night. The improvement will be located on the 50-yard line on the north-

western side of the field and is large enough for twelve desks for reporters and scouts. Announcement was made this week that reserved seats will be available for all conference games. Sections are being held for the Lake View, Brady, Coleman, and Winters fans and sales will open early each week

before the game. These tickets will sell at \$1.20 each. General admission tickets also will be available for each conference game and the price is 90 cents for an adult. The Ballinger juniors will go to Coleman tonight to meet the juniors of that school in a conference contest.

The Ballinger B team will be at Brady tonight for a meeting with the Bulldog second-stringers. The pep squad will have charge of program sales at the games here this year and will greet customers at the entrance

gate. The FFA chapter will have charge of the concession stands, selling drinks, popcorn, candy, hot-dogs and other items. Elroy Payne, star fullback for the Bearcats in 1951, is seeing plenty of action with the McMurry College Indians this

fall. He has gained more than 200 yards in his first three games and has been a leading scorer for the Indians. Walter Hill is receiving wide publicity as a defensive end with the A. & M. College team this year.

Bearcats to Open Home Schedule with Redskins

The Ballinger Bearcats have completed their road schedule for the year and will open the 1952 football season here tomorrow (Friday) night at 8:00 o'clock against the Comanche Indians. The Indians dropped their first game of the year to the Coleman Bluecats last Friday night by the score of 27-7.

A big crowd is expected for the first home game, which will be preceded by a brief program. Ballinger Jaycees will present the new electric scoreboard to school officials and the football team. Fans are urged to be in their seats before game time for this part of the program.

A second feature of the game will be the appearance of the Bearcat Band, for the first time at home, in new uniforms. The band will make its entry prior to the game and also be seen in a half time performance.

Coach Douglas Cox is making no prediction on the outcome of this game, other than that the Bearcats are ready to give battle. The loss of Don Winchester for the remainder of the season was reported this week. Winchester broke a leg in scrimmage last week. All other team members are in good condition.

Comanche will present a big team with lots of reserve strength. So far this season the Indians had been able to run and pass against all opposition until they tackled Coleman last Friday night. One star backfield player was injured early in the action, this weakening the Redskins considerably.

General admission tickets went on sale downtown early this week and were picked up fast. A block of tickets was sent to Comanche for fans who plan to accompany the team here.

BROOKSHIER APPOINTED TO AFGHANISTAN POST

Curry Brookshier, vocational agriculture instructor in Texas since 1939, has left for Afghanistan to join a point 4 mission of the technical cooperation administration, department of state. Three members of his family will accompany him.

Since June, 1947, Mr. Brookshier has been on duty as veterans' vocational instructor at Coleman. He served prior to that as county agent at Lubbock and Tulla and as agriculture instructor at Plains, Blackwell and San Angelo.

He attended Tarleton State College, Stephenville, and the Texas Agriculture & Mechanical College.

Principal point 4 in Afghanistan embraces agriculture and land resources.

Sir Walter Raleigh was beheaded.

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We have choice pieces in the nationally advertised Samsonite luggage, for both men and women. Priced \$17.50 to \$27.50.

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Shining rayon damask table cloths in sizes to fit any table, come in white and pastel shades; some with matching napkins. Priced \$2.98 to \$18.98.

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Pay 80¢ a Week

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All wool or part wool blankets are ideal gifts for the home. We have blankets from leading manufacturers in rich colors with wide satin bindings. Priced \$4.95 to \$15.95.

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Double bed size satin comforts filled with pure virgin wool, may be had in rich colors or two-tone combinations.

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MR. FARMER:



Don't you think control of the farm program should be in your hands?

Don't you think you are capable of running your own business?

THEN VOTE FOR TEXAS IKE FOR PRESIDENT. HE IS PLEDGED TO DECENTRALIZE THE FARM PROGRAM, TO PLACE CONTROL ON THE STATE, DISTRICT AND COUNTY LEVELS.

Here's what Ike said at Waco: "Our farm policies ought to begin, as well as end, out where the plowing and the planting are actually done. It should be a unified program, one in which the left hand knows what the right hand is doing."

IKE WILL THROW OUT THE FEDERAL WINDSHIELD FARMERS AND THE BIG CITY LAWYERS
VOTE FOR LOCAL CONTROL OF THE FARM PROGRAM. VOTE FOR IKE.

TEXAS DEMOCRATS for EISENHOWER

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Claud H. Gilmer, Chairman)

AN ORDINANCE

Granting to Lone Star Gas Company, a Corporation, its Successors and Assigns, a Franchise to Furnish and Supply Gas to the General Public in the City of Talpa, Coleman County, Texas, and the environs thereof; fixing Rates and Charges for the

Natural Gas and Natural Gas Service; Providing for the Payment of a Fee or Charge for the use of the Streets, Alleys and Public Ways, and providing that it shall be in lieu of other Fees and Charges, excepting Ad Valorem Taxes.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE

CITY OF TALPA, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the City of Talpa, Texas, hereinafter called "City" hereby grants to Lone Star Gas Company, hereinafter called "Company," its successors and assigns, consent to use and occupy the present and future streets, alleys, highways, public places, public thoroughfares and grounds of City for the

purpose of laying, maintaining, constructing, operating and replacing therein and thereon pipe lines and all other appurtenant equipment needed and necessary to deliver and sell gas to persons, firms and corporations, including all the general public, within the City's corporate limits and the environs thereof, said consent being granted for a term of twenty-five (25) years from and after the date of the final passage and approval of this ordinance.

SECTION 2. Company shall lay, maintain, construct, operate and replace its pipes, mains, laterals and other equipment so as to interfere as little as possible with traffic and shall promptly clean up and restore to an approximate original condition, at its cost, all thoroughfares and other surfaces which it may disturb. The location of all mains, pipes, laterals and other appurtenant equipment shall be fixed under the supervision of the City Council or an authorized committee or agent appointed by said Council.

SECTION 3. When Company shall make or cause to be made excavations or shall place obstructions in any street, alley or other public place, the public shall be protected by barriers and lights placed or erected and maintained by Company, and in the event of injury to any person or damage to any property by reason of the construction, operation or maintenance of the gas distributing plant or system of Company, Company shall indemnify and keep harmless City from any and all liability in connection therewith. Company shall repair, clean up and restore to an approximate original condition, all streets and alleys disturbed during the construction and repair of its gas distributing system.

SECTION 4. Company may make and enforce reasonable rules and regulations in the conduct of its business and may require, before furnishing service, the execution of a contract therefor and may require each consumer, within the corporate limits of City, to pay Company for the installation of all service pipes from the main in the street or alley to and throughout the consumer's premises, and Company shall have the right to contract with each consumer with reference to the installation of service pipes and the control of service pipes from the connection thereof with Company's main in the streets or alleys to and including the meter located on the consumer's premises. Service lines are defined as supply

lines from Company's mains in the streets or alleys to and ending at consumer's meter.

SECTION 5. Company shall not be required to extend mains on any street more than fifty (50) feet for any one consumer line. Not shall Company be required to connect to intermediate or high-pressure lines.

SECTION 6. Company shall be entitled to require from each and every consumer of gas, before gas service is commenced, a deposit of twice the amount of an estimated average monthly bill, which said deposit may be retained by Company until service is discontinued and a bill therefor has been paid. Company shall then return said deposit to the consumer, together with six per cent (6%) interest thereon from the date of said deposit up to the date of discontinuance of service. Company shall be entitled to apply said deposit, with accrued interest, to any indebtedness owed Company by the consumer making the deposit.

SECTION 7. The rights, privileges and franchises granted by this ordinance are not to be considered exclusive, and City hereby expressly reserves the right to grant, at any time, like privileges, rights and franchises as it may see fit to any other person or corporation for the purpose of furnishing gas for light, heat and power to and for City and the inhabitants thereof.

SECTION 8. Company shall furnish reasonably adequate service to the public at reasonable rates and charges therefor, and Company shall maintain its property, equipment and appliances in good order and condition.

SECTION 9. Company, its successors and assigns, agrees to pay to City, hereinafter called "City," for the preceding calendar year, which annual payment shall be for the rights and privileges herein granted to Company, including, without limitation, the right to use the streets, alleys and public ways of said City. And it is also expressly agreed that the aforesaid annual payment shall be in lieu of any and all other and additional occupational taxes, easement and franchise taxes or charges (whether levied as an ad valorem, special or other character of tax or charge), in lieu of municipal license and inspection fees, street taxes and street or alley rentals or charges, and all other and additional municipal taxes, charges, levies, fees and rentals of whatever kind and character which City may impose or hereafter be authorized to levy and collect, excepting only the usual general or special ad valorem taxes which City is authorized to levy and collect upon real and personal property. Should City not have the legal power to agree that the payment of the foregoing sums of money shall be in lieu of taxes, license fees, street or alley rentals or charges, easement or franchise taxes or charges aforesaid, then City agrees that it will apply so much of said sums of money as may be necessary to satisfy Company's obligations, if any, to pay any such taxes, license fees, street or alley rentals or charges, easement or franchise taxes or charges.

In order to determine the gross receipts received by Company from the sale of gas (expressly excluding the sales of gas to industrial and governmental consumers) within the corporate limits of City, Company agrees that on the same date that payments are made as provided in the preceding paragraph of this Section 9, it will file with the City Clerk a sworn report showing the gross receipts received from the sale of gas to its domestic and commercial consumers within said city limits for the calendar year preceding the date of payment. City may, if it sees fit, have the books and records of Company examined by a representative of said City to ascertain the correctness of the sworn reports agreed to be filed herein.

Receipts from sales to governmental users or consumers shall include all those receipts derived from the sale of gas to Federal, State, County or City Governments or branches and subdivisions thereof, school districts or other similar districts. It being the intention to include within the term "governmental users and consumers" all tax-supported institutions owned or operated directly or indirectly by said governments, city hall and other institutions of said City or similar kind and character. "Industrial users or consumers," as herein used, are those generally and commonly classified as such by Company. The payment herein provided shall be for the period January 1st to December 31st of the respective year that the payment is made.

SECTION 10. Effective with the first gas bill rendered after the date of passage and approval of this ordinance, the rates and charges for sales of natural gas and natural gas service to residential and commercial consumers within the city limits of City by Company are hereby fixed and determined to be as follows:

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"You might say that our Electric Range is like an automatic cook. It does the work, and you don't have to worry about it."

"Another nice thing, you don't have to clean the kitchen so often, because there's no smoke and no soot. The kitchen stays cooler, too, because the heat goes into the food, not the air."

DID YOU KNOW ... with an Electric Range you can:

Melt chocolate squares in waxed paper on a surface unit... save natural vitamins and minerals by cooking vegetables with very little water... roast meats perfectly with a minimum of shrinkage... pop corn or sterilize baby's bottles in the deep-well cooker... have delicious "charcoal-type" broiling with no flame? Did you know that housewives everywhere are switching to Electric Cooking, the modern way?



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First	1,000 cu. ft. \$1.700 gross—\$1.53 net per 1,000 cu. ft.
Next	1,000 cu. ft. 1.422 gross—1.28 net per 1,000 cu. ft.
Next	3,000 cu. ft. .867 gross— .78 net per 1,000 cu. ft.
Next	20,000 cu. ft. .389 gross— .33 net per 1,000 cu. ft.
All Over	25,000 cu. ft. .533 gross— .48 net per 1,000 cu. ft.

MINIMUM BILL. A minimum charge of One Dollar and Fifty-Three Cents (\$1.53) per meter per month will be made even though customer shall not have used sufficient gas in such month to make the amount of the bill equal to such One Dollar and Fifty-Three Cents (\$1.53). Net rates apply to bills paid within ten days from monthly billing date.

The above rates and charges are applicable to each domestic and commercial consumer per month or for any part of a month for which gas is used at the same location.

Company may also charge and collect for setting, resetting and changing meters or connecting, disconnecting or resuming service upon special request of consumers, or when service has been discontinued because of failure of any consumer to pay any bill or to comply with Company's reasonable rules and regulations an amount not to exceed the cost of labor and material used in performing such work, plus ten per cent (10%) additional thereon, provided such charge shall be not less than Two Dollars (\$2.00). The rates and charges herein provided, however, shall be subject to revision and change by either the City of Talpa, Coleman County, Texas, or Company in the manner provided by law.

SECTION 11. The fact that there is an imperative public need for an immediate change and adjustment in the rates and charges for gas and gas service furnished to residential and commercial consumers creates an emergency and the reading and passage of this ordinance at three separate meetings is hereby suspended and this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after the date of its passage at a single meeting and the approval thereof by the mayor.

SECTION 12. Company shall file its written acceptance of this franchise ordinance within sixty (60) days after its final

passage and approval by said City.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 20th day of October, A. D. 1952.

(Seal) A. W. KENNEDY Mayor City of Talpa, Texas

Attest: JAMES THOMPSON City Secretary
STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COLEMAN I, James Thompson, Secretary of the City of Talpa, Coleman County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed by the City Council of the City of Talpa at a regular session held on the 20th day of October, 1952, as it appears of record in the Minutes of said City Council, in Book 1, page 57.
WITNESS MY HAND AND

SEAL OF SAID CITY, this 20th day of October, A. D. 1952.

(Seal) JAMES THOMPSON Secretary City of Talpa, Texas 23-11

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You see, he's at the wheel of a Golden Anniversary Cadillac—and there's no greater lift to the spirits than the deep-throated whisper of a Cadillac engine.

It says inspiring things to the man at the wheel.

It tells him, first of all, that life must have gone rather nicely—to take him from where he was—to a place where he owns and enjoys a beautiful Cadillac. Pretty good precedent for a good day today!

It tells him, too—that wherever he drives in the day's activities—the Cadillac crest will pave the way for the respect of the people he encounters.

Yes—he feels pretty good as he turns into the highway, touches his toe to the sensitive throttle, and heads into the adventure of another day.

The miles go softly by... the occasional tick-tick of the electric clock reminds him that he's ahead of time for his first appointment... and he settles back—relaxed and at ease. Nice, nice going!

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Bailey Honored at Coffee in San Angelo

Mrs. Jay D. Howell, of Austin, president of the state Christian Women's Fellowship, and Mrs. Charles F. Bailey, of Ballinger, immediate past president of the organization, were honored last Thursday morning at a coffee in the Robert G. Carr home at San Angelo.

Hostesses were: Meses. T. H. Murray, Besse Warner, Donald Smith, R. B. Dooley, David Treadway, W. M. Stockton, N. P. O'Hara, R. D. Logan, F. T.

Beaver, Roy Reinartz and Mrs. Carr

A solo was sung by Mrs. T. P. Holmes and piano music was provided by Mrs. J. E. Adkisson. Mrs. Howell talked on "The Evaluation of Woman-Power."

Miss Smith Complimented at Gift Shower

Miss Wanda Smith, bride-elect of Benjamin Ray Thetford, Jr., of Winters, was honored by Mrs. Sam Jones and Mrs. T. M. Marsh with a gift tea in the Jones home last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Jones greeted guests and presented the honoree and her mother, Mrs. J. V. Smith, and Mrs. B. R. Thetford, Sr., of Winters, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

The bride-elect's chosen colors, green and yellow, were featured throughout party rooms with yellow chrysanthemums and other fall blossoms.

The linen-laid tea table was centered with an arrangement

of flowers reflecting the chosen colors, flanked by yellow candles in crystal candelabra. White sash streamers inscribed "Wanda-Bennie, November 15"

in gold letters outlined the center of the table. Mrs. Ed Farley served the cake squares decorated with green and yellow icing. Mrs. H. E. Minzenmayer, of Winters, presided at the punch service. Hostesses assisted in serving.

Miss Nelda Faubion registered guests in the bride's book. Others in the house party and displaying gifts were Miss Shirley Dodson, Mrs. James Smith and Mrs. Pat Gideon, of Winters.

Paint Rock Memorial Hall Scene of Tea for June Hartgrove

Approximately 300 guests were present for a gift tea on last Thursday afternoon at the Memorial Hall in Paint Rock.

Mrs. W. C. Fuller, Mrs. T. E. Whitfield, Mrs. Winifred S. Shultz, Mrs. Harvey Hartgrove, Mrs. Jack Houston and Mrs. Leo Molloy were hostesses at the pre-nuptial party honoring Miss June Hartgrove, bride-elect of Lt. Charles Joseph Dankworth, stationed at Fort Lee, Virginia.

The spacious living room was decorated with a profusion of autumn flowers in shades of yellow, bronze and orange. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Fuller, who presented the honoree and her mother, Mrs. W. C. Hartgrove; Mrs. Charles Dankworth, mother of the bridegroom-to-be; his sister, Miss Jeanie Dankworth; and Mrs. Whitfield.

Miss Hartgrove wore a tulle-trimmed gown of moss green tulle shantung with a lighter green flannel bolero designed with rhinestones and a corsage

of white gladioli. All the house-party wore orange mum corsages, and the mother of the honoree wore a yellow gladioli corsage.

Mrs. Harvey Hartgrove presided at the guest registry. The tea table was overlaid with a cloth of linen Italian cutwork.

In the center of the table was a reflected silver bowl filled with large bronze chrysanthemums and smaller bronze mums. Dainty refreshments, carrying out the theme of orange and yellow, were served from silver containers. Presiding at the silver coffee service were Mrs. Dale S. Campbell, of Dallas; Mrs. Travis Baker, of San Angelo; and Mrs. Fred Campbell, of Sterling City. Misses Ann Houston, Deborah Hartgrove and Frances Dankworth assisted in serving. All appointments were in silver.

Others in the house party were Mrs. Ellen Sims, Mrs. W. M. Hartgrove and Mrs. Scott Hartgrove.

Napkins were inscribed "June and Charles."

Gifts were on display on tables overlaid with madrasa linen with white satin flower clusters and festooned with satin ribbons. Mrs. Ted Spellman presented piano selections throughout the tea hours.

Callers included friends from Paint Rock, Ballinger, Millersview, San Angelo and other West Texas towns.

Miss Dodson, Max Wolverton Exchange Wedding Vows.

Miss Shirley Dodson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dodson, of Ballinger, and Max Wolverton, of Winters, repeated wedding vows Saturday evening at the home of the bride's

brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith, on Seventh Street.

Mr. Wolverton is the son of Mrs. Levi McLaughlin, of Winters.

The Rev. Emmett Brooks, pastor of the Seventh Street Baptist Church, read the single ring ceremony, which was performed at 8:30 o'clock. White gladioli and greenery in floor baskets decorated the altar, placed at the arch between the living room and dining room.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was Mrs. Wayne Gideon, of Winters. She wore a suit of moss green wool with brown accessories and her corsage was of white gladioli.

M. D. Snyder, of Winters, served as best man.

The bride chose a suit of gray and black wool. She wore a white nylon blouse, a close fitting gray hat with black trim and her corsage was of white gladioli. For something old she wore her mother's wedding band and carried a blue handkerchief.

A reception at the home followed the ceremony. The table was laid with lace and centered with the oblong three-tiered all-white wedding cake topped with a miniature bridal couple and flanked by double crystal candelabra holding white candles. Mrs. Chester Simpson and Mrs. C. E. Smith, sisters of the bride, served the cake and presided at the punch service.

The couple will be at home in Winters, where Mr. Wolverton is employed by an oil company.

The bride attended Ballinger High School and the bridegroom attended Winters High School.

Out-of-town wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. Levi Mc-

Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gideon, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, and Billy Ray Thetford, all of Winters; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Farmer, of Odessa.

BALLINGER METHODISTS TALK IN LAY SERVICES

Five laymen of the First Methodist Church spoke at churches of this section Sunday morning.

Ed Curry was the speaker at

the Wingate church, Sam Behringer at Pumphrey, Sam Conner at Bethel, Bill Clark at Novice and Wiley Hearn at Drasco.

C. D. Johnson, of Coleman, was the lay speaker at the First Methodist Church here at the 11 o'clock hour Sunday.

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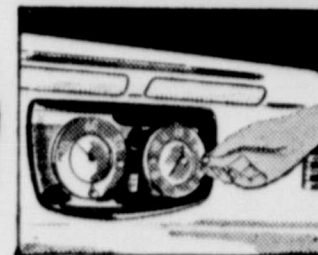
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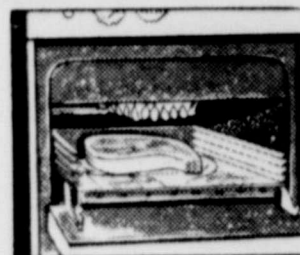
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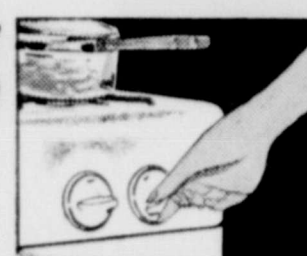
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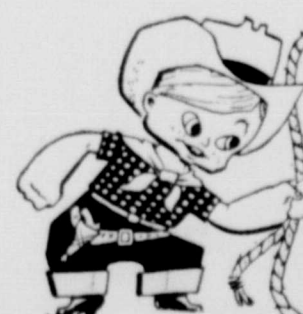
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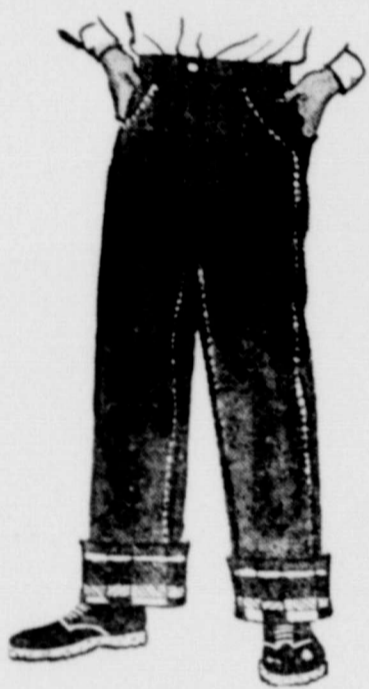
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