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Good Oil Production Registered Past Week

Oil activities in the fields of Rannels county climbed the past week, both in the number of wells and in production.

James K. Anderson No. 1-Nunn estate, located three miles north of Ballinger at the eastern edge of the Ballinger Palo Pinto field, was officially gauged Thursday of last week. The Serratt sand producer had a daily flowing potential of 351.91 barrels of 47 gravity oil. The potential was based on an actual 8-hour flow. Top of pay is 2,416 feet and pipe was perforated from there to 2,423 feet. The operator has asked for a new field allowable and the designation of Nunn (Serratt) field.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1-W. A. Hudson, three miles southeast of Wingate, has been finished for a daily flowing potential of 763 barrels of 43.3 gravity oil. The well is an extension of the Suseie (Fry sand) field. Top of pay was encountered at 4,435 feet.

S. C. Herring No. 1-Henry Vogler, in the Jimburt (Caddo) field, has been brought in for a daily flowing potential of 636 barrels of 43 gravity oil and no water. Top of pay was picked up at 4,399 feet.

Henson Drilling Co. No. 1-Ad Krothauer, in the Enoch Johnson (Morris sand) field, has been completed for a daily flowing potential of 65.06 barrels of 40.4 gravity oil. Top of pay was found at 3,607 feet.

G. W. Strake No. 1-M. H. Ger-

Swimming Hours Will be Shortened During September

The Ballinger city commission in session Tuesday voted to release the coaches, Douglas Cox, Bill Scoggins and Frank Barnett, as swimming pool operators, on the night of August 31.

They also voted to continue curbed operations of the pool into September, opening at 2:00 p. m. and remaining open until 7:00 p. m. daily. Labor Day, September 7, the pool will be open the usual summer hours.

The restricted operation will be tried after the beginning of the school term and until such time when the weather makes swimming unpopular and the patronage does not pay the operating expenses. The coaches who have been operating the pool during the summer will go to their duties with the schools after August 31.

The commissioners also voted to raise water deposits here from \$5 to \$10. This deposit will be required of all new customers.

Building permits approved Tuesday morning included: Fred Damon, \$1,000, for adding a breezeway and garage at a house on Fourteenth Street between Murrell and Phillips avenues.

Powell Wear, \$3,000, for an addition to a residence on Twelfth Street between Murrell and Phillips avenues.

Ylario Martinez, \$300, for a residence on Fourteenth Street between Harris and Phillips avenues.

Ed Kudlacek, \$7,500, for a residence on McCarver Drive.

Wylie Hearn, \$200, for a carport at his home on Largent Avenue between Second and Third Streets.

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Concert Artists To Offer Sacred Program Here

Two radio and concert artists will be heard in a program of sacred music at the First Methodist Church at 11 a. m. Sunday, August 30. Both are active with the veterans' hospital program and the entire service will be turned over to them on their appearance here.

Cohen Jensen, noted concert and radio pianist, will be one of the guest artists. In addition to being a concert pianist, Miss Jensen has a very lovely soprano voice. She has been praised highly as a concert pianist. She has studied under some of the best known teachers in America as well as a number of foreign teachers.

Miss Jensen is one of the many protestant radio artists who are visiting our men and women in veterans' hospitals and service camps.

Bobby Del Rio, one of the country's foremost accordionists, will be the other guest artist on this program. He is a veteran showman, as well as a veteran of World War II. He was in the first unit to reach the front in the Pacific and has entertained our fighting men all over the world. He was wounded in one of the early uprisings in Korea and was told that he would never be able to play the accordion again. He attributes his miraculous recovery to the power of prayer. The coast-to-coast radio program, "Cavalcade of America," presented a full program about the experiences of his life.

The public is cordially invited to attend this program, which is free. Rev. Wayne Reynolds, church pastor, stated that all seating would be made available for the large attendance expected.

Soil Conditions Studied By County Farm Agents

All county farm agents in district 7 met in Ballinger Wednesday with P. G. Haines, soil and water conservation specialist of College Station, and R. S. Miller, district agent.

The agents spent the entire day in the field studying soils and their condition. Mr. Haines said that for 150 years people had been taught to judge products and now the time has come to judge the soil with accurate knowledge.

Proper treatment of the plow or hard pan was stressed by Mr. Haines as the only method of making the soil take up the water and converting the soil so the plant's deep roots would reach the moisture. He carries with him samples of soils taken from the same farms where deep-rooted legumes have been raised for a number of years, and the soil is crumbly and porous both for taking up mois-

ture and permitting root growth. In this region he advocates plowing a little deeper each year to help break the hard surface.

Mr. Haines announced that the first statewide contest in soil and land judging would be held in the spring, the exact time and place to be set later. He complimented Rannels county for being one of the first to send a 4-H land judging team to the extension service contests at College Station. The Rannels county team won first place two years ago.

Attending the meeting were: T. B. Hicks, Coke county, C. M. Huckabee, Coleman county agent, and Sterling Lindsey, assistant; A. R. Grote, McCulloch county agent; John A. Barton and Jimmy Cusenberry, Rannels county agent and assistant; H. C. Stanley, Taylor county agent; M. H. Badger, Tom Green county agent.

New Parking Ordinance Will be Enforced Fully

The Ballinger city commission has passed a new ordinance dealing with parking of cars and is urging every motorist to read the regulations which are printed in The Ledger this week.

The ordinance has been tested in the courts and has stood up for the complete enforcement of all its provisions.

The special two-day privilege of returning the 5 cents deposited by the police for over-parked cars will remain a courtesy here. After the two days a \$100 fine will be assessed and the driver given ten days in which to return the \$100. At the end of the ten days a complaint will be filed in corporation court and the fine left to the judge.

There will positively be no cars parked on sidewalks in Ballinger. This also prohibits the display of any kind of merchandise on the sidewalks.

Parking lanes will be kept painted in front of each meter and tickets will be issued for any car outside of these painted lines.

Tickets will be issued for any car parked along a red curb.

Police have also been instructed to keep watch and issue a ticket to anyone making a right turn on a red light without coming to a complete stop. This practice has been abused here, especially at the intersection of Hutchings Avenue and Seventh Street.

The commission authorized the installing of caution lights at Harris and Bonsall avenues on Broadway and at Eighth and Broad streets. These will be in service during the school term.

All school zones are being marked, center of the street signs put in service and lanes painted for students to cross Broadway and Eighth Street.

Red curbs will be painted in front of West Ward school and at the high school and will be for buses only. Individuals parking in these spaces will receive tickets.

Area Law Alerted Following Robbery Of Maverick Store

The A. B. Morgan Store at Maverick was burglarized Saturday morning and officers are looking for two suspects who have been connected with the crime. No arrests have been made but officers in many West Texas towns have been alerted for the suspects.

The lock was broken off the safe and the front stripped where approximately \$75 in cash was found and stolen by the men. Other items missing from the postoffice and grocery store included 15 cartons of cigarettes and about \$24 in postage stamps.

James William Shaddix was arrested at Arlington Thursday of last week by Sheriff Don Atkins and Deputy Dub Moreland and charges of burglary have been filed against him here. The Rannels county officers watched an Arlington house for two days before making the arrest.

Following Shaddix's arrest about \$500 worth of garage tools, taken from H. T. Montgomery, of the South Side Garage, South Ballinger, were recovered from a place at Fort Worth where they had been sold.

Also in the house where the arrest was made were numerous household articles which had been stolen from a Tarrant county home. Shaddix is being held at Denton for further investigation but will be brought here within a few days to await grand jury action.

Officers are investigating an alleged rape case, said to have occurred near Miles Saturday night involving a negro and several white men.

Charles Lawrence, negro, has been arrested and is being held in jail here on a charge of theft of carpenter's tools.

Lewis W. Johnson, negro, was arrested here the past week-end and turned over to the provost marshal at San Antonio on a charge of AWOL from the army.

R. L. Wesley was filed on for aggravated assault this past week-end and was fined \$47.50.

Johnny Williams is being held on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

Bob Lee is being held on a charge of driving while intoxicated, third offense.

Tomas Hinejost was arrested the past week-end for removing mortgaged property.

C. W. Matthews has been filed on here for felony checking.

La Thagger Green, Jr., was arrested the past week-end for driving while intoxicated and was fined \$122.80 in county court Monday.

Neta Anderson was fined \$18.50 in justice court last week on a charge of swindling.

Jean Johnson paid a fine of \$23.50 in justice court on a charge of driving without a license.

Miss Thelma Casey, district 7 home demonstration agent, was here Monday for a conference with Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent.

'Two Weeks with Lo Wac-y Comedy Hop

CLIFF CLARY'S THIRD TRIAL DOCKETED AT SWEETWATER

The third murder trial for Cliff Clary, for the January 31, death of his wife, has been set for September 28 in 32nd district court at Sweetwater.

Clary was convicted twice for the murder of his wife and each time the court of criminal appeals reversed the judgment and ordered a new trial.

10 New Teachers On Local Faculty

There will be ten new teachers attending the first general meeting of the Ballinger faculty Monday. This is slightly greater than the average change here, according to records of the past several years.

The new teachers include Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Burk, Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Richey, Mrs. Velma O'Bryan, Miss Wilma Duke, Miss Dorothy Marie Adams, Mrs. Betty Lackey, James W. Tackett, Miss Authalia Williams, Miss RaMona Wright.

Mr. Tackett has been on duty with the vocational agriculture class several weeks. He has met most of the boys of the F.F.A. chapter and has been assisting them in their projects.

Most of the other new teachers have been here and have made arrangements for living quarters.

Several other teachers have been attending school during the summer and came in this week to prepare for the opening of the fall semester.

Time to Recheck Grass Plantings, Supervisors Say

Officials of the Rannels county soil conservation committee are reminding those who made grass plantings in the spring that now is a good time to check their projects.

W. W. Hoffman, of the local soil conservation service, states that perennial grasses spend much of the first year making root growth instead of much top. The tiny seedlings are hard to find or identify. All too often, good stands are plowed up because they don't grow off like cane or sudan, or because the owner does not recognize the grasses.

Among those who have had success this year are: O. C. Sykes, with 70 acres of sideoats grama, King Ranch blueoat and buffalo; Clarence Spill, with 80 acres of sideoats and lovegrass; Reuben Cooper, with 65 acres of King Ranch blueoat.

Others are Glen Eager, with 50 acres of sideoats, little bluestem and Indian grass; Clyde Flanagan, with 30 acres of blue panic and buffel grass; W. J. Halfmann, with 13 acres of blue panic and buffalo; and I. W. Rogers, with 11 acres of blue panic and buffel.

Spill, Eager and Rogers got grass up and moisture in the ground in bare places by pulling a pitting plow in front of the district seeder. They removed the crust from spaces approximately eight inches wide, two feet long and three inches deep. The basins are left in a checker board pattern one and a half feet apart.

County board members recommend pitting all bare range land that is accessible to a tractor and one-way plow. Idle time can be used in this way and it should be followed with sound grazing management.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Adair have returned from a vacation spent at Eureka Springs, Arkansas and Roaring River, Missouri.

Jail Term Mandatory For Drunken Driving

A large number of new laws went into effect in Texas yesterday, several of which will be of interest locally.

Those convicted of driving while intoxicated now will face a three-day jail sentence which is mandatory with the court except in rare exceptions. County Judge W. H. Rampey stated that he would apply the mandatory jail sentence unless the case had rare exceptions in which it was impossible to prosecute the prisoner for six months. He added that the purpose of the law was to give a jail sentence as well as a fine and that this would be the policy here.

A new law also sets up a small claims court which will be presided over by a justice of the peace. Claims for debts may be filed in this court by paying a \$200 filing fee. The hearing will be strictly informal without attorneys and after the facts have been presented the justice of the peace may issue a judgment in favor of the person filing the claim. Merchandise debts up to \$50 and wages and salaries up to \$100 also may be filed in the small claims court.

The new law governing car inspections requires that all cars be inspected and certificates displayed on windshields between September 15 and April 15 each year. The charge for the inspection is \$1.00. Few points of inspection are included in the new law but the vital points of a car will be examined to insure safe driving.

"Dry" counties can now hold elections and authorize beer package stores. These stores would sell beer along the same lines as whiskey package stores, limiting sales to packages only and no beer could be consumed in the building or on the grounds. In a "dry" county, such as Rannels, the election would have to be county-wide. It will require a petition to the commissioners' court bearing names of 20 per cent of the qualified voters to call the election.

In the list of new laws, attention is called to the fact that it is a violation of the law to throw a beer can or other container along a highway. Violation of this law has a maximum fine of \$200.

School Faculty Meeting Scheduled for Monday

Supt. Ernest Caskey will meet all teachers in the Ballinger school system Monday afternoon at 1:30 for a general conference. Immediately following the general meeting, principals will meet with the teachers in their buildings to discuss a number of matters.

Tuesday morning of next week all students are to report at 8:30 but only a half-day period will be held. Students in the elementary schools and at West Ward will be registered and assigned to rooms but will be dismissed at noon.

As soon as students are dismissed Tuesday they will have half a day to purchase necessary supplies and be ready for the beginning of classwork Wednesday morning. All buses will be operated Tuesday, returning the rural students home at noon.

The first serving for students in the two lunch rooms will be at noon Wednesday. A test run may be made Tuesday to serve faculty members. Mrs. W. E. Elkins, supervisor, and assistants will be ready to handle the expected heavy load.

School officials are expecting a heavy first-day enrollment judging from advance registrations and the large number who will start in the first grade. Additional families moving to Ballinger will also provide a large number of transfers.

Mr. Caskey stated Saturday that he had not received any teacher resignations and still had a complete faculty.

Advertising for football programs has been sold and the staff members of Cat Tracks, high school paper, are completing their sales.

Mrs. Mary Winchester and children are spending this week with relatives at Leuders.

Postmasters of 21st District To Meet Here September 26

Postmasters of the 21st congressional district of Texas will hold their annual convention in Ballinger Saturday, September 26. Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Saxon, of Boerne, were here last Saturday for a meeting with K. V. Northington, local postmaster, and committees of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce to make plans for the meeting.

There will be approximately 100 postmasters and wives or husbands present for the morning and afternoon sessions.

Mrs. K. V. Northington will be in charge of registrations at the court house starting at 8:00 a. m. and lasting until 10:00 a. m. She will be assisted by chamber of commerce officials.

Joe McCauley, manager of the chamber of commerce, will attend to all local details, send out invitations and letters to each postmaster and look after general details on the day of the convention.

The morning session will be held in the district court room of the court house. The following program has been announced:

10 a. m.—Formal opening by Hon. Earl G. Saxon, president of the association.

Invocation—Dr. Conway T. Wharton

Greetings—Mayor Charles Hambrick and Joe McCauley, chamber of commerce manager.

Address—County Judge W. H. Rampey

Business session

Luncheon—Junior high school lunch room

Entertainment

Remarks—Hon. O. N. Bruck, central auditing postmaster, Austin

Open Forum—Conducted by E. E. English, inspector, San Angelo

Final business session—Election of officers, selection of next meeting place.

DOWNTOWN SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS PROGRAM ARRANGED

The downtown Bible class will feature another fine program Sunday morning when the group meets at the Rannels Theatre. W. E. Elkins will be the teacher for the morning class period.

Wilson Andrews, Jr., a local negro boy, will be heard in special music for this service.

All men who are not in some regular Sunday school are invited to attend.

JOE'S WOODWORK SHOP OPENED FOR BUSINESS

Joe's Woodwork Shop is the firm name of a business opened at 105 Thirteenth Street, which will do all kinds of woodwork, furniture repairing and cabinet work. The location is next door to Ballinger Builders Supply.

Two F. F. A. Calves Making Good Gains

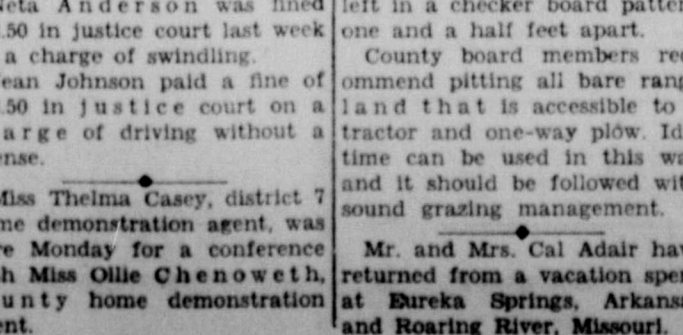
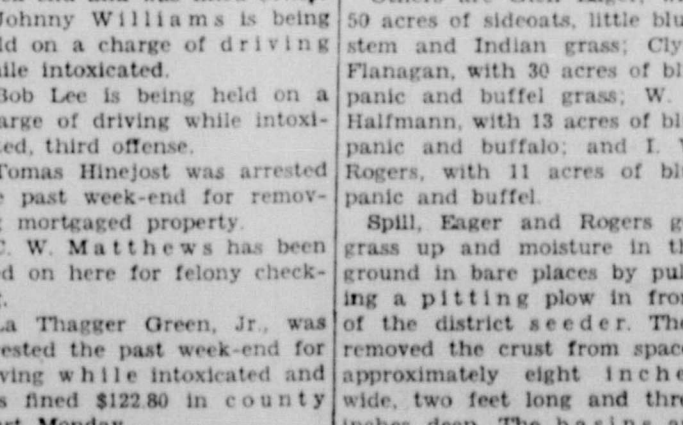
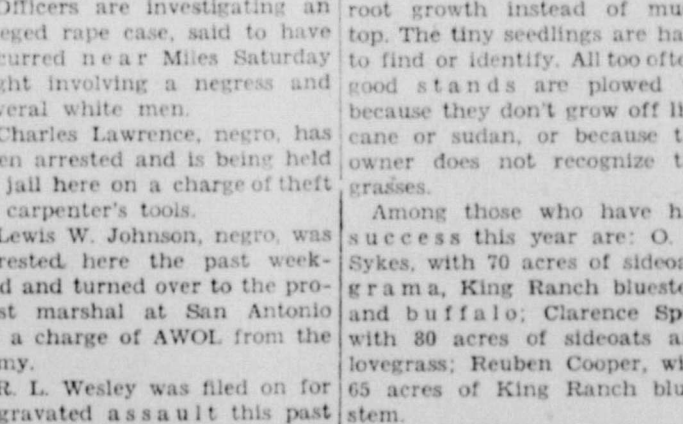
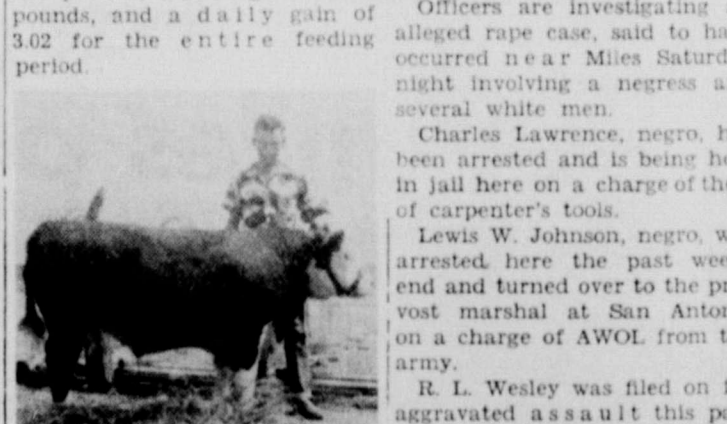
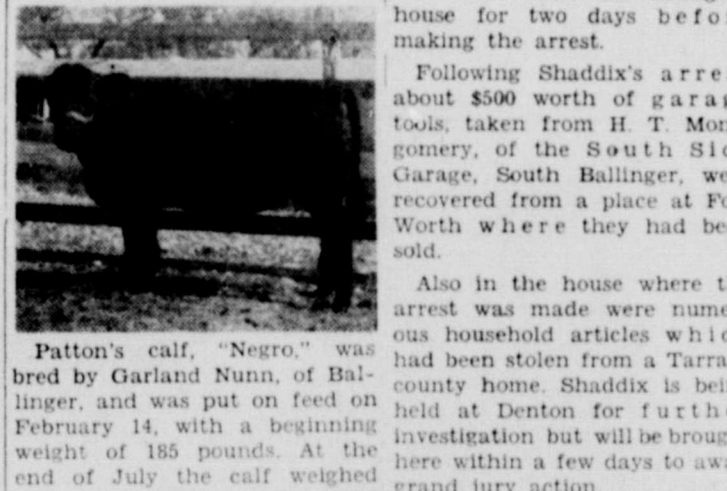
The calves of Bobby Patton and Francis Fischer, members of the Ballinger chapter of the Future Farmers of America, are among the top gaining calves of the Houston Fat Stock Show beef scramble. The two local calves are standing in third and fourth place on total pounds gained.

Patton's calf, "Negro," was bred by Garland Nunn, of Ballinger, and was put on feed on February 14, with a beginning weight of 185 pounds. At the end of July the calf weighed 690 pounds, a total gain of 505 pounds, and a daily gain of 3.02 for the entire feeding period.

Fischer's calf, "Red Pete," was bred by Hugh Campbell and Rollin Campbell, also of Ballinger, and was put on feed February 23 with a beginning weight of 150 pounds. He had a total weight at the end of July of 654 pounds, a total gain of 504 pounds and a daily gain of 3.19 pounds per day for the entire feeding period.

The two boys will take their calves to the Houston show next February and compete with over 100 other boys in the beef scramble division for various prizes and awards. Some of the prizes and awards to be given are for the most economical gain, highest total gain, best set of records and best showmanship.

Mrs. E. R. Kreyer, of San Angelo, and her house guest, Mrs. Marcellus Kieberg, of Fort Worth, visited friends in Ballinger Monday. Mrs. Kieberg was the late Marcellus Kieberg were residents of Ballinger for many years. Mr. Kieberg was county attorney here several years.



SOCIETY

Barbecue Dinner In-Honor Affair in Halfmann Home

Mrs. A. T. Halfmann and small son, Allan, and her daughter, Mrs. Jack Wenetschlaeger, were honored Sunday night, August 16, with a barbecue dinner in the Halfmann home.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Halfmann, Mrs. Emilia Schaefer, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Droll, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gully, Mrs. J. J. Hoelscher, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lange, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gully, Mrs. Ray Gene Hoelscher, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Lange, Erwin Bartels, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hoelscher, Mary Frances, L. A. Jr., and Judy Halfmann; Patrick Diane Sandra and B. J. Gully, Jr., Vernon, Kenneth, Anita, Virgil, and Gerald Hoelscher, Stanley and Carl Lange, Jimmie Moss, James Wenetschlaeger, Laura Helen and Agnew Gerngross, Frances, Cecil, Leon, Wayne and Mary Jane Halfmann, Marcellyn Gully, Carol, Donnie, Lyndon and Eugene Lange, Phyllis June, Pamela, Jane, Bobby and Bruce Halfmann; Frank Gerngross, Jr., Jean Michlewicz, Arnold and Patricia Schwertner, A. T. Jr., and Barbara Halfmann.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schulze, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moss, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wenetschlaeger, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wenetschlaeger, Hermligh; Mr. and Mrs. Alois Gerngross, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Halfmann, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gerngross, Mr. and Mrs. Alex J. Halfmann, San Angelo; Stanley Brosig, Paint Rock; Mr. and Mrs. August Schwertner, Veribest.

Painting Demonstration Given at Art-Needle Club Meeting

Mrs. Earl Crockett gave a demonstration on hand painting without a brush for the regular meeting of the Art and Needle Club in the home of Mrs. Joe Dierschke at Rowena Wednesday afternoon.

Garden flowers were used for decorating rooms where Mrs. E. F. Krc conducted the business period after recipes were exchanged at roll call. After the painting demonstration, individual handwork was the diversion.

The next meeting will be an all-day affair in the home of Mrs. Lucy Rollwitz on Sixth Street when a quilt will be completed. Members will bring a covered dish for the lunch-

con, and garden seeds will be exchanged.

The hostess served a sandwich plate with punch to four visitors, Mmes. Henry Pustka, Sophia Seidel, Mat Kalina, and John Schumann, of Rowena; and Mmes. Ralph Willingham, Lucy Rollwitz, Charles Olsak, Louis Loika, Crockett, Krc, Walter Mueller, and Miss Mary Krc, of Ballinger.

"Back to School" Party Series in Williamson Home

The James Williamson home on Seventh Street was transformed into a school room Friday when Mrs. Williamson entertained at a morning and afternoon bridge party climaxing the summer season's parties before going back to teaching.

Decorations included school symbols placed about party rooms. Tallies were slate replicas and the fall motif was focused on the dining table with cornucopia overflowing with school supplies. Other decorations were multi-colored zinnias.

Guests were presented traveling prizes of school accessories at each table. At the conclusion of games at the morning party Mrs. W. N. Selby won high score prize, and Mrs. Bob Dickinson, the bingo.

A fruit plate was served with coffee. Others were: Mmes. Orland Middleton, Powell Wear, Jimmy Cusenbary, John McDonald, Ed Easley, Ed Curry, J. W. Longenette, Howarl Bramley, Lyman Yoder, B. J. Williams, Charles Webb, Ralph Routh, J. B. Dankworth, Joe Freeman, Gene Keel, Elmer Hubble, Jack Moore, Lanham Flynt, Lynn Burkes, O. L. Parish, Jr., Max McCrary, Jr., John King and Dick Suttor.

When Mrs. Williamson entertained in the afternoon, the same party theme was used at the dessert luncheon. Mrs. L. R. Tigner and Mrs. Harry Lynn assisted in serving fruit pie with lead tea.

In games of contract Mrs. Hill Hampton was awarded high score prize, and Mrs. Sam Conner the bingo.

Others were: Mmes. Lloyd Johnson, William B. Hodges, Jr., Estes M. Lynn, Ernest Caskey, Herman Price, Alex McGregor, W. B. Woody, Q. V. Miller, John Bradley, Edgar Boelsche, Price Middleton, R. E. Rubie, Tom Agnew, E. L. Williamson, E. C. Grindstaff, Troy Simpson, Claude Stone, and Miss Mar-



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Miss Faubion Feted at Gift Tea in King Home

Miss Elnita Faubion, bride-elect of Andrew Terry Tackett, of Fort Worth, was honored Saturday afternoon at a gift tea in the home of Mrs. A. M. King, on the Winters highway.

Hostesses were: Mmes. King, Hubby Clark, O. L. Parish, H. G. Burkhardt, B. M. Batts, Bob Agnew, Foy Farmer, W. M. Hill, Misses Doris Queen, Cynthia and Harriett Burkhardt, LaRita Price, Grace Jo Bondurant and Jewell O'Neal.

The honoree's chosen colors, rose and aqua, were used for decorating the reception suite, which included arrangements

of late summer flowers.

Greeting guests were Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Hill. Others in receiving line were Mrs. King, Miss Faubion, and her mother, Mrs. L. A. Faubion.

The dining table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with a bridal arrangement of lupine blossoms and queen's wreath. At one end of the bride's table was the punch service encircled with aqua and rose blossoms. At the opposite end was the cake laid in white and decorated with the chosen colors.

Alternating at the punch service were Mrs. Burkhardt and Mrs. Stanley Price. Other hostesses assisted in serving and invited guests to the gift

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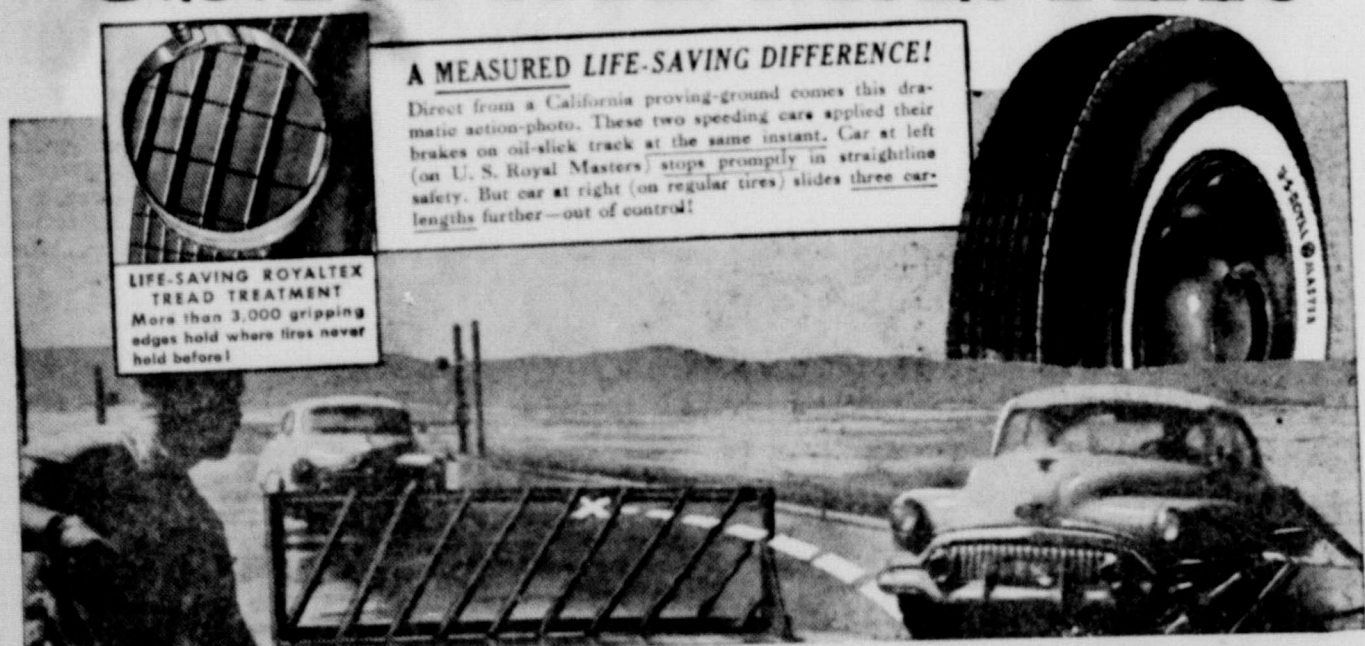
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room. Miss Harriett Burkhardt registered guests in the bride's book.

Mrs. I. B. Funderburk and Miss Hattie Mae Duniap gave a program of piano music throughout the tea hours, at which more than 300 were included.

Dr. Beard to Teach at Maryland University

Dr. and Mrs. Earl S. Beard and daughter, Mary Mallory, have moved to Baltimore, where the professor will be a member of the history department faculty at University of Maryland.

Dr. and Mrs. Beard were recent visitors in Ballinger. They also visited Mrs. Beard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Harper, at San Angelo. Mrs. Beard, the former Miss Betty Harper, resided in Ballinger with her parents for a number of years.

While visiting relatives in Ballinger the Beards were entertained in City Park. Hosts at the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Foy Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ketchum, Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Northington, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Hilton E. Morgan.

Dr. Beard recently received his Ph.D. degree from the University of Iowa.

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• CREWS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB •
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The Crews home demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Elvin Bridwell Friday for the regular program.

Mrs. Marion Wood demonstrated glass etching and Mrs. Bridwell gave a demonstration on making costume jewelry.

iced watermelon was served to nine members: Mrs. Arthur Allcorn, Mrs. Orville Pearce, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Pat Dietz, Mrs. Owen Bragg, Mrs. Perry Bragg, Mrs. Marvin Hale, Mrs. Edgar Jayroe and Mrs. Bridwell, and three visitors.

The visitors were Mrs. Frances Wood, Claudia and Richard Wayne Bragg.

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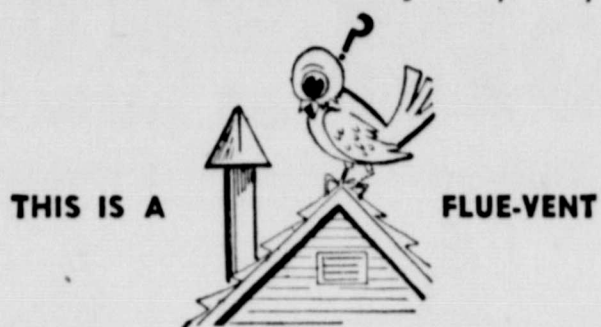
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ALBOTT APPOINTED HEAD OF OIL INDUSTRY GROUP
R. W. Talbott has been appointed community chairman of the oil industry information committee for the Ballinger section. His appointment was announced by Murry Body, of the G. B. Cree Production Co., who is chairman of the oil information committee for the West Central Texas area.

Mr. Body explained that Texas is divided into 15 districts with approximately 700

oil and gas men serving on 348 community committees throughout the state. Men and women from all segments of the petroleum industry over the nation have been banded together since 1947 as volunteer workers to keep the public informed about their industry.

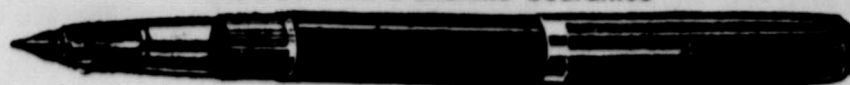
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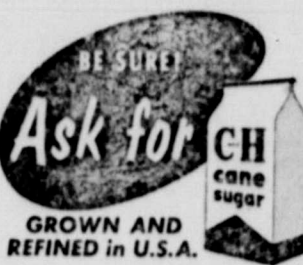
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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, August 28, 29

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FORMER BALLINGERITE HELPS MAKE DELICACY

Mrs. Marguerite Dow, of San Angelo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Truly, of this city, and a friend, Mrs. H. J. Ramsey, are making a hobby pay off and have visions of someday seeing a World Series baseball contest.

Both are employees of San Angelo hospitals and close friends. One day they learned of an old recipe kept for many years by Mrs. Dow's family. It gave instructions for making a sort of Cinderella delicacy from okra. The women prepared a few jars and served some to friends last Christmas. Their guests asked for second helpings and also for jars.

Samples were given others who in turn placed orders for a case or more. A grocer was selected to make a taste test and he made room on his shelves for the product. They have named their product Mar-Jay and have put in much of their off-time filling orders.

'Two Weeks with Love,' 'Sombbrero,' Wac-y Comedy Horseshoe Offerings

CLIFF CLARY'S THIRD TRIAL DOCKETED AT SWEETWATER

The third murder trial for Cliff Clary, for the January 31, death of his wife, has been set for September 28 in 32nd district court at Sweetwater.

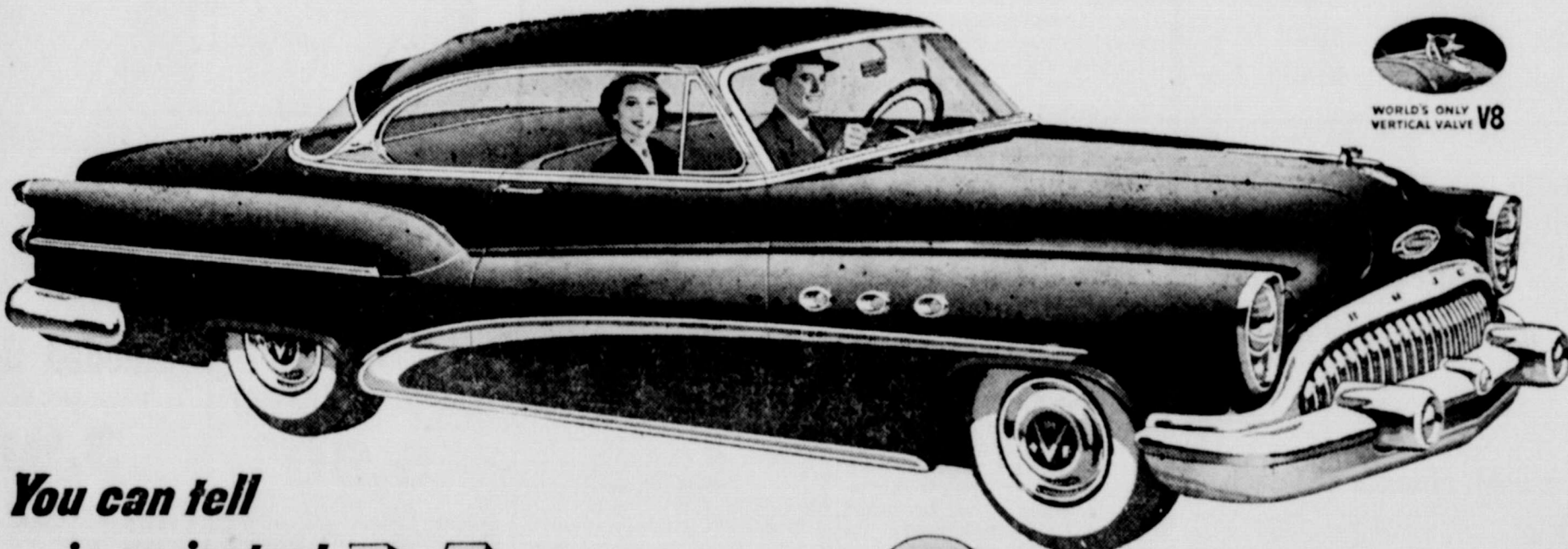
Clary was convicted twice for the murder of his wife and each time the court of criminal appeals reversed the judgment and ordered a new trial.

The first trial was held in Ballinger, where the defendant received a 49-year sentence. The second trial was at Colorado City, where a jury gave a life sentence.

Judge A. S. Mauzey, of 32nd district court, has moved the third trial to Sweetwater on his own motion.

Two M-G-M features, "Two Weeks with Love" and "Sombbrero," make up the double-feature program at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday, August 28, 29.

Stars, songs, romance, laughs and Technicolor are the happy ingredients of the musical, "Two Weeks with Love." The plot centers on a daffy American family of the early 1900s and the hilarious efforts of its eldest daughter to get her man. The daughter is played by Jane Powell, M-G-M's young singing star, who last scored in "Nancy Goes to Rio." The masculine lead is portrayed by Ricardo Montalban, who rose to popularity in such previous musicals as "Neptune's Daughter" and "On an Island with You," then turned to dramatic roles in



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"Battleground" and "Right Cross." Filmed amidst the color and gaiety of Mexico, "Sombbrero" offers one of the year's most strikingly different pictures and one of the year's outstanding casts—Ricardo Montalban, Pier Angeli, Vittorio Gassman, Cyd Charisse, Yvonne de Carlo and the handsome, young screen newcomer, Rick Jason, comprising the stars, with Nina Foch, Kurt Kasnar, Walter Hampden, Thomas Gomez and the noted Spanish dancer, Joe Greco, in featured parts.

A smart, modern comedy set against the background of the Wac training center at Fort Lee, Virginia, "Never Wave at a Wac" brings Rosalind Russell, Paul Douglas and Marie Wilson to the Horseshoe screen Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, August 30, 31 and September 1.

Miss Russell portrays a famous Washington hostess who joins the Wacs as a stepping stone to Paris, where her colonel boyfriend is stationed as a general's aide. Douglas is her ex-husband, a textile manufacturer who arrives at Fort Lee to test new army uniforms. Miss Wilson is a bouncing Broadway beauty who joins the Wacs to get away from the stage door wolves. Their experiences during basic training resolves their personal problems, but not before they have become involved in a series of highly humorous situations.

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SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY



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SOCIETY

Miss Harvey's Engagement Announced

Paula D. Harvey, of Colorado City, has set September 18 as the wedding date with George Elliott Creagh, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Creagh, of Alice. The announcement is being made by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Harvey, of Colorado City.

The wedding will be in the chapel of the First Baptist Church, Abilene, the Rev. O. L. Harris to officiate.

A Hardin-Simmons University graduate, Miss Harvey will teach in the Abilene school system this year while Mr. Creagh will finish his last year at Hardin-Simmons.

Fancy Doers Have Slumber Party at Zappe Rural Home

As a climax to summer activities before school starts, the Fancy Doers Club enjoyed a slumber party at the Zappe country home Tuesday evening. Mrs. H. J. Zappe, Mrs. O. L. Hart and Mrs. Hal Yoder chaperoned the group on the evening of fun.

Games were played, a midnight snack was served, and a slumber night was enjoyed. Breakfast was served Wednesday morning before returning

to their homes.

Enjoying the fun were: Delphine Berryhill, Louise Miller, Dorothy Thomas, Sally Bailey, Dian Wilson, Patricia Zappe, and Sandy Hollingsworth of Brownwood.

Humble Station Children Enjoy Watermelon Feast

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Campbell were hosts Tuesday evening to all the children at the Humble Pump Station, east of town.

The affair, which was to compliment the children before going back to school, was held on the lawn at the Campbell home. Games were played, followed by a watermelon feast.

Children were: Joyce, Janice, Joel and Jana Bisbee, Bob, Sandford, Barbara, and Michael Fletcher, Edna and Jimmy Lewallen, Lyle and Butch Young, Dorothy, Bubba, and Billy Davis, Skipper and Elaine Muckelrath.

Adult visitors were Mrs. Sybil Wilcoxon, of Tomball; Miss Pat McMillon, of Beeville, and mothers of the children, Mrs. Bill Bisbee, Mrs. Calvin Fletcher, Mrs. J. E. Lewallen, Mrs. R. A. Young, Mrs. J. A. Davis, Mrs. Ralph Muckelrath.

Double Ring Service Solemnizes Robinson-Legg Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Robinson are on a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, after their marriage at 3:00 o'clock Mon-

day evening in the bride's home, 2305 Live Oak, San Angelo.

Mrs. Robinson is the former Mrs. Bruce Legg. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Elsa Reeves, of Portland, Oregon.

The Rev. O. Byron Richardson, pastor of the Park Heights Baptist Church, read the double ring service.

Mrs. Vernon Legg, of Waco, was the bride's attendant, and H. P. Robinson was best man.

A reception was held in the home following the ceremony.

Mrs. Robinson attended Sul Ross State College, Alpine, and Texas Technological College, Lubbock, where she received her master's degree. A teacher in the San Angelo schools, she is a member of the American Association of University Women. She formerly lived in Ballinger and was a teacher in the local schools.

Mr. Robinson received his B. A. degree from Abilene Christian College and his M. A. from Sul Ross College. He is working on a doctorate from Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, and is a teacher in the San Angelo schools.

Ballerinette Feted at Party in San Angelo

Mrs. Buck M. Sanders, of Ballinger, was honored Monday evening with a surprise birthday party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mathis, 217 S. Washington, San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Mathis were hosts. Dr. R. R. Jones prepared the barbecue, which was served western style on the lawn. The heart-shaped birthday cake was decorated in white and green.

Games were played following the supper. Among the 35 guests were Mr. Sanders and children, Mandy and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kump, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Damron, all of Ballinger; and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Anderson, of Water Valley.

Fancy Doers Accept Eight New Members

Patricia Zappe was hostess to the Fancy Doers Club Monday evening, entertaining in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Zappe, on Broadway.

Dorothy Thomas conducted the business routine when seven new members were accepted to take the place of other members going away to college. The initiates are Bobbie Sue Stultz, Delie Tidale, Catherine Richards, Patricia Davis, Sally

Underwood, Marvella Ashton, Shirley Jones and Betty Berryhill. They will be initiated at a later club meeting. Plans were also made for a slumber party, which was held at the Zappe country home.

Mrs. Zappe assisted the hostess in serving a sandwich plate with punch to the sponsors, Mrs. O. L. Hart and Mrs. Hal Yoder, and members, Gale Hays, Carol Ann Bailey, Sally Bailey, Mary Jo Forman, Louise Miller, Dian Wilson, Dorothy Thomas, Delphine Berryhill, and a visitor, Louise Parker, of Cleburne.

Parties Honor Janie Brevard on Birthday Anniversary

A cake party Friday morning honored Janie Brevard, who was celebrating her sixteenth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Play Brevard was hostess at the morning party in their home on Seventh Street.

Arrangements of multi-colored ginnias and other early fall blossoms were used to decorate party rooms where a sandwich plate was served with coca colas.

Those present were: Barbara Medlen, Joan Gard, Mary Buchanan, Georgia Wilson, Carol Sue Berry, Betty Jo Hennecke, Mary Mauldin, Barbara Giesborn, Sally Underwood, Catherine Richards and Delie Tidale.

Mr. and Mrs. Brevard again honored their daughter, Janie, when they were hosts at a birthday dinner in their home Sunday. The pretty white cake decorated with florals was served following the dinner.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Richey, of Talpa; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hale, of Miles; Mr. and Mrs. Noble McIntire and family, of Valera; Mrs. Ralph Routh and daughter, Mary Helen, of Ballinger.

INFORMATION CARDS BEING MAILED TO BLOOD DONORS

Tom Caudie, chairman for the blood collection campaign in Rannels county, stated Tuesday that cards were being mailed to all donors, showing the type of blood and the Rh factor.

The cards were received by the Red Cross chapter this week and will be sent to each person giving blood as soon as possible.

The successful campaign registered 246 donors at the Ballinger clinic and 131 at Winters.

The bicycle is about 100 years old.

DEATHS

Mrs. E. T. Branham

Mrs. E. T. Branham, 65, died at the Shannon Memorial Hospital, San Angelo, Wednesday afternoon. She had been in ill health since February and in the hospital since August 19.

Decedent was a pioneer of this section. She was born at Norwood on September 17, 1868, and lived in the county all her life. She was married to E. T. Branham on December 20, 1903, and he passed away on April 21, 1930. She was a member of the Baptist Church, becoming a member of that faith when she was 19 years old.

Funeral services will be held at 4:00 p. m. today at the First Baptist Church, Rev. R. H. Cagle, church pastor, and Rev. B. J. Martin, of Childress, a former pastor, will officiate. Burial will follow in the Rannels cemetery with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include two sons, E. T. Branham, Jr., and C. D. Branham, Ballinger; five daughters, Mrs. T. B. Plynt, San Angelo; Mrs. Lucius Evans, Norton; Mrs. C. B. Mosley, Ballinger; Mrs. Chester Davis, San Antonio; Mrs. Mertie Nutt, Midland; seven sisters, Mrs. C. M. Gibson, Ballinger; Mrs. Anna Cox, Benoit; Mrs. Walter Walker, Bangs; Mrs. Otho Hamby, Arkansas; Mrs. Edgar Martin, Missouri; Mrs. Donna Seely, San Angelo; Mrs. Aubrey Ashton, Benoit; four brothers, Roy Clayton, Missouri; Earl Clayton, Novice; Neil Clayton, San Angelo; Bryan Clayton, Talpa; 15 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

Karen Ann Schaefer

Funeral services for Karen Ann Schaefer, five-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Schaefer, were held Sunday afternoon at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Ballinger. The Rev. Patrick Ward, O. M. I., pastor, officiated, and burial followed in St. Joseph's Cemetery at Rowena with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge.

The infant was born Thursday, August 20, and died at 2:00 a. m. Sunday in St. John's Hospital, San Angelo.

Survivors besides the parents include the grandparents, Mrs. Emilia Schaefer, Ballinger; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lange, Rowena.

Ballinger Church Council to Meet

The Ballinger Council of Churchwomen will hold its next regular meeting at 4:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, August 31, in the chapel of the First Church of God on the corner of Thirteenth and Broad streets.

Mrs. Troy Simpson, president, will preside for the business session, during which reports of the regular officers and committees will be made and a report will be given by Mrs. C. F. Bailey, chairman of a special committee on migrant work. Advance plans will be made for the district meeting, to be held here on October 23.

An especially interesting and informative program will be presented, including a discussion by Mrs. Horace Murphy of the book, "The Nature of the Church," by Newton Frew.

SERVING UNCLE SAM

Glenn F. Hoelscher, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hoelscher, of Ballinger Rt. 1, is completing his air force basic airman indoctrination course at Lackland AFB, San Antonio.

John E. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook, of Ballinger, is among the class that is completing the first phase of air force training at the Lackland AFB, San Antonio. After the course is completed he will be given a new assignment.

Billie June Walker, seaman apprentice in the Waves, has completed boot training at Bainbridge Maryland. After a 14-day leave she will report for duty at the Patuxent River naval air station, Maryland. Miss Walker, who resides at Odessa, spent the past weekend here, visiting in the Vorebeck home and with her grandmother, Mrs. E. D. Walker.

Pfc. David D. Atkeson, who is with the first marine division in Korea, has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Atkeson. He said it was hot and dry in Korea and he wished for lots of mail. He told his parents he would be happy next December, when he is to embark for home. He has been overseas since October 4, 1932.

Sgt. William H. Zedlitz has returned to his station at Camp Polk, Louisiana, after a two weeks stay with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Zedlitz.

Miss Grace Scheffel has returned from a five weeks vacation in Valley Stream, New York, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Paul Hohl.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Smathers and son, William, of Oklahoma City, were guests last Wednesday of Mr. Smathers' sister, Mrs. Pauline Richardson. They also visited at Merkel and Port Worth before returning home.

Announcement

I have opened a woodwork shop at 104 Thirteenth Street and will do all types of woodwork, furniture repair and cabinet work.

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We will be glad to meet you and figure any of your woodwork needs.

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NOTICE

The Ballinger City Commission urges all citizens to read the new ordinance in regard to parking, in this issue of this newspaper.

The new ordinance is passed so that there can be no misunderstanding and also to have a law with teeth in it for law enforcement. The commission states there have been too many violations, which must be stopped.

Hereafter, those who over-park will have two days in which to return the 5 cents deposited in the meter by the police. After that a \$1.00 fine will be assessed and the violator will have ten days in which to remit the \$1.00 fine. After that ten days is up a complaint will be filed in the corporation court.

No cars will be allowed to park on

the sidewalks within the city limits. No display of merchandise will be allowed on the sidewalks.

No "for sale" used car will be permitted to park on the street in front of a meter.

No car may park along a red curb.

ALL CARS must park inside of the painted parking lanes in front of each meter.

Cars must come to a complete stop on a red light before making a right turn.

The city commissioners and police will greatly appreciate the cooperation of the public. Tickets will be issued for all violations.

CITY COMMISSION

City of Ballinger

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cupp, of Brownwood, are the parents of a daughter, born August 12. The young lady has been named Barbara Alice and weighed 6 pounds and 9 ounces upon arrival. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mueller, of Ballinger; and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cupp, of Brownwood. The couple has another daughter, Martha Ann, 18 months old.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Cooper are parents of a daughter, born at the Medical Center Hospital, Odessa, on August 21. The baby weighed 6 pounds 5 1/2 ounces upon arrival and has been named Shirley Kay. The Coopers have another daughter, Frances, who is 5 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wayne Fowler, Jr., of Dallas, are parents of a son, born August 23 at the Baylor Hospital. The young man has been named C. Wayne Fowler, III, and will be called "Chip" as a nickname. He weighed 7 pounds 13 ounces upon arrival. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holliday, of Ballinger, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Wayne Fowler, Sr., of Shreveport, are grandparents.

LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

TO BE SEPTEMBER: Officials of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce call attention to the fact that Labor Day will be observed as a holiday in Ballinger on September 7.

At the beginning of the year a schedule of holidays was printed and distributed on which Labor Day is shown as September 1. This is an error as the first Monday in September is the official day for the holiday.

The chamber office has received a large number of telephone calls in regard to this closing and is glad to correct the listing on the calendar.

SMITH BUYS KUECK WOODWORK SHOP

Charles Kueck, Jr., stated yesterday that he had sold his woodwork shop to R. L. Smith. The location of the Smith shop is 602 Hutchings Avenue, adjoining Cameron Lumber Co., where Mr. Kueck originally operated a woodwork shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams and daughter, Kien, left Tuesday for a week's vacation at points in New Mexico.

PENNEY'S BACK-TO-SCHOOL SHOES High Quality at Low Price!



GIRLS' SMART KILTIE STYLE Strap Shoes
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Sizes 12 1/2-3 4.98



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Penney's new view of the strap flat! Designed like famous British walking shoe, it comes in black suede with smooth red trim, a prize for almost every woman or girl 4 1/2 to 9B.

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HOCKER FAMILY HOLDS REUNION IN PARK HERE

The Hocker family held its annual reunion in the Ballinger park Sunday, August 16. The 1953 meeting was well attended...

and sons, Sidell; Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Fisher and children, Frisco; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hocker and Johnnie, Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. Horton and sons, Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Horton and children, Mrs. J. W. Kraatz and daughter, Norton; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mueller; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kresta and Linda; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hocker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hocker and son; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Malone and children, and Roy Malone, all

of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Kresta, of Ballinger, were long-time friends attending the gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Young attended a meeting of the Lions cabinet for district 2A at Kerrville Saturday and Sunday. While there they visited the camp for crippled children.

Rhode Island was the first state in the union to build its own airport.

Singers, Guard Commander Present Program for Lions

The Ballinger Lions Club enjoyed one of the best programs of the year at its meeting Friday noon at the Central Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Page, of Portales, New Mexico, were presented in a group of songs. Mr. Page is head of the music department of East New Mexico College, Portales, and the pair sang special arrangements of a group of well known and popular show numbers to the delight of their audience. Their beautiful voices, the accompaniment played by Mr. Page, and the pleasing personalities of the team made the musical portion of the program a real treat. In conclusion the Lions stood while Mrs. Page sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Capt. H. B. Edmondson, commander of company I, 142nd Infantry, national guard, made a brief talk on the Ballinger unit and showed picture slides taken at the 1953 encampment at North Fort Hood.

Capt. Edmondson reminded his audience that the guardsmen were citizen soldiers who spent two hours a week and two weeks a year training. The officer declared they stand ready for immediate mobilization should their services be needed; that they train with the latest weapons and are at the call of the governor to take over at any disaster or whenever an emergency exists.

The local guard unit has an annual payroll of about \$30,000 and the citizen soldiers brought home \$6,200 in pay from the annual encampment. At Fort Hood the local company was presented awards for the best weekly attendance in the regiment and for the best percentage of attendance.

After the showing of pictures with an explanation of each by Capt. Edmondson, the commander told club members that every effort would be made to secure an armory here.

The pictures were projected by W-O Calab Brown.

Miss Bobbie Sue Stultz is at home and recovering from major surgery which she underwent in a San Angelo hospital ten days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Baird and children, left last Thursday for Dodge City, Kansas, to visit relatives about a week.

The horned toad is not actually a toad, but a lizard.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. Wayne McDorman and daughter, San Angelo, Friday; Miss Elnita Paulson, surgical, Saturday.

W. A. Bridwell, surgical, Sunday; Mrs. R. B. McKnight and daughter, Friday; Mrs. W. R. Beavers and daughter, Saturday.

Mrs. J. T. Jones, Maverick, medical, Tuesday.

Births recorded at the clinic the past week were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Juan Perez, a son, August 21; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Matthieson, a son, August 22; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hampton, a son, August 23; Rev. and Mrs. Paul T. Spellman, Paint Rock, a son, August 24.

Patients hospitalized at this time include:

Don Beauchamp, medical; William Havenstrite, medical; Jack Rudd, Abilene, surgical; Nealy Mackey, Sonora, surgical.

Willie F. Jackson, surgical; Emil Urban, Miles, medical; W. R. Caruthers, medical; Mrs. Kenneth Blunt, Winters, medical; Mrs. R. A. Williamson, medical; Tom Caudle, medical; Thomas O. Cagle, Winters, medical; Leroy Ross Gard, Winters, medical; Mrs. R. E. Dean, medical.

CHARTER RENEWAL TO BE SOUGHT FOR SCOUT TROOP

Boy Scout troop 29, sponsored by the Ballinger Lions Club, has made application for renewal of its charter with L. C. Adair as institutional representative, George Newby as troop committee chairman, and Lanham Fynt, Wayne Reynolds and Price Middleton members of the committee. Jim Williamson is scoutmaster and M. E. Gotcher is assistant.

Regular meetings are to be held Monday evening in the Lions Club scout house.

C. C. DIRECTORS' MEETING SCHEDULED SEPTEMBER 14

The regular meeting date for directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, the first Monday in September, has been postponed until September 14. The first Monday, Labor Day, is a holiday in Ballinger.

Mrs. G. M. Hargus left Wednesday for a visit with relatives at Oklahoma City and Waurika, Oklahoma.

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Rufus Allen, Jr., who has been at summer school at the University of Texas, Austin, came in Tuesday for a two weeks' vacation before returning to the university in September. He will be a junior this fall.

Tom Bandy McGregor has returned to his home at San Angelo after a visit here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Nute Stevens, the Sam Jones family and the E. L. Smith family have returned from a vacation trip to Colorado and Yellowstone Park.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth returned the past week-end from Fredericksburg, where she served as one of the judges at the 1953 county fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Keel and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barr returned the first of the week after spending the week-end at Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Levy Lee and sons and Miss Helen Brewer returned Sunday from Corpus Christi, where they attended the wedding of Miss Barbara Broyles the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moreland returned Sunday from San Antonio, where they had been to see a new granddaughter. Mrs. Moreland had been at San Antonio the past two weeks and Mr. Moreland went there Thursday of last week.

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sey, soloist, who sang "I Love You Truly", "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white satin, tulle and lace. The strapless bodice was embroidered with pearls in leaf design and the bouffant tulle skirt was worn over satin. A redingote of lace was accented with a Peter Pan collar and the skirt, with scalloped lace peltum, terminated in a short train.

A tiara of lace and pearls held the bride's tiered illusion veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of yellow roses centered with a white orchid, tied with white satin ribbon streamers.

Miss Helen Brown was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. James R. Kidwell, of Austin; Miss Vera Boening, of Beeville; Miss Shermie Lou Vickers, of Kennard, and Mrs. Jack Felts. Junior bridesmaid was Linda Broyles, sister of the bride.

Robert Forbus was best man. Groomsmen were Eddie Chamberlain, David Forbus, Fred Staggs and Jack Felts. Tom G. Davis, Richard Adem and Robert Chamberlain were ushers.

A reception was held in the church parlors following the ceremony.

Miss Helen Brewer, of Odessa, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. E. H. Kipp presided at the cake and punch service. Miss Linda Broyles was in charge of the bride's book.

Mr. Forbus is attending the University of Texas, and the couple will be at home in Austin. Mrs. Forbus will teach in the Austin public schools.

Virginia Douglass Class Elects Officers

Mmes. H. G. Agnew, Arthur Underwood, W. O. Irby and Hill Hampton were joint hostesses to the Virginia Douglass Class of the First Methodist Church Tuesday evening, entertaining in the Agnew home on Sixth Street.

Arrangements of lupines gave added beauty to rooms where Mrs. R. A. Bagwell conducted the business period, and a report from the nominating committee chairman, Mrs. Ted Tisdale, was given. The following new officers were elected: president, Mrs. Sam Conner; vice-president, Mrs. George Newby; secretary, Mrs. Pauline Richardson; treasurer, Mrs. M. E. McClenny; and teacher, Mrs. J. W. Guynes. Officers will be installed at the September meeting.

Mrs. H. G. Hargus, program chairman, presented the program. Mrs. Tom McEntire gave the devotional, "The Kingdom of God," and Mrs. F. L. Wells conducted the lesson on "The Parables of Our Lord."

Hostesses served frosted coca colas and sand tarts. Others present were: Mmes. W. E. Moss, J. W. Guynes, R. M. Hollis, M. C. Broussard, Ruel Boswell, E. L. Rumpy, Lynn Candler, Price Middleton, Newby, Ralph Routh, Play Brevard, Beatrice Williams, Bill Witter, Mack Bower; and Miss Ann Midgley. Mrs. Docie Copeland was a visitor.

First Baptist Esther Class Meets in Morgan Home

The Esther Class of the First Baptist Church met this week in the home of Mrs. Hilton E. Morgan. Mrs. Buddy Farley was co-hostess.

Mrs. Morgan presided at the business period and program and officers made reports.

Ice cream and cookies were served to: Mmes. Carley Watkins, Bobby Bryan, J. B. Terry, Jr., John Carlile, Noel Wiley, Foy Farmer, James A. Watson, Clifford Phillips, George Hall and Bernie Machann.

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LOCAL LIONS ATTEND COLEMAN CLUB'S PARTY
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SOCIETY

Broyles Weds James Forbus
Corpus Christi Church
The wedding arch was decorated with salal and asters and caught with a wedding bell in satin ribbons. Asters banked the wrought iron screens flanking the altar.
The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nile C. Broyles, Corpus Christi, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Forbus, Corpus Christi. The bride's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James E. Brewer, of Ballinger.

The Rev. Lowell Ryan, assisted by the Rev. Ben Cummings, officiated.
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Mrs. Vernon Campbell, organist, played the nuptial program and accompanied Charles Lind-

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CREWS

Capt. and Mrs. Ira Grounds and children, of Auburn, Alabama, were week-end visitors in the Owen Bragg home.

Will Mathis and Miss Marguerite Mathis were dinner guests in the Effie Wood home Sunday. He visited his brother in the Shannon Hospital at San Angelo Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Morton, of Crawford, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hambright Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allcorn visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fuller at San Angelo Saturday.

Ophelia Dietz visited last week in the Ralph Hightower home at Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Petrie and Neysa visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brandon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bragg visited in the Frank Grounds home at San Angelo Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. R. Petrie and Neysa visited Rev. and Mrs. Peyton at Talpa Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Brookshier visited in the Clarence Hambright home Sunday.

Darla Moreland and Luther Summerville, of San Angelo, were guests in the M. R. Petrie home Sunday evening.

Will Mathis and Miss Marguerite Mathis returned home Saturday from a week's visit at Denver, Colorado, with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Mathis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bridwell, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Pearce and Bonnie are visiting at Dumas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Franks are visiting her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. M. L. Hambright, and other relatives. Mr. Franks recently received his discharge from the army. They will make home at Wichita Falls where Mr. Franks will attend school.

BANQUET TO HONOR COLLEGE STUDENTS

The youth department of the First Methodist Church will have a banquet tonight at 7:30 in the church dining hall, honoring all young people of this church who will leave soon for college.

Approximately 20 from the church will attend various schools this fall. About 75 young people will attend the banquet. The women of the church will provide the meal which will be followed by an entertainment program.

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It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to park any motor vehicle, bicycle, motorcycle, trailer, farm tractor or any type of farm machinery, in, along, or upon any sidewalk within the corporate limits of the city of Ballinger, Texas; and it shall likewise be a violation, for any such person, firm or corporation, to stack, store, or place upon any such sidewalk, any type of merchandise, whether new or used, or in any manner by such use, to impede or hinder, the free and unrestricted use by the public, of any such sidewalk, for pedestrian traffic.

It shall be permissible hereunder, for any merchant, or dealer, or other person, to park, or place on such sidewalk, any such merchandise, while unloading or loading same, but such use as permitted hereunder, shall be temporarily only. By temporarily, as used herein, shall mean not to exceed thirty (30) minutes.

Whoever shall violate any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than one, nor more than one hundred dollars.

This Ordinance shall not repeal any other ordinance upon the same or similar subject matter, but shall be accumulative thereof.

Passed and approved, this 25 day of August, A. D. 1953. (Seal)

C. M. HAMBRIK, Mayor

Attest:
FRED UNDERWOOD
City Secretary 27-2t

The Suez Canal was opened in 1869.

REYNOLDS HOLDING REVIVAL AT DRASCO

Rev. Wayne Reynolds, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ballinger, is conducting a revival for the Methodists at Drasco this week. He has been preaching each night to large congregations. The revival will continue the remainder of the week.

Wednesday night a large number from the Ballinger church attended the services at Drasco. Choir members presented special music and prayer meeting here was cancelled so that all might go to Drasco in a body.

Rev. Reynolds will be back here for services Sunday.

BALLINGER METHODISTS TO ATTEND LAY RETREAT

A delegation from the First Methodist Church of Ballinger will be in Glen Rose this week-end to attend the annual central Texas conference lay retreat, to be held on Saturday and Sunday.

The delegation is headed by Ed Curry, district lay leader. Others attending will be: Lyman Yoder, Eldon Holly, J. D. Reneau, W. O. Irby, Herman Roundtree, Allen Davis, J. W. Guynes, Rev. Wayne Reynolds and C. L. Howell.


Some of the delegation will be able to attend only one day because of Sunday services in the local church.

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Rev. and Mrs. A. O. Rue have returned home this week after spending a two weeks vacation at Dallas and Denton. Rev. Rue will conduct regular services

accepted both morning evening. These offerings help the destitute in Korea and India.

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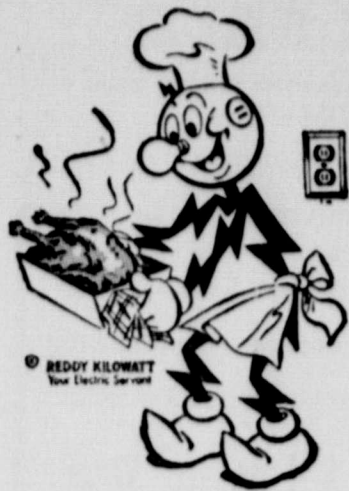
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'Arrowhead' and 'The Moon is Blue' Major Attractions of Week at Horseshoe Drive-In

WENDLAND DESCENDANTS HOLD ANNUAL REUNION

The second annual gathering of the Wendland family was held on Sunday in the Klamer Park, Fredericksburg, 123 relatives and 6 visitors being present.

Miss Rose Kloesel registered guests and a short program was presented prior to the serving of the barbecue menu with all trimmings.

In the afternoon a business period was held when the following officers were elected: president, Richard Wendland, of Miles; vice-president, Fritz Senkel, Buckholts; secretary, Miss Rose Kloesel, Miles, treasurer, Mrs. H. A. Sullivan, LaPryor. The group voted to hold the next reunion near Austin on the second Sunday of July, 1954.

Those attending from West Texas were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kloesel and Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wendland, Mrs. George Wendland and family, Emil Wendland, and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wendland and sons, all of Miles; Mr. and Mrs. Julius Holubec and Janice, of Rowena; Mr. and Mrs. August Wendland and sons, of Eola.

Other towns represented were: LaPryor, Rosebud, Austin, Hutto, Hearne, Taylor, Pflugerville, San Antonio, Robstown, Bishop, Corpus Christi, Thorndale, Round Rock, Cameron, and Burlington, Texas; Pasadena, California, Richland, Washington, and Greenville, AFB, Mississippi.

Paper clips at Ledger office

Producer Nat Holt, who knows his way around in an action script, has turned out another rousing, beautifully colored saga of the Southwest in "Arrowhead," billed at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday. The title is significant in that Indians play a prominent part in the savage conflict. The film itself is significant in that it once again pictures the Indians as the almost unqualified villains of the piece, thereby reversing a recent trend toward their deification at the expense of the reputations of early white settlers. Charles Heston stars as a hardened U. S. cavalry scout, while Jack Palance ably portrays an Indian with fanatic hatred of white men. Others who have important roles are Katy Jurado, Milburn Stone, Mary Sinclair and Brian Keith.

"The Moon is Blue," a transposition to the screen of a successful Broadway stage comedy by the same writer, F. Hugh Herbert, and the same producer-director, Otto Preminger, who staged the original production, is billed at the Hillcrest for four days—Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 30, 31 and September 1, 2.

Advance reviews declare it is a clever, brilliantly written, flawlessly acted and directed bedroom comedy. True love and virtue triumph but are mauled considerably in the process.

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Payne and Donna Reed Paired in Romantic Film

Packed with an abundance of sword play, battles on the high seas and romantic engagements, "Raiders of the Seven Seas," at the Texas Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, September 1, 2, stars John Payne and Donna Reed. Color is by Technicolor. Payne, a carefree sort with

an eye for gold and lovely women, soon has more than he can handle in loot. On one of his conquests he captures a Spanish countess, (Miss Reed), who was to have married Gerald Mohr, a deceitful Spanish officer. At first Payne decides to ransom his captive but changes his mind as he is entranced by her beauty and iron will. Among competent supporting players are Lon Chaney, Anthony Coruso, Henry Brandon, Christopher Dark and Claire DuBrey.

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Doris Day, Gordon MacRae Teamed In Tuneful 'By Light of Silvery Moon'

page from the Penrod stories of Booth Tarkington comes to Technicolor life in Warner's musical, "By the Light of the Silvery Moon," major attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, August 30, 31. The popular song stars, Doris Day and Gordon MacRae play the leads in the song-filled adaptation of the warm and humorous stories of a typical, small-town American family.

Doris Day, the girl whose career literally started with an accident when she learned to

sing while recovering from a severe leg injury, is cast as the big sister whose romantic entanglement with the boy next door, Gordon MacRae, leads to some humorous episodes.

Another popular screen team is reunited in the musical comedy, Leon Ames and Rosemary DeCamp returning to play Miss Day's parents.

Songs blended into the screen play include "If You Were the Only Girl in the World," "Ain't We Got Fun," "Your Eyes Have Told Me So," and "By the Light

of the Silvery Moon."

Ken Murray, versatile comedian of stage, screen and television, whose waving cigar has become a national trademark, has made a western film that's packed with every ingredient of entertainment. "The Marshal's Daughter," No. 1 feature on the twin-bill at the Texas Tomorrow and Saturday, reportedly has comedy, gay music, fast-paced action and plenty of riding and shooting. The film stars luscious Laurie Anders in the title role; Hoot Gibson is cast as Laurie's father, the marshal.

"Savage Mutiny," one of Columbia's "Jungle Jim" adventure series starring Johnny Weissmuller, is the second fea-

ture on the week-end program. The film, which has Weissmuller smashing an atom bomb spy nest in Africa, features Angela Stevens, Nelson Leigh, Lester Mathews, and Tamba, talented chimp.

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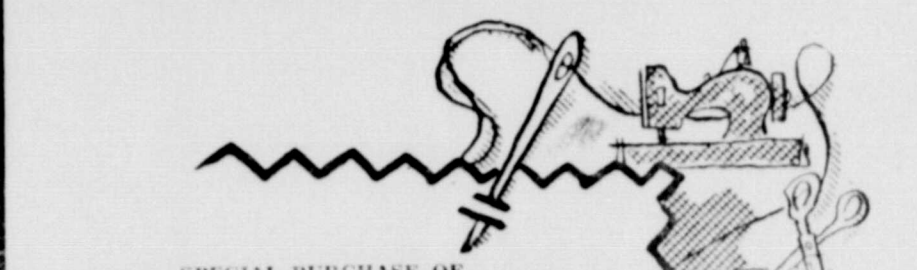
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Cox stated that equipment was being arranged for each man and would be hanging in his locker Tuesday afternoon so that no time will be lost in issuing suits and other practice material.

Immediately after school Tuesday, candidates for the team will report at Bearcat Field and will get down to hard work without delay. Every effort will be made to get the boys in good physical condition and work out a few smooth running plays by September 11 when the powerful Merkel eleven comes to Ballinger to open the 1953 season.

With information gained in spring training, coaches know pretty well who will make up the A squad. They know the sizes of these men and will have no trouble issuing their playing equipment in advance.

Most of the boys have been on hard labor jobs during the summer and for the past two weeks have been running, taking physical exercises and

otherwise getting in condition. This will be a big help because of the short time between September 1 and the first game.

QUARTERBACK CLUB TO MEET TOMORROW

Ray Fuqua, president of the Bearcat Quarterback Club, has announced a meeting for tomorrow (Friday) night at the high school auditorium. Members will assemble at 8:00 p. m. and all who hold cards in the organization are urged to be present and every local fan who desires membership for the new year is urged to attend. Annual dues are \$2.00 and the membership is open to every fan.

New officers will be elected and will serve for one year. Present officers are not eligible for reelection, according to the by-laws. At the conclusion of the business a picture of the 1952 Ballinger-Coleman game will be shown.

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Mrs. D. L. Vestal conducted the business. Mrs. W. O. Irby brought the devotional, "To Other Cities Also," and Mrs. W. R. Clark, Jr., presented the lesson on "Making Friends of God's Children."

At the social hour pie a la mode was served. Others present were: Mmes. R. A. Dickinson, W. W. Chastain, Sam Conner, Grady Richards, R. D. Midgley, Lillian Holt and John Loveless.

Ida Campbell Circle members were guests of Mrs. Hutton Laxson. The Laxson home on Eighth Street was decorated with multi-colored zinnias.

Mrs. Tom Crockett directed the business routine. A telephone committee, composed of Mrs. George M. Beard, Mrs. J. C. Reese and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., was named. Mrs. A. O. Strother gave the devotional and Mrs. T. R. Arrant brought the lesson.

Ice cream and cake was served. Others were: Mmes. Lee Evans, O. R. O'Neill, J. W. Bigby, A. J. H. Borders, C. M. Gibson, J. C. Reese, C. D. Harris, E. L. Rampsy, George Beard, C. L. Howell, Felix Itz, E. L. Williamson, Laura Crockett; and a visitor, Mrs. Hiram Criesman, of Fort Stockton.

Mrs. J. W. Barr was hostess to members of the Ettie Gressett Circle in her Seventh Street home. Garden flowers were used for decorations.

Mrs. H. P. Tickle presided for the business at which time a contribution from the circle was given to pay on a record-player for the Young People's Department of the church. Mrs. Marion Hays brought the devotional, and Mrs. Troy Simpson gave the lesson.

The hostess served a sandwich plate with cookies and punch to four visitors, Mrs. Myrta Harshaw, of Long Beach, California; Mrs. Bill Witt, Mrs. J. H. Shelburne, and Miss Ann Midgley. Other members present were Mrs. W. E. Midgley, Mrs. Tom Caudle and Mrs. Bill Witt.

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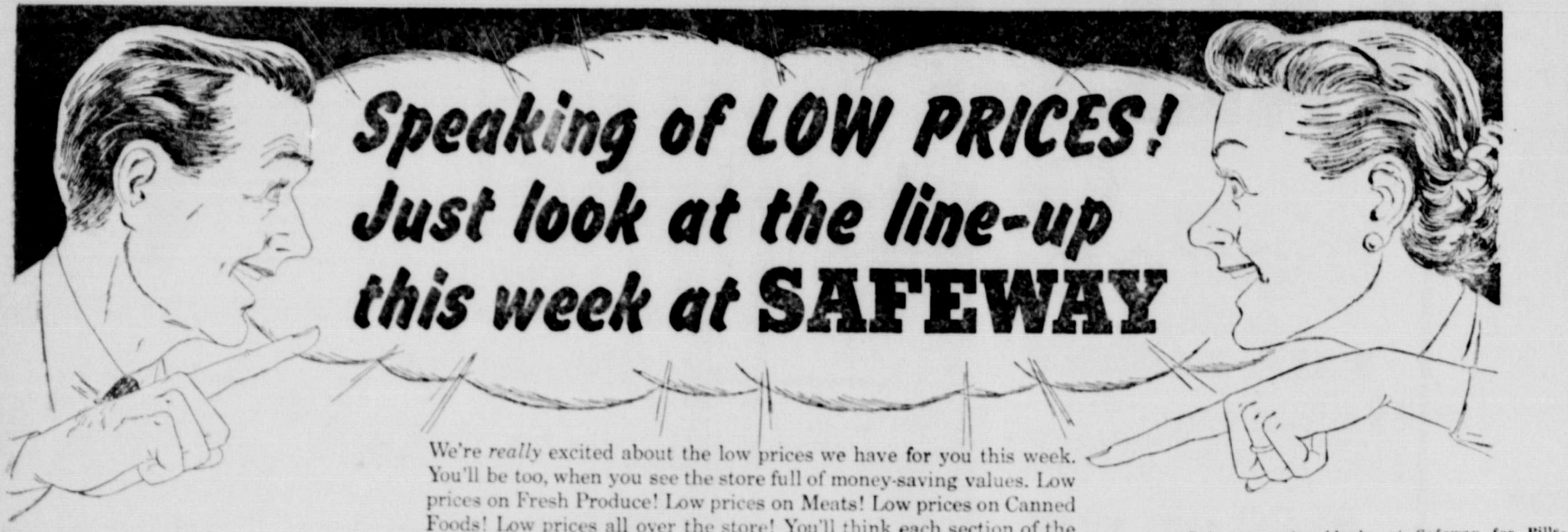
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Mrs. Tom McEntire, worthy matron, and George M. Beard, worthy patron, were in the East for a called meeting of the Order of Eastern Star, Chapter No. 266, held Monday evening in the Masonic hall.

The meeting was for the purpose of initiating T. W. McEntire into the Order of the Eastern Star. The pledge of allegiance to the flag was followed by a memorial ceremony for Robert Morris, founder of the organization. Mr. Beard was in charge of the memorial service and read the article, "Shining Light," which covered the rise of the Eastern Star. The article stated that it was through the efforts and energy of Morris to show that the aim in life was to give humanity the benefit of true fellowship and love, one for the other. Mr. Beard closed the memorial service by giving a prayer in memory of the founder.

The social hour followed in the dining room, which was decorated with the worthy matron's colors, gold, red and green, and included gold and red zinnia arrangements. Mr. and Mrs. George Mader were hosts and served a sandwich plate with cookies and cold drinks.

Mr. Beard displayed a large selection of Christmas cards which the chapter will take orders for.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Guin, of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adcock, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. King, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dixon, all of Winters.

Others were: Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Midgley, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Summer, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mmes. Chester Cherry, Ralph Willingham, H. G. Hargus, E. A. Saunders, Herman Hulse, Marvin Foy, Clyde Gabbert, Misses Anna Belle Hash, Helen Williams and Demma Barron.

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An Ordinance Regulating the Parking of Motor Vehicles, Motorcycles, Motorscooters, and Bicycles, Within the Corporate Limits of the City of Ballinger, Texas, Regulating the Manner of Parking, the Placing of Coins in Said Meters; the Time Allowed to be Parked at Said Meters; the Manner of Parking Prohibited Cars From Being Parked at Meters for the Purpose of Sale; Providing for Notice to be Issued to Violators to Appear in Corporation Court; the Time at Which to Appear; Regulating the Duties of Police Officers; Defining Business District; Exempting Certain Motor Vehicles From Said Ordinance; Prescribing the Business District and Repealing a Portion of a Former Ordinance.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BALLINGER, TEXAS:

Article 143:

Section 5. Any person operating a motor vehicle, motor scooter, motorcycle, or bicycle, who desires to park said vehicle within the area or district, in which parking meters are now installed, or that may be hereinafter installed, within the Corporate Limits of the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, shall park said vehicle, within the area designated by the curb, or street marker lines. And upon entering said parking space designated for such meter, should said parking meter display a red signal indicating that the time previously paid for has expired on said meter, such person shall immediately deposit in said meter, a five (5) cent coin, or should such person desire to park at said meter for a shorter length of time, than the maximum period of approximately two (2) hours, he shall deposit the one (1) or more coins of one (1) cent denomination according to the time desired, in conformity with the instructions indicated on such meter. Provided, however, that parking any such vehicles in front of the Post Office building at meters where the post or standards supporting such meters are painted in red shall be limited to twelve (12) minutes, for one (1) penny, as per instructions on such meter.

(a) No person shall park a motor vehicle, motorscooter, motorcycle, or bicycle otherwise than between the definitely marked lines shown at the curb for parking purposes, provided for such meter, and should such motor vehicle remain parked at such meter at the expiration of the time previously purchased, as shown by the display of a red signal by such meter, he shall again immediately deposit in said meter one (1) or more of such coins as designated hereinabove, for the time he desires to remain so parked.

(b) It shall be the duty of all police officers of the City of Ballinger, Texas, subject to the provisions hereinafter set out, when they observe a motor vehicle, motorscooter, motorcycle, or bicycle, parked at a meter, displaying a red signal, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 6 o'clock P. M. to deposit in said meter a five (5) cent coin, and immediately prepare in duplicate a written notice, which shall identify said motor vehicle, by trade name, and license number, the street

on which parked, the time of day such coin was deposited in said meter, the number of said meter, the date issued, and the name of the officer making out such memorandum. Said notice in addition to the information prescribed above, shall request that the owner or operator of said motor vehicle, motor scooter, motorcycle, or bicycle, to place a five (5) cent coin, in the addressed envelope furnished to such operator, and after placing on said envelope the correct amount of postage, deposit same in the United States mails, or deliver said notice, without such postage attached thereon, to the City Hall, within forty-eight hours from date of such notice. The notice provided for herein, may be delivered to the operator of such motor vehicle as herein described in person, or same may be attached to such vehicle. All coins herein mentioned, to be coins issued by the United States of America.

(c) It shall be a constitute a misdemeanor for the driver, operator, or person in charge of any motor vehicle, as herein above described, to park same at the place designated for such meter, otherwise, than between the lines marked thereat, with proper clearance on either side, for the accommodation of other parked cars adjacent thereto; or upon receiving the notice hereinbefore provided for, to fail or refuse, to place in said envelope the proper coin as required, and deposit same with proper postage thereon in the United States mails, or deliver same in person as provided for herein, withing the time prescribed for such mailing or delivery, as herein directed. And it shall further be a violation of this Ordinance for any operator, driver or person in charge, of any motor vehicle above described, to receive in any one day more than three (3) such notices, as provided for herein.

(d) It is permissible under this Ordinance, for any driver or operator of a motor vehicle parking same in the manner indicated within the City of Ballinger, and in the manner prescribed herein, to receive three (3) parking tickets, or notices, issued by the police officers of the City as herein prescribed in any one day, provided the provisions of this Ordinance relating thereto are complied with. However, it shall be the duty of said police officer, upon observing a motor vehicle, motorscooter, motorcycle, or bicycle, parked at a meter, displaying a red signal thereon, and to which said vehicle, operator, driver, or person in charge, there has been during the day in which said vehicle is parked, issued three (3) previous notices, as prescribed hereinabove, to again deposit a five cent coin in said meter, and issue the notice as required hereinbefore to such driver, operator, or person in charge of said vehicle. And in addition thereto, said officer shall apprehend the driver, operator, or person in charge of such vehicle, and take them forthwith, before the Judge of the Corporation Court, of the City of Ballinger, Texas, or other duly authorized officer of said city, and there prefer charges against such driver, operator or person in charge aforesaid, for allowing and permitting such motor vehicle to remain parked at

such meter without the payment of the proper coins as set out hereinabove. Should such apprehension or arrest as herein provided for, be made after six o'clock of said day, or should the driver, operator or person in charge of such motor vehicle aforesaid, request such, said officer shall issue to such driver, operator, or person in charge of said motor vehicle a notice to appear before the Corporation Court of the City of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, which notice shall state the address of the person charged, the license number of said motor vehicle, the name of the person charged, the name of the operator, driver, or person thereof in charge, the make of said motor vehicle, the time of day said notice was issued; the name of the officer making such report, and the time at which said driver, or operator, or person in charge shall appear before said Court, which time shall not be more than ten (10) days from date of issuance, and which notice shall be signed by the driver, operator or person in charge of said motor vehicle;

a copy of which shall be delivered to said driver, operator, or person in charge, and after which said person may be released for his appearance at a later date as prescribed in such notice.

(e) The provisions of this Ordinance, shall not apply to police cars, operated by the City of Ballinger aforesaid, while in the necessary discharge of their official duties, temporarily parked at such meter, nor to a police car owned by the City of Ballinger, aforesaid, regularly parked in the downtown area, provided such space used therefor is plainly marked, "Reserved for Police" nor to emergency vehicles, as said term is defined by the laws of the State of Texas, temporarily parked for the purpose of loading or unloading merchandise, at any place of business, provided the time allowed to such vehicle shall not exceed thirty

(30) minutes; nor to vehicles necessarily used in the repair of buildings, or erecting signs thereat, provided the owner or operator thereof shall first have the written permission of the Mayor of the City of Ballinger, to use such needed parking space; nor to vehicles used by any public utilities, while in the temporary repair of equipment used and maintained, by such utilities, nor to motor vehicles, graders, trucks, sprayers, and similar equipment, used or operated by the employees of the City of Ballinger, in the course of their employment.

Section 6. Provided further that Section 6 of the original ordinance pertaining to parking meters, passed by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, on the 15th day of January, 1947, is hereby repealed. In lieu of said section, this section designated as Section No. 6, shall be added to read as follows, to-wit: It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to park, or permit to be parked, in, along, or upon any street, avenue, or alley, within the business dis-

trict of the city of Ballinger, Texas, any motor vehicle, motor scooter, motorcycle, or bicycle, farm tractor, or any other type of farm machinery, whether new or used, when same is displayed for the purpose of sale, trade, or exchange. The fact that more than two (2) such motor vehicles, motorscooters, motorcycles, bicycles, farm tractors, or any other type of farm machinery, is parked by any person, firm or corporation, as prohibited hereinabove at any one (1) time, shall be prima facie evidence, that same is being displayed for the purpose of sale, trade, or exchange.

Within the business district, for the purpose of this Ordinance, shall include Hutchings Street from the intersection of Sixth Street to the intersection of Thirteenth Street, Broadway from Strong Avenue to the Santa Fe Railway, Seventh Street from the intersection of Strong Avenue to the Santa Fe Railway, Eighth Street from the intersection of Strong Avenue to the Santa Fe Railway, Eleventh Street from the intersection of Strong Avenue to the Santa Fe Railway, Thirteenth Street from the intersection of Strong Avenue to the Santa Fe Railway, and Railroad Avenue from the intersection of Fifth Street to the intersection of Tenth Street, and all alleys within such area. The "term" intersection for the purpose of this Ordinance shall include both sides of the streets and avenues mentioned.

Section 7. Sections No. 9, 10, and 11, of the original Ordinance passed by the City of Ballinger on the 15th day of January, 1947, pertaining to parking meters, and the regulations of parking of motor vehicles are hereby expressly repealed.

Section 8. Any person, firm, or corporation, who shall violate any of the provisions of Sections 5, 5 (a); Section 5 (b); Section 5 (c); Section 5 (d); Section 5 (e); and Section 6 hereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

Section 9. Each and every provision, paragraph, sentence, and clause of this ordinance has been separately considered and passed by the City Commission, and each said provision would have been separately passed without any other provision, and if any provision hereof should be ineffective, invalid, or unconstitutional for any cause, it shall not impair, nor affect the remaining portion nor any other part thereof.

but the valid portion shall be enforced just as if it had been passed alone.

Section 10. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 25 DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1953.

(Seal)
C. M. HAMBRICK, Mayor
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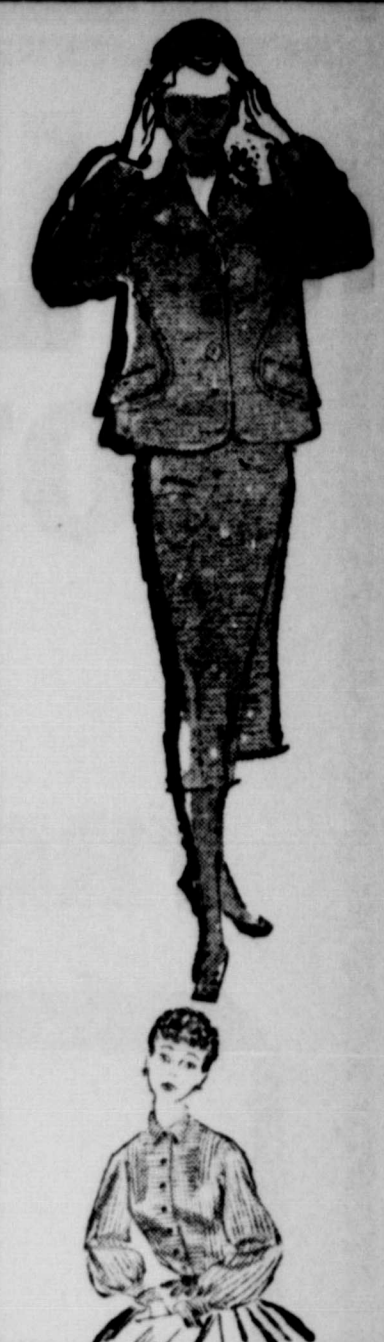
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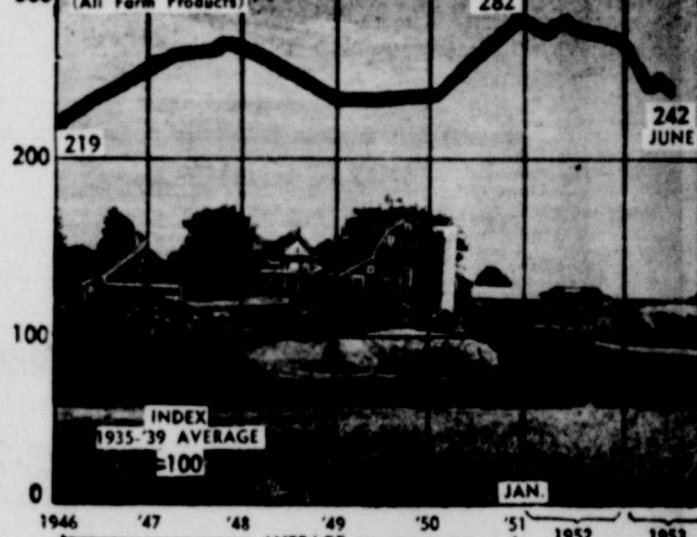
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