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Enforcement Officers Have Busy Week-End

Ballinger and Runnels county law enforcement officers were kept very busy the past week-end and the first of this week disposing of cases, investigating wrecks and handling other cases.

About two weeks ago, Johnny Fithen was arrested here and released on \$1,000 bond on a charge of being a fugitive from justice in Mississippi. At that time he signed statement and gave information which caused Fithen and Mack Airling to be brought here from Memphis for investigation.

Fithen was granted \$7,500 bond as a fugitive from justice in Mississippi and is being held in Arlington was allowed bond of \$5,000 as a fugitive from justice in Mississippi, \$2,000 for attempted burglary of the Lone Star Gas Co. here; \$2,000 for the attempted burglary of the Hardware Co. and \$2,000 for the attempted burglary of Home Furniture Co.

Since being put under bond, the defendants have given statements admitting burglaries of Gunter, Allen, Prosper, Whitesboro, Lamesa, Texas and at Webb, Mississippi.

Sheriff Woody Blanton was here Monday from Denton and caught a man who identified Fithen and Arlington as the two who held him up with a gun, tied him up and robbed a

station. Investigations are being made concerning a number of other "jobs" in this section of Texas.

Orville Cotter was filed on the first of the week for removing mortgaged property. The case was filed at the request of Waxahachie officers.

A car stolen at San Angelo was found abandoned here the past week-end.

Joe Grigsby, negro, involved in a car wreck between Miles and Rowena Saturday, was filed on for transporting wine and also for driving while intoxicated. Injured in the wreck, he was taken to an Abilene hospital.

Other negroes in the wreck were C. H. Yancey, San Angelo; James Duval, Abilene and Erdine Banks, Winters. These were given treatment at the local hospital and were fined for being drunk. Lillie Mae Lacy, of San Angelo, who sustained a broken leg, was brought to the local hospital for treatment. Lester Gary and Ella Lee Grant, of Winters, were dismissed after receiving treatment and no charges were filed against them.

Jewell F. Killough was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated. He was fined \$72.80 and the three-day jail sentence was probated because of his physical condition.

Cock Fight Raid Results In 23 Arrests and Fines

State Ranger Ralph Rohatsch and Sheriff Don Atkins raided a place east of Runnels Sunday just before noon and arrested 23 men at a cock fight. Charges of loitering in a place where gambling was going on were filed against the more than a score and all paid fines of \$5.00 and costs, \$20 each, or a total of \$460.00.

Sheriff Atkins said the fighting ring was set up and a large number were on hand to watch the events. About 100 coops were found at the site and the officer did not count the number of fighting cocks in cars or on the ground. There were balance scales for weighing in the birds and a first aid department to treat wounded roosters. Following the raid citizens of the vicinity said some of the participants escaped. The officers brought in 12 cars loaded with the offenders, their birds and equipment. All were released after paying fines and none of the birds or equipment were confiscated.

In the group were six Runnels countians and others were from Christoval, San Angelo, Bangs, Coleman, Santa Anna and Las Vegas, New Mexico. A juvenile was released, no complaint being filed against him.

One of the defendants stated that he had been fighting cocks the past twenty years and had never been raided or arrested before.

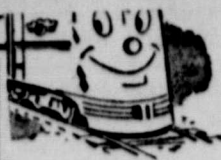
Officers had been watching the rendezvous for some time and planned the raid for Sunday morning after it was known the group had assembled.

EIGHT INJURIES SUSTAINED BY 2 IN TRAFFIC ACCIDENT
Jewell Killough, of Wichita Falls, and his brother-in-law, Robert Edward Powers, of Abilene, were slightly injured in a wreck, eight miles south of Ballinger on highway 83 Saturday night.

The 1940 Dodge sedan, driven by Killough, went off the road and turned over. Killough sustained a cut on one arm which required several stitches and Powers had minor cuts and lacerations.

R. L. Peters, vocational agriculture teacher at Spur, and several Spur F. F. A. boys were returning home from the San Antonio livestock show soon after the accident. They applied first aid to the injured pair and brought them to the local hospital in a pickup.

Rev. A. O. Rue, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., left Tuesday night for Kansas City, Missouri, where he will attend a stewardship and promotion meeting. Rev. Rue is stewardship and promotion chairman of the Greenwood presbytery. He will return in time for services Sunday.



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District Boy Scout Committee Holds Meeting at Paint Rock

The February meeting of the Colorado River Boy Scout district committee was held Monday evening in the Paint Rock school cafeteria. John Purifoy, of Ballinger, presided.

Finance campaigns are in progress at Bronte, Robert Lee and Ballinger. Drives will be conducted at Silver, Miles and Paint Rock.

The annual camporee will be held on May 7 and 8 at Paint Rock and will be a tri-district affair, including the Heart of Texas and East Ranch districts. The camporee will be under the direction of Gene Heidenheimer.

W. H. Rumpy, leadership training chairman, announced the next scout leaders training course for den mothers, cubmasters, scoutmasters' advisors, assistants and junior officers, to be held at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, February 25, in the Eden high school.

Jerry Hampton, health and safety chairman, outlined plans for an explorers marksmanship meet to be held at Camp Sol Mayer on Sunday, March 21, beginning at 2:30 p. m. The meet will be built around marksmanship merit badge requirements and each troop will be allowed to enter one team.

The advancement committee headed by C. R. Ayers, of Ballinger, is hoping to see that each scout in the district has the opportunity to earn four merit badges in 1954. This will be one for each quarter in home repair, safety, swimming and first aid. He also plans for each club to pass one rank and each explorer one rating.

A district court of honor is to be held in May.

The next meeting of the committee, for three districts, will be held at Eden on March 18. Astor Wallace, of Junction, will preside.

John Purifoy, Jerry Hampton, Gene Heidenheimer, W. H. Rumpy, Mack Bowers and O. K. Reynolds attended the meeting at Paint Rock.

F. F. A. Boys Win At Houston Show; Total Take \$5,500

H. B. Edmondson, vocational agriculture teacher, returned from Houston Sunday with the Ballinger boys who entered the calf scramble and two judging teams. The local boys made an exceptional record at the Houston show the past week-end.

Three local boys, Kirk Brunson, Aubrey Faubion and Gene Davis, caught calves in the scramble. J. A. McClelland was 7th high individual in livestock judging and received a certificate to purchase a \$125 registered calf. This made four calves, valued at \$500, which were won by members of the Ballinger chapter.

The No. 1 livestock judging team took first place in sheep judging. The No. 2 livestock team took third place in sheep judging and third place in swine judging. Members of the No. 1 team are Wayne Johnson, Bobby Patton, and Bob Farley. On the No. 2 team are J. A. McClelland, Gene Davis and Gene Routh.

Mr. Edmondson stated that the new winnings brought to \$5,500 the grand total won at Houston. Members of the local chapter will also show animals at San Angelo and Abilene before closing the season.

of the jungle during a trail of adventure which starts with piracy on the tropic seas and winds up with a dangerous appointment in Honduras, provide the basic drama of the attraction at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, February 21, 22, "Appointment in Honduras." Glenn Ford, Ann Sheridan and Zachary Scott essay the stellar roles.

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Tavernier was born in Paris about 1830, the son of a cartographer whose travels took him to many lands. The thrill of travel and adventure seized the youth and he became one of the world's greatest gem traders.

"The Diamond Queen" is based on Tavernier's first trip into India and his success in winning, for the crown of Louis XIV, the gem known as the Hope Diamond, and for himself, the hand of the most beautiful woman in India, played by Ariene Dahl.

Taylor to Austin For 2-Year Stay; Office is Leased

Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Taylor are moving to Austin where Dr. Taylor will be associated with the next two years with another optometrist in an office already established. He and Mrs. Taylor and baby will leave next week for Austin where he has purchased a home.

Dr. Taylor stated that he has leased his office, equipment and records here to Dr. Z. I. Hale, of Winters. A girl will be in the office full time and Dr. Hale will be in Ballinger Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week to meet patients. A graduate optometrist, Dr. Hale has been practicing a number of years.

Dr. Taylor stated he was not leaving Ballinger for good, but expected to return after two years at Austin and at that time hopes to add more equipment to his office here to provide better service for people of this area.

Dr. Taylor has assisted in a number of civic projects since coming to Ballinger. He is a member of the Ballinger Lions Club and has served on the club's health committee. He has been active in the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association and in other local movements.

Methodist Men's Banquet for Grid Team Tomorrow

Men of the First Methodist Church will honor the Ballinger Bearcat football team at a banquet and program tomorrow (Friday) night in the junior high school cafeteria. The affair is sponsored by the men of the church but women are invited for the dinner and program.

A ticket sale was started last week and leaders said the dining room would be filled to capacity. A number of football fans belonging to other churches have been invited and given an opportunity to purchase tickets.

Cal Adair is in charge of the program and has announced that musical entertainment will be presented by Robert J. Bohm, accordion artist, of Fort Worth and Dallas. Mr. Bohm, who has been in radio and television for a number of years, is a popular entertainer.

The principal speaker will be the church pastor, Rev. Wayne Reynolds. Grady Richards is in charge of the ticket sale and is being assisted by all the adult men's classes of the Sunday school.

PATROLMEN INVESTIGATE WRECK ON BRONTE ROAD

State highway patrolmen investigated a wreck on the Ballinger-Bronte highway Sunday morning at 1:30. Sylvester Ruiz Querino, 31, drove his 1949 Pontiac sedan into a bridge, six miles northwest of Ballinger. Querino sustained only minor injuries but the car was damaged about \$500.

The driver was filed on for not having a driver's license. Patrolmen filed twelve cases for speeding and other violations the past week-end.

Mrs. Bruce Creasy has returned from Port Arthur, where she visited a new grandson, Bruce Creasy McDonald. Mrs. McDonald is the former Mary Lou Creasy.

Jones Appointed Red Cross Fund Local Chairman

Dick Ayers, Red Cross fund chairman, announced this week that France Jones had been appointed Ballinger chairman and will start at once perfecting an organization for the campaign in March.

Mr. Ayers has visited a number of communities in this part of the county to line up leaders for the 1954 campaign. To date the following community chairmen have been named:

Brookshier, T. G. Gleghorn, Benoit, J. Milton Clayton, Millar-Humble, J. W. Guynes, Maverick, Mrs. Jack Dismore Hatched, Mrs. F. C. Campbell.

Other chairmen will be designated soon and every effort is being made to launch the fund drive by the second week in March.

Dick Rhodes is assisting Mr. Ayers in making up prospect cards to be used by city campaigners. These cards will list firms and all employees.

Mr. Jones will make plans for the downtown solicitation and for door-to-door calls in the residential sections.

The Winters chairman will be responsible for the northern portion of the county and collections will be retained by the chapter there.

Chairmen for Rowena, Olfen, Miles, Norton and several other communities are to be named.

The Red Cross quota for Runnels county in 1954 is \$5,000 and this will be broken down and assigned.

While all of March is devoted to the Red Cross fund campaign, local leaders hope to be thoroughly organized and complete the drive within a few days. When committee members assembled they will be given cards for prospects which will not require much time to call on. Some firm managers will take sheets and be responsible for soliciting their employees.

School Thespians To Offer Comedy February 25, 26

"Cheaper by the Dozen," a three-act comedy by Frank Glibreth, Jr. and Ernestine Glibreth Carey, will be presented February 25 and 26 by the Ballinger high school thespian troupe. The production will be staged at 8:00 p. m. each evening in the high school auditorium.

The script was put into rehearsal January 25 and since has had countless readjustments to avoid conflict with other school activities. The cast, for the most part, is composed of veterans on the high school stage and each performer has been working hard to put the play in shape.

The story concerns the rapid moving, gay, yet poignant life of the Glibreth family. Cast in the leading roles are Gary Ferguson, Joyce Campbell, Anne Stasney and Maurice Carder. Other members of the cast include: Norma Lisso, Joyce Wigniton, Carol Berry, Spike Dykes, Jimmy Hamner, George Mosier, George McAulay, Walter Thomas, Marilyn Moragne, Billy Tatum, Sally Underwood and David Hall.

The setting of the play is in the 1920's and costumes will reflect that period.

Technical director for construction of the set is Billy Tatum, and Tommy Callshaw is assistant. Miss Dot Adams, high school speech teacher, the director, is assisted by Shirley Burk.

REV. RUE ELECTED CHAPLAIN OF FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Rev. and Mrs. A. O. Rue were guests at the Hill Country Firemen's Association meeting held at Brady last week. Rev. Rue, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., of Ballinger, was elected chaplain of the Hill Country Firemen's Association.

Rev. and Mrs. Rue and Mrs. Jack Ashton also attended the new life school for church members held at the Madison Square Presbyterian Church in San Antonio last Thursday and Friday. Rev. Ralph O'Dell, of New Mexico, and Dr. Charles S. Poling, of Arizona, were the principal speakers.

Pan-American Finals Well on Wood Place

Pan-American No. 1-Wood-Campbell, located on the Wesley Wood place five miles north of Ballinger, in the Ballinger (Serratt sand) field, has been completed and on a 17-hour test Tuesday made 68 barrels of oil. Repairs were being made Wednesday and the operators intended to give it another acid treatment in the hope of building up the flow. Total depth of the hole is 2,441 feet.

This field is east and a little north of the Serratt sand producers on the Gariand Nunn place and the Nunn estate place. The Wood land adjoins the Rollin Campbell place on the north. Operators are due to stake other locations soon.

Slick-Moorman Oil Co. and Ab-TeX Drilling Co. have filed an application to drill a wild-

cat 2½ miles northwest of Ballinger on the Vernon Webb place. The application calls for a 5,000-foot hole to be drilled with rotary equipment and tours are to start as soon as the permit is issued.

This prospector is three miles west of the two-well Hays-Watts field, which produces from the Serratt at an average depth of 2,386 feet.

The Cree-Sykes field has been extended one location southeast with completion of Mid-TeX Drilling Co. No. 1-W. T. Brown for a daily flowing potential of 49.02 barrels of 39.6 gravity oil. Top of pay was found at 3,880 feet.

An application has been filed for Inca Drilling Co. No. 2A-W. H. Cole, six miles northeast of Winters. Projection is for 4,160 feet.

3 Excellent Programs Booked at High School

Three noteworthy programs to be presented by the Ballinger schools will attract most of the students and a large number of school patrons.

Tomorrow (Friday) afternoon a Southern Assembly program, "Liquid Air," will be presented by Dr. John Sloan. Dr. Sloan was a science teacher at Duke University, who for a number of years has been presenting programs and demonstrations to high school groups. His home is at Little Mountain, North Carolina.

On Tuesday, February 22, the a cappella choir of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, will be here for a program at 12:45 p. m.

The choir of 70 voices will arrive here in time to have lunch at the high school cafeteria. The program will be presented from the stage of the high school auditorium. The choir is one of the finest singing groups in Texas and has been in demand all this season. It has made numerous recordings and appeared on radio and television programs in addition to many concerts. Ballinger school officials feel fortunate in securing the choir for a day-time concert and take pleasure in inviting the public to attend.

The public also is invited to secure tickets and attend the arts classes on February 23 and major production by the speech 26. "Cheaper by the Dozen," the 1954 play, is a modern comedy that is interesting and highly entertaining.

All boys in high school, 12 years old and over, met Monday with representatives of the marine reserve corps. They were told of the work in the reserves and the benefits offered youths.

Rev. E. V. Brooks, pastor of the Seventh Street Baptist Church, was the assembly speaker Wednesday morning.

During the winter a number of partly dead trees have been cut down and removed from the lawn and others have been trimmed.

Grounds keepers will devote their full time to the care of the remaining trees and in looking after flower beds and the grass on the lawn. Every effort will be made to improve the beauty of the court house lawn during the spring and summer. Irrigation of the lawn has been started to give the grass moisture during this dry period.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, has assisted in planning some of the flower beds and in the selection of rose bushes for spring plantings.

Baptist Men Meet In Norton Church

A meeting of the Runnels Association Baptist Brotherhood was held Monday night in the Norton Baptist Church. Seventeen churches of the association were represented by 162 men. E. E. King, of Ballinger, president of the brotherhood, presided.

The program opened at 6:45 p. m. with a song service led by Otis Allen, of Norton, Jimmy Hamner, of Ballinger, playing the piano accompaniments. Following the dinner all assembled in the church auditorium.

Eldie Cox, of Winters, spoke on attendance, and Rev. E. V. Brooks, of Ballinger, reported for the promotional committee. Special music was rendered by Jerry Jones, of Winters.

The inspirational message was delivered by Dr. H. M. Ward, of Cisco. Dr. Ward is declared to have the ability to bring in high points and make them more impressive with humor.

Court House Park Will be Beautified In Spring, Summer

Work will be started soon on beautifying the court house lawn. A number of flower beds have been prepared and are ready for spring planting.

Two large beds on the southwestern side of the court house, facing Strong Avenue, have been made ready during the winter. One will be planted with roses and 24 bushes have been ordered for this purpose. The other will be planted in miscellaneous flowers.

Several beds on the front and side sections of the lawn, facing Seventh Street and Hutchings Avenue, are ready for planting. County Judge W. H. Rumpy stated Monday that he expected to contact the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club and ask its assistance in planning these beds.

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Attendance Large For Lecture Course On Christian Living

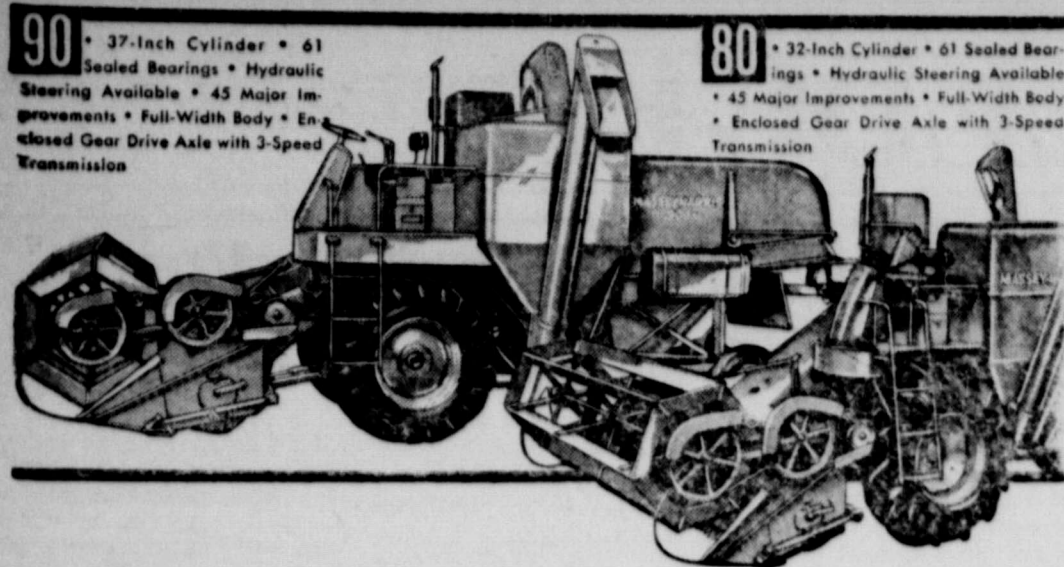
Capacity congregations have greeted Dr. John Biegeleison at each service at the First Christian Church. The first lectures Sunday evening brought large attendance, including all members of Zoar Evangelical and reformed Church of Rowena and others from San Angelo, Crews and Talpa.

Each evening this week Dr. Biegeleison has given two lectures with a refreshment and fellowship period between. His course is on Christian living and approximately 50 are taking notes for credit at the conclusion of the course.

Eight Ballinger churches have been represented at the meetings.

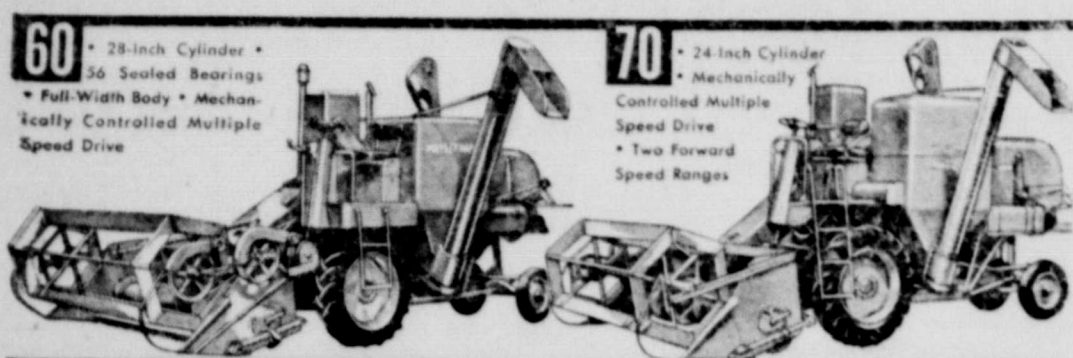
The final lectures will be given tomorrow (Friday) night, starting at 7:30. Any person who has not attended is invited to be in the service tonight or Friday and hear Dr. Biegeleison in his final messages.

There have been numerous other programs which have kept some from attending regularly and receiving credit which requires taking notes for five evenings.



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NOTICE I have leased my office and will move to Austin on February 20 to become associated with another optometrist for the next two years. Dr. A. T. Taylor

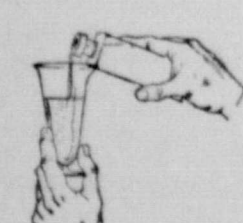
UTILITIES MEN ATTEND '54 FRIGIDAIRE SHOWING. A group of West Texas Utilities Co. employees left Sunday for Fort Worth to attend a showing of 1954 Frigidaire products. Includes a 'Card of Thanks' section.

SOCIETY

Miss Hampton Complimented at Tea. Miss Margaret Hampton, of Marfa, who formerly resided in Ballinger, was complimented Saturday when six Ballingerites hosted a gift tea in the parlors of the First Methodist Church.

the Masonic hall. After the group gave the Allegiance to the Flag, Mrs. McEntire reported on the O. E. S. School of Instruction, held at San Angelo last Saturday, which a number of local members attended.

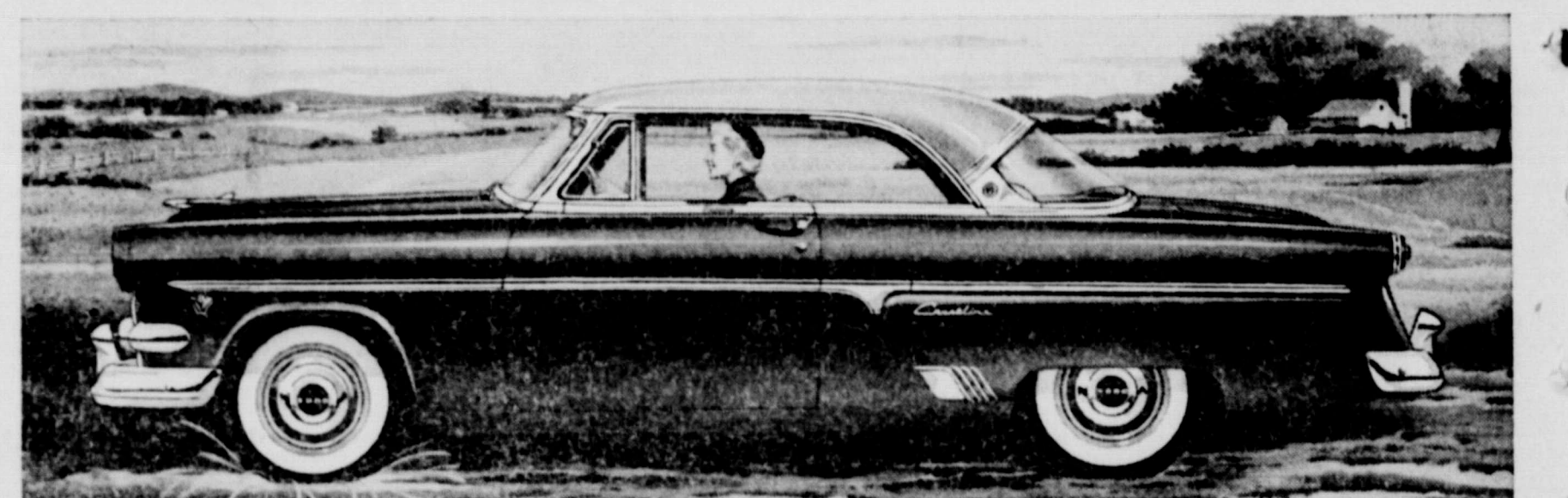
A Lesson from the Chinese



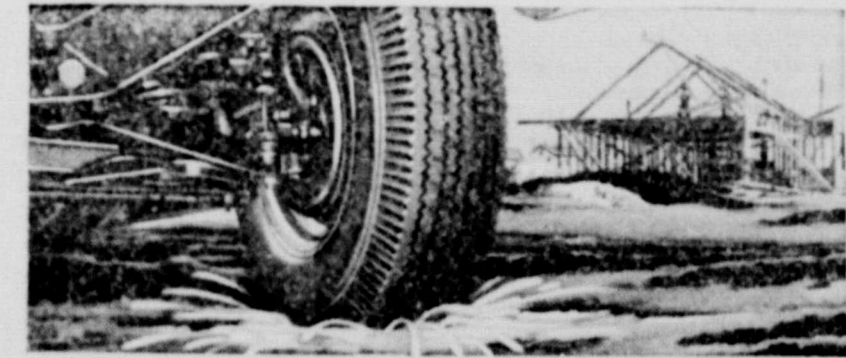
The story is told that the Chinese pay the doctor to keep them well, and if they contract illness, the doctor pays them instead. Whether or not this story is true, the general idea is sound.

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Jungle Safari Theme of New RKO Film, 'Appointment in Honduras'

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A warm and human drama, "Little Boy Lost," starring Bing Crosby, is one of the features on the double-bill at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday. A Paramount film, "Little Boy Lost" relates the compelling story of a foreign correspondent's efforts to find the baby son he has not seen since birth. The picture was shot in France and introduces 7-year-old Christian Fourcade as the son. "Little Boy Lost" is said to mark Bing's most dramatic portrayal to date.

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Musical, Pirate Yarn, Randolph Scott Western, Comedy, Billed for Hillcrest Patrons This Week

The twin-bill at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday presents "Those Redheads from Seattle," a musical production, and "Caribbean," Paramount's swashbuckling tale of plunder and piracy on the fabled Spanish main.

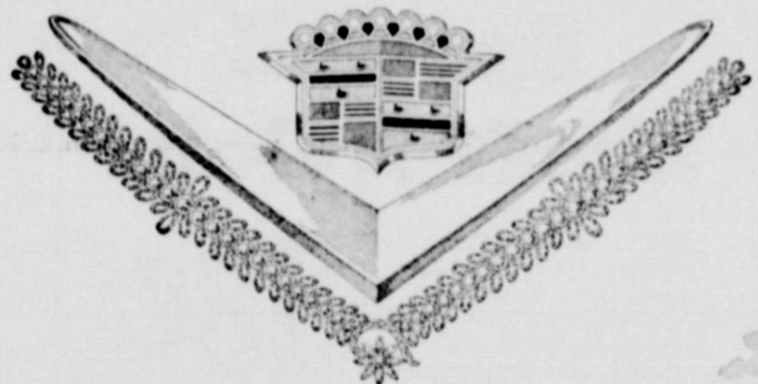
"Those Redheads from Seattle," a big Technicolored musical, stars Rhonda Fleming, Gene Barry, Agnes Moorehead and some of the nation's outstanding new singing sensa-

tions, Teresa Brewer, the Bell Sisters and Guy Mitchell. "Caribbean," starring John Payne, Arlene Dahl and Sir Cedric Hardwicke, deals with the horrowing exploits of a salty soldier-of-fortune on a forbidden island stronghold.

To be shown at the Hillcrest next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, February 21 through 23, is "The Lady and the Ranger," starring Randolph Scott and

Claire Trevor. A bachelor and a couple of beauties provide the conflict and the bond of bedlam supplies the laughs in "Dream Wife," M-G-M's hilarious romantic comedy, coming to the Hillcrest Wednesday and Thursday, February 24, 25. Cary Grant, Deborah Kerr, Walter Pidgeon and Broadway's Beta St. John have the stellar roles. Playing pivotal roles in the large supporting cast are Buddy Baer, Les Tremayne, Steve Forst, Bruce Bennett, Dean Miller and Richard Anderson.

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SOCIETY

St. Mary's Altar Society Plans Bake Sale

Rev. Robert Vreteau, O. M. I., gave the opening prayer for the regular monthly meeting of St. Mary's Altar Society, held in the parish hall Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Greger, president, was in charge of the business. Plans were made for a Bake Sale, to be held on Saturday, February 27. The proceeds will go for maintaining the Catholic library. The president announced that Rev. Patrick J. Ward, O. M. I., church pastor, who has been hospitalized at St. John's Hospital, San Angelo, the past three weeks, is improving. The society had a mass said for Rev. Ward Monday morning.

The next meeting will be held on the second Sunday in March.

Mrs. John McGrath, Mrs. Harold Mueller and Miss Mary Krc were hostesses and served refreshments to ten members and also served the Catholic Men's Society which was meeting in the hall at the same time.

Herbie Dankworth Celebrates Birthday Anniversary

Herbie Dankworth, who was celebrating his seventh birthday anniversary Tuesday, was honored at a party when his mother, Mrs. Charles Dankworth, was hostess to a group of young people in their home on the Paint Rock highway.

After games were played, the pretty white birthday cake decorated with blue florals and topped with blue candles, was served on a sandwich plate with candies, bubble gum and cold drinks.

Mrs. D. J. Goetz, Jr., assisted her mother in entertaining.

Those present were: Karen Goetz, Suzan Middleton, Sandra Halfmann, Sandra Williams, Mary Davis, Judy Garrett, Reba Ruth Grosshans, Alline Stuart, Charlotte and Sharon Hallmark, Sheri Hartgrove, Sandra Owens, Frances Dankworth, Wayne Lee Moreland, Adrian Watson, Elvin Browning, Mike Watson, LeRoy Roland Byrd, Ralph Dankworth, Gary and R. T. Gallant, Kenneth Booth, J. B. Fuchs, Randy Jones, Charles Taylor, Larry Owens, Calvin Hallmark, Dwight Davis, Leon, Ray and Norbert Fuchs, Stoney Price, Mike King, Cecil Price, Alvin and Jerry Hallmark.

"Happiness Through Nature" Program for Study Club

At the meeting of the Fannie Stephens Study Club Wednesday afternoon Mrs. J. D. Eoff spoke on "Astronomy is a Hobby," and Mrs. W. O. Irby stated that her subject, "Gardening," being called a hobby was an understatement—to her it was work, but a very satisfying work.

The meeting was in the library club room with Mrs. H. B. Edmondson as hostess. Room decorations were flowering quince and forsythia and an arrangement of Dutch irises, gladioli and stock. Mrs. Tom Epting was program chairman.

The program theme, "Hobbies," was in keeping with the yearbook's title, "Happiness Through Nature." Mrs. Eoff stated that Miss Catherine Barry, narrator at the Hayden Planetarium, said there are no atheists among the professional astronomers, and that everyone she knows who has taken astronomy as a hobby finds that any doubts in his belief in an infinite power immediately disappear. Mrs.

Irby discussed the pleasure one derives from having a garden.

Mrs. W. E. Moss conducted the business period. The resignation of Mrs. Mack Bowers was accepted, and Mrs. R. D. Travis, Jr., was welcomed as a new associate member. It was reported that several club members had assisted in the Boy Scout fund drive. Mrs. Epting announced that plans for the pre-Easter style show, in which Ballinger merchants will participate, are being completed. Members of the Fannie Stephens Study Club have been invited to attend the Texas Day Dinner sponsored by the Shakespeare Club at which Olin Cuberson, state railroad commissioner, will speak on the oil industry.

Others present were: Mmes. M. C. Broussard, L. D. Burkes, R. H. Cagle, Joe Forester, N. L. Crowmore, Preston Fitzhugh, E. C. Grindstaff, Fred Harwell, R. M. Hollis, M. E. McClenny, Wayne Reynolds, R. E. Rubie, Ted Tisdale, Jimmy Wilkins, B. J. Williams and K. I. Sharpes, Jr. Mrs. Joe McCauley was a visitor.

Mrs. Satterwhite Entertains Current Book Club

Red carnations combined with heather in the living room and an arrangement of white and pink gladioli and yellow rosebuds on the dining table were the floral decorations that Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite used Tuesday afternoon when she entertained members of the Current Book Club in her Fifth Street home.

Mrs. Gertrude Woods presided for the business. Mrs. K. V. Northington, program chairman, presented new yearbooks and outlined the programs which included interesting lectures, pilgrimages, picnics and parties along with book reviews. The George Washington theme was emphasized on the refreshment plate of date cake served with chilled apple juice. Favors were in the patriotic motif.

Mrs. J. W. Barr presented a program on "Did You Know?" Others present were: Mmes. John A. Barton, Chester Cherry, O. C. Sykes, Jack Nixon, J. W. Guynes, James A. Wear, A. H. Dallinger, Sam Behringer, O. R. O'Neill and Tom Caudle. Visitors were Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh and Mrs. R. R. Williams.

Elaine Hallmark Birthday Honoree

Elaine Hallmark was honored on her fifth birthday anniversary last Friday afternoon.

when her mother, Mrs. Clarence Hallmark, entertained in their new home on Hamilton Avenue.

The birthday cake was led with chocolate and decorated in pink. Plate favors were toy horns. The cake was served with cold drinks to Melba and Rodney Busby, Carol Sue Stubblefield, Lanny Bahlman; Junior and Charles Alan Foreman, of San Angelo; Deborah Patton, Charlotte and Sharon Hallmark, Cordelia, John Bob and Andy Cody, Donald Wayne and Larry Keel, Tommy Thompson, Billy and Jerry Cook, Mary Frances Mueller, James Baker and Beverly and Danny Hallmark.

Others present were: Mrs. J. A. McClelland, grandmother of the honoree, Mmes. Lesley Busby, Charlie Stubblefield, J. W. Bahlman; Lonnie Foreman, of San Angelo; Cecil Patton, Herman Hallmark, John Cody, M. J. Keel, Mary Thompson, E. W. Cook, Harold Mueller and Roy Baker.

Bell-Hite Betrothal Announced

Mr. J. H. Hite announces the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Georgia Mae, to Scotty Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bell. The wedding will take place on March 18 and the couple plan to make home at Kermit.

Brownie Troop Elects Officers

Brownie Troop No. 6 met at the Scout House Tuesday afternoon for the election of officers and to prepare for the Cookie Sale.

New officers are: president, Pamela Sue Underwood; vice-president, Barbara Conner; secretary, Carol Huddleston; treasurer, Carolyn Witt; song leader, Barbara Holbrook. Leaders, Mrs. Jerry Hampton, Mrs. O. L. Huddleston and Mrs. Jack Scales, conducted a "Country Store" to teach the Brownies how to make change in preparation for the Girl Scout Cookie Sale, to be held between March 5 and 15. Profits from the sale will be put into a summer camp fund and will be used by individual troops.

Carolyn Cook served refreshments to the above officers and to: Julie Hampton, Mary Wade, Karen Stephens, Sharon Scales, Carolyn Roach, Carolyn Owens and Eloise Kelly.

CREWS

Mrs. J. A. Traylor and Dean visited in the Marvin Hambricht home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Henry, of Coleman; and Mr. and Mrs. James D. Carroll, of Talpa, visited Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Carroll Sunday afternoon.

Charles Alcorn visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alcorn, during the week-end while his parents were at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bridwell spent the week-end at Pecos, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Porter Baker and family.

Ophelia Dietz spent Saturday night with Selma Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Pearce visited in the Leon Bridwell home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Morton visited in the home of Mrs. Effie Dietz Sunday.

A pink and blue shower for Mrs. Theron Osborne was given by the Baptist women in the home of Mrs. J. G. Phipps Friday afternoon. Several games were played, gifts were opened and refreshments were served to thirty-eight adults and several children.

Leslie Alcorn visited relatives in the community Saturday.

Our sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Boatright and family in the death of Mrs. Boatright's mother, Mrs. Williams, of Austin.

Don Fox, of Winters, spent Wednesday night with Troyce Hambricht.

Bennie Hambricht, of San Angelo, spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hambricht were dinner guests in the Hambricht home Sunday.

SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. B. M. Batts was elected delegate to attend the T.H.D.A. meeting, which will be held in the San Angelo College on April 8, at the regular South Ballinger home demonstration club meeting which was held in the home of Mrs. Andrew Flint Tuesday afternoon.

After the opening song, Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen was in charge of the business. Mrs. Dick Holstead gave the council report, and Mrs. Calton Smith outlined the District 7 program to be given in San Angelo on April 8. A study on club recommendations was made and projects were decided upon. The club voted that Mrs. Ohlhausen be a delegate to attend the council meeting of the T.H.D.A. Mrs. Tom Crockett and Mrs. Joe Thomas gave a report on the Valentine cookie box which was

sent to the children at the Abilene State Hospital.

Mrs. J. C. Reese gave a reading, "Garden of Your Business."

The president announced that an all-day lamp shade demonstration would be held in the club house at Winters on March 19. Those attending from the club will be Mrs. Bud Farley and Mrs. Dick Holstead.

Refreshments were served to seventeen members and two visitors, Mrs. Ewing Holt and Miss Dorothy Flint. The next meeting will be held on March 2, in the home of Mrs. Jack Fry.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Hugh Campbell, medical, last Thursday.

Dr. C. F. Bailey, medical, Saturday.

Dr. F. M. Hale, medical, Saturday.

Miss Larah Maxwell, medical, Tuesday.

Mrs. Clyde Gabbert, medical, Friday.

Miss Maggie Underwood, medical, Tuesday.

Mrs. R. A. Arrington, McCamey, last Thursday.

Mrs. Oliver Pullin and son, last Thursday.

Mrs. Sanford Petty, Fort Stockton, medical, Saturday.

Robbie Lee Petty, Fort Stockton, medical, Saturday.

W. A. Schuhmann, Rowena, medical, Tuesday.

Mrs. Pat Batts, medical, Saturday.

Gerry Lynn Lange, Rowena, medical, Monday.

Joe Grigsby, Abilene, medical, Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Sheffield, Paint Rock, medical, Tuesday.

Alan Evans, Norton, medical, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ben Pena, Hatchel, surgical, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morgan are parents of a daughter, born February 14 in the local clinic.

Patients hospitalized at this time include:

Mrs. O. J. Harber, medical, Lillie Mae Lacy, San Angelo, traffic injuries.

Mrs. Joe Skipper, Paint Rock, medical.

Mrs. J. W. Black, medical, Mrs. Cal Adair, medical.

Mrs. Gilbert Armendariz, medical.

J. M. Patton, Paint Rock, medical.

Robert Saliz, medical.

48 Awards Made To Scout Troop At Honor Court

Forty-eight members of Boy Scout troop 30 received awards and merit badges in a court of honor held at the troop's annual pot-luck supper in the American Legion hall, Bruce Field, Saturday night.

Robert Ledford, son of Scoutmaster and Mrs. Sim Ledford, was given the only eagle award. O. K. Reynolds made the presentation and his mother pinned the badge on him, and he in turn presented his mother a miniature eagle badge along with a red rose corsage.

Scoutmaster Ledford was master of ceremonies.

Other awards and rank advancements were made by Mr. Ledford, M. J. Stehle, Bill Witter, Charles Clifton, Dr. J. D. Eoff, K. C. Whitely and France Jones.

Principal speaker was Judge O. L. Parish, who has been interested in scouting for many years. Judge Parish brought out facts and history of early day scouting in Ballinger, and named some of the first eagle Scouts in the city. He also stated the origin of Scouting and the benefits boys have derived from the organization.

This troop, which is sponsored by the Ballinger Rotary Club, had only two members when Scoutmaster Ledford took

over the leadership three years ago, and now it has grown to 48 members. Meetings are held each Monday night with an almost perfect attendance and all-day and over-night camping trips are held often.

Tenderfoot recognition went to Jerry Smith, Jerry Willingham, Stephen Brown, Bobby McKnight and Ronnie Johnson.

Advanced to second class were Jerry Curlee, Tommy Tims, Doyle Thompson, Mike Denham and Billy Caffey. First class awards went to Kenneth Jacob, Bobby Power, M. J. Stehle, Jr., and Mickey Looney. Star awards were given to Wade Clifton, Jim McWilliams, Wayne Witt, Billy Witter, Charles Afflerbach, Pat Haral, Calvin Kirk, Edward Stasney, Robert Hollis, Guy B. Owens, Donald Dusek and Renae Jones.

Life ranks went to Paul Price, Bobby Arthur, Mike Barnett, Joe McAllister, William Watson and Mike Watson.

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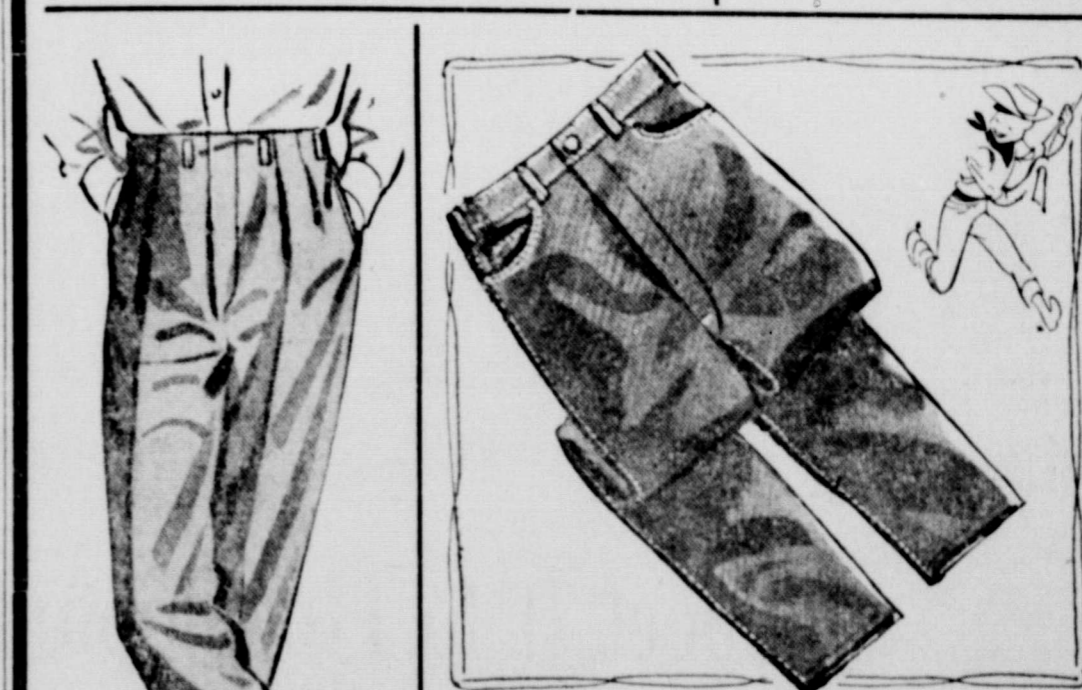
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DEATHS

James E. Brewer
James Edward Brewer, 82, died at 1:30 a. m. Tuesday at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital, just five hours after he was stricken with a heart attack at his home.

Decedent had been a resident of Ballinger 56 years. He was born at El Paso, Arkansas, on March 21, 1871, and came to Texas with his parents at the age of 14. He lived for a while at Brownwood and came to Ballinger from there in 1898. For 20 years he operated a jewelry store here, retiring about 1921. He was active in the First Methodist Church here since coming to Ballinger and for many years was a member of the church choir. He was married to Miss Mary Ellen Grant on March 23, 1902.

Survivors besides the wife include two daughters, Miss Helen Brewer, Odessa; Mrs. Nile C. Broyles, Corpus Christi; a brother, W. W. Brewer, Glendale, California; four sisters, Mrs. Ella Daniel, Brownwood; Mrs. Martin Curry, Brownwood; Mrs. Ann Carlton, Los Angeles; Mrs. Flossie Starkey, Springfield, Missouri; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church at 3:00 p. m., the church pastor, Rev. Wayne Reynolds, officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge.

Frederick Otto Klaus
Frederick Otto Klaus, 87, died at 5:20 p. m. Monday at his home on Ballinger route 1.

Decedent came to Runtels county in 1898 from New Ulm, Austin county, and until ten years ago was engaged in farming. At that time he retired from active work but continued to make home on his place.

Survivors include three sons, Henry and Gus Klaus, Ballinger; Ervin Klaus, Monahans; three daughters, Miss Fredia Klaus, Austin; Mrs. Millie Opperman, Vernon; Mrs. Alma Micholka, Cameron.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a. m. Wednesday at the Newby-Davis chapel, Rev. O. P. Schroerlue officiating. Burial was in the protestant cemetery at Rowena.

Sidney E. Davis
Sidney E. Davis, 60, a resident of Runtels county since 1908, was pronounced dead upon arrival at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital Sunday afternoon. A short time before he sustained a heart attack at his farm home south of Ballinger.

Decedent was born December 26, 1893, in Grayson county. He was married to the former Mae Boyer on January 31, 1926, at Abilene. He was a deacon in the Seventh Street Baptist Church and a veteran of World War I.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday at the Seventh Street Baptist Church, Rev. Emmett Brooks, pastor, officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors besides the wife

include his step-mother, Mrs. Maudie Davis, West Columbia; three sons, Wilburn Davis, Corpus Christi; Gene and Jerry Davis, Ballinger; two brothers, D. P. Davis, Abilene; W. M. Davis, Littlefield; a step-brother, J. R. Davis, West Columbia; a sister, Mrs. Naomi Collins, Ballinger.

Boy Scout Week Observed by Lions

The Ballinger Lions Club observed Boy Scout Week at the meeting Friday noon. Jim Williamson, scoutmaster of troop 29, was present with all members of the troop as special guests. This troop is sponsored by the Lions Club and at the present time is making excellent progress.

Mr. Williamson told the members that more help is needed to carry out the troop's program. An assistant scoutmaster is needed to assist in the training and Mr. Williamson pointed out that if the boys attend the summer encampment it would be necessary to have a number of adults who could give a day and a night at the camp to look after the boys.

The scout house which belongs to troop 29 was recently damaged when someone drove a car through a door and a side wall. Plans are being made to have this repaired so that it will serve as the regular meeting place.

George Newby, chairman of the club's scout committee urged more cooperation. Rev. A. O. Rue spoke briefly, declaring that the biggest investment that could be made was the money spent and the time devoted to boys.

Dr. O. H. Chandler spoke on the Heart Association fund campaign and gave all Lions an opportunity to contribute.

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Varied Program For Cub Banquet; About 200 Attend

As a feature of Boy Scout Week, the "blue and gold" Cub banquet was held Friday night at the junior high school cafeteria, about 200 Cubs, parents and guests attending.

Cubbing is sponsored by the Ballinger Jaycees and for a number of years a number of denes have been functioning. Each year at the annual meeting the boys are presented advancement merit badges for work accomplished.

George Newby was master of ceremonies for the program. The entire audience participated in the singing of "Happy Birthday" to the Cubs.

Gene Keel, representing the Jaycees, presented the welcome to the parents and guests and told a little of the chamber's interest in cubbing.

O. K. Reynolds, area Boy Scout executive, was the principal speaker and gave the boys and parents a review of Cub and Scout work. He urged Cubs to continue their work until they are graduated into a Scout troop.

A trio, composed of Lewis Walden, C. L. Walden and Buddy Henniger, entertained with a group of musical selections.

Presentation of awards was made by Mart Gorman, Jack Fry and Clyde Simmons. Cal Adair played a group of piano selections.

Rev. Wayne Reynolds gave the invocation and the program was closed with the singing of "God Bless America."

Banks to Observe Washington's Birthday Monday

Ballinger banks will not be open for business Monday, February 22, observing Washington's Birthday. Customers are informed of this closing so that they will not be inconvenienced.

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MISS WEAR WINS PLAY AWARD AT BAYLOR U.

WACO, Feb. 18.—Miss Beth Wear, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wear, 601 Tenth, Ballinger, has won second place in the general category of Freedom Foundation awards for "Story of Our Times," a play produced at Baylor University.

Miss Wear will receive \$50 and the George Washington honor medal for her prize winning play. Her new play, along with two other one-act plays, was presented by the Baylor Theatre.

A graduate student in drama, Miss Wear is the business manager of the Baylor Theatre. During the past four years she has appeared in numerous Baylor Theatre productions including "Green Grows the Liliac," which was presented in Paris, France, in conjunction with Baylor's arts school in Paris.

Miss Wear is a member of Alpha Psi Omega, national drama honorary, and Sigma Tau Delta, national English honorary.

RUNTELS COUNTY WOMEN TO TEACH METAL TOOLING TO TAYLOR CLUB MEMBERS

Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen and Mrs. Calton Smith, home demonstration club members, and Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, will meet with home demonstration club members of Taylor county Tuesday afternoon for a special training course. The Runtels countians will give instructions in metal tooling to two members of every club in Taylor county. The course will be given at Pleasant Hill.

SHEPPERD BUILDING BEING REPAIRED, REDECORATED

Good progress is being made on the repairing and redecoration of the E. Shepperd building, on Hutchings Avenue, recently damaged by fire.

Workmen are repairing the damaged section of the building formerly occupied by the Williams Studio. This will be completed within a short time.

Painters have completed work in the chamber of commerce office and the L. B. Rudder sections. These sections of the building were damaged by smoke and water.

Mrs. Sim Cottle has received word that Mr. and Mrs. Simon Cottle are at home in Oenard, California, after a visit to Edmonton, Canada. They were accompanied home by Ronald Alan, 16-months-old adopted son. Mr. and Mrs. Cottle have a daughter, Carolyn.

Mrs. Herbert Minzenmayer and Miss Sue Underwood left Tuesday morning for San Diego, California. They will visit Mrs. Minzenmayer's son, Pfc. Herbert Minzenmayer, Jr., and Sgt. Tommy March. Both young men are serving in the marines.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert J. Zappe and daughters, Pat and Elaine, visited relatives at Fort Worth and Dallas the past week-end.

Catholic Mission Is Well Attended

Rev. James Conway, O. M. I., of San Antonio, has been holding a successful and interesting mission at St. Mary's Catholic Church here this week.

All of the services have been well attended. Rev. Conway's discourses have been impressive and well received. In his sermon Wednesday night on "The Christian Home," Rev. Conway dwelt on the difference in a home and a place of abode.

His topic for tonight will be "The Last Supper, Calvary and the Mass." Friday night the topic will be "The Mercy of God," Saturday, "The Queen of Heaven," and the concluding sermon, Sunday, night, will be "Perseverance."

A number of visitors from Robert Lee, Winters, Offen and Rowena have been attending the mission. The public is invited to attend.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wall, of Dallas, are parents of a son, Bruce Carl, born February 14. Mrs. Wall is the former Genevieve King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. King, of Ballinger. Mrs. King left for Dallas yesterday to spend a few days with her grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Coslett, of Denver, are parents of a daughter, born Tuesday, February 16. The young lady has been named Teresa Kay. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bowden and Mrs. Coleman Harwell, all of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLean, of Arlington, spent the past week-end here, visiting the former's mother, Mrs. H. A. McLean.



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Pvt. Lester M. Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Stanley, of Ballinger, will remain in the anti-aircraft replacement training center at Fort Bliss for his second eight weeks of basic training. He recently completed his first course in fundamental infantry subjects and will now take up skills of anti-aircraft artillery.

His topic for tonight will be "The Last Supper, Calvary and the Mass." Friday night the topic will be "The Mercy of God," Saturday, "The Queen of Heaven," and the concluding sermon, Sunday, night, will be "Perseverance."

PRE-LENENT DANCE SET AT OLDFEN FEBRUARY 26

A pre-Lenten dance will be held at the Oldfen community hall on the evening of Friday, February 26. The Lone Star Brewery Band, of San Antonio, will furnish the music and the public is invited.

Admission will be \$1 and a door prize of \$10 has been posted.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chandler, of Portland, Maine; Mrs. Fred Fowler and Mrs. Ira Davis, of Fort Worth, are visiting their mother and brother, Mrs. C. B. Looney and Mickey.

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The city water system is being put in condition before the beginning of the summer peak. Both storage tanks are being repaired and repainted and mains washed out so that ample water can be provided when the hot months arrive. The newer storage tank had never been repainted and both needed repairing and cleaning. Improvements have been made at the plant and more than 2,000,000 gallons a day will be possible this year. In addition the Elm Creek plant will be kept in operating condition for emergencies.

The Ballinger Rotary Club's annual pancake supper is to be held early in March and the proceeds will go for park improvements. The Ballinger park has grown in popularity for a number of years and after the municipal swimming pool was built last year use increased many times. Family groups from other parts of the state go to the park for gatherings, many community and club picnics are held there and it is responsible for many out-of-town visitors. Ballingerites realize the park is a big asset and are willing to help in its improvement. The swimming season will get underway the latter part of May when the park pool is reopened.

Fair success was realized here last week in the 1954 Boy Scout fund drive. Leaders stated the past week-end that about half the quota had been contributed and only about half the prospects had been contacted. Citizens are willing to support scouting with their money but the big problem is securing the leadership. There are only a few adults who will volunteer to give the time and energy necessary to direct the activities.

Continued dry weather has created a problem on the Colorado River below Ballinger. The city sewage disposal plant is blamed for water pollution which is killing fish in holes several miles downstream and some landowners are afraid livestock will die from drinking the water. State health authorities have been asked to send engineers here to study the problem and make recommendations on what can be done. The disposal plant is modern and meets every requirement of the state health department. If the river was running there would be no problem but protracted dry weather has stopped flow in the stream except that created by the disposal plant.



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WEST TEXAS NOTES

Bronte city officials and school trustees have decided to join Coke county officials in the collection of delinquent taxes. A contract has been made with Clyde Boose, Sweetwater attorney, to make the collections for a 15% commission. The collector will start work soon and all owing back taxes will receive notices asking for payment. Supt. J. L. Carroll gave the Bronte trustees a report on the financial condition of the Bronte district. Property owners have until March 1 to pay any unpaid taxes before the delinquent rolls are completed and handed to the special collector.

The state highway department's new building at Comanche has been completed and an open house was held Friday. P. R. Huntington, resident engineer, issued an invitation for all citizens of the area to inspect the \$115,000 modern office building, located on the DeLeon highway near the Comanche city limits.

The Miles Lions Club concluded a very successful March of Dimes campaign last week with the presentation of the Chester Derrick show which netted \$111.00. Following the show it was stated that a total of \$311.15 had been raised for the entire campaign, students in the Miles school contributing \$92.29. Grover Wilson, drive chairman, publicly expressed thanks for the support given by clubs and other organizations.

A Rowena Lions Club committee has visited a number of West Texas towns to inspect fire fighting equipment. The committee was at Eola the first of last week to discuss with firemen there the extra equipment needed on the truck. It is planned to place an order for the equipment in the near future. The club also heard a report on the March of Dimes campaign on which \$115 had been taken in and a dance was yet to be held. The club will have a joint meeting with the Paint Rock and Miles clubs in March.

Sunday, May 16, has been set

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as the date for the annual Lake Brownwood regatta. The date met the approval of the Southwest Boat Racing Association and the National Outboard Association. The 1954 show, sponsored by the Brownwood Sportsman's Club, is expected to attract the largest number of racers in the history of the program. Selection of the regatta queen will be a special feature and model airplane contests will be held. The racing program will include 12 events.

Colorado City officers have launched a drive on stray dogs and March has been set as the month when all strays will be picked up by the police. The dogs will be held for a short time to give owners an opportunity to claim them and secure tags. Those not claimed will be killed. City officials stated they had observed many untagged dogs in the vicinity of the schools. It was pointed out that it was necessary to eliminate the strays to protect against a possible rabies outbreak.

Supt. James B. Nevins has been reelected by the Winters school board and given a two-year contract. At the same time all principals were reelected. It was reported that the scholastic census for the Winters district had been completed with a count of 1,161. The board appealed for any children of school age who had not been enumerated to be reported by their parents. A meeting was held by the board yesterday to open bids on new buildings to be constructed.

Noah Armstrong, oldest living ex-Texas ranger, celebrated his 102nd birthday anniversary on February 8, at his home in Coleman. The celebration was just a dinner with close relatives attending. Mr. Armstrong first came to the Coleman area in 1876 and later returned to make Coleman home. During the day many congratulatory letters and telegrams were received. There is one person in Coleman county older than Mr. Armstrong. Mrs. Frances Ruth Jones, who will celebrate her 105th birthday anniversary in March.

Representatives of West Texas towns that have racing programs met at Fredericksburg last week to perfect an organization to be known as the Texas Racing Circuit. Rules were adopted and a standard rate set for stall and entry fees. Leo Petch, of Fredericksburg, was named president and Jack Locklear, Brady track manager, was elected secretary of the organization. Dates for all towns were set so that there would be no conflicts. The annual Brady July Jubilee, which includes racing, is set for July 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Clinton Cox, general chairman of the 1954 Stephenville centennial and fair committee, appointed committees last week to look after the features to be presented. He has called for a session with chairmen of the finance, publicity, historic publications, concessions, program and pageant committees to make plans. Following the meeting of these chairmen other committees will be named. Dates for the various events of centennial year will be designated in the near future.

An ordinance which would require every dog to have an owner, a license and inoculation for rabies is being studied by the San Saba city council. Should the ordinance be passed, a dog catcher would be hired and a place found to impound the dogs where they would be held for a limited time before they are killed. The ordinance was proposed after a number of ranchmen reported the loss of sheep and asked city officials to help curb stray dogs of the

community. George H. O'Brien, Jr., native of Big Spring, who won the medal of honor while fighting in Korea, has been discharged and has resumed his old position with the Cosden Petroleum Corp. When he returned to the United States in 1953 he was given a big reception at Big Spring, and later went to Washington where President Eisenhower presented him with the medal of honor. Before entering the service he was a geologist

for the Cosden Co. A contract for the construction of 14 office buildings, to be erected in a number of towns, was awarded last week by the Central Texas Telephone Co. The contract went to Yeager Bros. & Audridge, of Goldthwaite, on a bid of \$23,648. Work will start at once on the buildings at Rochelle, Mercury, Voca, Melvin, Doole, Lohn, Mullin, Center City, Star, Locker, Goldthwaite, Bend, Cherokee and Algerita. Clyde Sanders, of

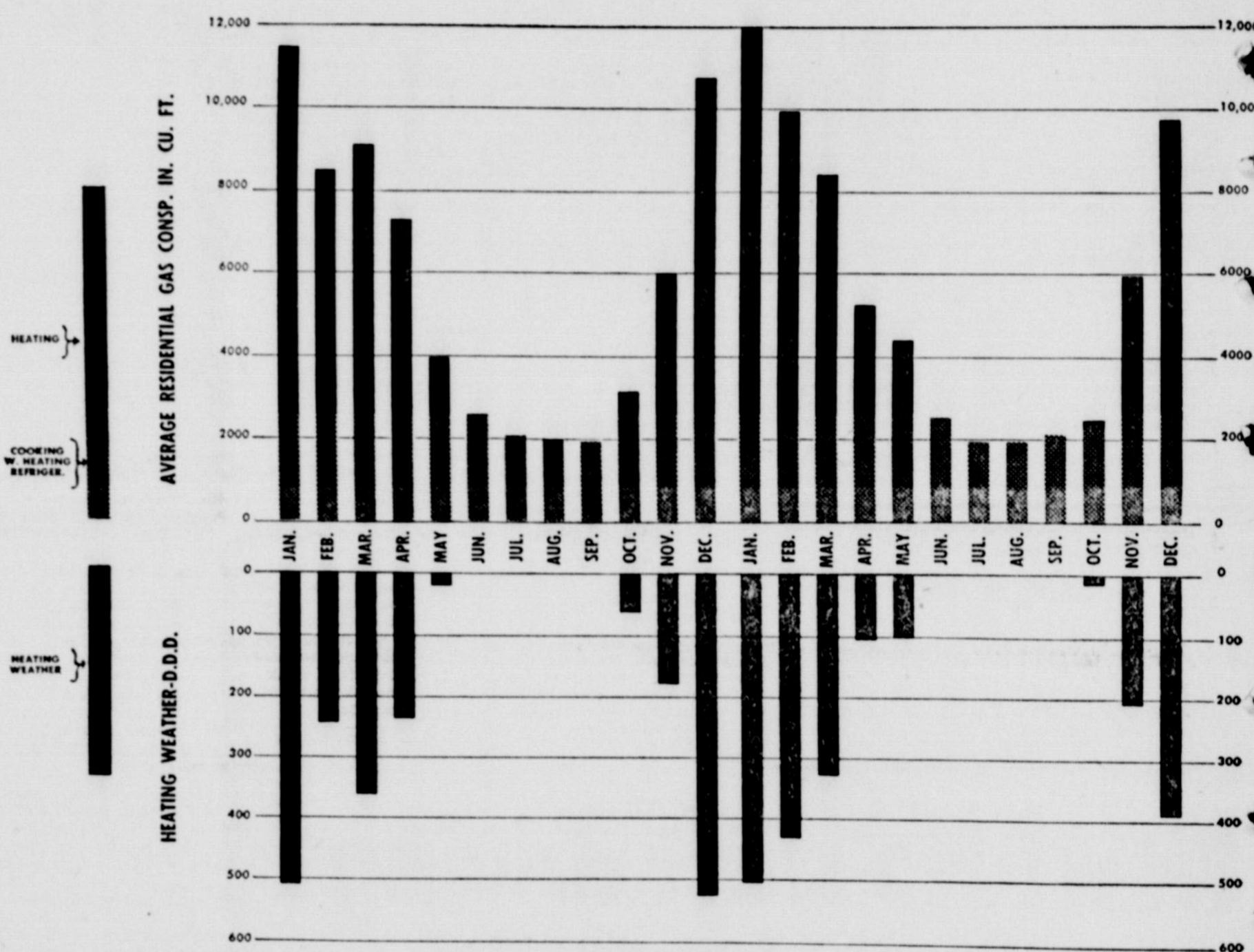
Goldthwaite, announced the letters after the bid was given approval at Washington. The Crane county commissioners' court will open bids on March 8 for seal-coating ten miles and paving two miles of county roads. A contract probably will be let at the same time. The court voted to limit use of the community hall to social or civic affairs, pointing out that some commercial operations have been conducted at the hall during the current school year.

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SOCIETY

Shower for Bride-Elect at Club Meeting
 Fancy Doers Club members complimented Miss Margaret Hampton, bride-elect of Pete Smith, at a kitchen shower in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams on Fifth Street Monday evening.

the dining table. Gifts were found by the honoree at the end of ribbon streamers entwined about rooms.

Miss Klen Williams assisted her mother in serving a sandwich plate with cookies and frosted punch to the honoree, Misses Betty Middleton, Georgia and Joyce Hite, Norma Jackson, Dorothy Thomas, Pat and Della Tisdale, Delphine and Betty Berryhill, Dorothy McShan, Glenda Harris, Helen Kennedy, Patricia Davis, Dian Wilson, Louise Miller, Katherine Richards, Nancy Davis, and the club sponsor, Mrs. O. L. Hart.

Art and Needle Club Meeting in Schott Home

Mrs. Ernest Schott was hostess to the Art and Needle Club Tuesday afternoon, entertaining in her Fifth Street home.

Mrs. E. F. Krc conducted the business after roll was answered

by naming "A Favorite Vacation Spot." It was voted to remember sick members with flowers. Mrs. Louis Loika, birthday celebrant, was remembered with a gift by her secret pal.

The next meeting will be an all-day quilting party in the home of Mrs. R. E. Willingham on March 16.

Claudeen Lange on Honor Roll at San Angelo College

Games of canasta and bingo were played. A sandwich plate was served to members and guests, Mrs. Walton Willingham, of Dallas; Mrs. Rosa Cook and Mrs. E. L. Rappy.

Miss Claudeen Lange, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lange, of Ballinger, was one of the 94 students who have been named to the dean's honor roll at San Angelo College. Miss Lange was honor student in the graduation class of the Ballinger High

School last May.

Students are required to take 14-semester hours or more and have a 2.0 grade average or above to qualify for the honor roll.

Graves-Mayhew Marriage Vows Solemnized

Wedding vows were read for Miss Betty Jo Mayhew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Mayhew, and Elbert Joe Graves, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Roskos, last Saturday evening in the home of the bride. Rev. J. E. Eldridge, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Sonora, read the double ring ceremony.

The bride's dress was of white satin and she wore white satin slippers. She carried a white Bible topped with pink carnations.

Miss Barbara Mayhew, sister dress with a white carnation corsage.

W. C. Graves, brother of the groom, was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held. Miss Jennell Mayhew served the wedding cake and Miss Lennie Mayhew presided at the punch bowl.

After a wedding trip to the Carlsbad Caverns, the couple will be at home in Ballinger, where Mr. Graves is employed.

Mrs. Marsh Hostess to Sewing Club

Members of the Stitch-in-Time Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. T. M. Marsh last Friday for an all-day meeting. Each member brought a covered dish and dinner was served at the noon hour.

Pal gifts were exchanged in the afternoon when all members were present.

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You are hereby notified that I have on the 16th day of February, 1954, filed with the County Clerk of Runnels County, Texas, an application under oath for authority to make an oil, gas and mineral lease on the ward's 1/12th undivided interest in the oil, gas and other minerals in and under the 113 1/2 acre tract out of T. W. Helm Survey No. 334, Abst. No. 797, in Runnels County, Texas, described in a deed from L. W. Campion et al to H. F. Lehman, dated December 15, 1920, recorded in Vol. 113, page 438, deed records of Runnels County, Texas, and reference is here made to said application now on file in the County Clerk's office of Runnels County for further particulars of such application; also that the Judge of the County Court of Runnels County, on the 16th day of February, 1954, duly entered his order designating the 1st day of March, 1954, at 10:00 a. m. (on Monday), in the office of the County Judge at the Court House of Runnels County, as the time and place when and where such application will be heard, and that such application will be heard

at such time and place.

H. F. LEHMAN
 Guardian of the Estate of Douglas V. Lehman, a person of unsound mind.

 FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME
 DEMONSTRATION CLUB


Mrs. C. T. Moonen was hostess to twelve members of the Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club in her rural home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. J. Wessels was in charge of the business after roll was answered by naming "A Meat Stretcher." The club prayer was repeated in union. Mrs. John Duke gave the council report. A demonstration on preparing ready-to-eat meats was given by Mrs. Ralph Russell and Mrs. Andy Riddle.

At the recreation period Mrs. Wessels and Mrs. Riddle presented a pink and blue gift shower to Mrs. Harold Mueller. Mrs. Moonen served a refreshment plate to members.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Harold Mueller on March 2.


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Demonstration Clubs OK Recommendations

The twelve home demonstration clubs of Runnels county have selected recommendations from the Texas Home Demonstration Association list to be practiced during 1954 in club, home and community. Reports were given at the meeting of the county council last Friday held in the office of Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent. Each club will carry out one or more of the recommendations at each program. The complete list is as follows:

4-H Committee

1. Study ways for developing 4-H club boys and girls
 - (a) Sound bodies
 - (b) Healthy personalities
 - (c) Good character
 - (d) Proper citizenship
2. Publicize 4-H activities of interest to stimulate membership
3. Continue to encourage keeping 4-H records
4. Familiarize 4-H members and parents of awards programs

Education Committee

1. Each club member continue to read three books of her own selection annually
2. Clubs continue to contribute desirable new books to their county library
3. Study ways of maintaining good mental health
4. Every county home demonstration council and every home demonstration club appoint a civil defense chairman
5. That handicrafts and public speaking be given to special interest groups
6. Promote safety practices in the home and on the farm.

Marketing Committee

1. Study local marketing conditions
2. Each county have a demonstration on better ways to package
3. The county marketing committee sponsor a producer and consumer educational program, and if possible, relate it to the demonstration being carried in the county
4. Study the cause and effect of inflation.

Recreation Committee

1. A time set aside each day for all members of the family to form a family circle for the purpose of sharing one or all of the following:
 - (a) Bible reading and devotions
 - (b) Skits, plays, stunts and exchange of ideas
 - (c) Active games, singing games, outdoor games
2. Each club participate in singing games, skits and playlets at club meetings
3. Each club sponsor or help sponsor two or more socials in the community each year
4. Each county form a

woman's chorus for group singing.

Citizenship Committee

1. Continue to do all the things you have learned to do:
 - (a) Vote
 - (b) Attend budget hearings
 - (c) Inform officials of work progress and needs
 - (d) Write letters
 - (e) Visit and send packages
2. Study the United States constitution with particular emphasis on the historical background that brought it into being
3. Study the state constitution and the possibilities of it being rewritten
4. Study the naturalization laws and the duties of citizens; know aliens in your citizenship and if possible attend citizenship ceremonies.

Mrs. Chester Busher, chairman of the education committee, reported that 12 new books will be bought for the council library. These books are available to any club member in the county.

The Shamrock 4-H club celebrated its tenth anniversary on February 15.

A report on the planning meeting for the district meeting to be held at San Angelo April 8, was given by Mrs. Neuman Smith, Miss Maurine Hearn, of College Station, will be the guest speaker for this meeting. Miss Hearn spent the past year in Bolivia, helping to organize extension work there.

Runnels county club members will have charge of the educational part of the program at the district meeting.

Further plans were made to send gifts to the Abilene state hospital, South Ballinger and Bethel clubs sent valentine gifts; Often and Rowena clubs will send gifts for Easter; Wilmet and Drasco, Fourth of July; Norton and Friendly Neighbors, Halloween; Crews, East Side and Ballinger, Thanksgiving; all clubs to send for Christmas.

On March 10 council members will come here to attend a special meeting. A College Station specialist will talk on the duties of officers and committee chairmen. The training program on making lamp shades will be held March 19. This meeting, to be held at Winters, is for two members of each club.

Clubs of the county reported \$45 donated to the March of Dimes.

Numerous other club reports were made at the council meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Subject to action of the Democratic Primaries

For District Clerk: WILLIE STEPHENS
For Sheriff: DON ATKINS
For County Judge: W. H. RAMPY
For County Clerk: FRANKIE BERRYMAN
For Tax Assessor-Collector: DALTON E. CROCKETT
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: PAUL GORDON
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: BILL HARMAN
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: CLYDE CHAPMAN
For County Treasurer: PRICE MIDDLETON
For County Attorney: JACK MOORE
For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: B. G. SHARP

NEGRO SINGERS PROVIDE ROTARY CLUB PROGRAM

Pupils of the music department of the George Washington Carver school furnished the entertainment for the program of the Ballinger Rotary Club Tuesday. A group of five girls sang numbers ranging from classical to popular and answered encores with several negro spirituals.

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Bids will be opened at 10:00 a. m. on Tuesday, February 23, 1954.

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Yours truly,
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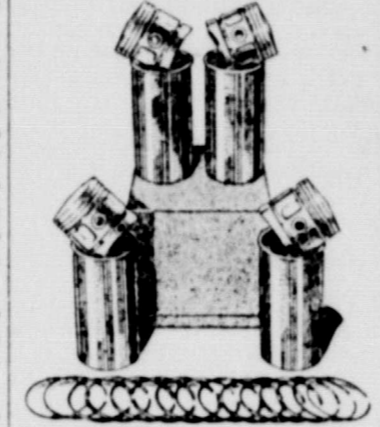
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Stewart, Bogart Action Films and 3-D Thriller Booked at Horseshoe

Universal's "Thunder Bay," to be presented on the double-bill at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre today and tomorrow, is a romantic action story that ruggedly depicts the establishing of one of America's last frontiers—the drilling for offshore oil. Starring James Stewart, Joanne Dru, Gilbert Roland and Dan Duryea, "Thunder Bay" was filmed on location in the Gulf of Mexico off the coast of Morgan City, Louisiana. The strong supporting cast includes Marcia Henderson, Jay C. Flippen, Robert Monet and Antonio Moreno.
The other offering on this program is "Last of the Pony Riders," a Gene Autry western.

"Night Train to Memphis," a hill-billy comedy starring Roy Acuff, and "Battle Circus," new M-G-M drama co-starring June Allyson and Humphrey Bogart, comprise the double-feature bill at the Horseshoe Saturday only, February 20.

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The No. 1 feature of the double-bill at the Horseshoe Sunday and Monday, February 21, 22, is "Inferno," unusual 3-dimension thriller produced by 20th Century-Fox. Photographed largely on location at Lucerne Valley and Red Rock Canyon in the Mojave Desert in color by Technicolor, "Inferno" stars Robert Ryan, Rhonda Fleming and William Lundigan. Other players include Robert Burton, Larry Keating, Henry Hull and Carl Betz.

"Scandal at Scourie" is the other feature on this program. The M-G-M film, co-starring Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon, tells the warm and humorous story of a redheaded Irish beauty, her adoring husband who thought he was head of the household, and a blue-eyed youngster who looked like an angel but proved to be an A-bomb in curls. Donna Corcoran, talented child actress, plays the innocent cause of the community commotion.

The man in hiding in "Man in Hiding," suspense drama to be shown at the Horseshoe next Tuesday and Wednesday, February 23, 24, through United Artists release, is an escaped suspected murderer for whom the entire London police force has been alerted. Also on the search for the convict is private eye Paul Henreid who uses a beautiful woman to lure the criminal from his hiding place. Featured players are Lois Maxwell, Kieron Moore, Hugh Sinclair and Kay Kendall.

Also on this program is "The System," Warner Bros. production starring Frank Lovejoy and Joan Weldon. A story from the headlines that shocked the American public, the melodrama reveals the operations of illegal gambling and its consequences.

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SOCIETY

Methodist Workers Class Meets in Midgley Home
Mrs. Ollie Midgley and Mrs. John Loveless were hostesses to the Workers Class of the First Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon of last week, entertaining in the Midgley home on Eighth Street.

Mrs. Midgley was in charge of the business. Mrs. R. A. Dickinson gave a scripture reading from John, and talked on the subject, "Being a Christian." Miss Sydney Hanson gave a reading, "The Ascension," by Giovanni Papani. At the conclusion the group repeated the Lord's Prayer.

At the social hour the hostesses served cherry pie a la mode with coffee to: Miss Hanson, Mrs. R. A. Dickinson, J. W. Barr, Hatton Laxson, Hamp Byler, Little, Lee Evans, W. W. Chastain, Tom Crockett, J. W. Reese, Oliver Cochran, Lillian Holt, A. O. Strother, C. D. Harris, Arch Brookshier and W. D. Donham.

Presbyterian Departments Have Valentine Party
Mmes. A. O. Rue, C. J. Jennings, Doyle Riley and Mart Gorman, and Marcelle Ashton were hostesses to members of the Primary, Kindergarten and Nursery departments of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., at a Valentine party in the church parlors Friday afternoon.

Games were played, Valentines exchanged and punch and cookies were served to: Rev. A. O. Rue, Mrs. Elwood Brown, Linda, Eddie, Roy and Susan; Mrs. Lloyd and Larry Gene, Mrs. Hovorak, Ronnie, Gale, Jerry and Kirk; Mrs. John Green, Jr., John III, Jan and Peggy Elaine; Mrs. Helen Curry, Phil and Chris; Millie Stultz, Frankie Corder, Thomas and Marie.

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COUNTY'S 4-H, F.F.A. BOYS TO SHOW AT SAN ANGELO
A large number of 4-H club and F. F. A. boys of Runnels county will attend and exhibit in the 1954 San Angelo livestock show. The program will begin February 25 and continue four days. All facilities of the show this year are new. The fair grounds have been completely rebuilt since the tornado at Lake View which practically demolished buildings and the grandstand. A rodeo, midway attractions and a huge parade are some of the special features of the 1954 show.

LOCAL MEN ATTEND LAND BANK MEETING
E. J. Loika and B. M. Batts, of Ballinger, and J. E. Blackwell, of Miles, left Tuesday for Houston to attend a stockholders meeting of the Federal Land Bank. The two-day meeting, in the Rice Hotel, will be concluded today.

Card of Thanks
I want to thank the many friends for their visits, calls, cards and flowers while I was a patient in the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital. Especially do I thank the doctors and nurses for their care and the pastors of Ballinger churches for their interest.

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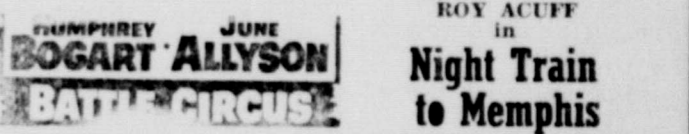
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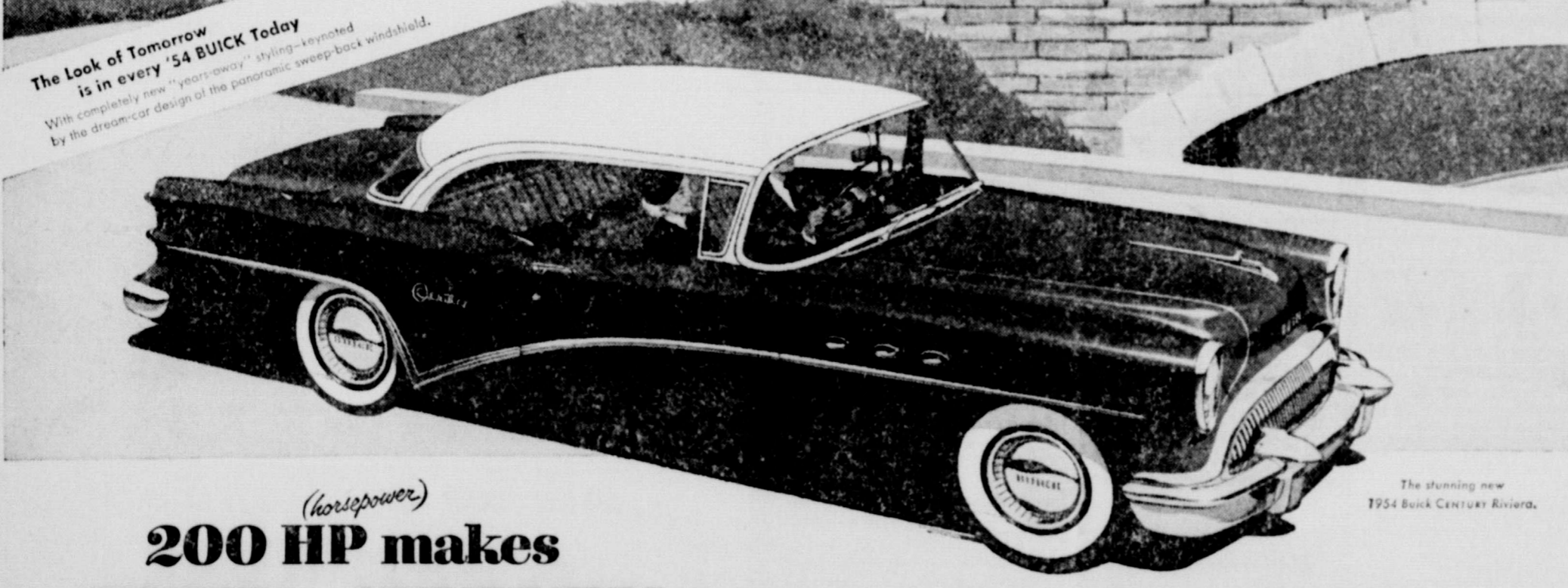
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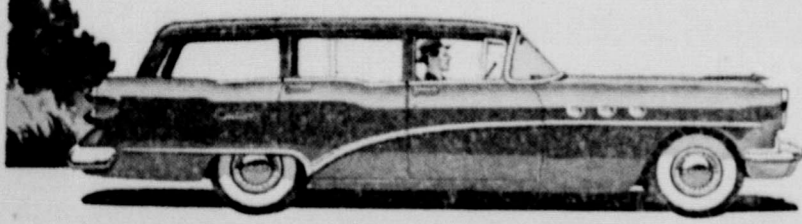
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