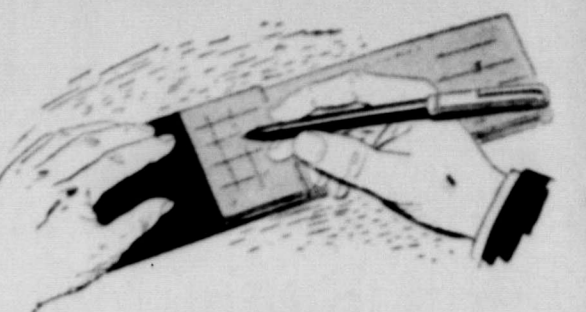




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Arrangements of white Fuji chrysanthemums on tables in the drawing room marked the bridal pathway. The Rev. Felix W. Keys, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S., read the ceremony Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Advertisement for West Texas Utilities Company. Features 'Hoot Mon!' cartoon character and slogan 'I'll take the LOW road...'. Includes text: 'My wages per hour are actually lower than ever! Your Electric Service is the ONLY thing cheaper now than it was ten years ago. It's THE R-RIFT. Be Modern—Live Electrically!'.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS TO BALLINGER GIRLS. Helen Kennedy and Ellen Louise Shelburne, both of Ballinger, received scholarships to San Angelo College when more than 50 awards were made by a special committee last week.

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THEY HOPE YOU'LL "FALL" FOR AUTUMN HATS—Hats this fall will be small, say the nation's fashion designers, but they'll not be the leaf-size creations of a year or so back. At left, Trebor's beret-turban is of sapphire shaggy felt and Kelly Jersey. Pink jeweled jersey anchors a silk-haired beaver-felt roller, by Alice May, center. At right, the cloche silhouette in Indies purple velour, trimmed with feathers in a stained-glass motif, by Walter K. Marks, was his bid for "top" billing in a recent New York City fall fashion show.

**WAYNE IRBY PRESIDENT OF SUB-DISTRICT M.Y.F.**  
Twenty-four young people and adults, representing the First Methodist Church of Ballinger, attended the St. Paul sub-district M.Y.F. meeting at Winters Monday night.  
Officers for the new year were installed in an impressive candlelight service conducted by Rev. Brooks, of Trinity Methodist Church, Coleman; and the outgoing president, Kenneth Mills, of Winters.  
Officers installed were: Wayne Irby, president, Ballinger; Tommie Stewart, vice-president, Coleman; Don Vinson, treasurer, Winters; Patsy Hambricht, secretary, Crews; Patti Boyd, publicity, Coleman; John Duke, Christian faith, Ballinger; Patsy Dietz, Christian citizenship, Crews; Barbara House, Christian witness, Santa Anna; Carolyn Purdie, Christian fellowship, Coleman.  
The next meeting will be held in Ballinger on September 20.

F. M. Pearce and little grandson, J. Y. Pearce, Jr., left this week for Rochester, Minnesota, where they will visit Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Pearce, Jr., and family, and Dr. John Y. Pearce, who is a patient at Mayo Hospital.

An expert is a man who can tell the difference between an evening gown and a bathing suit.

**OLDFEN HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB**  
A meeting of the Oldfen home demonstration club was held on August 12 in the home of Mrs. Edward Hoelscher, Mrs. Ben J. Halfmann, vice-president, presiding.

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END OF THE LINE—Gen. K. S. Thimayya takes a last look at his deserted headquarters in the neutral zone of Korea. The Indian head of the Neutral Nations Repatriation Commission later headed for rest and relaxation in Tokyo.

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the hospital and Methodist church staffs for their patient care and the many comforting deeds and prayers. May God bless you all.

J. T. Brandon  
Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Petrie and Neysa  
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hambright  
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**HIGH HAT**—A new interpretation of the Mexican hat dance is given by Sarah Lee Lynch at Miami Beach, Fla., as she balances on the edge of a large sombrero to make a pretty spicy picture.



**LIGHT-FOOTED BALLET**—Ballerina Alicia Markova weighs in at Royal Albert Hall in London, England, at a "heavy" 104 pounds. The light-footed lightweight was recently refused permission to dance at a Liverpool concert hall, for fear vibration from her dancing would damage delicate stage machinery.

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## SOCIETY

### First Methodist Philathea Class Meets in Its Home

Mrs. Felix Itz, Mrs. R. L. Bell and Mrs. Paul Richardson were hostesses to the Philathea Class of the First Methodist Church Monday evening, entertaining in its home on Eighth Street.

Floral arrangements of pink asters and white mums were used for room decorations where Mrs. T. J. Forgey conducted the business. Mrs. Marion Hays gave a report for the nominating committee, listing

the names of the following new officers, who were duly elected: president, Mrs. Claude Stone; first vice-president, Mrs. A. M. Smith; second vice-president, Mrs. R. D. Midgley; secretary, Mrs. E. L. Williamson; assistant secretary, Mrs. M. B. Webb; treasurer, Mrs. John Barton.

Birthday celebrants were: Mmes. George Beard, Cai Adair, Robert Bruce, Sid Caskey, Troy Simpson and D. L. Vestal.

Mrs. Simpson, program chairman, introduced the lesson, "I Believe in the Kingdom of

God," which was given by Mrs. Sam Behringer.

The hostesses served angel cake and punch. Others present were Mmes. Tom Caudle and O. R. O'Neill, Mrs. Billy O'Neill, of Lubbock, was a visitor.

### Miss Hess, John Dexter Eoff to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hess, of Garland, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Diana, to John Dexter Eoff. The couple will be married on September 7 at the Garland Church of Christ.

The future bridegroom's parents are Dr. and Mrs. James Dexter Eoff, of Ballinger. He is a June graduate of Abilene Christian College.

Miss Hess is a graduate of Garland High School and is attending Abilene Christian College. The couple will make home at Abilene while she continues her work toward a degree. Mr. Eoff is employed by the Columbia General Insurance Co. with headquarters at Houston.

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### SAFETY AWARDS GIVEN TWO BUTANE DRIVERS

Safe driving awards were presented two drivers for the West Texas Butane Co. Wednesday. Weldon Z. Lange and Edwin B. Zly received the awards at a special ceremony.

Each award was a safety driver's pin and certificate showing the driver had operated the vehicle without an accident for a number of years. The certificate states that each driver has been careful, courteous, efficient and cooperative. Later a good record will add service bars to their pins.

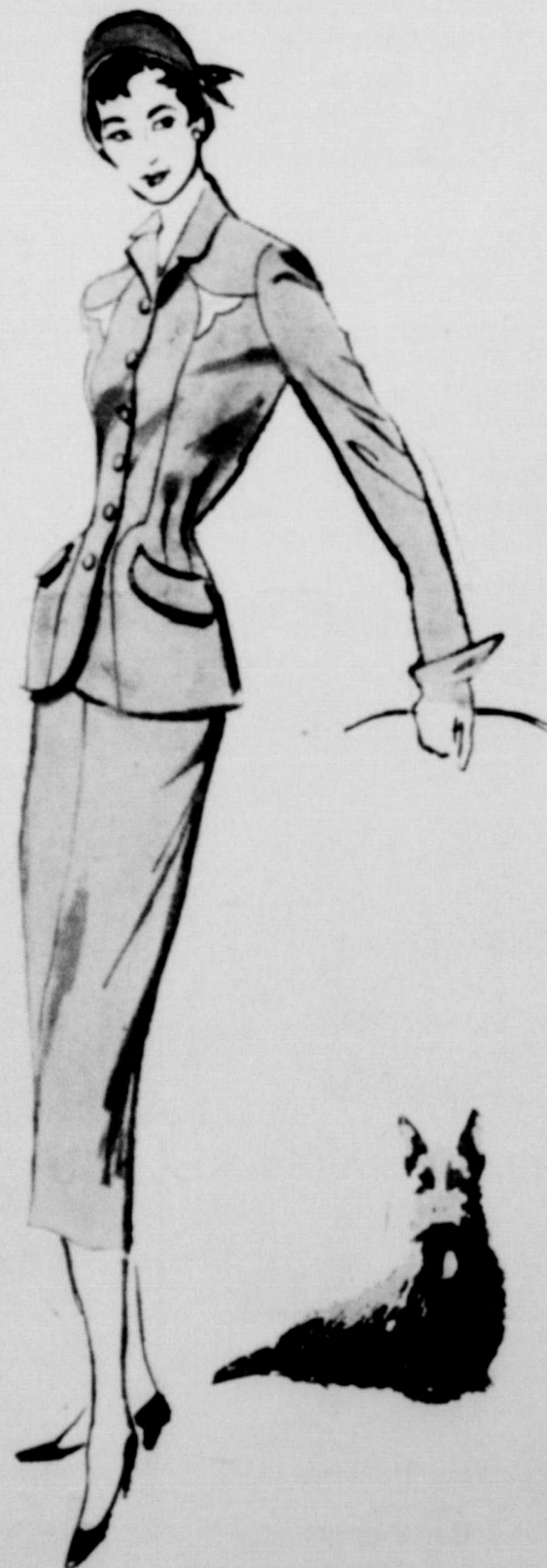
Bob Dickinson, manager of the West Texas Butane Co., states his drivers have never had an accident since their employment.

Mrs. W. F. Robison, of Burkburnett, visited here the first of the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fouts. She will also visit at Winters and Abilene before returning home.



**FISHING FOR HEALTH**—The children are fishing for fish, but they're actually pulling health in on their lines. The little patients, victims of cerebral palsy or other muscle-and-nerve disorders, are strengthened while they play at the United Cerebral Palsy Fund camp near Champaign-Urbana, Ill.

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### CinemaScope 'New Faces' Declared Forerunner of New Screen Pattern

A number of "firsts" are established by the new color musical in CinemaScope, "New Faces," to be presented at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, August 22, 23. Years from now probably will be pointed to as the forerunner of many established screen patterns.

First of all, "New Faces" is the first movie musical in CinemaScope, the new filming and projecting process which has written history in the months since it was pioneered by 20th Century-Fox, which is also releasing "New Faces." Now most of the major producers are using CinemaScope for their biggest pictures, and it is the widely accepted hallmark of quality in movie entertainment. Comprising anamorphic lens and a scientifically engineered new screen, the panoramic medium has never before "New Faces" been utilized for a musical, considered a "natural" for treatment in CinemaScope.

"New Faces" is a "first" because it is the first time a Broadway musical has reached the screen minus changes in format, virtually intact as it was presented on the stage at \$6 a seat, and with the original cast. This is an actual photographic reproduction of the two-year-running hit revue, "New Faces," as Leonard Sillman produced it on Broadway. Presented are a batch of bright

new stars. One, the dusky chanteuse Eartha Kitt, is an international favorite from night club appearances and her records. Others making screen debuts are Ronny Graham, Alice Ghostley and Robert Clary, while June Carroll heads a supporting roster including Paul Lynde, Rosemary O'Reilly and Virginia de Luce.

"Invaders from Mars," 20th Century-Fox color adventure is the offering at the Texas today (Thursday) only. The science-fiction spectacle stars Helena Carter, Arthur Franz and Jimmy Hunt.

"The Bowery Boys Meet the Monsters," latest comedy starring Leo Gorcey and Huntz Hall, is one of the two features on the twin-bill at the Texas Friday and Saturday. Bennie Bartlett, Bernard Gorcey, Richard Condon, Ellen Corby, Lloyd Corrigan, Laura Mason and John Dehner have featured roles.

Action and adventure are the important ingredients in "The Yellow Tomahawk," No. 2 feature at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday. Added is an off-beat story with many twists and no little surprise for an Indian-white man saga. Rory Calhoun and Peggie Castle are starred in the United Artists release.

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### 'The Cowboy,' Beginning at Hillcrest Sunday, Factual Story of Western Life, in Eastman Color

Joan Crawford's career in the films reaches a climax as she dons levis and six-guns for one of her most brilliant performances in Republic's great outdoor drama, "Johnny Guitar," to be shown at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre tomorrow and Saturday. Filmed in Trucolor, in Arizona, the picture's co-stars are rugged Sterling Hayden, Mercedes McCambridge and Scott Brady.

A Bugs Bunny revue is to be presented on the same bill.

"The Cowboy," one of two feature pictures at the Hillcrest Sunday and Monday, August 22, 23, is the story of the cowboy, his beginnings, his work and his philosophy, told here with the familiarity of complete authority and in an unassuming display of superlative craftsmanship by Elmo Williams, who took down an academy award last year for his film-editing of "High Noon" and who created the present extraordinary film almost

A RECENT DEVELOPMENT in medical research is said definitely to cure malaria, long a scourge in certain sections of the country. Three small pills a day for five days and symptoms disappear. It is also claimed that four pills a week during the malarial season will serve to prevent the malady. All of the fruits of medical research are available to you through your family physician. He should be your sanctuary in case of illness, your protection against the wiles and artifices of the unprincipled peddler of nostrums.

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single handed. Employed for the cast were genuine cowboys, ranging in age from teens to 80s, instead of actors. Williams' picture tells in Eastman color that in some scenes seems to improve on even the incomparable color schemes of western skies, of the untamed West that was, of the men who broke the wild horses and rode them to round up the roving herds of range cattle, and lived the full life that made the swift 70 years of their empire-building the favorite topic of American fiction writers and film makers. It is a rewarding 70 minutes.

A special Walt Disney featurette, "Stormy the Thoroughbred," is the added attraction for this program. Color is by Technicolor and the photography is up to the superb Disney standard. The reviewer's rating on this picture was "very good."

If you want to keep a lemon indefinitely, marry him.

**BOOK REVIEW HEARD BY LOCAL LIONS CLUB**  
The Ballinger Lions Club heard Mrs. Troy Simpson in a review of the book, "Mr. Hobbs Takes a Vacation." This program, timed for the end of the vacation period, was a humorous description of a man's vacation, misspent.

The club made arrangements for going to Kerrville on Sunday, August 22, for a visit at the crippled children's camp. No meeting will be held next Friday and attendance will be determined on the number making the Kerrville trip. The local group will leave early Sunday morning by car and plan to arrive at Kerrville at 11:00 a. m.

Ballinger Lions began distribution this week of free swim tickets, good at the local pool on specified dates. Some members of the club will visit each community of the county and leave the tickets, to be issued to all who want to attend on dates designated.

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In Gov. Shivers, his campaign organization has something constructive to sell the voters of Texas. So, the selling should be devoted to that, not to answering the picaresque charges that Yarborough keeps pulling out of his hat.

The present governor of Texas is a big man, a man with a stature of statesmanship, a man with courage enough to take a lead in the vital issues of national affairs. He's got courage enough to talk back to the leaders of both political parties when they threaten the rights of the people of this state.

It's been a long time since we've had this kind of fearless, competent leadership . . . a man whom the nation respects. We've had our political clowns in the past; we don't have one now and we've grown in political strength and esteem.

Texas is out ahead of the procession in its state government leadership. Let's keep it there. Trading off a winner, an independent thinker, a governor whose performance has dignified the governor's chair, for anything less, is poor politics and doubtful citizenship.

We need Governor Shivers. That's the story his campaign staff must hammer on, that's the story the people of Texas must realize.

It's for the state's best interests that it needs him, to keep the state in a place of strong influence, in a position not to be pushed around by any party or combination of political forces.

Not only is Governor Shivers the most able man in the race for this job, but he unquestionably is the most able of all Texans to serve them as their governor.

Those who want the best possible government for Texas have one urgent course to follow: get out and work to assure that the man who has proved his capacity to give them just that, be kept at his post. They can't guarantee it by default of citizenship interest just because this is August.

Maybe your local paper would run an editorial along these lines. If your paper is helping, let them know you appreciate it.

—Editorial from San Angelo, Texas, Standard-Times

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**BALLINGERITES' RELATIVE EXPIRES AT FORT WORTH**  
Mrs. J. W. Sherrard, of Fort Worth, died in a Fort Worth hospital Wednesday of last week and was buried in Belmont Cemetery there.  
She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Joe Benferwith, with whom she lived; and Mrs. Fred Cupp, of Brownwood; and a son, L. M. Causey, of San Antonio.

Decedent had relatives and friends in Ballinger and was well known here.

Miss Clara McKissack, of Talpa, will receive her B. S. degree at Sul Ross State College, Alpine, today. A graduate of the Ballinger high school, she formerly attended Southwest Texas Teachers' College, San Marcos.

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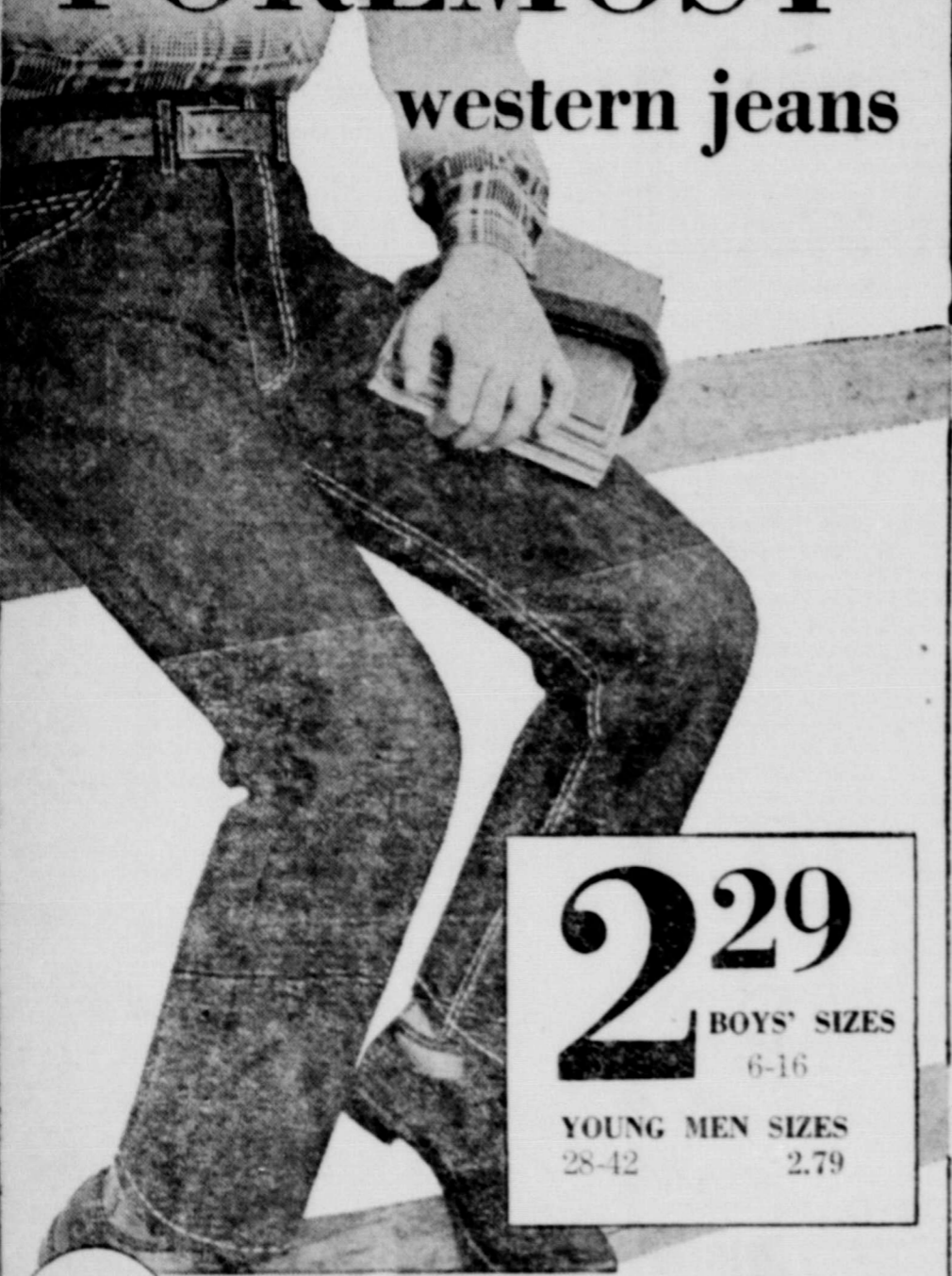
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SOCIETY

Mrs. Epting Elected President of Jaycee-Ettes

At a meeting in the home of Mrs. Gene Keel on Sargent Avenue Friday afternoon, a group of wives of members of the Ballinger Jaycees met to elect officers for a Jaycee-Ette organization, and to formulate plans for projects.

Mrs. Buddy Gray, chairman of the nominating committee, announced the following officers recommended by the committee: president, Mrs. T. L. Epting; vice-president, Mrs. Bob McGarvey; secretary, Mrs. Frank Grevelle; treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Dennis; historian and reporter, Mrs. J. W. Longnette; parliamentarian, Mrs. Chid Stone; state director, Mrs. Gene Keel; local directors, Mmes. Loyd Downing, Buddy Gray, Eugene Loika and Charles Walker.

Meetings will be held twice a month, the dates to be set later. It was voted to sell cold drinks at baseball games played by the youths of the city.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Keel served refreshments.

Charter members are: Mmes. T. L. Epting, Gene Keel, Bob McGarvey, Chid Stone, Charles Walker, J. W. Longnette, W. H. Dennis, Frank C. Grevelle, L. L. Downing, Eugene Loika and Buddy Gray.

Christian Women's Fellowship Honors Mrs. Walker

Members of the Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church and a few added friends met in the home of the president, Mrs. Herman Price, Monday afternoon for a special program.

Arrangements of pink zinnias, pink asters combined with fern, and other late summer blossoms gave added beauty to

rooms in the Fifth Street home where Mrs. Price presided. Mrs. C. F. Bailey gave the opening prayer and presented the guest speaker, Mrs. Mary Webster, of Peoria, Illinois, who is a guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Bailey, after attending the Ashram at Kerrville last week. The subject of her talk was the text, "Do These Things in Remembrance of Christ." The missionary benediction was spoken in unison.

Following the program, Mrs. Price presented individual gifts from members of the C. W. F. to Mrs. E. D. Walker, who was celebrating her 83rd birthday anniversary. Mrs. Walker is the oldest living member of the C. W. F. At the surprise affair, a gardenia corsage from Mrs. H. B. Edmondson was pinned on the honoree and the "Happy Birthday" song was sung.

Ice cream and cake was served. Others present were: Mmes. Joe Forman, Troy Simpson, Sam Behringer, H. B. Edmondson, H. P. Jenkins, J. R. Lusk, O. P. Dersy, Horace Murphy, A. B. Stobaugh, R. W. Ueckert, J. W. Clayton, E. H. Crawford, Misses Ann Midgley, Bonnie Clark, Lillie Clayton, Lula McElroy and Sally Bailey.

Mrs. Spreen Honoree at Gift Shower

Mrs. Alvin Spreen was complimented at a gift shower Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Eskell Powell, Mrs. Bob Bartlett, Mrs. Charles Mapes and Miss Margaret Moonen were hostesses at a party in the Powell home on Tenth Street.

The centerpiece for the dining table was a pink and blue stock encircled with pink and blue daisies. Cake squares decorated with pink and blue

florals were served with fruit punch.

Gifts were presented in a baby bed.

Those present were: Mmes. J. B. Dankworth, Billy Poe, Otto Spreen, George Lange, Herman Stokes, Charles Dankworth, D. J. Goetz, Jr., Herman Lange, Albert Spreen, A. G. Buchanan, Sherman Hendricks, Ida E. Coffey, Fred Spreen, Charles Webb; John Jones, of El Paso; Robert Conner and Alvin Pope, of Menard; Misses Joyce Spreen, Clara Hill, Doris Stokes, Betty Bishop, Nita Sikes, Julia Lee Spreen, Virginia Thomas and Ruby Mueller.

Omicron Psi Chapter Meets in Bailey Home

Omicron Psi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. E. Y. Bailey Monday evening.

Mrs. W. E. Elkins conducted the business. The approaching pledge service was discussed, and the chapter decided on September 7 for the meeting night which will be held in the home of Mrs. Jim Williams.

Mrs. Bailey served refreshments to: Mmes. Elkins, W. H. Dennis, L. L. Downing, T. L. Epting, Doris Green, J. D. Reneau, W. D. Sutes, J. S. Wester, Bill Williams, Jim Williams, and Mary Louise Williams.

Mrs. Lilius to Direct Meeting of Duplicate Bridge Club

Mrs. Mabel D. Lilius, of Abilene, a master bridge teacher, will be here for the regular meeting of the Ballinger Duplicate Bridge Club next Tuesday, August 23. Mrs. Lilius will direct players at the master point night.

At the meeting last Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. Gene Probst, of Winters, won high score, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stasley second high, Mrs. E. W. Stasley and W. N. Selby third high, and Mrs. R. R. Mizell and Sam

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HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. Victor Martinec, Rowena, medical, Saturday  
Mrs. R. L. Boothe, surgical, Friday  
Mrs. Nellie Shelton, Talpa, medical, last Thursday  
Gene Scoggins, surgical, Friday  
Mrs. Daniel Fischer, Jr., and son, Friday  
Jack Hamilton, medical, Saturday

Mrs. R. D. Travis and daughter, Friday  
James C. Parrish, medical, last Thursday  
Miss Alma Lou Kirk, medical, Saturday  
Mrs. H. J. Belmer, medical, Wednesday  
Mrs. R. T. Gibson, medical, Sunday

Alfred H. Herring, Talpa, medical, Monday  
Mrs. James A. Davis, medical, Wednesday  
Carl McAden, medical, Tuesday  
Mrs. J. G. Phipps, Winters, medical, Tuesday  
Ethel J. Hoelscher, Norton, surgical, Wednesday  
Mrs. George McCulley, Kingsville, medical, Wednesday.

Births recorded at the clinic the past week were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reyes, Fort Worth, a son, August 13  
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. James, a son, August 13

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Suddeth, Winters, a son, August 15  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kohutek, a daughter, August 18  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin, a daughter, August 18.

Patients hospitalized at this time include:

Mrs. A. C. Herring, Talpa, medical  
H. B. Robbins, Paint Rock, medical  
E. Shepperd, medical  
Frank Haverland, Miles, medical  
Mrs. David Caudle, Jr., Lovington, New Mexico, surgical  
Bobby Smith, surgical  
Mrs. M. M. Cope, Norton, surgical  
Mrs. Arthur Crockett, surgical.

PEARSE HOME IS SCENE OF FAMILY GATHERING

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pearse, Zane and Dickie, entertained family members in their Thirtieth Street home Sunday. Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pearse, Earlene, Jeraldine and Glenda; Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dunn, Sonny, Charles, Patsy and Robert, all of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tounget, Carda and Howard, Norton; David Pearse, who is at home for a few weeks from San Francisco; Joyce Gate-Paint Rock; and Dennis Pearse, who came in Sunday morning after receiving his discharge following three years in the navy.

Paper clips at Ledger office

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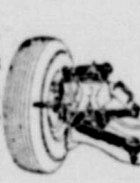
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**WEST TEXAS  
NOTES**

The Brownwood school board last week purchased a 23-acre tract which will be used for expansion in the fast growing southern part of the city. The

purchase price was \$23,900 for the land which adjoins the south elementary school. Other school sites in the city have about been occupied and an expansion will require additional land. Spokesmen for the board stated they could not name what facilities would be put on the latest purchase but the trustees were looking to the future.

Notices of valuation changes on property in the city of Hamlin will go into the mails next week. The city secretary stated that the board of equalization has made a straight 10 per cent across the board and this will be followed in the collection of taxes for the ensuing year. A 25 per cent boost had been requested by the city council but board members believed it was the wrong time for such a great increase.

Plans are complete for the second annual barbecue and bathing revue sponsored by the Taipa Lions Club. The affair will be held tonight at 8:00 p. m. on the Arnold ranch, five miles west of town. The 1953 affair drew a crowd of about 500 people and much larger attendance is expected this year. Two divisions have been announced for the bathing revue, junior school girls in one group and high school age girls in another. In addition a team of acrobatic divers will assist with the entertainment.

Raymond Rike has been named the new band director of the Coleman high school and has already started twice-a-week rehearsals with a group of 35. He brings a rich background of music to the Coleman position ranging from parades during his army days and musical duty in the South Pacific to the Juilliard School of Music in New York. The Coleman band will spend four days, August 23 through 27, in a camp at Lake Brownwood.

The Bronte school board has purchased the land immediately north of the present campus

and is preparing to have sufficient area when a contract is let for the new school. Supt. O. K. Wolfenbarger stated that architects were in Bronte last week getting final information and that plans and blueprints would be finished soon. Voters of the Bronte district authorized \$250,000 in bonds recently for school expansion and improvements. Present buildings have been made ready for the beginning of the term in September.

Miles students, coaches and members of the Lions Club are trying to sell 470 reserved seats at the football field. The purpose is to raise money for building seats on both sides of the field. A total of 210 tickets had been sold the past week-end, leaving 260 more to sell. The price of each ticket is \$3.00 and the construction depends on the sale of all the seats. The sponsors hope to close the sale and have the bleacher type seats in position for use at the first game in September.

Supt. Jim Nevins, of the Winters schools, has announced the opening of the 1954-55 term on September 2. Registration cards are being mailed to all high school students and are to be returned on special dates if there are changes to be made. Faculty members will meet on September 1 and full classes will assemble on September 2. The band started work Monday of this week, getting ready for early activities which will demand its participation. J. F. Verner, band director, stated that night sessions would be held until the opening of the term.

A new filtration plant has been installed at the Comanche municipal swimming pool. The improvement cost \$4,065 and makes the pool modern in every respect. The water in the pool will be completely changed every six hours. The pool, located at Lake Eanes was built by public subscription last year at a cost of \$16,000. It was turned over to the city for operation and receipts through July amounted to more than \$2,000.

A neighborhood controversy at Colorado City has resulted

in the study of an anti-loud-speaker ordinance. The city council last week heard both sides of a controversy involving juke box music at sales places in residential sections and where loud music was said to be played until a late hour. The city attorney was instructed to investigate such ordinances and report at the next meeting of the council. Councilmen pointed out that other sections of the city were concerned where loud music prevented sleep of neighbors.

The Junction city council has called an election for September 4 which will present two issues and ask for suggestions on others. Property owners will ballot on the issuing of \$25,000 in tax bonds for the construction of a municipal swimming pool. The second issue will be on a natural gas distribution franchise. Along with these two issues, the ballot will seek opinions on the present dog vaccination law and the policies of fogging and spraying.

The Stephenville Veterans of Foreign Wars last week named a committee to meet with business men of the city and ask for restriction of sales of lewd literature and horror comic books. The post passed a motion which asks that magazines and other literature bearing covers that suggest lewd stories and pictures be removed from stands and that they not be accepted for sale in the future. The V.F.W. also voted to provide a trophy to be given to the 4-H club member in Erath county having the best record for the year.

The Brady police department and city officials have arranged a bicycle derby to be held on August 26. The purpose of the derby is to get all students to put their bicycles in good condition before the opening of school. Streets will be roped off and lighted for the events, which will be held at night. Both boys and girls will compete in age groups and 53 prizes and medals will be presented. The grand prize will be a bicycle.

Menard county citizens attended a mass meeting Friday to hear plans for ending

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the county's water problems. Carl Runge, San Angelo attorney and who has assisted in the organization of many water districts, addressed the meeting. A special invitation was mailed to every citizen of the county urging him to be present and hear the discussions. The meeting was sponsored by the Menard Chamber of Commerce and refreshments were served at the conclusion.

A Central Texas Telephone Co. crew has been in Melvin several weeks installing dial system sets in business houses and homes. It was stated last week that the new system would be in service by the end of this week. Dial sets also have been installed at Doole, Salt Gap and other nearby communities.

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"Slow Down and Live" is a warning that will be seen many times during the next few weeks. Twenty-four states are cooperating in a campaign to reduce traffic fatalities and this will be the official motto for this phase of the campaign which ends on September 6. Other projects will follow in which law enforcement officers, highway patrolmen and civic clubs will participate. Parades will be staged in the interests of safety and large signs will show highways of areas where wrecks have occurred during the year. A push will be made in the fall to encourage every driver to observe highway signs, regardless of how familiar he is with the road. These are called "signs of life" and if motorists will obey them many crashes will be avoided. "Signs of life" regulate speed, warn of curves, road improvement, passing zones and other hazards which cause a heavy toll. The effort during the Labor Day holidays will be directed at speed, and all the remainder of the year the reading of highway signs will be encouraged. National sponsors point out that the opening of the football season in a few weeks will greatly increase highway traffic and bring many wrecks unless drivers are more careful. Every driver will be personally asked to cooperate.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will be without the services of a manager for a time and a big portion of the work will fall on various committees. At this time the chamber has numerous projects underway which have not been completed and several coming up for the remainder of the year, including the big Christmas program. These committee members are all busy men and when they leave their personal work to push for civic welfare of the city they should receive

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the full cooperation of all the citizens. The office secretary will be on full time but she cannot look after outside projects. Until a new manager is employed it is up to all Ballingerites to work when called on.

City officials are showing their appreciation to the many out-of-town people who have patronized the municipal swimming pool. During the next few weeks communities will have special days and tickets for free swims will be distributed. The tickets will be good only on the dates specified but everybody in the community is invited to be a guest of the pool management. The pool has enjoyed good business all summer and many citizens of this and adjoining counties boosted the patronage. Lions clubs of the county are helping in the distribution of tickets. Any person not receiving a ticket and who would like to join his neighbors for the free swimming may register at the pool on the date his community is invited.

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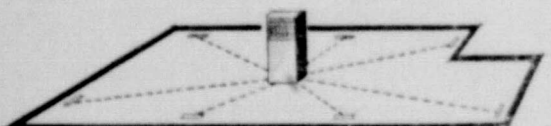
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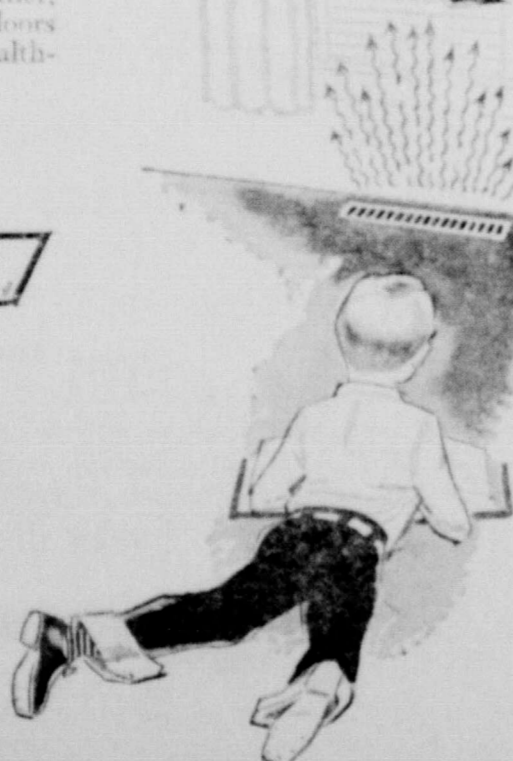
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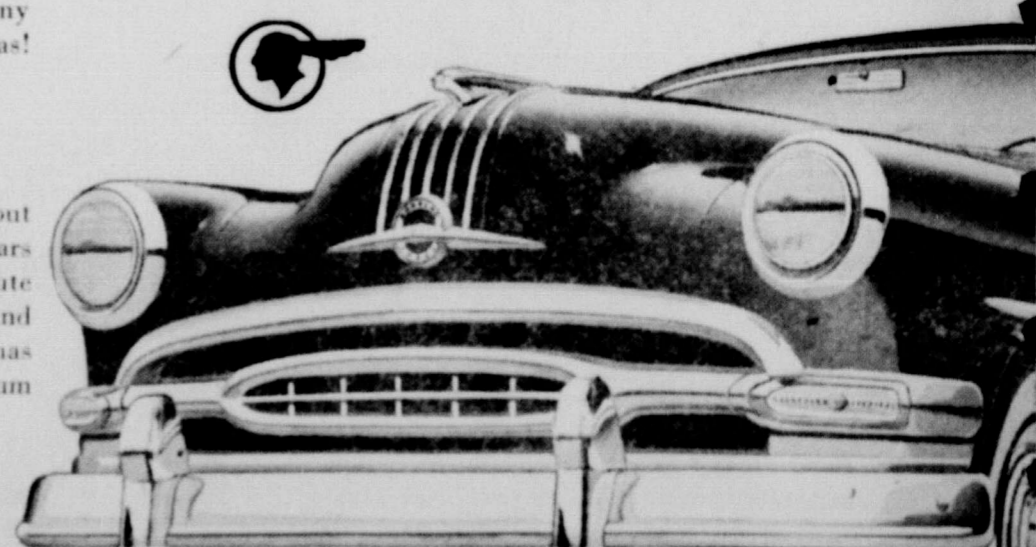
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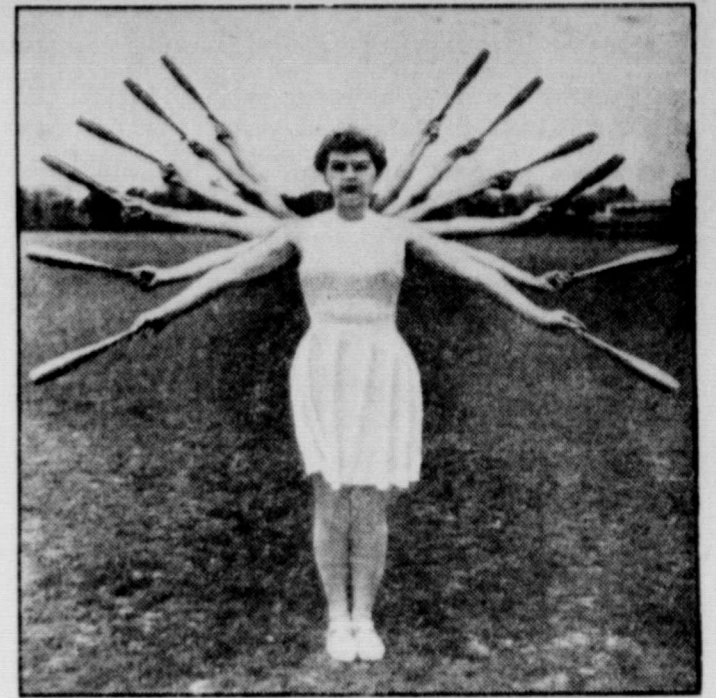
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HANDY—Margaret Thring, of the Women's Royal Naval Service, stationed at Portsmouth, England, is not a land-going octopus. The pretty petty officer is the leader of a precision-drill team and she and her "arms" of the service will appear at a royal tournament during June.

all the way down. He was there last year during motor car races up the peak.

AN ORDINANCE amending subsection (b) of Section 5, Article 143, Ordinances of the City of Ballinger, Texas, prescribing the Duties of Officers; Hours of Parking at Meters; providing for Notice to Operators; Return of Coins; Return of Notices; and the Type and Amount of Coins.

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

That subsection (b) of Section 5, Article 143, Ordinances of the City of Ballinger, Texas, pertaining to Parking Meters, be amended to read as follows:

It shall be the duty of all Police Officers of the City of Ballinger, Texas, when they observe a motor vehicle, motor-scooter, motorcycle, or bicycle parked at a meter which meter includes a red signal between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. Sundays and Holidays excepted, to forthwith deposit in said meter a five-cent coin and immediately prepare in duplicate a written notice, which shall identify said motor vehicle or other vehicle heretofore defined and described by name and license number the time of day said notice is issued, in the envelope furnished such owner or operator aforesaid, and after placing on such envelope the correct amount of postage deposit same in the United States Mail, or deliver such envelope without such postage, to the City Hall of Ballinger, Texas, within forty-eight

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Texas by adding to Article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 63 providing for crediting to members of either the Teacher Retirement System or the Employees Retirement System of Texas all services rendered, as either a teacher, or person employed in the public schools, colleges, and universities of the State, or as an appointive officer or employee of the State, for retirement benefits under either of said Systems.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 63, which shall read as follows:

Section 63. Qualified members of the Teacher Retirement System shall be entitled to the benefits allowed thereunder the Teacher Retirement System shall be entitled to credit in the Teacher Retirement System for all services, including prior service and membership services, earned or rendered by them as a teacher, or person employed in the public schools, colleges, and universities of the State, or as an appointive officer or employee of the State, for retirement benefits under either of said Systems.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon.

Section 3. The Constitutional Amendment proposed in this resolution, as amended, shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon.

Section 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary orders and proclamations and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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## Crawford's 'Johnny Guitar,' Ist-Run 'Saint's Girl Friday' Horseshoe Tonight



PLEASANT "POINT OF PRIVILEGE"—Ray Jenkins, who acted as special counsel to the Senate Investigating Subcommittee during the Army-McCarthy hearings, really enjoys a "point of privilege" in his Knoxville, Tenn., home as he feeds his 20-month-old granddaughter, Evelyn, some candy. Before returning to Washington to correlate findings of the committee, Jenkins resumed comment as to whether or not he'd become a candidate for the Senate — now held by Democrat Sen. Estes Kefauver.

A variety of types are brought together in Republic's highly dramatic "Johnny Guitar," to be presented on the double-bill at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday. Stars are Joan Crawford, Sterling Hayden, Mercedes McCambridge and Scott Brady. Characters include a beautiful, ambitious woman willing to pay any price to obtain wealth; a notorious gunman trying to cure himself of the urge to kill; a debonair outlaw wanted for a murder he did not commit, and a repressed, neurotic woman torn by a jealous hatred of another woman. The filming location was in Arizona and color is by Trucolor.

On the same program is the first-run picture, "The Saint's Girl Friday," starring Naomi Chaney, Sidney Tafler and Charles Victor.

been compared with the development of sound by Warners some 27 years ago.

"The Command" was filmed in the rugged mountains of California. The story concerns the plight of a troop of cavalry when the ranking field officer is killed and the command falls to an able though inexperienced medical officer played by Madison. His task of protecting the settlers from a savage onslaught is made complex by the necessity of proving himself worthy to his men and second to Joan Weldon, the woman he loves.

"Six-Gun Gold," a western, and "The Saracen Blade" compose the two-feature program at the Horseshoe Tuesday and Wednesday, August 24, 25.

The spectacle and excitement of the Crusades, that magnificent series of wars undertaken by Europe between the 11th and 14th centuries to wrest the Holy Land from Islam, provides a major portion of the drama of

Columbia's "The Saracen Blade" Ricardo Montalban, as one of the crusaders, and Betta St. John, as the princess for whom he fights, top the cast.

"The Saracen Blade" is based on the best-selling novel by Frank Yerby. Action of the film includes not only the storming of a Saracen citadel and numerous hand-to-hand encounters with the weapons of the 13th century, but also a revolt of serfs, exotic secrets of the Oriental slave markets and similar spectacles.

PARR TO RIDE CYCLE DOWN PIKE'S PEAK

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Parr left Tuesday for Colorado Springs, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Willie Courvisier. Mr. Parr plans to ride his tail bicycle down Pike's Peak while he is there. Tires for the ride were supplied by Bradley's Tire Co. here. Mr. Parr stated that the first stop on the way down was 19 miles from the summit and said that he intended to ride

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City of Ballinger, Texas.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2 Proposing an amendment to Article 18 of the Constitution of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 4, which shall read as follows:

Section 4. The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of county-wide Hospital Districts in any county having a population in excess of 100,000 and in Galveston County, with power to issue bonds for the purchase, acquisition, maintenance, operation and operation of any county-owned hospital, or to contract with any person or persons for the operation of such hospital, and to levy any other tax for hospital purposes, and provided further, that should such Hospital District contract, maintain and support a hospital or hospital system, that the same shall never become a charge against the State of Texas, nor shall any direct appropriation ever be made by the Legislature for the construction, maintenance or improvement of the said hospital or hospitals. Should the Legislature enact laws in authorization of the adoption of this amendment, such laws shall not be invalid because of their anticipatory character.

Section 5. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at the first Monday in November next, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon.

Section 6. The Constitutional Amendment granting power to the Legislature to pass laws authorizing the creation of county-wide Hospital Districts in any county having a population in excess of 100,000 and in Galveston County, and to levy a hospital tax, and the Constitutional Amendment granting power to the Legislature to authorize the creation of county-wide Hospital Districts in any county having a population in excess of 100,000 and in Galveston County, shall not be required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 7. The Governor shall issue the necessary orders and proclamations and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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**Couple, Birthday Celebrants Honored by Club**

At the annual no-host supper party of the Know Your Neighbors Club, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clark, who were celebrating their wedding anniversary; and Mrs. Cal Adair and Joe Flynt, who were celebrating their birthday anniversaries, were named honor guests. The affair was held in the backyard garden at the Adair home on Tenth Street last Thursday night.

Flynt and Mr. Adair sat at the large table centered with a gift bouquet of white and pink mums. Foursome tables were centered with rosebuds, Barbecued steaks and salads, homemade ice cream and cake made up the supper menu. Following the supper the group enjoyed a visit in the yard.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Cal Adair, Herman Rountree, Bill Clark, A. H. Dallingler, LeRoy McAulay, Malcolm Morgan, Flay Brevard, Joe Flynt, Jack Nixon, Fred Har-

well and John Barton.

**Golden Wedding Anniversary Celebrated by Dotys**

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Doty celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last Saturday, August 14, with a dinner in City Park followed by an open house in their family home, 1409 Winters Highway.

Mr. Doty was born in Bosque county December 21, 1883. Mrs. Doty was born in Hamilton county on December 29, 1889. They were married at Fairy, Hamilton county, on August 14, 1904. They are the parents of 16 children, fourteen boys and two girls. All children are living except the tenth child, who

was killed while in service during World War II, in December, 1944. They have 36 grandchildren, and 13 great grandchildren.

Mr. Doty was engaged in farming until 1942. Since then he has followed other trades. Mr. and Mrs. Doty are both active and enjoy life, especially when they are with their children. They have never been seriously ill, and all their children are well and happy. They are members of the Church of Christ.

Among the 64 present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Doty, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams and children, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Doty and Amy Pearl, all of



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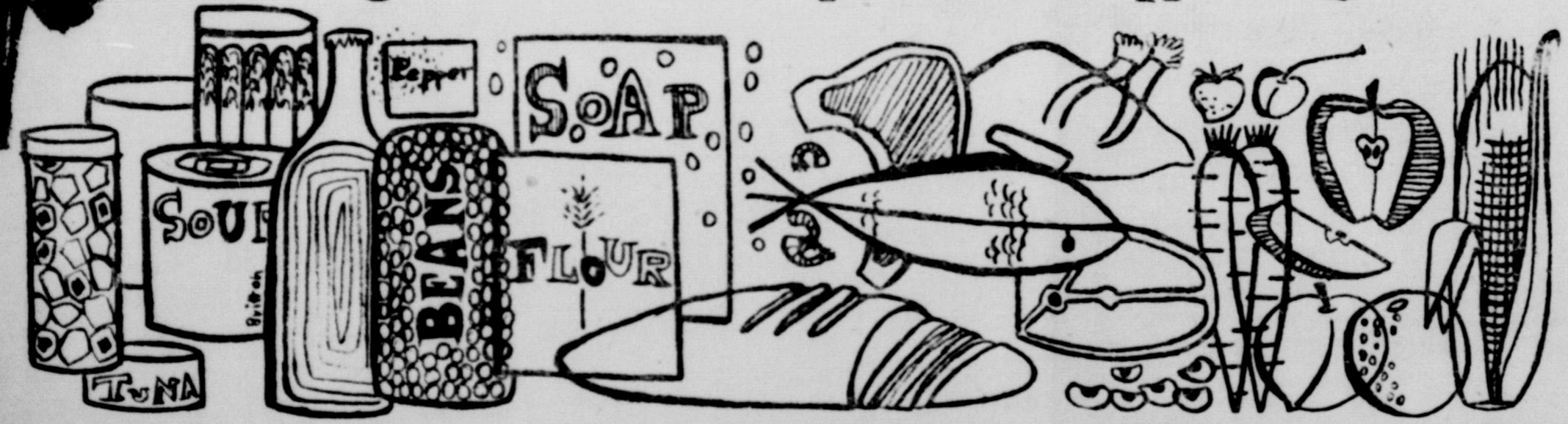
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**Tender Okra** Garden Fresh Lb. 12c  
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**Crisp Lettuce** Firm Heads Lb. 12c  
**Pascal Celery** Firm Stalks Lb. 12c  
**Green Beans** California Kentucky Wonders Lb. 19c  
**Crunchy Carrots** Snap-Top 1-Lb. Cello 12c

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**Calf Sirloin Steak** U. S. Government-Graded Calf Lb. 59c  
**Calf Chuck Roast** U. S. Government-Graded Calf Lb. 31c

**Sliced Bacon** Plain Cello 1-Lb. Pkg. 49c  
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**Canned Picnics** 4 1/2-Lb. Avg. Ea. \$3.69  
**Frankfurters** Somerset 1-Lb. Cello 39c  
**Cooked Salami** Large 8-Oz. Pkg. 29c  
**Luncheon Meat** Pickle-Fillimento or Olive Leaf 8-Oz. Pkg. 25c  
**Smoked Hams** Butt-End Cuts Lb. 57c  
**Swiss Steak** or Round, U. S. Govt.-Graded Calf Lb. 65c  
**Pork Chops** Choice Center Cuts 8- to 10-Lb. Average Whole Only Lb. 73c  
**Smoked Picnics** Wingate 1-Lb. Pkg. 45c  
**Pork Sausage** Neuhoff Smokies 12-Oz. Pkg. 59c  
**Smoked Hams** Shank-End Cuts Lb. 53c  
**Rib Chops** U. S. Grade Heavy Calf Lb. 53c  
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At the open house Mr. and Mrs. Doty received many beautiful anniversary gifts and a gift of money from their children.

**TWO NORTON YOUTHS IN NAVAL TRAINING**  
Jimmy Monroe Harris and William Henry Jennings, both of Norton, started their naval training at San Diego, California, Friday, Von Lee Poehls, of Maverick, was sent home on a 30-day furlough and will be given another examination at the end of the period.

John D. Singleton, of the navy recruiting office, will be in Ballinger on Monday every two weeks to interview prospective recruits. His next visit here will be on August 30.

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Notice to Bidders and Notice of Intention to Issue Road and Bridge Warrants

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF RUNNELS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, will receive bids until 10:00 o'clock a. m. on September 13, 1954...

Two (2) New truck mounted 1/2 yard shovels of not less than ten ton capacity...

The County will offer as part payment on the above described road machinery and equipment the following:

One (1) Used Quickway Model "E" power shovel, mounted on used truck.

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The Legislature shall enact appropriate laws to make lists of recipients of aid...

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of Texas at a special election...

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election...

Section 4. The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Federal government...

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**FOR RENT**—Furnished, air-conditioned apartment at 302 Tenth Street. Mrs. Lee Butler, phone 9551. 1-1f

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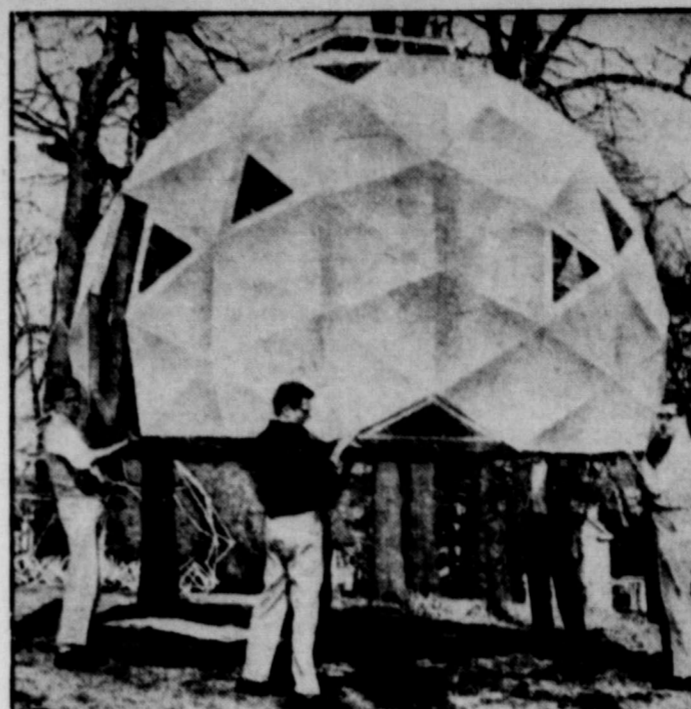
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## Pape Stock Tank To be Constructed On Specifications

A livestock tank is to be built on the E. C. Pape farm, three miles northwest of Ballinger. Mr. Pape is a cooperator of the Runnels county soil conservation district and is using the staff's technical service in locating and building this tank.

Some of the things looked for by the technical service on the Pape farm were: First, the soil was tested for its depth and its ability to hold water. Second, the tank site was located in an area that was protected from siltation and contamination, the drainage being made up of grassland. Third, the tank was planned to be as deep as possible to decrease the water loss from evaporation. The fourth

consideration was the drainage area which was large enough to supply adequate water but not so large as to require a spillway that would be out of proportion to the dam.

When the tank is constructed it will meet specifications for livestock. The site of the dam and area that will be covered by water will be cleared of brush. The area to be covered by the dam will be scarified so a bond between the soil of the dam and the ground can be made. This will prevent seepage between the dam and the ground line.

The dam will have an upstream slope of 3 feet to 1 foot and a downstream slope of 2 feet to 1 foot. The dam will have a freeboard above the maximum depth of flow of the spillway of at least 2 feet. The spillway will be built to take care of the maximum expected water during a flood. When completed, Mr. Pape will either rip-rap or sod the dam.

**WANTED**—Female help. Ballinger Steam Laundry. 11

**FOR SALE**—'45 model W-C Allis-Chalmers, 3-row equipment, also '42 Allis-Chalmers combine. Robert Harber, Hatchel. 11-\*

**FOR RENT**—3 room unfurnished apartment, private bath, garage. Call at 709 Eighth Street. 19-1f

**FOR RENT**—Two bedroom furnished apartment, private bath, garage. Call at 709 Eighth Street. 11

**FOR SALE**—Half a beef, about 125 lbs., at 32c per pound. J. A. Patterson, route 2, Ballinger. 11-\*

**HUDDLESTON'S BROTHER SUCCUMBS AT EL PASO**  
R. H. Huddleston, 58, brother of O. L. Huddleston, of Ballinger, died at El Paso at 5:00 p. m. Friday afternoon following a heart attack.

Decedent was maintenance superintendent for the state highway department in that area and was attending to his usual activities when he suffered the attack and was pronounced dead a few minutes later.

O. L. Huddleston was at Abilene when informed of his brother's death and left from there for El Paso. Funeral services were held at 10:30 Monday morning and

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burial followed in an El Paso cemetery. Survivors besides the wife include a daughter, a sister and four brothers.

**JACOBS ATTEND FUNERAL OF RELATIVE AT ROGERS**  
Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Jacob returned Tuesday from Rogers, where they attended the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. T. W. Jacob. She will be remembered here by many people as she has visited in the Jacob home a number of times.

Decedent became ill Sunday afternoon and death resulted in a short time. She is survived by a son, vice-president of American Airlines, at New York.

Others to attend from this section were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jacob and daughter, of Abilene; and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jacob, of San Antonio.

**DOWNTOWN BIBLE CLASS PLANS BARBECUE DINNER**  
The Downtown Bible Class will have a social for all members and their families and friends on August 31. The affair will be held at city park starting at 7:30 p. m. with a barbecue dinner.

A program is being arranged for the after-dinner period and will be published later. All members and their families are urged to keep this date open and attend.

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