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Stamford Eleven Barely Noses Crippled Bearcats

The Ballinger Bearcats lost a heart-breaker to the Stamford Bulldogs last Friday night by the score of 19 to 14. Rated as the underdog by several touch-downs, the Bearcats served notice at the beginning of the game that they would not be a push-over and played the entire game on even terms with the mighty Bulldogs.

The Stamford team had to come from behind in the final quarter to rack up a touch-down and take the lead by five points. Two pass interceptions and penalties helped the Bulldog cause and set up the final touch-down which iced the game.

Stamford struck first in the second quarter when a pass was intercepted and returned to the Ballinger 22. On the next play, Quarterback Coody on a keeper went all the way for the score. The kick for the extra point was missed.

The Ballinger lads came back in the third quarter when Grady Curry found running room and went 47 yards to score. Gary Ferguson kicked the extra point to put the Bearcats in front 7 to 6.

The Bulldogs went ahead again on a beautiful 45-yard gallop by Jimmy Alexander around the Ballinger end. Coody again missed the kick,

making the score 12 to 7 for the Stamfordites.

The Bulldogs came back in the final quarter to rack up another touch-down and kick the extra point to make it 19 to 7.

The Bearcats fought back and after carrying the ball to mid-field, Maurice Carder lofted a beautiful pass to Ronnie Maedgen, who took it on the 10 and stepped into the end zone for a counter. Charles Holloway kicked the extra point to make the final score 19 to 14.

The Bearcats showed a stubborn defense most of the way and once held the Bulldogs after they had reached the one-yard line with four tries for the score. The Bearcats drew 6 penalties for 60 yards which hurt them on two occasions and bogged down drives that were going good.

MRS. BYLER'S SISTER DIES AT BROWNWOOD

Mrs. Luella Simmons, 71, of Brownwood, died at her home last Thursday following a heart attack. She is a sister of Mrs. Hamp Byler, of Ballinger.

Decedent was born in Tennessee and came to Texas with her parents at the age of three. She moved to Brownwood in 1906 and was married

the next year to John Parks Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Byler attended the funeral services, at 4:00 p. m. Sunday, at the London-Burton chapel, Rev. Johnny Brown officiating. Burial was in the Jordan Springs cemetery.

SPORTS

The preliminary football contests have been played and the Bearcats journey to Comanche tomorrow (Friday) night to open the conference schedule against the Indians, picked by sports writers to win in the district. Tickets went on sale here the first of the week and fans took the reserved seats quickly and will be in the Comanche stands to support the Bearcats, win or lose.

The Bearcats are still nursing crimples and just how well they will be at Comanche will have to wait until tomorrow night. Quarterback John Duke has been on the sidelines since the first 1954 game. Wayne Johnson, fullback, was injured in the Colorado City game and his knee is still giving trouble. Several other Bearcats are having their troubles, which weakens the team that does not have too much depth.

The Comanche boys continued to roll along last week by conquering the strong Stephenville team, 25-13. Most of last year's semi-finalist Indian team is back, there is a big line and the backfield is packed with speed.

The Bearcats will be back home on October 15 for a conference contest with the Lake View Chiefs.

The two junior high school teams came through last week, the seventh graders romping on the Lake View seventh graders 6 to 0 and the regular junior high team taking the Lake View juniors in a conference tilt by the score of 18 to 6.

Tonight the juniors will meet the Coleman teams here in contests starting at 6:00 and 7:30.

The Ballinger B team will go to Winters Saturday night for its regular game with the Blizzard B squad.

The Ballinger B team met defeat at the hands of the Lake View B team here Saturday night. The visitors rolled up a score of 14 to 7 against the Bearcat second stringers in the first victory for the Chiefs in several years.

If the meek inherit the earth very soon, they will inherit enough debt to keep them meek for a long time.



LARGEST TANKER SHAKES DOWN—Whipping the water to a froth the tanker "World Glory," largest cargo ship ever built in the Western Hemisphere, speeds through shake-down tests off the coast of Maine. Built at the Quincy, Mass., yards of Bethlehem Steel, the huge craft is 736 feet, 3 3/4 inches in over-all length, has a breadth of 102 feet, depth of 50 feet and a draft of 37 feet, 6 1/4 inches. She is designed to cruise at 16 knots and has capacity for over 16,000,000 barrels of oil.

Marriage Licenses Issued to 8 Couples During September

County Clerk Frankie Berryman issued marriage licenses to eight couples during September. Names of those securing the permits were:

James Frederick Smith and Miss Ethel Florence Johnson

William Cal Jennings and Miss Mary Ava Winchester

Diri Dean Cooper and Mrs. Glydene Clark

Robert Marvin Bird, Jr., and Miss Marvella Ashton

Zane Harding Robinson and Miss LaRita Gale Price

Fred Garland Buie and Miss Shirley Ann Probst

Joe Edward Tomlinson and

Miss Nellie Louelle Poindexter Vicente Gaiban Medrano and Miss Tomasa Gonzales Albia

JUNIOR CLASS WILL PUSH MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS

The junior class of the Ballinger high school will push subscriptions for Crowell-Collier magazines beginning October 14 and continuing several weeks. The class takes this method to raise money to carry on its activities for the school year and to cover the expense of the annual junior-senior banquet.

In previous years the class has sold many magazines here and will be calling upon these subscribers for renewals.

The science club had charge of the assembly program Wednesday and presented a scientific film, "The Voice of the Deep."

The first Southern Assembly

program of the year was presented Tuesday afternoon. This series is sponsored by the senior class and practically all students have a season ticket for the attractions.

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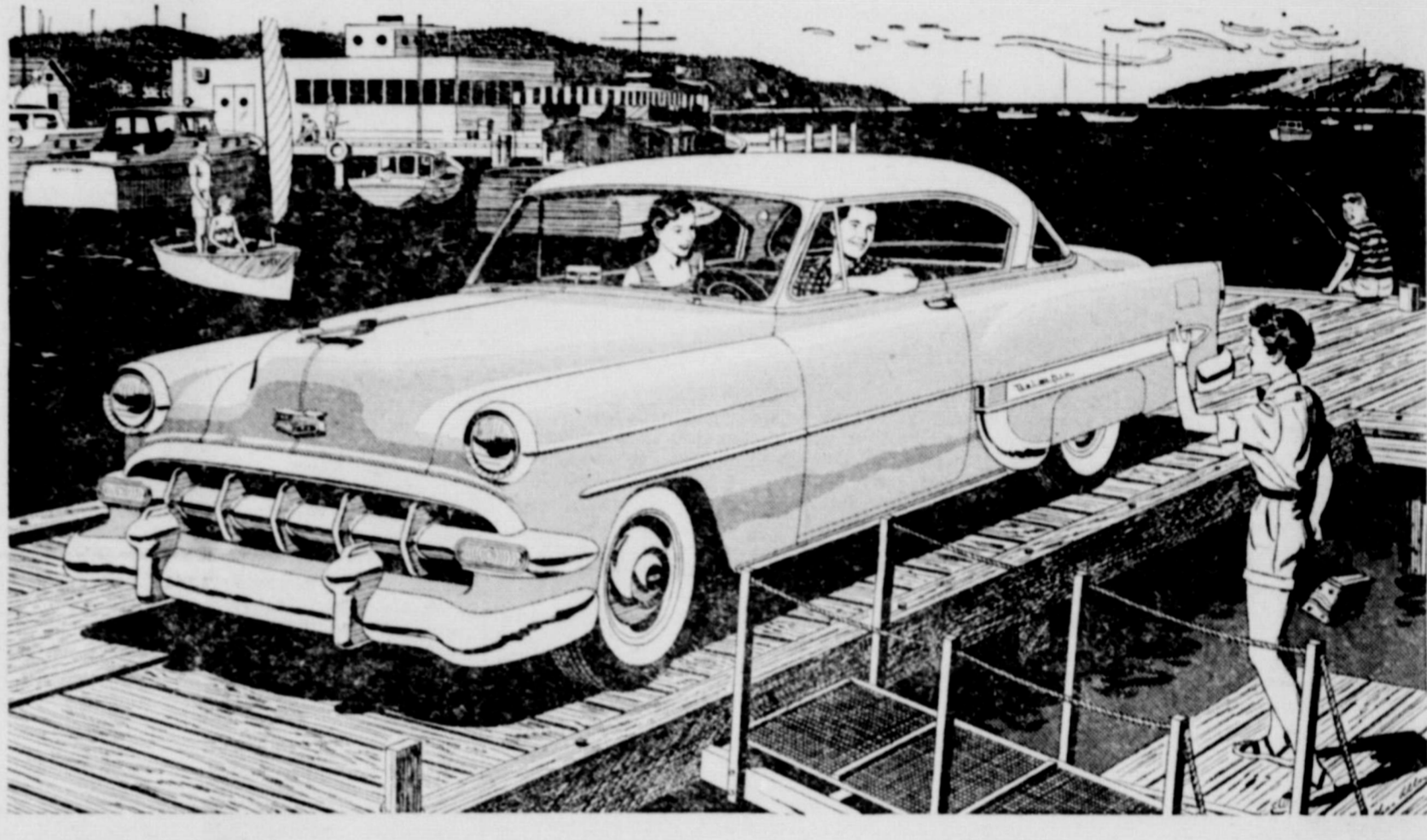
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RAMPY, HAMBRICK SPEAK AT LIONS CLUB MEETING
County Judge W. H. Rampy and Mayor Charles M. Hambrick were speakers at the regular meeting of the Ballinger Lions Club Friday. The officials

talked on the immediate construction program of the state highway department and the county and city requirements for work on highway 67. The menu Friday provided steaks for George Newby and

his team in the attendance contest and a vegetable plate for those on Buster Parrish's team which lost by a small margin.
CREWS SCHOOL REUNION SLATED FOR OCTOBER 10
Former students and teach-

ers of the Crews school will hold their annual reunion on October 10. Arrangements are being made for entertaining a large crowd on this occasion and invitations are being extended to every one who was ever a

student at this school. Those who attend are asked to bring only a basket lunch. The other necessities will be provided at the meeting place. Mrs. Chester McBeth is president of the association.

CREWS
P. R. Dietz is in the Ballinger hospital and is doing as well as can be expected. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Pearce visited their daughter, Bonnie Pearce, at Abilene Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hambricht transacted business at San Angelo Saturday. Bennie Hambricht accompanied them home and returned Sunday for his school work. Mrs. Effie Dietz, Gerald and Ophelia were dinner guests in the Lee Boatright home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baldwin and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Deward Awalt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Baldwin and children, Mrs. Lillie Osborne, Effie and Selma, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Boatright and children were visitors in the home of Mrs. Effie Dietz Sunday. Mrs. Effie Dietz and Mrs. Pearl Davis visited Mrs. Burrus one day last week. Mrs. Pearl Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Van Whittenburg and children at Abilene last week. The Crews school reunion will be held on October 10 this year. Will Mathis visited J. T. Brandon in the M. R. Petrie home last Thursday. Rev. Down preached at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and evening. Among the visitors were Mrs. Richard Hart and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Irving, of Winters, and Carmen Bates, of Fort Worth. A. S. Alcorn, Marvin Hale and Ira Hale spent Tuesday at their hunting lease in Kerr county. They are getting ready for the hunting season in November. A. M. Mathis, of San Angelo; T. E. Foreman and daughters, of Ballinger; and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Mathis and children visited in the Sam Mathis home Sunday. Pearl and Steve Davis were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Effie Dietz Saturday.

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Members of home demonstration clubs in district 7 arrived here today to begin a two-day recreational school. Sessions are being held in the American Legion hall. Miss Lucile Moore, recreation specialist of the extension service, has charge of the school. She is assisted by Mrs. Barfield, of Kerrville; Miss Thelma Casey, district 7 agent; and Mrs. Maynard Gaines, of Coleman, district recreation chairman. This is the first school of this kind to be held in the state by the extension service for home demonstration club members. Three women from each county in district 7 will be present and they will take the training back to the clubs in their counties.

Maybe the meek haven't inherited the earth but they sure have inherited most of its bills.



LAST DIP—Though summer is gone, French starlet Neelie Asquier braves chilly weather for her final swim of the year at an outdoor pool in Paris, France. The fact that she is the only person in the place does not deter her, proving she's a brrrre girrrrl.

Card of Thanks
I wish to express my appreciation to my friends for their thoughtfulness and kindness during my short stay in the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital. Also my thanks for the beautiful flowers and cards sent me. Especially do I want to thank the doctors and nurses who were so nice to me.
Mrs. W. H. Taylor

NORTON HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB
Mrs. Joe Crockett entertained members of the Norton home demonstration club in her home Tuesday afternoon at a regular meeting of the club for the purpose of electing officers. Mrs. Frank Greger, retiring president, conducted the business session at which annual reports were completed for the county council. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Joe Crockett, president; Mrs. Frank Gruber, vice-president; Mrs. Harvey Bryan, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Gus Redman, reporter; Mrs. Frank Greger, council delegate; Mrs. Clarence Sharpes, alternate council delegate; Mrs. Lawrence Bryan, home improvement demonstrator; Mrs. Dave Underwood, food demonstrator. A discussion was held on what to prepare to send to the Abilene state hospital. The hostess served sandwiches and cookies to ten members.
Card of Thanks
We wish to thank all people of this area for their assistance in the clothing drive. Especially do we thank the local business men who have assisted us in hauling with the use of their pickups. Our thanks to the Sunset Motor Lines which have transported clothing free for many years from here to St. Louis.
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Date _____ 19__

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- Checked cellar, attic and garage... for elimination of old newspapers, rags and other fire kindling material.
 - Told smokers in the house not to smoke in bed... and to always be sure that matches and cigarettes are doused out before leaving them.
 - Checked to make sure there are no flammable liquids (gasoline, benzine, etc.) used or stored in the house.
 - Checked to make sure that matches are kept out of the reach of small children. (Over 20,000 fires a year are caused by children playing with matches.)
 - Spoke to mother about unplugging the iron cord and removing the heated surface from the ironing board... when she leaves her ironing, even for a short time.
 - Asked dad to check plug-in cords on electrical appliances to make sure they're not defective.
 - Told dad that myself and other experts advise a yearly check-up on all heating equipment. (Defective heating equipment causes fire losses of over 60 million dollars each year.)
 - Had dad show me how to work our fire extinguisher or (if no extinguisher in the house) suggested that we buy one.
 - Discussed subject of fire with the family. Worked out problem of how we'd escape from the house if fire out off one of more of our normal exits.
 - Checked location of nearest Fire Alarm box. Posted phone number of Fire Department near our telephone. Studied other local fire alarm procedure. Discussed it with entire family.
- This is to confirm the Junior Fire Marshal's report as shown above.



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before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, at the Court House in Ballinger, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 3 day of September, 1954. The file number of said suit being No. 6436.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Charles Preston Barker as Plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of John H. Bright, Deceased, J. P. Bridges, and Carl Robinson as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit in trespass to try title filed by said plaintiff against said defendants, in which plaintiff seeks to recover from defendants the fee simple title to and possession of 16 acres of land, more or less, in Runnels County, Texas, in the D. W. Hale Survey No. 18, Abstract No. 1657, more fully described in said petition filed herein; and plaintiff also pleads, and seeks to recover from said defendants, the fee simple title to and possession of said land under the ten year statute of limitations and under both of the twenty-five year statutes of limitations.

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Issued this the 28 day of September, A. D. 1954. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this the 28 day of September, A. D. 1954.

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This first-run feature of the double-bill was inspired by a little known incident in the Civil War, the burning and looting of St. Albans, Vermont, by a small band of Confederate soldiers. The raid, which was spectacularly carried out on an afternoon in October, 1864, is authentically reenacted in the picture, most of the action taking place in the huge set which covered several acres. As a climax to the story the whole town is put to flame and allowed to burn to the ground. Others in the cast include Paul Cavanagh, Peter Graves, Douglas Spencer, Will Wright, Claude Akins, James Best, Helen Ford, John Dierkes, Harry Hines and Simon Scott.

himself up to the law to save the life of a stranger who had become his friend in "The Desperado," his latest starring picture for Allied Artists, and No. 1 feature on the double-bill at the Horseshoe Sunday and Monday, October 10, 11. The story takes place in Texas, 1870 to 1873, when the state suffered under the oppressive and corrupt rule of a carpet-bagger governor, James Lydon, Rayford Barnes and Beverly Garland has important parts and featured players include Dabbs Greer, Nestor Paiva, Roy Barcroft, John Dierkes, Florence Lake and Richard Shackleton.

The other feature on this program is "Hans Christian Andersen," in Technicolor, and starring Danny Kaye. Burt Lancaster portrays the legendary Capt. David O'Keefe in Warner Bros.' Technicolor adventure epic, "His Majesty O'Keefe," to be shown at the Horseshoe Tuesday and Wednesday, October 12, 13. Lancaster, currently one of the most popular screen stars in Hollywood, has the role of the courageous soldier-of-fortune who came to the South Pacific in the 1870s and stayed to engage with the exploiters of the natives in a first battle of courage and wits, and to claim, but not to get without another fight, a lovely Polynesian as his bride and "queen." Joan Rice, English star, and Tessa Predergast, Jamaican dancer, enact the two women in the film.

Will Rogers, Jr., and Nancy Olson co-star in the Warner-Color production, "The Boy from Oklahoma," No. 2 offering on this mid-week bill. The son of America's greatest humorist and a star in his own right, Rogers portrays the sheriff of Bluerock county in the Sooner state. Gun-shy and girl-shy, he reportedly manages in his own whimsical and nonchalant way not only to round up a gang of killers but to win the hand of the prettiest gal in town, played by Miss Olson.

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ROWENA HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Bernie Faltisek has invited the Rowena home demonstration club to meet in her home on Wednesday, October 13. Mrs. Harvey Schroeder requests that all members attend and each bring with her three of her favorite recipes to be turned over to the county council for the purpose of editing and publishing a cook book. Those unable to attend the meeting are urged to send their recipes by mail, or another member.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, met with the club last week in the

home of Mrs. Alvin Redman. She stressed the importance of convenience of furniture arrangement in the bedroom, the suitability of accessories in relation to their usefulness and the atmosphere they create.

Leaders chosen for the ensuing year are: Mrs. Ralph Kettler, food demonstrator

Mrs. Tom Egan, home improvement demonstrator.

Mrs. Redman and Mrs. Edgar Poehls, hostesses served cheese sandwiches, apple and cherry pie with ice cream, coffee and iced tea to members and their children.

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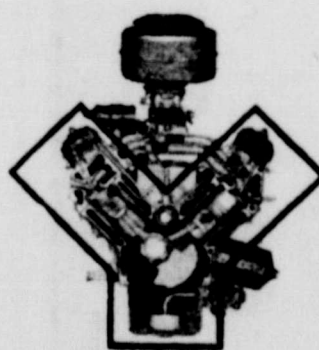
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SOCIETY

Alabean Class Has Installation of Officers

Officers of the Alabean Class of the First Baptist Church were installed at a party hosted by Mrs. E. E. King, Mrs. L. A. Paubion and Mrs. J. E. Jones Tuesday evening in the King home on Broadway.

Mrs. West Talbott used a clock as a symbol for installing the officers. The teacher, Mrs. J. E. Jones, was compared to the "winder" the president, Mrs. E. P. Talbott, as "the woman of the hour," the vice-president, Mrs. E. P. Canady, as the clock hands, the secretary, Mrs. R. E. Truly, as the clock case, which ties all the works together. Group leaders are Mrs. L. A. Paubion, Mrs. Rae Whiteaker, Mrs. Ralph McShan and Mrs. S. W. Burks, who were compared to the works of the clock. Mrs. Canady gave a dedication prayer following the installation and Mrs. Burks gave the opening prayer.

The hostesses served pie a la mode with fruit punch. Others were Mrs. W. A. Forgy, A. M. King, Annie Arterburn, A. Lowery, William Ashton, Owen Aycock, J. A. Williams, James A. Wear, A. O. Bartlett and Mollie Morgan.

Mrs. Lilius to Direct Games at Club Meeting
Mrs. Mabel D. Lilius, of Abilene, will direct master point games when the Ballinger Duplicate Bridge Club holds a regular meeting next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

At the meeting last Tuesday Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Stansley won high score. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stone, second and Mr. and Mrs. Lasham Flynn, third.

New members and visitors from out-of-town are invited to join in games.
Fannie Stephens Study Club Has Parliamentary Program
A parliamentary program was given on the first outlined study at the meeting of the

Fannie Stephens Study Club in the library club room Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ted Thadde was hostess. Mrs. Tom Epling discussed "Parliamentary Questions Often Asked," and Mrs. Joe Forester conducted an informative club family quiz contest based on the club's by-laws.

Mrs. Lloyd L. Downing, president, was in charge of the business, at which the budget for the year was approved. The resignation of Mrs. Cal Adair as historian and as an active member was accepted, and Mrs. E. R. Nolan was named to fill the vacancy. Mrs. Adair was accepted as an associate member. Mrs. H. G. Agnew was introduced as a new active member.

Mrs. R. E. Ruble, program chairman, presented the afternoon program, and announced that the program on October 20 would be a symposium forum, discussing "Whither the American Indian" as given in The Rotarian.

Others present were: Mrs. E. Y. Bailey, M. C. Broussard, W. E. Ekins, J. Dexter Hoff, Preston Fitzhugh, E. C. Grinstead, R. M. Hollis, W. O. Irby, M. E. McCleeny, J. D. Renshaw, Wayne Reynolds, B. J. Williams, Felix Keys, H. R. Edmondson and R. D. Travis.

Ruth Ethel Fenwick to Marry Buck McBee

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Fenwick announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruth Ethel, to Buck McBee, son of H. C. McBee, all of Ballinger.

The wedding will be performed at 7:00 o'clock Saturday evening at the Grace Baptist Church, Rev. D. O. Williams to officiate. Miss Fenwick is a senior in the Ballinger High School and Mr. McBee has been in the armed forces the past three years. He attended the Llano High School.

Ballinger Civic-Garden Club to Meet Tuesday
The regular meeting of the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club will

be held in the City Hall auditorium next Tuesday, October 12 at 4:00 p. m., the president, Mrs. B. W. Claunch to be in charge of business, and Mrs. R. E. Ruble will present the program on "The Growing of Herbs." Mrs. F. L. Wells will speak on "Herb Cookery," and Mrs. J. V. Williams will be program leader.

Arrangements of leaves, fruit and vegetables will be displayed by Mrs. James Wear, Mrs. E. L. Williamson and Mrs. Max McCrary. St. A plant, bulb and seed exchange will also be a part of the afternoon program.

Mrs. Beulah Frazer is ready to take orders for daffodil, tulip, and hyacinth bulbs. Members are asked to have their orders ready.

Catholic Two-Day Meeting Closes at Abilene

Catholic women ended a two-day meeting at Abilene Tuesday with a pledge to "take an active interest in the community, so that the American way of life may continue." They also condemned obscene literature and voted to encourage decency and modesty in dress.

The meeting was hosted by Sacred Heart Catholic Church, which included the Dallas-Fort Worth Diocesan Council of Catholic Women.

New officers were elected and installed by the Right Rev. Monsignor Y. J. Bender, of Dallas. The most Rev. Thomas K. Gorman, D., bishop of the Dallas-Fort Worth diocese, spoke on "Tales of the Marian Year."

The Diocesan Council voted to establish a vocational scholarship in memory of the late Most Rev. Joseph Patrick Lynch, who was bishop of the diocese for many years.

Those attending from St. Mary's Catholic Church of Ballinger were Rev. Robert Unsworth, O.M.I., Misses Alvin Seibel, E. C. Smith, V. O. Wade, John McGeehan and Harold Wheeler.

Miss Sarah, Billy Ray Gartrall are married Saturday.
Miss Betty Fay Seals, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Seals,

became the bride of Billy Ray Gartrall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gartrall, Saturday evening. The wedding was solemnized at 3:30 p. m. at the Grace Baptist Church, Rev. D. O. Williams reading the single ring ceremony.

The bride and groom were attended by Miss Willie Kendrick and Richard Townsend. A gift shower, honoring the couple, was held in the home of the groom's parents on Strong Avenue. Tea and cake were served to about 40 guests.

The couple will make home in Ballinger. Mr. Gartrall is employed at the Brunson Feed Mill.

Presbyterian Women's Council Meets

Mrs. Rufus Allen conducted the business for the regular first Monday meeting of the Women's Council of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. held in the church parlors on Eighth Street.

Following the opening prayer Mrs. J. D. Coulter gave a report on the Presbytery at San Angelo, which she attended as a delegate. Mrs. Coulter also presented the program "The Witness in Our Churches: Home." Others assisting with the program were Mrs. A. O. Lee and Mrs. Marc Gorman. The program was concluded with the mutual benediction.

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Miss Jennie Bennett returned to her home at San Angelo the past week-end after a month's visit in the home of Mrs. M. B. Stuart and Aline.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Norwood, of Oklahoma City, are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Stuart and Aline.

"Every four minutes an American dies of a disease caused by a common cold," says a medical item. It must be awfully monotonous for the American.

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<p>BLUE DENIM WORK PANTS Full Cut, Well Made \$2.45 Value, Only \$2.97</p>	<p>NYLON HOSE 51-15 . . . New Colors \$1.35 Value, Only 79c</p>
<p>MEN'S SHORT OR LONG WORK SOX White or Colors 2c Value 5 Pairs \$1.00</p>	<p>TOWELS 29x40 . . . Six New Colors 79c Value, Only 59c</p>
<p>CHILDREN'S COVERALLS Hickory Stripes, Red Trim, Just the Thing for Play. Sizes 8 to 5 . . . \$1.98 Value, Only \$1.49</p>	<p>CORDUROY New Colors: Gold, Blue, Brown, Red, Wine, Purple, Pink and Gray \$1.49 Value, Only, per Yard 98c</p>
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<p>WHITE ENAMEL Sauce Pan 3-Qt. Size with Lid 99c</p>	<p>Dust Mop 15" Wide Untreated Dry Cotton Yarn \$1.49</p>	<p>2-WAY ELECTRIC Hand Lantern For Camping, Fishing, etc. \$1.00 ea.</p>	<p>Waste Basket 11" Oval—All-Metal Assorted Colors 39c ea.</p>

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FOR RENT—4 room unfurnished house with bath, garage, 404 Sharp Avenue, phone 8503. 7-1f

FOR SALE—Two 4 room houses with bath on corner lots. Small down payment. Owner will carry loan. Phone 4734. 7-2f
WANTED—Experienced Chevrolet mechanic, good pay and working conditions. Apply in person to Ray Fuqua, RAY FUQUA CHEVROLET CO., Ballinger, Texas. 7-1f

NORTON EAGLETS HAVE GOOD SEASON'S RECORD
 The Norton grade school football team defeated the Mertz team Tuesday night by the score of 60 to 40 in the "Little Six League" series. It was the first defeat of the year for the Mertz team.

The Norton youngsters have also played and defeated the Blackwell and Paint Rock teams this season. The Norton boys will play the Miles team on October 12.

FOR SALE—My place located at 1303 Seventh Street. If interested call 42944. Lubbock, or write Opal Stubblefield, 2614 7th Street, Lubbock. 7-3f

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STUDY IN CONTRAST—If little girls are really made of "sugar and spice, and everything nice," then this youngster is out of place as a huge U. S. Army atomic rifle rumbles through the narrow streets of Delbruck, Germany. The weapon was used during the biggest postwar maneuvers to be held in Germany, with more than 140,000 soldiers from five western countries participating.

DENTHS

H. A. Hudgens
 The second victim of the oil rig fire, which occurred on September 27, died Saturday at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital, where he had been since the accident.

H. A. Hudgens, 34, driller, had been in a critical condition with second degree burns which covered most of his body. The fire was at a 90-foot rig on the Arch Brookshier lease, eight miles east of Ballinger. Hudgens and other members of the crew were making a drillstem test when the flash fire occurred.

C. C. Mayfield, 25, was dead on arrival at the local hospital. Jimmie Johnson is still in the hospital but his condition is reported good. J. E. Wesson has been dismissed from the hos-

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients dismissed from the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week included:
 Dave Compton, Norton, surgical, Friday.
 R. T. Williams, medical, Tuesday.
 Mrs. W. H. Taylor, surgical, last Thursday.
 B. J. Gully, Sr., medical, Saturday.
 Delbert Vancil, medical, Friday.
 Mrs. O. P. Dorsey, medical, Sunday.
 Mrs. Trinidad Constante and son, Hondo, last Thursday.
 Mrs. Eva Wilson, medical, Sunday.
 Mrs. Elias Lerma, Miles, medical, Wednesday.
 Mrs. J. E. Gentry, medical, Sunday.
 Mrs. Wesley Wood, medical, Monday.
 Mrs. Alva Berry, Winters, medical, Tuesday.
 Juanita Escobar, surgical, Wednesday.
 Births recorded at the clinic the past week were as follows:
 Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Taylor, a daughter, September 30.
 Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lippe, a son, September 30.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Michulka, San Angelo, a son, October 2.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spurlock, a son, October 5.

Real, authentic Texas Longhorn cattle still roam in Fort Griffin State Park on U. S. highway 283, 15 miles north of Albany.

SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. J. C. Reese was hostess to members of the South Ballinger home demonstration club Tuesday afternoon, entertaining in her South Ballinger home.

"My Biggest Problem in Caring for My Children" was the roll call topic. Mrs. V. L. McShan read the club woman's creed. Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen conducted the business when plans were completed for serving meals to 50 representatives who will attend the two-day meeting of the district recreational training school, to be held at the American Legion hall, Bruce Field this (Thursday) evening and tomorrow (Friday). All annual reports of club activities were given.

The next meeting will be held on October 19 in the home of Mrs. Neuman Smith. The hostess served refreshments to: Mmes. Ohlhausen, C. D. Harris, McShan, Ed Farley,



REAL SPORT—Sandals, linen suit, white scarf and a horsehair hat are "musts" for the correctly dressed Korean tennis player. Bringing an old look to a brand-new U. S. Army 1st Corps tennis court at Uijonghu, Korea, this Korean net fan is all set for a fast game with some G. I.

Joe Thomas, Calton Smith, Bud Farley, Tom Crockett, Andrew Flint, Roy Holstead, Fred Moncrief, James Boothe, Dick Holstead, Neuman Smith, J. P. Boothe, Austin Williams, J. W. Jones, Tom McEntire, Archie Wallace, B. M. Batts and Jack Fry. Mrs. Barner Norris was a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Nutt returned home last week from a vacation trip in Colorado, Utah and other states. They reported that they were in snow storms while in Colorado. Mrs. Marguerite Dow and son, Jerry, of San Angelo, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Truly.

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Consumption of city water is declining with cooler weather and plant employees have quit struggling to maintain full tanks. During the summer many local yards have been kept in excellent condition and few West Texas towns can boast of more beautiful trees. Ballinger is one of the few fortunate towns in this section with a water supply that served citizens through the drought without rationing. Both the supply and the pumping and filtration facilities were capable of taking care of the heavy load.

Local hunters are disclosing keen interest in the approaching deer season and some have slipped away to take a look at their leases. All report that the range is dry but rain within a short time would make good grazing and put deer in good condition by the opening date. A number of local hunters have kept their same leases for a number of years and planning to be back in familiar scenes on November 15.

Approximately 40 local workers assembled Tuesday morning to help raise the 1954 quota for the Salvation Army. The popularity of this organization was revealed in the fact that no trouble was encountered in securing all the workers necessary. Each fall the Salvation Army calls on citizens of this section for donations. Part of the money goes to the state organization and the remainder is retained in Ballinger where a local board listens to pleas of people in need. This fund is disbursed without overhead expense, people in distress are helped without question and no one is turned down. During the past twelve months approximately 240 people received aid from the local chapter. There were no big handouts, most of the outlay being for a few food items, medicine, a bed for the night, a couple of meals or in aiding children who had scant clothing to attend school. Local leaders are expecting more calls than normally in the coming winter and hope that more than the quota is subscribed. Part of the \$1,100 quota will go to the state headquarters, but should more than the quota be raised, the portion above will all be spent here. If the local chapter exhausts its account before the end of the year it can call on the state organization and additional help will be advanced. In previous years quotas have been reached because Ballingerites have known of the good work of the Salvation Army for many years and approve of its manner of helping the needy.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES

Mass immunization against polio was started in the Comanche schools the first of the week with gamma globulin free for all students. Supt. Virgil Chaffin stated that there was no serious outbreak of polio in Comanche but that students would be given the immunization free on a voluntary basis. Parents were required to give their consent before the serum would be administered. Dr. E. E. Blackwood, county health officer, requested the state department for the gamma globulin after two cases of polio were reported in the schools.

Property valuations in Coleman county soared to new high when the total for tax purposes was reported at \$21,143,240. This was more than a million dollars increase over last year, new oil development being responsible for most of the gain. The Coleman county collector began mailing tax notices for the first time, 7,452 notices being sent to about 6,000 tax payers. Thomas Y. Pickett Co., of Dallas, has just completed its final reports on oil property in the county. The tax rate is 80 cents on the \$100.

The Miles Lions Club in meeting last week voted to take over sponsorship of the softball league next summer. Leaders who had been directing the league met with the club and offered to turn over all equipment and the cash on hand. If the Lions would assume the responsibility, the club voted to name a special committee to study the sponsoring of a summer recreational program and report back at the next meeting. If the general program is accepted, various forms of recreation will be offered next summer.

The Rowena fire department is making plans to notify all citizens of the area that it has a fire truck ready for service and will accept calls. A card is to be issued giving instructions on how to place a call and the signal for the alarm. A call will bring the equipment and the trained fire fighters in short order.

Noisy juke boxes and loud speakers received the attention of the Brownwood city council last week when an ordinance was passed limiting the volume of noise allowed. A special section was written into the ordinance which makes it possible that a permit can be obtained from the chief of police for social and political gatherings. The ordinance also makes it unlawful for motor vehicles to operate without mufflers. Music boxes must not be annoying 100 feet away from the machine.

Construction of a fence around the Bronte school football field was begun last week and work will be completed by the next home game. Supt. O. K. Wolfenbarger stated that the cost was being paid out of game receipts and that members of the F.F.A. chapter would do most of the work. The improvement will also include a ticket office outside the fence so that more customers can be handled at last minute. Parking space is being provided on the north side of the field. Colorado City police stated last week that they would crack down on drivers who chase fire trucks after alarms are sounded. An ordinance also makes it a violation to park too near a fire. Police assert there will be no interference with the work of firemen and that all traffic lanes will be kept open to permit equipment and firemen to reach fires as quickly as possible. All police will do traffic duty when the alarm sounds and cars must be parked at curbs for a reasonable time to allow firemen the right-of-way.

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The Midland city commission in a special meeting last Thursday rejected a proposed zoning ordinance. A committee of attorneys had submitted an unfavorable report on the proposal. This group had been appointed by Mayor J. W. McMillen to make a study of zoning. The main objections were restrictions on building heights and requirements for off-street parking. Commission members stated passage of the ordinance submitted would have altered many present zones in the city.

E. W. Brooks, postmaster at Eldorado the past 20 years, has retired, effective Thursday of last week. C. W. Waller, chief clerk, was named acting postmaster and will serve until an appointment is made. A longtime resident of Eldorado, Brooks served in World War I and has been active in the Lions Club for a number of years.

Sweetwater authorities have been informed that bids will be opened today for a weather station and radar center for the air force. The station is to

be built at the Sweetwater airport. According to plans, the station will be finished by the first of December and about 145 men, mostly technicians, will be located there. Originally opening of bids was scheduled on September 30.

The grand jury in 112th district court at Junction returned six indictments against four persons in concluding its deliberations. One indictment was that of murder without malice against Arthur Roy Hahn, of San Antonio, in the traffic death of Hal Andrew Hamilton at Junction on September 16. Other indictments were for forgery, passing a forged instrument and felony theft.

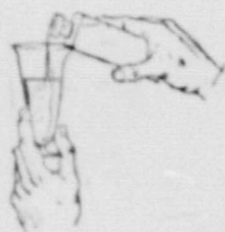
Brady's first bicycle derby was held Tuesday of last week and attracted many spectators and 63 early entries. Melvin R.

Young was the big winner and received a new bike for his performance. Three girls were entered in the races and one won a prize in races for ten-year olds. Ten races were scheduled and the program proved so popular that another derby will be held in 1955. Brady firemen sponsored the derby with the assistance of the officials.

Statistics show that only a small per cent of the girls in this country are working girls; the rest are working men.

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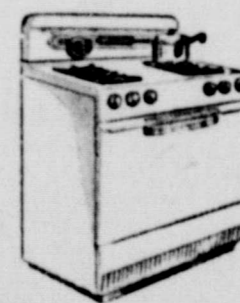
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American Legion Hall Improvement Nears Completion

The American Legion started a project last week to improve the hall at Bruce Field and will remove one wall and take off a portion of the building that was a part of the kitchen. This is being done to eliminate a valley on the roof that does not drain properly and in which termites have damaged the wood beyond repair.

After the east wall of that portion of the building is moved, one large room will be provided with a new lighting system, heating equipment and an air conditioner.

Another smaller room is being converted into a storage section

for taking care of cooking utensils, dishes, silverware and other items.

A committee composed of Tom Caudie, C. L. Armstrong and Vernon Pape is supervising the changes and improvements. New screen doors have been added and numerous other repairs made.

The building will be reconditioned soon and in time for the pot-luck supper on October 11.

Mrs. G. B. Wheeler, of Canadian, visited Ballinger friends last week. While here she subscribed for The Ledger to go to her son, Jimmy Endacott, who is in the naval aviation school at Pensacola, Florida.

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Adult Girl Scout Council Meeting Slated for Today

The Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council, Inc., will have its annual meeting today at Tarleton State College, Stephenville. The council is made up of units in Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Jack, McCulloch, Mills, Palo Pinto, Parker, Runnels, Shackelford, Stephens, Throckmorton and Young counties.

Every registered Girl Scout adult within the council has been urged to attend.

The business session will start at 4:00 p. m. and items of importance to all council members will be discussed. Progress reports from each com-

munity within the council will be heard and final plans for financing the construction of the council's newly established camp will be made. The camp is located in 36th Division State Park, Lake Brownwood, and the council development committee hopes to have the camp in operation by next summer.

Dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m. in the college dining hall. Immediately following, Girl Scout troop 9, of Stephenville, will present a skit honoring Mrs. Juliette Low, founder of the organization in the United States.

During the evening the council members will have an opportunity to meet senior scouts from Brownwood, Comanche and Jacksboro who have recently been chosen to represent the 16-county council at a regional patrol-troop encampment to be held for girls of

Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma at the Camp Rocky Point, near Denison, in June, 1955.

Claude Mansell, local Girl Scout committee chairman, has expressed the hope that every adult worker in Ballinger will attend the council meeting.

REVIVAL TO BE HELD AT CHURCH OF GOD; HERRINGTON TO LEAD

A revival will start at the First Church of God, 1300 Broad Street, on October 10 and continue through October 17. Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Harrington will lead the services in both sermons and music.

Rev. and Mrs. Harrington formerly lived in Ballinger and served here for some time. They have many friends here who will be glad to hear them again. The public is invited to attend all services, which will begin at 7:30 each evening.

FEED APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED TUESDAYS

A representative of the farmers home administration will be in the Ballinger FHA office each Tuesday morning to accept applications for feed assistance. This is the drought feed program whereby a farmer may get a purchase order for 1 cent per pound reduction on grain feed and half the freight on hay, not to exceed \$10 per ton.

The amount of grain or hay a farmer may receive is based on the number of foundation cows, sheep or goats owned by the farmer.

A farmer should devote at least 50 per cent of his time to his farming or have received 50 per cent of his net income from farming to be eligible for this assistance.

A naturalist says that alligators are harmless so long as you can keep their mouths closed. For that matter so are gossips.

SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICIAL TO BE HERE NEXT TUESDAY

Holly Rees, field representative for the social security administration, will be at the Ballinger post office Tuesday at 9:00 a. m. He will be glad to assist local people in filing applications for retirement and family insurance payments.

Regular trips are made to Ballinger and the schedule for the last quarter of the year will be on October 12 and 26, November 9 and 23 and December 7 and 21.

SEVENTH STREET BAPTISTS TO HAVE LAYMEN'S REVIVAL

The Seventh Street Baptist Church will have a laymen's revival from October 8 through October 10. Services will begin each morning at 7:30.

There will be a men's choir at each service and special music will be rendered. All the speakers will be local men. C. E.

Smith will be the speaker tomorrow (Friday) evening; Louis Walden, Saturday night; and Floyd Wimberley, Sunday morning.

The public is cordially invited to attend each service.

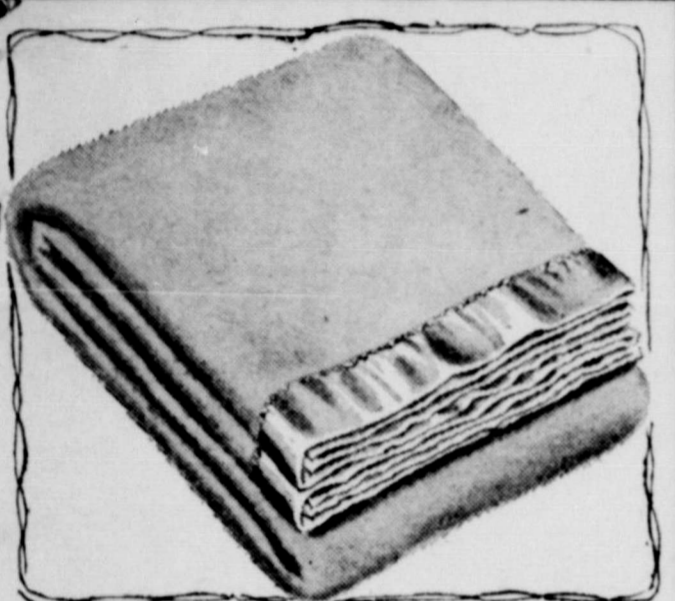
Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the people of Ballinger for their interest and the sympathy extended us during the illness and at the death of our loved one, Hubert Hudgens. Especially do we thank those of the First Baptist Church and the many others for the flowers, food and kind expressions of sympathy. Mrs. Hubert Hudgens and Donnie and other relatives

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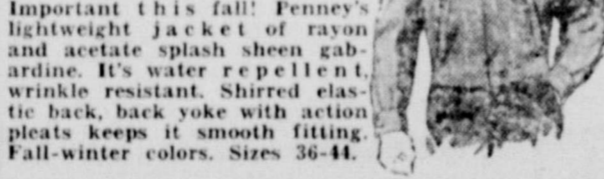
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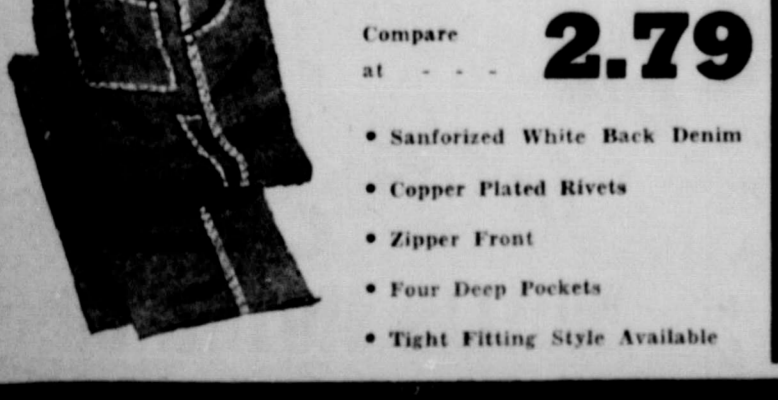
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Pineapple	SWEET TREAT CRUSHED No. 2 Can		19c
Oats	3-MINUTE 20-Oz. Box		15c
Dog Food	OLD PAL 303 Can	2 for	15c
Grapefruit Juice	WHITE SWAN 46-Oz. Can		19c
Preserves	SUN SPUN PURE PLUM Qt. Jar		39c
Pears	OUR VALUE No. 2 1/2 Can		33c
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Club Steak	CHOICE MEAT GOOD, TENDER	Lb.	49c
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Picnic Hams	GOOCH READY-TO-EAT	Lb.	39c
Bulk Wieners		Lb.	33c
Pork Sausage	MARKET MADE	Lb.	35c
Pork Chops	CENTER CUTS	Lb.	55c
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SOCIETY

Opening Meeting of Year Held by Music Club

Entering its nineteenth year, the Ballinger Music Club opened the club year Tuesday evening in the home of the president, Mrs. A. O. Rue, on Eighth Street.

The theme of the year's study is "Worlds of Music," by Cecil Smith. Taking part on the program were Mrs. J. D. Reneau and Mrs. Troy Simpson.

Mrs. Reneau, program chairman, outlined the study programs and distributed year-books.

Other officers serving the club this year are: Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, vice-president; Mrs. Joel Bates, secretary; Mrs. Bob Bartlett, treasurer; Mrs. Horace Murphy, parliamentarian; Mrs. Sim Cottelle, historian.

Mrs. C. B. Orahoud, Mrs. Alex

Saunders and Miss Sarah Landers were welcomed as new active members, and Misses Sarah Chandler, Patsy Dietz and Brenda Bowers as new junior members.

Mrs. Rue extended the welcome and the meeting was formally opened with the reading of the constitution and by-laws.

At the social hour, the social committee, composed of Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, Mrs. Wylie Hearn and Mrs. Charles Hambrick, served refreshments. Entertaining rooms were decorated with spider lilies and roses.

Other members are Mmes. R. E. Bruce, Joe Forman, Arthur Giesecke, Alex McGregor, F. M. Pearce, R. T. Williams, H. H. Wagner, W. R. Bogle, Ida Guion, W. B. Halley, H. J. Zappe, O. R. Lasater, Eugene Loika, J. R. Lusk, Max McCrary, Elmer Shepperd, L. R. Tigner, J. F. Cur-

rie; Misses Pearl Currie, Lola Eubank, Clara Hill, Maryatt Smith, Olga Schawe, Patricia Zappe, Glenda Beddo and Bobbie Sue Stultz.

Miss Maggie Underwood is an honorary member.

F. H. A. Chapter Holds Business Meeting

Mrs. Billy F. Brown and Mrs. Edwin Tickle, sponsors of the Ballinger High School F. H. A. Chapter, met with members in the homemaking cottage September 30.

Jerry Prusser and Barbara Bradshaw were elected delegates to attend the District 3, Area 4, meeting to be held at Comanche on October 23. Jerry will be sent as a nominee for president, and Barbara as a voting delegate. Plans were made for the trip to Dallas to attend the State Fair on October 15. It was announced that the cake sale held recently was a success. Mrs. H. J. Zappe was named an honorary member to attend the district meeting at Comanche.

The chapter is learning parliamentary procedure.

Mrs. Gooden Hostess to Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi

Mrs. Carl Gooden, Jr., was hostess to members of Omicron Psi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Monday evening in her Fifth Street home.

Mrs. W. E. Elkins conducted the business and appointed a committee for the purpose of working out means of raising money. Pledge training was the study for the evening.

Mrs. Frank Grevelle, who was an active Beta Sigma Phi worker before moving to Ballinger, was a visitor.

The hostess served refreshments to: Mmes. E. Y. Bailey, Elkins, H. B. Edmondson, Tom Epting, J. D. Reneau; Misses Jewel O'Neal and Doris Queen.

Women's Fellowship Guild Meets in Crockett Home

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- Pooch Dog Food 4 15 1/2-Oz. Cans 25c
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- Texas Yams Porto Rico Lb. 15c
- Red Apples Delicious Yellow Turnips Lb. 21c
- Rutabagas Fresh, Crisp Tender Stalks Lb. 7c
- Pascal Celery Mild Sweet 2 Lb. 15c
- White Onions Lb. 10c
- Crisp Lettuce Firm Heads Fresh Crisp Lb. 12c
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 - American Cheese Dutch Mill 2-Lb. Pkg. 93c
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The 40 million followers of Jack Webb's "Dragnet" will soon have a chance to see their dark-haired, low-speaking hero in WarnerColor and on the giant screen at the Texas Theatre in a new full-length feature production of the famed air show. The local engagement will begin at 7:00 Saturday evening and continue Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, October 10, 11, 12.

Released by Warner Bros. "Dragnet" is a story of the police department's super-secret intelligence division in a case which is said to be entirely new and different. Audiences will also see Friday's doughty sidekick, Officer Frank Smith, played by Ben Alexander.

Webb is the star and also director of the film, as well as creator of "Dragnet." With much

more time at his fingertips and the facilities of the Warner studios at his beck and call Webb was able to tell the story in color and wide screen that couldn't have been unfolded within the restrictions and limitations of an air show. The motion picture, according to Webb, was filmed with the full cooperation and sanction of the Los Angeles police department. It has been revealed, too, that the files of the intelligence division of the Los Angeles police department, from which "Dragnet" was gleaned, had hitherto been closed to screen writers. Because of Webb's prestige and the police department's confidence in his ability to dramatize without sacrificing accuracy, it is said, he was given this cooperation in disclosing the secret activities of

the division.

"The Egg and I" the most widely heralded comedy in Universal's history, is scheduled at the Texas today (Thursday) only. Starring Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray, the film co-stars Marjorie Main as "Ma Kettle" and Percy Kilbride as "Pa Kettle." Featured players are Louise Albritton, Fuzzy Knight, Richard Long, Donald McBride, Billy House, Samuel S. Hinds and Elisabeth Risdien.

Featuring the Brooklyn baseball club, "Roogie's Bump," to be shown at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday, introduces young Robert Marriot who portrays the boy whose pitching arm served up a miracle at Ebbets Field. Ruth Warrick, Robert Simon and Olive Blakely head the cast, and the Dodgers are top featured. Playing themselves are Roy Campanella, Billy Loes, Russ Mayer and Carl Erskine.

At the very top of most men's head is the bump of benevolence, as far away from the pocketbook as possible.

Hillcrest to Present Zola Drama, 'Human Desire,' Sunday, Monday

The potent star-director combination of Glenn Ford, Gloria Grahame and Fritz Lang which successfully collaborated to make Columbia's sizzling drama, "The Big Heat," has been reunited for "Human Desire," powerful new film drama of a crime of passion to be screened at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre Sunday and Monday, October 10, 11.

Academy-award winner Broderick Crawford also stars in the new Columbia production, and Edgar Buchanan has the principal supporting part.

"Human Desire" is based on a world-famous Emile Zola novel.

Authentic football flavor is stamped on the gridiron shots of the Universal Tony Curtis-Lori Nelson co-starring film, "The All American," to be shown on the double-bill at the Hillcrest Tuesday and Wednesday, October 12, 13. Assembled were

a team of 40 top players for combat on the screen, including many stars of USC's Rose Bowl champions of 1953. All-American Herman Hickman, ex-Yale coach, portrays the team's mentor on the screen with Notre Dame's Jack Zilly and pro standout Jim Hardy cast as his assistants.

A story of the Ute Indian uprising in the Colorado Territory, Universal's Technicolor production of "Drums Across the River" is the other feature at the Hillcrest next Tuesday and Wednesday. Audie Murphy, Lisa Gaye, Lyle Bettger and Walter Brennan are starred, and in support are Mara Corday, Hugh O'Brien, Jay Silverheels, Regis Toomey and Morris Ankrum.

The world's largest walled swimming pool, fed by 26,000,000 gallons of water daily from San Solomon Springs, is located in Balmorhea State Park on highway 290, four miles southwest of Balmorhea.

SOCIETY

Miss Peggy Virden, Rex Bomar marry in New Mexico

in Snyder, where the couple will reside.

Miss Peggy Virden, of Ballinger, became the bride of Rex Bomar Sunday, September 26, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Smith in Lovington, New Mexico.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Virden, of Ballinger, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar, of Talpa.

The double ring vows were read by the Rev. Ed Hamilton, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Lovington.

The bride wore a two-piece ensemble of blue with black accessories, and a corsage of white carnations. Miss Peggy Sullen, maid of honor, wore a pink suit with navy accessories and a pink carnation corsage.

Mrs. Bomar is a former student of Ballinger High School. Mr. Bomar attended Sul Ross State College. He is employed

 SHAMROCK GIRLS' 4-H CLUB

A meeting of the Shamrock girls' 4-H club at Cochran was held last week in the home of the sponsor, Mrs. W. F. Minzemayer. Altus Ueckert presiding. Lyman Kruse was accepted as a new member.

The following volunteered to serve as demonstrators for the next twelve months:

Betty Holle, food
 Lyman Kruse, bedroom
 Rosetta Jacob, clothing
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Refreshments of apple pie and ice cream were served at the close of the meeting.

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BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. F. H. Harwell was hostess to seventeen members of the Ballinger home demonstration club in her Tenth Street home Tuesday morning. Mrs. Archie Wallace and Mrs. Nellie Brosig were visitors.

Mrs. M. C. Broussard conducted the business and Mrs.

Rufus Allen gave an appropriate reading concerning club work. Mrs. Archie Wallace, a member of the South Ballinger home demonstration club, demonstrated the making of stuffed animals which each club member will make for the children at the Abilene State Hospital and present for Christmas gifts. These stuffed animals will be made at the next all-day meeting, which will be held in the

home of Mrs. E. L. Williamson, 301 Thirteenth Street, at 10:00 a. m. on October 19. Each member is to bring a covered dish for the luncheon hour, and material for the making of the stuffed animals.

The newly elected president, Mrs. E. L. Williamson, named 1955 committees as follows: home improvement demonstrators, Mrs. Carley Watkins, Mrs. J. B. Dankworth; food demon-

starters, Mrs. D. J. Goetz, Jr., Mrs. Raymond Berryhill; program and yearbook, Mrs. D. J. Goetz, Sr., Mrs. G. A. Morrish, Mrs. Rufus Allen; finance, Mrs. Ben Williams, Mrs. Howard Perdue, Mrs. Bill Stultz; telephone, Mrs. E. S. Malone, Mrs. France Jones, Mrs. L. O. Hargrove; social, Mrs. J. B. Dankworth, Mrs. Felix Itz, Mrs. Cal-Adair; marketing, Mrs. Hatton Laxson, Mrs. Drury Hathaway; reporter,

Mrs. Rufus Allen; council delegate, Mrs. Hatton Laxson.

Mrs. Broussard presented a pot plant to Mrs. Archie Wallace. The hostess served refreshments.

FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of

Mrs. Jack Ashton. Mrs. J. J. Wessels presided and Mrs. Ralph Russell read the club woman's creed. Roll call was answered with "My most practical cleaning practice."

Mrs. Archie Wallace showed a number of stuffed animals and talked on the making of these toys. Members plan to make a number of these toys and hold an all-day meeting. Work was done on the annual report to be

presented to the next council meeting. The birthday anniversary of Mrs. John Duke was observed. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Roy Tyree on October 19. This will be an all-day affair and each member will bring a covered dish.

The club also met on September 30 in the home of Mrs. J. J. Wessels. Members voted in favor

of printing the cook book and selling it and also to make stuffed toys for the Abilene state hospital. Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, talked on accessories and arrangements.

George Holman is at home after a trip to Canada, South America, California, New York and a visit with his daughter at Peoria, Illinois.



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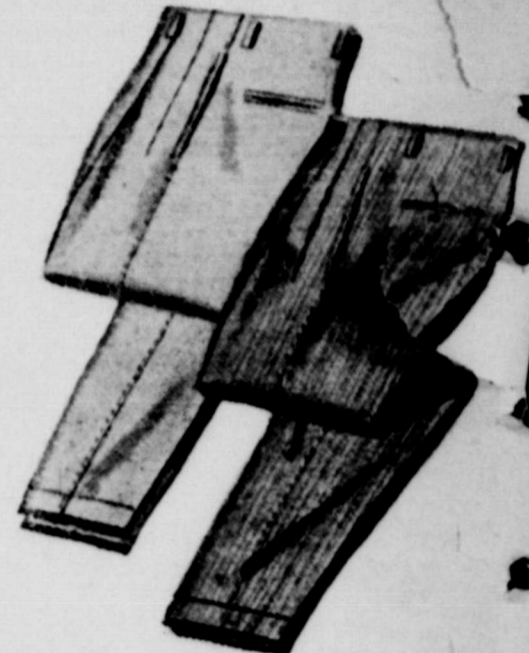
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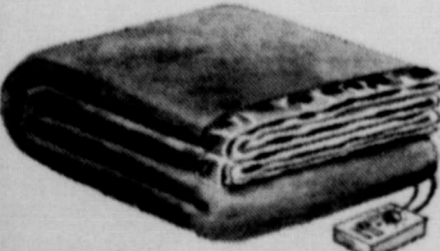
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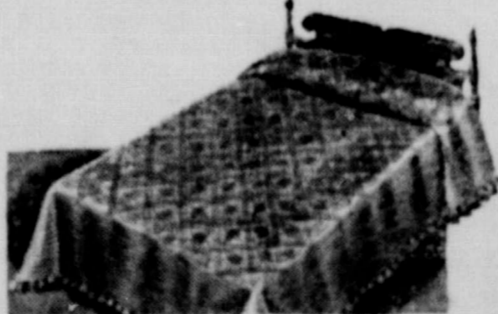
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