

New Farm-to-Market Highway Completed

Farm-to-market highway No. 1770, from Winters to the Coleman County line, a distance of 15.2 miles, has been completed and the state highway department has accepted the work. This road was built on a contract price of \$209,835, the commissioner's court furnishing the right-of-way at a cost of more than \$50,000.

All deeds have been secured and approved by the state highway commission for a 4.2 mile extension of farm-to-market highway 382, which connects Ballinger and Crews. The four-plus miles will connect Crews

with the new road from Winters to the Coleman County line and continue on to Novice.

This will provide pavement from the new road to Ballinger over FM 382 or a connection at Crews with FM 53, Winters to Coleman.

Fred Bedford, commissioner for precinct No. 2, who was in Ballinger Monday, stated that all deeds for the right-of-way on the 4.2 mile section had been signed. Fences are to be rebuilt at once and the new road is due to come up for letting at the November term of the state commission.

Ballinger's Christmas Program Will be Presented December 3

Directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce held their regular monthly meeting Monday night and considered a number of projects.

Jack Fry, chairman of the livestock and agriculture committee, said a meeting would be held next week with vocational teachers and employees of the county agent's office to make plans for the annual livestock show. At this meeting it is expected that a date and a budget will be set and rules governing entries established. The group will also discuss a place for holding the show and other details such as judges, special awards, etc.

Bob McGarvey outlined a proposed Christmas program here which was accepted by the directors. It will follow the general plan of those of the past two years in which decorated floats will be featured. Candy will be provided for the children, Santa Claus to hand out the packages as the kiddies get an opportunity for a short personal visit.

The date for the Christmas program is 1:30 p.m. on December 3. It was decided to hold the program on Saturday in order that all school children of the county might attend and also so local school organizations might take part in the parade.

Christmas street lights will be turned on December 3 and an effort will be made to get every business house to decorate a window by this date.

Cash prizes will be paid for the best decorated floats starting at \$50 for first place and scaling down \$35, \$25, \$15, four for \$10 and four for \$7.50.

Cash prizes will also be offered again for the best home yard decorations. Three divisions were arranged for the judging. These include all white homes, Latin-Americans and negroes.

Directors voted in favor of an amendment to the by-laws which would change the method of electing new directors. In the past, twenty-two names have been printed on a post-card ballot, eleven to be elected. This has not been satisfactory as some people object to entering a contest for a free position and being defeated.

By terms of the amendment, a nominating committee will select 11 names and after securing their permission, will put the eleven candidates on a ballot. On this same ballot will be eleven blank spaces for write-ins and each member of the chamber will receive a ballot early in December. The members will be asked to vote for eleven directors and will have an opportunity to scratch any name on the ballot and write in as many candidates as they desire. This election will be held in December and the new directors will become active following the membership banquet in January.

Directors voted to pay for the meals of the manager to attend all local service club meetings.

Glenn Morrish gave a report on Oil Progress Week, October 10 to 15. He stated that half-time activities at the football game this week would feature oil progress and that special programs would be presented at service club meetings next week.

Foy Farmer, chamber manager, reported on the recent school at Abilene. Methods of securing new members and industry were outlined. Agriculture was stressed and the securing of rural memberships to assist in the program.

Several other projects were submitted but will be screened by a special committee before action by the board. Two of

McMurry Student Talks on Norway At Club Meeting

Don Hunt, Jesse Jones Foundation student at McMurry College, Abilene, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Ballinger Rotary Club Tuesday. Hunt, who recently completed a term in the University of Oslo, Norway, spoke at length on Norway's political and strategic situation.

He pointed out some of the reasons why Norway is important to both the United States and Europe's contestants for world supremacy. He termed "The Land of the Midnight Sun" the greatest bulwark against communism and said the action of eleven saboteurs in 1944 prevented Hitler from using the atom bomb in World War II. The eleven Norwegians were able to get into a bomb-making plant and completely destroy it when it was ready for full production.

Hunt said immediately after the North Atlantic treaty was signed Norway began to build up her defenses and is still spending more money on armament than any other allied country except the United States. The location makes it important to Russia and the nations opposing Russia. The country is half the size of Texas and has a population of less than four million.

Agent Attending Landscape School At Stephenville

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, left Wednesday morning for Stephenville to attend a two-day landscaping school. Sessions are being held at Tarleton State College and Miss Sadie Hatfield, extension service landscape specialist, is in charge.

Miss Chenoweth announced that the annual home demonstration county meeting would be held in her office on October 14. Most important business will be the election of officers for the new year. Reports of various committees will be heard on activities for the past twelve months.

Council members will make plans for the annual Christmas luncheon when retiring and incoming officers will be honored. The date and place will be decided on and special committees appointed to arrange the program.

The agent reported that 48 delegates from district 7 attended the recreational school in Ballinger last week. All counties in the district except Concho and Bandera were represented. Delegates also were present from six clubs of Runnels County.

Baptists to Hold Missions Schools In Area Churches

Churches in the Runnels Baptist Association will join 1,800 other Southern Baptist churches in Texas October 9 to 14 in a program of schools of missions and stewardship. During the week of study and devotion, one night will be set aside for a church and denomination program.

Each church will have as guest speaker one of Southern Baptist's 1,002 foreign missionaries and one of the denomination's 1,100 home missionaries, denominational leaders and stewardship speakers. The programs will also include films and other visual presentations.

Area churches cooperating in the programs are: First Baptist Church, Ballinger; Seventh Street Baptist Church, Ballinger; and churches at Bronter, Content, Drasco, Hopewell, Maverick, Miles, Norton, Paint Rock, Valley View, Wilmet, Wingate and Winters.

The state director of the school pointed out that the stewardship phase was particularly significant at this time because most churches will subscribe their annual budget shortly.

Chris Walker, director of the school for the Runnels Association, states that the public is invited to attend the special missions classes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rampey, Mrs. G. A. Ladwig and Mrs. Arthur Crockett went to San Angelo Sunday afternoon to attend the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. F. Towler at 1824 S. Harrison Street.

Miss Delphane Berryhill, student at Brantley-Draughton College, Fort Worth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Berryhill, the past week-end.

Glynn Hill Awarded Honor Of County 4-H Gold Star

Glynn Hill, of the Tip-Top 4-H Club, Cochran, was presented the gold star award for the most outstanding 4-H club boy in Runnels County in a banquet at Winters Monday. John Q. McAdams made the award to the boy's father, O. C. Hill, as Glynn is now a student at A. & M. College.

He joined the Cochran club in 1949 with capons and swine as his demonstrations. The following year he raised broilers and capons for home consumption and the same year had five acres of maize and five acres of cotton. From these projects he went into sheep feeding, poultry judging, grass judging and an expanded swine program.

During his six years of club work he has won three trophies in poultry, one in sheep, one in swine and two in showmanship. He also has won a gold watch, a bracelet and 7 4-H medals. In the shows at Abilene, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston and San Angelo he was successful in winning five grand champion rosette ribbons, 4 reserve ribbons and 13 other ribbons. In addition he won 91 ribbons in local shows.

Glynn was elected president of the first county-wide 4-H council in Runnels County. He has also held a number of offices in his own club, including that of president.

Library Receives Book Shipment; To Get More Soon

The Carnegie Library board has received a new shipment of books, of various classifications, and these are being added to the shelves this week. Mrs. Dorsey Read, president of the board, states that additional shipments will be received soon and it is hoped this practice can be continued.

Books received in the latest shipment include:

- Marjorie Morning Star
- Trail Driving Reoster
- In Ponds and Streams
- Arabian Nights
- Grimm's Fairy Tales
- Heldi
- Merry Adventures of Robin Hood
- Swiss Family Robinson
- The Three Musketeers
- Treasure Island
- World Full of Horses
- Davy Crockett
- The Scotchwoman
- Riders of the Purple Sage
- Heritage of the Desert
- The Thundering Herd
- The Beech Tree
- Animal Heroes
- Anne of Avonlea
- Anne of Green Gables
- Bambi
- Children
- Biography of a Grizzly
- The Bird's Christmas Carol
- Heldi Grows Up
- Heldi's Children
- Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come
- Peter Pan, the Story of Peter and Wendy
- Poor Little Rich Girl
- Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm
- Wind in the Willows
- Mrs. W. W. Fowler has given "Treasury of Sherlock Holmes" and "Where Else but Alaska" in memory of Miss Maggie Underwood. Mrs. Ed Curry has contributed "The Kid from Tomkinsville."

Jaycees to Push Special Projects, Aid Service Clubs

Ballinger Jaycees met Monday night at the Acapulco Cafe for the first of their October meetings.

Buddy Gray presented a project which was approved. This would offer for sale a "Go to Church" car plate which reflects at night and is equally as attractive in daytime. The definite plan for the sale has not been made but it is probable that club scouts will do the selling and receive the profits.

It was voted to purchase six gilts of good breeding and these will be placed with boys of this section in a contest similar to that of the Sears Foundation for all West Texas counties. H. B. Edmondson will assist with the selection of the gilts and a committee will work out final arrangements for placing the animals with boys and the points for winning a year later.

Jaycees are assisting other service clubs in providing afternoon rides for football players and in numerous other local projects. Officers want to line up more members and invite every young man of Ballinger to investigate the organization and join.

4 More Producers, 4 Locations Made For County's Fields

The Norton, North (Gardner lime) field has gained its third producer and a fourth is certain. The third producer is Cherry Bros. No. 2-A-C. Minzenmayer, four miles north of Norton. It was finished for a daily flowing potential of 192 barrels of 47.3 gravity oil with no water. Top of pay was picked at 4,559 feet.

M. C. Account and Murray Petroleum Co. No. 2-A-C. Minzenmayer is an assured payer with recovery of 4,500 feet of free oil in the Gardner. On a one-hour drillstem test, gas surfaced in less than two minutes. The drillstem test was taken between 4,565 and 4,588 feet.

The Ballinger (Gray sand) field has gained a second producer with the bringing in of Draper, Goodale & Wimmer No. 2-G. A. Henniger, 1 1/2 miles southwest of Hatchel. It was finished for a daily pumping potential of 56.84 barrels of 42.6 gravity oil, plus 10 per cent water. No. 1-Henniger, discovery well, was completed in June for a flowing potential of 165 barrels daily.

Draper, Goodale & Wimmer have in an application for No. 1-Maude Vanell, one mile southwest of Hatchel. Operations are to start at once. It is 3/4 of a mile north and slightly west of the Ballinger (Gray) field.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. will drill a deep wildcat 1 1/2 miles east of Rowena on the Edwin Mueller place. The application for a permit calls for a 6,000-foot hole, which is sufficient to reach the Cambrian. Operations are to start when the permit is approved.

Lee Bros., of Maverick, have filed a permit application to drill No. 1-E. F. Bryan. Projection is for 4,900 feet to try for Gardner production in the Norton, North field.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. No. 2-J. G. Douglass Estate, 5 miles west of Winters, will be drilled to 3,000 feet.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 4-D. Baron, one mile southeast of Wingate, has been completed for a daily flowing potential of 556.8 barrels of 40.7 gravity oil. It is in the Sanford (Fry sand) field, top of pay being encountered at 4,512 feet.

Three Ballinger people are hospital patients in other cities this week.

Mrs. Max McCrary, Sr., operated on at Dallas last week, is making satisfactory progress, according to word received from her bedside by relatives.

Mrs. T. J. Forgye is in Shannon Memorial Hospital, San Angelo, in a serious condition. She suffered a stroke Saturday night while visiting at San Angelo and was rushed to the hospital, where her condition remains critical. Her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nixon, Jr., of El Paso, have been at her bedside since Sunday morning.

Arthur Doose, Sr., is a patient at Shannon Hospital, undergoing surgery Wednesday. He has been in the hospital since Tuesday of last week for examination and treatment.

Proponent Wins Verdict in Greenland Will Case

A verdict was reached in the Greenland will case late Friday by a jury in 119th district court. The verdict upheld the decision in county court earlier this year and which had been appealed.

The jury on instructions found for the proponent, D. D. Dunwoody and the Grand (Masonic) Lodge of Texas. This will permit probate of the will and Mr. Dunwoody is named independent executor, without bond, to handle the will for the grand lodge.

Miss Wilson Pledged at Lubbock College

Miss Diane Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, of Ballinger, has been pledged to Kappa Alpha Theta sorority at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, where she is a freshman student this year.

A May graduate of the Ballinger high school, Miss Wilson was active in numerous school affairs here. This fall she was one of the finalists in the "Miss Wool" contest.

Runnels County 4-H Club Boys Win in Sears Contest

In the county show for gilts, the following boys' animals were judged in the order listed:

- Valton Hoffman, Ballinger club, first.
- Leon Englert, Offen club, second.
- Jerry Dunn, Wingate club, third.
- Ray Allen Holman, Offen club, fourth.
- Alvis Jackson, Cochran club, fifth.
- Billy Schwertner, Miles club, sixth.
- James Halfmann, Offen club, seventh.

At the close of the contest, the Sears Foundation served a barbecue to all the boys attending from four West Texas counties.

Runnels County 4-H club boys made an excellent showing in the Sears swine contest held at San Angelo Saturday. All the boys who received pigs last year were back in the contest except David Burton, who was kept away because of the illness of his father.

Clifford Frey, of the Offen club, exhibited the grand champion boar in the district.

Valton Hoffman, who showed the first place gilt in county competition, had the reserve champion gilt in the district exhibit. Only county first place winners in the gilt division were entered in the district contest.

Most of Runnels County Covered by Good Rains

Good rains fell in a large area of Runnels County Saturday and Sunday, ranging from showers in the extreme southern portion to rains up to 4 and 5 inches in the northern section.

At Ballinger about 1.8 inches fell the two days but north of Ballinger gauges registered considerably more. The southern part of the county got from 3 to 9 of an inch.

The heaviest rains were reported around Winters, where field terraces were standing full of water Monday morning and

all streams were up. The Norton section also got good rains, three to four inches on some farms.

One farmer here Monday morning stated that the ground was wet deeper on his place than at any time in the fall in many years. He also said the rain had not damaged his crop so far. Some cotton was under water where the hardest rains fell and terraces held the water several inches deep.

Wet fields will delay cotton picking again several days but there are not many crops at work in the county to date.

Cotton Insect Reporters Honored for Fine Work

Runnels County 4-H club boys who acted as cotton insect reporters the past summer were given awards at meetings held at Winters Monday night and at Rowena Tuesday night. Seven boys worked in the program during the cotton growing season and their reports were beneficial in keeping a check on insects.

Receiving recognition at Winters Monday night were James Schroeder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Schroeder; John Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jackson; and Morris Earl Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Scott. All are members of the Cochran club.

Checks of \$7.50 each were presented to the boys by the Glenn Gin Co., Winters; Planters Gin Co., Wingate; and Davidson Gin Co., Winters.

Enforcers Report Business at Normal For Past Week-End

Law enforcement officers had about a normal amount of activities the past week-end, making a number arrests here and being notified of apprehensions in other cities.

Richard Temple has been arrested at Poplar Bluff, Missouri, for the sheriff's office here on charges of worthless checking and removing mortgaged property. A county car will be driven there this week to return Temple to Ballinger.

City police apprehended Virgil Cumble the past week-end and filed charges of driving while intoxicated against him.

Joe Flores was charged with drunkenness and disturbing the peace and paid a fine of \$45.

Buddy Watson was arrested on a charge of worthless checking.

Lupe Flores was charged with disturbing the peace and drunkenness and paid a fine of \$45.

Drunkenness and disturbing the peace charges were filed against Mota Martinez and he was assessed a fine of \$45.

Manual Flores was charged with aggravated assault and his case is pending.

Eggemeyer New Soil Supervisor Of District Two

Arthur Eggemeyer, of route 1 Miles, was elected supervisor for sub-division No. 2 of the Runnels County soil conservation district Monday night. The meeting and election were held at the First National Bank Building at Rowena.

John Barton, county agent, was in charge of the program in introduced Woodrow Hoffman, of the soil conservation service, who talked about the possibilities of composting gin trash instead of burning it. Hoffman said the composted gin trash is organic matter which is badly needed in our soils.

Mr. Barton presented awards to James Englert, Hilmer Halfmann, Patrick Halfmann and Clyde Halfmann, 4-H club boys who participated in the cotton insect program. The agent said the awards were made possible by the Bethel Co-op Gin, the Ballinger Co-op Gin, the Lowake Co-op Gin and the Fischer Gin, Rowena.

Kirby Robinson, vice-president of the board of supervisors, told the group of his trip to the Clint Harber farm at West Point. He said Harber had increased his cotton yield from a quarter of a bale to more than a bale per acre. He said this was done with Vetch and Austrian winter peas. Mr. Robinson said that the principles which Harber follows can be made to work in this area with some modifications.

Court of Honor Date Changed to October 32

Because the vocational agriculture boys are going to Dallas the next week-end, the date for holding the court of honor for Boy Scout troop 30 has been changed. The meeting will be held on October 22 at the American Legion hall, instead of October 15.

The date was changed in order to permit all members of the troop to attend and take part in the advancement program.

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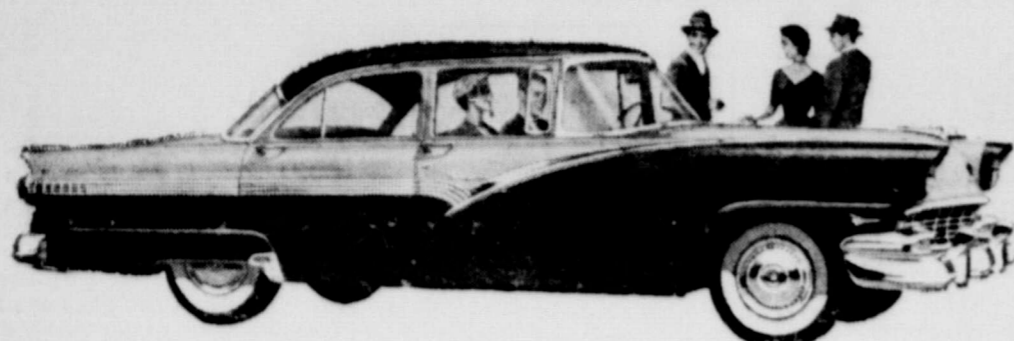
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James Ballard, of Abilene. Vayden Morrison, of Goldsmith, served as best man.

A reception was held at the home following the ceremony. The table was laid with a handmade lace cloth and was centered with an arrangement of

pink queen's wreath. Mrs. Flora Tounget presided at the three-tiered wedding cake, which was decorated in pink and topped with a miniature bridal couple. Mrs. Alice Traylor ladled punch from a crystal bowl surrounded by queen's wreath.

HUMBLE CO. TO SELL HOUSES AT STATION

The Humble Pipe Line Co. is advertising eight houses to be sold and moved from the pipe line station southeast of Ballinger.

J. W. Guynes, station superintendent, stated that for some time only two of the cottages had been occupied and the company had decided to sell all the houses and have them moved from the location. Most of the employees have been living in town the past several years.

Selling of the houses will not have any bearing on the operation of the station, which is moving a large volume of crude from West Texas fields, especially those in Runnels County.

A hidden music box in the wedding book played Lohengrin's Wedding March as guests registered from Abilene, Cooper, Realitos, Fort Worth, Ballinger, Odessa, Brownwood, Goldsmith, Noice, Kermit and Talpa.

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A cousin, Rev. Haeward Morrison, of Fort Worth, performed the double ring ceremony before

an arch of queen's wreath and greenery, centered with a white satin bow and flanked by a basket of wine princess feathers.

The traditional wedding march was played by Miss Hattie Mae Dunlap, of Ballinger. Miss Dunlap accompanied Miss Loveta Morrison, of Brownwood, who sang "Whither Thou Goest," and Mrs. Jean Mann in "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride given in marriage by her father, chose a ballerina-

length bridal satin gown with fitted bodice of imported Chantilly lace with three-quarter length sleeves and matching mits. Her finger-tip veil was of illusion fastened to a tiara of white nylon trimmed with seed pearls and rhinestones. She wore white satin slippers. The bride's bouquet was of white carnations centered with a removable corsage of tiny pink rosebuds atop a white Bible. Her only jewelry was a half-moon gold pin borrowed from the bridegroom's grandmother for the traditional something old.

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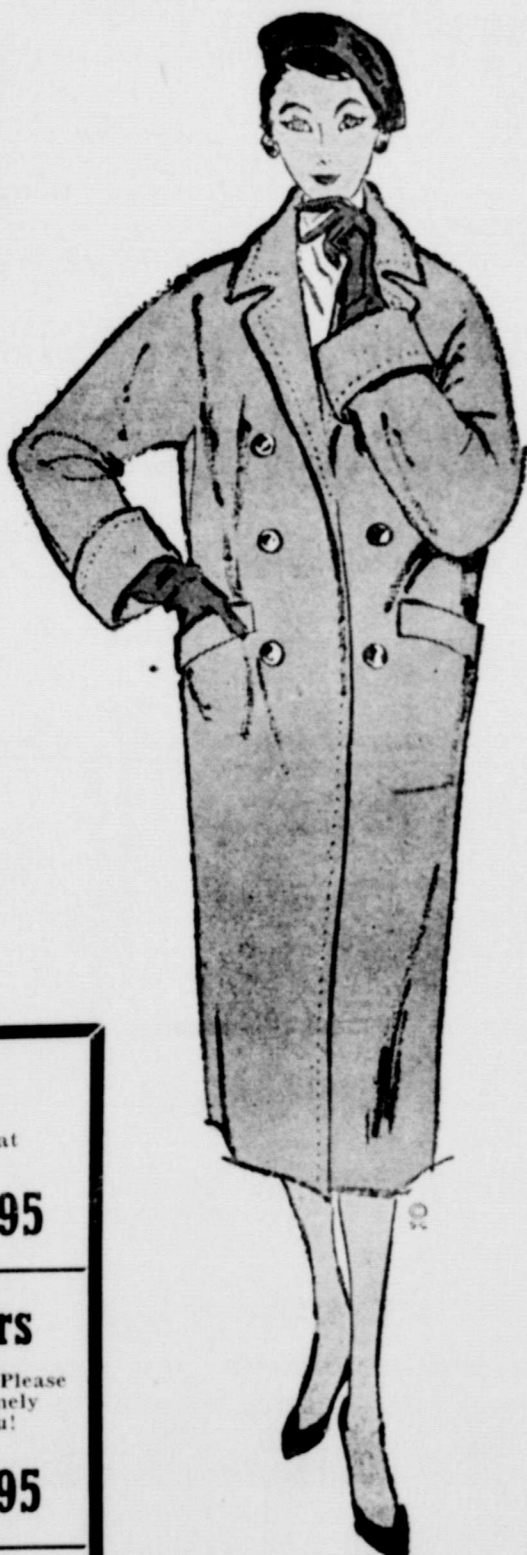
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CREWS

Several members of the Baptist Church enjoyed the district meeting recently. The Fairland Association held its annual meeting at the Lakeview Church,



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San Saba, Friday. The district training service, at Kickapoo Sunday afternoon, was well attended.

Rev. C. L. Carroll preached at the Forest Park Baptist Church, San Angelo, at both services Sunday.

H. A. Hale, of Harlingen, spent the week-end with relatives here. He was en route to Abilene, where he will move his family soon. He will be district manager of an insurance company there.

Miss Marguerite Mathis, who teaches in Paducah, visited home folks the past week-end and attended services at the Methodist Church.

Miss Neysa Petrie was a luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sommerville, of San Angelo, Sunday.

Several of the farmers have started sowing small grain but are delayed again by the rain which fell Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berry and

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Collum, of Ballinger, visited in the R. Boynton home Monday.

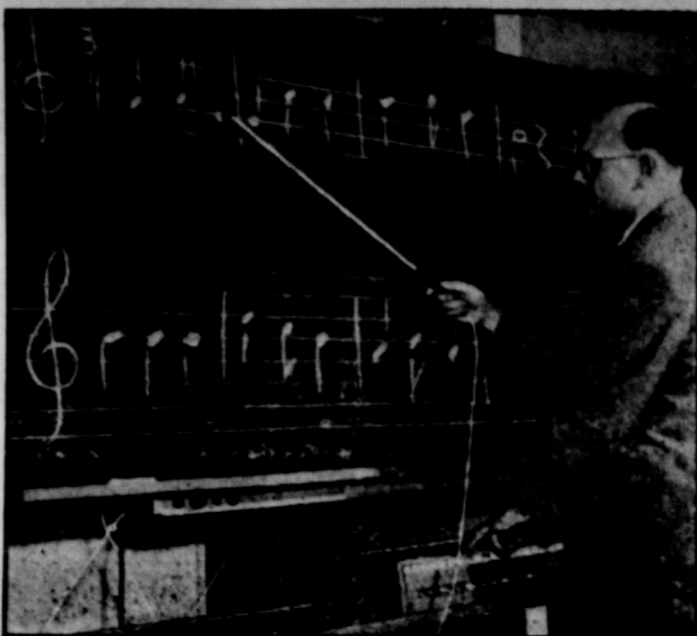
Rev. Melvin Prather and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bragg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Branscum and daughters, of Fort Worth, were week-end guests of Mrs. Branscum's mother, Mrs. W. H. Pape, and Mr. Pape.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bridwell, of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Bridwell and son, of Pampa; and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bridwell and Billie, of Sweetwater, visited recently in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bridwell and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Pearce.

Mrs. Ernest Edward, of London, visited her sisters, Mrs. P. R. Dietz and Mrs. E. W. Bridwell, the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Boynton have returned home after having been away two months. He spent several days in Harris Hospital, Fort Worth, and since leaving there have been in the



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home of their daughter, Mrs. Earl Berry, Houston.

Mrs. R. E. Burrus and Mrs. Chester McBeth visited last week-end with Mrs. Florence Robinson, of Ballinger, who was recovering from major surgery. Greetings are extended to Mrs. Effie Dietz on her birthday, October 1, and to Bonnie Pearce, October 4.

SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Archie Wallace, president of the South Ballinger home demonstration club, was hostess to members in her home Tuesday afternoon and presided for the business period.

Mrs. Jack Fry brought "the thought for the week." It was announced that five members would attend the craft school at Bruce Field on October 28. The demonstrations will be on copper, leather and aluminum tooling, cake decorating, wrap-

ping of Christmas packages and other crafts. Mrs. Neuman Smith was elected council delegate for the remainder of the year.

The next regular meeting will be held on October 18 in the home of Mrs. Austin Williams. Fruit punch was served with cookies. Others present were: Mmes. Joe Thomas, Andrew

Flint, J. L. Ohlhausen, John W. Cody, T. A. Crockett, Roy Holstead, B. M. Batts, J. P. Boothe, J. Wesley Jones and Alton Smith.

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Tomato Juice	OUR VALUE	46-Oz. Can	4 for \$1

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Apples	COMSTOCK SLICED No. 2 Can	4 for \$1	Cake Mix	ALL COLORS	4 pkg. \$1	Grage Juice	CHURCH'S 24-Oz. Bottle	3 for \$1
Fruit Cocktail	HUNT'S No. 2½ Can	3 for \$1	Pickles		3 for \$1	Sweet Peas	SUN-SPUN 1-Lb. Can	7 for \$1

MARKET SPECIALS THIS WEEK-END

Pork Sausage	MARKET MADE Lbs.	3 Lbs. \$1	Pork Chops		2 Lbs. \$1	Pressed Ham	SLICED	2½ Lbs. \$1
Stew	BONELESS GOOD, LEAN	3 Lbs. \$1	Ground Meat		5 Lbs. \$1	Beef Ribs	GOOD, LEAN	4 Lbs. \$1
Bacon	SWIFT'S PREMIUM	2 Lbs. \$1	Links	SWIFT'S BROOKFIELD 1-Lb. Box	2 Lbs. \$1	Shoulder Round		Lb. 49c
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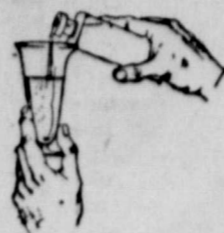
guchi and Cameron Mitchell, the stars; and Brad Dexter, Biff Elliott and Sandro Giglio. In Tokyo, Sessue Hayakawa, noted Jap star of silent movies, was added to the impressive cast, which also includes Elko Hanabusa, prominent star in Japan, as well as a number of native players and hundreds of extras. On the same program is the Leo Gorcey starrer, "Bowery Battalion," one of the Bowery Boys comedy series.

"It's Always Fair Weather," a first-run picture, starring Gene Kelly, Dan Dailey, Cyd Charisse, Dolores Gray and Michael Kidd, is the big attraction at the Horseshoe Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, October 9, 10, 11. An M-G-M musical in CinemaScope and color, with new song hits and some of the smartest dancing numbers yet devised for the screen, the film tells a modern story of three G.I.s, their friendship that weathered ten years of separation, their adventures on a New York TV show, and their love affairs. Complications follow disaster, end in a free-for-all in the Judy Canova comedy production, "Untamed Heiress," also to be shown at the Horseshoe Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Featured players are Donald Barry, Taylor Holmes, George Cleveland, Chick Chandler and Jack Kruschen.

Booked at the Horseshoe next Wednesday and Thursday, October 12, 13, as the top attraction is 20th Century-Fox's Technicolor musical comedy, "The Girl Next Door," starring Dan Dailey, June Haver and Dennis Day. There are eight new songs and dances in the film, as well as some surprising cartoon inserts.



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Reports Heard by Firemen's Auxiliary

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Reports were heard on several projects now being considered by this group.

A nominating committee was named to present a list of prospective officers to be elected at

the next meeting. Members of the committee are Mrs. Chester Afferbach, Mrs. Bob Bartlett and Mrs. Jimmy McAden.

Games were enjoyed until firemen completed their training session and were ready to be served sandwiches and coffee.

Those present were: Meses. Lynn Candler, D. G. Posey, Bill Bell, Jack Fry, B. B. Unsell, Curtis Dixon, Eskell Powell, Selby, McEntire, Afferbach, Bartlett and McAden.

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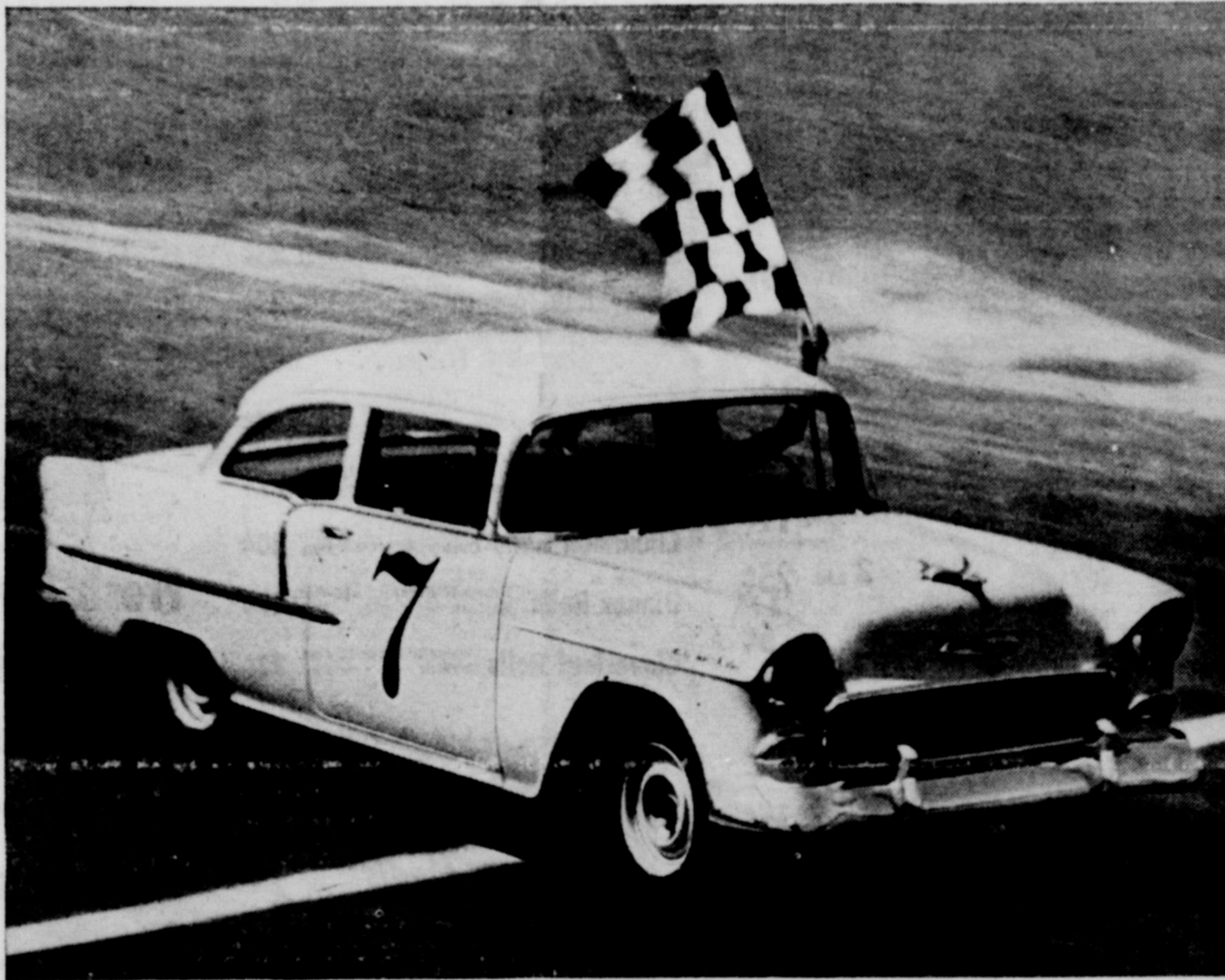
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Pancake Flour Pillsbury	2-Lb. Pkg.	35¢
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Shakespeare Club to Have Coffee

The Ballinger Shakespeare Club will begin its 59th year with a round-up coffee next Thursday, October 6, at 9:30 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Lannham Flynt, 300 Largent.

Mrs. J. B. Dankworth, president, will extend the welcome. Mrs. John McDonald, program chairman, will outline programs on "Knowledge as Related to Every-Day Living."

One October 20 the club will sponsor a Tom Thumb style show at which local merchants will display fall garments. A Texas fine arts program is to be presented on November 3, and on November 17, "Making Art Live in the Home" is the theme. A Christmas tea honoring members who have been in the club 15 to 25 years and 25 to 50 years will be held in the First Methodist Church parlors on December 1. Programs in January will be devoted to

"The World's Great Music" and "The American Music Festival." "Reading Can Shape the Destiny of Tomorrow's World" is to be presented in February. On March 1 a "Pilgrimage Through Texas" will be given in the home of Mrs. Estes M. Lynn; and on March 15 Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite will present an International program. A twilight installation will be held on April 19.

Winsome Class Installs Officers

The Winsome Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. West Talbott Monday for installation of officers and other business. Mrs. Lyndon Hargrove was co-hostess for the meeting. Mrs. Eugene Loika was installing officer, using the theme of "Building." Mrs. James Stewart, class secretary, gave a detailed report of activities of the class during the past year. Yearbooks were distributed to all members in which programs for the new year were outlined.

The meeting was attended by 21 members and a guest, Mrs. P. G. Randolph, of Winters. A refreshment plate was served by the hostesses after the business session.

Mrs. Martin Honored at Gift Party

Mrs. Kenneth Martin, who before her recent marriage was Miss Barbara Sharpes, was honored at a gift party Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Guy Bradshaw on Thirteenth Street.

Hostesses were Misses Barbara Bradshaw, Gwen Laxton, Belva McMillan and Gay Jarrett.

A yellow and white floral theme was used in party rooms. The lace-laid dining table was centered with yellow and white daisies with a miniature umbrella attached, flanked by burning white candles in crystal candelabra.

As Miss Bradshaw presented gifts from thirty-five former schoolmates she also presented a yellow chrysanthemum corsage to the honoree. Linda Darby sang nuptial selections.

Cake squares iced in yellow were served with punch to the 35 girl friends and to Mrs. Homer Sharpes, mother of the honoree; Mrs. Bradshaw, Mrs. A. J. Hendricks, Mrs. M. L. Jarrett and Mrs. Claud Thompson.

Nursery Man to Talk at Meeting of Garden Club

Jack Fowkies, of the San Angelo Wolfe Nursery, well-known authority on planting bulbs, will be the guest speaker at the October meeting of the Ballinger Civic-Garden Club, to be held next Tuesday, October 11, at 4:00 p. m. in the City Hall auditorium.

Mrs. J. W. Barr, president, will be in charge of the business and hostesses will be Mrs. Pyrie Gustavus, Mrs. R. M. Hollis and Mrs. O. K. Reynolds.

Anyone interested in planting bulbs is invited to attend.

Caskey-Smart Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thomas, of Lueders, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Judith Ann Smart, to Hal Dean ("Diz") Caskey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney E. Caskey.

The wedding will be solemnized on October 28, in the First Methodist Church of Lueders, at 7:30 in the evening.

Miss Smart and Mr. Caskey are seniors at McMurry College, Abilene.

"Self Improvement" Program for Fannie Stephens Club

The Fannie Stephens Study Club's first program of the year was held Wednesday afternoon in the library club room, Mrs. B. J. Williams, Jr., president, conducting the business.

Mrs. E. Y. Bailey, treasurer, gave the financial report and presented a budget for the year which was accepted by the members. Mrs. J. Dexter Eoff, chairman of the executive committee, reported that the club's main project this year would be

to help the library board maintain the library. It was stated that the time of club meetings will be given under the social calendar in The Ledger.

The study course, "The Better You," emphasizes the club's projects to promote and establish many local activities or aims.

The program of the day was "Self Improvement." A symposium forum included a talk on personal appearance by Mrs. Ted Tisdale. A finer figure, more effective exercise, neater and sweeter appearance, good-looking hands, lovelier hair and prettier complexion were the points made. Mrs. M. E. McClenny discussed art, music and reading to improve culture. Mrs. Wayne Reynolds' subject was religion, and she stated that it is one of those subjects that admit of innumerable classifications and theories, but the majority of the people agree that it has to do with belief in powers or beings that affect or control human life. In recognizing the religion of one Supreme Being, Mrs. Reynolds posed three questions: Who Am I? What Can I Do? and Where Do I Belong?

Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff, program chairman, presented the forum speakers and Mrs. Felix Keys, who gave a parliamentary drill. Mrs. W. E. Moss was club hostess.

Others present were: Mmes. T. L. Epting, H. G. Agnew, L. L. Downing and E. R. Nolen. Mrs. Bob Allison was a guest.

Mrs. Martin Honored at Shower in Eoff Home

Members of the Eighth Street Church of Christ were included at a gift shower last Monday evening in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. Dexter Eoff on Eighth Street, at which Mrs. Kenneth Martin was named honor guest.

Mrs. Martin was the former Miss Barbara Sharpes before her recent marriage.

Blue and yellow were emphasized in room decorations. The dining table was centered with an arrangement of blue satin, ribbon puffs embossed with "Barbara-Kenneth" in yellow lettering. The buffet was centered with a bridal scene and white candles in crystal candelabra were on either side.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to our friends for the beautiful floral tributes, your visits and other expressions of sympathy and especially to the ladies of the First Christian Church for the food and other acts of kindness extended to us at the death of our son and brother, Willard Wooden.

May God's richest blessings be yours in our prayer.

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The dining table was laid with a linen cloth and centered with a crystal bowl filled with yellow daisies, white wedding bells, and baby breath. The bride couple's initials in white were on ribbon streamers attached to the centerpiece.

LOCAL WOMEN WILL ATTEND DISTRICT COUNCIL MEETING

The annual meeting of district 10, United Church Women of Texas, will be held Friday at 9:00 a. m. in the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. San Angelo.

For the program, "His Power at Work in Our Councils," Mrs. W. C. Witt, of Ballinger, will bring the devotional. Following the morning program, lunch is to be served in the church basement. In the afternoon business session officers will be elected and installed.

Others representing the Ballinger council will be Mrs. Bill Stultz, local president; Mrs. Troy Simpson and Mrs. Carl Fouts.

HUSBAND-WIFE TEAM WITH LOCAL CHURCH

Rev. and Mrs. Lewis A. Walton have assumed duties as pastors of the Poursquare Gospel Church of Ballinger, located at 104 North Twelfth Street.

This couple was in Ballinger about ten years ago to hold a revival for the local church. They are back as permanent workers and the public is invited to come to the church services for fellowship and worship.

Notice to Creditors of the Estate of O. C. Sykes, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the Estate of O. C. Sykes, deceased, were granted to us, the undersigned, on the 1st day of August, 1955, by the County Court of Runnels County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to us within the time prescribed by law. Our post-office address is P. O. Box 469, Ballinger, Texas. The residence of Billy C. Sykes is Fort Sumner, De Baca County, New Mexico, and the residence of Bobby R. Sykes is Christoval, Texas.

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MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN BEGUN BY FARM BUREAU

The Runnels County Farm Bureau's annual membership campaign was launched Monday when workers assembled here for a covered dish dinner at 8:00 p. m. The meal was served at the Bureau's office, about 25 workers attending.

Ben Frerich, of Rowena, membership chairman, was the master of ceremonies. Marion Hays, county president, spoke on the growth of the Bureau and what had been done by the organization at Austin and Washington. Joe Satterwhite, implement dealer, talked briefly on selling the Bureau to neighbors and friends.

The county organization hopes to sign all old members for another year and add a large number of new ones.

LETTER COMPLIMENTS BALLINGER SCHOOL

Mrs. Josephine Stallings, teacher of English in the Ballinger high school, received a letter this week in which the local school and especially the English department was complimented. The letter follows:

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An Invitation was Extended

All local English teachers to attend the workshop for English teachers of district 11 on October 21, 22, at San Angelo.

CREWS SCHOOL REUNION TO BE HELD OCTOBER 9

The annual Crews school reunion has been set for Sunday, October 9. All former students of the school and teachers who have been employed there are invited to attend. A number of those who attended

in former years and have moved from the community are expected to be back for this occasion.

A highlight of the day's program will be the basket dinner which will be spread in the gymnasium at the noon hour.

The committee in charge of the program has extended the invitation this year to include all patrons and friends.

Mrs. Chester McBeth, secretary of the association, is looking after the publicity.

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**WEST TEXAS
NOTES**

State highway department engineers are disappointed in the results of the recent bond election in road district No. 3 of Runnels County, but are willing to be patient and will cooperate in any way possible. They have stated that they still are ready to go on any one of the proposed projects when the county authorities can provide the right-of-way. This means that if citizens here desire a smaller district to provide funds for a single job, the department will concur and let a contract for just the bridge and .8 of a mile of four-lane highway if that is considered the most important locally. Those who have taken the lead in efforts to pass the bond issues have not indicated whether any other move will be attempted. Since road district No. 3 is already created and there are outstanding bonds against the district, the forming of a smaller district inside No. 3 is a highly technical problem. Action by the legislature is necessary before a smaller district can be formed and a bond election considered.

John A. Barton, veteran farm agent for Runnels County the past 19 years, has tendered his resignation and announced his retirement from the extension service. Mr. Barton has meant much to Runnels County and his record proves something of the worth of the right man in the right place. His work with the youths of this county brought him the highest award possible in his line of endeavor. This record will continue to be an honor to him for many years as the boys he trained become leaders in agriculture and livestock raising. During the recent dry years, he has strongly advocated practices to keep all water on the land and received the benefits from an

Norris Willis, manager of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, has tendered his resignation, W. C. Carpenter, president, revealed. The resignation will be effective on October 10. Willis will become assistant manager of the Portales, New Mexico, Valley Mills, a peanut processing concern. While at Brownwood he also served as secretary of the Brown County Farm and Ranch Club. A committee has been named to select a new manager as soon as possible.

Coleman citizens have been called on to wage a city-wide war on stinging asps. Many people have been stung by the asps the past week and practically all trees and shrubs shelter them. A plea has been made for everyone to spray trees and

underground "season." These practices have paid off in many fields and pastures of this county. Mr. Barton always has been ready to go to the assistance of anyone needing his advice. He has conducted many demonstrations in various phases of farm and ranch work and presented specialists in these lines to show how certain work should be done. He has kept posted on new methods of insect control and the eradication of mesquite, prickly pears and other brush that consume moisture valuable to grasses. His worth to Runnels County cannot be measured and he will be missed by many close, personal friends.

shrubs at once to eliminate the insects. Health authorities stated it was not a health problem and therefore it was up to the citizens to fight the pests in their own way. The city manager said the city government did not own a power sprayer and could not perform the service.

The Rowena Lions Club considered a number of projects at a meeting last Friday night. Reports on the Boy Scout troop were given by Scoutmaster George Ruppert. Items discussed included securing a building to house the fire truck and a meeting place for scouts and various other local purposes. A report was given on a visit to the crippled children's camp at Kerrville by Rev. O. P. Schroer-luke. Lion W. O. Middleton will head the scout fund campaign on October 25 and members of the club will assist.

Winters city officials have designated October 10 through 15 as clean-up time. Mayor George Pow has asked for a sign up of trucks, pickups and other motor equipment that can be used in hauling. When a property owner has completed cleaning his premises and has trash piled, he is asked to call the chamber of commerce and a truck will be sent to get it. A number of organizations have named committees to assist in the campaign and daily inspections will be made to see that all residents cooperate. J. B. Gladden heads the chamber of commerce committee.

The Novice Future Farmers of America chapter has been reorganized for the school year and elected a full set of officers. Gay Weaver, president, is a sophomore. The chapter has a membership of 25 and a number of livestock projects have been started. There are 36 lambs, 25 pigs and one steer on feed at the present time and these will be entered in fall livestock shows. Other animals

will be purchased soon and groomed for shows in January. Rev. J. F. Vorkoper, of Miles, has been named to head the Boy Scout fund campaign to be conducted on October 25. He has named a group of co-workers and a special gifts committee headed by Joe Simmons will make earlier calls on those expected to give large amounts. At a kickoff breakfast volunteer workers will be given contact cards and asked to call on each person listed.

Life Magazine, one of the popular illustrated magazines, had photographers at Comanche last week gathering pictures and information on the uranium dirt houses. Visited were all the main centers, where a large number of people were found taking treatments. The story and pictures will be carried in a future issue, thereby giving Comanche more national publicity. Already there have been patrons from every state in the union and at least two from foreign countries. Business was reported very brisk while the magazine men were there.

Good progress is reported on the new Bronte elementary school and it is hoped to have the building completed by Thanksgiving. Final interior work is underway but will require considerable time. There have been some delays because of materials not arriving. The new building will contain classrooms, a cafeteria, administrative offices and a large auditorium. Each room will have a drinking fountain, lockers and other conveniences.

Jim Rice, who operates a stock farm four miles north-west of Melvin, reported heavy loss in his Angora goats during recent rains. A bolt of lightning struck the herd, killing 34 and injuring others. The ranchman received a general three-inch rain on his place and said the benefit of the rain was worth more than his loss. He added that all his cultivated land had been broken and planted in small grain which might now provide good winter

grazing. Second and third grade pupils at Stephenville received second Salk anti-polio vaccine "shots" last week. First inoculations were given in May before the end of the school term and the second "shots" were postponed until after the present term opened so that all the children might have an opportunity to be inoculated. Dr. Brice Terrell, city health administrator, called on all Erath County physicians to assist in the program. In the spring clinic 456 children were given "shots."

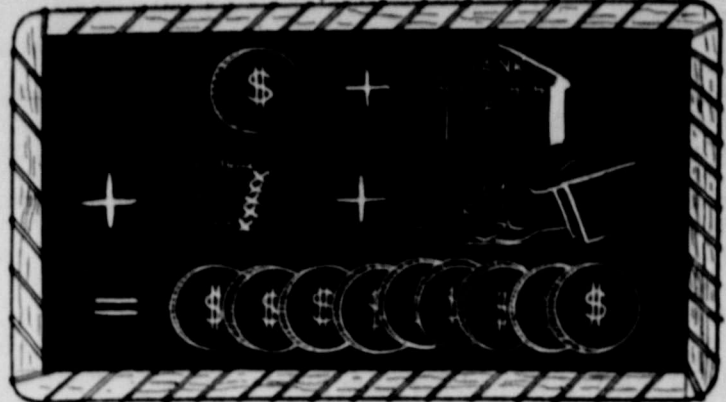
Dublin is host city this week for a Boy Scout school which brought together leaders of Erath and Comanche counties. The five nights of instruction covers clubs, scout and explorers and specialists in each of these phases led the discussions. Dublin leaders made all arrangements for the school, which was held in the First Methodist Church.

The second annual membership meeting of the Central Texas telephone cooperative was held at Goldthwaite Monday to elect four new directors and make plans for future expansion. A number of amendments were submitted for consideration. One of these would create nine districts in the co-op with directors to be named for each section to serve on the governing board.

Extensive improvements have been made in the interior of the Brady Hotel which will permit additional and better service. The Green Room has been redecorated and will be available for small banquets and parties by reservation. The room will take care of 45 people and dinners will be served there from the coffee shop. Recently the coffee shop was reopened after it had been redecorated and improved.

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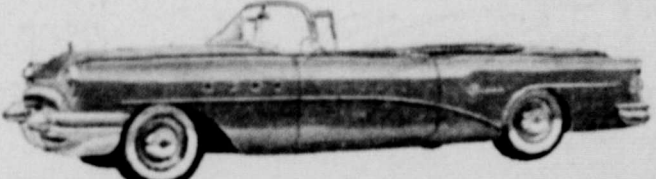
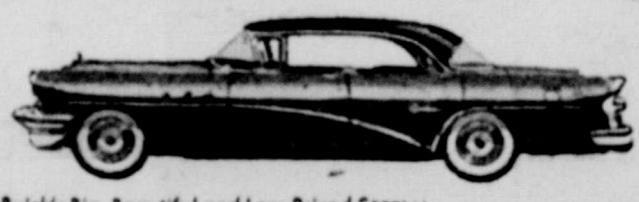
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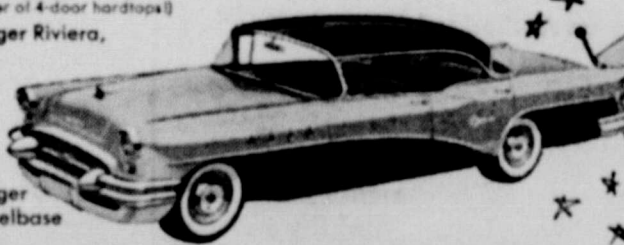
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Jerry Candler used a quarterback sneak to push his way over the goal line in the fourth quarter but some over-anxious teammates gave too much assistance in a friendly push that helped him hit pay dirt and the ball was walked back 15 yards by the referee.

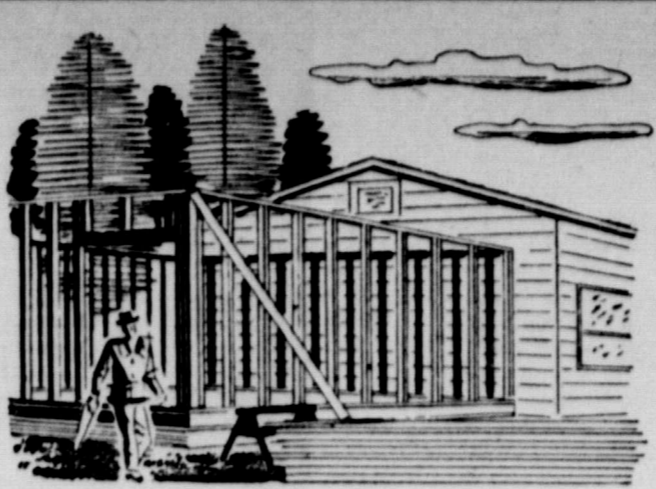
The biggest improvement was shown in a hard charging line, which stopped the visitors' running attack after the first five minutes of the first quarter. The Del Rio team started with a bang and it looked like they were touchdown bound when the Bearcats stiffened and took the oval.

Charles Holloway, Dwayne Patton, Jerry Candler and Charles Jackson all showed fans they can carry the ball and the quartet used good deception in ball handling to keep the defense guessing.

The Bearcats will be at home again tomorrow (Friday) night when they entertain the Hamlin Pied Pipers. Hamlin has a good class AA club and the Bearcats have nothing but difficult contests left. After the Hamlin game they will open the conference with five hard games on the schedule. Two of the conference games will be played here and three will be away.

Tonight the junior high team will go to Coleman for a conference tilt. The 8th grade team will play at 6:30, the junior game to follow.

Saturday night the B team will journey to Lake View to meet the second string Chiefs.



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It was a hard charging line that bottled up the Wildcats' running attack and forced the visitors to yield possession of the ball. The defense secondary also protected well on passes and broke up or intercepted seven of the eight attempted. On one occasion a Del Rioan was permitted to get behind the secondary and this cost the Bearcats a touchdown.

The Bearcats scored early in the second quarter when they



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one-foot line from where Jerry Candler carried over but the Bearcats were assessed a 15-yard penalty for pushing. The Bearcats kept up a running game all night, attempting only two passes, both incomplete. Ronnie Maedgen did a nice job of punting for the evening, turning in a 37-yard average.

In yards rushing the Bearcats led with 201 yards to the Wildcats' 151. First downs showed the Bearcats 13 and Del Rio 8. The Ballingerites were penalized three times for 25 yards and the Wildcats four for 30. The Bearcats lost two fumbles and invaders 1.

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that a Retreat would be held at Brownwood on November 15, 16 and 17. Those who plan to attend will report for reservations at a later date.

For the program, Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh talked on the Yakima Indians in the northwestern United States.

Iced grape punch and hot gingerbread was served in rooms decorated with arrangement of red and pink zinnias and ivy to those previously mentioned and to: Mrs. H. F. Jenkins, Mrs. Robert Lusk, Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, Mrs. C. B. Orabhood, Mrs. C. F. Bailey, Mrs. Horace Murphy, Misses Agnes Globber and Lillie Clayton.

Y. W. A. Officers Installed
by Mrs. Farmer

The Y. W. A. met Monday evening in the chapel of the First Baptist Church. Mrs.

Bobby Bryan opened the meeting by singing a special number and Linda Moncrief played special music during the service.

Mrs. Foy Farmer was installing officer for the following: Dorothy Bishop, president; June Hash, vice-president; La Nell Holbrook, secretary; Jackie Bramley, treasurer; Patti Sweeney, reporter. Others present were: Linda Crockett, Gall Jennings, Brenda Kay Brooks, Jimbeth Flynt and Jerea Summers.

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Ballinger Music Club Has First Meeting of Season

The first meeting of the season for the Ballinger Music Club was held in the home of Mrs. Arthur Giesecke on Broadway Tuesday evening.

Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, president, conducted a brief business session and welcomed old and new members. New members are Mrs. I. B. Funderburk, Mrs. Earl Cope and Miss Hattie Mae Dunlap. Mrs. Giesecke, program chairman, announced that J. C. Chapman, public school music teacher and choral club director, would assist in making the programs throughout the year more interesting and entertaining. Mr. Chapman will present a program on early church music at the November meeting, and at the February meeting a group of high school students will offer a public program. The resignation of Mrs. J. D. Reneau was accepted.

The program was a lecture on Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, by Thomas Scherman, and a

recording of the first movement of the symphony, played by the London Symphony Orchestra.

At the social hour, the social committee, Mrs. Troy Simpson, Mrs. Joel Bates and Miss Mary-att Smith, assisted Mrs. Giesecke in serving punch and assorted cookies. Others were: J. C. Chapman, Mmes. Charles Hambrick, Bob Bartlett, R. E. Bruce, Joe Forman, Horace Murphy, Alex McGregor, F. M. Pearce, Wayne Reynolds, J. O. Satterwhite, E. A. Saunders, H. H. Wagner, Sim Cottelle; Miss Lola Eubank, active members; and Mmes. W. R. Bogle, Eugene Loika, Robert Lusk, L. R. Tigner, and Miss Olga Schawe, associate members; and Miss Glenda Beddo, junior member.

The refreshment table was centered with an arrangement of pink zinnias and queen's wreath.

Christian Women's Fellowship Meets with Miss McElroy

Mrs. Herman Price, president of the Christian Women's Fel-

lowship, conducted the business and gave the opening prayer at the regular meeting Monday afternoon at which Miss Lula McElroy was hostess in the R. E. George home on Broadway.

A letter of thanks from the I. O. Wooden family was read. It was announced that members of the C. W. F. would pack cookies and socks to be sent to the Juliette Fowler Home, and used clothing would be packed

for the Yakima Missionary Home. Members also were asked to bring dentin yardage, suits for young men who are trying to escape from behind the Iron Curtain, to the United Council of Church Women's meeting to be held Monday, October 31, at the Church of God.

A Woman's Day program was discussed and plans made for speakers. It was announced

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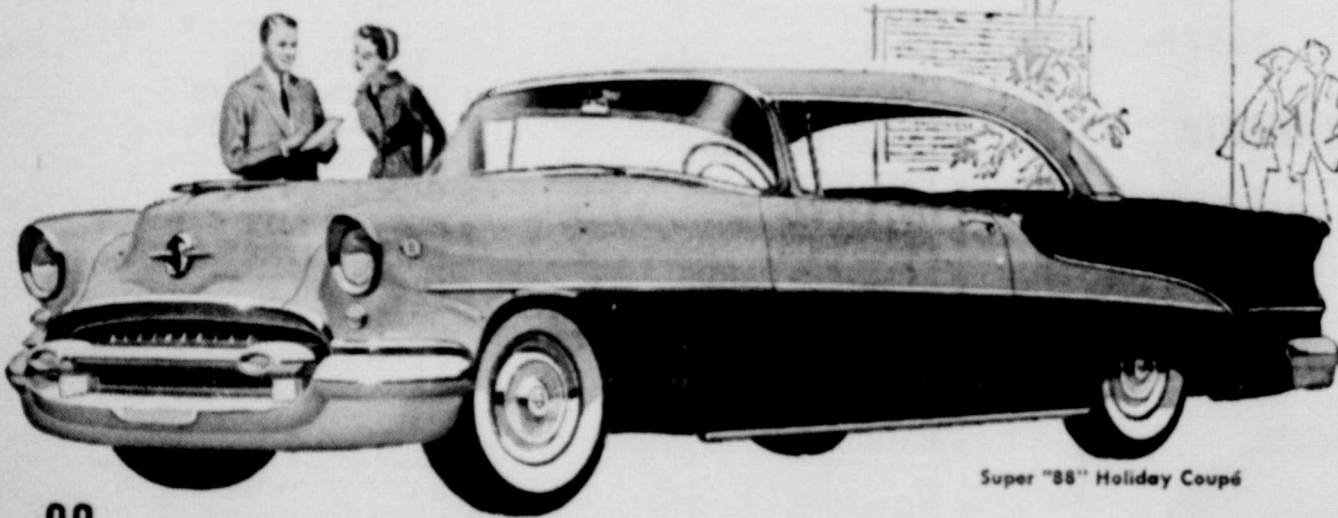
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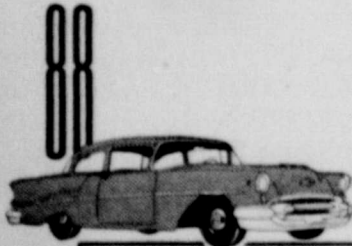
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The film, produced by Universal, will be shown at the Texas Theatre tomorrow, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, October 7, through 10.

Traced is Murphy's life from a youngster on a poverty-ridden farm in Northeast Texas right up to a memorable day in June, 1945, when young Murphy was presented the congressional medal of honor—the highest honor the United States of America can bestow.

The war experiences responsible for Audie receiving the citation constitute the unfolding of this remarkable epic, "To Hell and Back." Each incident is tenderly etched, starting with

his turn-down by marine and navy officers when he attempts to enlist. His army tenure officially gets underway when he joins the 3rd division in North Africa as a replacement.

The large supporting roster is headed by Marshall Thompson, Charles Drake, Jack Kelly and Gregg Palmer.

Warner Bros.' production of John Steinbeck's "East of Eden," to be shown at the Texas next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday shows early promise of becoming another memorable screen experience in the tradition of "A Street Car Named Desire" and "On the Waterfront." In Warnercolor and CinemaScope, "East of Eden" stars Julie Harris; James Dean, in his first screen appearance; and Raymond Massey. Burl Ives and Richard Davalos head the supporting players. Another new name to the screen is that of Jo Van Fleet, from the Broadway stage.

Marilyn Monroe Has Choice Comedy Role in CinemaScoped '7 Year Itch'

Marilyn Monroe, who proved her ability as a comedienne in "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," and in her first CinemaScope picture, "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," against displays her talent for comedy in "The Seven Year Itch," film version of the famous Broadway hit which is to be presented at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, October 7 through 11.

Tom Ewell, who starred in the play, recreates his role on the screen for this 20th Century-Fox production in DeLuxe color and CinemaScope.

Supporting players include Evelyn Keyes, Sonny Tufts, Robert Strauss, Roxanne, Marguerite Chapman and Oscar Homolka.

A new salute for much-decorated war hero Audie Murphy has come from veteran film director George Marshall, who

called Audie the "grass roots" star when he piloted him in Universal's new Technicolor adventure, "Destry," booked at the Hillcrest next Wednesday and Thursday, October 12, 13.

Mari Blanchard, Lyle Bettger, Lori Nelson and Thomas Mitchell share starring honors with Murphy in this story of one of the West's legendary peace officers.

The youngster who left a Texas farm at 17 to win 24 decorations and the congressional medal of honor in World War II, is the same Audie Murphy seen on the screen, according to Marshal Murphy's directness and honesty coupled with a new self-confidence aura, says the director, the young actor's greatest attributes and have become his trademarks.

The strong supporting roster in "Destry" is headed by Edgar Buchanan, Wallace Ford, Mary Wickes and Alan Hale, Jr.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Order of Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF RUNNELS

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas, 11th Judicial District of Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 15th day of August, 1955, in favor of Hugh M. Frye, Trustee of the estate of William Marcus Peyton, deceased, vs. T. R. Goodwin, No. 711-G-P, in such court, I did on the 19th day of September, 1955, at 9 o'clock a. m., levy upon the interest of the said T. R. Goodwin in the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Runnels, State of Texas, being the same property described in said Order of Sale, to-wit:

Oil and Gas Lease, dated Volume 222, Page 271, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, by and between W. W. Parramore, et ux, Lessor, and Jack R. Brothers, Lessee, covering 305.5 acres of the J. C. McKean Survey in Runnels County, Texas, as described in said lease.

Oil and Gas Lease, dated September 29, 1947, recorded in Volume 211, Page 207, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, by and between W. W. Parramore, et ux, Lessor, and Jack R. Brothers, Lessee, covering 244 acres in the J. C. McKean Survey in Runnels County, Texas, as described in said lease.

Oil and Gas Lease, dated September 26, 1947, recorded in Volume 211, Page 196, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, by and between W. L. Hines, et ux, Lessor, and Jack R. Brothers, Lessee, covering 110.75 acres in the E. Mather Survey in Runnels County, Texas, as described in said lease.

Oil and Gas Lease, dated January 10, 1949, recorded in Volume 222, Page 369, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, by and between Nora Mae Jones, et al, Lessor, and Jack R. Brothers, Lessee, covering 137 acres of land, in the E. Mather Survey in Runnels County, Texas, as described in said lease.

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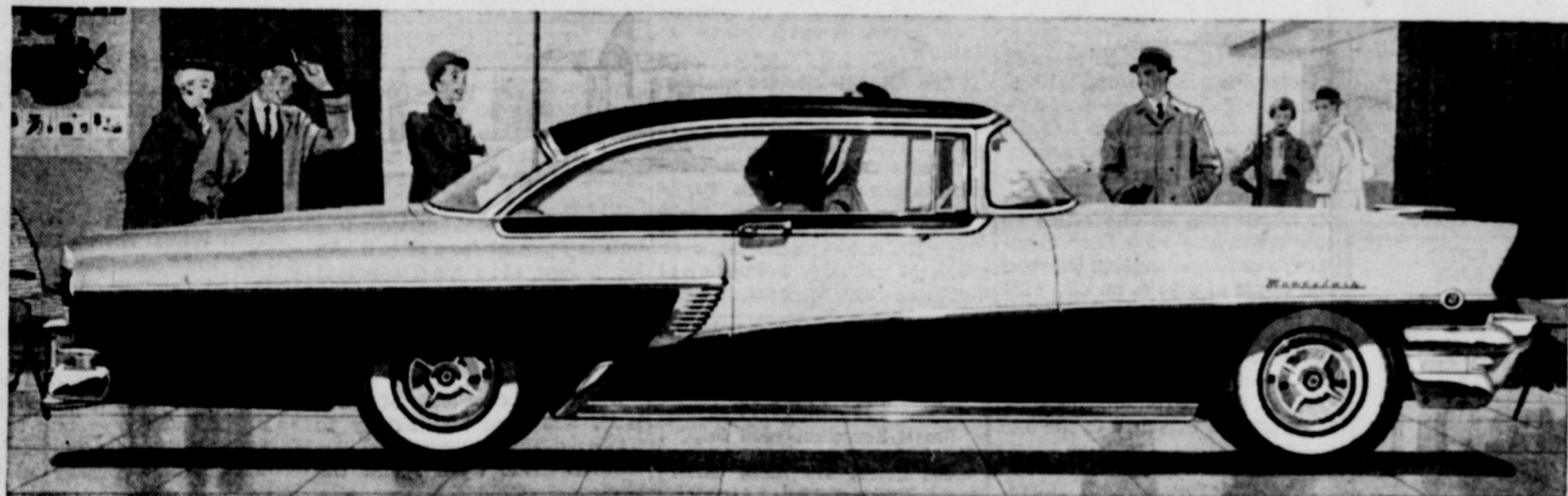
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Oil and Gas Lease, dated January 13, 1949, recorded in Volume 222, Page 267, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, by and between Miss Martha Marschausen, Lessor, and Jack R. Brothers, Lessee, covering 38.75 acres in the J. C. McKean and E. Mather Surveys in Runnels County, Texas, as described in said lease.

Oil and Gas Lease, dated Volume 211, page 211, Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, by and between Charles Matthews, et ux, Lessor, and Jack R. Brothers, Lessee, covering 140 acres out of the J. C. McKean and E. Mather Surveys in Runnels County, Texas, as described in said lease.

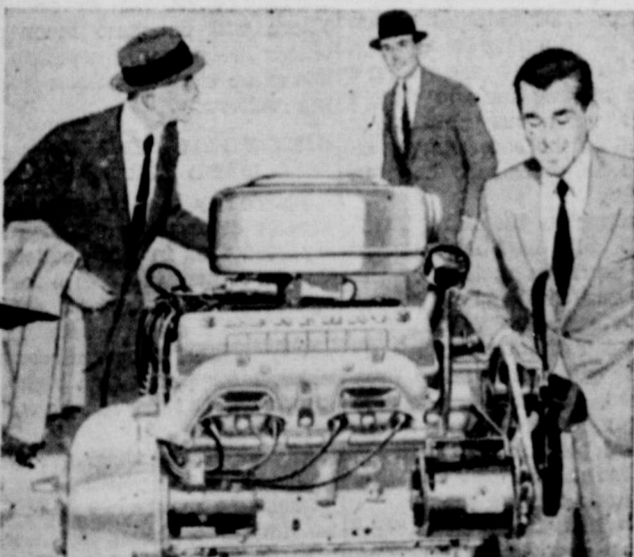
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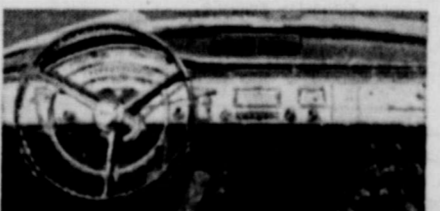
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