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City Reduces Tax Rate 10 Cents for Next Year

The city commission held called meetings Friday and Monday and met again in regular session Tuesday.

In the meeting Monday they approved the budget for next year and set the city tax rate at \$1.90 on the \$100. This is a reduction of 10 cents over the tax rate for last year when it was set at \$2.00. Members of the commission felt that with general conditions as they are, a reduction was in line for this year and cut their budget as low as possible to assure regular operations.

In the called meeting Friday, members of the commission met with John D. Allen, division manager of the Southwestern States Telephone Co., to discuss a request of the

company for a rate increase. After a discussion on the matter, the city turned down the request for the present.

Tuesday the city officials took up routine matters for the morning session. City secretary, Foy Farmer, reported that a number of dog owners have met city requirements within the past two weeks. Last week 22 owners presented certificates of vaccination and paid their dog tax for the year and received tags. City officials pointed out that this was still a poor percentage considering the number of dogs in the city. At a meeting in the near future they will study ordinances in use in other towns and cities in regard to handling dog registrations.

Modern School Building Is Nearing Completion

Workmen are rushing as fast as possible at the new elementary school building in their effort to deliver the new structure on August 16. While most of the work is completed, there are many small items to be installed and small jobs to be completed during the next few days.

The new building is ultra modern in every detail and yet practical from a teaching standpoint and the comfort and convenience of the children. The surroundings, color schemes, lighting and furnishings are in the best of taste and it will take a personal inspection tour by the public in order to fully appreciate the new structure.

The new section now being completed has twenty-five classrooms which, with the eleven in the first section will give thirty-six classrooms in the building. In addition there are offices, book rooms, supply rooms, teacher's lounges, janitors rooms and two small rooms for the school nurse, with hospital beds, medicine cabinets, rest rooms and other facilities for taking care of a sick child.

In all the rooms for the first three grades, there are private rest rooms for boys and girls, sinks with boards for painting, drinking fountains and other facilities which are appropriate and convenient for the smaller children. They are located in a wing of the building where they will come in little contact with the larger students.

Monday there was still considerable electric work to be done in the installing of light fixtures, wiring in the clock, the inter-communication system and a few other jobs. A crew was due to start work Tuesday washing windows, rest room fixtures and otherwise cleaning up. The biggest remaining job is the laying of floor tile with some 29,000 square feet to be placed in the rooms and halls. Concrete steps were completed the first of the week for all exits and entrances and water connections were being made to all rest rooms, sinks and drinking fountains.

A small amount of work remains to be done where the first 11-room unit connects with the new building.

Supt. Ernest Caskey stated Monday that school crews would be standing by when the building was delivered to start installing furniture and fixtures in each room. They expect to have practically everything ready when the students assemble on September 4 for the first day of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watkins and daughter, Marlene, of San Angelo, were visitors in Ballinger this week. The Watkins were former residents of Ballinger.

3 New Teachers Named This Week On Local Faculty

Supt. Ernest Caskey announced Monday that three teachers have been hired for the Ballinger schools to complete the local faculty with the exception of three that are needed in the George Washington Carver school.

Lavelle Foy was hired to teach industrial arts in high school. He has completed more than three years of college work, finishing at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, and having one year at North Texas State College before entering the service. He received his discharge in July and will teach here this year.

W. D. Grisham was elected to teach science in junior high and has accepted the position. Mrs. C. B. Bogges was elected this week as a fourth grade teacher.

Supt. Caskey stated that these three will complete the faculty in high school, junior high and elementary buildings. Principal Frank A. Jernigan, is making contacts this week in the hopes of securing three additional teachers in the colored school. Additional teachers are being added there to permit the teaching of twelve grades.

REV. JONES ACCEPTS CHURCH AT HOUSTON

Rev. and Mrs. Charles W. Jones are leaving Friday for Houston where he will be pastor of the Northside Church of God. He has been here for three years as pastor of the local church.

Rev. Jones came here for his first pastorate from Anderson Theological Seminary at Anderson, Indiana.

A. W. Conn of Big Spring will supply here until another pastor is called.

Mrs. Charles Harker and Miss Frances Harker have returned to their home in Peoria, Illinois after a visit with George Holman, Mrs. Virginia Nance and other relatives.

Thanks Neighbor

This edition of the Ballinger Ledger was printed in Winters on the press of the Winters Enterprise.

This was necessary while some adjustments are being made to the press in our office.

We are grateful to our neighbors for kindly offering us the use of their equipment this week and we hope to be back with our regular paper next week.



BASEBALL A LA TOKYO—Baseball, the American pastime, gets the full treatment for Japan's pro-baseball All-Star game in Korakuen Stadium in Tokyo. It's a royal fanfare, including ascending balloons, costumed girls and brass bands, and a capacity crowd of 45,000 ardent fans as the top players from Japan's two major leagues await the "Play ball" cry.

Baseball Appreciation Program Set Saturday

Plans are all completed for Baseball Appreciation Night here Saturday. The program will start at 7:45 p. m. and ticket holders are invited to be in the park by 7:30 if possible.

Ticket sales have been good all this week and those in charge are expecting a crowd of more than 2,000 Saturday. The occasion is to pay special honor to W. J. Green, president of the Southwestern League; Tony York, Ballinger manager and all the Westerners.

Tickets will sell until Saturday night at 30 cents each. Those who wait to purchase tickets at the gate will pay the regular price of 75 cents. Promoters of the appreciation night have stressed that the program is not a money raising event but an effort to assemble all fans at one time to pay honor to the people who have made professional baseball possible in Ballinger this year.

A band from the Ballinger High School will be on hand to provide music while the crowd is gathering and will play the National Anthem as Old Glory is raised, spotted by many flood lights.

Preceding the flag raising, a short program will be held in which special honors will be awarded. The entire preliminary program will not take more than 15 minutes and then the men in blue will call "play ball" and the game will be on between the Westerners and Clovis.

Tickets can be purchased at a large number of Ballinger stores this week and from many individual fans. They can be secured tonight and Friday from fans at the grandstand. Holders of the special tickets will be able to purchase box seats, if they desire, at the gate Saturday night. Chairs in boxes are worth 25 cents each or \$1 for a box of four seats. People of this area who have not seen a baseball game this year are urged to join with the local fans in filling the stands at Rannels Field Saturday night. The Westerners have provided good baseball all season and right now is one of the hottest teams in the league. Without outside help baseball would have been impossible here and that is why the special night is being held, to give honor to those who made it all possible.

PRODUCE IS RECEIVED FROM IRRIGATED FARM

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Davis received produce this week which was raised on the irrigated farm of Jones Taylor near Fort Stockton. In the shipment were watermelons, muskmelons, cantaloupes, two kinds of squash, cucumbers, peppers and other items. One of the watermelons weighed 43 pounds and all the produce was of excellent quality.

Absentee Voting Is Now Underway To Close Aug. 21

Absentee voting was started in Rannels County Monday and will be continued through August 21. During that period all persons who will be out of the county on election day, August 25, may cast an absentee vote by appearing at the county clerk's office and asking for a ballot. Ballots may also be mailed out upon request.

Homer Hudgins, county democratic chairman, has ordered all ballots printed and has purchased other election supplies for the second primary. This week the ticket was made up and will carry five offices in this county, one without opposition. Senator A. M. Aikin withdrew from the race for Lieutenant-Governor Friday and his name will not appear on the ticket. His opponent and the incumbent, Ben Ramsey, will be printed on the ticket in order to become the democratic nominee in the general election.

The ballot for the second primary will be:

- For Governor:** Price Daniel, Ralph Yarborough
- For Lieut.-Governor:** Ben Ramsey
- For Attorney General:** Will Wilson, Tom Moore
- For Representative, 77th Dist.:** Everett J. Grindstaff, A. J. Bishop
- For County Treasurer:** Steve Ashton, Earl Cope

Miss Louise Schawe of Dallas and Miss Williedell Schawe of Wimberley were recent visitors in the home of their sister, Miss Olga Schawe.

Ballinger Trio to Germany



Mrs. H. C. Fikes and her two children, Cheryl Ann 6, and Jimmy Rae 3, left Wednesday to join their husband and father, Staff-Sgt. Fikes in Bitburg, Germany. They left San Angelo by air and were flown all the way to Germany. They plan to be there for the next three years.

Over 1 Million Dollars For 3 Highway 67 Jobs

A huge highway building program amounting to more than one million dollars is shaping up for the south end of the county.

County officials received word from the State Highway Commission last week-end that the \$445,000 which had been appropriated for construction of the Hatchel to Ballinger section of Highway 83 had been transferred to Highway 67 for the building of 4.2 miles of four-lane road from a point 8 of a mile west of the Colorado River.

Approximately \$500,000 has been appropriated for the construction of a new four-lane divided bridge across the Colorado River at the west city limits of Ballinger and the first 8 of a mile of four-lane highway west of the bridge.

About \$280,000 has been appropriated in funds for the improvement of 8.2 miles of road east of Ballinger on Highway 67.

All three contracts are due to be let as soon as the county

can secure right-of-way deeds and meet other requirements.

The bonds approved in the recent election have not been sold by the court but a date for the sale will be set on August 13 and the actual sale will likely be before September 1. In the meantime, property owners will be contacted and efforts made to purchase the needed land along the routes.

The additional \$445,000 made available for use west of Ballinger on Highway 67 will make it possible for the completion of the bridge and about five miles of four-lane highway.

The county has \$300,000 approved in bonds to be sold and spent in acquiring right-of-way and other costs. The first 8 of a mile in south Ballinger will be a heavy expense as a number of houses will have to be moved to get the 200 foot right-of-way required.

As much local labor as possible will be used on the local jobs and should give a large number employment.

Farm Bureau Barbecue At City Park Aug. 16

Plans are being perfected for the Farm Bureau annual barbecue, membership meeting and selection of a queen from this county. The affair will be held at 6 p. m. at City Park on Thursday, August 16.

Each Farm Bureau member will receive a card which will entitle them to two free tickets. Additional tickets can be secured at 50 cents each and children of pre-school age will be free.

Ladies are asked to bring a cake and register when she delivers the cake to the food tables. During the program, six names will be drawn from the list and each of the six ladies drawn will receive a prize of \$1 each.

Millard Shivers, organization director of the Texas Farm Bureau, will be the principal speaker at the meeting this year.

Highlight of the program to follow the barbecue will be the selection of a queen. To date the following young ladies have entered the contest: Nancy Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thompson; Janice Frick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Frick; Jo Ann Halfmann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Halfmann; Barbara Straach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Straach. Several other girls are expected to enter before the time limit is up.

The usual big crowd is expected to attend the barbecue and program again this year. Those in charge of the serving of the barbecue will arrange to serve several lines at a time so that there will be no long waits. All available tables will be ready for use and those attending may go to any section of the park to eat after being served.

New Locations Indicate Increased Oil Activities

Three Rannels County outposts were staked in the Ballinger, Norton and Winters areas last week for oil tests.

The Rowan Oil Co. and Texas Gulf Oil Co. have filed application to drill their No. 1-Mrs. W. T. Padgett, seven miles northwest of Ballinger near Valley Creek. The application calls for a 4,500 test with rotary equipment.

The Ada Oil Co. of Midland has filed application to drill their No. 2-Mary Hollingsworth in the two-well Norton, East (Gardner sand) field. Contract is for 4,700 feet.

The Texas Company has filed application to drill No. 2-T. J. McCaughan one-fourth mile south of production in the lower Fry production of the Norton, West multipay field.

The Sanford (Fry) has been extended one location west with a prolific producer. Gulf Oil Corp. No. 2-J. W. Lindsey has been finalized for a daily flowing potential of 835.20 barrels of 42.7 gravity oil. Top of pay was picked at 4,497 feet.

Sub-Surface Inc. of Abilene has filed application to drill a 4,200 foot rotary wildcat, nine miles north of Winters which will be their No. 1-B. C. Howell.

Sam Cobb Jr. of Coleman has filed application to drill a 2,500 foot test, 4½ miles southwest of Talpa. It will be the No. 1-Ruth Evans.

Robert King of Breckenridge has filed application to drill No. 2 S. P. Gray, one location east of production in the three-well Paul Thomas (3000 sand) field, five miles west of Winters. The application calls for a 3,100 foot test.

W. W. Murray has filed application to drill No. 1-Lucy Nicksch, ½ mile east of production in the Jim Adams field, 12 miles northwest of Winters. Contract depth is 3,100 feet.

Gulf Oil Corp. has filed application to an outpost and stepout to production in the Sanford (Fry) field, two miles northeast of Wingate. It will be their No. 4-J. W. Lindsey. Rotary equipment will be used for the 4,600 foot test.

Lone Star Gas Co. has filed application to drill a 5,000 foot wildcat, 4 miles northeast of Winters. It will be their No. 1-A. W. Stocker.

J. W. King and General Crude Oil Co. have filed application to drill a 4,000 foot wildcat 6 miles northeast of Winters. It will be their No. 1-Norton Properties.

Garrett Production Co. No. 1-B Claude Brookshire has been completed for a daily pumping potential of 58 barrels of 41 gravity oil. Top of pay was picked at 2,186 feet.

Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1-Burns, two miles east of Wingate, has been finalized for a daily flowing potential of 139.9 barrels of 41.6 gravity oil.

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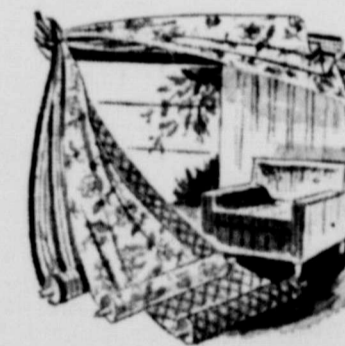
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FOR SALE—13 cubic foot deep freeze, used only a short time, price \$225 (was \$449). Dallinger Hardware Co. 9-1t

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FOR SALE—1937 chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup in good condition. See at Cody and Bradshaw Service Station or call Rural 8560F2. 9-1t

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FOR SALE—Two new homes on Pou Avenue. Three bedrooms with bath and a half.
Ed Kudlacek
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1953 Chevrolet 2-door Sedan
Radio, heater
\$630.00
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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Corner Broadway and Broad
E. R. GORDON, Pastor.
Sunday, August 12
9:30—Sunday School
10:50—Morning Worship
Sermon Topic: "The Difficulty of Preaching"
6:30—M. Y. F. Meeting
7:30—Evening Worship
Sermon Topic: "Life Time Christians"
Wednesday
7:30—Prayer Meeting
8:00—Choir Rehearsal

WELCOME

1951 Pontiac 4-door Sedan
\$480.00
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BAKE SALE
By Firemen's Auxiliary
Saturday, 9:00 a. m.
at Bell's Grocery

FOR SALE OR LEASE
Building on Hutchins Avenue near Mercer Shoe Factory and formerly occupied by Kemp Feed and Hatchery. For information call or write J. M. Williams, 3711 27th St., Lubbock, Texas. 9-tf.

A Thank You From
PRICE DANIEL

To the 622,000 Texans who voted for him in the First Primary and gave him a 162,000 lead over the nearest opponent

PRICE DANIEL solicits the support of others for:

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EATON FAMILY HOLDS REUNION HERE SUNDAY
The family of Mrs. Sarah Eaton of Desdemona, and the late D. E. Eaton, met Saturday, August 4 for a family reunion in the Ballinger city park.

A picnic dinner was spread at the noon hour and everyone present reported an enjoyable day. Some of those attending had not seen others in several years.

The Eaton family was engaged in farming and ranching in the east part of Concho County for many years.

LOCAL CHURCH HEARS TWO GUEST SPEAKERS
Orland W. Rury, minister of the Eighth Street Church of Christ, is on a two weeks vacation and the pulpit was filled last Sunday by James Hamilton who directs the song services at the local church.

The guest speaker for next Sunday will be H. L. Matheny Jr. of Austin. Mr. Matheny is a relative of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Travis and will visit here for a short time before returning to his pulpit in Austin.

The days are growing much shorter—just like the funds of the man who has been on vacation.

Several good used Television Sets
Ballinger Appliance and Electric Shop

Two Toni Todd Originals From Heidenheimer's Fall Collection



Toni Todd expresses you beautifully.

Featured in *GLAMOUR* for unlimited engagements—Toni Todd's poetic sculpturing of Crosspatch, a pretentious rayon and acetate blend with the look of fine wool. Left, a spanning Empire scrolled with white angora, banded high and haughty. Sizes 10 to 18. Right, the city-slim costdress syncopated with stripe. Sizes 12 to 20 and 14 1/2 to 24 1/2. Black, navy, or brown. **\$8.95**

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PETE
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"ON THE
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PLUS
JOHN WAYNE
CLAIRE TREVOR
In
"ALLEGHENY
UPRISING"

At the Horseshoe . . .

All Earth is the target of the flying saucers!

That's the terrifying message of Columbia Pictures' "Earth vs. the Flying Saucers," coming Thursday, Friday and Saturday to the Horseshoe Drive In Theatre. The advance word is that the picture contains the terror-truth about flying saucers—for those who have seen them, for those who deny their exist, and for all who enjoy terrific screen entertainment.

"Earth vs. the Flying Saucers" was suggested by a best-selling non-fiction work, "Flying Saucers From Outer Space," by Major Donald E. Keyhoe. The United States government gave special permission for the filming of key scenes at national landmarks in Washington, D. C., including a sequence showing a spaceman on the Capitol steps. The climactic battle of man against saucerman in the picture takes place in the national capital.

In the film, Hugh Marlowe plays a scientist working on "Project Skyhook," hush-hush military project for launching an artificial earth satellite. Several "Skyhook" rockets are shot down by men from outer space in flying saucers who devastate the rocket launching base in a saucer attack. When Marlowe chances a meeting with the weird creature, hoping

to prevent all-out war, the saucerman give him their peace terms: complete surrender by Earth within 56 days.

Despite the surrender ultimatum, Marlowe uses the 56 days to spearhead a frantic effort by all nations to develop a weapon capable of repelling the unearthly invaders. Fighting at Marlowe's side is his wife, played by Joan Taylor, a general's daughter.

At the Hillcrest . . .

Howard Duff wears two six-guns, pegged down, the badge of the expert gunman, in Columbia Pictures' "Blackjack Ketchum, Desperado," starring Duff and Victory Jory and featuring Maggie Mahoney at the Hillcrest Drive In Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Jack Webb will soon be seen in a new role. The star actor-director portrays Pete Kelly in the new melodrama-with-music, "Pete Kelly's Blues" which opens Saturday at the Hillcrest Drive In Theatre. Starring in the CinemaScope and WarnerColor production are Janet Leigh, Edmond O'Brien, Peggy Lee, Andy Devine, Lee Marvin and Ella Fitzgerald.

Few men have lived more adventurous lives than Davy

Crockett, whose colorful career is depicted by Walt Disney in "Davy Crockett, King of the Wild Frontier," starring Fess Parker and Buddy Ebsen and showing at the Hillcrest Drive In Theatre Saturday.

At the Texas . . .

"Santiago," starring Alan Ladd and Lloyd Nolan, opens at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday.

The time is 1898, the hero intrepid Alan Ladd, a Cuban helping the Cubans in their fight for independence from Spain. Ladd is an unjustly cashiered ex-Army captain (he took the blame for a friend) and he's a bitter mercenary fellow as the picture opens. Whatever help he gives the Cubans they pay for liberally.

Enter villain Lloyd Nolan, a rival gunner, also in the pay of the Cuban's, and Ladd's old enemy. One element is needed

to start that old triangle pot boiling, and presently she appears. Rossana Podesta in all her glory, as a sort of Cuban Joan of Arc with a "death to the Spaniards!" psychology.

SCHOOL BOARD OFFICE WILL MOVE THIS MONTH

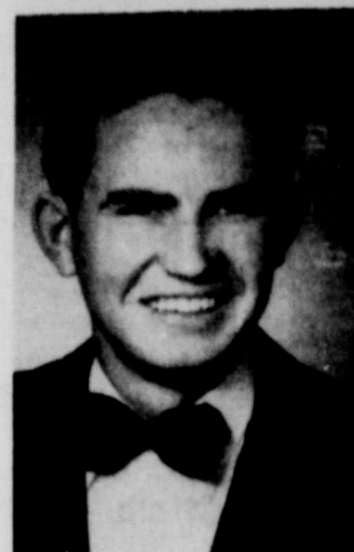
The downtown school board office will move this month to a new location. For a number of years the board's downtown office has been located in the building with the Ballinger Ledger. They will move to the Sheppard building on Hutchings Avenue, next door to the chamber of commerce.

The office handles all tax collections as well as matters pertaining to the board. The move is being made to get more room where they can properly take care of records and have room for meetings and other business conferences.

The right kind of experience is always worth the cost.

for that fine vote My Sincere Thanks!

I deeply appreciate the lead vote given me in my race for State Representative, 77th District.



HONEST CAPABLE
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And I respectfully solicit the votes and support of those who may have favored another candidate in the first primary.

Vote For:
E. J. (EBB) GRINDSTAFF
In the August Primary

Regular Meeting Of CC Directors Held Here Monday

The board of directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce met Monday night for their regular August business session.

A committee composed of Ernest Caskey, Guy T. White and Bob McGarvey was named to attend a meeting today in San Angelo. The session is an area meeting to hear and take action on the Hoover Commission report. The session started at noon and was continued into the afternoon.

Directors are cooperating with the staging of Baseball Appreciation Night here Saturday and a large number of committee members are devoting time to the sale of tickets. Reports of the industrial committee stated that 40 people were at work at the Mercer Shoe Co. and that more would be added as soon as machinery was set for use.

W. H. Rampy gave a report on highway matters and what could be expected in contracts in the near future.

Several matters were discussed but were held over for more study by the directors.

BALLINGER COACHES AT LUBBOCK SCHOOL

Ballinger football coaches left the first of the week for Lubbock to attend the annual coaching school. Several hundred coaches will be assembled in Lubbock all this week to watch and study formations and team play.

The group will be joined by

Supt. Ernest Caskey and other Ballinger school men and fans Friday night for the all-star game between the north and south. Outstanding coaches will have teams of last year high school seniors to demonstrate what has been taught in the school.

Coach Bill Gosney and assistant Paul Stuart will meet with the Bearcats this month for two week of intensive training before the opening of the season on September 7.

To the Voters of Runnels County

To you who voted for me in the first primary, I ask your continued vote and support.

To those who did not vote for me, I ask your consideration on August 25 as your next County Treasurer.

I have had twelve years business experience in Ballinger and area, which required bookkeeping and records filing.

Serving second term as Justice of Peace.

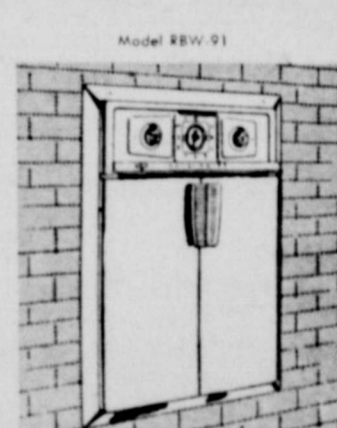
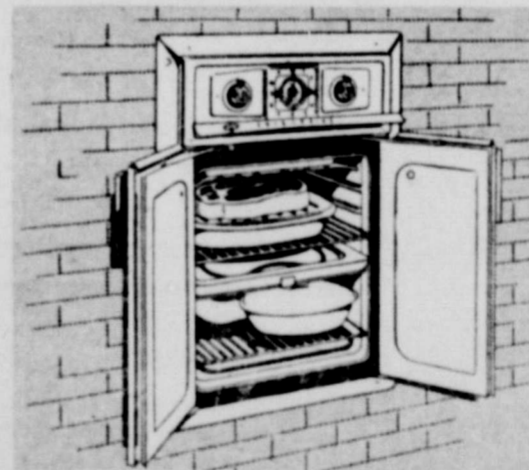
Your vote and support will be appreciated.

Earl Cope



Building or remodeling?
Be sure to see the new

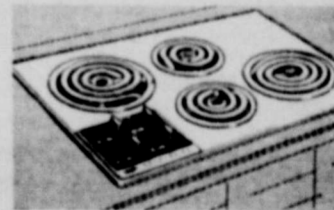
FRIGIDAIRE Built-In WALL OVENS



You've heard about these marvelous new Frigidaire Wall Ovens that install so easily into wood or metal cabinets or into the kitchen wall, itself.

Now see them — with their new-style French Doors that swing out and back — out of the way.

We offer you your choice of three brand-new 1956 models — all with automatic controls. And the Frigidaire WONDER Wall Oven, shown above, offers double-oven convenience as it is two ovens in one — with famous Cook-Master Oven Control that turns on, cooks meals, and turns off — all automatically. Come in today!



Model RBW-101. Ask to see the new Frigidaire companion Built-in Cooking Top.

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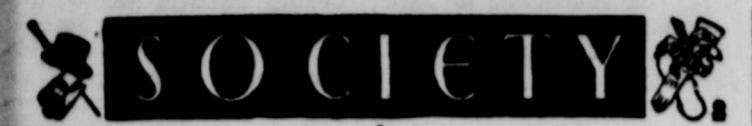
SHARP AVENUE AT BROADWAY

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Shortening	BAKERITE	3 Lbs.	75c
Toilet Tissue	NORTHERN	2 Rolls	15c
Dog Food	IDEAL	2 Cans	25c
Corn	NIBLETS	2 Cans	35c
Kraft Dinner		Box	15c
Cherries	SOUR PITTED	Can	19c
Black Eye Peas	KIMBELL'S	2 Cans	25c
Tea	LIPTON'S	1/4-Lb. Box 45c 16-Bag Box 27c	

Bif	WILSON'S—Chopped Beef	12-Oz. Can	35c
Swiss Steak	JANE WILSON	1-Lb. Can	65c
Cheese	WILSON'S	2-Lb. Box	65c
Oleo	GOLDEN	Lb.	19c
Bacon	CORN KING—Sliced	Lb.	35c
Peaches	FRESH ELBERTAS	Lb.	15c
Tomatoes	FRESH	Lb.	21c
Lemonade	FROZEN	6-Oz. Can	15c

A Complete one Stop Food Store



Rebekah Lodge No. 48 Meets For Business and Social

Mrs. Maude Jarrett, noble grand, was assisted by Mrs. Joe Thomas, vice-grand, in presiding at the regular meeting of the Ballinger Rebekah Lodge No. 48, last Thursday evening in the Odd Fellow Hall.

Miss Stasney and Fiance Honored at Dinner Party

A green and white wedding scene theme was featured in appointments at a dinner party



Others included besides the honored couple were their parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Stasney and Buddy Stasney, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Pierce and Yvonne Pierce of Winters, and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Wardlaw, grandparents of the bride-elect, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Jack V. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Agnew, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pierce of College Station, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williams and daughter, Dawn Williams, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGregor, Mrs. Barry Williams and Mrs. J. D. Williams, both of Austin, Miss

The linen laid dining table was centered with a miniature wedding scene, which included the church, the bridal couple, and the car inscribed with "Just married", and the garden scene with white and green calladium and aluminum plant foliage. The dinner menu was served buffet style.

A colonial bedspread was presented the couple from the hosts and little Jon Stone.

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Pat Tisdale and Jerry Bell. Hugh Edmondson Celebrates Eleventh Birthday

Baseball was the setting when Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Edmondson were hosts to a group of Little League players for a party honoring their son, Hugh, on his eleventh birthday anniversary Sunday.

Mr. Edmondson played the judge an umpired an outstanding game of baseball. Following the game a pretty white cake decorated with a milk, cap, ball and bat on a blue baseball field topped with 11 blue candles, was served with ice cream and cokes in the garden at the Edmondson home on Third Street.

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Those included were Steve Brown, Wayne Broussard, Bill Clark Jr., Paul Hollis, Ronnie Crockett, Archie Gallant, Billy Middleton, Johnny Keel, Gary Brown, Bobby Jennings, Glen Dale Morrish, Mac Reynolds, Wilton Robinson, Wendel Underwood, Wilton Simmons, and Sterling Cox of Brownfield.

CITY POLICE REPORT SHOWS JULY ACTIVITY

The city police department made 15 arrests for the month of July and collected \$207 in fines. Arrests were three for drunkenness, 11 for no operator's license and 1 for negligent driving.

There were no fires reported inside the city limits for the month. There were six accidents to vehicles placed at \$2,201.

City traffic officers issued 977 tickets during the month, most of which were for over-parking. A total of \$214 was collected in 25 cent and \$1 fines. Collections from parking meters amounted to \$756.

City patrol cars were driven 3,533 miles and 167 radio and telephone calls were received at the local office.

FORMER BALLINGERITE WINS PHOTO CONTEST

Gene Stuphen, a former resident of Ballinger, and now operator of the Aggeland Studio at College Station, was

recent winner in a statewide photograph contest held at Houston. His blue ribbon winning portrait entitled "Twins" took first place at the 43rd annual convention of the Texas Photographer's Association held at Houston. There were more than 1,000 portraits entered in the contest.

Pamela Price will leave Tuesday for Sterling City where she will visit Willene Glass, Pamela and Willene attended Heart O' Hills Camp at Hunt in June.

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Do You Remember? Famous Firsts of This Week

- August 6, 1890—First execution (electrocution) of human of human being, Auburn, N. Y.
August 7, 1888—Revolving door patented, Theo Van Kannel, Philadelphia.
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August 8, 1899—Patent for check protector applied for, L. M. Todd, Rochester.
August 9, 1607—First Thanksgiving service held, Phippsburg, Me.
August 10, 1821—Missouri was first state west of the Mississippi to be admitted to Union.

SINCE 1886 The First National Bank OF BALLINGER 70 Years of Dependable Service Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

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SOCIETY

Linda Ann Koller Feted On Tenth Birthday

Linda Ann Koller, daughter of Major and Mrs. Clark Koller, of Orlando, Florida, was named honoree on her tenth birthday Monday afternoon when her grandmother, Mrs. Rufus Allen, entertained a group of young people in the Allen home on Tenth Street.

Pictures were made and games were played at which prizes went to Joe Bob Moncrief and Prissy Howell. The happy birthday song was played by Linda Moncrief and the group sang it as the oblong white birthday cake, decorated with pastel florals and topped with pastel candies was served with ice cream tubs and fruit punch. Linda Moncrief assisted in serving.

Guests were James Vogel-sang, Joe Bob Moncrief, Judy Sweeney, Jan, John and Peggy Green, Steve Allen, Prissy Howell, Diane Byram, Sterling and Lela Cox of Brownfield.

Tea guests were Major and Mrs. Clark Koller, Rufus Allen, Mrs. John E. Green, Jr., Mrs. Calvin Howell and Mrs. Edwin Vogelsang.

Rufus Allens and Children Have Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen entertained all three of their children and their families in their home last Sunday.

They were Major and Mrs. Clark Koller and daughter, Linda Ann, of Orlando, Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen Jr. and baby of Fort Worth; Dr. and Mrs. John E. Green, and Jan, Johnny and Peggy of Ballinger. The Rufus Allens Jr. returned to their home Monday, and the Kollers will leave Thursday for Orlando, Florida.

First Presbyterian Women's Council Meets At Church

The Women's Council of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., held a missionary program when they met for a regular meeting Tuesday morning in the church parlors on Eighth Street.

Mrs. James Fowler was leader for the program on "The Whole Person," after the program was introduced by Mrs. B. H. Erwin and Mrs. Jack Ashton in the form of a skit, "A Medical Doctor and His Assistant." Miss Eunice Lilly read the scripture, followed by a special song by Mrs. James Palmer, and Mrs. Harper McFarland read the names in the Yearbook of Prayer and gave the prayer for missions.

"Our National Mission Work" was discussed by Mrs. Pat Wood and "Foreign Mission Medical Work" was discussed by Mrs. H. B. Fowler and Mrs. Rufus Allen. A summer medical offering for missions was taken.

Mrs. Earl Chriseman of Big Lake, Brownwood Presbyterian president, was guest speaker and she reviewed the work done by the Presbyterian.

At the social hour, Mrs. Kyle Rogers served sherbet and cookies to those previously mentioned and to Mrs. Hub Dean, Mrs. Clarence Jennings, Mrs. Willie Hoover and Rev. Kyle Rogers.

First Presbyterian Conquest Class Meets At Church

Mrs. J. E. Fowler and Mrs. Willie Hoover were hosts to members of the First Presbyterian, U. S. A., Conquest Class Monday evening, entertaining in the church parlors.

Mrs. Ed McMillian conducted



"JUST BEFORE THE BATTLE, MOTHER"—Top gladiators in the Democratic arena at Chicago, Adlai Stevenson, Sen. Estes Kefauver and Gov. Averell Harriman are shown in closing weeks of the campaign as they called a friendly armistice in the battle for the Democratic presidential nomination to attend a dinner honoring Sen. Walter F. George (Ga) in the nation's capital. George left the Senate after 34 years of service to become President Eisenhower's personal representative to NATO.

the business, and Mrs. Clarence Jennings presented the devotional after the opening song, "Evening Prayer" was sung in unison. Mrs. Rufus Allen discussed the meaning of The Lord's Prayer, and also spoke on the "Responsibility of Christians."

Hostesses served a sandwich plate with cookies and fruit punch to Mmes. B. H. Erwin, John Reese, Henry Psenick, Clarence Jennings, Kyle Rogers, Allen, McMillian; Misses Mickey Vorbeck and Lillian McMillian. Added guests were Rev. Kyle Rogers, Emil Vorbeck and Henry Psenick.

Bethel Lutheran Aid Society Meets

Mrs. Selma Manske was hostess to the Bethel Lutheran Ladies Aid Society Monday evening in her Eleventh Street home with Mrs. Leroy Forester acting as chairman.

Plans for the fall Lutheran Women's Missionary League and for the congregational picnic to be held on August 26 were discussed. It was announced that devotional booklets had been placed in the local hospital. The group approved the plan for the kitchen, which is now in the process of being built, in the new church educational building. The Rev.

W. H. Ringhardt discussed the program topic, "Litany Prayers."

The hostess served a dessert plate to Rev. and Mrs. Ringhardt, Mmes. Albert Lippe, Carl Beckhusen, Gus Behnke, Fred Bahmann, Forester, Otto Goetz, Julius Kurtz, D. A. McConnell, and J. H. Wellbrock.

Mary Lou Hammock To Marry Jack Lee Rudder

Mrs. Henry D. Larzeller of Houston, has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss

Mary Lou Hammock, to Jack Lee Rudder of Freeport, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rudder of Ballinger.

The couple will be married September 1 in the Second Baptist Church in Houston, in a double ring ceremony.

The bride-elect is a graduate of San Jacinto High School, Houston, and is now employed by Anderson-Clayton Cotton Co. Her fiancé is a graduate of Ballinger High School and attended Naval Technician School while in the naval service on Treasure Island, California. He is now a technician instrument employee in the Dow Chemical Co. at Freeport.

F. H. A. Loans Made To Many Farmers During Past Year

Farmers and ranchers in Texas obtained loans totaling \$51,416,000 through the Farmers Home Administration during the year ending June 30, Walter T. McKay, the agency's State Director at Dallas announced this week. A total of 18,348 families were served during this period.

Twenty-nine farm families in Runnels county obtained loans totaling \$48,920, John H. Curry, FHA county supervisor at Coleman reports.

Credit was advanced to buy feed, seed, fertilizer, equipment, livestock and other farm operating items needed to place farms on an efficient operating basis and to buy and improve family-type farms. Funds were advanced also for soil and water conservation purposes and to meet emergency needs.

County Farmers Home Administration committeemen must approve each loan application before funds can be advanced. The committee determines all loan applicants' eligibility and certifies the value of farms to be purchased or improved. It also makes recommendations on loan approvals and servicing actions. Members of the county committee in Runnels County are: Audra L. Mitchell, Rte. 3, Winters, Texas, and Edward J. Glass, Rte 1, Miles, Texas.

Applicants are approved as eligible only if other lenders cannot adequately supply their credit needs and only if prospects are favorable for their being able to improve their farming and repay their loans. Families are expected to refinance their loans with other lenders as soon as they are in a position to do so.

HARRIS BUYS INTEREST IN KEEL DRUG STORE

Bill Harris has purchased an interest in the Keel Drug Store an will become associated with Gene Keel in the operation of the business.

Mr. Harris has been making his home in Ballinger for almost six years and has been employed in the local store. He is married and has two children and the family are members of the First Methodist Church.

Harris graduated from the Oklahoma University School of Pharmacy and has been working since that time in drug stores.

Mr. Keel stated that the operation of the business would continue without any change in service or name.



LADY'S DAY—Members of the "Ladi A's" examine the baseball shirt modeled by Mrs. Freda Vietor, a public relations specialist. Mrs. Vietor has just been hired by the Kansas City Athletics as a full-time public relations expert, the first woman ever to hold such a post for a major league baseball club. The gray-haired woman lectures to women's groups to help the KC A's build a strong backing of female fans.



MEET MISS UNIVERSE—Carol Morris, 20, daughter of an Okmowa, Iowa, minister, is this year's Miss Universe. Chosen in competition with beauties from all over the world, Carol now bears three titles. The Duke University swimming champ is also "Miss Iowa" and "Miss U.S.A."

Vote For Steve Ashton



Candidate For County Treasurer Runnels County WELL QUALIFIED

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Rescue 'Victim' Make-up Emphasizes Realism



MAKE-UP MAN Jack Newlin, an instructor at the Federal Civil Defense Administration's Olney, Md., rescue school, applies finishing touches to some volunteer rescue "victims." The rescue school, opened in August 1952, has graduated thousands of students who became rescue instructors back in their home towns. (FCDA Photo)

Broadway Food

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Green Beans WAPCO	No. 303 Can	15c
V 8 Juice	1-Qt. 14 Ozs.	42¢
Crushed Pineapple HAVANA CLUB	2 for	23c
Charmin Tissue	4 rolls	33c
Powdered Sugar IMPERIAL	Box	13c
Jello ALL FLAVORS	3 for	25c
Ajax Cleaner	GIANT SIZE	17¢
All Sweet Oleo	Lb.	28c
Peanut Butter KIMBELL'S	Jar	33c

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KEITH'S Lemonade	6 Ozs. 14¢	TEXAS Peaches	Lb. 13¢
KEITH'S Blackeye Peas	10 Ozs. 22¢	Cabbage	Lb. 5¢
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Westerners Win Five Out Of Six In Home Series

The Ballinger Westerners came home last Thursday to start a 12-game stand and proceeded to take three straight from the San Angelo Colts and two out of three from the Carlsbad Potashers in their first two series.

Saturday night against the San Angelo Colts, Ralph Mason set a new league record for strikeouts, taking care of 17 Colts with three strikes.

The Westerners have been receiving excellent pitching from the four members of their staff with each man going the route in most cases.

Friday night local fans got the big thrill when Joe Giel hit a grand slam homer to defeat the Colts and beat Jodie Phipps, a hurler who had not lost a game to Ballinger this year.

Interest has been on the increase with each win and is expected to help bring out a capacity crowd Saturday night for Baseball Appreciation night.

Results of games the past week are:

August 2	
San Angelo	000 100 100 2 7 1
Ballinger	002 101 04x 8 10 1
August 3	
San Angelo	040 100 111 8 11 1
Ballinger	004 000 50x 9 9 0
August 4	
San Angelo	001 000 200 3 6 2
Ballinger	020 020 20x 6 6 1
August 5	
Carlsbad	000 010 001 2 7 1
Ballinger	000 110 40x 6 14 0
August 6	
Carlsbad	300 003 050 11 10 1
Ballinger	101 001 002 5 10 2
August 7	
Carlsbad	002 000 100 3 5 2
Ballinger	000 220 00x 4 5 0

BIRTHS

Vancil MacInness was born to A-lc and Mrs. R. F. MacInness August 2 at Millington Naval Air Force Base, Tennessee. Grandmother is Mrs. Delbert Vancil of Ballinger.

Shivers Speaker At Ladies Night Thursday, Sept. 20

The Ballinger Lions Club has set their annual ladies' night program for September 20 and has announced that Gov. Allan Shivers would be the principal speaker.

The program will be held at the high school cafeteria and plans are being made for 300 to attend the banquet. Tickets will go on sale this week to local lions. Later clubs in this area will be given the opportunity to attend and if there are still tickets left they will be sold to local people. A large number of Ballinger lions have indicated they will have guests for the program.

Jack Moore, president, is making arrangements for the program and tickets will be purchased through R. T. Travis, local secretary.

Gov. Shivers has not indicated what he will talk about for the Ballinger program but is expected to discuss political issues of interest at the time of his appearance here.

Tickets for the dinner are selling at \$2 each.

8 Cases Handled In Local Courts Officers Report

The law enforcement officers have made a large number of investigations this past week but only a few arrests have been reported. Several wrecks over the week-end caused officers to be called for investigations.

J. D. Eckert was given bond of \$2,000 on a charge of receiving and concealing stolen property.

Olan Mitchell was confined on a charge of driving while intoxicated and was fined \$77.80 and given three days in jail.

A. B. Mitchell was filed on for following too closely resulting in a wreck.

Lawrence W. Scott was filed on for permitting an unlicensed driver to operate car and was fined \$23.50.

Annual 4-H Camp Is Held Tuesday; Attendance Large

The Runnels County 4-H club encampment was held here Tuesday with some 130 boys meeting with their leaders at City Parks. The group arrived early Tuesday morning to start the various contests which were conducted throughout the day.

The highlight of the day was the barbecue dinner served at the noon hour, to which a large number of business and professional men were special guests. These are men who have assisted the boys in their special projects during the past year and especially in the staging of the annual livestock shows.

C. T. Parker and Jim Haralson, agent and assistant agent, were in charge of the contests for the camp.

Mrs. O. D. Bradford headed the food committee and stated after the noon meal that 185 people were served.

In senior water polo, a team from Rowena took first place. Team members were Danny Dierschke, Tommy Matschek, Ben Kilina, Roy Rollwitz, and Leon Franke. Cochran was second with Fred Austin, David Burton, Archie Austin, Stanley Bolden and Mike Hendrix. Olfen was third with Harvey Fuchs, Emmett Eggemeyer, Lawrence Halfmann, Clyde Halfmann and Ray Holtman.

The senior relay was won by Emmett Eggemeyer, Harvey Fuchs, Ray Hiltman and Ben Kallina. Second place went to Fred Austin, David Burton, Stanley Bolden and Mike Hendrix. Third place was won by Valton Hoffman, Larry Wilde, Woody Nix and David Brevard.

The junior water polo was won by a team composed of James Burleson, Louis Sneed, A. L. Mitchell, Bryan Lee Webb and David Smith.

In free style swimming for seniors the winners were: First, Fred Austin; second, Harvey Fuchs; and third, Emmett Eggemeyer. In the junior division A. L. Mitchell won first and Wendell Underwood was second.

New Law Extends Veterans Loans; Other Benefits

D. G. Posey, county veterans service officer, has received information in regard to the new law extending the World War II GI loan deadline and other provisions affecting many veterans. The bill was explained by Dr. George T. McMahan, manager of the VA Center at Waco.

The new law will permit any veteran who sells residential property purchased with a GI loan to be relieved from liability to the Government under certain circumstances, Dr. McMahan said.

Previously, the veteran who sold his property and allowed the purchaser to assume his GI loan still remained liable to the Government in the event of subsequent foreclosure and the payment of a guaranty claim by the VA.

Now, Dr. McMahan pointed out, the veteran may be relieved of liability if the purchaser assumes full liability on the loan, the VA approves him from a credit standpoint, and the loan is current.

The new law also permits World War II veterans to have their GI loan entitlement restored up to January 31, 1965, if their property was taken by a governmental agency for public use, was destroyed by a natural hazard, or was otherwise disposed of for compelling reasons without fault on the part of the veteran.

The law extended the World War II GI loan program ending date for one more year to July 25, 1958. Any loan application received by VA up to that time may be guaranteed by VA if it is completed by July 25, 1959.

Another provision permits the restoration of GI home loan entitlement to a veteran in military service who disposes of his home because of a transfer under military orders.

Veterans will have to certify that they intend to live in the home they are buying with the assistance of a GI loan at the time of application and at the time of closing the loan.

The new law also clarifies and confirms VA's authority to make the final determination of reasonable value of property irrespective of the estimate of value made by an individual appraiser.

Jaycees Discuss Business Monday And Hear Reports

Ballinger Jaycees met Monday night for their regular business session and program.

A report of the state executive board meeting held in Lufkin last week-end was given by Bob McGarvey and W. R. (Buddy) Gray. Both men attended the meeting and gave local members a highlight of the main features discussed by the board.

A report on the Model Club, sponsored by the Jaycees, was given by the organization. It was stated that attendance was good at each meeting and that the biggest need was a permanent meeting place where the work could be properly handled.

The state banquet to recognize the outstanding young man of the year will be held in Abilene in September and for the nation at Dallas in January.

The Jaycees have adopted a "get out the vote" campaign which will be conducted for the general election in November. Ballinger Jaycees will participate in this program.

On August 20, Bob McGarvey and Buddy Gray will present an orientation program for new members of the organization. This program will give the highlights of the local, state and national programs for that organization.

CHANGE IN LOCAL BUSINESS IS MADE

Announcement was made the past week-end that Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Camp have purchased the interest of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Irby in the Ballinger Florists.

Mr. and Mrs. Camp will have active charge of the business in the future and will operate it with the same lines as has been carried in the past.

2 Teachers Added For Local School; 2 Others Needed

The Ballinger school board in session last week decided to hire two extra teachers in the George Washington Carver school. This will raise the scholastic standing of that school and permit the teaching of the full twelve grades.

One of the new teachers will have a music major and the other will be a science teacher and will also serve as coach. Supt. Caskey stated that the two new teachers in the colored school would be hired within a short time and plans made for the new classes.

The superintendent is still looking for two other teachers to complete the local faculty. He expects to secure an industrial arts teacher within a short time and is looking for a science teacher.

Bill Gosney will teach driver's training this fall. He has been taking courses this summer and completed the work last week. The course will include classroom work as well as actual driving. The school owns a car which is used for the seven hours of required driving under the wheel.

School authorities are working as fast as possible to get all possible preliminary work done before the first of September.

Within a short time the first faculty meeting will be announced and all teachers instructed to be here at that time.

CLASS REGISTRATION FOR BALLINGER HIGH

Students in the three classes of Ballinger High School will register for the fall semester starting on August 29. This announcement was made Monday by Joe Forester, principal.

Members of the senior class will register on August 29 starting at 9 a. m.

Members of the junior class will register August 30 at 9 a. m., and members of the sophomore class will register August 30 starting at 1 p. m.

Principal I. B. Funderburk has announced registration for

the freshman class on August 31 at 9 a. m. This will take place at the junior high building, formerly the Central Elementary.

Mr. Forester stated that new students in the Ballinger High School who will start class-work for the first time in September, are asked to come by the office this week-end or next week and register with the principal.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Ronald Beach, Paint Rock, surgical, Wednesday

Mrs. J. B. Yancey, Paint Rock, medical, Monday

Mrs. Douglas Cox, Brownfield, surgical, Monday

Miss Elsie Jost, Rowena, surgical, Sunday

Mrs. Austin Williams, medical, Monday

James Midgley, surgical, Sunday

Mrs. Grace Crimm, surgical, Wednesday

Mrs. Jack Ard, Coleman, medical, Saturday

Mrs. Jack Nixon, medical, Wednesday

Mrs. F. M. Hale, medical, Friday

Births reported at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week were:

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barnes, Winters, a son, born August 3

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Middleton, a son, born August 2

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clark, a daughter, born August 6

Mr. and Mrs. Vince Garcia, a son, born August 5

Patients in the hospital at this time are:

Baby Raibourne, Winters

Baby Gottechak

Mrs. Bill Middleton, surgical

Lyle Winters, surgical

Gary Jacob, Winters, surgical

R. D. Jackson, medical

Danny Flaughter, medical

Mrs. C. F. Edmondson, medical

Mrs. J. Black, medical

Roy Elliott, medical

Robert Lee McKissack, surgical

O. L. Huddleston, surgical

E. S. Malone, surgical

Mrs. Edwin Zly, medical

Jimmie Nesbitt, car wreck

Rev. and Mrs. G. K. Rogers left today for Houston where he will conduct a funeral Friday. They will return home in time for Sunday services here.

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**WEST TEXAS
NOTES**

Ballinger school officials are ready to start the final rush to get buildings in condition for the opening of the fall semester. The new building is expected to be ready inside and turned over to the board on August 16. There will likely be a little work on the outside to be completed, but the arrangements of rooms and the installing of furniture and fixtures can be completed. Shades are being hung this week, floor tile laid and the few remaining interior jobs will soon be completed. School opening has been set for September 4 and every effort will be made to have everything ready for the students at that time.

Highway improvements in the south end of the county received a boost the past week-end when local county officials are being hung this week, four were notified that about \$450,000 that had been appropriated for use on Highway 83 would be transferred to Highway 67. This will mean that money for the bridge and the first .8 of a mile of highway and the \$450,000 will be available for use on the route between Ballinger and San Angelo. Prior to the bond election, the state had set aside money for the bridge project on 67 and also for the construction of the road from Hatchel to Ballinger. When the proposition on Highway 83 was defeated, local county officials

asked that the money for that project be transferred and used on Highway 67 which received approval. This has been done and will guarantee another contract in the near future.

City officials are meeting with a headache in their effort to enforce the dog ordinance in Ballinger. Another man was bitten by a dog last week-end and this has caused additional complaints to be filed in regard to vicious dogs. Owners usually think a lot of their dogs and are slow to tie them up or build places to confine them and keep them off the street. City officials are calling upon the Texas League of Municipalities for the best type ordinances and if one is found that will fit the local situation better, it will be passed and used. All that is being asked is that dog owners have their animals vaccinated, register them at the city hall, pay the small tax of \$1, receive a tag and place it on a collar which the dog will wear. Those registering a dog must have a vaccination certificate and the receipt issued by the city will be for one year from the date of the vaccination. Dogs must also be confined and in the case of vicious dogs, must never be allowed on the street unless on a leash. As soon as possible a dog catcher will be hired and a pound built. It is hoped that all local dog owners will comply with requirements of the ordinance before that work is started.

The Comanche Junior Chamber of Commerce has set meetings at which time they plan to organize the junior Jaycees in that city. The junior organization is composed of boys who are juniors and senior in high school. The group will have their own staff of officers and will work on local civic projects, especially those in the school system. They will have the backing and leadership of the older Jaycees and a full program has been planned for the youth at Comanche.

A group at Brownwood have filed applications with the county clerk asking for petitions seeking a beer election in Brown County. The petition asking for the petitions was signed by ten percent of the voters of the county. The petitions will be circulated and it will be necessary to secure 25 percent of the vote in the last election for Governor. The county clerk stated that the petitions would require 1,400 to 1,500 names to make it mandatory on the commissioners' court to call the election. If petitions are presented with the sufficient number of signers, the court must call an election in not less than 20 or more than 30 days.

The Menard school board was

in session last week to complete a number of matters. One faculty member is still needed to complete the teaching force for the opening of school. Another board meeting was set, at which time the opening date of school will be announced and a calendar will be set up for the year. Supt. C. R. Brace stated that the school would have 29 teachers this fall. Of that number 19 will be classed as elementary teachers and 10 will work in high school. A few teachers will divide time between the elementary and high school.

Brady city council with members of the State Highway Commission and county officials are studying traffic problems there. A plan was submitted by the district highway engineer last week which would build one new bridge across Brady Creek and would have one-way traffic around the court house square. The plan is being studied by Brady officials before they approve it. The traffic study would also include parallel parking along most of the blocks on the square. The traffic from all highways entering Brady pass around the court house square.

Lorraine has announced their 50th anniversary program to be held on September 21 and 22. Instead of the historical pageant, the program committee has announced that a variety show will be held instead. Members of the committee stated they had lined up a number of outstanding entertainment acts and would continue until an excellent program was secured. Men of

Lorraine will enter a beard growing contest. Rules of the contest make a charge of \$2 for a shaving permit and a \$1 charge if only a mustache is grown. Women of the community will be attired in the fashions of the Gay Nineties.

Announcement was made last week at Colorado City that more than \$300,000 would soon go into the pockets of farmers and ranchmen through the soil bank program. The money will be paid for keeping cotton and wheat acreage out of production for 1966. The sign up in the program was completed last week with 620 units signed up for placing acreage in reserve in Mitchell County. The cotton farmers of the county will draw the most of the money.

The Winters Livestock Association held a meeting last week to hear annual reports and to make plans for the annual membership campaign. The Winters association has accomplished much in the past two years. They have constructed a large building which houses the annual livestock show and in addition the dues for the memberships provides the money for staging the annual show, paying premiums and other expenses of the show. Ralph Austin has been named membership chairman for this year and will organize his forces to conduct the campaign.

Interest has increased at Bronte in regard to placing a series of dams on Kickapoo Creek north of that community. Those most interested are land owners who have experienced the longest drought in history for that area. A num-

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ber of meetings on the project were held last year but the matter was dropped because it was learned that creation of a water district would be necessary with heavy expense on the landowners of the area. Members of the state water board have stated that cost to the district cannot be determined until a survey is made.

L. P. Tuttle of the Tuttle Feed Store at Coleman has been buying prairie dogs from ranchers of that area and last month paid around \$1,500 for the animals. In addition, he also buys ground squirrels, snakes, horned frogs, coons, baby skunks and crows. Last month he paid out \$5,000 for these animals and stated that there is a constant demand for them. Just what the buyers

want with the animals, Mr. Tuttle did not know, but he stated that there was a good demand all the time.

A contract for a new high school at Baird was let last week for a total cost of \$136,505. The school board announced that the general contract went to C. L. Cooke and Son of Abilene and the electrical and plumbing contracts were awarded to other firms. Work will start within two or three weeks and contractors have 250 working days to complete the job. The east wing of the old building will be wrecked and the building will start on that site with classes meeting in the other section of the building at present.

never gets shop worn by being continually passed around.

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What Must I Do To Be Saved?

Past lessons have shown that we are not under the Old Testament as a law today, that the events of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John occurred under the law of Moses, and that we go to the book of Acts to find the plan of salvation for people today.

Christ told Peter that he could have the privilege of first announcing the conditions of salvation under Christ's will and that the conditions he bound would be bound in heaven (Matt. 16:18-19). Peter by inspiration (John 14:26; 16:13) did that on the day of Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4; 14:40), the day of the probation of Christ's last will and testament, and the birthday of the church (Acts 11:15; Mark 9:1; Acts 2:1-4; 1:6; 2:47).

Paul defines the death, burial, and resurrection of Christ as the facts of the gospel (1 Corinthians 15:1-4). Before they took place, of course, they could not be preached as facts, so the gospel could not be preached during the lifetime of Christ except in promise. On the day of Pentecost, however, those events had taken place and Peter preached to the people the death, burial, resurrection, ascension, and kingship of Christ (Acts 2:22-33).

PETER PREACHED CHRIST AND THE FACTS OF THE GOSPEL to the people to create FAITH in their hearts. In Acts 2:36 he told them to BELIEVE IN CHRIST ("KNOW ASSUREDLY . . . Jesus . . . Lord and Christ").

PETER WAS NOT A "FAITH ALONE" PREACHER. Salvation by "faith only" is an outright contradiction of the Bible (James 2:24, etc.). Peter had already told the people to believe (verse 36) and the fact that "they were pricked in their heart" and said "Men and brethren, what shall we do" (verse 37) shows that they did believe in Christ. Many of the very same people had taken part in the crucifixion of Christ (v. 23) so certainly they would not have been "pricked in their heart" and would not have cried out "what shall we do" if they were still unbelievers in Christ. Peter, laboring under the Great Commission, was taught by Christ to baptize BELIEVERS (Mark 16:16). The Pentecostians were told to be baptized; therefore they were believers.

If Peter had been a "faith only" preacher his answer to "what shall we do" by these people who believed in Christ would have gone about like this: "There is nothing more for you to do. I have already told you to believe and you have shown evidence that you do; therefore you are already saved and need to do nothing else." Was Peter's answer anything at all like that? No. Peter got his teaching from Christ and the Holy Spirit rather than from Martin Luther and human creeds (Matt. 15:9); therefore his answer to these people who believed was not "faith only" but "REPENT, AND BE BAPTIZED EVERY ONE OF YOU IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS . . ." Acts 2:38.

Christ had taught the same terms of salvation from past sins in the Great Commission. In Matt. 28:19 he said to baptize the taught. Mark 16:16 shows that the taught must be believers and must be baptized. Luke's version of the commission (24:47) shows that the ones baptized (baptism being the way to secure remission of sins: Acts 2:38; 22:16; 1 John 1:7; Rom. 6:3-4; 1 Pe. 3:21) must repent. Taking the three accounts of the Great Commission together we see that people were to HEAR (be taught), BELIEVE, REPENT, and BE BAPTIZED. Christ said the preaching of those terms was to begin at Jerusalem (Luke 24:47) and that Peter would announce them (Matthew 16:18-19). Peter in Jerusalem (Acts 1:4) by inspiration (Acts 2:1-4, 14-40) gave the same conditions of salvation from past sins: FAITH, REPENTANCE, and BAPTISM FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS (Acts 2:36, 38). Those conditions were spoken by the Holy Spirit (Acts 2:1-4), were bound in heaven (Matt. 16:18) and will remain forever unchanged (Galatians 1:8-9; Rev. 22:18-19).

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and all the brothers and sisters
were present.

Cheryl Bragg and Marcene
Matthies attended the Method-
ist Camp at Glen Rose last
week. Rev. and Mrs. Reynolds
and Claudine Berry were coun-
selors for the week.

Recent visitors in the Forest
Davis home were Mr. and Mrs.
Phelps and family, Mrs. Wil-
liams of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs.
J. H. Lewis and family of Dal-
las and Estine Branham and
family of New Mexico.

Visitors in the W. L. Porter
home Sunday were Mr. and

and Mrs. E. H. Baker of
Bridwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Pearce
and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bragg
and Larry went to Brownwood
Thursday with the ladies at-
tending the executive board
meeting of the W. S. C. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spence
of Fort Stockton and the
George Blackmons of Carlsbad,
were guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Grafton Brookshire last week.

Dickie and Royce Berry, sons
of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Berry of
Odessa, are visiting their
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mathis
visited recently with Mr. and
Mrs. Harvey O'Neal of Novice.

Mrs. C. H. Hambright went
to Temple Sunday where she
entered the clinic on Monday.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs.
Eldon Mathis to our commu-
nity. They have moved to the
Sam Mathis farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Fuller
and family of Portales, New
Mexico visited last week in the
home of her grandparents, Mr.
and Mrs. Russ Boynton.

Visitors in the Arthur All-
corn home during the past
week were Leslie Allcorn of
San Angelo, Rev. Bill Reynolds
and family and Mr. and Mrs.
Noel Hale of Talpa.

Peter Baker and family of
Pecos were week-end visitors
with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brid-
well. Karen and Cherie Baker
remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Fricha Waechter of
Douglas, Arizona is visiting in
the home of her brother, Enoch
Johnson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hambright
of Winters were Sunday visitors
in the Petrie home.

**SOUTH BALLINGER HOME
DEMONSTRATION CLUB**

Mrs. J. C. Reese included
Mmes. C. H. Midgley, S. E.
Davis, Fred Moncrief, and
James Boothe when she enter-
tained members of the South
Ballinger Home Demonstration
club in her South Ballinger
home Tuesday afternoon.

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Car Wreck Fatal To Ballinger Man Sunday Morning

Richard Neal Winchester, 25,
died at 2:50 a. m. Sunday from
injuries received in a one-car
highway accident, 3 miles west
of Ballinger on Highway 67. He
was taken to the Ballinger
Clinic-Hospital in a Newby-
Davis ambulance but died a
short time after arriving there.

Marion Gotcher, highway
patrolman investigating the
wreck, said Winchester was
traveling alone and coming
toward Ballinger. His car ap-
parently failed to negotiate a
curve and plowed into the
Dan Dorner fruit stand, swerved
back across the road and
turned over several times. Win-
chester's body was thrown from
the overturning automobile.

Decedent was born May 27,
1931 in Ballinger and attended
the Ballinger High School. He
was a star football player here
and was an end on the 1953
team which went to the state
finals. He was an oiler for the
Runnels Gas Co. He was mar-
ried to Lillie Kurtz at Ballinger
on March 28, 1952.

Funeral services were held
at 3 p. m. Monday at the
Seventh Street Baptist Church
with Rev. O. D. Carpenter offi-
ciating. Burial followed the
service in Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors are his wife, two
sons, Terry and Larry Win-
chester; a step-son, Bobby
Kurtz; his father, R. N. Win-
chester, Ballinger; his mother,

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin H.
Davies, former Ballinger resi-
dents, spent the week-end here
visiting friends. They were
house guests of Mr. and Mrs.
W. E. Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sykes and
children of Fort Sumner, New
Mexico are here for a visit with
their parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Estes Lynn and Mrs. O. C.
Sykes.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City Commission of the
City of Ballinger will receive
bids until 9:30 A. M. August
14th, 1956, for the purchase of
one (1) new passenger car, 1956
model, 4 door sedan, deluxe
body, V-8 engine, equipped as
follows:

Color—Black
Deluxe Heater and Defroster
Spotlight
Heavy Duty Battery
Automatic Shift
Directional Lights
Bidder shall submit bids less
Federal Excise Tax. City will
furnish tax exemption.

Car to be traded in by the
city is as follows:
1955 Pontiac 4-door Sedan,
8 V-8 engine, equipped with
Heater and Defroster, Spot-
light, Hydramatic Drive. The
Siren, Red Signal Light, Police
Radio Equipment, and tires at
present on the car are to be
removed.

Car can be inspected at the
City Hall.
The City reserves the right
to reject any and all bids.
Delivery must be made with-
in 30 days after receipt of
order.

Signed:
J. W. MOORE
Mayor

Attest:
FOY FARMER
City Secretary

**Contractor's Notice Of Texas
Highway Construction**

Sealed proposals for con-
structing 7.764 miles of Gr.
Strs. Base & Surf. from FM
1692, 1.3 mi. east of Tom Green
C. L. north 7.8 mi. toward
Brookshier on Highway No.
FM2333, covered by R 2225-2-1,
in Runnels County, will be re-
ceived at the Highway Depart-
ment, Austin, until 9:00 A. M.,
Aug. 15, 1956, and then publicly
opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Proj-
ect, as defined in House Bill
No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature
of the State of Texas and
House Bill No. 115 of the 44th
Legislature of the State of
Texas, and as such is subject
to the provisions of said House
Bills. No provisions herein are
intended to be in conflict with
the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the pro-
visions of said House Bills, the
State Highway Commission has
ascertained and set forth in
the proposal the wage rates,
for each craft or type of work-
man or mechanic needed to
execute the work on above
named project, now prevailing
in the locality in which the
work is to be performed, and
the Contractor shall pay not
less than these wage rates as
shown in the proposal for each
craft or type of laborer, work-
man or mechanic employed on
this project.

Legal holiday work shall be
paid for at the regular govern-
ing rates.

Plans and specifications
available at the office of W. B.
Hoppe, Resident Engineer Ball-
inger, Texas, and Texas High-
way Department, Austin. Usual
rights reserved.

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DENTISTS

Mrs. L. T. McGinnis

Mrs. L. T. McGinnis, 17, a
resident of Ballinger for only
a short time, died Friday during
childbirth at the local hospital.

Decedent moved here with
her husband last February
from Abilene where they had
been making their home. She
was born February 9, 1939 in
Okeboho, Mississippi.

The body was shipped Friday
night to Starkville, Mississippi
where funeral services were to
be held.

Survivors are the husband, an
infant daughter; her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Queen of
Bradley, Mississippi; two
brothers, Charles and Richard
Queen of Starkville and two
sisters, Barbara and Charlene
Queen of Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Duncan
left Saturday for a two weeks
vacation trip in Colorado. Jim
will try a little trout fishing in
that area.

Mrs. Altha Maasie, Ballinger;
one brother, Don Winchester,
San Antonio; his paternal
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Winchester, Ballinger.

**BRAMLEYS ATTENDING
PRYOR FUNERAL TODAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bram-
ley left Wednesday for Pales-
tine to attend funeral services
for her mother, Mrs. T. M.
Pryor who passed away there
Tuesday night.

Decedent had been in ill
health for the past three or

four months. Funeral services
were scheduled in Palestine
this afternoon.

Sister Mary Clement Egan,
dean of education at Incarnate
Word College, San Antonio, and
Miss Mary Egan, also of San
Antonio, came in Monday for
a visit with their sisters, Mrs.
W. J. Curtis and Mrs. C. T.
Moonen and their families.
While here they will also visit
their brother and sister-in-law,
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Egan of
Rowena.

To The Voters of Runnels County

Friends I want to thank you for the vote you gave me
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Catsup SUNNYHILL TOMATO 12-Oz. Bottle 17c

Tomatoes DIAMOND 2 No. 303 Cans 25c

Peaches WHITE SWANNON 2 1/2 CLING Can 33c

Peas DEL MONTE 2 No. 303 Cans 39c

Tuna BITS-O-SEA GRATED 6-Oz. Can 25c

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KEITH'S Frozen Fresh Lemonade 1 Can Makes a Quart 2 6-Oz. Cans 29c

STILWELL Frozen Fresh Strawberries 10 Oz. Pkg. 25c

KEITH'S Frozen Fresh Blackeye Peas 10-Oz. Pkg. 21c

KEITH'S Frozen Fresh—Cut Green Beans 10-Oz. Pkg. 21c

FRESH Ground Meat Lb. 25c

TENDER Seven Roast Lb. 39c

Longhorn Cheese Lb. 49c

Franks Lb. Pkg. 43c

Potatoes RED Lb. 7 1/2c

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Peaches ELBERTA Lb. 17c

Grapes THOMPSON SEEDLESS Lb. 17c

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Miss Thelma Lynn Becomes Bride of John I. Guion
Miss Thelma Lynn of Austin and John Isaac Guion of Ballinger were married Saturday

morning at the home of the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Ida Guion, 505 Fifth Street, Ballinger. The Rev. Felix Keys, pastor of the First Presbyterian

Church, U. S., officiated at the double-ring ceremony. The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howel D. Lynn of Crawford, was reared in San Angelo and is a former librarian of San Angelo College. A graduate of San Angelo High School, she is an alumna of the University of Texas and of the

School of Library Service, Columbia University. She is presently employed as Geology and Engineering Librarian and Acting Biology Librarian at the University of Texas. Mr. Guion is a graduate of Ballinger High School and of the University of Texas and is a naval veteran of World War

II and of the Korean War. While in the naval service he was twice decorated for heroism and was twice commended for meritorious service. Out-of-town guests at the wedding were the bride's brother, Mr. Luther Lynn, Mrs. Lynn and their children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Amos

Floyd and Key of McCamey, and Mrs. Key are sister-in-law. After a three week's wedding trip to Oaxaca, Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Guion will be at home at 905C W. 30th St., Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stengel and children. They are San Marcos. Order book in cents. Ballinger Press

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Snowdrift	3 Lbs.	79c
Coffee WHITE SWAN	2-Lb. Can	\$1.79
Cake Mix GLADIOLA All Flavors	Box	29c
Crackers WORTZ	2-Lb. Box	43c
Pears ROSEDALE	No. 2½ Can	33c
Tomato Juice WHITE SWAN	46-Oz. Can	29c
Grapfruit Juice TEXSUN	46-Oz. Can	27c

PRODUCE

Spuds	10-Lbs.	69c
Carrots	1-Lb. Cello Bag	9c
Celery	Large Stalks	19c
Grapes WHITE SEEDLESS	Lb.	19c
Peaches LARGE ELBERTAS	Lb.	10c
Squash	2 Lbs.	25c

Stew AUSTEX No. 303	Can	2 for 59c
Chili & Beans AUSTEX No. 300	Can	29c
Peas KOUNTY KIST No. 303	Can	15c
Yams OZARK	Squat Can	19c
Tomatoes CONCHO No. 303	Can	2 for 25c
Pork & Beans WHITE SWAN 20-Oz. Tall	Can	15c
Flour LIGHT CRUST	10-Lb. Bag	79c
Dog Food BIG MIKE	4 for	25c
Kleenex	200 Count Box	10c

Specials in MEATS ROASTS

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Rump	Lb.	39c
Pikes Peak	Lb.	49c
Shoulder Round	Lb.	43c
Brisket GOOD AND MEATY WELL TRIMMED	Lb.	25c

STEAKS

Seven GOOD TENDER	Lb.	39c
Small T-Bone	Lb.	49c
Club CHOICE CUTS	Lb.	49c
Round GOOD TENDER	Lb.	63c
Beef Ribs GOOD MEATY	Lb.	19c
Pork Sausage MARKET MADE	Lb.	33c
Fryers ARMOUR'S STAR	Lb.	39c
Pressed Ham	Lb.	39c
Bologna ARMOUR'S STAR ALL MEAT	Lb.	39c
Bacon ARMOUR'S MATCHLESS	Lb.	39c
Bacon WILSON'S KRISPRITE	Lb.	39c

Paco Evaporated Milk NON-FAT—IT WHIPS Tall Can	10c	Spaghetti & Meat Balls AUSTEX 2 Cans	59c
Salad Dressing KRAFT'S SALAD BOWL Quart	39c	Tea LIPTON'S ¼-Lb. Box	35c
Tide Regular Box	25c	Black Pepper GARDEN CLUB 1½-Oz. Box	2 for 13c
Mackerel JACK SPRAT Tall Can	2 for 39c	Tissue OLD DUTCH BATHROOM 3 Rolls	19c
Apricots HUNT'S—Whole No. 2½ Can	2 for 59c	Corn WHITE SWAN Whole Kernal 12-Oz. Can	15c
Potted Meat RED SEAL 4 Cans	25c	Vienna Sausage RED SEAL ALL MEAT 3 Cans	49c
Cheese SWIFT'S BROOKFIELD 2-Lb. Box	79c	Oleo SWIFT'S ALLSWEET 1-Lb. Box	27c

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Be and were Ch Matt 1st C week and setol Rt Davi Phel liam J. H las fam Vi hor

and chil- Mr
Queen of
Mrs. E. P.
Postmen!

Miss Joyce Ann Wanoreck and Caleb M. Knott were married Saturday in St. Boniface Catholic Church at Olfen, with the Rev. Norbert F. Wagner, pastor, officiating at the double ring ceremony and at the nuptial mass. Altar decorations were white gladioli and jeweled foliage.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wanoreck, Rowena, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Caleb A. Knott, Wendell, North Carolina.

Miss Emma Jean Halfmann, organist, played the wedding marches and the accompaniment for the church choir when they sang mass hymns.

Given in marriage by here father, the bride wore a waltz length gown of white lace and net over taffeta. Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a crown of pearl flowers. She carried a crescent bouquet of Frenched white carnations and lily of the valley.

Miss Georgia Ann Halfmann, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Pauline Wanoreck, sister of the bride, and Georgia Ann Kohutek. The attendants were identically attired in waltz length gowns of red net over taffeta. The maid of honor carried a large white nylon butterfly surrounded by Frenched white carnations, and the bridesmaids carried cren-

Wells Drug We Salute Our Town!

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cent bouquets of white carnations with miniature nylon and silver butterflies.

Eugene Wanoreck, Mereta, cousin of the bride, was best man. Groomsmen were Johnny Britten, Abilene, and Paul McGinnis, Ballinger. Ushers were Earl Halfmann and Gene Hoelscher.

Following the reception held at St. Boniface Parish Hall, a dinner was served at the home of the bride.

The bride is a spring gradu-

Steve Ashton Will Appreciate Your Vote and Support For County Treasurer

ate of the St. Joseph's High School at Rowena. The groom graduated from the Wendell, North Carolina High School and had one and one-half years at the University of Maryland. He is now stationed with the air force at Abilene and after his discharge in September will be associated with the Zachry Engineering Co. of San Antonio.

Joyce Ann Hoelscher and Dolores Michalewicz gave a statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary to the bride from the children of Mary Sodality of Olfen.

Mrs. Bobby Collins, sister of the bride, and Helen Rita Morkey were in charge of the registering in the bride's book.

Following the dinner, the couple left for a wedding trip to New Orleans, Louisiana.

Mrs. Morgan Speaks For Fancy Doers Club

Mrs. Malcolm Morgan was the guest speaker at a meeting of Fancy Doers in the home of

H. M. Bramley on Sharp Monday evening. Mrs. Morgan spoke on "The Art of Dress."

Hosts were Jackie Bramley and Marla Murchison. Frances Stokes conducted the business at which time club members voted to make toys for orphans and present as gifts at Christmas.

Peach angel pie was served to Linda Crockett, Patty Sweeney, Linda Moncrief, Betty Nix, Pauline James, Sharon Tuckey, Hettie Mae Herring, Sharon Cook, Martha Gallant, Dorothy Lange, Frances Stokes and Mrs. Morgan.

FARM BUREAU SCHOOL WAS HELD LAST WEEK

The Texas Farm Bureau held its annual leadership institute in the Baker Hotel at Mineral Wells July 30 and August 1. The purpose of the institute is to give training to individuals who have specific responsibilities with the county organizations, thereby affording a better appreciation of the farm bureau

NOTICE

We have sold our interest in the Ballinger Florist to Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Camp and invite our friends to continue their patronage with the store.

We would like to thank our customers who have made the operation of the Ballinger Florist successful.

Mr. & Mrs. W. O. Irby

make a definite contribution to the institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Frerich of Rowena attended the institute from Runnels County. Mr. Frerich is membership chairman of the Runnels County Farm Bureau.

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SOCIETY

Tom Agnew Home Scene of Tea For Miss Stasney

Miss Anne Stasney, who will be married to Kenneth Pierce of Winters, on August 30, was honored at a gift tea Saturday afternoon hosted by Mrs. Tom Agnew in her Wilke Terrace home.

White and green, the bride-elect's chosen colors, were used to decorate reception rooms. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Agnew, who presented Mrs. E. W. Stasney and her daughter, Anne, and Mrs. C. V. Pierce of Winters, mother of the prospective bridegroom, Yvonne Pierce of Winters, sister of the bridegroom-elect, Mrs. M. B. Wardlaw, grandmother of the bride-elect, and her aunts, Mrs. R. T. Hall and Mrs. Jack V. Williams.

Mrs. Alex McGregor and Mrs. Claude R. Stone Jr. extended courtesies in the living room and invited guests into the dining room. Bobbie Sue Stultz, a bridal attendant, registered guests.

The dining table was laid with white satin, overskirted in bouffant tiers of white organdy, and clusters of white roses, lily-of-the-valley and forget-me-nots were at each corner and garlands of fern encircled the table. The table was centered with a crystal tiered epergne, arranged in white fugi chrysanthemums, white agapanthus and large mums. Garlands of white sprayed leather fern and English ivy cascaded from the epergne. Three branched crystal prism candelabra holding white tapers decorated with cupids and rosebuds, flanked the floral arrangement. A crystal punch bowl and a silver coffee service

completed the setting. A lovely all white floral arrangement of mums and greenery was placed on the buffet.

Alternating in serving were Mrs. Ernest Williams of San Angelo, Mrs. Albert Kitchens, Mrs. Ted Tisdale, Mrs. E. R. Kreyer of San Angelo, Mrs. Bill Stultz and Mrs. C. L. Baker. Chicken salad sandwiches, date bread, green cake squares, decorated with white rosebuds, and green and white mints were served. Others assisting were Misses Pat Tisdale, a bridesmaid, Carol Ann Bailey, Patricia Zappe, Patricia Davis, Delle Tisdale, Mrs. Wendell Davis and Mrs. John Earnshaw.

Mrs. L. R. Tigner and Mrs. Claude Stone Sr. assisted in the gift rooms where gifts were displayed on tables overlaid with organdy ruffled covers and festooned with lace ribbons. More than 225 friends of the honoree were included at the tea.

The honoree wore a trousseau tea-length gown of pink net over taffeta. A crushed taffeta cummerbund topped the full ruffled skirt and a cascade of pink rosebuds fell to the hemline from the strapless bodice. Her corsage was pink rosebuds.

Wesleyan Service Guild Meets At Methodist Church

Mrs. Ruel Boswell, president, conducted the business and gave the opening prayer at the regular meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church Monday evening in the church parlors. Mrs. W. C. Witt, president of the W. S. C. S. was in charge of the program on "Measuring Our Growth." Mrs. Witt gave a short resume of the work

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done by the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service, and also outlined the work to be done in the next four years. Miss Ann Midgley gave the devotional. The program was closed with the Guild benediction.

At the social hour, Mrs. Boswell served home made ice cream and cookies. Others present were Mmes. L. M. Bowden, Cordelia Forgey, W. O. Irby, Ona Penn, M. E. McClen-

ny, Archie Smith, M. B. Webb, Gertrude Woods, Flay Brevard and Joe Forman.

Christian Women's Fellowship Guild In Clark Home

Mrs. Marvin Clark was hostess to members of the First Christian Women's Fellowship Guild in her home on Monday evening with Mrs. D. B. Crockett, president, directing the business.

Mrs. Lynn Burkes presented



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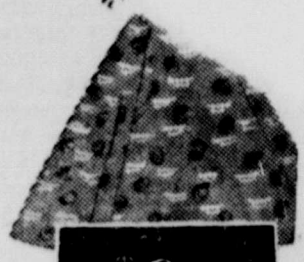
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the program on "The needs of our Community." She was assisted by Mmes. Charles Clifton, Clark, E. T. Rogers, H. B. Edmondson and Mrs. Crockett. Mrs. M. A. Foy brought the devotional on the same topic. The class voted to contribute \$10 as a gift to Winifred Penner, who has been making her home at Jarvis Orphanage, but will be making a concert tour to Europe soon.

The hostess served a sandwich plate with punch to those previously mentioned and to Miss Mary Jane Kiechle and Miss Lula McElroy.

Mrs. Kenneth C. Massey, of Lambertville, New Jersey, visited her mother, Mrs. John Hash, and sister, Miss Anna Belle Hash recently. Mrs. Massey was enroute to Green Lake, Wisconsin, where she will be an instructor in dramatics at the American Baptist Assembly during August. She was accompanied to Green Lake by Miss Anna Belle Hash where she will be vacationing three weeks.

Paul Price, Skeet Pearce and Buddy Stasney will return home Tuesday after attending the Canadian Canoe Trail with 27 other explorer Boy Scouts the past 18 days.

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Direct Delegates

The county democratic convention

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Saturday afternoon with

about 30 people attending. Jack

Moore, was elected chairman

and Claude Mansell, secretary

for the business.

The convention was a quiet

affair with no issues coming

before the group. The following

list of delegates was elected to

attend the state convention in

Fort Worth in September: Jack

Moore, Cal Adair, Homer Hud-

gins, Mrs. Ruth Little, R. E.

Bruce, Max McCrary and C.

R. Stone.

Among the resolutions passed

by the convention was one

calling for amendment of state

laws so there would be no com-

pulsory education for white

children in integrated schools

and one urging interposition

concerning state control of

natural resources.

TALPA LIONS CLUB

PLAN FOR BARBECUE

The Talpa Lions Club is

perfecting plans for the annual

barbecue August 23, which

draws a large crowd each year.

The affair will be held on the

Alcorn Ranch, where it has

been for the past several years.

Committees started the sale

of tickets the past week and

will push this until the date of

the program. The meeting will

open at 8 p. m. with serving

of the barbecue dinner and this

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 - Sliced Bacon Capital 1-Lb. Cello **43¢**
 - Luncheon Meat Pickle, Pimiento or Spiced-Sliced 8-Oz. Fig. **29¢**

- Check these low prices!**
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 - Preserves or Jelly Empress 12-Oz. Strawberry Jar **31¢**
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- Skylark Rolls Brown and Serve 6 and 6 12-Oz. Fig. **23¢**
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