

Baseball Opener Tuesday Night

Guy White to Killeen As Lone Star Manager

Guy T. White, manager of the Lone Star Gas Co. for the past two years has been transferred to Killeen, effective May 1. He was there the first of the week looking over the Killeen office and attending a district manager's meeting in Waco.

Mr. White stated that he would be back and forth from his work at Killeen and his family in Ballinger until the last of May. Mrs. White and the children will remain here until the close of the school year.

He will replace Frank Grevelle at Killeen, another former Ballinger manager. Mr. Grevelle has been sent to Waco where he will be a plant superintendent.

Since coming to Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. White have been active in church and civic affairs



WHAT A TORNADO CAN DO—Mrs. Charlotte Ada Johnson comforts her 1½-year-old daughter while helplessly surveying the wreckage of her home in the Records Crossing section of Dallas, Tex. The huge death-bringing tornado has passed by; the job of reconstruction has just begun. Mrs. Johnson's family happened to survive the storm but four of her next-door neighbors died in it.

Good Reports Heard At Council Meeting

The Runnels County home demonstration club council met Friday afternoon in the conference room at the court house for their regular April session.

Clyde Simmons presided and Miss Pauline Shiller read "The Desires of the Club Women of Runnels County." There were 22 members present, representing 10 clubs.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, agent, read a letter from Miss Thelma Casey, district agent, complimenting the workshop presented by the Runnels County women at the district meeting in Abilene on April 3. She also announced that Mrs. Mary Lou Miller, conservation homemaker for the county, has been judged regional homemaker in a group of 40 counties. She will go to Uvalde on May 23 where she will receive a silver tray at a banquet in her honor.

The council committee chairman reported on the various workshops held in Abilene at the district meet. This work will be given to the clubs through training meetings for leaders during the year. Leaders training on citizenship and civil defense will be given on April 24 and "Milk Three Times a Day" will be given to foods leaders on April 30.

The THDA chairman, Mrs. J. L. Ohihausen, gave a report on the district meeting and council delegates will give the report to their clubs. There were 37 women from Runnels County clubs present with nine clubs represented. A total of 243 attended from all the districts.

Miss Ohihausen announced that the 4-H district camp will be held May 29, 30 and 31 in Kerrville. Five boys, five girls and two adult leaders will attend from each 4-H club.

Mrs. Robert Conner gave the treasurer's report. Rally day was scheduled for July 25, subject to the club's approval.

Miss Bob Rothman of Dallas will be in Ballinger on October 4 to give a demonstration on grooming and accessories. The public will be invited to this meeting.

The council voted to pay for a medicine cabinet that was broken in an exhibit window and also to pay expenses of the three delegates to Abilene.

April 28 to May 4 is National Home Demonstration Club Week and will be celebrated in different ways by the clubs.

April is the month for "Know Your Neighbor" programs and each club has visited or entertained another club of the county. The visiting club brings a program on "Safety in the Home" or "Let's Work it Out Together."

The often and Rowena clubs have sent an Easter package to the State Hospital at Abilene this month and a baby bed and mattress was donated to the hospital by Mrs. Carley Watkins.

Mrs. Thes Egan and Mrs. John Cody will give a training program on recreation in May and Mrs. Cody will lead the recreation at the May council meeting.

8 Little League Teams Drawn Tuesday Night

A meeting of the Ballinger Little League was held Tuesday night at which time players were drawn for 8 teams, a schedule approved and numerous other matters completed for the 1957 season.

The registration of players was large this year and all who had met league requirements by Monday night were placed on teams. Those who register between now and May 1 will be placed in a pool and used later in the season for replacements. The registration provided as many as 17 players to the team in the first drawing.

Practice sessions will be started at once and the first game will be played on May 10. With more than 160 games of baseball to be scheduled at the Little League Park this summer, the committee has a hard time getting all set for the three months season.

The teams in the Pony League have not been drawn, due to a shortage of boys and this schedule has not been made up. G. A. Morrish, league president, said it would be completed as soon as possible so that the complete schedule for the two leagues can be published. It is necessary to publish them together as both are in action on the same nights.

Following is a list of the Little League teams, their managers and players assigned.

Ballinger Clinic-Hospital, Dr. O. H. Chandler, manager, with the following players: Joe Don Murman, James Baker, Willie Earl Washington, Joe Louis Brooks, Tommy Brunson, Henry Lee Boothe, Stephen Brunson, Wayne Lee Moreland, Charles Chandler, John Michael King, Jerry Lee Hallmark, James W. Campbell, Van Kent Flanagan, Glen Dale Morrish, Bobby Tom Bailey, Theodore Gonzales, Bobby Kurtz.

Nix-Olds Company, Winton Milliff, manager, and players: Michael Lippe, Linn Parrish, Paul Sales Jr., Scott McCrary, Freddie Leon Lee, T. Kyle Mansell, Tommy Jobe, Jack Davis, Charles Taylor, Dickie Ray Redman, Billy Weldon Cook, Jerry Byram, Stonie Ross Price, Gerald W. Tinney, James Wood, Charley Blackshear.

Ballinger Coop Gin, Jack Fry, manager, players: Leland Hamner, Glenn Owens, Lewis Duffy, Ricky Hargrove, Tommy Selby, Cletes Wayne Kilgough, Roy Keith Blackshear, Dwayne Thompson, Charles Wood, Gary Atkins, Raymond Anderson, Ches Wayne Neff, Edman Ray Morrison, Cecil Merie Price, Jackie Fry, Wendel Underwood.

Texas Theatre, Louis Brown, manager, players: Hal Beuauau, Dennis Michael Wilson, Danny McGraw, Alvin McNelly, Steve Brown, Phillip Buchanan, Larry Wayne Hays, Thomas Beustein, Eddie McNelly, Robert Virden, Eddie Kottik, Grant Lee, Butch Gunyon, Gary Brown, Calvin Hallmark, Kuben Gomez.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co., D. W. Turner, manager, players: John Bob Cody, Tommy New, Bobo Gray, Larry Eugene Hampton, Michael Skipper, Charles Alvin Drake, Gilbert

1958 Stock Shows Plans Are Started By Committee Here

The Agricultural Committee of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce met Monday night to start plans for the 1958 livestock shows.

Foy Farmer is chairman of the committee this year and will be assisted by Jack Fry and all department superintendents and their assistants.

The group held a discussion on the 1958 stock show and decided that the fat stock show and the commercial show will be held separate and on different dates.

This year all commercial stock will be weighed in and started on November 30 and the show and sale will be 105 days later on March 15, 1958. It is expected that sheep, cattle and hogs will be included in the commercial project this year.

The regular show for 4-H club boys and F. F. A. members in the south part of the county will be held in January with the exact date to be set later.

Others attending the meeting Monday night included F. A. Dismore, superintendent of the poultry and rabbit division; Milton Crenwedge, Norton F. F. A. instructor; H. B. Edmondson, Ballinger F. F. A. instructor; John Byers, sheep division superintendent and his assistants, Alvin Spreen and B. J. Condra; Dawson Coleman, Miles F. F. A. instructor; Jim Haralson, 4-H club representative and Tom Caudle, Ballinger Chamber of Commerce manager.

Four members of the committee were unable to attend because of other meetings.

CHURCH WOMEN PLAN PROGRAM APRIL 29

The Ballinger Council of United Church Women will have their annual observance with a program, to be followed by a social hour at 4 p. m. Monday, April 29, at the First Christian Church.

The program committee composed of Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, W. H. Beard, Rufus Allen, Zan Turner, W. C. Witt will present Mrs. Scott Martin of San Angelo who will talk on "Christian Citizenship."

Miss Elizabeth Wear, a member of the drama staff at Baylor University, Waco, will arrive Friday for an Easter visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wear. She will return to Waco on Sunday.

STRAW HAT DAY SATURDAY, APRIL 27

Ballinger merchants will feature Straw Hat Day for Saturday, April 27. Special publicity will be used next week to promote the day and to encourage every man and boy to buy their new "straw hat" next week-end and be ready to wear it on Sunday.

All the best styles, colors and straws will be featured by Ballinger merchants in all sizes and head shapes. Be ready to make your selection next week-end.

New officers of the Jaycees have been elected and plans are being made for the installation program on May 4. If possible, the new state president will be brought here for that occasion.

The new officers are: E. J. Grindstaff, president; Pamoli Legg, first vice-president; Tom Ebsing, second vice-president; Bob Dickinson, state director; Bobby Gray, secretary-treasurer.

Billy Jack Middleton and Haney Atyia, directors; Carl Fouts, Clarence Wiedenfeld, hold-over directors.

Sunrise Easter Service Sunday Morning at 6:30

All plans have been completed for the annual Sunrise Easter Service, sponsored by the Ballinger Ministerial Alliance. The program will start at 6:30 a. m. Sunday at the Horseshoe Theatre, located on the Ballinger-Point Rock Highway, one mile south of the city.

The plans are for those attending to park their cars at the speakers in the theatre and remain in them for the service. People may come without wearing their Sunday clothes and they will be served coffee and doughnuts up until time for the start of the program.

The music this year will be a special treat. It will be provided by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allford of the First Baptist Church and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mills of the First Methodist Church. The special quartet will bring all the numbers which include a choral introduction, the hymns and an anthem.

The complete program is as follows:

- Choral Introduction
- Call to Worship, Rev. Felix Keys
- Invocation, Rev. C. B. Orahood
- Hymn
- Scripture, Rev. Joe Pennington
- Prayer, Rev. LeRay Fowler
- Antiphon, by quartet
- Sermon, "The Message of Easter," Rev. E. R. Gordon
- Closing Hymn
- Benediction, Rev. O. D. Carpenter

The program will be about 40 minutes in length and all people are urged to attend. It will be over in plenty of time to return home for breakfast and then get to Sunday school at the church of your choice.

Preparations are being made to have a place of protection for the speakers and quartet and with the audience in their cars, weather is not expected to interfere in anyway with the Sunrise Service.

Cotton Growers Asked To Meeting April 24

A very important county-wide cotton meeting will be held in the district court room at the court house at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, April 24. The meeting was announced this week by C. T. Parker, county farm agent, who stated that a number of outstanding speakers have been secured for the program.

It was pointed out that the meeting is for the benefit of everyone interested in production of cotton and those in charge hope to have a large crowd to greet the visiting speakers.

Fred Elliott, cotton specialist with the Texas Extension Service, will discuss the latest information on cotton varieties, cotton defoliation and weed control.

F. M. Fuller, Extension Entomologist, will present important information on insect control and new insecticides along with the proper application of each.

Joe R. Jones, also of Texas A & M College, will present information on harvesting, ginning and the handling of cotton burr trash.

Every cotton grower in the county is invited to be present.

Water Directors In Session Here Monday Evening

The board of directors of the Runnels County Water Improvement District met here Monday night at the court house for their regular monthly meeting.

While the board had nothing new to report at the meeting Monday night, they are keeping in close touch with the bill before the legislature in which the district is seeking a state loan for preliminary engineering on the proposed reservoir in the county. Members of the district board are leaving nothing undone to promote water for the interest of all people in this area.

Ray Fuqua, board chairman, stated that a meeting of the directors is held each third Monday and any person interested is invited to attend. There were several visitors at the session Monday night.

Mr. Fuqua was in touch with Representative A. J. Bishop Tuesday morning in regard to the legislation which would make possible the money for continued work in the county.

Every possible type of information is being assembled in regard to the proposed water reservoir so people may be informed on the project.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Curry and daughters, Karen, Lea and Gretchen, of Bay City will be here this week-end to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Behinger and Ballinger friends.

"Play Ball" Will Be the Highlight of the Program at Runnels Field at 8 p. m. Tuesday Night

When the Westerners and the Plainview Ponies will open the 1957 season of the Southwestern League.

Manager Tony York stated that a short opening program was being arranged which would include the introduction of the players on the 1957 team, the National Anthem and raising of the flag and the pitching of the first ball by Mayor Bill Moore.

The Skipper said that the opening would be kept very short and that the two teams would get down to business in a game that will count just as much in the percentage column as the last one of the season.

He added that he would not make a definite statement, but would likely send either Eugene Lippold or Eddie McKay to the mound for the first game. The rest of the lineup will remain doubtful until Tuesday, as a number of new men have arrived and are getting in shape. It is safe to say, however, that Kenny Jones will be catching, Joe Giel at second-base and Jim Moore in center-field. The rest of the team will be new faces to local fans.

Fans got their first look at the Westerners Sunday afternoon when a small crowd braved the weather to watch them play the Dress Air Force Base. Lippold hurled the first five innings, allowing only one hit, and Eddie McKay took up for the remaining four and also allowed only one hit to the visitors. The final score was 9 to 0 for the Westerners who pointed out 15 hits during the afternoon. Stubby Greer, playing shortstop for the Westerners, hit the only home run of the game.

Eight-page score cards are being rushed through this week and will be ready for fans to purchase at 10 cents each Tuesday night. All other regular concessions will be in operation with pillows for those who want them and plenty of cold drinks and eats.

The Westerners will be at home for four nights, playing Plainview Tuesday and Wednesday and then taking on Pampa Thursday and Friday before taking to "the road to return home on May 1.

Home uniforms have been made ready for the opening game and will be issued early next week to the players. Lights are being tested this week-end and properly focused on the diamond. Chairs are being placed in the box seats and all boxes marked by the owners for the season.

Manager York stated that there was much to be done before Tuesday night but that everything would be ready.

Tickets for the opening game are on sale at 90 cents each or they may be obtained at the gate prior to the game. Fans are hoping to set a fine record of attendance Tuesday night so Ballinger will compare favorably with other towns of the circuit.

Umpires will be assigned by the league president, W. J. Green, this week-end and will be in each of the four towns which have opening games.

Monday five men arrived that were sent to Skipper York by the Cincinnati Reds of the National League.

Frank Cafone is a rookie and plays either infield or outfield.

Bill Stenger is a limited service third baseman.

Bon Kiser is a limited service first-baseman.

Ed Maler is a limited service, right-handed pitcher.

Pitcher Burris is a limited service player, in on his way and due to arrive this week. He was delayed from the other boys because of illness in his family.

This makes around 20 men here at the present time and a few others are due before Tuesday night.

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The affair will be held at 7:30 p. m. on Monday, April 29, in the Masonic Hall.

Runnels County Teachers To Meet April 23
The Runnels County Teachers Association will hold its final meeting for this school year at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday, April 23, in the Ballinger High School Auditorium.
James A. Nevin, superintendent of Winters Schools, president of the county association, will preside for the business. Officers for 1957-58 will be elected. Principal Joe Forester is chairman of the nominating committee.
The program will include several vocal numbers to be sung by Mrs. W. F. Postlethwaite, teacher of public school

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music, and a film "A Desk For Billie," which depicts the life story of Mrs. Billie Davis, the Hobo Kid, will be shown.

FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Members of Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club were hosts to members of Norton home demonstration club last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. O. Vogel-sang, which was decorated with iris, lilac and Easter baskets.

Mrs. Roy Tyree, president, was in charge of a short business session and welcomed the visitors. Mrs. Charles Stubblefield directed the recreation period which included songs and games.

Members of the Norton Club presented the program on the making of wood plaques and baskets.

Announcement was made that a call meeting would be held in the home of Mrs. E. S. Morgan next Thursday at 2 p. m. when members of the Friendly Neighbors Club would make plans for presenting a program to members of East Side home demonstration club on April 23 in the home of Mrs. Clarence Routh.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Rev. Fr. Patrick Ryan, O. M. I., has announced the Holy Week schedule for St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Palm Sunday Masses were held at 8:00 a. m. and 10:00 a. m. Palms were blessed and distributed at the 10:00 o'clock mass.

Mass will be celebrated at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday.

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Holy Saturday: The Easter Vigil Services will begin at 10:45 p. m. and be followed by the Midnight Mass.

Easter Sunday: Mass at 9:00 a. m.

COMMUNITY PROGRAM PLANNED AT NORTON

The Norton Girls' 4-H club is sponsoring a community fun night to be held at 7:30 p. m. on April 26 in the high school lunch room. Cokes, coffee, cake and doughnuts will be sold by the club members.

Movies and group singing will highlight the program for the evening. Proceeds will be used to pay expenses of delegates to the county and district camps

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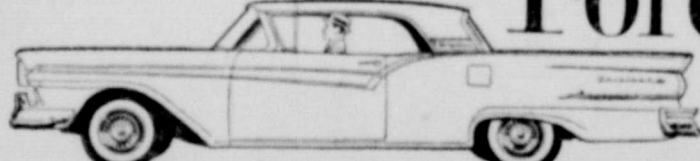
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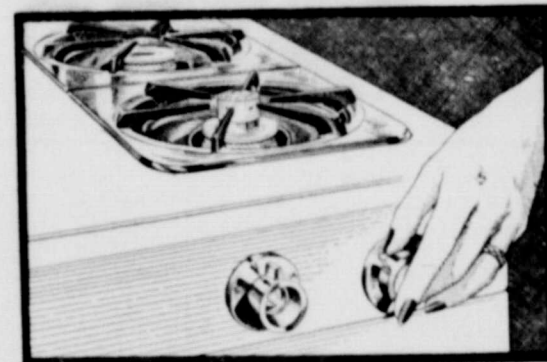
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SOCIETY

Fancy Doers Welcome Seven New Members
Dixie Wilbanks, Linda Tuckey, Joan Morris, Elaine Zappe, Kay Pruser, Georgia Newby, and Kay Mansell were introduced as new members at the regular meeting of the Fancy Doers Club on Monday evening, held in the home of Jackie Bramley with Marcia Murchison as co-hostess. Opening prayer was given by Marcia.

Sharon Cook was the presiding officer. Mrs. West Talbott was guest speaker and gave a condensation of the book, "Goggle."

The club will hold its Easter breakfast at the Acapulco next Sunday.

Refreshments were served to those previously mentioned and to: Bettye Nix, Dorothy Lange, Linda Monerief, Pat Bell, Ellen Herring, Martha Gallant, Patty Sweeney, Midge Adair, Linda Crockett, LaNell Holbrook, Gale Jennings, Hettie Mae Herring

and Fannie Schroeder.

Women's Council Meets For Missionary Programs
Mrs. Harper McFarland was leader for the mission study, "Christ's Way, Every Day, in Every Church," held Monday afternoon in the First Presbyterian USA Church parlors for the Women's Council regular missionary program.

Following the opening song, Mrs. Pat Wood presented the devotional, "What Is God Really Like?" using scripture reading from Psalm 27. She closed the program with a prayer. Others assisting on the program were Meses. H. B. Fowler, Herbert Dean Jr., Pierson Corder and Miss Eunice Lilly.

Mrs. B. H. Erwin and Mrs. Wood were hostesses at the social hour. They served iced tea, sandwiches and cup cakes. Easter motif was used on the refreshment plate.

Others present were Mrs.

Rufus Allen, Miss Maggie Lilly and Cindy Hays.

PLAN EASTER SERVICE AT PRESBYTERIAN USA
The First Presbyterian Church USA will hold Sunday school at 9:45 Sunday.

This will be followed by Easter Services at 11:00 a. m. with Rev. M. A. Stucky from Trinity University, San Antonio, preaching the Easter sermon. Mrs. Willie Hoover will be at the organ and Mrs. James Palmer will sing "Holy City."

Visitors are invited to worship with the membership.

CREWS
Most of the Crews area received an inch or more of rain last week and some of the area received a damaging hail.

L. C. Fuller Jr. has returned home after spending several days in the Coleman hospital last week.

J. P. Brevard went to Dallas last week for a check up after having surgery there several weeks ago. His condition was reported as satisfactory.

Hamilton and boys of Mineral Wells visited the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Allcorn and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schwartz. Other visitors in the Schwartz home were his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Schwartz and children of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Taft of San Angelo were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Foreman. They attended church at the Hopewell Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Elsie Kerby had surgery Sunday at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital. Her condition was reported satisfactory Tuesday.

Mrs. Sallie Hector, grandmother of Mrs. S. J. Brevard, passed away at her home in Coleman Monday. She was 94 years of age and had been a resident of Coleman for many years.

There was no working at the Crews Cemetery Saturday because of weather.

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Oleo KIMBELL'S	2 Lbs. 39c	Asparagus WINSLOW'S	No. 1 Can 22c
Pure Lard SWIFT'S	3-Lb. Ctn. 59c	Pineapple With Coconut	No. 2 Can 29c



ON A PARIS FLING—The sound of skirling bagpipes fills the air of Paris as a company of Scottish Highlanders march away from the Arc de Triomphe where they joined with other British troops to honor the French unknown soldier. The troops from across the channel were in the French capital for the Franco-British Military Festival.



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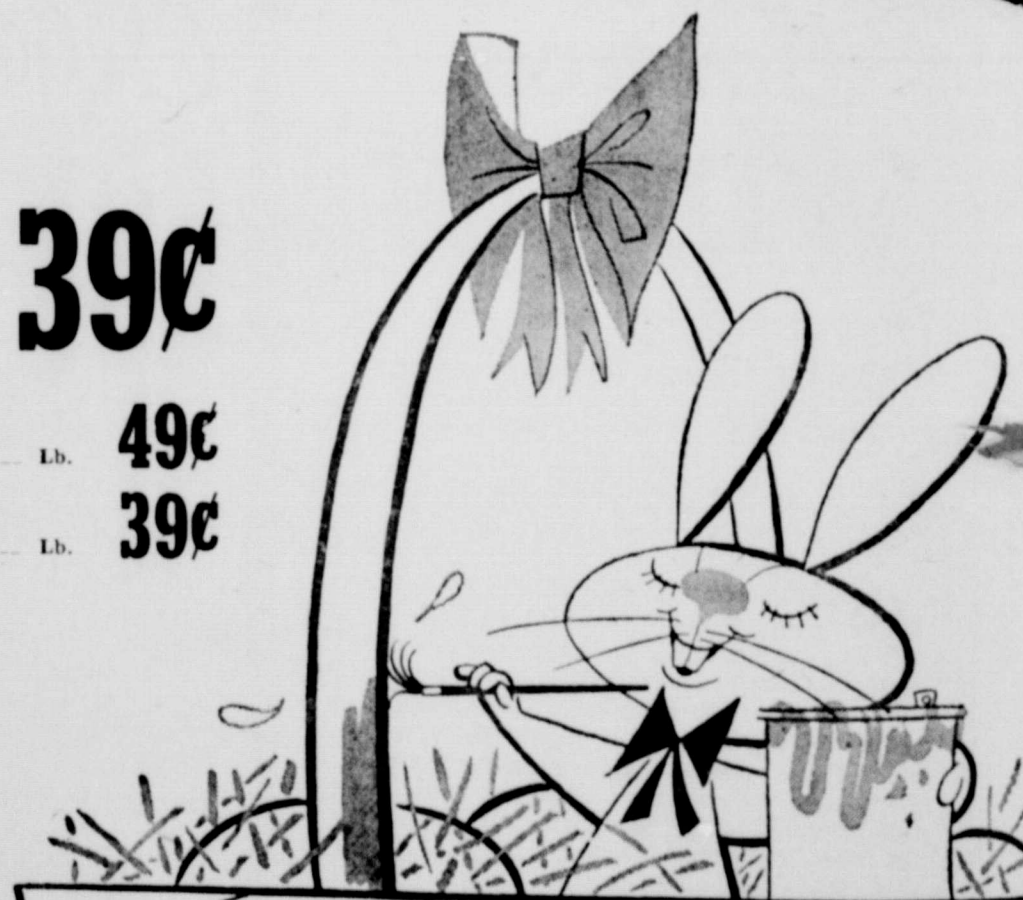
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Spaghetti DIAMOND No. 300 Can 3 For **29c**

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Cream Corn CONCHO Yellow or White— No. 303 Can 2 For **23c**

Tuna HALF HILLS Red Label or Van Camp — Flat Can 2 For **35c**

Dash Dog Food TALL CAN 2 For **25c**

Flour PILLSBURY'S 10-Lb. Bag **79c**

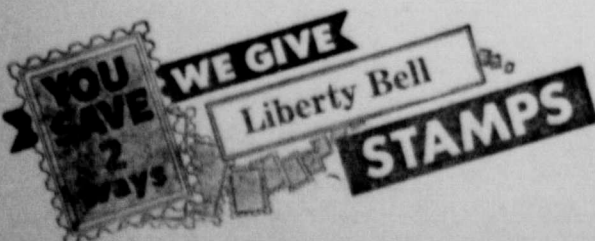
Preserves KIMBELL'S Peach or Apricot 20-Oz. Jar **31c**

Cake Mix GLADIOLA Chocolate, Pound, Yellow, White **29c**

Whipping Cream 1/2 pt. **29c**

Strawberries FRESH PACT Frozen— 10-Oz. Box 2 For **39c**

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Washer
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and your old washer
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SMALL BUSINESS—In Communist Poland the new, limited freedom from Russia is illustrated by this aged woman who turns to free enterprise—waiting for customers to weigh themselves on her scale, in Warsaw. The price is about 20 groszys, or about one penny.



HAD TO HAPPEN—Women have been jamming so much into their purses all these years that it isn't the least surprising to find one that can hold the whole woman. English film star Susan Beaumont smiles prettily from her position inside this six-by-two-and-one-half-foot leather purse at Leather Goods Industries' Fair in London.



NEW HAT!—If you're a girl, you're never too young to get a big boost from a new Easter bonnet as our young model shows with her radiant smile. A famous New York designer has turned his attention to the tiniest fashion plates as he creates a charming little skimmer of white satin straw. Delicate flowers bloom at the base of the shallow crown and classic streamers trim the back of the youngster's chapeau.

CATERIA MENUS
Monday
Spanish casserole
Green beans
Yams
Tossed green salad
Corn bread, butter
Milk
Banana cake
Tuesday
Chicken pie with cheese biscuit
English peas and new potatoes
Carrot sticks
Cherry nut gelled salad
Whole wheat bread
Milk

Peanut butter cookies
Wednesday
Smothered steak, gravy
Buttered rice
Broccoli
Fruit salad
Biscuit, butter
Milk
Coconut squares
Thursday
Meat sandwiches
Slice cheese
Pinto beans
Potato chips
Lettuce with 1000 Island dressing

Milk
Chocolate cake, white icing
Friday
Tuna salad on lettuce
Asparagus
Escalloped potatoes
Stuffed celery
French bread, butter
Milk
Apricot cobbler
Order book in triplicate, 40 cents. Ballinger Printing Co.
Sign Ink, all colors, large and small bottles. Ballinger Printing Co.

FIRST BAPTIST PLANS FOR EASTER PROGRAMS
Easter will be the theme in programs at the First Baptist Church Sunday.
At the morning worship program, Dr. LeRay Fowler will present his Easter message to the congregation. Bob Allford, minister of music, will use the Church and Concord choirs for the Easter anthem, "He Arose," as the morning special. At the evening service the Carol choir will sing "Calvary."
All members and friends of

the church are urged to be present in all services Sunday.
The highlight of the Easter musical program was presented last Sunday night when a large crowd heard the Church and Concord choirs sing the cantata, "From Cross to Crown."
REVIVAL ANNOUNCED FOR CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. Henry E. White, pastor of the First Church of God, has announced a revival to start at the local church, located at 1301 Broad Street, Sunday morning.

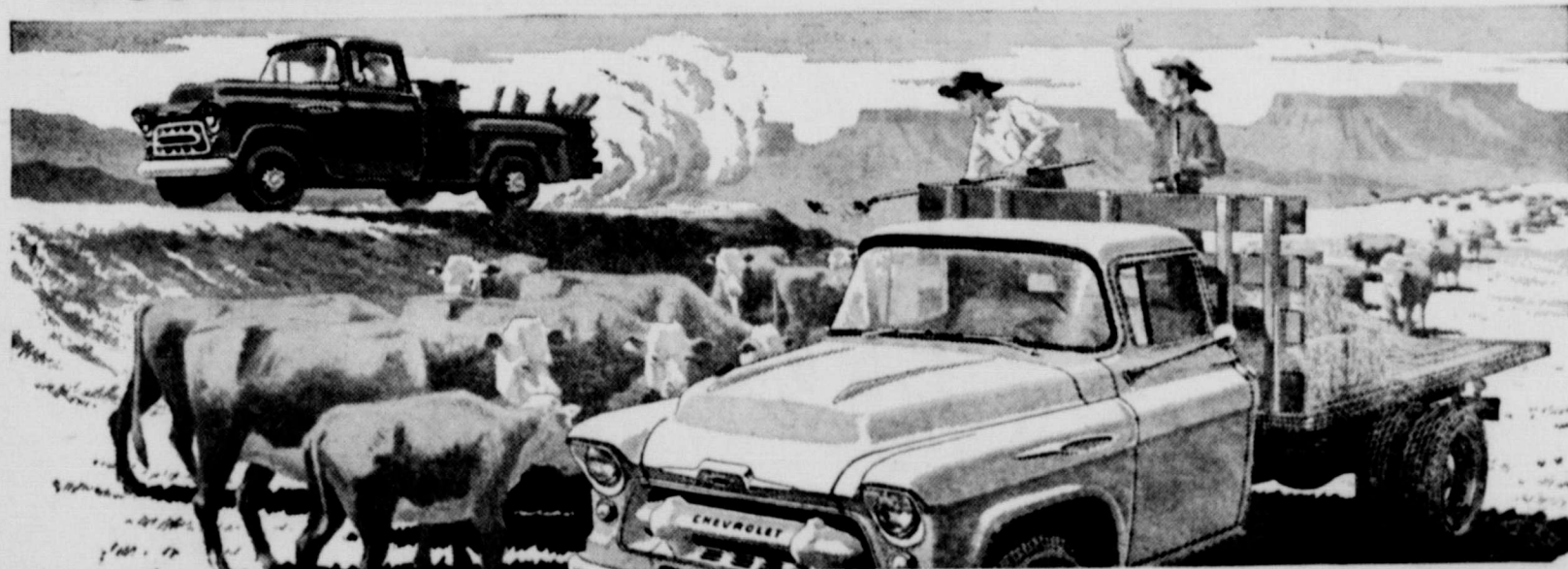


Rev. C. W. Coody
Services will be held each evening at 7:45 for the remainder of the week.
Rev. C. W. Coody will be the guest speaker and a special Easter service will be held at the 11 o'clock hour Sunday. Everyone has a cordial invitation

to attend all services during this revival.
LARGEST STOCK SALE IS HELD HERE MONDAY
The weekly livestock sale at the Runnels County Auction Barn Monday afternoon was the largest for this year. A total of 150 head of cattle were run through the ring and a large number of sheep. Those in charge also reported the biggest crowd so far this year was present and buying was brisk.
Fat calves brought 22 1/4 cents, stocker lambs, old crop, 22 cents and hogs 18 cents.
GORDON IN REVIVAL PAINT ROCK CHURCH
Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will be in Paint Rock each evening next week as speaker in a revival series at the First Methodist Church there. Services will be held at 7:30 each night.
The revival will start with the Easter service Sunday morning, however Rev. Gordon will not

begin his messages until Monday night. Rev. Tom Mitchell is pastor of the church at Paint Rock.

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Look at the way they're put together. Frames, axles, suspensions, all chassis components are built to shrug off the relentless beating of a long, tough schedule. Look at the safety and convenience features in Chevrolet cabs. They're roomy, soft riding; you've got High-Level ventilation and panoramic visibility. Look at Chevy's latest model—new high-capacity 3/4-ton pickup that measures a full 98 inches in length!
And look at Chevy's line-up of super-efficient V8's and 6's. All heavy-weight truck models and many mid-weights come with V8's as standard equipment. Light-duty jobs feature the latest edition of the savingest

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Stop by and talk it over with your Chevrolet dealer. He'll show you a model that lives up to the latest in engineering advancements; a truck that will stay and save on any job you care to name!

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OH, SING TO ME, ELVIS—An hysterical Elvis Presley fan is restrained by two policemen as she attempted to approach the singer on a Philadelphia, Pa., bandstand. Perhaps she was overwrought because the singer's tour was labeled as the "Tarewell" before entering the Army.

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BRIGHT NIGHTS
OPEN EVERY FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY

FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT
This program will delight young and old. Bring the ENTIRE FAMILY.

FRI-SAT-SUN. FIRST DRIVE-IN SHOWING

WALT DISNEY TELLS THE IDEAL STORY OF THE FIGHTING FAMILIES WHO WON THE WEST!

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HOLD THAT HYPNOTIST
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TYRONE POWER **THE EDDY DUCHIN STORY**
KIM NOVAK
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Special Easter Attraction

STARTS SATURDAY NIGHT 7:00 P. M. ALSO SUNDAY-MONDAY

The True and Wonderful Story of COL. DEAN HESS CLERGYMAN TURNED FIGHTER PILOT!

Universal International presents ROCK HUDSON in BATTLE HYMN

CO-STARRING **MARTHA HYER DAN DURYEA DON DEFORE ANNA KASHFI JOCK MAHONEY**

CINEMASCOPE-TECHNICOLOR

BEARISH MOOD—Cage bars used in the Chessington, England, Zoo are pretty tough as this long-haired bear is finding out. After much grinding and pulling, the giant animal found that in his case iron bars do make a cage.

TV WONDER—Ten-year-old Robert Strom observes the sun through a telescope at his home in the Bronx, N.Y. Amazed television audiences have been watching the youngster as he handles difficult problems on "The \$64,000 Question." Despite his genius tendencies, Robert's interests, like any other boy's, range from baseball to popular music. The telescope is a prize he won on another TV show.

HORSESHOE Drive-In Theatre

THURSDAY-FRIDAY-SATURDAY FIRST RUN

IT WILL BE REMEMBERED LIKE THE ALAMO!
A battle for survival few frontier epics can equal!

AUDIE MURPHY sensational star of "To Hell and Back"

THE GUNS OF FORT PETTICOAT

TOUGH TAUNT TERRIFIC

THE DESPERATE HOURS

Also Cartoon Carnival

SUNDAY-MONDAY
THE THRILLING LIFE INSPIRED STORY IS ON THE SCREEN!
SOMEBODY UP THERE LIKES ME
PAUL NEWMAN PER ANSELL

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY — TWO FIRST RUN FEATURES
Carload 60c

BARBARA STANWYCK - STERLING HAYDEN
CRIME OF PASSION

JOHN DEREK
FURY at SHONDON

Don't Forget! MIDNIGHT SHOW Next Week SATURDAY NIGHT

ALL TIME HORROR HIT FIRST RUN THE MAN WHO TURNED TO STONE
with VICTOR JORY ANN DORAN CHARLOTTE AUSTIN

At the Texas

Thanks to the magnifying power of camera lenses and the miracles made possible by time-lapse photography, the residents of the land and the sea, the fields and the ponds—bees, ants, fish, crustaceans, predatory plants and animals—loom large as any mammal beast in "Secrets of Life." Walt Disney's new True-Life Adventure feature, photographed in point by Technicolor, showing tonight, Friday and Saturday afternoon at the Texas Theatre.

Huntz Hall and his Bowery Boy cohorts turn to the art of hypnosis for their latest laugh escapades in "Hold That Hypnotist," showing tonight, Friday and Saturday afternoon at the Texas Theatre.

No actor alive could have

been more perfectly cast than Rock Hudson as Col. Dean Hess, the heroic "flying parson" in "Battle Hymn," the exciting humanitarian epic in Technicolor and CinemaScope which comes to the Texas Theatre Saturday night, Sunday and Monday.

A story of blood, sweat, tears and laughter, there has never been anything like "Battle Hymn" on the screen.

"The Eddy Duchin Story," Columbia Pictures' story of a lifetime now starring Tyrone Power and Kim Novak at the Texas Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday in CinemaScope and color by Technicolor, can be counted as something of a tribute to the man millions knew by his music from some of the men who knew him personally.

Cleopatra's Needle is a monument in London.

At the Hillcrest

Five new songs, rich in the flavor of the frontier, adorn the score of Walt Disney's frontier epic, "Westward Ho The Wagons!" Filmed in CinemaScope and Technicolor, with Fess Parker, Jeff York and Kathleen Crowley starred, the picture opens Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Hillcrest Drive In Theatre.

The United States Marine Corps lent its full cooperation in the filming of "Hold Back the Night," dramatic and poignant story of a brave company of Marines engaged in the Korean campaign in midwinter of 1950. Starring John Payne and Morna Freeman, the Allied Artists film shows Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Hillcrest Drive In Theatre.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Welshuhn announce the birth of a daughter, Lisa Ann, on April 9 at the St. John's Hospital in San Angelo. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Michalewicz of Rowena and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Welshuhn of San Angelo. The couple has another son, Darryl Dwayne who is 19 months old.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Woodson and family of Albany, New York and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Woodson and family of El Paso came in Wednesday to visit the remainder of the week with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Woodson.

SERVING UNCLE SAM

Cpl. George Mosier, U.S.M.C., is being transferred from duty as driver of the Admiral of the Seventh Fleet to Marine Corps School duty at Quantico, Virginia. Cpl. Mosier will arrive in San Francisco about May 20 and will be in Ballinger on leave thereafter, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mosier. Cpl. Mosier graduated from Ballinger High School in 1954 and enlisted in the Marine Corps in May and has now completed his Pacific duty.



Scene from "The Guns of Fort Petticoat" starring Audie Murphy, showing at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre tonight, Friday and Saturday.

GIRLS MAKING DATES DURING TWIRP WEEK

Twirp week started in the Ballinger schools Monday and during the week the girls will make the dates and pay the bills.

EMERGENCY FEED PLAN EXTENDED FOR COUNTY

Walter T. McKay, state director of the Farmers Home Administration, has advised John H. Curry, county supervisor, of the redesignation of Runnels County for assistance under the Emergency Feed Grain Program.

ROLLING INTO DREAMLAND—Thrilled by her first pair of roller skates, 2½-year-old Susan O'Brien of Brooklyn, N.Y., won't take them off even when sleeping. The skates may be heavy and cumbersome to wear while napping, but Susan's not giving them up—asleep or awake.

Mrs. W. R. Pearse has just returned from San Francisco where she has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law, and Mrs. David Pearse and children. Mr. Pearse returned with her for a visit here.

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SOCIETY

Baptist Fideles Class Meets With Mrs. Joe Flynn

The Fideles Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Joe Flynn. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Flynn were Meses. Cam Blackmon, Joe Hambricht, Willis Smith, Bert Witt, Herman Scoggins, Carl Florence and Fred Harwell.

A profusion of garden flowers were used to decorate party rooms where Mrs. Ray Summers, president, heard reports from officers. Miss Ruth Morgan, class teacher, gave the opening prayer. A report was made that a box of clothing and Easter egg candies had been sent to the Texas Baptist Children's Home at Round Rock.

Mrs. Don Atkins was the guest speaker and she reviewed "The Seven Last Words of Jesus." A dessert plate with coffee was served from the dining table which was centered with an arrangement of pink roses in a crystal bowl, flanked by lighted white candles in crystal candelabra. Miss Morgan and Mrs. Summers presided at the service.

Others present were: Meses. Joe Hambricht, M. A. Davidson, J. C. Tuckey, S. L. Ferguson, and Miss Curtiss Gregory.

Activities of Brownie And Girl Scout Troops

Fourteen members of Brownie Troop No. 1 met at the Girl Scout Hut Wednesday afternoon with leaders, Mrs. L. L. Downing and Mrs. W. R. Gray Jr. The group started making First Aid Kits and covered boxes with brown denim. Beva Ruth Blackmon served Hershey bars at the play hour.

Brownie Troop No. 5 met at the Scout Hut last Thursday afternoon and hiked to the City Park for a Cook-out. Mrs. N. M. Melton, district leader, Mrs. L.

O. Hargrove and Mrs. John Cody, in preparing the fire for the cooking of "Somore." Registration blanks for the Girl Scout Camp at Lake Brownwood were distributed when the group returned from their hike.

On Monday afternoon 15 members of Brownie Troop No. 9 met with leaders, Mrs. Doyle Riley, Mrs. Will Morris and Mrs. Curtis Wiesepape, at the Hut. Ella Mae Peterson, president, directed the business and heard reports from the secretary, Deanna Riley. Janice Haygood led the group in repeating the pledge and song. An Easter egg hunt and games followed. Phyllis Lightfoot served cookies and cold drinks.

Girl Scout Troop No. 2 hiked to City Park Monday afternoon for an Easter egg hunt at which Barbara Clifton found the prize egg. Carolyn Cook and Linda Fuqua served niblets to 17 members. Visitors were Meses. Lamar Fuqua, Walter Bigby and Clifton Cook.

Mrs. John Green and Mrs. Calvin Howell entertained members of Brownie Troop No. 3 by playing records and directing musical games at the hut Tuesday afternoon. Denise Hegfeld served cold drinks with Easter surprise packages.

XXXVI Club Has Program On "Our World In Poetry"

Mrs. J. Dexter Eoff, president, conducted the business routine for the regular meeting of the XXXVI Club which met in the home of Mrs. John Cody Wednesday afternoon.

The following reports were given: Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff, Federation Counselor, reported that the Dorothy House organization had collected \$350 for corsages and \$400 had been collected from the sale of sheet music on the Federation song. Also reported that there was a

movement on to enlarge the number of districts in Texas in order to make it easier for club women to attend District Conventions. Mrs. Bobby Bryan, Fine Arts chairman, reported on the Penny Art Fund which is a national organization. To date, \$9,000,000.00 has been collected, each club woman paying just a penny a year to this fund. The Francis B. Fisk student art loan fund was started in 1933. This is a Sixth District project and the loan is made to students who have a B. A. degree and wish to study further in art. Mrs. Don Stevens, public affairs chairman, reported on the progress of 7 point program of our legislative body as put out by the Texas Safety Association, Inc.

For the program "Our World in Poetry," Mrs. Bill Harris spoke on the life of Elizabeth and Robert Browning. Mrs. Felix Keys read some of Robert Brownings poems. Many of his poems which were read were on Browning's spiritual nature.

Others present were: Meses. E. Y. Bailey, E. J. Grindstaff, W. O. Irby, Alton Patterson and M. E. McClenny.

The next meeting will be the installation dinner on May 2 at the Acapulco Cafe at 6:30 p. m.

DENTISTS

Bertie Edwin Kelly

Bertie Edwin Kelly, 67, died at 6:20 a. m. Monday at his home in Ballinger.

Decedent had been a resident of Rannels County for the past 43 years. A native of Coryell County, he was born December 24, 1889. He was married to Mertha E. Franklin in 1908 at Anson and the couple moved from Abilene to Rannels County in 1914. Mr. Kelly farmed until about ten years ago when he became a nightwatchman here. He was a member of the

Seventh Street Church of Christ. Survivors are his wife, one son, J. D. Kelly of Blackwell; two daughters, Mrs. Eula Mae Fox of Ballinger and Mrs. R. A. Winn of Abilene; his mother, Mrs. J. W. Kelly of Marcella, Arkansas; two brothers, C. M. Kelly of Houston and C. F. Kelly of Marcella; 12 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Tuesday at the Newby-Davis Funeral Chapel and burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Miss Rosie Mazac

Miss Rosie Mazac, 61, died Friday at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital a short time after she had been entered for treatment. She had been ill for some time.

Funeral services were held at the Rowena Presbyterian Church at 3 p. m. Friday and burial was in the Protestant Cemetery at Rowena. Newby-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Survivors are a brother, Paul Mazac, Rowena; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Jones, San Angelo; Mrs. Millie Polsak and Miss Vera Mazac, Rowena.

Mrs. Editha Pierce

Mrs. Editha Loason Pierce, 64, teacher in the El Paso schools, died at 11 p. m. Tuesday in the Southwest General Hospital at El Paso.

Funeral services will be held at the First Methodist Church in Ballinger at 10 a. m. Friday and burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge. The body arrived here today after shipment from El Paso.

Decedent is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Don F. Dodson of Concho County.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Rama Kincaid, of Eden; Mrs. Lela Tiller of El Paso and Mrs. Ora Holman of Huntsville.

John Filas Williams

John Filas Williams, 67, died at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday in the hospital at Eden after an ill-

ness of about four years.

Decedent was a painter by profession and for a number of years he had lived in Rannels, Concho and Tom Green Counties. He was married in 1913 in Hopkins County to Miss Jessie Hampton and she passed away in 1952.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. today at the Baptist Church in Paint Rock with Rev. Emmett Brooks of San Angelo and Rev. Chester Sylvester of Paint Rock officiating. Burial will be in the Paint Rock Cemetery under direction of the Newby-Davis Funeral Home.

Survivors are one son, Phil Williams of Dallas; two daughters, Mrs. Geneva Aaron of San Angelo, Mrs. Jack D. Moore of Baton Rouge, Louisiana; two brothers, P. W. Williams of Longview; four sisters, Miss Helen Williams, Ballinger; Mrs. Jeff Beard, Paint Rock; Mrs. Byron Estes, Abilene; Mrs. M. N. Taylor, Como and five grandchildren.

CITY COMMISSION SESSION TUESDAY

Members of the city commission met Tuesday morning for their regular business session but only passed a few items.

They authorized the installation of a new street light at the corner of Sealy Avenue and Third Street.

One building permit for Ben Perales was approved for \$250 for an addition to a residence on Second Street between Ball and Sealy Avenues.

J. E. Dankworth and Sid Caskey were named to serve on the zoning commission, taking the place of W. O. Wallace and L. A. Faubion who resigned when they were elected commissioners.

The new commissioners spent most of the morning digging into matters on which they needed information and a general round table discussion of city business was held by

members of the commission and city employees.

Westerners Beat Goodfellow 11-5

Baseball fans had a good look at the Westerners when ideal weather brought out a fair crowd for their game with the Goodfellow Air Force Base. After a pitcher's duel for four innings, the Westerners started hitting the ball to all corners of the lot and piled up 6 runs in a big sixth inning. The final score was 11 to 5 for the Westerners.

Bob Leach started for the Westerners and left the mound after four scoreless innings. Glenn Woodward took up and looked fair for three innings with Orvil Jacobs finishing the game.

GAME FRIDAY

The same two clubs will meet again at 8 p. m. Friday night and all fans are urged to be on hand. Skipper York will use a new hurler, Ed Maier in this game and will also let Eugene Lippold and Eddie McKay loosen up a few innings.

Kenny Jones, Stubby Greer, Jim Moore, Joe Giel, Frank Carfome led the hitting attack for the Westerners.

BALLINGER MAN WITH POLICE AT ANCHORAGE

M. E. Dankworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dankworth of Ballinger, is with the Territorial Police of Alaska and stationed at Anchorage. He is a polygraph technician and received most of his special training at the Keeler Polygraph Institute in Chicago.

He has conducted many tests

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on lie detector machines for the Alaska Territorial Police, city police and other enforcement groups.

Dankworth has a wife and two sons who are with him in Alaska.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. Jessie Gomez and son, Thursday
 Roy Ray, medical, Wednesday
 Mrs. Walter Schubmann, Rowena, medical, Saturday
 Alfred Multer, Rowena, medical, Saturday
 Mrs. Bob Dickinson, medical, Monday

Mrs. J. E. Bigbee, Taipa, medical, Wednesday
 Edward Gottschalk, medical, Tuesday
 Joy DeLay, medical, Tuesday
 Mary Frances Altman, medical, Wednesday

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

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Rodriguez, a daughter, born April 11
 Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Grenzweige, Winters, a daughter, born April 14

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perales, a son, born April 17

Patients in the hospital at this time are:

Cal Adair, medical
 W. H. Hudgins, surgical
 Edmund Edwards, Maverick, Jim Duncan, surgical
 Mrs. E. R. Kerby, Taipa, surgical
 W. H. Cabe, Abilene, medical
 Mrs. W. T. Reynolds, Taipa, medical
 Mrs. Chester Cape Jr., surgical
 Eusebio Perales, surgical
 Mas Zacie Royalty, broken hip
 Joe Fowler, surgical
 Glen Culp, surgical
 Mrs. A. J. Zappe, fractured wrist
 Naomi Jansa, Rowena, surgical

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends who were so kind to us during the illness and at the loss of our loved one. We especially express our appreciation for the food, flowers, cards and each kind expression of sympathy.

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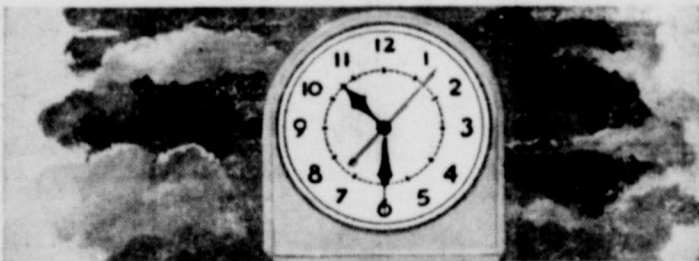
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Ballinger Ledger

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The city commission will start making plans for the operation of the municipal swimming pool and other park facilities at a meeting in the near future. Back several years ago there was lots of pressure exerted to secure a pool for Ballinger and the first two years the operation was very successful.

night and cuts down on receipts. A manager, concession people and lifeguards are necessary at the pool and all this, plus regular operations, runs into considerable money.

The Ballinger Rotary Club has made a citywide event of their annual pancake supper and each year people look forward to the date when they can visit the City Park, meet their friends, enjoy a good meal and hear a fine program.

Time to make your plans for



WEST TEXAS NOTES

A ten-man chamber of commerce committee met with the city council at Colorado City last week and secured the agreement of the city officials to check into the cost and location of a municipal airport.

Democracy in Action Week at Howard Payne College in Brownwood attracted many people last week as a number of outstanding speakers and other program features were presented.

Louis A. Bridges, formerly of Bronte, has been hired by the Eden School Board as vocational agriculture instructor. He will fill the vacancy caused by the accidental death of H. M. McEroy.

Merrell and Baker Construction Company of Hurst were the low bidders last week on another flood prevention dam in the Brady Creek project.

The observing of the Easter season. This season of the year means attending church and all Ballinger denominations will have the welcome mat rolled out for those people who are not regular in their attendance.

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Members of the Kitchens community in Menard county met last week to tear down an old school building and will continue work session to use the material to erect a modern community center.

The Miles Lions Club in session last week voted to again sponsor the softball program in Miles for the summer of 1957. A number of committees were named and preliminary work will be started at once to have the grounds and concessions ready.

The Rowena Volunteer Fire Department has announced a dance to be held on May 30. This will be for the purpose of retiring the rest of the indebtedness on the fire station and community center at Rowena.

Dean Beard of Coleman has hit the "jackpot" with a new record which is selling fast over the country. In fact the sales has caused the Atlantic Records of New York to call Dean there for personal appearances.

A plan was completed last week by a group for the upkeep and operation of the Memorial Hall at Paint Rock. Several organizations have made annual contributions and a group of individuals have pledged monthly amounts which is expected to take care of the necessary costs.



IN THE BAG — Women have long usurped male clothing articles so now men feel justified in invading the female realm—of handbags.



BLOOMIN' CHEERFUL—Britain's Shirley Bloomer, one of Britain's top tennis stars, is down with a smile during match play with California's Darlene Hard at Miami Beach, Fla.

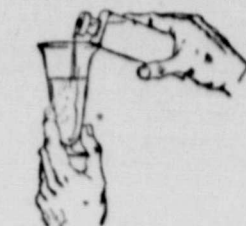
both farmers and ranchmen. It will be held on the W. F. Minzenmayer farm, four miles west of Winters. The program will present mosquito root plowing and reseeded, pasture pitting, Blue Panic grass seeding, proper methods of applying chemical spray, proper methods of cultivating field crops, proper seed preparation and a demonstration on two-way plowing.

Free polio shots for all people under 20 years of age are being offered to Coke County residents. This has been made possible by the Coke County Infantile Paralysis Chapter from funds raised in the March of Dimes.

recently completed show a big percentage of the students have received shots. All forty-six members of the school faculty at Comanche were reelected at a meeting of the board last week and Supt. Joe Harper and Coach Mike Murphy were given three year contracts.

The Texas State Singing Convention was again held in Stephenville the past week-end with sessions at the City Recreation Hall. A total of 17 well known quartets were on hand to take their parts on the program for the two day session.

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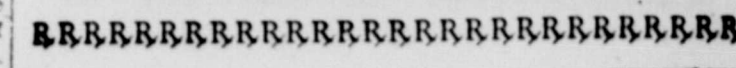


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SOCIETY

Mrs. C. F. Bailey Gives Book Review For S. S. Class
Mrs. O. R. Lasater, Mrs. E. E. Avey and Mrs. Gertrude Woods were hostesses to members of the Philathea Class of the First Methodist Church Monday evening, entertaining in the home of Mrs. Lasater, which was decorated with a profusion of roses, iris and other garden flowers.

Mrs. Vernon Webb, president, presided for a short business period after the group repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison. Mrs. Charles F. Bailey was introduced as guest reviewer, and she reviewed an Easter story, "Mary Speaks," which was written by her. The Easter message included the thoughts which Mary, the mother of Christ, encountered while her Son was being condemned and crucified on the Cross. Mrs. Troy Simpson gave the closing prayer.

Mrs. Z. D. Herring was the birthday celebrant. A sandwich plate was served with cookies and coffee to those previously mentioned and to:

Forgey, O. R. O'Neill, Aubra Dodson, C. L. Howell, Archie Smith, C. R. Stone, Blair Hays, Guy Middleton, Marion Hays, Robert Bruce, Paul Richardson, and Miss Ollie Chenoweth. Visitors were Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. W. B. Halley and Mrs. R. E. Porter of Sweetwater, Tennessee.

First Presbyterian USA. Conquest Class Meets
Miss Mickey Vorbeck and Mrs. John Reese were hostesses to members of the Conquest Class of the First Presbyterian Church, USA on Monday evening, entertaining in the Vorbeck home on Ninth Street.

Arrangements of garden flowers were used to decorate rooms where Mrs. Reese, president, was in charge of the business. Mrs. Rufus Allen gave the devotional, using scripture from Matthew. At the social hour, refreshments were served to: Mmes. Bob Hancock, Pierson Corder, Allen, and Miss Lillian McMillan.

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dent, was in charge of the business for the regular meeting of the Ballinger Current Book Club which met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jack Nixon on Eighth Street.

Entertaining rooms were decorated with the Easter motif and garden flowers. Mrs. Sam Behringer presented a program on Household Guides, and named many useful hints for housekeeping. She concluded her talk by reading an Easter poem, "Let Us Rejoice." Pound cake was served with

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coffee to: Mmes. E. P. Talbott, Chester Cherry, A. B. Stobaugh, Behringer, O. R. O'Neill, Tom Caudie, James Wear, Gertrude Woods, Murphy; and two visitors, Mrs. E. R. Gordon and Mrs. Hatton Laxson.

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Ballinger Civic Garden Club To Hold Flower Workshop
The Ballinger Civic Garden Club will sponsor a Flower Arranging workshop on April 23 at the library building.

The exhibit committee, composed of Mrs. Fred Harwell, Mrs. W. O. Irby and Mrs. H. B. Edmondson, will direct the meeting with all club members participating. Each member is to bring her own card table, flower containers, flower holders or frogs, and all the garden flowers she may have, along with any mechanic she may want to use.

All club members are urged to attend the workshop so that the local club may have a better Flower Show next fall. There will be no out-of-town judges for the flower arranging workshop.

Mrs. Jim Golden and Mrs. O. C. Sykes will be afternoon hostesses.

METHODISTS ANNOUNCE SERVICES FOR EASTER
Rev. E. R. Gordon has announced plans for all Easter services at the First Methodist Church for Sunday.

The Sunday school will meet at 9:30 Sunday morning and a goal of 400 has been set for all departments.

The morning worship service has been moved up to start at 10:30 a. m. In the early part of the service infants will be dedicated in baptism and near the close of the service a group of adults will be brought into the church. Special Easter music will be presented by the choir and the pastor will speak on "Immortality and How to Have It."

At the evening hour, 7:30 p. m., Rev. Gordon will speak on "Christians Are Different From Non-Christians."

No mid-week prayer service will be held next week.

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| Van Camps Tenderoni 2 4-Oz. Boxes 27¢ | Charmin Napkins 40 Count Pkg. 14¢ | Brer Rabbit Syrup Home or Tree Label 12-Oz. Bottle 25¢ | Swift's Shortening 3 Lb. 85¢ | Peach Pie Filling Lolly Leaf 10 1/2 Lb. 39¢ | Cranberry Sauce Ocean Spray Whole or Jellied No. 300 Can 24¢ | Niblets Corn Whole Kernel Golden 7-Oz. Can 13¢ | Chinese Dinners Lo Choy 3-Oz. Pkg. 59¢ | Swift's Prem Tasty 12-Oz. Can 43¢ | Wilson's Chop Bif Delicious 12-Oz. Can 39¢ |

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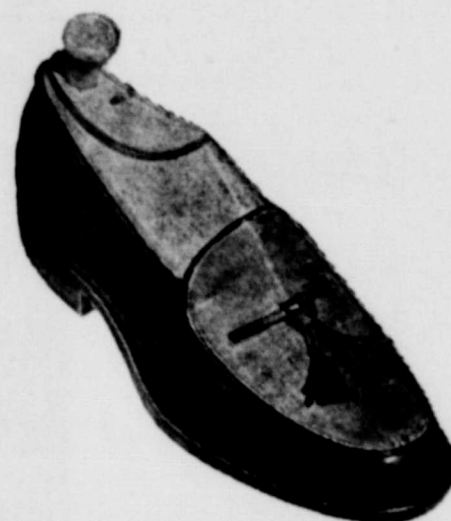
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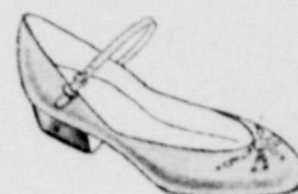
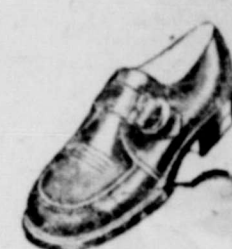
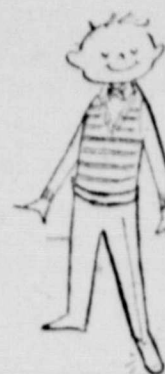
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BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB
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Mrs. Alvin Spreen, president, welcomed guests and conducted a short business period. Members answered roll by naming "A Rule of Etiquette." A note of thanks was read from Judge E. C. Grindstaff, who recently was guest speaker for the Ballinger Club at Crews home demonstration club. A note of thanks was read from Mrs. Tom Crockett for a gift sent her from the club.

Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen and Mrs. John Cody presented a program on "Home Management" and "Personal Problems." Mrs. Hatton Laxson conducted a recreation period.

TRIPLE CLUB MEETING AT ROWENA APRIL 19
The Offen and Rowena Home Demonstration Clubs entertained the Winters Club on April 19, meeting in the public school lunchroom at Rowena with 27 members present. Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Spill and Mrs. Mapes of Winters presented the program, using a discussion on "Let's Work It Out Together," which was a blueprint for solving personal problems.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Estelasio De La Cerda, Defendant, Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County at the Court-house thereof, in Ballinger, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock

A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of June A. D. 1957, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 13th day of February A. D. 1957, in this cause, numbered 6737 on the docket of said court and styled

Hermilia De La Cerda, Plaintiff, vs. Estelasio De La Cerda, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit by plaintiff, Hermilia De La Cerda against Estelasio De La Cerda, defendant, in which said plaintiff seeks judgment against de-

fendant for divorce and dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between them, and for custody of their four minor children; and that defendant be required to contribute to the support and maintenance of said minor children, and for general relief as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on

file in this suit. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the

law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Ballinger, Texas, this the 15th day of April A. D. 1957. Seal. Attest: WILLIE STEPHENS, Clerk, District Court Runnels County, Texas 18-4t

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banquet held in the Junior High School cafeteria Friday evening. A cherry tree laden with blossoms, with an open decorated parasol on the grass covered Japanese garden was at the entrance. Varied colored lanterns hung from the ceiling. A green styrofoam base with a branch hung with flickering lights highlighted an arrangement of red roses and a miniature geisha girl which centered the banquet table. Colorful fans and a miniature parasol were favors.

The red and white program folder included the invocation by Supt. Ernest Caskey; welcome by Jerry Ann Pruser, PHA president. Principal Joe Forester presented the Betty Crocker "homemaker of tomorrow" award to Nydah Ellet; honorary membership was presented H. B. Edmondson, vocational agriculture teacher, by Lynn Herring; Jerry Ann Pruser gave recognition to other honorary members, Supt. Caskey, Mrs. Foy Farmer, Mrs. H. J. Zappe, Joe Forester, and O. C. Pruser. Nola Jean Weiss played several accordion selections and James Everett Grindstaff showed movie slides of scenic spots in Japan which were taken while he was stationed there. Gene Routh, F. H. A. King, spoke the benediction.

Members of the chapter presented gifts to Mrs. Winnie McQueen, teacher of homemaking classes; to H. B. Edmondson, honorary member; to Jerry Ann Pruser, president, and to Gene Routh, F. H. A. King.

Karen Carpenter, incoming president, was presented the gavel. Other officers to serve with her are: LaNell Holbrook, vice-president; Pat Edwards, recording secretary; Beverly Walters, corresponding secretary; Dorothy Piel, treasurer; Louise Jones, public relations officer; Patsy Teplick, historian; Kay Haah, song leader; Willie May Fischer, parliamentarian; Mary Bagwell, pianist; Nola Jean Weiss, sergeant-at-arms.

Senior members of the chapter are: Nydah Ellet, Ruth Ann Henniger, Jerline Piel, Jerry Ann Pruser, Doris Stokes, Rosalyn Urbantke and Charlene White. Mrs. Burnie Cervenka and staff served a fried chicken menu to approximately 145, which included the homemaking girls, their parents, and high school faculty and their wives and husbands.

Mrs. T. M. Marsh Entertains Stitch-In-Time Club. Mrs. T. M. Marsh was hostess to members of Stitch-In-Time Club last Friday afternoon in her Sixth Street home. Mrs. J. D. Smith directed the short business session. Members read the 13th chapter of Matthew. Mrs. T. L. Saylor was welcomed as a new club member.

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period, pal gifts were exchanged and new names were drawn. The Easter theme was used on the refreshment plate of sandwiches and candies in an Easter nest with coffee.

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SOCIETY

Methodist Seniors Honored At Banquet Thursday. "Evening in Springtime" was the theme used for the annual Young People's banquet of the First Methodist Church, honoring members of the high school senior class, who are members of the young people's department of the church.

The affair was sponsored by the Women's Society of Christian Service and hosted by members of the junior department in the Fellowship Hall Thursday evening.

Senior honor guests were: Charlene White, Nydah Ellet, Neil Broussard, Truman Conner, James Hays, and Harold Hudgins. Senior and junior dates were included.

Especially lovely in every detail, the decorations gave elaborate emphasis to the Evening in Springtime theme. A trellis entwined with greenery and dotted with red roses, was at the entrance of the grass covered garden enclosed with a wall which was centered with a bird bath featuring garlands of periwinkle, red roses and red birds. Bouquets of roses and irises were placed at the base. White linen laid tables were arranged about the garden and centered with white styrofoam bases holding red tapers, decorations also included small replicas of the wise old owl in cap and gown sitting upon a cluster of spirea and red roses.

J. T. White was master of ceremonies and Kennedy Whiteley spoke the invocation. Following the welcome by J. T. White, Truman Conner gave the response.

The Girls Sextet of the

Methodist Church, under the direction of Mrs. Kenneth Mills, sang several selections. The "Indianaires" quartet from McMurry College were the guest entertainers and the Rev. E. R. Gordon, church pastor, was the speaker of the evening. His topic was "Christianity is the Answer." Herman Rountree, teacher of the young people of the church, gave the benediction. The program was concluded by the group forming a friendship circle and singing "Blessed Be The Tie."

Mrs. T. L. Hebert, general chairman, was assisted by Mrs. Tom Caudle and Mrs. Tom Agnew, in charge of the menu; Mrs. J. B. Dankworth and Mrs. W. O. Irby, composing the decorating committee; and Mrs. Guy White, directed the program arrangement.

Added guests were the parents of seniors, sponsors of the senior class, Supt. and Mrs. Ernest Caskey, Principal and Mrs. Joe Forester, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Witt, Rev. and Mrs. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mills, the superintendent and teachers of Church School and teachers of the youth department.

Miss Cynthia Lou Tuckey Complimented At Coffee

Miss Cynthia Lou Tuckey, bride-elect of Harold James Devlin, of Odessa, was honored with a coffee Saturday morning in the home of Mrs. E. C. Grind-

staff. Hostesses with Mrs. Grindstaff were her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Everett James Grindstaff and Mrs. Cam Blackmon.

Mrs. Blackmon was at the door to greet guests and present Mrs. J. G. Tutkey, mother of the honoree, Miss Tuckey, Mrs. D. J. Patterson, grandmother of the bride-elect.

Single silver candelabra holding blue tapers, highlighted an all white centerpiece of white gladioli in a silver bowl before a silver fan. All appointments were in silver. Arrangements of blue iris in a tall green vase, also yellow gladioli and yellow roses in a blue bowl, were used in the living room and den. A large pink rabbit stood before the fireplace in the den.

Serving at the coffee table were Mrs. J. C. Sturges, Jr. of San Angelo, Mrs. Edgar Boeische, Mrs. Troy Simpson and Mrs. Ernest Caskey, assisted by Misses Sarah Chandler, Nancy Hambrick, Susan and Lynn Herring.

Miss Sharon Tuckey registered guests. Approximately 100 guests called during the morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Armendariz, center, and his two sisters, Delphine Duarte, left, and Virginia Lopez, right, are planning menus for their cafe in Ballinger. They also announce the start of construction on a new Acapulco Cafe in Winters which is to be completed within 30 days. (Photo by Barney).

Jaycees Announce State Tournament Here July 18-20

Ballinger Jaycees met Monday night for their regular business and program meeting at the Acapulco Cafe.

At the business session the annual installation and awards banquet was set for Saturday, May 4, at the Loftin's Cafe. A program will be arranged for this meeting and all newly elected officers will be installed and a number of awards made to individuals and to the club.

Ballinger Jaycees will again sponsor the State softball tournament for girls. It will be held at Rannels Field in Ballinger on July 18, 19 and 20 this year and E. J. Grindstaff has been named tournament director.

The state girls' tournament was held here last year and teams voted at that time to return here if they were invited. The tourney will bring some 150 players to Ballinger along with their managers, parents and others.

Judge W. H. Rampy was the speaker for the program Monday night and discussed the proposed water reservoir on the Colorado River in Rannels County. He explained the various steps which would be necessary on such a project and the length of time each would require. At the close of his talk, he answered numerous questions in regard to the project.

Highway Wrecks Less For March In District 8

Traffic accidents in district No. 8, of which Rannels County is a part, were greatly reduced for the month of March. There were only three fatal wrecks reported, a total of 32 wrecks and 36 people injured. Property damage in the 21-county area amounted to \$38,902.

Rannels County was one without a highway death, however, 5 people were injured during the month and property loss was placed at \$3,795.

Crockett, Menard, Mills, Reagan, Schleicher, and Sterling Counties went through the month without a wreck reported and no property loss.

Speeding continued to be the No. 1 cause of accidents on the highways with drivers between 21 and 22 years of age having more accidents than any other age group.

Local highway patrolmen made the following statement: "During the first quarter of 1956, in the San Angelo Patrol District, we had 30 people killed in traffic accidents. This year, the first quarter of 1957, this grim total has been cut to 17 killed. If the drivers in this area will continue to walk and drive safely, we can save 30 lives this year. It will take co-operation by each person who uses our streets and highways, but anything we can do will be well worth the effort."

"This year, as in 1956, excessive speed continues to be the number one causative factor in all traffic accidents for this area. Perhaps we drivers fail to realize that a vehicle travels 88 feet per second, when going 60mph, and with the average reaction time of 1/4 of a second, a vehicle will travel 66 feet before the driver can move his foot from the accelerator to the brake. When the braking distance is added to this 66 feet, we can see that it takes approximately 300 feet for the average driver to stop at 60mph. And this is not taking into consideration any defects in the vehicle or roadway."

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Visiting Nurses Talk With Senior Girls On Monday

Nurses from Shannon Hospital in San Angelo were here Monday to meet and speak with senior girls of the Ballinger High School. A former Ballinger student, Nancy Stokes, was one of the nurses here for the meeting Monday and she was accompanied by Elizabeth Renn.

Ballinger students in contests at the district meet in Brownwood Saturday did not fare so well. Track and field events were postponed because of the weather. The Ballinger tennis team of Bobby Burton and Kenneth Wiginton took second place, losing in the finals to Fredericksburg. The golf team lost their match, and those entered in literary events also failed to place.

A. C. Wimpee presented a special assembly program this morning at high school. He is here to address a meeting of the Baptist Brotherhood and did an act of magic for the senior high assembly.

Students will have a holiday for Good Friday with no classes scheduled for the day.

Announcement has been made that a regular session of the Rannels County Teachers Association will be held next Tuesday night in the high school auditorium. A program will be presented and all teachers of the county are expected to attend.

BANKS WILL OBSERVE HOLIDAY HERE MONDAY

Ballinger banks will not be open for business Monday, April 22, observing one of their regular holidays. Patrons are asked to take notice of this closing and attend to necessary banking matters before that time.

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