

Farm Bureau Discusses Rural Road Changes

Members of the Runnels County Farm Bureau are alarmed over proposals to change the rural road program in the state of Texas. "Runnels County may well have seen its last mile of farm-to-market road construction if a recommended change in the state's rural road program is approved," I. W. Conway, president of the Runnels County organization, declared.

Conway said the Texas Research League is advocating that laws governing construction of farm-to-market roads be changed. In a study for the Texas Highway Commission, the League said that the change would prevent the state from becoming burdened with a rural program far in excess of its needs. It said that part of the funds earmarked for farm-to-market road construction should be used for maintenance. Conway pointed out that we have many miles of unpaved roads here in Runnels County that could be lost with such a change being made.

The county farm organization leader said that 26,000 miles of rural roads have been paved

Officers Report All Cases Filed In Local Courts

Runnels County law enforcement officers have been busy the past week-end filing a number of cases and also continuing investigations which are expected to cause other charges to be filed.

William F. Sizemore was arrested and filed on for two cases of forgery. He passed checks in this county using the name of M. F. Becker.

D. E. Flanagan was arrested at Brownwood and was brought to Runnels County Wednesday to face several charges of forgery. In passing checks and instruments he used the name of Eddie White.

Two juveniles were arrested and investigated on charges of theft. They were released to their parents after statements were taken before the juvenile court.

Charles Hannah was released on bond of \$250 after being filed on for aggravated assault.

A. J. Brister was filed on for felony checking and a warrant for his arrest sent to San Saba.

Gene W. Williams was charged with contributing to the delinquency of minors and also for speeding. He was released on a \$500 bond.

Charles D. Fletcher was arrested here on a theft charge and was turned over to the sheriff at Abilene.

Melvin Hutton was arrested at San Angelo and is now in jail here on a charge of forgery.

Vernon E. McComb was charged with checking and a warrant sent to officers at Sweetwater.

Ray H. Allred was charged with checking and a warrant sent to officers at Anson.

Joe B. Fry was charged with aggravated assault and released on a \$500 bond.

A fifteen year old boy was apprehended here the first of the week and made a statement in which he admitted entering a number of local houses and stealing items, mostly ladies' lingerie. He also admitted numerous cases of window peeping and other activities covering the past year.

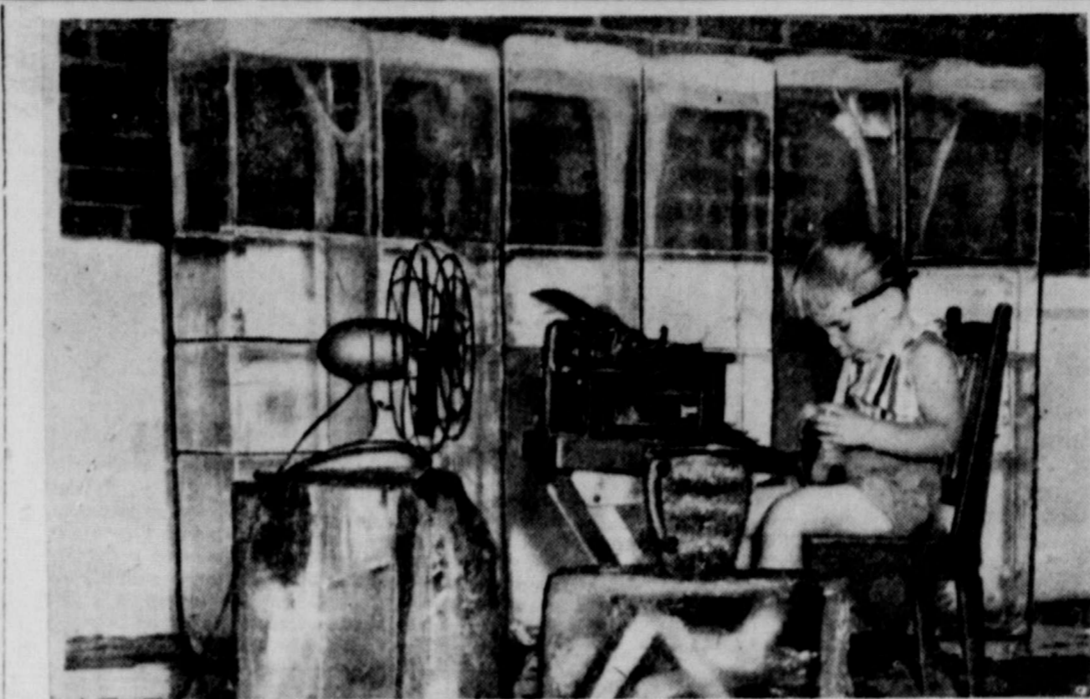
He was released Tuesday in custody of his parents to appear before the court at a later date.

Mrs. Leo Rogers was apprehended at San Angelo for this office on a number of checking cases.

Six persons were charged with gambling but have not been brought to court.

Tom Thomas, colored, was charged with aggravated assault with intent to murder in connection with the stabbing of Walter Heckler at Winters the past week-end. He was also charged with robbery by assault.

A county car was sent to Huntsville the first of the week to transport two prisoners, Willie Miles, convicted of burglary and A. D. Flanagan, convicted of forgery.



C-O-O-O-O-L—Dank depths of an ice house at Waldo, Mo., help "secretary" Sandra K. Peterson, 2, of Belton, Mo., keep cool during a heat wave.

City Commission Holds Busy Session Tuesday

Annual Barbecue For Farm Bureau Here August 15

Plans are being completed for the annual meeting and barbecue for the Runnels County Farm Bureau. It will be held at City Park in Ballinger on August 15, the dinner to be served at 6:30. This will be followed by a program and other features.

Each Farm Bureau family will receive two free tickets and additional tickets may be purchased at 50 cents per plate. There will be no charge for children of pre-school age. Ladies are asked to bring a cake and register when they deliver it to the food committee. The cakes will be cut and served at the end of the meal and later names will be drawn and prizes awarded to three ladies.

Miss Nell Phelps will be in charge of the queen's contest this year. Daughters of farm bureau members between the ages of 16 and 22 may enter and will be judged on appearance, poise and personality. The county winner will be the entry from this county in the district contest to be held later.

Gene Leach, Texas Farm Bureau representative, and Dorsey B. Hardeman of San Angelo will be speakers on the program which will follow the dinner. Entertainment features are also being planned for the afternoon and evening.

Miss Phelps stated Wednesday afternoon that four entries have been received in the contest and that others are expected. The final date to enter has been set for August 5.

Entries to date are:

- Barbara Ann Jost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jost of the Rowena community.
- Jerrie Underwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Underwood of Winters.
- Alyce Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ray of Miles.
- Sylvia Ann Schroeder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin C. Schroeder of Winters.

An added feature will be the folk dance by a group of 4-H club girls of this county. This number is being arranged by Miss Ollie Chenoweth.

Miss Nola Jean Weiss will be heard in a group of accordion numbers.

The Ballinger City Commission was in session for a long meeting Tuesday afternoon with all members present.

They announced a raise in the irrigation rates which will be effective with the September billings. The rate will be raised from 15 cents per 1,000 gallons to 20 cents per 1,000 gallons. The water department has kept strict records and found that it requires 20 cents per 1,000 gallons to pump, treat and deliver water to the consumers.

The commission voted to leave the storm sewer on Hutchings Avenue from 11th Street to the Colorado River as it is and not to attempt any corrections. With the street being widened by the new four-lane highway, the storm sewer will be under the pavement and one lane of traffic will be on top of the line. It has a rock covering of five to six inch thick rocks and there is a question as to whether it will stand the weight or not after the new pavement is completed.

The city officials studied the proposed budget made up for the next year and have set a budget hearing for Tuesday, August 13. An advertisement is being printed this week advising tax payers of the budget hearing. As soon as the budget is approved, the tax rate will be set for next year and the tax department will prepare receipts and have them ready for the collecting period which starts October 1.

The city officials also discussed delinquent taxes now on the city's books and will bring this up at a later date for more talk and action. At the present time approximately \$32,000 in taxes are owed to the city on real and personal property.

The city accepted the low bid of H. G. Burkhardt for refinishing three rooms at the pumpers house on the country club road near the city filtration plant.

The application of Raymond Rohnfeld was accepted as driver of fire trucks. He will succeed L. R. Jackson who recently resigned to move to another town.

They also voted to accept 6-months peddlers license from those who have watermelons and other such produce to sell on the streets.

The city has received a number of complaints from special committees in regard to a number of blind corners in the city. Most of these are because trees or shrubs need pruning and they are asking all property owners to check their corners and see that there is vision in all directions for drivers. A number of deaths have occurred in nearby towns because of blind corners causing wrecks. Ballinger has not had a traffic fatality in seven years and city officials are anxious to maintain that record.

Three building permits were approved at the meeting.

Ronaldo Gomez received a permit for \$700 to build an addition to a residence on Sealy Avenue between 5th and 6th Streets.

R. M. Bird received a permit for \$350 to build a garage and storage room at 605 4th Street.

A \$400 permit was approved for Mrs. Ida Mae White for an addition to a residence on Sixth Street between Bonnell and Murrell Avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gabbert and their granddaughter Deborah, left this week for Miami, Florida where they will leave on a Caribbean cruise and will vacation at Nassau and other places on the Bahama Islands.

County 4-H Dress Revue Is Held Here Saturday

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, presented a large number of 4-H club girls in the annual dress revue Saturday. The modeling was held in the district court room and Mrs. B. M. Batt's and Mrs. Maron Hays judged the girls on posture, grooming and the way the clothes fitted and their accessories. Miss Laura Tharp, home demonstration agent in Concho County, judged the construction of the garments and the record of each of the girls.

In the first year group only aprons were modeled and at the close of the show the following winners were announced:

- First—Emma Kruppa, St. Joseph's Club, Rowena
- Second—Anna Gottschalk, Norton Club
- Third—Dolores Ibarro, Wingate Club

In the section for junior girls, 14 and under, skirts and dresses were entered. The winners were:

- First—Ann Wilbanks, Ballinger-Bethel Club
- Second—Carolyn Peizel, Olfen Club
- Third—Ethel Jost, St. Joseph's Club, Rowena

In the division for senior girls, dresses were modeled and in judging a number of girls tied for second and third place. Carolyn Gottschalk of Norton was the first place winner, scoring 118 points out of a possible 125.

- Second place—Carmelita Schriener, St. Joseph's Club, Rowena
- Norma Ohlhausen, Ballinger-Bethel Club
- Loretta Schwertner, St. Joseph's Club, Rowena
- Frances Greger, Norton Club
- Third place—Joyce Ocker, St. Joseph's Club, Rowena
- Barbara Urbanek, St. Joseph's Club, Rowena
- Elaire Hoppe, Winters Club
- Carolyn Gottschalk and Ann Wilbanks will go to the district dress revue on August 16 at Abilene where they will model their dresses against other county winners of the district.

Miss and Mrs. Price Middleton and Suzanne and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newby left Sunday for Dallas to be with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Tom Roberts, at the Baylor Hospital where she underwent major surgery Tuesday.

Midland Indians Moved To Lamesa

Lamesa will become the fourth member of the Southwestern League after August 1, taking the Midland club and franchise to be operated by the league.

Lamesa is not new to professional baseball, having been a member of the old West Texas-New Mexico League for a number of years. They have a good park and the team will be there on August 8 to open the season under a new name.

The Midland Club will finish the present series with Ballinger Thursday night and will then go on the road until the night of August 8 when they will go to their new home for a three game series.

The Lamesa Club will make their first appearance in Ballinger on August 11, 12 and 13.

Westerners to Open Home Series Friday

The Ballinger Westerners will return home tomorrow (Friday) for six home games. They will open on Friday night with Carlsbad and also meet the Potashers Saturday night and Sunday afternoon.

On August 5, 6 and 7 the Hobbs Sports will move in for three games at Runnels Field.

The Westerners have been having some hard luck in their recent games and have dropped part of their lead in the Southwestern League. They are still holding on to first place and expect to have all players back in the lineup this week.

Bill Stenger was hit on the arm by a pitched ball last Saturday night and has been out of the lineup since that time.

All clubs in the league have improved their strength with players secured from other clubs after teams folded. Ballinger is still using the same lineup which started the season and will stick with the boys that have held the league lead since Clovis folded.

The season is getting short and fans are urged to give generous support in the few remaining home games. The season closes in just one month on September 3.

Thursday, July 25

A dropped fly ball in the ninth inning with two outs cost the Westerners a pitchers duel at Midland Thursday night. Bob Leach hurled a six-hit performance in the final inning permitted the winning run to cross the plate. Bill Stenger had singled in the seventh inning and Leach put the teams in a 1 to 1 tie.

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Friday, July 26

The Westerners snapped a losing streak Friday night to hand Midland a 4 to 3 loss behind the pitching of Eugene Lippold. Bill Stenger laid down a bunt single with the bases loaded to put across the winning run.

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Saturday, July 27

A four-run Ballinger rally fell short Saturday night and the Hobbs Sports went on to win a 5 to 4 decision. Eddie McKay started but gave way to Bill Burris who held the Hobbs team in check but the Westerners could not catch up.

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Sunday, July 28

The Westerners turned loose their hitting power to down the Hobbs Sports Sunday afternoon by a score of 12 to 5. Ed Maier pitched steady ball all the way for the Westerners while his teammates were piling up 13

July Is Hottest Month For Years 23 Days Over 100

July has been one of the hottest months in the history of weather in this area. Most of the days have run 100 degrees or better with exception of the few cloudy days when showers hit this section of West Texas. Indications are that the intense heat will continue for some time.

Tuesday Hottest

The local weather bureau reported the hottest day of the year here Tuesday when the official reading was reported at 109 degrees. This made 25 days in July with readings of 100 or above as Wednesday was above that mark at 1 p. m. the last official reading before press time.

The heat started on June 28 when the reading here hit 101. June 29, Ballinger's birthday, it was a sizzling 104 and the next day it dropped to 99.

According to records at the U. S. Weather Station here, kept by Miss Pearl Witt and Mrs. Beulah Frazier on the Bronte highway at the edge of the city limits, the readings for July through Monday were as follows:

July 1, 101	July 11, 100
July 2, 102	July 12, 100
July 3, 103	July 13, 101
July 4, 103	July 14, 100
July 5, 101	July 15, 100
July 6, 103	July 16, 100
July 7, 104	July 17, 100
July 8, 100	July 18, 102
July 9, 100	July 19, 102
July 10, 99	July 20, 100
July 11, 100	July 21, 97
July 12, 100	July 22, 91
July 13, 101	July 23, 86
July 14, 100	July 24, 97
July 15, 100	July 25, 98
July 16, 100	July 26, 100
July 17, 100	July 27, 102
July 18, 102	July 28, 105
July 19, 102	July 29, 105
July 20, 100	July 30, 105
July 21, 97	July 31, 105

July 1956 was also a hot, dry month, however, there were only 15 July days last year when the local recordings were 100 and over. While all of July last year was 89 and over, there were a large number of days in the high 90's.

The hottest spell last year started on July 15 and ran until July 20 with readings at 101 to 104. July 19 was the hottest day of the month.

June 29, 1956, the town's birthday, was a high for the year with the gauge showing a cool 105.

Club Women Hold Rally Day Here; Attendance Good

The home demonstration women of Runnels County were here last Thursday for their annual rally day. The session met at the national guard armory with all clubs attending with the exception of Norton.

The highlight of the day was the noon meal which brought out an excellent menu and much more than was consumed by the ladies present. Prior to the noon hour, Mrs. Tom Egan was in charge of a recreation and game period which was enjoyed by the ladies.

On the afternoon program was the showing of two sound pictures in color. "America the Beautiful" was the first picture presented and this was followed by "Realm of the Wild," a picture made and presented by the wildlife association.

Attendance was slightly less this year than in the past, due to a number of causes. In addition to the regular club members, a few invited guests attended, most of which were county officials who cooperate in the home demonstration work in this county.

In past years the ladies have been presenting club stunts for the afternoon program and they were pleased with the movies this year and in having entertainment without their effort.

JAMES SKINNER HERE FOR HOME VACATION

James Skinner came in Saturday from the Veterans Hospital at Temple and will be here the remainder of the week for a visit with friends. He was accompanied here by Dr. and Mrs. George McCulley of Kingsville and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McCulley of Houston.

Dr. McCulley returned to his home at Kingsville and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McCulley returned to Houston Sunday. Mrs. McCulley will remain here with her brother at the Skinner home on Sixth Street.

Mrs. Howard Parker of Cleburne was here last week to attend the funeral services for Mrs. J. F. Currie and to visit her mother, Mrs. C. P. Shepherd.

Know Your Merchants? Here is the Opportunity to Identify Them for Cash Awards

How well do you know are business and professional men and women of Ballinger? Likely you know most of them but can you identify them from a picture, associate them with the proper firm and give its general location.

If you can properly identify 101 local business and professional men and women and their firms, you may be able to share \$30 in cash prizes.

On the center section of the newspaper there is a cut with the faces of 101 business men and women on cartoon bodies. Each one is numbered and all you have to do is list the number and follow it with the correct name of the person, the correct name of the business with which they are associated and give its general location.

In order that all subscribers in this area have an equal opportunity, no answers will be accepted except by mail and these will not be accepted before Monday, August 5. Address your answer to Contest, Ballinger Ledger, Box 111, Ballinger, Texas. Mail will be taken from the box each hour for several days and all letters will be numbered as they are received. All answers must be in by Monday, August 12.

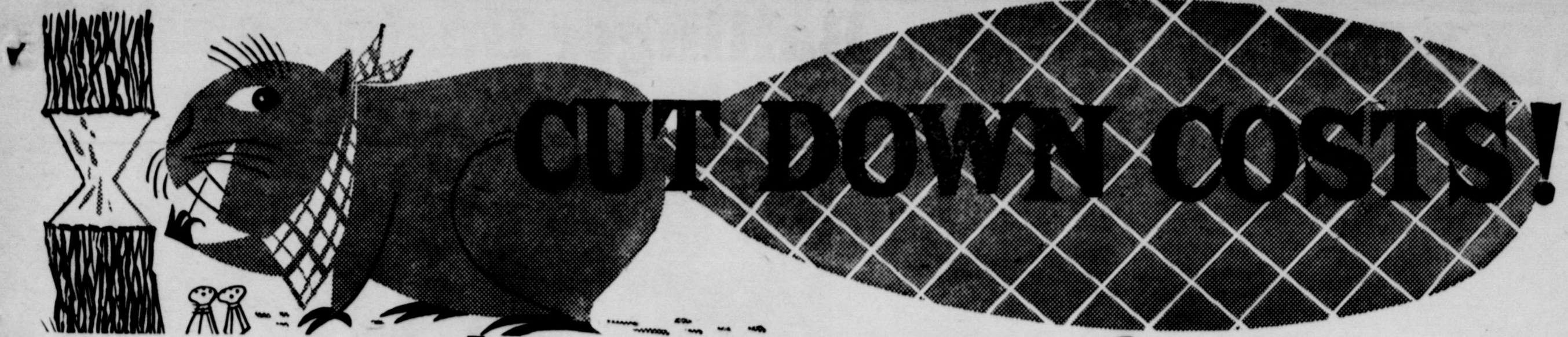
The letters will be opened by the judges in numerical order and the first three correct answers, or the three nearest correct will be winners. Cash prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 will be paid.

As soon as the contest is over and prizes are awarded the picture will be run in the newspaper again listing the names and business firms with each number.

The contest is open to everybody except members of the Ballinger Ledger staff and their families.

In order to give you some help, here are the cooperating firms:

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June Harris To Marry Alan D. Holmes Sept. 7
Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Harris have announced the engagement and marriage date of their daughter.



June Harris, to Alan D. Holmes, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Holmes, of Corpus Christi.

Miss Harris is a graduate of Ballinger High School and is a sophomore at Abilene Christian College. Mr. Holmes is a junior at Abilene Christian College.

The couple will be married on September 7, in the garden at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen.

Presbyterian Women's Council Presents Program

Mrs. Pierson Corder, vice-president of the Women's Council of the First Presbyterian Church USA, planned the Tuesday night program and wrote the script for the special theme, "Let There Be Light Through All Our Days," which was to honor the past council members. Mrs. F. C. Miller, the only charter member who is living, was given a special tribute.

As each former council member was memorialized, Old Beth Corder lighted a candle before the miniature church replica. Miss Eunice Lilly was the commentator and Mrs. James Palmer sang appropriate songs for each member.

Tom Wilbanks, ministerial student who has been holding services at the local church throughout the summer, gave the closing prayer of dedication. At the close of the program, Miss Patsy Ashton sang "He" with Mrs. Willie Hoover playing the accompaniment and Emil Vorbeck, church

treasurer, presented a gift of appreciation to Mr. Wilbanks. White gladioli arrangements decorated the church auditorium and parlors where the picnic supper was served following the program. Mrs. Harper McFarland and Mrs. Sherman Hendricks, menu committee, were assisted by members of the Women's Council.

Rev. and Mrs. Tom Wilbanks of Corsicana, grandparents of Tom Wilbanks, attended the program and were accompanied by the ministerial student on a vacation before he enrolls as a student at a Seminary in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Around 75 attended the Fellowship program and supper.

Ballinger Folks Attend Prenuptial Party

Mrs. R. W. Balke of Winters was hostess to a group of friends in Winters and Ballinger last Saturday afternoon when she complimented Miss Billie John Nunn and Rodney Worth Balke, both of Dallas, at an informal tea in the Balke home.

Miss Nunn and Mr. Balke will be married August 2 in St. Andrews Presbyterian Church in Dallas.

Reception rooms were decorated with white crepe myrtle. Those attending from Ballinger were: Misses Rufus Allen, B. H. Erwin, John E. Green, Jr., Augusta Bethany, W. N. Selby, Jan and Peggy Green.

NEW BUILDING OPENED FOR TELEPHONE COMPANY

The Southwestern States Telephone Company will hold open house for its new general office building in Brownwood this week-end. D. T. Strickland, vice-president and general manager of the firm has announced.

The public in this area will have its first official visit to the building as open house activities are held Saturday from 9:00 to 9:00 p. m. and Sunday from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. Everyone is invited to inspect the company's new facilities.

General office personnel began moving into the new structure on June 24. Completed at a cost of over \$300,000, the building houses all administrative offices, with the exception of the accounting department of the Company's general office. The organization operates tele-

phone facilities in over 160 cities and communities in Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas, including the exchange here.

Located on the 2700 block of Fourth Street in Brownwood, the modern building is equipped with year-round air conditioning. A snack bar where employees can obtain refreshments during relief periods is also included in the building. When landscaping is completed around the new structure, it is expected to provide one of the real beauty spots of the Central Texas area.

Mr. Strickland extended a cordial invitation to all friends of the company to visit the new facilities this week-end. A special program is being held Friday night in order that employees other than those employed in the general office, and their families will have an opportunity to visit the new offices.

Good Progress On School Gym Is Being Made

Good progress is being made on remodeling of the old junior high building into a gymnasium and music department for the elementary school.

Walls have been cut down, the interior removed and the roof has been completed. Supt. Ernest Caskey stated this week that rock walls on the inside of the building were being run to cut off offsets and make the interior even. When this is done and glass blocks placed in the upper windows, a concrete floor will be run.

He expects to use the building this year before the walls are plastered and a wooden floor installed. After the next school year the building will be completed during the summer vacation period in 1958.

All other school cleanup jobs have been completed and all buildings will be ready for the students on September 3 when school starts classes. The athletic field, playgrounds and the several campuses have been cared for during the summer and are in good condition. A rock and steel wire fence is being placed along the junior high campus on Eighth Street.

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Rules For Contest

Anyone may enter except owners and employees of the Ballinger Ledger and immediate members of their families. All entries must be mailed to "Contest—Ballinger Ledger, Box 111, Ballinger, Texas."

Contest starts Monday, August 5— Closes Monday, August 12.

No entry will be accepted that arrives before Monday, August 5, 1957. (This delayed entry date is to permit rural subscribers an equal chance with city subscribers).

Starting Monday, mail will be taken from the box each hour and numbered as they arrive. These will be turned over to the judges and the first three correct answers will be declared winners. Judges' decision will be final.

Here is the information you must list:

Each picture is numbered—List the number, identify the picture, using the full name of businessman, then connect him with the business firm he is associated with in Ballinger and give the location of that firm. (The exact street number is not necessary. For example— Western Auto Store, Hutchings Avenue, between Seventh and Eighth streets).

As soon as winners are named—the following cash prizes will be paid:

First \$15.00— Second \$10.00— Third \$5.00.

will return to the U. S. next month, it was announced today by Gen. F. F. Everest, USAF Commander in Chief. No announcement has been made yet as to his next assignment.

Gen. Rampy, 59, was the Air Force's first Auditor General, holding that post from July 1948 until May 1954.

Replacing Gen. Rampy as USAF Comptroller will be Maj. Gen. Walter I. Miller who comes to USAF from an assignment as Director of Accounting and Finance at Air Force headquarters in Washington.

A native of Texas, Gen. Rampy

worked in the field of accounting and procurement with industrial engineering and construction firms in Boston, Philadelphia, and Dayton, Ohio, before becoming an accountant with the Army Air Forces in Washington in 1941.

He was commissioned a lieutenant colonel in the Army of the United States in February 1943 and was named chief of the Contract Audit Division, AAF headquarters. In December 1946 he became chief of the Industrial Division, Army Audit Agency, Office of the Chief of Finance.

Reassigned to the Air Force in July 1948, he became USAF Auditor General and for a time in 1951 was also the Air Force's first Director of Accounting. He came to USAF headquarters in Wiesbaden in May 1954.

Gen. Rampy's awards include the Legion of Merit and the Commendation Ribbon.

Gen. Rampy and his wife are the parents of two sons and a daughter.

He is the brother of Judge W. H. Rampy of Ballinger, Texas.

NEW TEACHER HIRED FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS

Supt. Ernest Caskey announced this week that Joe B. Waterson has been hired to teach general science in the

Ballinger Junior High School. Contact was made by Supt. Caskey while in Colorado last week. Waterson is attending school at Boulder, Colorado and for more than a year has been teaching at Pleasanton.

The new teacher will report here the latter part of August to be ready for work this fall with the local faculty.

While in Boulder, Supt. and Mrs. Caskey visited Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Blackburn, elementary school principal, who is attending summer school there.

JO ANN GREER ENTERS SCOTTISH RITE HOSPITAL

Jo Ann Green, 11½ year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn D. Green of Ballinger, was admitted on Friday, July 19, to the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas.

Texas Scottish Rite Masons founded the hospital thirty three years ago in an effort to provide a chance at a normal life for the handicapped child. The hospital, which has accepted more than 100,000 children for treatment since 1925, is supported by public contributions and bequests.

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serves the entire state.

Noisy Mufflers Must Be Stopped In This County

Officers in Ballinger and Winters and members of the Sheriff's department have received numerous complaints about noisy cars operating in the two towns and on highways. There is a state law which makes it necessary to curb these noisy exhausts and also to eliminate smoke and fumes.

This week a warning is being published by the chief of police at Winters and Ballinger and by Sheriff Don Atkins. After these notices are given publicity, officers in the two towns will start giving tickets and all police and deputies have been advised to keep a close watch and pick up offenders.

Sheriff Don Atkins stated that a number of complaints have been received of youngsters speeding near drive-in theatres in the county. The county will be assisted by the state highway patrol in stopping this violation and Sheriff Atkins said, "We intend to stop

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Officers Stopped in County
 Sheriff Atkins stated that a number of local cars are equipped with special devices to permit the loud muffler sounds. These are cut off when the car is late hours and awaken many people from their sleep. After the publishing of the warning, arrests will be made of any who do not have the proper type of muffler in good working order.

LETTERS to the Editor

Dear Sir:
 I wish to take this opportunity to publicly thank the Ballinger Jaycees, and the people of Ballinger, for the hospitality shown us during our stay in Ballinger while competing in the Women's State Amateur Softball Association Tournament on July 18, 19 and 20.

The tournament was a success and the cordial manner of the people of Ballinger made our stay there very pleasant. Through necessity, our hours were very irregular, however, we were satisfactorily accommodated during the entire tournament.

The Jaycees are to be commended on the successfulness of this tournament. Their efforts were recognized and appreciated by the Midland team.

Sincerely,
MABEL BENNETT
 Manager
MIDLAND RAMBLERS SOFTBALL CLUB

Ballinger has been host to the state softball tournament for women for the past two years. It has been a pleasure to have these fine young women and their sponsors in Ballinger. They have always behaved like perfect ladies and have accepted what the town had to offer in a manner that showed good sportsmanship at all times. We hope to have them back in 1958 for another tourney.

CHAMBER DIRECTORS WILL MEET MONDAY
 The directors of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will meet at 6 p. m. Monday for their regular August business session. All directors are expected to attend the meeting.

Manager Tom Caudle stated that attendance at the early meetings had been better than at night sessions and will be continued at least for the present.

Several important committee reports will be heard at the meeting Monday night and several items of new business will be submitted for discussion. Back to school, fall business, the football season and other matters will be discussed as the directors get ready for the change of season in business and activities.

GREGER FAMILY REUNION IS HELD AT WESTPHALIA
 Descendants of the late August and Lizzie Greger, met at Westphalia on Sunday, July 21, for their annual family reunion. All eight of the Greger children were present and included Fred Greger, George Greger, Albert Greger, Frank Greger, Mrs. Rosa Rabroker, Mrs. Minnie Halfmann, Mrs. Lena Weaver, and Mrs. Kate Harrell.

There were 114 attending the 1957 reunion registering from Westphalia, Lott, Temple, Ballinger, Rowena, Marlin, Travis, Cameron, Crawford, Nocton, Eddy, Seguin, Perry, Waco, China Springs and Winnie.

Officers for another year were elected at the close of the meeting.

BAPTIST ANNOUNCED CHANGE OF PROGRAM
 The First Baptist Church has announced a change in time for their regular Sunday program over Station KRUM. From now until further notice they will be heard at 4:30 p. m. each Sunday afternoon.

They invite the public to listen and invite others to hear this special program. Dr. LeRay Fowler, church pastor, stated that all shut-ins had been advised of the change in time so that they would not miss a single program.

James Hale
 James Elbert Hale, 67, member of a pioneer Runnels County family, died suddenly last Friday while mowing his lawn. Death was attributed to a heart attack.

Decedent was born September 16, 1890 in Lometa and came to Runnels County as a boy with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. William Hale. The family settled in the Crews community. In 1910 he moved to Dallas where he was a buyer for a firm there for 20 years. He retired in August 1956 and moved to Ballinger in February 1957. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in Ballinger at the First Methodist Church.

Burial was in the Crews Cemetery with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors are his wife, six brothers, Marvin and Noel Hale, Talpa; Steve Hale, Glen Cove; Walter Hale, Houston; W. A. Hale, Abilene; Ira Hale, Miles; five sisters, Mrs. Vera Payne and Mrs. Flay Brevard, Ballinger; Mrs. Della Alcorn, Talpa; Mrs. Ralph Routh, Abilene; Miss Willie Hale, Houston.

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CREWS METHODIST CHURCH ANNOUNCE REVIVAL AUG. 2
 A revival meeting will start at the Crews Methodist Church Friday, August 2, and continue through August 11. The pastor, Rev. F. T. Fisher, will do the preaching at each service. Morning hours have been announced at 10 a. m. and evening services will be at 8 o'clock.

Will Mathis will have charge of the song services and Margaret Mathis will be at the piano.

The public is invited to attend all services.

PARTY FOR CHILDREN AT YOUTH CENTER TONIGHT
 There will be a special party for all children at the youth center tonight. This will include first graders through the sixth grade. The fun will start at 8 p. m. and close at 9:30.

Those in charge have made arrangements for entertaining a large crowd and parents are urged to bring their kiddies for the hour and one-half of activity.



At 22, Pat Boone, the nation's singing sensation, has added a new dimension to his career which already encompasses radio, television and records. With his starring role in "Bernardine," a Twentieth Century-Fox CinemaScope comedy coming to the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, he firmly establishes himself as a permanent Hollywood figure. Upon completion of his first film role with Terry Moore, Janet Gaynor and Dean Jagger as his co-stars, young Pat was immediately signed to star with Shirley Jones in a new musical picture.

COUNTY EQUALIZATION BOARD TO MEET AUG. 12
 The Runnels County Commissioners' Court will meet Monday, August 12, to act as an equalization board. This will be for changes in real and personal property and any person with business of that nature is invited to appear.

Notices have been mailed to all property owners where a change is to be made in the value of real or personal property rendered for taxes.

The court sometime back met as an equalization board for oil property in the county and those changes have all been settled.

NUNN ATTENDS FUNERAL OF RELATIVE AT CLYDE
 Mr. Lucius Nunn of Valley Creek will attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ben Nunn, which will be held at 3 p. m. Thursday at the Church of Christ in Clyde.

Mrs. Nunn, 66, died at 10:10 p. m. Tuesday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arnel Powers who lives near Clyde. She had been ill with leukemia.

Survivors in addition to her daughter include her husband, five sisters, two brothers and two grandchildren.

Mr. Ben Nunn is a relative of Gariand Nunn of Ballinger.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients dismissed from the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week were:
 Mrs. Maud Houston, Paint Rock, medical, Monday
 Walter Niehus, Norton, medical, Thursday
 Mrs. Vincent Medrano and son, Friday
 Mrs. A. N. Wiley, Hatchel, medical, Thursday
 Charley Lee, medical, Saturday
 L. L. Clark, medical, Monday
 John Cameron, medical, Tuesday
 Ricky Holstead, surgery, Sunday
 Walter Eggemeyer, medical, Wednesday
 Howard Fikes, Paint Rock, medical, Wednesday
 Births reported at the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week were:
 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kotlik, a son, born July 25
 Patients in the hospital at

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BANANA SQUASH SHOWN HERE WEIGHT 32 LBS

A banana squash was on display at the First National Bank the first of the week and attracted much attention. The squash was 32 inches long and weighed 32 pounds. It was one of the first ever seen here and it is said they are tender and very delicious (if you like squash).

The squash was given to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lindemann by their daughter, Mrs. John Byers. It was grown at Glen Cove by Mrs. Topsy Beaver, daughter of John Byers. The vine had three squashes on it this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Behringer spent the past week-end in Fort Stockton where they visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray of Snyder were in Ballinger last week-end to attend the funeral service of Mrs. J. F. Currie and to visit relatives.

Miss Rebecca Orton of Bowie is here visiting in the home of

SOCIETY

Miss Betty Louise Berryhill Weds John Walter Duke

Miss Betty Louise Berryhill and John Walter Duke were married Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the First Methodist Church.

Vows were said before branched candelabra burning pink cathedral tapers before a background of greenery. A sunburst arrangement of pink mums centered the altar.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Berryhill. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duke are parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Bob Bartlett, sister of the bridegroom, organist, played accompaniments for soloist, Mrs. Conrad Rountree, also a sister

of the bridegroom, who sang "Through the Years," "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Bartlett also played the traditional wedding selections.

The Rev. E. R. Gordon, church pastor, performed the double ring ceremony. Entering with her father, the bride wore a ballerina length gown of white rose design French lace and white silk organdy. The lace figurine bodice was fashioned with a lace edged portrait neckline and scalloped brief sleeves, and appliques of matching lace medallions accented the bouffant organza skirt. She wore white lace mitts and white pumps. Her tiered veil of French illusion fell from a tiara of pearls and sequins. The bride carried a lace-covered Bible topped with a crocrot bouquet of pink sweetheart roses. She was showered with stephanotis and satin streamers tied with love knots.

Mrs. Bobby Gray, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Mr. Duke attended his son as best man.

Bridesmaids were Misses Patricia Davis and Susan Herring. The attendants were ideally attired. They wore ballerina length pink silk nylon embroidered organdy dresses over taffeta, styled with a rounded front neckline dipping to low V's in back and cummerbunds of a darker shade of pink taffeta fastened with bustle bows which fell to the hemline. They added pleated pink tulle Queen Anne bonnets and matching shoes. Each carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations and pink sweetheart roses.

Candlelighters were Misses Martha Northington and Glenda Beddo. They wore ballerina length dresses of white chiffon with pink taffeta cummerbunds with a cluster of pink carnations and valley lilies attached to the bustle bow.

Groomsmen were Gider Hays and Conrad Rountree, who also served as ushers. The bride's mother wore a blue and white silk linen dress with white accessories. Mrs. Duke's dress was mauve lace over taffeta with pink flower hat. Both mothers wore white gladiola corsages.

Following the wedding, the reception was held in the Sally Odum reception room at the church. The bride's table was laid with an imported Italian lace cloth over pink and centered with the attendant's colonial bouquets. Crystal candelabra, entwined with fern and valley lilies and holding white candles, were at each side. Appointments were crystal. Mrs. D. W. Turner served the wedding cake. Barbara Jean Reynolds of Abilene and Lovetta Brown of Midland presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Buster Berryhill registered guests.

Other members in the house-party were Lynn Herring, Jane

Nixon, Mrs. Marion Hays and Mrs. Hernan Rountree.

A wedding trip was taken to Ruidoso, New Mexico. For traveling the bride wore a black, grey and gold silk-cotton sheath dress and jacket with three-quarter length sleeves. Accessories were black and the sweetheart rose corsage was taken from the bouquet.

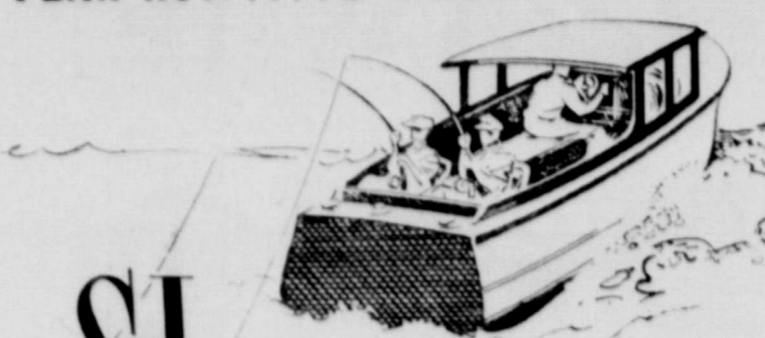
The couple will be at home at 715 Hickory Street, Denton, where Mr. Duke will be a sophomore at North Texas State College. He is a 1956 graduate of Ballinger High School. Mrs. Duke is a graduate of Ballinger High School and Brantley Draughon's Business College, Fort Worth. She has been employed in the office of the Lone Star Gas Co. here.

Miss Berryhill and her attendants were complimented at a luncheon Saturday with Mrs. Lloyd Herring and daughters, Susan and Lynn, as hostesses in the Herring home.

Rehearsal dinner Friday evening was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duke in the home decorated with pink asters and babybreath.

The dining table was laid with white linen damask and centered with a miniature bridal couple on a styrofoam base

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as hereinafter called the "Local Authority" at First Avenue and Kansas Street in the City of Ballinger, Texas, until, and publicly opened at, eleven o'clock A. M. (C. S. T.) on August 13, 1957, for the purchase of \$334,000.00 Temporary Notes (Fifth Series), being issued to aid in financing its low-rent housing project.

The notes will be dated September 10, 1957, will be payable to bearer on September 12,

1958, and will bear interest at the rate of rates per annum fixed in the proposal or proposals accepted for the purchase of such notes.

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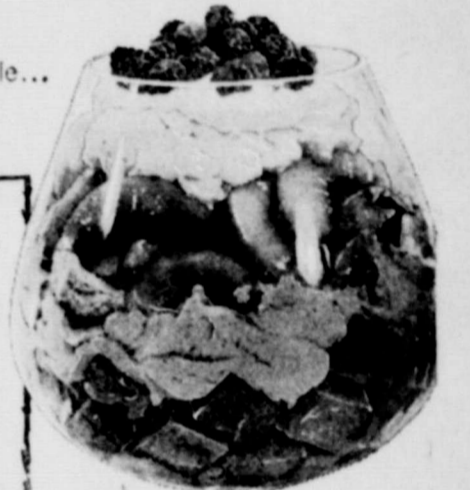
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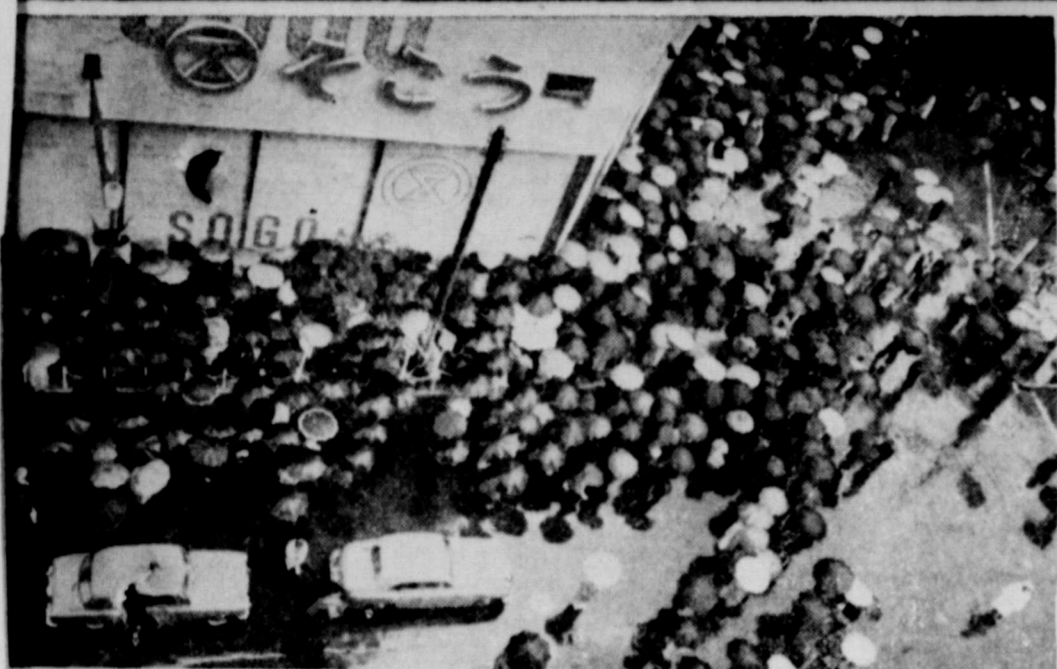
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BUMBERSHOOTS BLOSSOM IN TOKYO—Hundreds of umbrellas are in view at the opening of Japan's newest department store in Tokyo. Despite the downpour, thousands of persons jammed the area, virtually blocking downtown traffic.

National Publicity for Local Church Group

Stewardship in the First Baptist Church of Ballinger was featured recently in a news release by Baptist Press, the news agency of Southern Baptists which covers the entire United States. The article, which follows, deals with the continued increase in giving at the church during the seven years of drought, and the faith exhibited

by the members in giving their tithes and offerings. Like farmers in other parts of the Southwest, those in Ballinger have seen their crops dry up year after year because of prolonged drought. The seven lean years, in which Ballinger seemed to be "in the cradle of the drought," have tapped inner spiritual wells in

the lives of farmers and others belonging to Ballinger's First Baptist Church.

The community lost population, yet average Sunday school attendance increased. Members of the church suffered financial reverses, but offerings increased year by year.

Encouraged by drought-breaking rains in Texas this spring and summer, members of the church are hoping to see even greater progress in the church's Christian service during months ahead.

In 1948, just before the drought set in, total offerings to the

church amounted to \$44,131. Yet in 1950, the first year in which the city felt the pinch of the drought, offerings were \$52,665. By 1956, with no end to the drought in sight and many heavily in debt, church gifts rose to \$55,325 for the year.

From 1943 to 1957, Ballinger's Chamber of Commerce reports, the city lost 1300 people as population dwindled from 7500 to 6200. In 1943, Sunday school attendance averaged 301 per Sunday at the First Baptist Church. In 1956, that average was 425 per Sunday.

Well grounded in tithing, members were found to be tithing on money they had borrowed to make ends meet. One said, "I haven't made any money since the drought began, but I must maintain my giving because a cutback now would hurt for years to come."

Another put it this way, "Sure it looks unsound to tithe on borrowed money, but by faith I'll do my part, knowing that better days are bound to come. In spite of my temporary setback, I believe the Lord is still on His throne and will honor the steward that is faithful."

Their present pastor, W. Le-Ray Fowler, has been there less than two years, accepting the call during the middle of the drought. "I continue to be amazed at the optimism and progressive spirit," he declares.

CLUB GIRLS TO HOLD CAMP HERE AUG. 13-14

The date for the annual 4-11 club encampment for girls of Runnels County has definitely been set for August 13 and 14. Several dates were suggested and one other was set only to find that there was a conflict and it was necessary to make a change.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth stated Monday that the above two days have been approved by all clubs of the county. The meeting will be held at the national guard armory and over 100 girls are expected to attend.

Miss Chenoweth and a number of leaders and club girls are planning a program which will be carried out this year. Girls are being instructed in what they will need at the camp.

V. F. W. WILL HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

The Byler-Bilbrey Post of Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold their regular business meeting tonight at the Wells Drug Store. The group will assemble at 7:30 and all members or veterans who are interested in joining are urged to attend.

District 22 commander, L. A. Marshall of San Angelo expects to attend and have a number of visitors from the Fort Concho post with him. He will be in charge of the instal-

WARNING

Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Brookshier have returned from a two weeks vacation in the Black Hills of the Dakotas, Yellowstone National Park, Salt Lake City and points of interest in Colorado and New Mexico.

WARNING

Art. 6701d, Sec. 134, (2) Vernon's Ann. Statutes provides that "Every motor vehicle shall at all times be equipped with a muffler in good working order and in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noise and annoying smoke and no person shall use a muffler cut-out, bypass, or similar device upon a motor vehicle on a highway."

The city officers of both Ballinger and Winters and the Sheriff's office have received numerous complaints in regard to noisy exhausts on various automobiles being operated in Ballinger and Winters. We want to warn all youngsters of the above law

and to advise them to get rid of noisy exhausts as in the future all violators will be subject to court action.

Also this office has had complaints about speeding in and around drive-in-theatres. We ask all young people to use caution in driving where small children are playing in the drive-ins. Persons found driving at excessive speeds will be subject to court action.

Don Atkins, Sheriff
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Winters

Pursuant to authority contained in Section 6331, Internal Revenue Code of 1954, the following described property has been seized for nonpayment of delinquent internal revenue taxes due from Edridge S. and Edith Wynn Price, P. O. Box 217 Mancos, Colorado. The property will be sold in accordance with the provisions of Section 6335, Internal Revenue Code of 1954, and regulations promulgated thereunder, at public auction on the 21st day of August, 1957 at 11:00 o'clock A. M., at the courthouse at Bal-

linger, Runnels County, Texas: In Runnels County, Texas the South 100 acres of a tract of 128.4 acres out of the Domingo Diaz, Day Land & Cattle Company and M. J. Paramore Survey and out of Block #36 of the Subdivision of the Thompson Ranch as shown from deed to Joe Ashton to E. S. Price duly recorded in the Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas. Only the right, title and interest of Edridge S. and Edith Wynn Price in and to the property will be offered for sale. The terms of payment will be cash.

Card of Thanks

Your hearts are filled with appreciation and gratitude to all our friends who expressed their love and sympathy during our time of sorrow.

We especially want to thank Rev. E. R. Gordon, the choir and members of the Methodist Church for their kindness.

Our sincere thanks for all the food, flowers and cards we received.

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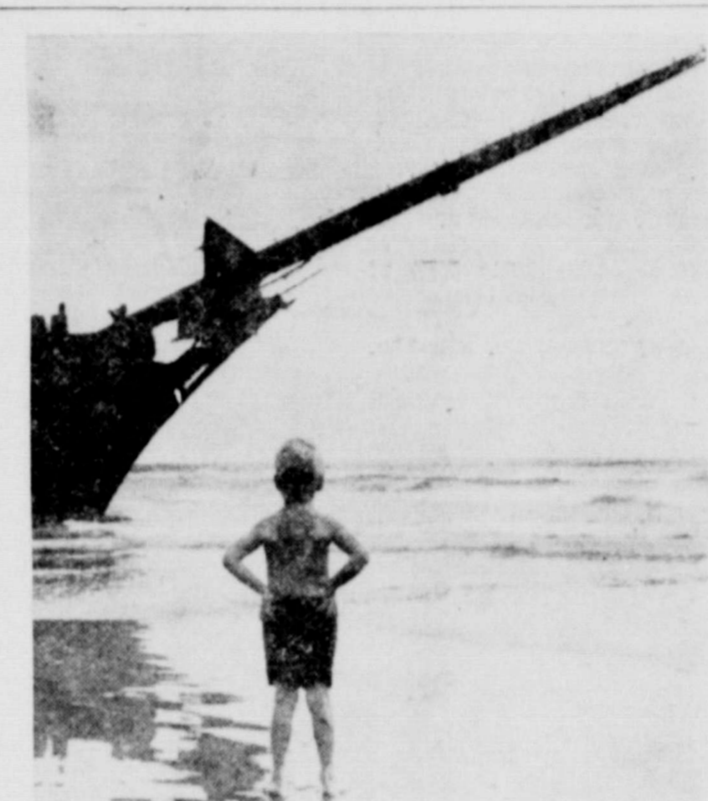
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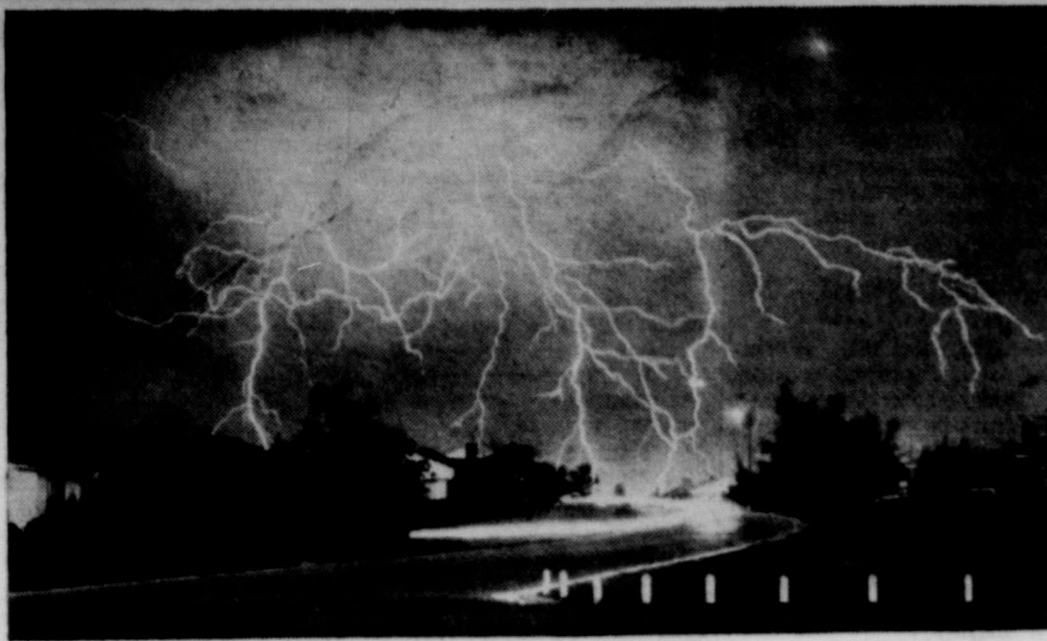
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SUMMER, 1957—Lightning rips the skies over Denver, Colo., in this time exposure of a brilliant display of celestial fireworks. The picture typifies the conditions that will wear the stormy summer of 1957 into the memories of millions of Americans.

Mrs. Gayle Klipple Playing In Austin Civic Theatre
Mrs. Gayle Klipple, the former Mary Jo Forman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forman, is playing the title role in the Austin Civic Theatre production, "The Perils of Pamona," written by a Texan.

This old-fashioned melodrama is set in the Old South and has a dirty villain, a dashing hero and all necessary ingredients for the typical situation.

The show will be presented each week-end in August. Mrs. Klipple has been working with the Austin Civic Theatre since she moved to Austin last fall. Mrs. Klipple was on the dean's honor roll, Magna Cum Laude, for the spring semester at the University of Texas.

JONES REUNION HELD AT CITY PARK SUNDAY

Mrs. Jess Jones had all her children together Sunday at the City Park here for a family gathering. The group spent the day picture making, in games and conversation with the highlight at noon when the picnic dinner was served.

Those attending were: Mrs. Jimmie Jones and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Denton and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker and James, all of Ballinger; Mrs. Ida Murphy and daughters of May, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Watkins and family of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brandon and family of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reddick and family of Harlingen, Mr. and Mrs. Burval Holt of Lufkin, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Denton and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Denton of Wilmett, Mrs. Florence Jones of Ballinger, Miss Betty Holt of Jasper, Harvey Harms of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boyd of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. George Boyd of May, Grady and Pam Boyd of Odessa, Frank Murphy of May.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Bailey Gives Book Review At Council Program

Mrs. C. F. Bailey reviewed the book, "The Fruit Tramp," at the regular fifth Monday of the month meeting of the Council of United Church Women of Ballinger, which met in the First Methodist Church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Pouts, president, was in charge of the meeting and heard reports from various committees, and announced the district meeting of Church Council. She also announced the following nominating committee: Mrs. Bill B. Stultz, Mrs. Bill Witt and Miss Lillie Clayton. The election and installation of officers will be held at the World Community Day program in the fall.

Following the singing of "Oh Master Let Me Walk With Thee" with Mrs. Alex McGregor directing and Mrs. Troy Simpson at the piano, Mrs. W. C. Witt, leader of the program on migrant work, gave an informative discussion on Migrant Workers in Texas. Mrs. Felix Itz gave the prayer and Mrs. Pouts gave the scripture reading. Mrs. Witt introduced the reviewer, Mrs. Bailey.

Mrs. Joe Forman was in charge of the dedication service of the offering for the support of migrant work, and gave the closing prayer.

Around 35 attended the program, which was planned by Mrs. Troy Simpson, Mrs. Harry

Lynn and Mrs. Gene Green. Friendly Circle Holds Annual Picnic

The last Sunday in July is the date for the annual picnic of the Friendly Circle Club which was organized nine years ago with the following charter members: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Loika, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lange, all of Ballinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schwartz of San Angelo.

Each year the organization has grown. When they held the family affair last Sunday at the Ballinger City Park, more than one hundred attended. Following the basket picnic at noon, the group played canasta and "42" and enjoyed swimming.

Others attending were: Messrs. and Mmes. Earl Crockett, J. V. Smith, Frank Gruber and children, Arbert Hoffman, Monroe Dierschke Jr. and children, E. C. Lindemann, David Duke, N. L. Stevens, Frank Krc, Mrs. Mary Ann Kresta, Mrs. G. K. Dierschke, Jeanie, John, Grace and Betty Loika, all of Ballinger; those from Rowena were: Messrs. and Mmes. Arthur Halfmann and children, Henry Rose and children, Otto Steinbach and Carol Kay, Andrew Faltisek, Joe F. Droll and Doris, John Straak, Henry Oustka, W. H. Dierschke and children, Harvey Gully and children, Erwin Goetz and children, A. W. Kel-

lermeier and children, August Cnerek and Tommy, H. A. Braden, Frank Ullrich and Allen; Misses Gail Swafford, Marcella Schmiedekamp, LaVerne Gully, Mae Dell Lange and Mrs. Balbina Halfmann; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bruchmiller and children of Paint Rock; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Pustka, Rebecca Pustka, T-Sgt. and Mrs. George Leone, Mary Louise Schwartz of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Tullos of Miles; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Dierschke and Marvin of Wall.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, will sit as an Equalization Board on Monday, August 12th, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. to hear reason why certain real and personal property valuations should not be raised.

(This Notice applies only to those who receive Notice from the Board.)

FRANKIE BERRYMAN, County Clerk
Runnels County, Texas

At the Hillcrest . . .

Steve Forrest, co-starred with Liliane Montevecchi and James Robertson-Justice in "The Living Idol," filmed on location in Mexico, and showing Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre, has the distinction of being the first actor ever to wrestle with a full-grown jaguar for the

At the Texas . . .

James Stewart stars in "The Spirit of St. Louis," the Leland Hayward-Billy Wilder production from Warner Bros., showing Saturday night, Sunday and Monday at the Texas Theatre. Filmed exclusively in the rainbow canyons of Southern Utah, the big screen adventure stars Barry Sullivan, Dennis O'Keefe, Mona

Freeman and Katy Jurado.

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Kraft Fruit Punch	48-Oz. Bottle	37c
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Spuds Lb.	5c	
Cabbage Lb.	5c	
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ScotKins NAPKINS	Box	17c
Cotton Balls JOHNSON & JOHNSON	Box	34c
Cream Peas KIMBELL'S	No. 303 Can	16c
Kraft Oleo DELUXE	Lb.	28c
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SPORTS

The Southwestern League has met with plenty of trouble this year and have dropped from a ten club circuit in 1956 to four clubs at the present time, with one of them to be operated by the league. The loss of another club would leave only three teams which would make it impossible.

Baseball in general is having difficulty this year and attendance has been at a low ebb outside the majors. Other leagues in Texas, including the Texas League, have reported poor attendance all during the 1957 season.

The Westerners have been having trouble recently with the team apparently in a slump. They had a bad road trip and came home to drop two more games to Hobbs in a three game series. The Monday night game was a very one-sided contest, 20 to 5, and left fans wondering what has happened to such a fine ball club. Hitting has been weak, especially in the clutches, and pitching has been off from the rest of the season.

The shaky condition of the league is bound to be having some effect on the players. They do not know from one series to another what is going to happen. There are a few days over a month remaining on the 1957 schedule and the clubs are anxious to finish the season so they can hold their players and perhaps sell some of them when play is com-



NO DERBY THREAT—Warden F. Eck sits on the broad back of baby rhino "Konrad" at the Frankfurt, Germany, Zoo, while pulling on the ear of mama "Katharina." Young Konrad, born at the zoo in December, 1956, unconcernedly chomps away at breakfast.

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The Westerners have been playing in hard luck. Of the last seven home runs, each one has been a solo affair with only one run resulting. Opposing teams have hit a few against Ballinger, three grand slammers and others with one and two men on base. Balls hit on the infield have been high bounces that were almost impossible to play and get anyone out. You can't catch the ball until it gets in reach.

A few Ballinger fans have been loyal and have been at

practically every home game. The only bad part is there are not enough of these loyal fans to make baseball pay its way. There are a lot of expenses to baseball aside from just paying the players twice each month. To begin with, the government takes a nice slice out of each admission paid. Then there is additional help to take tickets, operate concessions, keep the grounds. Traveling in this league is a very expensive part of the game and hotels and meals on the road run into a large sum. Uniforms must be kept clean, lights must be re-

placed in the reflectors as they burn out, baseballs cost money and it takes from one to two dozen each game, bats are expensive and many are broken. The telephone and office expenses are high. The announcer and scorer are also paid employees and the league extracts a percentage from each game to help take care of the umpires and other expenses. The 85 cents that York gets for an admission, dwindles pretty low before it finally goes into the bank account.

It is colder at the antarctic than at the arctic.

SOCIETY

Scrivener-Williams Wedding In Rowena Church

Elois Ruth Scrivener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Scrivener, of Rowena, became the bride of James Alford Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams of San Angelo, on July 19. The double ring ceremony was held at 7:30 p. m. in the Zoar Evangelical and Reform Church at Rowena, with the Reverend O. P. Schroerluke officiating. The candlelighters were Carolyn Scrivener and Nora Williams, sisters of the bride and groom.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her Gown, which she made, was of bridal satin and lace and featured a net-trimmed neckline and an empire waist with the back flowing into a train. Her short tulle veil, studded with rhinestones, was caught to a crown

of matching lace trimmed with pearls. For something old she wore her great-grandmother's locket. She carried a bouquet of white feathered carnations and lily-of-the-valley on a white Bible, a gift from the groom.

Maid of honor was Gay Nell Jarrett of Ballinger and bridesmaid was Grace Scrivener, sister of the bride. They wore ballerina length dresses of pink taffeta and were made similar to that worn by the bride. Their head-dress was of matching tulle and ribbon trimmed with pink flowers. They carried bouquets of pink feathered carnations.

Best man was Billy Jack Chapman, uncle of the groom. Groomsman was William Cupp, cousin of the groom. Flower girl was Joyce Scrivener, sister of the bride, and the ring bearer was Buddy Scrivener, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Alvin Redman was organist and played the traditional wedding music and accompanied Mrs. Oleta Holder, who sang, "I Love You Truly," and "The Lord's Prayer." A reception was held at the

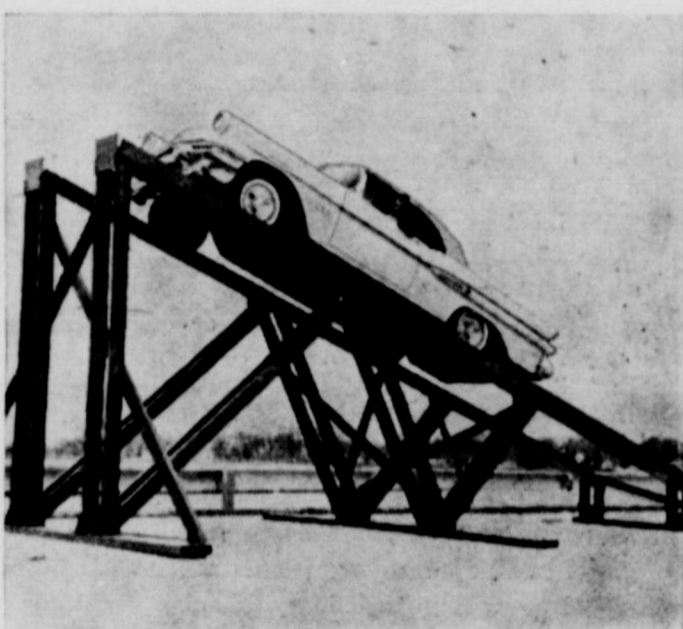
church following the ceremony. Registering guests was Mrs. Earl Urbantke, cousin of the bride. A three-tiered wedding cake was served by Rosalyn Urbantke and Shirley Wehlman, and Doris Rose served punch.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams will make their home in Brewywood,

where he is employed by the Jackson Construction Co. of Abilene.

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MISSILE OR MYTH?

THE TRUTH ABOUT THE INTER-CONTINENTAL OR LONG-RANGE BALLISTIC MISSILE AS IT AFFECTS THE SECURITY OF YOURSELF, YOUR FAMILY, YOUR COUNTRY TODAY

Every day we read in news reports of advances being made by ourselves and the Soviets in the development of long-range missiles. To many people, this news brings despair. Their reaction is "What protection can we have now?" or, "Of what use is our radar, our Ground Observer Corps?"

What are the facts? Advances in the development of missiles are being made, but...at a rate that does not make these weapons the major threat now, or in the near future. The major threat to our security is still long-range bombers.

To cope with this threat our radar, our Ground Observer Corps, our Nike installa-

tions, our fighter-interceptor squadrons, are on 24-hour alert. Each is a vital part of our air defense system. Weakness in any part endangers the whole system.

The shortage of civilian volunteers is limiting the effectiveness of our Ground Observer Corps...weakening our air defense...endangering our security. The United States Air Force needs YOU as a civilian plane spotter.

In commenting on missile development, the Honorable Donald A. Quarles, Secretary of the Air Force, defined the major threat and emphasized the vital role of the Ground Observer Corps:

"While long-range ballistic missiles are undoubtedly being developed by potential enemy nations, any success apt to be achieved with these weapons in the near future will not be of such significance that primary reliance could be placed upon them. For some time, then, the greatest air threat to the United States would continue to be from long-range, fast, manned bombers.

For this reason the patriotic civilian volunteers of the Ground Observer Corps must continue to shoulder the tremendous responsibility of providing information not obtainable from our radar screen."

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