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Salt Water Pollution Study to be Continued

A group of people from Runnels County assembled here last Friday for a mass meeting to talk the salt water situation in the county. In the group were mayors from towns of the county, members of the commissioners' court, directors of the Runnels County Water Improvement District and numerous other leaders who have been interested in the matter.

The meeting was well attended and held in the district court room at the courthouse. Judge W. H. Rumpy called the meeting to order and explained the purpose. County Agent C. T. Parker, who has been more active in salt water pollution matters than anyone else in the county, told of the work he has done and of a survey made from that survey.

He sounded a warning by telling the group that if they wanted to protect and save the fresh water of the county a continued study of the situation should be planned.

In his report, Mr. Parker told of the fact that has been accomplished through the State Water Board in getting the depth of surface pipe on oil tests deeper to protect the fresh water in that area. The old required depth was only 65 feet and information gathered in a questionnaire sent out by the county agent earlier determined that some fresh water in the county was found as deep as 300 feet.

It was pointed out at the meeting that nothing could be done at the present in regard to old offenders of salt water flow in this county. There are a number of known cases where old wells are pouring salt water into streams and causing the water to turn to brine. A large number of springs, wells and other sources of fresh water have become salty and the opinion was expressed that most of this has been caused by surface disposal pits.

Since the drive was started against salt water more than a year ago, a number of major oil companies have made correction on plugged wells to take care of small hazards in this county.

The committee will be completed as soon as possible and will include mayors, members of other groups interested in the pollution angle and several farmers and ranchmen who have experienced damage. The leaders state they will do everything possible to protect the fresh water of this county against further pollution.

Monday Judge Rumpy and Mr. Parker were together and named the committee to work with them on salt water problems in the future. Other members on the committee are: C. C. (Tip) McKnight, Winters; Marion Hays, Ballinger; W. F. Minzenmayer, Winters; Bill Moore, Ballinger; George Poe, Winters; L. M. Renken, Miles; Bill Harman, Wingoate.

Ballinger Firemen Hold Banquet-Meeting Here

Ballinger firemen, advisory members, city officials and a few guests assembled at the fire station on Thursday night of last week for their annual banquet and meeting.

The meeting opened with the serving of the dinner with a variety of meats provided by the department and the vegetables, salads and desserts brought by the ladies of the auxiliary. At the conclusion of the meal, A. G. Lippe was master of ceremonies for the business session and program which followed. He introduced the new officers for the ensuing year who were elected at the recent annual meeting of the department. They are: M. J. Cole, Jr. president; Dixson Toney, vice-president; Tommie McIntire, secretary-treasurer; W. N. Selby, chief; Rev. Felix Keys, chaplain; Dr. C. F. Bailey, physician; Shirley Fry, sponsor and Tommie Selby, mascot.

New members to the advisory board were Cal Adair, Tom Epling and Dick Ayers. They will serve with Raymond Berryhill, Ross Black Jr., Jake Lawson, R. E. Ruble, C. N. Mansell and J. C. Smith. Secretary McIntire gave a report showing the average membership of the department for the year at 22. There were 30 fires within the city, 16 fires outside the city and 22 fires on which no alarm was sounded. The value of buildings involved was placed at \$50,000 and contents of these buildings at \$9,000. Insurance carried on buildings amounted to \$34,000 and on contents at \$8,000. To date the fire loss has been held to \$7,617 on buildings and \$1,016 on contents.

Retiring Chief Lynn Candler in his report announced that the old 500 gallon pumper had been replaced with a new and modern pumper. The old truck was kept and is being repaired and ready to be used as an aid to the rural fire fighting equipment. He also stated that three members of the department attended the State Firemen's School the past year.

Lifetime members of the department were introduced by the master of ceremonies. They are E. E. Avey, C. G. Cape, Jim Hash, K. V. Northington, D. G. Posey, Malcolm Morgan and E. M. Lynn.

Mayor Bill Moore presented service pins to the following: Bob Bartlett, 5 years; Bill Selby and B. H. Unsell, 10 years; W. E. Lee 15 years and R. E. Harris, 20 years. Incoming Chief Selby made the following appointments: J. L. Candler, 1st assistant chief; Bob Bartlett, 2nd assistant chief; A. G. Lippe, 3rd assistant chief; T. W. McIntire, Ray

Rohmfeld and R. E. Harris, truck drivers. Relief drivers when others are off duty are Candler, Morris Stokes and Bartlett. Drill masters are McIntire, Candler, Rohmfeld and Unsell.

Assignments of members to special duties are as follows: McIntire, pumps; Rohmfeld, hose; W. E. Lee, rescue and first aid; Jack Jackson, salvage; B. B. Unsell, ladders, rope lines and safety belts; Jack Fry, chemicals and extinguishers; Noel Wiley, smoke masks; Dixon Toney, ventilation and smoke ejection; Bob Bartlett, lighting and power units; A. G. Lippe, small tools; T. W. McIntire, instructor training.

The following committee appointments were announced: Refreshment—Mmes. M. J. Cole, J. L. Candler, Noel Wiley, B. B. Unsell and Chester Cherry. Fry, Chester Afflerbach, D. G. Posey.

Finance—Cal Adair, H. E. Lawson, Ross Black Jr., Dick Ayers. Decorations—Mmes. M. J. Cole, J. L. Candler, Noel Wiley, B. B. Unsell and Chester Cherry. Flowers—W. E. Lee and Mrs. T. W. McIntire. Entertainment—Mmes. W. N. Selby, Morris Stokes, Bill Bell, A. G. Lippe.

Publicity—T. W. McIntire, Troy Simpson and Bob McGarvey. Mrs. West Talbot brought a reading in which a volunteer fire department was called to a home where there was no fire. Mrs. W. N. Selby brought a clever poem.

The main feature of the program was by Dr. B. O. Wood of San Angelo, for 35 years pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in that city. He brought a talk on the life of Billy the Kid which was instructive and entertaining. Dr. Wood has given the life of the young outlaw much study and has visited the places of many of his most outstanding deeds.

TALENT SHOW IS SET FOR TUESDAY NIGHT

There will be a Talent Show held in the Ballinger High School auditorium Tuesday night, November 25, at 7:30 p. m. The event is being sponsored by the Ballinger Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America. Admission will be 25 cents for students and 40 cents for adults. Everyone will want to see the many acts such as the Batchelors from Robert Lee, the Starbusters from Ballinger and Jo Lou Putman from Ballinger.

Malcolm Hall was at home the past week-end from Texas A & M College, to visit his parents and other relatives and friends.



COOLING OFF BERTHA—George Merck, assistant to the president of the New York Zoological Society, pours a refreshing shower of water over Bertha II, a 400-pound Beluga whale from Los Angeles. Destined for the New York Aquarium, Bertha made the 13-hour flight to Idlewood Airport on foam rubber mats and wrapped in damp cloth.

Local Hunters Report Best Season In Years

Ballinger hunters left here last week-end and by Saturday were housed on their favorite leases in all parts of the Hill Country and in other parts where there are deer and wild turkey.

By Sunday night some started returning and indications are that local nimrods will have the best luck this year for many seasons. Deer were pouring in so fast the first of the week that it was impossible to learn who all had been lucky in their hunts and many local people are still on their leases.

A report from the 9-Point Hunting Club, on the Sykes Ranch, east of Eldorado, was received here Monday stating that everyone in the party had killed one deer and were still on the job.

The Gut Shooters Club was back in town Wednesday with eight in the party and eight deer. This included C. A. and Chris Bissett, J. T. Gregory, Paul Stewart, Buster Parrish, Derward and Bob Bissett and Mark Davis of Lubbock.

George Newby joined a party in Menard County for just a short time Monday and returned with a fine 8-point buck. He reported that Mack St. John, in the same party, had a buck when he left.

W. J. Byler was in Brown County the past week-end and returned home Sunday night with a large buck.

Sammy McLarty, 8-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Seth McLarty, bagged an 8-point buck on his first deer hunt Sunday, south of Menard. Johnny Agnew of Miles, a member of the same party, also had killed an 8-point buck.

Burnie Cervenka, hunting with a party in Menard County the past week-end, returned with an 8-point buck and a turkey.

Another party was back home Wednesday with four of the six hunters bagging a deer each. Those making a kill were T. W. McIntire a 6-pointer, Lynn Candler an 8-pointer and Charles Webb and Lee Parker 3-pointers.

A party of couples from this area, hunting in Menard County, returned with two nice bucks. These were killed by Marvin Hale of Talpa and Ira Hale of Miles.

Jerry L. Smith, 16, on his first deer hunt the past week-end, bagged a nice buck. He killed a 4-pointer Sunday morning, had it dressed and was ready to come home by 7 a. m. He made the kill on a ranch between London and Junction.

In another local party, Buzzy Underwood bagged a buck, along with Dr. McCreight of Winters. Other members of the party had shots but missed.

A party hunting on a lease near Harper returned home with three fine bucks. J. V. Smith killed an 8-point buck, Vernon Smith a 13-point buck and Frank Tatum an 8-pointer.

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Officers Report Numerous Cases Here Past Week

Local officers had a fairly quiet week-end with only a few arrests, however they made numerous investigations.

Waverly Dunbar was apprehended charged with theft and received a fine of \$28.80 and 5 days in jail.

Booker T. Brown was charged with drunkenness and fined \$33.20.

Rosecoe Verrel was charged with drunkenness and received a fine of \$20.50.

J. B. Greewidge was charged with checking in San Angelo and a warrant was sent to the Runnels County sheriff.

Bobby Gore was charged with car theft at Littlefield and was apprehended here and turned over to officers from that county.

Albert Guy Weems was charged with driving while intoxicated and received a fine of \$77.80 and 2 days in jail.

Millard C. Funderburg was charged with driving while intoxicated and received a fine of \$77.80 and 2 days in jail.

Mrs. W. N. Chitt was charged with checking in Tom Green County and a warrant mailed to officers here.

Raymond Vettlow was charged with checking at San Angelo and a warrant mailed to officers here.

W. L. Wenken was charged with felony checking and a warrant sent to officers at Sweetwater.

Officers Named For Soil Group Plans Approved

The board of supervisors of the Runnels Soil Conservation District held their regular monthly meeting Friday, November 14. The board elected officers for the coming year with the following results: H. Giesecke Jr., chairman; Arthur Eggemeyer, vice-chairman; Kirby Robinson, secretary; and members Wm. F. Minzenmayer and Jake Presley.

The board approved conservation plans developed by the following farmers with the assistance of the local Soil Conservation Service technicians: Weldon Mills, Rt. 4, Winters, two places on 521 acres; Walter Adams, Rt. 2, Winters, two places on 653 acres; Paul R. Gerhart, Rt. 3, Winters, 90 acres; Adolph Klose, Rowena, two places on 474 acres; H. P. Pritchard, Rt. 1, Wingate, 246 acres; Stacy Edwards, 1338 Michigan Ave., Dallas, 137 acres; B. B. Campbell, Hatchel, 315 acres; Alton Seidel, Ballinger, 122 acres; and Walter Mueller, Ballinger, 298 acres.

The board accepted the resignation of their district clerk, Mrs. Chris Brimer.

The board finished their meeting in time to attend the salt water pollution meeting that was held in the district courtroom at Ballinger.

Arthur Eggemeyer, vice-chairman, announced that Ben Frerich would be the new custodian of the district's equipment, replacing Walter Eggemeyer. The board expressed their thanks to Walter Eggemeyer for having taken such good care of the equipment for the past six years.

Jaycees To Make Toy Collections Tomorrow Night

Ballinger Jaycees will be calling at all homes in Ballinger tomorrow (Friday) night to collect used toys. They urge all Ballinger people to go through their toys, make up a box of those they are willing to share with children who will have no other toys for Christmas, and leave the boxes on the porch Friday night.

They will start the collection at 6 p. m. and all toys should be on the porches by that hour.

The used toys will be taken to the Future Farmers of America chapter of the Ballinger High School and this group will repair and repaint them and have them ready to be used this Christmas. When the toys are completed, they will be taken to the chamber of commerce office and all persons who cooperate in the Adopt A Family Christmas plan will be able to secure toys for the children in their families at no cost.

A large number of pickups have been secured for the collecting job tomorrow and members of the Jaycees have been assigned streets to look after. They urge all Ballinger people to cooperate with the plan so that children in all homes will have playthings in their Christmas packages this year.

The job of repairing and repainting is a big one and members of the FFA chapter are anxious to get started as soon as possible.

Local Ministers Plan For Annual Service Nov. 26

Preliminary plans have been made for the holding of the annual Thanksgiving service in Ballinger. All members of the Ballinger Ministerial Alliance will cooperate in the service which has been set for 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday, November 26, at the First Methodist Church.

Kenneth Newton, minister of the First Christian Church, will bring the Thanksgiving sermon. Other members of the Alliance will cooperate and provide the prayers, the scripture, the benediction and other parts of the program.

Miss Harriett Magruder will direct a union choir made up from all cooperating churches for the musical program. Another part of the annual program will be the offering, which is taken up each year and used for local charity work through the Ministerial Alliance. Officers of that organization stated they have received many calls recently for help and their fund is about exhausted.

All people of Ballinger and this area are invited to attend the annual service. All churches affiliated with the Alliance are urged to have a large representation at the service.

A complete program for the Thanksgiving service will be published in this newspaper next Wednesday.

TWO NEW PRODUCERS REPORTED PAST WEEK

The fourth pay has been opened in the Andergram Field northeast of Hatchel. Anderson & Graham have completed their No. 3-Michaelis in the Gardner for a daily flowing potential of 30.32 barrels. The field was opened in June with dual production in the Palo Pinto and Jennings Later in the month the Fry was found for production and now the Gardner. Operators stated that Gardner production was indicated in other tests but one were completed from that pay.

The third producer and a location south extension for the proposed Briley, East (Gardner) field has been indicated with recovery of oil and gas from a test in the Anderson, Sutton & Graham No. 2-Gordon Baggett, six miles northeast of Winters. Operators have set casing to 4,445 feet and will attempt completion.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE AT ROWENA WEDNESDAY

The United Church of Christ at Rowena will have its Thanksgiving service at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday, November 26. Rev. O. P. Schroer will give the Thanksgiving sermon.

Fisher to Visit Here Wednesday, Nov. 26

Congressman O. C. Fisher will be in Ballinger for a public meeting at 2 p. m. on Wednesday, November 26. Those in charge of local arrangements



O. CLARK FISHER
Cong. 21st District

announced the gathering would be held in the district court room and all people of this area are invited to attend.

Mr. Fisher will speak at the opening of the meeting on the report of what is happening in Washington and other items of particular interest here. He stated that he would just talk and try to deal with the most vital subjects of interest to all citizens.

At the end of his talk, the meeting will be thrown open

for questions and answers. In order that as much time can be conserved as possible, people with questions are asked to type them and hand them to Judge W. H. Rumpy or John Purifoy in advance or bring them to the meeting. These will be screened so that only one question on a subject will be submitted. Those who do not hand in questions but wish to ask one from the floor will be welcome to do so during the program Wednesday.

Congressman Fisher will endeavor to answer all questions if he can and if those questions do not violate secret information.

All people in this area are urged to make a special effort to hear the Congressman on his visit here. His talk and the question and answer period will be interesting and will deal with vital matters of interest to local people.

After the meeting, Mr. Fisher will be glad to meet with any individual who has a personal question they would like to discuss. He will devote the entire afternoon to people of this area and will be glad to help anyone in any way he can at this time.

Local civic leaders have been trying to get the Congressman here and this week succeeded in getting a definite date for the Ballinger visit.

2 Christmas Programs All Set December 6-13

Definite plans were completed Monday for the staging of the Christmas programs here on December 6 and 13. The committee decided not to try and have a program on December 20 as it was too near Christmas.

December 6 will feature a kiddy parade at 2 p. m. with children of this area entered in costumes, with decorated toys and pets to make up a real street pageant. This parade is open to all kiddies from 1 through 10 years of age and judges will select the best entries and prizes will be awarded.

The chamber of commerce committee will prepare sheets of rules and invitations and distribute them through the first five grades of schools in this area. Those in charge of this event are hoping to have several hundred kiddies dressed up and marching in this parade.

On December 13, Santa Claus will be in Ballinger all day and will visit with the children, give them a gift and also have a ticket for the adults which will permit them to participate in a drawing to be held at 3 p. m. in the afternoon. Santa Claus will roam the streets all day to talk with the children and hand out candy. Adults in Ballinger that day will be given tickets for the drawing to be held that afternoon when some valuable prizes will be given away. There is nothing to buy and adults will assist Santa Claus to see that everyone present has a ticket.

Monday afternoon, November 24, the finance committee of the chamber of commerce will call on the merchants of the town to secure their contribution to the Christmas fund. This money will be used to pay for the entire Christmas program and the prizes to be given in the drawing.

Street lights will be turned on here December 1 and will remain in place until after the holidays.

On December 13 the drawing will take place from a large platform on Eighth Street. The drawing will be preceded by a program of Christmas music by the Ballinger High School Choir.

Memorial Gifts For Heart Fund Always Welcome

F. M. Pearce, secretary-treasurer of the Runnels County Chapter of the Texas Heart Association, stated this week that memorial gifts to the association have decreased in recent months. For a time these gifts amounted to a considerable sum for the chapter and they are still accepted and used by the association in their fight against heart disease.

A statement from the San Angelo district office in regard to memorial gifts says: "In recent years there has been a growing desire on the part of those who have lost a relative or a friend through heart disease to contribute to a program concerned with combating the disease which caused the tragic loss. These people have found a degree of satisfaction in being able to translate their grief into some positive action, to help the living in the name of the departed."

"A memorial gift can accomplish a great deal in enabling research workers to find new methods of prevention and control of heart disease, the nation's leading cause of death, to help educate doctors, nurses, and the public in the newest discoveries in the field; and to carry forward our local program of community service to cardiac sufferers."

"Acknowledgement of the contribution will be sent to the donor and a letter of notification will be sent to any designated relative or friend on the drawing."

Mr. Pearce will be glad to receive local memorial gifts and will see that proper credit is given the contributor.

DOWNTOWN CLASS SET FOR PROGRAM SUNDAY

The members of the Downtown Bible Class will meet at 9 a. m. Sunday at the Texas Theatre with a good program planned. Rev. J. B. Fowler will be the speaker for the class Sunday morning and the special music will be by Mrs. Claude Mansell and E. D. Lovelady.

The class has set a goal of 60 and are hoping to reach that number Sunday morning. All members and friends of the class are invited to be present.

MRS. J. D. RENEAU HAS ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY

Mrs. J. D. Reneau is improving fast after undergoing orthopedic surgery in Abilene last week. Relatives stated that she would likely be able to return home this week-end.

We will appreciate early advertising copy and the reporting of news as early in the week as possible.



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THIS WEEK

SOCIETY

Ballinger Names Bearcat Sweethearts At Game

Miss Jane Nixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myles Nixon, was named 1958 Bearcat Football Sweetheart during half-time ceremonies at a recent football game at the local field. Miss Nixon is head cheerleader this year and is serving as editor of Paw Prints.

Both are senior students in Ballinger High School.

Mrs. C. H. Thompson Hostess To Workers' Class

Mrs. C. H. Thompson was hostess to members of the Workers' Class of the First Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon. Entertaining rooms were given added beauty by arrangements of chrysanthemums in fall shades, where Mrs. C. D. Harris, president, conducted the business. Mrs. A. O. Strother read the 23rd Psalm and gave several Thanksgiving readings. Mrs. Lee Evans gave the secre-

tary's report. Each class member told what they were thankful for. Mrs. Thompson gave the closing prayer.

At the social hour, Mrs. Tom Crockett directed a Thanksgiving Quiz. The hostess served coconut rings topped with caramel sauce and orange cookies to those previously mentioned and to Misses W. R. Clark, Lillian Holt, A. L. Newby, Oliver Cochran, Lilly Dietz, Hamp Byler, C. H. Midgley, Arch Brookshier, John Loveless, W. E. Midgley, C. P. Shepherd, Lee Boatright and Miss Maggie Crockett and two visitors, Mrs. Max Setzer and Mrs. Joe Beck.

Mrs. John McKay Honored On Birthday By Class

Members of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church held their covered dish luncheon November 12 in the church parlors and also honored Mrs. John McKay who was celebrating her birthday anniversary.

As the birthday cake and roses were presented Mrs. McKay, the Happy Birthday song was sung by the group. Mrs. McKay gave the invocation before the menu and Mrs. George Kemp gave the closing prayer.

Mrs. Carl Smith presided for the business, at which time members voted to give a basket of food to a needy family on Thanksgiving. A Money Tree will be featured by the class at the Christmas party which will be held in the home of Mrs. A. M. King. Mrs. Smith brought the devotional, "Be Still and Know That I Am God."

Luncheon visitors were Mrs. Charles Sheppard, A. M. King, and J. A. Norwood. Other members present were: Misses S. W. Burks, J. A. Norwood, A. M. King, B. C. Kirk, Maude Robertson, Emily Hampton, W. E. Harvey, Emma Speer and T. J. McCaughan.

LOONEY FAMILY HERE FOR FIRST REUNION

All of the children and grandchildren of Mrs. C. B. Looney were here all last week for the first reunion they have held in Ballinger. Three of the grandchildren were here for the first time and the group had a fine week, making pictures, having outings and meeting with former friends.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Looney Jr. and four children of Colorado Springs, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davis of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fowler and three children of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chandler and four children of Keene, New Hampshire, and Mickey Looney of Ballinger.

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ALL BY HIMSELF—An unwelcome guest on the main street of Wakefield, R.I., may be wondering (if skunks wonder) why the streets are deserted. Pedestrians kept their distance until the striped fellow disappeared.

A film, "Priceless Cargo," was shown along with the discussion on safety. The two patrolmen answered questions on Safety Education.

Mrs. Spreen, club president, was in charge of the business. The Christmas club party was planned, which will be held on December 18, in the home of Mrs. Rufus Allen, with Mrs. Lyle Currie as co-hostess. Plans for the club family supper, to be held on November 18 at Loftin's Cafe, were completed. Mrs. Drury Hathaway gave "The Club Woman's Desire," and roll was answered by naming "The First Thought of the Day."

Mrs. Currie was in charge of the recreation period. The hostess served fruit cake and coffee. Others present were: Mmes. E. L. Williamson, R. D. Midgley, Felix Itz, W. A. Nance, Rufus Allen, E. S. Malone and E. F. Vogelsang.

FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county agent, presented a program for "Storage in the Kitchen," for the Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club, which met in the home of Mrs. H. O. Vogelsang on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Ralph Russell, president, was in charge of the business. When plans for serving the Runnels County Council luncheon by the club were completed. Mrs. L. S. Nunn was welcomed as a new member.

Mrs. Charles Stubblefield led the group in singing "America" and "America the Beautiful," with Mrs. Russell playing the accompaniment. Roll call was answered with, "My Best and My Worst Buy."

Mrs. J. J. Wessels was in charge of the recreation period. Birthday celebrant was Mrs. Roy Tyree. The hostess served a sandwich plate with cookies and punch.

Other members present were Mrs. C. T. Moonen, and Mrs.

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SOCIETY

Ballinger Book Club Meets In Tom Caudle Home

Mrs. Tom Caudle was hostess to members of the Ballinger Current Book Club Tuesday afternoon, entertaining in her home which was decorated with fall garden flowers.

Mrs. M. B. Stobaugh, president, conducted the business, at which time plans were made for the club's annual Christmas dinner, which will be served at the West Ward lunchroom on December 16.

Mrs. O. R. Lasater presented the program and showed slides of pictures taken in Florida, Louisiana and other southern states.

The hostess served cake and hot spiced punch. Others present were: Mmes. Sam

Bohringer, A. O. Bartlett, Jack Nixon, Chester Cherry, O. R. O'Neill, E. P. Talbot and E. A. Saunders.

Mrs. Pat Wood Entertains Women's Council

Mrs. Calvin Howell, vice-president, conducted the business meeting for the First Presbyterian U. S. A. Women's Council Monday afternoon, which was held in the home of Mrs. Pat Wood. Mrs. William Buis was elected president of the council for the ensuing year.

Mrs. John White gave the devotional on "Service," and Mrs. Buis read the names in the Yearbook of Prayer and gave the prayer for missions. Mrs. Rufus Allen was the

leader for the program on "Stewardship" which was presented in dialogue with Mrs. Jerry Byram assisting Mrs. R. E. Hancock also assisted with the program. The Mizpah benediction was repeated in unison. Small Bill Byram assisted the hostess in serving pie and coffee.

Miscellaneous Shower In Hoelscher Home

A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Joyce Hite, bride-elect of Harold Clegg of Sweetwater, was held on Thursday of last week in the home of Mrs. Edward Hoelscher, with Misses Dolores and Gladys Hoelscher as co-hostesses. Guests were registered by

Mrs. Alton O'Neal, aunt of the bride. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hillary Gully and Mrs. Bill Middleton.

Rooms were decorated with garden flowers and 37 guests were included. Gifts were opened by the bride-elect after they were presented to her.

BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Safety Patrolman Dan Nowlin of San Angelo, and Aubrey D. Brice, district patrolman of Ballinger, presented a safety program for the Ballinger Home Demonstration Club Thursday afternoon, which was held in the home of Mrs. Alvin Spreen.



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Clothing Shipped By Local Council

The Council of United Church Women packed clothing this week to be shipped to Church World Service and then to be sent overseas for relief of suffering people this winter.

The Ballinger shipment was large and all the used articles were in excellent condition. A total of 359 pounds was packed and shipped the first of the week.

Included in the shipment were 40 pounds of new yardage and yarn which was a project of World Community Day here. The council also provided 8 cents per pound for overseas shipment and their offering of \$26.50.

Members of the council express their appreciation to all who cooperated with the plan and made contributions of yardage, yarn or used clothing. The group has gathered used clothing for a number of years and have always had a large shipment ready each fall.

Announcement was made this year that the need for used clothing had caused five new areas to be added which would make the need greater than in past years. The national organization hoped to ship three million pounds this fall.

LIONS CLUB HEARS COLISEUM MANAGER

The manager of the San Angelo Coliseum and a public relations man of Ice Capades, were guests of the Ballinger Lions Club Friday, and brought a talk on coming attractions to be held at the coliseum during the remainder of 1954 and

early in 1955. Ice Capades will open on December 3 and run through December 7, and reservations are being taken now for all performances.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH ACTIVITIES PAST WEEK

The Christian Women's Fellowship of First Christian Church will meet Monday afternoon, November 24, at 4:00 p. m. Mrs. W. O. Wallace will be the worship leader and Mrs. Herman Price will bring the program on the Thanksgiving theme.

Five men from First Christian Church were guests at a men's banquet held at First Christian Church in Abilene Wednesday night, November 12. Attending were Charles Clifton, E. H. Crawford, Arch Parr, Herman Price, and the minister, Rev. Kenneth Newton.

Mrs. C. F. Bailey was the Woman's Day speaker for the First Christian Church of McCamey last Sunday morning.

R. F. McGarvey and Rev. Kenneth Newton of the First Christian Church left this afternoon for Abilene where they will represent the church at an area assembly of church leaders.

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BALLINGER PEOPLE GATHERING PECANS

Many Ballinger people started gathering pecans last week and are continuing practically every day. The high wind Sunday night caused many to be out early Monday morning getting the pecans out of the street before they were mashed by cars. All day Monday many more fell from the trees as the winds continued and leaves changed locations numerous times during the day.

Ballinger parks and yards have many pecan trees and the nut crop this year is fair and above. Most of the trees are fine, thin shelled pecans and are worth top prices when they are sold.

Trees in the parks, along the right-of-way and on the courthouse lawn have provided pecans for a lot of local people. They have been asked by officials not to thresh the trees but all may pick up any nuts that are on the ground.

BOY SCOUT CAPTAINS MUST TURN IN CARDS

Don Atkins, chairman of the annual boy scout fund campaign, is asking that all team captains turn in their cards and make final reports. A large number of cards have not been contacted but the chairman desires that these be turned in at this time.

Mr. Atkins stated the drive had passed the \$2,000 mark and some contributions are being received almost every day. He hopes to complete the work within the next few days and make his final report for the year.

David Jones, student in Texas A & M College, was at home the past week-end to visit his family and other relatives and friends.

SOCIETY

Mrs. F. E. Clayton Honored At Stork Shower

Mrs. F. E. Clayton of Talpa was honored at a stork shower Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Wayne Johnson was hostess to a group of close friends, entertaining in her home on Sharp Avenue.

The blue and pink theme was featured in decorations and for the refreshment plate.

Gifts were received from the hostess and Mmes. Ray Young, Wayne Irby, Dan Dankworth, of Abilene, Randall Lusk, Curtis Fletcher, Bobby Black, Daniel Hallmark, Don Winchester, Misses Beverly Carter, Midge Adair, Marla Murchison, Sarah Chandler, Margo Brunson, La-Nell Holbrook, Sharon Cook, and Karen Casterline, a student at Baylor University, Waco.

Mrs. Johnson Complimented At Coffee On Birthday

Mrs. E. E. Johnson, who was celebrating her 69th birthday anniversary on Tuesday, was named honor guest by her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen, when she entertained at a coffee in the home of the honoree on Seventh Street.

Mrs. J. H. Baker assisted Mrs. Ohlhausen in serving the sweet rolls with coffee.

Others attending the coffee were Mmes. J. P. Boothe, C. A. Berry, J. D. Eoff, A. L. Barnes, Charles Bradshaw, S. H. Hickam, O. K. Jacob, B. M. Batts, Ed Farley, O. B. Amarine, W. L. McMillan, Guy Taylor, W. O. Wallace, J. A. McClelland, J. L. Moreland, L. F. Smith, Ellis Lee, Barney Wright, D. G. Posey, Joe Foreman, K. V. Northington, C. B. Looney, C. P. Shepherd, O. R. Rury and Curtis Cupp.

Glen Ferguson Speaks To XXXVI Study Club

Glen Ferguson, Education teacher in Ballinger High School, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the XXXVI Club Wednesday afternoon which met in the home of Mrs. Elliott Kemp.

Mr. Ferguson's topic was "Today We Educate Drivers." Following the talk a question and answer period ensued. Mrs. Kemp introduced the speaker.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Bobby Bryan, the business period was conducted by the vice-president, Mrs. Everett J. Grindstaff.

Mrs. Kemp presented a report on the recent meeting concerning the Salt-Water Pollution in Runnels County. Mrs. M. E. McCleeny and Mrs. J. Dexter Eoff will represent the XXXVI Club at the organization meeting of a Community Chest or United Fund in the south part of Runnels County, which is being sponsored by the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce.

First Methodist Friendship Class Hears Talk on Missions

Harry Peacock, high school history teacher, was guest speaker at the First Methodist Friendship Class dinner-program which was held Tuesday evening in the church parlors.

Mr. Peacock's subject was "Missions Work Sponsored in Panama City." The speaker was introduced by Mrs. W. C. Witt.

Clyde Simmons, class president, was in charge of the business following the dinner. The Rev. C. H. Thompson, pastor of the local church, spoke the invocation and the closing prayer which was for all missionaries and their work.

Table decorations were fall flowers and fruits overflowing from a cornucopia. Mr. and Mrs. Witt and Mr. and Mrs. George Lange were hosts.

Attending the dinner were Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson, Messrs. and Mmes. W. C. Witt, Clyde Simmons, Lanham Flynn, Claude R. Stone Jr., Ed Davis, Wylie Hearn, Ernest Caskey, Deward Bissett, George Lange, Mrs. James Barr Jr., Mrs. George Wilson and Mrs. Morris Stokes.

Mrs. Grindstaff Honored At Gift Shower

Mrs. Carley Watkins and Mrs. Alvin Spreen were hostesses to members of the Esther Class of the First Baptist Church last Thursday evening, and also complimented Mrs. Everett James Grindstaff with a stork shower.

The party was held in the home of Mrs. Watkins, 300 Hamilton, with Mrs. Kenneth Gibson, president, conducting the business period. Mrs. Foy Farmer brought the devotional. Games were played at the social hour and gifts presented Mrs. Grindstaff. A sandwich

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Others present were Mmes. Bob Allford, Bobby Bryan, Alton Patterson, J. H. Curbo, Bob Henderson, Noel Wylie, Ralph Spreen and Jerry Greenwood.

Jaycee-Ettes To Present Gifts To McKnight Hospital

Jaycee-Ettes met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. W. R. Gray Jr., with the president, Mrs. Bill Middleton, conducting the business.

Announcement was made that a large collection of gifts had been received by the club for patients at McKnight Hospital and these will be delivered the latter part of the month. The club is urging others to contribute to this Christmas collection, and they will be picked up by members Club members assisted in addressing TB Christmas Seal Sale envelopes as one of their projects.

Following the meeting, fruit cake was served with coffee to Mmes. Maxie Cole Jr., Middleton, Pannell Legg Jr., Leon Rogers, Bob McGarvey, Everett J. Grindstaff, James Barr Jr.

County Council Meeting Friday To Hear Reports

Representatives of nine of the eleven home demonstration clubs, of Runnels County, met Friday with Miss Ollie Chenoweth in the conference room at the courthouse for the regular November council meeting.

Chairman, Mrs. Clyde Simmons, called the meeting to order and club presidents gave reports of their activities for the past month and since last council meeting.

Crafts demonstrations were held at Miles on tiered tidbits plates and smoked pillows by Mrs. Roy Tyree, Mrs. Ralph Russell and Mrs. Marion Hays.

Mrs. Hays reported on her attendance at the meeting of the county building committee. Other council members participating in this meeting included Mrs. B. M. Batts, foods; Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen, sewing; Mrs. Clyde Simmons, council member; Mrs. L. A. Wilbanks, 4-H clubs and Mrs. Thomas Egan, recreation.

The two organized communities in the county were represented by Mrs. Lester Lee of the Maverick Club and Mrs. Marvin Hale and Mrs. Obed Fuller, Jr. of the Crews Club.

Plans are progressing nicely for the annual Christmas banquet and council party which will be held at the national guard armory in Ballinger in December. All incoming and outgoing officers will attend.

Drag Races Set For Sunday Here

The Runnels County Boys Auto Club will have drag races Sunday at Bruce Field with starting time set for 1:30 p. m.

Trophies will be given in each division. There will be nine car classes, two motorcycle classes and a tape eliminator. For timing equipment they will use a stop watch. The club hopes in the near future to have all the timing equipment they will need for races.

The admission fees will be \$1.25 for entrance of car and driver in drags, pit passes will be 50 cents per person and spectators will be 25 cents per person.

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Troop No. 1 met with their leaders Tuesday at the scout house. The members worked on Thanksgiving decorations to be used in decorating their booth at the carnival Friday night. Janice Paschal served nibbles.

Troop 5 met with their leaders, Mmes. John McDonald, L. O. Hargrove and Orland Middleton, at the scout house on November 12.

The following officers were elected: Fanny Pearce, president; Sally McDonald, vice-president; Judy Garrett, secretary; Cordelia Cody, reporter and Kathy Davis, song leader. Other members are: Cheryl Barron, Carol Freeman, Jan Ayers, Twilla Gurley, Susan Middleton, Sherri Hargrove, Genie Keel, Linda Melton, Joan Blackshear, Sherri Holstead.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES FEATURE BASKETBALL

School activities are centering around basketball this week with the Ballinger girls in Winters this week-end for a tournament. They will have their first game today, starting at 12:30, against Jim Ned.

The boys are getting ready for their opening which will be on November 25 at Merkel. A complete schedule is being made up for the Bearsards and will be ready for publication in a few days.

The assembly program this week was presented by the senior class. A motion picture on safety made up the program and was supplied by the Highway Safety Department.

The Ballinger school will have a long holiday on the week-end of Thanksgiving. School will be out on Wednesday afternoon until the following Monday.

The annual convention of the Texas State Teachers' Association will be held in Fort Worth starting on Thursday night and continuing through Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barker Jr. of Peoria, Illinois, left for their home Tuesday after a visit here in the home of

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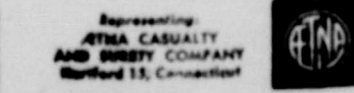


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F. F. A. Leadership Teams To Coleman For District Work

Ballinger FFA leadership teams will go to Coleman Monday to take part in the district leadership awards. The winning teams in each division will represent the Coleman district, composed of some 20 schools in the area contests to be held at Stephenville in December.

The Ballinger leadership teams are composed of the following:

Senior Chapter Conducting—Bill Routh, Steve Paqua, Jerry Lee Smith, Jerry Lee, Tommie Thams, Bobby Davidson, Joe Davidson, David Pieper and Charles Williams

Senior Skills (Farm skill) profits from antibiotics—Ronnie Wood, Johnny Kotrik, Phillip West, Lovey Caffey.

Junior Chapter Conducting—Dave Hall, Mack St. John, Rex Stultz, Roland Collins, Mike Thadde, Eugene Halfmann, Tom Simmons.

Junior Farm Skill (Systematic control of cattle grub)—

Milroy Bryant, Mike Barnett, Billy Caffey, Billy Witter.

FFA Quiz—Bill Wilkins, Jerry Wheeler, Phil Turner, Johnny Parker.

Farm Radio Team Program ridding swine of large round worms—Billy Nesbit, Ralph Dankworth, Jerry Beaver.

The boys will leave by school bus at 10 a. m. and will perform at 11:15 a. m. They will have their noon meal at the school cafeteria and return home at 1:45 p. m.

Special Meeting Of V. F. W. Friday Night City Hall

The Byler-Bilbey Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold a special meeting Friday night at the city hall auditorium starting at 7 p. m.

This meeting will be for all veterans and their wives and for all veterans who served overseas at their wives who are interested in joining the organization.

L. M. Mapes, commander of district 8 and a former citizen

of Ballinger, will be here to attend the meeting and will have a part in the general program. Mr. Mapes now lives at Snyder and is serving many posts in this area that are a part of district 8.

The meeting will start with a social hour from 7 to 8 p. m. The Ladies Auxiliary of the V. F. W. at Winters will be here and will serve refreshments in this period. Mrs. Frank Brown, district president of the Auxiliary, will be here and will speak to the ladies present.

There will be a large number of special out-of-town guests and local veterans who are eligible are urged to attend this meeting. James E. Hudgins is commander of the Ballinger VFW and 1959 members are being received at this time.



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BALLINGER 4-H CLUB MEETS AT COURTHOUSE SATURDAY

Norma Oehlhausen was in charge of the regular meeting of the Ballinger 4-H Club which met last Saturday morning in the conference room at the courthouse. Shirley Fry gave the secretary's report.

Fourteen members answered roll by naming "My Favorite Food." Plans were made for the 4-H girls and 4-H boys to hold their Christmas party at the Teen Haven on December 5 from 6:30 to 9:30 p. m. The boys will furnish the Christmas tree and cold drinks, and the girls will furnish the tree decorations and cookies. Other details for the party will be decided upon by the committee in charge.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county agent, gave a demonstration on "A Model Thanksgiving Dinner" and showed pictures of the table and food.

Refreshments were served to members and the leaders. Mrs. L. A. Wilbanks and Mrs. Jack Fry.

The 4-H boys and 4-H girls assisted in getting orders for rat poison at the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce office Saturday afternoon. They secured over 500 pounds in orders

and the clubs will receive a small profit from the sales.

CONSERVATION PLANS APPROVED FOR FARMS

W. J. Morgan, owner, and Joe B. Wilson, operator, Rt. 2, Winters, completed their plan of operations Thursday, November 13, and signed a contract under the Great Plains Conservation Program. This contract assures them the necessary funds to carry out a soil, water and plant conservation program on their farm which is seven miles east of Winters.

Morgan and Wilson worked up their plan of operations with the assistance of James Glynn and Woodrow Hoffman of the local Soil Conservation Service. The plan of operations includes the following practices: cropland—contour farming, cover cropping, crop residue utilization and a conservation crop rotation; rangeland—range seeding, proper use, deferred grazing, bush control, pitting, two ponds for livestock water which will be stocked with the correct number and kinds of fish, and they will be fenced and the water will be piped to water troughs. The odd areas in the fields will be protected from fire and the grazing controlled to provide cover for quail. To carry out this program, Morgan and Wilson will earn about two thousand dollars federal cost share.

R. M. (DOCK) WOODS IS BURIED STERLING CITY

R. M. (Dock) Woods, 71, of Sterling City, died in the Baptist Memorial Hospital in San Angelo on November 13. Funeral service was in the Methodist Church at Sterling City.

Decedent was born in Mason County but moved to Ballinger when just a child. He attended the Ballinger school and was a brother of Mrs. John Connor, formerly of Ballinger. He was a brother-in-law of Will Mathis of Crews. Attending the funeral from this area were Will Mathis of Crews and Marguerite Mathis of Norton.

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Before entering the Navy in March 1958, he attended Ballinger High School and was employed by F. A. Seikel Construction Co.

NEWTON IS SPEAKER FOR ROTARY TUESDAY

Rev. Kenneth Newton, pastor of the First Christian Church, was guest speaker for the Ballinger Rotary Club at their program Tuesday noon at the Acapulco Cafe. The speaker stressed that people should be happy in what they are doing.

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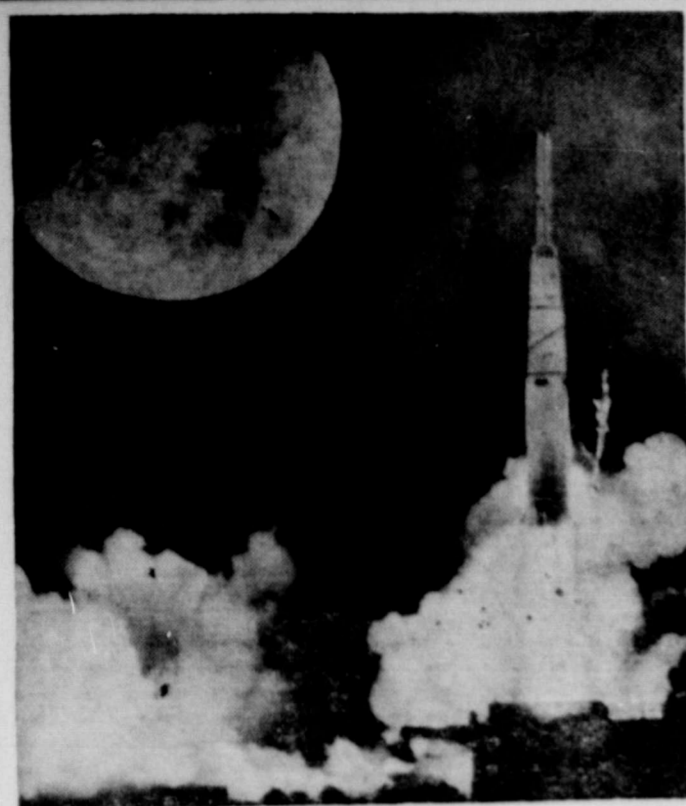
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TRICKY—An intentional double exposure produced this picture of 50-hour-and-yet-so-far. Shot of the moon was taken several nights before the ill-fated moon-shot of the Air Force Thor-Able rocket from Cape Canaveral, Fla. The Army next will take up man's attempt to orbit the moon with a satellite.

The Bearcats mounted a drive early in the third quarter which carried to the Winters 6 and from there Jerry Candler went into the end zone for a tally. Candler passed to Ralph Dankworth for the extra two points.

The Bearcats again went deep into Blizzard territory but were placed in the hole with a penalty. Candler dropped back and shot a nice pass into the arms of Winton standing in the end zone for the fourth counter. The try for the extra two points was no good.

Winters went to the air and Candler bagged an aerial and went 35 yards to the Winters 1. From there he crashed over for the score and the try for extra points again failed.

With the Bearcat second unit in the game, Grissom intercepted a Bearcat pass and returned 36 yards to the Ballinger 14. The first team was sent back into the game but Charles Curry passed to Grissom in the end zone for a score. Grissom caught another Curry pass for the extra two points.

The Bearcat team functioned as a team better than at anytime this season and the line was outstanding in their blocking and opening holes. Calvin Kirk and Dalton Hoffman also turned in a good performance in the backfield, hitting for power gains and also doing some excellent blocking. Joe Davidson, Rodney Hambricht and Dankworth were outstanding on both offense and defense.

Dance

Olten Hall

Thanksgiving Night

the 1958 season.

Scouts have been interested in some of the Ballinger players and no doubt a few will get opportunities to continue their work in college or university with their football. The lightness of the Ballinger team will make only a few eligible for the larger schools of the state. Jerry Candler has been looked over on numerous occasions by Southwestern Conference schools and is expected to receive offers. Smaller schools are interested in other senior members of the team.

Basketball practice has



FIRGEON—Dr. Reginald Dutta completes removal of a cataract from the eye of a rare Celestial-Eyed Veiltail in his fish surgery in London, England. Stimulant supplied in minute quantity by an assistant with a hypodermic needle is given to the fish just before it's returned to its tank. Known formally as an "aquarist veterinary surgeon," the doctor operates on patients sent to him by fish fanciers in many countries.

Bearcats Close Season With Win Over Winters

The Ballinger Bearcats clinched second place in district 7-AA Friday night with their win over the Winters Blizzards by a score of 32 to 14.

The "Runnels County Championship" game attracted one of the largest crowds of the season and Ballinger was well represented on their side of the field. They watched a fine Bearcat team display good running,

blocking, tackling and team play all during the evening in defeating a fine Blizzard eleven that could both run and pass.

Winters took the opening kick off, marched up field and Jimmy Largent heaved a 36 yard pass into the arms of Ricky Grissom which set up a score on the Ballinger 3. They went over on the next play and were unable to convert the extra point.

Ballinger fumbled the kickoff and was down on their 11 yard line. They started a ground game up field which carried for 89 yards with Kenneth Winton going the final 6 yards for the touchdown. The try for extra points failed.

Just before the end of the half, the Blizzards were held for downs and kicked to Winton who picked up some fine blocks and returned for 45 yards and a touchdown. The try for extra points again failed and the Bearcats led at half time 12 to 6.

SPORTS

The Ballinger Bearcats hung up their uniforms this week, some of the boys for the last time. They closed a successful season at Winters Friday night by defeating the Blizzards by a score of 32 to 14. This gave them second place in the district with only one loss, that to the classy Cisco team that went through their season undefeated to wind up as champions.

The Bearcats played a hard schedule this year and after getting by Brady, Stamford and Class AAA Lake View, they rolled along showing plenty of ground and aerial power. Some of the main boys will be absent next year however, the Bearcats will carry over a large number of letter men to start



NEW LOOK—East front of the nation's Capitol building is covered with scaffolding as preparations go forward to extend the building forward some 32½ feet. Purpose: more room for the solons. Present sandstone facade will be duplicated in marble when the extension has been completed.



MOUSETERIOUS—Upside-down walking is possible for this "space mouse" because his feet are shod with tiny magnets. He and a number of his fellows are used to study problems of gravity in the ultracentrifuge at the Air Force School of Aviation Medicine, Pensacola, Fla.



TOWERING—Made of stained glass, this reproduction of Paris' Eiffel Tower, standing seven feet high and containing 1,300 pieces of glass, was built by Anthony Virga of Clifton, N.J.

started and a number of Bearcat footballers will hang up their football togs for basketball uniforms and get underway in that sport at once. Exhibition games will be played for the remainder of the fall with the district schedule in January and February.

The Bearcats played one of their best games of the season against Winters and blocking and tackling were superb. They handled the ball well, fumbled only once during the evening and timing in the line was better than usual to permit holes for the ball carriers.

Local fans will watch Cisco with interest in the playoff which will lead to a state championship. The Lobos will meet some good teams pretty quick in the playoffs, such as Stamford, and if they can win in their early games, will have a good chance to go all the way.

The Quarterback Club members have done a fine job this

season and now they urge their members and all fans to continue their support of the Bearcats as they start the basketball season. Other activities of the club will be the staging of the annual football banquets.

SOUTH BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Thanksgiving centerpieces were arranged at the South Ballinger Home Demonstration Club which met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jack Fry.

Mrs. Tom Crockett arranged the cornucopia centerpiece with flowers brought from the gardens of Mrs. B. M. Batts and Mrs. Crockett.

Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen read the club prayer and Mrs. Joe Thomas gave the thought for the Day. Roll was answered by naming "Styles I Can't Wear." At the regular business period, conducted by Mrs. Batts, club members made plans for the annual Christmas party which

will be held on December 12 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. McShan, and Mrs. Ohlhausen was named chairman of the arrangement committee. Shadow names will be revealed at the Christmas party. Mrs. Archie Wallace gave the Council's report.

Club members displayed how to wrap homemade Christmas delicacies, like jellies, relishes and other homemade goodies.

The next regular club meeting will be on January 6, in the home of Mrs. R. R. Holstead.

The hostess served a sandwich plate with cookies and coffee. Others present were: Mmes. Neuman Smith, Ed Farley, Max Setser, Bud Farley, Tom McAnally, Austin Williams, and Miss Ann Middley.

GOOD CROWD ATTENDS STOCK SALE MONDAY

There was a large crowd on hand Monday afternoon for the weekly livestock sale at the Ballinger Auction and Commission Co. A good run of livestock was placed in the pens for the Monday sale but operators stated there was a need for more fat butcher calves. The market was also slow on stocker calves.

Prices received Monday afternoon were:

- Stocker lambs 21 cents
- Bulls \$18.50 to \$24.50 per hundred
- Butcher calves 22 to 26 cents
- Cows and calves \$150 to \$235 per pair.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE REFUNDING BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF RUNNELS: In compliance with the provisions of Chapter 183, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature of Texas, 1931, as amended, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, to pass an order at the regular term of said Court on January 12, 1959, authorizing the issuance of RUNNELS COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BONDS, in the maximum amount of \$31,500.00, for the purpose of refunding, canceling and in

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Ballinger firemen have closed another successful year, have elected new officers, held their annual banquet and are ready to begin another year of service to their community on a volunteer basis. These men serve without pay, they reach a high state of efficiency in fire fighting, they attend schools to learn each modern method and their work, annually, saves the property owners many dollars in insurance losses. They protect property and lives and are always ready to go day or night without thought to themselves or their private interests. All the reward they ask is modern equipment with which to work and this has been provided by the city with all the people cooperating through their tax dollars. The fire loss record for the past year is very complimentary to the Ballinger firemen, however, they express thanks to the citizens for their

practice of fire prevention which caused fewer alarms than usual the past year. Ballinger firemen are a wonderful bunch of fellows, thoroughly dedicated to their work and not satisfied just to be a department, but constantly strive to be the best fire fighters in this section.

Practically all West Texas towns are announcing Christmas programs for the entire holiday season. The gift buying period means much to the economy of every town and for that reason features are planned each week which are expected to attract additional shoppers. They also create a spirit of Christmas which helps to start gift buying early in the season and to keep it steadily on until the final rush. A fine program can be planned, but without the full cooperation of all merchants, it will fall flat and is usually worse than having no program at all. Programs have been planned for the week-ends in December but unless all people are interested in making them a success, they cannot succeed. Let's make the most of these planned features and meet the competition of other towns in the area in entertaining each Saturday.

Patriotic holidays used to be a big part of life in this nation and in this community. Now



WEST TEXAS NOTES

The Rowena Lions Club last week celebrated its 10th anniversary with a special meeting held at Lowake Inn. The Rowena Club has been very active in its community during the years and has served as chamber of commerce and provided other civic leadership there. Ten-year pins were awarded a number of members at the meeting and all past presidents and secretaries were recognized. Henry Teplicek gave the history of the club. E. C. Grindstaff was the guest speaker for the occasion, and talked on "Sell Democracy to the Children." Delegations from a number of other clubs in the area were present for the program.

National 4-H Club achievement day was observed at Eden on Saturday of last week with a special program in the high school gymnasium. The program included a number of demonstrations, presentation of

the real meaning of the days have been forgotten and while some are still legal holidays, the real purpose of setting the day aside has been taken over by fun and entertainment. Some nations still thrill their people with displays of might, loyalty to government and love of flag but as a nation we have let individual desires take over the holidays. We observe Memorial Day as a holiday, but services to honor the soldier dead and the heroes of our community have not been held for years. They were dropped because only a few came and it was humiliating to the loved ones of war dead to see that so few people cared any longer. July 4 is also a holiday but the patriotic spirit has been replaced with outings, family gatherings, golf tournaments and other affairs. Veterans' Day, November 11, has been junked as a holiday because it interfered with business at a season when the holiday season was getting started. A few veterans still assemble to observe the day and try to keep the purpose of the day from being forgotten. Thanksgiving is a day of feasting and football and most thanksgiving services are held on the night before in order to have crowds. Maybe we should consider some of our holidays "Lest We Forget," some of the things which has made this nation great.

awards to boys and girls of the county and an address by Congressman O. C. Fisher. A large crowd was on hand for the meeting, including county officials and members of the commissioners' court. Refreshments were served at the close of the program by the home demonstration club council of Concho County.

Congressman O. C. Fisher spoke in Brownwood twice last week, addressing the Kiwanis Club at the noon hour and the high school students in the afternoon. In speaking to the students, he challenged the group to participate in the great strides of advancement which has been typical of American history for the past 50 years. After his address, there was a long period of questions and answers covering a wide range of subjects, but all dealing with this nation and possibilities of the future.

A mass meeting was held at Bronte Tuesday night, so that school officials might inform the general public about the financial condition of the Bronte school. The annual audit has shown a deficit and if the standard of the school is maintained, additional money from some source must be raised. The mass meeting was sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association so that members of the board can talk the situation over with the property owners and school patrons of the district.

Highway engineers have completed plans for the freeway to the north of Colorado City on Highway 80 and a public hearing has been called for November 26. The north route of the freeway would cover 6.9 miles and would be the final link in the route for that area. The public hearing is required by law and deals with grades, surfacing and other details of construction and not with the location of the right-of-way. In the road improvements, Mitchell County has spent approximately \$200,000 for right-of-ways with the money provided by a bond issue.

The good neighbor policy was demonstrated last week when a group gathered at the Travis Downing farm north of Winters to gather his cotton. The Downings have been at the bedside of their daughter who

was injured in a car accident and they had been unable to look after the gathering of their crop. His friends and neighbors worked for five days and gathered 90 bales of cotton from the Downing farm. Strippers were used on most of the acres but many pickers worked and others hauled cotton to the gins.

Menard was all set last week to welcome the hunters into that section for their annual deer and turkey hunts. Game wardens in the Menard area stated that the deer population was the largest in many years and added they had never seen them fatter. The chamber of commerce was assisting hunters who did not have leases and also in giving information about hunting laws. Cold storage places were ready to give service to the hunters as they got their first kills. The Chamber of Commerce has lists of all available leases, maps of the county and many other items which will help those visiting the area.

A large wall of a warehouse at Comanche collapsed last week with a heavy loss resulting. The warehouse was partially filled with peanuts, some 200 tons of bulk peanuts being stored there. A large amount of these poured out on the ground when the wall fell out. The owner of the warehouse stated that the wall could not have been crushed by pressure and some thought that it might have been caused by a sonic blast as several were heard about the time of the accident. Workmen started sacking the peanuts and getting them back in the warehouse soon after the accident occurred.

Members of the Coleman City Council, in a special session last Tuesday, passed an emergency order permitting them to complete an agreement with the Cooper-Bessemer Corp. for the lease, with purchase option, of a 1,000 kilowatt generator to be placed in the city light plant. According to statements, the city plans to have the new generator in operation by the time of the heavy load next summer. The new equipment will greatly increase the efficiency of the Coleman plant and make possible the handling of a heavy load which has been building up in that city recently.

pretty high in the state race again this year. While they were defeating San Saba week before last, Lampasas was losing a game which gave the Bulldogs a chance at the playoffs for the third straight year. Fans expect to meet Belton again in their first of the bi-district games.

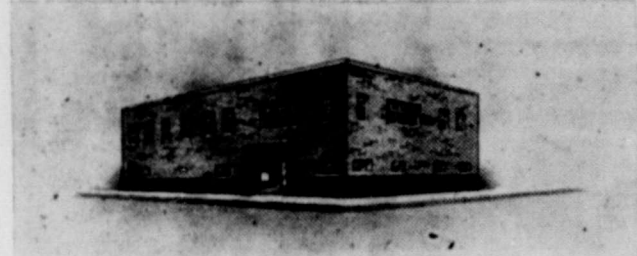
Announcement was made last week that the Hico area would convert to modern dial system telephones this week-end. The statement was issued by officers of the Gulf States Telephone Co. The change over is being made after an expenditure of more than \$150,000 by the company.

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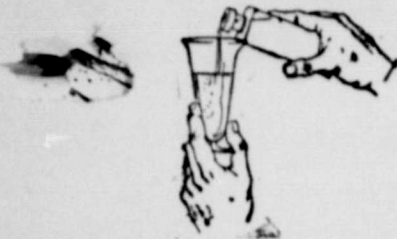
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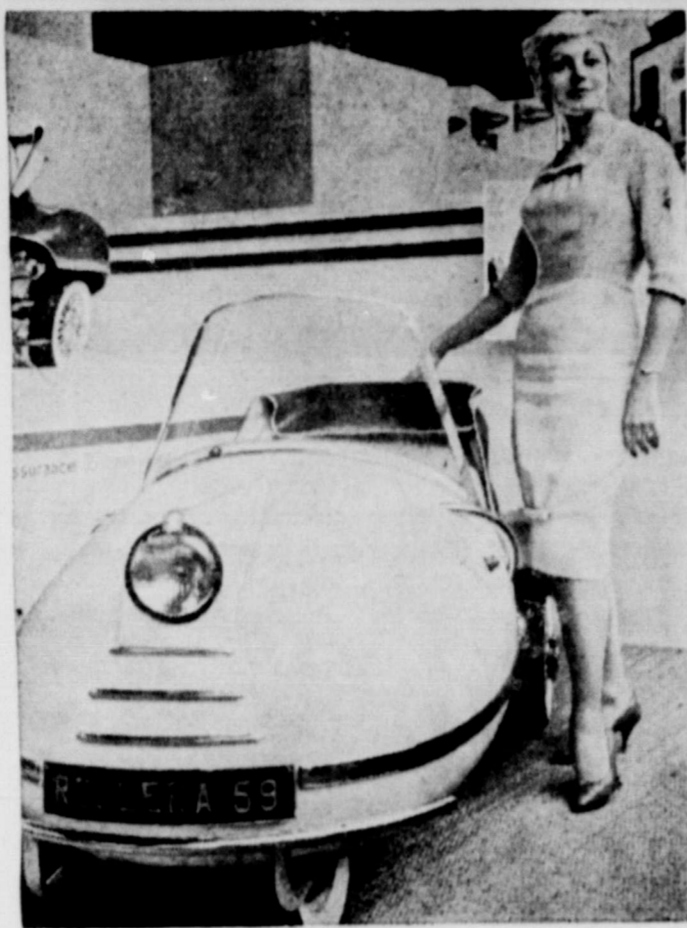


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SOCIETY

Mrs. Alex Kvapil Feated At Tea In Ballinger Home

Blue Carnations and mums with marlands of valley lily and fern in a crystal bowl formed the centerpiece Saturday for a tea honoring Mrs. Alex Kvapil, who before her marriage on November 3, was Miss Mary Etta Bagwell.

White tapers in matching

crystal candelabra were entwined with lily of the valley. A white handmade cutwork linen cloth over blue and crystal and silver appointments completed the setting in the home of Mrs. A. H. Dallinger.

Hostesses with Mrs. Dallinger were Mrs. Wylie Hearn, Mrs. Eugene Loika, Mrs. Paul Richardson and Mrs. F. L. Wells.

Mrs. Hearn greeted guests and presented Mrs. Dallinger. The honoree and her mother, Mrs. R. A. Bagwell, Mrs. Elmer Kvapil, of Rowena, mother of the groom and Mrs. B. M. Smith of Winters, grandmother of the bride, received guests.

JoAnne Dallinger and Mrs. R. E. Martin of Abilene, registered guests.

Mrs. Fred Harwell, Sue Deaton of Winters, and Penni Hearn, directed guests to the dining room. Serving were Mrs. C. W. Smith of Bradshaw, Mrs. E. C. Tinsley, Mrs. Loika and Mrs. Richardson.

Misses Ann Richardson and Glenda Cook displayed gifts in rooms decorated with white mums.

Music during the tea hour was finished by Misses JoAnne Dallinger and Gracie Drake. Approximately eighty ladies called.

Carol and Elaine Jackson celebrate first birthday. Carol and Elaine Jackson, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Jackson, were feted Saturday evening in celebration of their first birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were hosts to a group of close friends in their Eighth Street home. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Harvin of Lufkin, grandparents of the twin sisters, were special guests.

After guests registered in Carol's and Elaine's baby book, their four year old sister,

Meredith Jackson, assisted in serving the decorated pink birthday cake topped with "Happy Birthday" and one pink candle, with coffee and punch.

Guests besides the grandparents, were Messrs. and Mrs. Tonic Queen, George Newby, Hubby Clarke, Elwood Brown, Buck Coleman, Walter Piel, A. C. Buchanan, Mrs. Floyd Wington, Misses Doris Queen, of San Angelo, Dorothy Piel, Georgia Newby, Carol Kudlacek, Susan and Linda Brown, Jeanie Marie and Susan Coleman, Messrs. Oliver Petty, Arthur Kanner of San Angelo, Ronnie Wood, Calvin Kirk, Vance Carter and Philip Buchanan.

Mrs. Simpson Gives Program For Philathea Class

Mrs. Troy Simpson gave the history of "Early Thanksgiving" at the regular monthly meeting of the Philathea Class of the First Methodist Church which was held in the home of Miss Ollie Chenoweth Monday evening.

Other hostesses with Miss Chenoweth were Mrs. Gertrude Woods and Mrs. Hugo Vogel-sang.

Fall flowers were used to decorate rooms where Mrs. Blair Hays gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Tom Caudle brought the devotional. For the Christmas project, the class voted to adopt a family.

Birthday celebrants were Mrs. Blair Hays, Mrs. Luke Forney, Mrs. George Beard, Mrs. Vernon Webb, Mrs. Hugo Vogel-sang, Mrs. Sam Behringer, Mrs. Bill Moore, Mrs. A. D. Barnett, Mrs. R. W. Eurnshaw, Misses Zadie Royalt and Zaza Chenoweth.

Hostesses served a sandwich plate with cookies and hot speed punch. Others present were Misses Claude Stone, O. R. O'Neill, Paul Richardson, Archie Smith, Marion Hays, Sid Caskey, Max Setser, Jack Nixon, James E. Hale and Aubra Dodson.

Stitch-In-Time Club Meets In N. L. Stevens Home

Mrs. Frank Halfmann was welcomed as a new member at the regular meeting of the Stitch-In-Time Club when it met in the home of Mrs. N. L. Stevens.

Mrs. Willie Hoover, president, was in charge of the business. The club made plans to hold its annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Hoover.

Following the handwork period, the hostess served a sandwich plate with iced tea. Others present were Misses Dora Spreen, J. V. Smith, T. L. Saylor, W. L. McMillan, T. M. Marsh and Miss Mickey Vorbeck.

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G. G. Club Collects Food For Thanksgiving Gift Basket

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Members were served refreshments following the food drive. They were Shirley Kurtz, Rosie Legg, Lenna Parker, Jimbeth Flynt, Linda Wright, Helen Davidson, Suzie McDonald, Alice Piel, Brookie Hogue, Lynda

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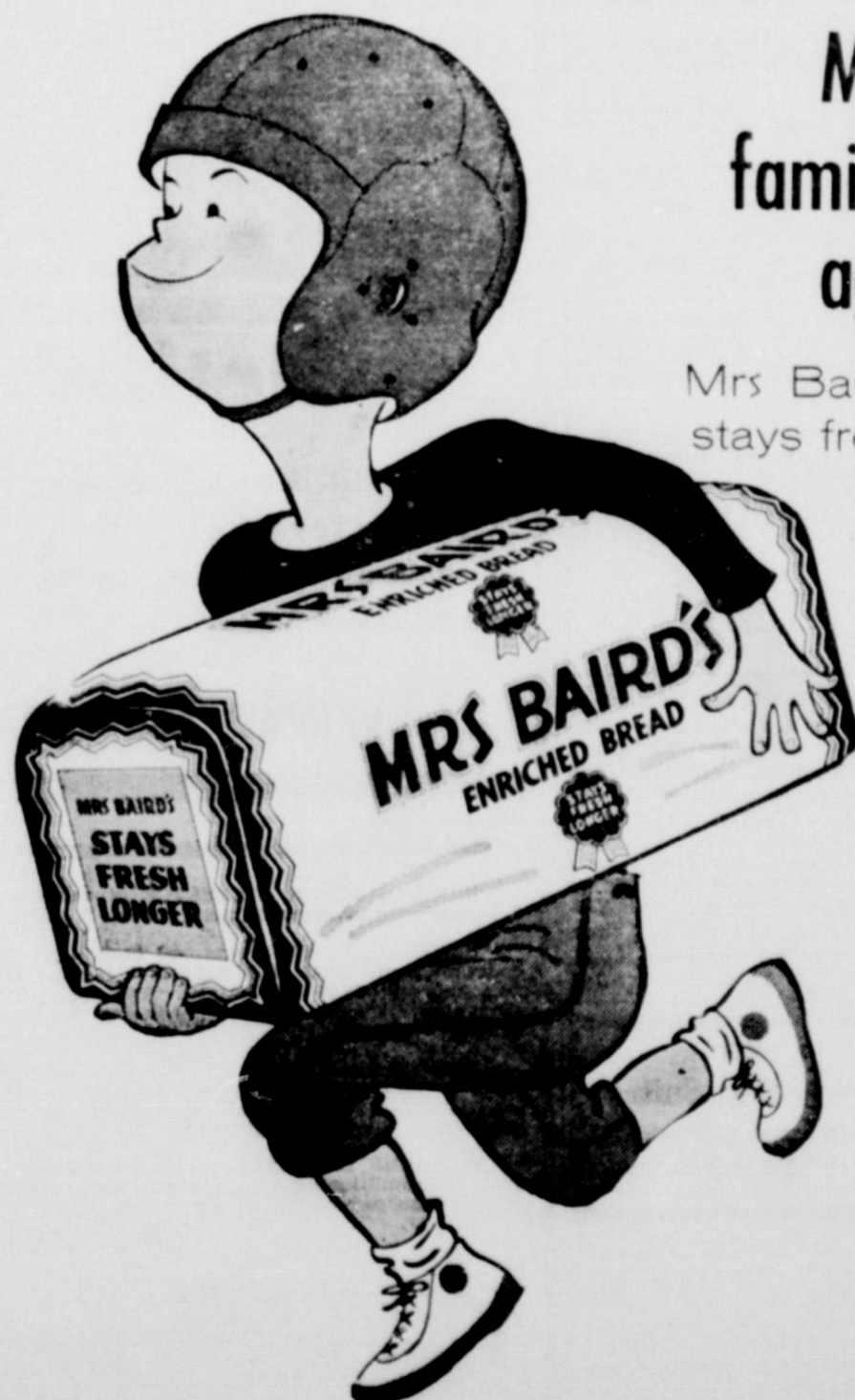
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