job? and hat'll it cost?"

If he ha, pens to know, he'll say: th "Depends on the paint. I can do it we tru. for somewhere about \$100 or \$200. whichever you like; \$100 will make a

good jab; \$200 a poor one." And you, if you happen to have your

wits, 'll say: "1'll take the good one, when'll you do it?"

Painters ought, all, to know about paint; and jewelers onght to be able to get a good job. we do what we can to help both.

One gallon Devoe is better than two of average paint, goes as far-that is, your house will take about 20 gallons Devoe and 40 of average paint-and Devoe will wear a long time; the life of average paint is very uncertain, it may be a year, it may be five.

Why is it that painters don't know about paint? Do jewelers know about diamonds? They know more than they tell sometimes. There are painters and painters; so there are jewelers; so there is paint, and the least-gallons paint is Devoe.

Yours truly F. W. Devoe & Son. P. S. Ballinger Lumber Co. sells our paiut.

## Ballinger Will Have a Band.

Prof. C. Leggorn, arrived here the first of this week and workd up enough interest to insure band of twenty members. te a number who are already good musicians have ae go into the band and insts have been ordered for Qui nd as soon as they ar-Sreed to ass will be organized practicing will beest. Ballinger needs d. and we are glad n has succeedass.

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fit to put on round current ... The town is gettin, demands a day current.

Six dusky sons of Han arrested for indulging seductive game of crap in B. wood last week and were b out by the compress people their services were badly need to help in running the compres.

Sen. Bailey has flatly refused to meet Cullen Thomas of Waco in joint debate or receive any communication from him.

\$500,000 LAND DEAL

## The Simmons Ranch Will be Divided Into Four Thousand Small Farms.

San Antonio, Oct. 8.-"The division of the Simmons ranch in Live Oak county will put nearly 4,000 families in Southwest Texas within the next year," said J. J. Fairbanks of Denison at the new Maverick hotel yesterday. Mr. Fairbanks is on his way home from the Simmons ranch, the last part of it having been sold last Friday. The ranch has been divided into Whooping Cough, etc., 52c, 50c 4,200 farms, ranging in size from and \$1.00 bottles. Sold by Walkfive acres of 640 acres. Many of the farms are small and by the method of colonization carried out a family will be placed on nearly every farm. The Simmons ranch has been for many years the property of Dr. C. F. Simmons. It is located thirty miles west of Beeville and ontained 60,000 acres. The nd was sold for a half million

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invite you to call on when in town. Ellis Gro.

We have some nice new made sorgham syrup, also boilded ribbon cane at

J. B. Alvis & Bro.

"I am going to buy of you in future all my cough syrup," writes J. L. McKinley of Reynolds, Texas, "for Harts, Honey and Horehound is the best I ever used." Harts' Honey and Horehound contains no opium or other deleterious drugs and is the most pleasant medicine for the cure of Coughs. Colds, Croup, er Drug Co.

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## Makes Pain Go Away.

Are you one of the ones who pay in toil For your right of way through this life?

If so you will find Hunt's Lightning Gil

A friend which will aid in the strife. To those who earn their own way by their own labor, accidents occur with painful frequency. Burns bruises, cuts and sprains are not strangers to the man who wears corns on his hands A better remedy for these troubles does not exist than Hunt's Lightning



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|    | Senator Bailey will speak at<br>Brownwood Monday afternoon,<br>Oct 29th. It is very probable<br>that several will go down from<br>Ballinger to hear him.<br>Buy you a Talking machine<br>'9.00 at The Globe<br>B. Page, the real estate The Section Content of the section | arie as the<br>h he Rober<br>Neal sa, Te<br>tton weeks<br>ked Don<br>les, loaded<br>hore Sher | as been here for some time<br>guest of her cousin, Miss<br>ta Noble, has gone to Odes-<br>exas to visit for a few<br>Lampasas Leader.<br>t forget, we sell the best<br>shells The Globe.<br>tiff Kirk went to Comanche | ern-<br>E12.<br>ade<br>and<br>aste<br>(<br>s at<br>ie.<br>t |  |
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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

J. T. Osteen visited Brownwood last Saturday.

E. D. Walker visited his brother at Coleman last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Myra Penn is visiting friends and relatives in Brownwood this week'

W. R. Griffing and little boy went to Ft. Worth, Monday, on a visit and business trip.

E. A. Jeanes, the apple and produce man, went to Brownwood, Tuesday.

Wallace Francis went to Brownwood last Saturday to see the show.

Ringling Bros. circus at Brown- that place, Rev. Young. wood last Saturday and visited friends in that city.

Oscar Pearson, the oil mill and light plant manager, went to Dallas on Business and to take in the fair, Monday.

P. B. Skipper, was over from Paint Rock on cotton Business, first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Root visited Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Turner at Talpa last Sunday.

W. F. McDonald, of Rowena was trading in Ballinger Satur. day, and contracted for a years reading of the Banner-Leader.

Mrs. J. B. Wilmeth went to Brownwood last Friday to visit friends, and will go from there to Dallas for a visit of several weeks.

Ernest Flummer made a trip to Brownwood last Saturday all for the purpose of accompanying his girl to the show.

country first of the week selling with success, as his plans are

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Terry and the baby returned Wednesday from a trip to Dallas.

Miss Mae Harris returned Wednesday from Temple, where she has been under the treatment of doctors, for the past three weeks

Judge J. W. Powell made a trip to Miles on legal business Wednesday.

The Owl Pharmacy opened for business Monday. Look up their ad in this paper.

Dr. W. B. Halley went to Dallas Wednesday to take in the fair and on other business.

Rev. E. P. Williams was called to Winters Tuesday to conduct the funeral services of the little Miss Ethel Truly attended the child of the Methodist pastor at

> Mr. and Mrs. Felix Thornton returned to their home in Erath County Tuesday, after a visit to Mrs. Thornton's brother, G. B. Gordon, the barber.

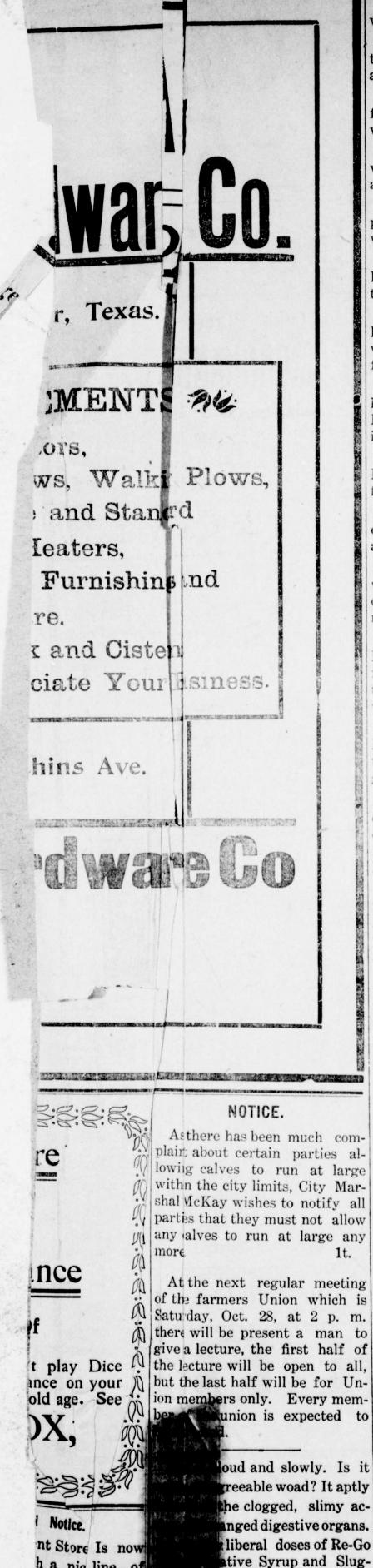
W. C. Penn was buying cotton in Angelo, first of the week.

Dan Moser came down from Miles Sunday, returning Monday.

A hard rain fell over Runnels county Saturday night, but there is no damage reported to amount to anything. Some people report a slight damage to hay and feed crop.

Dan Van Pelt and Leon Ward, young hardware men, are taking in the Dallas fair this week. They went down Sunday.

Fire insurance agent Ernest Plummer has plans on foot to organize a mutual fire insurance company for the farmers. He is getting up the necessary papers J. Webb was in from the Truitt and is confident he will meet



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J. O. Mixon.

cotton and looking after business good ones, and if the farmers en-He subscribed for the Banner-|courage him it will be greatly to Leader while in town.

Mrs. Nash who has been visititing her daughter-in-law, Mrs. weeks, returned to her home a Austin, Monday.

Alvis Bros., are now doing business in their new stand, having moved first of the week. They are fixed up in a better shape to handle their large grocery trade.

J. W. Whitt who was down from Hylton on business, returned Tuesday. He left an order for a good lot of printing with the Banner-Leader.

W. A. Bass, of Norton, was in withn the city limits, City Mar- after cotton pickers last Saturshal McKay wishes to notify all day. He reports his cotton fairparties that they must not allow ly good and that the crop is aany alves to run at large any bout an average over his neighborhood. He become interested in the Banner-Leader and will At the next regular meeting read the paper a year.

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Mrs, J. G. Key and little baby returned from an extended visit to relatives at Big Springs and other places last Saturday. Groves went to Abilene and accompanied Mrs. Key home.

Mrs. H. M. Larkin came in from the Panhandle country last Friday to get her mother, Mrs. I. N. Lewis. They left Wednesday for the former's home. Mrs. Lewis will spend the winter in the panhandle country for the benefit of her health.

Walter Young left with his family on Mondays train for his new home at Texico, N. M. ill give way to Healthy Walter is a Runnels county boy, every part. Re-Go having resided here most all his 25c, 50c and \$1.00 botlife and we regret to see him leave, and trust he will be suc. cessful in his new home. move to our new home

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their interest. It will give them a very cheap and safe insurance.

Morehead, the tailor has rent-Emma Nash for a couple of ed the building recently vacated by the Craigg photograph gallery and is using it for a work room, retaining his old stand as a sample and sales room, His business is improving all the time and he is anxious to secure a larger room.

> Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cole, tho visited Mrs. Cole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gustavus, for a couple of weeks, raturned to their home at Bryan, first of the week. Mrs. Cole will be remembered as Miss Una Gustavus.

> J. T. Branham was in from the Crews country early Monday morning looking for cotton pickers. He said he had 60 acres in cotton and thought he would easily get 30 bales. Some of his neighbors claimed that he would get at least 40 bales.

Talk about advertising; you should watch those Brownwood people. They are spreading it on an inch thick all over the country, from Temple to San Angelo and from Brady to Fort Worth, and then some more. They are working up a crowd for their big Carnival to come off the 30th-4th, Oct. and Nov. Brownwood goes after things in a business like way.

The West bound passenger Monday was minus a few window panes and otherwise had the evidence of a rough house. It was reported that a "bad man from Bitter creek" got on down the line some where and had the whole train crew buffaloed. It is funny how booze will effect a man.

Wanted-All your butter and EC. B. Armstrong was among the crowd to take in the show Brownwood last Saturday.

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