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Who Is The Custodian And Depository Of The Runnels County Funds?

THE BALLINGER STATE BANK & TRUST @.

This Bank having complied with all the requirements of the law to satisfy the County Officials of its RESPONSIBILITY and ABSOLUTE SAFETY; then what more is needed to satisfy you, that YOU SHOULD ALSO SELECT as the CUSTODIAN of your private funds.

The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.,

Which is now established in its NEW BANK BUILDING, where everybody is cordially invited to visit us.

The Flower Show.

On account of being unable to secure a list of premiums awarded and to whom before going to press, we can't publish same.

The exhibit is perhaps the most successful in every respect. The large Chrysanthemums of all colors are fine, and the roses, ferns, etc., are a marvel as to what the floral club can accomplish in the way of growing flowers in Ballinger.

The designs were all good. Mrs. W. T. Padgitt exhibited a map of Texas, showing the location of Ballinger the greatest spot on the map. Mrs. W. J. Miller exhibited a Masonic emblem that created considerable attention. Mrs. R. P. Kirk's designs was "Togo" a large St.

of a Dutch Wind Miil, 'The land scape scene made by Mrs. J. A. ECHOES FROM Guy was good, and won a special premium. Mrs. Kirk won first premium on designs and Mrs. Miller second. They were all good and showed evidence of much work and pride in contest- HUGHES FOR GOVERNOR IN ing for the handsome premiums offered on design and emblem work.

ladies seem to be highly pleased count. At Norwood there was and impartial judgment.

THE ELECTION

Texas. NEW YORK

As usual the general election

Mrs. G. M. Vaught, rs. Jack in Runnels county was a tame McGregor and Mrs. Mattie Reed affair, at some boxes there being is. Built along new and original were the Judges, and all the hardly enough votes polled to lines, with material carefully at the manner in which the only seven votes polled. The ledge as to the wants and desires premiums were awarded, and Ballinger box, where there is of the public and careful to church for a long time, and her wish to tender their thanks to something near six hundred vo- throw aside the impure and worn the Judges for their faithful and ters only 214 voted. Of this out portions that caused the number 34 voted for the Repub- utter oblivion of thousands of Quite a number of visitors are lican candidate for representa- other plays plays. This wonderhere 15 3 Angelo, Miles, and tive. There was only about 450 play stands solid upon the rock

publican candidate received about twenty-five per cent of the vote polled, and while all the counties in the District have not been heard from it is estimated that the Republican candidate got about 25 per cent of the vote polled. In other words the Democrat Mr. Silliman won by about three to one. The vote was light all over the state. but all Democratic nominees for State and District offices were elected.

Considerable interest was manifested in the New York Governor's race, and the latest report over the wires is that most of the Democratic ticket was elected, but Mr. Hearst the Democratic and Independent candidate for Governor was defeated by Mr. Hughes, the Republican by about 50,000 votes.

Politics are quiet now and the good people will have to start All Democratic Nominees Elected in something else to keep times lively in the way of public issues.

That Good Show.

A tryumph of playbuilding is what "A Cowboy's Girl" really selected from the store of know-

Mrs. D. M. Baker Death.

1906

While it was no surprise to her many friends, it was sad news to learn that Mrs. Lou Mc-Cullogh Baker had passed out of this world.

Mrs. Baker had been in bad health for about two years, and had been under treatment of the best physicians that money could secure. Mr. Baker carried her to a famous doctor in North Carolina this summer where they spent two or three months, but nothing but temporary relief could be had and death came as only a permanent relief for months of suffering.

She leaves a loving husband, two sons and a little daughter, besides two sisters, and other relatives to mourn her death.

The funeral will be held at the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church today, Friday, at three o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. C. W. Yates with. C. A. Doose. J. B. Wilmeth, R. L. Shaffer, W. A. Davis, T. S. Lankford and R. P. Kirk as pall bearers, and interment will take place in the Ballinger cemetery. Mrs. Baker was a devoted Christian, had been a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian influence and work in this church before her failing health will live forever.

Mr. Baker and the family

Bernard dog. Mrs. Sam Baker's Brownw g g king in the show, and the show, and the second and the

NEW FALL AND WINTER SUITS

We take pleasure in announcing to our friends that we are now showing a complete line of famous HART, SCHAFFNER and MARXZ Clothes for Men

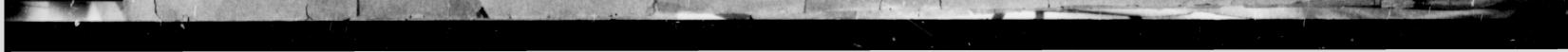
All the Newest Weaves Latest style cuts are represented in the line, prices ranging from \$18.00 to \$25.00

We are also showing a line of the SPERO, MICHAEL & SON' CLOTHING, Suits that are well made, fine material and guaranteed in every respect to give satisfaction. Prices range from \$8.50 to \$20.00

You are cordially invited to look at our lines of clothing. We can save you money on your clothing bil. Come and see us.

Respectfully,

ER DRYGODS COL Ballinger, Texas.



Hold Ups in Brownwood.

In peacful Brownwood such words as outlined in the heading of this article are seldom heard, but evidently the carnival on here this week has attracted some individual who must have money even if he has to get it at the point of a gun. Last night A, J. Godwin, after helping to hold the election started for his home in North Brownwood and as he was approaching the bridge across Adams branch was accosted by two men and told to shell out his valuables. Mr. Godwin says he did not have any money with him and that after looking at his watch the bandits decided not to take that.

Mr. Godwin describes one of the men as being tall and slim, another short and rather stout. He said the way they went after money showed that they were evidently used to the work. To Mr. Godwin the pistol looked as big as a gatling gun. The tall man held the gun while the short one searched for money. All that was missed by Mr. Godwin was a square of tobacco he had bought a few hours before.

The holdup is evidently the work of strangers, notwithstanding the fact that another holdup was attempted at the same spot some two weeks ago. Otto Scott was the victim that time and he outran the bandits and escaped with a pocket full of money.-Brownwood Bulletin.

Trespass Notice.

All parties are hereby notified to stop tearing down my fence More on my farm 12 miles northwest Cotton by of Ballinger as I have given road. Using It. All parties guilty of the above will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

A. F. Rodgers was in from the toes this year are strictly in it, Glasscock county when they farmer that mixes his crop and Mitcheal. raises something to sell besides cotton is the man that has the cash to his credit, and does not have to worry about the various troubles connected with a cotton crop.

exchanged or swapped

See C. H. Willingham 2t.

Mrs. J. B. Alvis is attending the Baptist Convention in Waco this week. She was accompanied by Miss Perry, of Miles.

W. B. Page of Ballinger, in company with H. H. Davidson of Dallas, arrived in the city yesterday and will embark in the real estate businsss here. Mr. Davidson will have charge of the local office. - Garden City Gazette

We want 100 case eggs at J. B. Alvis & Bro.

Cures Tetter, Eczema, Itch (all DONT SCRATCH HOOPERSTETTER kinds) Dew Poison, Pimples, Ring-URE. worm, Skin CURES Eruptions, Chap-ALL SKIN ped Faces and HAND Hands, Sore, OOT AND Sweatty, Swollen, SCALP Blistered Feet. TROUBLES Cotton Pickers DEATH TO Pick 1/4 RED BUG SURE GURE DANDRUFF

Mrs. W. T. Michael, who was Grocery Co. for a good price. be remembered that Mr. and Garden City where he is now en- live." Those who planted sweet pota- Mrs. Michael were en route to gaged in the real estate business.

as the crop is a good one, and were compelled to stop here on the price a profitable one. The account of the illiness of Mrs.

> Sheriff Kirk and his deputy are County Judge. busy taking in the cash on taxes now-a-days. The delinquent tax list for the past two years has been published and the Attorney is filing suits on quite a lot of

Town lots bought, sold, traded, the delinquency, and will proceed to collect by the usual process of sale for taxes.

> G. W. Clayton was in from Norwood Wednesday to bring the election returns. Mr. Clayton says it was a very mild election at his box, there being only seven votes polled. They were all Democratic except one, it was a socialist ticket.

Nick Henry, general agent for the Cowboy's Girl Co., was here yesterday billing the town for his company, which will be here in the production of the above play on Nov. 16th. See announcement elsewhere in this paper.

Two Shows in Ballinger at one time and both playing to large audiences. Ballinger people are there to count when it comes to patronizing shows.



First-Class Photos I have put n a new skylight and made other improvements, can do you first class work. Opposite old Post Office, over Doose & Wright's

Sam Jones was here from Gar-

delivered the returns to the Griggs.

Antelope, Wednesday, to deliver the election returns to Judge Stone.

P. B. Skipper. was here from Paint Rock, Wednesday. Mr. Skipper is buying cotton for W. A. Davis.

Jno. M. Hopkins, special agent for the Springfield Insurance Co. was here Wednesday, checking up his books with the Lee Maddox Agency.

The handsome residence of Dr. J. G. Douglass is about completed.

The Wizard of Wall Street was the best play put on at the opera house so far this season.

W. B. Page returned home from a trip to Glasscock county Wednesday. He was accompanied by Sam Jones, who is here on business for a few days.

W. S. Lewis who lives four Miles north of town, adds his name to the Banner-Leader list of readers.

Bring us your cleaning pressing and repairing. Morehead the Tailor.

BALLINGER

Miss Lillie Holmes went to Wingate country, Wednesday sick with typhoid fever for over den City, Wednesday. Sam has Austin, Tuesday in response to with a load of sweet potatoes, forty days, was able to return to been roughing it for several a message that her brother was which he sold to the Godwin her home at Gatesville. It will months, but he has moved to very ill, and was not expected to

> Mrs. W. A. Clinton and little W. L. McAuley was in from boy returned to their home at Maverick Wednesday, to report Mart, Texas, after a visit to Mrs. the election at that box, and Clinton's sister, Mrs. R. S.

A. E. Marshall, the sewing Jno. T. Brown was here from machine man, went to the San Antonio fair Wednesday.

> R. L. Ramsey and wife went to Henderson and other East Texas points, Wednesday.

> Two young men Wallace Meeker and Cameron Nance of Stamford were drowned last Saturday near that place while duck shooting in a boat on a lake.

> It is very likely that some people who ran for office will be at all inclined to celebrate Thanksgiving.

The Texas Wonder.

Cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic troubles; sold by all druggists, or two months' treatment by mail for \$1. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis. Send for Texas testimonials.

For Sale by, Walker Drug Co.

I. O. Wooden went to San Antonio Wednesday to take in the fair.

The Salty place is the Currie-Noyes Co., They have the Michigan salt, the kind you want. tf.

Salt, Salt, the good kind at heap price at the Currie-Noyes Co., tf.



ment and long time. Come and see us. we employ no curbstone agt.

GISECKE-BENNETT COMPANY

Hugh Parramore.

THE BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS.

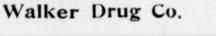
sect. It's not an uncommon sight to see pretty flowers in Ballinger, but we saw some this week that looked very uncommon to us. We refer to the beautiful yard of Mrs. R. L. Shaffer. It was a business trips to Midland within pleasure to stand and gaze upon the past few days. It is quite the work of nature and the suc- probable that Mr. Francis will cessful cultivation and care of locate in that section. Mrs. Shaffer's flowers. She has some of as large Chryanthemums specting some gins in the counas ever grew in any flower yard, try, Wednesday, with a view of and a great variety of colors and covering them with one of his collection of different hues made good insurance polices. a sight pleasing to the eye of the indifferent, Mrs. Shaffer has something out of the ordinary in the way of a lemon bush, loaded with lemons, some just begin-

and ready to drop from the bush. It is to be regretted that Mrs.

Floral Club for she would certainly capture some handsome premiums. She will exhibit some of her flowers at the show any way, and the public will have an opportunity to see something pretty.

we had the the pleasure to see parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. was those of Mrs. R. P. Kirk. Jones. Mr. Parrish will build a selves at the flower show, and corner of the Jones' pasture on we will say now, that she wil Fuzzy creek. - Paint Rock Hercapture her share of the pre- ald miums. The flower show will be held to-day, and you should at Jas. E. Brewers. not miss it.

It's all right to be a hired man but you ought to be your own boss some day. The way to do it is to save some of your wages and put your savings in th Citizens Nationol Bank of Ballin-



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SOLD AT

Miss Lena Francis has been quite sick this week as a result of being stung by a poisonous in-

If you want to trade, swap, buy or sell any property

2t. See C. H. Willingham

S. M. Francis made several

Ernest Plummer was out in-

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Maddox made a trip to Winters, Wednesday.

Every town lot in Ballinger bening to mature and some ripe longing to the RailRoad for sale. 2t, See C. H. Willingham

About thirty-five tickets was Shaffer is not a member of the sold to the San Antonio fair by the Santa Fe Wednesday.

> Prices on Railroad lots to be raised January 1907. If you want to buy do it now. C. H. Willingham 2t.

Mrs. T. J. Parish, of Ballin-Another collection of flowers ger, is in the city visiting her Her flowers will speak for them- neat cottage in the north-east

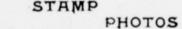
The best alarm clock on earth

Mr, and Mrs. R. A. Clem came down from Angelo Wednesday.

C. B. Armstrong went to Bronte and Robert Lee on business Wednesday.

We carry, a full line of Groceries at the lowest price. Ellis Gro. Co.





In town. Will also enlarge your photo at a very reasonable price. Give me a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed. Respectfully,



Take your Butter and eggs to Godwin Grocery Co.



Business Phone 66.

Residence Phone oo.



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The Banner-Leader, regular price \$1.00 per year; the Twice-a-Week Dallas News, Houston Post, Fort Worth Record or Bryan's Commoner, the regular subscription price for each is \$1.00 per year.

The American Home Journal, published in Dallas, the best Southern Magazine published. Regular price \$1.00 per year. To subscribe for each of these would cost you \$3.00, we will give for 1906 the Banner-Leader, the American Home Journal and either the Dallas News, Houston Post, Fort Worth Record or Bryan's Commoner for \$2.00.

If you would keep posted you need these three, the Semi-Weekly to keep you, informed on all National and State Questions, the American Home Journal for good stories for the children and the Banner-Leader for all the local news. Old subscribers who pay up-to-date and one year in advance are entitled to this offer.

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Hall Hardware Co.

Ballinger, Texas.

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Disc Plows, Walking Plows, John Deere and Standard

Stoves, Ranges, Heaters,

House Furnishings and

Builders Hardware.

Pipe Work and Cisterns. We Will Appreciate Your Business.

MORE DEER DYING

San Angelo, Texas; Nov. 5.-Reports brought here by different travelers through the section of country southwest of San Angelo, report great numbers of the different species of deer to be dying from a disease styled black tongue. The death rate is alarming, and from present indications there will be but few black tail deer in West Texas by the first of the year, unless the fatality of the contagious malady desists.

One ranchman savs he found seven sleek deer dead in his pasture, and several other like reports have been heard. Venison is rare food now, even in districts where deer have hereto-fore been plentiful. Ranchmen are afraid to kill what fat, yourself. You need not suffer healthy looking bucks and does from pains of any sort-your that they come upon, not knowing but what these animais are bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniafflicted with the disease in its ment. It cures all pains. J. M. early stage.

Local Notice.

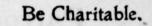
The "Crescent Store" Is now stocked up with a nice line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, all so Feed Supplies. My motto is trade. tf.

J. O. Mixon.

NEW SCHEDULE.

West bound passenger train is ever, they did not state over the due to arrive at Ballinger at phone, why the hasty return. 12:25 p. m. The other trains not changed. This train is late about four days out of the week, or over one-half the time, and the people are complaining no little.

Dr Weinton, half brother of our fellow townsman J. F. Lusk come in Tuesday as the guest of the latter. He will preach at the M. E. Church Sunday. Dr. Weinton is now editor of the Nashville (Tenn) Christian Advocate, and is one of the most prominent Ministers in the Southern Methodist church. He was prominentmentioned as a Bishop at the last general Conference at Birmingham Alabama and received many votes for this important office. He will remain in West Texas till after the Northwest Texas Conference adjourns at Brownwood.



to your horses as well as to horses need not suffer. Try a Roberts, Bakersfield, Mo. writes "I have used your liniment for ten years and find it to be the best I have ever used for man or beast."

J. H. Routh, J. A. Demoville and M. R. Plummer who went quality, then low and uniform to Glasscock county last week, prices to all I will take pleasure where Mr. Routh expected to look in rendering my patrons any after business and then the party favor. I solicit a share of your would take a hunt of a few weeks, phone that they will be at home today or tomorrow. It is presumed that the disease that is prevalant among the deer caused them to abandon their Beginning last Sunday the hunt and return home. How-

Hutchins Ave.

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Losing your pr perty by Fire. Don't play Dice 000 with the Haza d but take out insurance on your home and save worry and premature old age. See

> LEE MADD (The Insurance Man.)

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Coleman, Texas.

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> Geo. E. Paddock, Doniphan, Mo.

W. C. T.U.

We notice two of our leading In cleaning out the standpipe papers lay the blame for the Atthis morning Water Superintend- lanta Race Riot largely where this week, and shaking hands ent Hennersdorf found four very they belong at the door of the with his many friends. pretty sized cat fish. It is a licensed saloon. Some think the puzzle how fish so large as the low "dive" more responsible ones he found get through the than the "high class" saloon. valves of the pump. Mr. Hen- It is doubtless true that the low nersdorf is inclined to think dive has had a greater influence that they come into the stand- in bringing about the terrible pipe when quite small and grow. condition of recent date in that Any way the fish were from six city, than the palatial down-town inches to a foot long. - Brown- den but it must be remembered

that but for the "high class" saloons we would have no low dives The "high class" saloon prepares men for the descent into the law class dives. And all saloons make heart aches and drunkards.

iness in Ballinger and will close out books. If you are due the Read the great temperance firm any thing come in and setstory by Judge Scofield.

tle before the account is placed cause wherever it is read.

Write the Standard Pub. Co. Cincinnati, O. G. W.

The best is what you get if you are a customer of Alvis Bros

Wheat planting time calls for pure seed wheat. The Missouri Milling Co., Ballinger, Texas, wants to furnish you wheat for flour. planting.

CHEAP MONEY.

We represent the Loan Company in this section who pay commission to agents themselves instead of leaving the agent to get their commission out of the borrower, and if you need money we vant to loan it to you on that basis.

We also want to cash your 8 per cent 7 ndors Lien Notes without discount, No cost to you except for Abstract, the Loan Giesecke-Bennett Co.

Fresh Live Oak and mill flour on hand all the time, each kind guaranteed and made good if you should find a bad sack at Miller mer. Co

L. Markowitz was selling goods to the Ballinger Merchants

Try us a month and see the difference. Phone 12.

Alvis Bros.

Robt. J. Kleburg manager of the St. Gertrude ranch in southwest Texas recently turned down an offer of nearly ten millions of dollars for it.

Wanted-All your butter and Eggs.

Godwin Grocery Co.

Croup.

A reliable medicine and one that should always be kept in "A Subtle Adversary," is an the home for immediate use is in the hands of an attorney for unfailing power for the good Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, It will prevent the attack if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears. For sale by J. Y. Pearce.

> Hog-killing time is here. We handle the best grade of salt for all purposes-the famous Michgan Salt. Currie-Noves Co. tf.

None better than Golden Rod

Ellis Grocery Co.



W. S. Syler

C. C. Smith.

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Please pay up and Save Trouble.

We have sold our lumber bus-

Bring your jug and have it

We have a big stock of Mich.

igan Salt and the prices are the

cheapest you ever heard of. Cur-

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Advertising Patrons.

advertising under the guaranty that its Actual Bonafide paid Circulation is as large as any paper published in Runnels without committing himself on County.

Collar Bone Broken.

George Pearce happened to a painful accident Saturday night while returning to the store after supper. It was a very dark and rainy night and he stepped off a foot bridge near the depot with the above result. He is going with one arm in a sling, but otherwise is himself.

For a stylish suit of clothes go to Morehead the Tailor.

Citizens National Bank is being possible to treat its cars as part installed.

Smith are attending court at without a difference. Robert Lee. this week.

If the cars are treated as part E. Sullivan, recently of Brown- of the equipment of the rail-

Pullman Representatives Surprised by

Railroad Commission's Orders. Austin, Nov. 7.-The order of

the railroad commission which proposes that that body shall assume jurisdiction over the Pullman company and make a horizontal reduction in its rates for seats and berths in Texas, came as a complete surprise to the representatives of that company in Texas, as well as to the railroads which operate its cars. It has been known for a long time that Commissioner Allison Mayfield favored such a proposition, but The Banner-Leader accepts it had heretofore always been opposed by Commissioner O. B. Colquitt. Chairman L. J. Storey, the proposition one way or the other, indorsed Mr. Mayfield's motion as being willing to set it down for a hearing. Mr. Colquitt has heretofore contended that the Pullman company is not a common carrier, would be to give the negroes the

right to ride in sleeping cars, unless separate sleeping cars were provided for the negroes, which is impracticable. Mr. Colquitt, it is uuderstood, has not receded from his position that the Pullman company is not a common carrier, but he now The heating equipment for the takes the position that it may be of the equipment of the rail-Judges Jno. I. Guion and M. C. roads. This is a distinction

NEGRO PASSENGERS On the Sense of Wearing Kirschbaum thes

DON'T let cold weather chill our clothes judgement. Have a clear eye for style, fit and workmanship; put your money in Kirschbaum hand-tailored clothes; that's where we put ours after comparing all the fine clothes in the country.

You can pay \$12.00 or 25.00 for a suit of Kirschbaum Clothes and derive \$40 or \$50 worth of good impressions



That's the from them. great secret about these clothes, the business men wear them, so does the professional man, the college

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tle wonder, they have a fine

air about them and are as

easy to wear as an old smok-

ing jacket; they don't cost

any man too much money.

"Quality

First"

It's lit-

the man of thrift.



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Overcoats

The new styles of form-fitting overcoats is a mean one for most makers to handle. Generally ready made, form-fitting clothes don't fit at all. Our Overcoats are so perfectly balanced that they fit almost any figure with amazing ease.

wood, has accepted a position roads, the Pullman company with the City Drug Store.

Mrs. J. H. Patterson went to Waco, first of the week, to attend the Baptist Convention.

the Banner-Leader sent regular- to be interesting. It is supposed ly to his daughter, Miss Ruth in that the Pullman company will Chicago.

Edith came down from Miles, diction over its service in this (Wednesday, to visit friends, re- state, particularly in view of the turning Thursday.

The Sweetest Girl in Dixie is proposed. makes a simple and direct appeal to the hearts of all. Ballinger opera house Saturday Nov. 17th.

Dr. W. B. Halley was called to the Wylie ranch Thursday to see a young man by the name of Powers who was thrown from a horse.

Judges C. H. Jenkins and J. O. Woodward passed through yesterday en route home from Paint Rock where they have been attending court.

Over \$600 delinquent taxes have been collected with in the last few weeks. A good lot of this has come in since the publication of the delinquent list in the Banner-Leader.

for Mineral Wells Thursday, take the Bible reading. after a stay of several weeks at their ranch home on Valley creek ference year we had on hand They make Mineral Wells their \$76.00. During the year we have home a good part of the time raised for local work \$150. Have since building a handsome resid- sent to the Conference Treas. ence at that place.

last night in "The Sweetest Girl purposes during the year. in Dixie," and they showed their appreciation by unstinted ap- \$82.00 on church \$2.00 and have plause. Miss Slemons appeared on hand now \$142.35 to be used as Barbara Howard "The Girl," and won all hearts just as easily as she did the young man from and several social meetings. the North. Uncle George and These meetings have been well Aunt Calline created no end of attended. fun.-Sacramento Bee. Will be at Ballinger opera honse Sat Nov.

must be considered to be a common carrier, it is claimed by good attorneys. When this view is la taken it throws the sleeping cars open to negroes, The hearing (Post master H. A. Cady orders on the sublect Nov. 27 promises enter vigorous opposition to the Ben Davis and daughter, Miss railroad commission taking juris-

fact that a big reduction in rates

It may become a rule, but we (don't believe it. And when ever the Pullman Company begins to (A bed negroes in the same coach with white people, there is going (to be something doing in Dixie Land. The idea of a big nigger (buck occuping a berth in the same car with ladies. Gee Whiz!

Annual Report.

Of Home Mission Society of the Methodist Church.

Our Home Mission Society consists of thirty members with an average attendance of fifteen. We have fifteen subscribers to the paper, "Our Homes."

A few of our members take part of the reading course. We Col. and Mrs. R. K. Wylie left regret to report that only a few

At the beginning of the Con-\$40,55, for dues etc. making a Theater goers had a rare treat total of \$190.55 raised for all

We have spent on parsonage for local work.

We have held eleven regular

Resp'y submitted Mrs. Robert Lusk, Sec., Mrs. Edwin Day, Treas.,

Raincoats

Ours are more than weather fighting garments of great beauty; made of the most choice material; shaped a full back; in Black Thibets, Unfinished Worsteds and Worsted effects.

Ballinger Dry Goods Company. **19696969696969696**

Look Out for the Lady with a Pillow.

There was a well dressed lady, with a smooth tongue, raffling off a burnt leather sofa pillow, last week at two bits a chance. Over one hundred business men took chances on this pillow. The lady has gone. "Pillow, pillow; who has the pillow?"-San Angelo Press.

Mrs. Dr. Marberry came down from San Angelo Thursday evening to attend the flower show and visit friends.

loss.

Miss Pannie Norman and Mrs. A. L. Burk, of Paint Rock, come over this morning to attend the flower show.

people enjoyed a hop at the opera house Wednesday night. The music was furnished by a string band, and they all report a most pleasant dance.

J. W. Powell this week is settling up the W. F. Richards Estate. Each of the seven heirs to Temple by a telegram Thurs-Mrs, John McMinn is here receiving over \$5000 in land and day to be at the bedside of Herfrom Brownwood to attend the \$2000 in cash to be distributed to man Hart, who the telegram funeral of her sister. Mrs. D. M. to the heirs after paying all debts stated was not expected to live. Baker, and be with the family thus showing W. F. Richards left Mr. Hart is the brother of Mrs. during the sad hours of their about \$40,000 to his children after Sherrill, the lady to whom Rev. paying all debts.

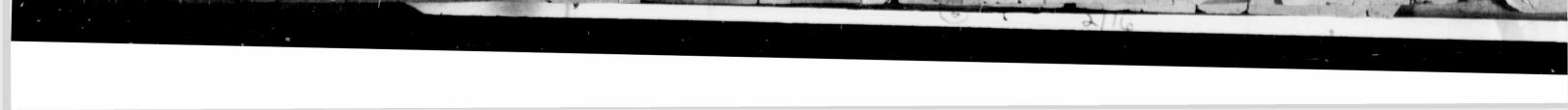
Tresspass Notice.

All parties found hunting, cutting wood, gathering stock or tresspassing in any way on the R. K. or H. C. Wyle ranches will Twelve couple of young society be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. C. A. Doose, Ballinger, Texas. w. 42

> Miss Katie Ray Ward is visiting Miss Lena Gay in San Antonio, this week.

Rev. C. W. Yates was called Yates is to be married next week.

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A "Life **Preserver**'

You can't keep a good man down when "Star" comes his way. Most men take a new lease on the pleasures of life when they get hold of a plug of that rich, juicy chew ---



PLUG CHEWING TOBACCO

"Star" is always the chew that is chosen when a choice is offered. It has quality that no other plug equals — that's why its sales

surpass those of any five

None but the best leaf ever gets under a "Star" tag -the ripe, sweet, leaf that is so elastic and lasting. And because it's the best quality it lasts longest, chews choicest and proves far more economical than other kinds. Buy a plug and see.

> 150,000,000 IOC. pieces sold annually

In All Stores

BACK GIVES OUT. Plenty of Ballinger Readers A pound of good meat and Have This Experience. we have them, a complete stock. Texas. 26 tf. pound of meat and a half-pound of You tax the kidneys-overwork them-

There are some mighty good Democrats in Runnels county; so good and pure in their political ideas that they can't support the nominee wasn't their choice in the primary, notwithstanding their obligation to stay with with the ticket. Oh, consistency, Thou art a jewel.

Conditions were never better for the beginning of a wheat crop in Runnels county. The only trouble so few farmers have their land prepared and so few farmers will plant wheat. Fine season in the ground and good prices should cause you to think.

It's funny how easy the show people find a prosperous town. Ballinger is getting to be a city when it comes to shows-there is something doing all the time, and good shows are well patronized.

Work; well, I guess. There is work for everybody, and more too. If there is any drones they ought to be stung to death.

Rev. Abe Mulkey is holding a revival in Ozona this week. Rev. Mulkey held a meeting here in September.

Did you vote? There is many that didn't.

Mr. H. J. Moogk, the leading druggist of Freeport, Ill., says, "I take pleasure in recommending Hart's-Honey and Horehound. It is a good seller and gives the best of satisfaction to my trade." Readers of this paper may rely upon Harts'

Concho Lumber Co. successor to Humphrey Lumber Co. opposite Court House. tf.

doing business in their new home had improved and was better having moved into the new build- when he left. ing next to the State Bank. The building is not quite completed, but the work will be finished up as soon as the windows come.

Not at cost but forgrain and groceries at a living margin at-M. D. Chastain.

Fresh Vegetables at M. D. Texas who has been visiting her Chastain's, the grocery and grain sister Mrs. J. M. Skinner for a dealer.

Hatten Laxson who is buying day. cotton in Coleman this season, spent Sunday with his Ballinger folks, returning to Coleman Mon day.

Fresh line of good groceries on hand all the time at Miller Mer. Co. Call and see us.

Pickens Butler is with his Ballinger, friends for a few days lay off from his duties on the rail road.

Miller Mercantile Co., are receiving new goods daily, goods put up under the Pure food Law. Try them guaranteed.

If you can't find nothing for dinner phone No. 12. We have just what you want.

Alvis Bros.

sheep from Kansas city by express, first of the week.

Miller Mercantile Co, Agt., Live Oak, and Mill Flour, Cotton Buyer, call and see our Mr. Miller the cotton buyer before you sell,

Max Rucker, the cotton ex-Angelo, Tuesday.

Stop That Cough.

If you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest, don't deiay a moment -cure it. Simmon's Cough Syrup is a ure re medy. It makes you well,

Judge T. T. Crosson returned from Houston, last Saturday, where he had been for week The Ellis Grocery Co., are now with his father. His father

FARM FOR SALE OR TRADE.

Good farm for sale or trade a bargain. See S. P. Hathaway at Lankford & Hathaway's. tf

Mrs, Geo. Price of Georgetown week returned home last Mon-



W. T. Dorsett, of the Norton country, was here Monday, and subscribed for the Banner-Leader.

In Time of Peace.

In the first months of the Russia-Japan w?" we had a striking example 6. the necessity for preparation and the early advantage of those who, so to speak "have shingled their roofs in dry weather." The virtue of preparation has made history J. W. Murry received a fine and given to us our greatest men. The individual as well as the nation should be prepared to successfully combat the first cold you take? A cold can be cured much more quickly when treated as soon as it has been contracted and before it has become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its change man, was down from San cures of colds and it should be kept at hand ready for instant use. For sale by J. Y. Pearce.

> Mrs. S. Mothrel returned to her home in San Marcos, Monday after a visit to her brother, J. N. McKay.

meat and a half-pound of bone; but there are, as you say, a great many people who won't pay more than a certain price by the pound. Give 'em bone; that's right; give 'cm plenty of bone:

There are people who won't pay more than \$1.50 a gallon for paint: give 'em bone!

There's no better school than experence; cost is high; but the lesson is never forgotten.

Let a man paint two houses alike same size; one Devoe, the other that \$1.50 paint. He buys 10 gallons of each, and pays \$3 a day for labor-\$3 a day is \$3 a gallon, easier reckoning. He has to buy two gallons more of the \$1.50 paint; and has two gallons left of Devoe; 12 gallons \$1.50, \$18; 1 gallons \$2.75; \$14; \$4 more for "cheap" paint.

He pays \$3 a gallon for painting; gallons \$24; 1. gallons \$36; \$12 more for painting "cheap" paint

He'll buy the less-gallons paint after that. If people are slow to learn, it's because they are slow to learn, it's because they keep-on buying bone meat. Give 'em plenty of bone.

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



cwa hair? Can't do it? Haven't enough hair? It must be you do not know Ayer's Hair Vigor! Here's an introduction! May the acquaintance result in a heavy growth of rich, thick, glossy hair! And we know you'll never be gray.

" I think that Ayer's Hair Vigor is the most wonderful hair grower that was ever made. I have used it for some time and I can truth-fully say that I am greatly pleased with it. I cheerfully recommend it as a splendid prepa-ration." - MISS V. BROCK, Wayland, Mich.



Coffee Sold by Godwin Gro., Co. top price. Alvis Bros.

They can't keep up the continual strain.

The back gives out-it aches and pains:

Urinary troubles set in. Don't wait longer-take Doan's Kidney Pills.

W. F. Stevens, who lived in and about Gainesville, for over twenty years, last at 1210 Lindsay St., now a resident of Roanoke, Ind., recommends Doan's Kidney Pills as follows: "For several years while residing in Gainesville and the vicinity. I had kidney complaint, backache and pain in the loins, often so severe that I was forced to stop. work. There was added to it trouble with the kidney secretions. They were unnatural in appearence and irregular and despite the fact that I was continually using medicine which came to my notice from reading and other sources, I was unable to check the cause, let alone remove it. The last remedy I tried was Doan's Kidney Pills. The benefit I derived was great. They relieved the pains and cleansed the kidneys, so that the secretions from these organs became normal." For sale by all dealers Price 50 cents Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo New York, sole agents for the Unlted States Remember the name-Doansand take no other.

Jno. A. Weeks, wife and little girl spent last Sunday with Mrs. Week's parents in Coleman.

Try a sack of White Billows Flour. Its the best the market affords. We have the flour you want. J. B. Alvis & Bro.

Mrs. J. M. Skinner went down to Lampasas last Monday on a visit to relatives.

We want to buy your eggs, Have you tried Golden Gate chickens, etc, will pay you the soap 25 cents at M. D. Chastains.

Honey and Horehound possessing more than ordinary merit for the cure of Coughs and Colds went a druggist such as Mr. Moogk recommends it. 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 bottles. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

My pastures near Wingate are posted, and I wish to notify all parties that I will prosecute any one found trespassing on same for any purpose, hunting, cutting wood, gathering stock, camping. or trespassing in any way. Please take notice and stay out. 3 mos.G. G. Odom.

Good Suggestions.

Common salt should be eaten with nuts to aid digestion; Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrup should be be used for a certain cure of constipation and Biliousness. 25c 50c, and \$1.00 bottles sold by Walker Drug Co.

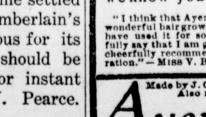
Seligman and Schertz Lands.

The Giesecke-Bennett Company are Sole Agents for the Seligmann & Schertz Lands at Wingate; the Nelson Lands at Mazeland; the Baggs Lands at Norton; the Timmerman & Plattow Lands at Rowena; the Lewis Lands at Winters and the Norton Lands in Runnels, Concho and Coke counties.

All of these lands are on the market, in small tracts at market value, with small cash payments and balance on long time, at low rate of interest. We also represent numbers of smaller nonresident and local land owners. List your land with us for sale; we furnish Abstract of Title. free.

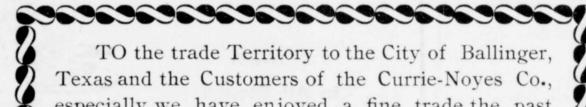
Giesecke-Bennett Co. tf.

"Go you one better" 15 bars 52 tf.





The Great Removal Sale OF THE Currie-Noyes Co., Ballinger, Texas.



stock of Dry Goods and Groceries. The facts are that we never do anything unless we have a good

motive in so doing. We have purchased the lots on the right of way on the corner near what is known as the Katy Hotel and will now soon begin to construct a building that will be our home for the future for this reason as one we will close this stock out and give our trade and the trade in general the benefit of same rather than move same to our new quarters. This is no fake sale but a genuine money saver to all parties who take the advantage of same in purchasing these Fall supplies. Our stock is now full and complete in every department, do not fail to take advantage of same, we will make no prices in this notice but have a well selected crew of sales Ladies and Gentlemen who have in their possession a tomahawk with full instructions to cut the price down to the bottom. Come and see us, spend your money with us and when your money has played out we will take care of you.

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Yours For More Business THE CURRIE-NOYES CO. J. F. Gurrie General Mgr.



No. 2 Folding Brownie

Price,

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A wonderfully capable and accurate camera built on the Kodak plan. Good enough to satisfy experienced photographers, yet so simple that children can use it.

PICTURES 2¹/₄ x 3¹/₄ inches. Loads in daylight with film Cartridges.

Fitted with meniscus lens, and shutter with iris diaphragm stops.

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> > EASTMAN KODAK CO., Rochester, N.Y.

A NATURAL LAXATIVE Druggists Report Enormous Sales of SAL-TE-NA Effervescing Fruit Seltzer.

A "Mcney Back" Cure For Constipation.

Our readers will be interested in the recent new discovery known as SAL-TE-NA, an Effervescing Fruit Seltzer that cures Headaches and Constipation.

SAL-TE-NA is a Natural Laxative that gives positive results in one hour, without gripin, and it is entirely free from the dangerous coal tar products so widely used in headache tablets and powders.

SAL-TE-NA is composed of natural Fruit Acids and Phosphate of Soda.

No physician of standing would endorse a remedy that depresses the heart's action, and that's just exactly the effect of many headache tablets and powders.

SAL-TE-NA is recommended by the best physicians in this country, because it does its work quickly and without injury.

drug stores everywhere.

results will prove its merit. It is a "money back" remedy a man exists.

and druggists are authorized to refund the purchase price if it rado, writes: "For many years color and had so advertised; that fails to give relief.

Nearly all the society women of Long Island who take long

Advertised Letter List.

Alexander F. L. Cooley Mr. (Farmer) Viola Collins Currie Mrs. Birtie Ferguson S. L. Garner J, K. Haygood R. Hancock Mrs. C. T. Hubert James **Keence Miss Jessie** King Miss Mamie Longs Albert S. Matthews Wilburn May Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Montieth Mrs. Ned Moore Mrs. Euda Moore Mrs Mattie Roberts R. **Roberts Gus** Rogers C E Shore Rev S T Spencer W A Stone W H Windham S A White Ed Thompson Mattie Taylor Telitha Taylor J. R. Speals John

Always wasSick.

SAL-TE-NA is sold in 25 and was sick-troubled with a cough have a diamond in its craw; the 50 cent bottles by all up-to-date that lasted all winter-what finder told of it, and C. P. Ken-Get a bottle and try it and the -he never was sick since using His contention was that while he

For sale by Walker Drug Co. cough that would last all winter en is undoubtedly his, and he This cough left me in a miserable wants it.

condition. I tried Ballard's Horehound Syrup and have not had a sick day since. That's what it

cause more deaths to cattle and

hogs than any other disease.

REV. YATES TO MARRY.

We are in receipt of an invitaion that read as follows:

"The honor of your presence is requested at the marriage of Mrs. Mary Hart Sherrill to Rev. Callin W. Yates Thursday morning. November fifteenth, ninteen hundred and six, at eleven-thirty o'clock, Cumberland Presbyterian Church, McKenzie, Tennessee. At home to friends after November twentieth, San Angelo, Texas. Mrs. Sherrill is the widow of a deceased president of a very prominent college, and is known as a refined and cultured lady, and is prominent among the educational workers. Rev. Yates is to be congratulated in his capture. Ballinger people know Rev. Yates to be an able and spirtual preacher, and worthy the hand of any good lady.

A PECULIAR CASE.

(Houston Post Special.)

Ennis, Texas, November 3.-At Sterling City a case is to be called Monday that is somewhat out of the ordinary. Some time since a chicken killed on a ranch When a man says he always in Sterling county was found to would you think if he should say dall of Ennis set up claim to it. Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Such was living on the ranch some months previously he had lost a Mr. J. C. Clark, Denver Colo- diamond of similar weight and I was troubled with a severe the stone picked up by the chick-

Barber Pole Agent of Lad's Death. Ft. Worth, Nov. 2.-A barber pole that had been removed by it's owner from the front of his Tuberculosis is said by the shop to prevent a Hallowe'en prank caused the death of a little boy in North Fort Worth this morning. Frank Stripling carried his sign in to prevent the spooks from getting it Wednesday night and did not fasten it securely when it was replaced. His 4 year-old son, Lee, was playing near it today when it fell striking his head and causing death within five minutes.

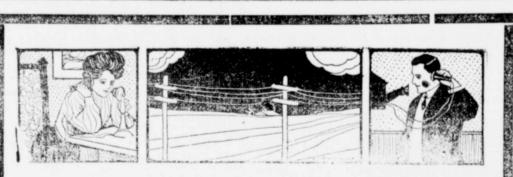
Sole Agents Walker Drug Co.

At Ballinger November 14.



jaunts into the country carry did for me." Sold by J. Y. Pearce revolvers to protect themselves from hobores. Most of these women are said to be experts with a gun. bureau of animal industry to

If its fresh, we have it. Alvis Bros.



Call Us Up

Day times for anything you want in the Drug Line and we will send it to you. Call us up day or night times for

New Or Duplicated Prescriptions

and we will promptly execute your order. Our prescriptions follow the Doctor's instructions and we never substitute. Others do, but they don't say so. Our prescriptions are compounded from pure fresh drugs.

The Walker Drug COMPANY (Druggist For The People)

Woman Expresses her Husband.

A German woman and her husband wished to come to the U.S. but had not enough money to pay the passage of both so the woman being hearty and strong came first and after making enough money sent for "hubby" and after he reached Baltimore ordered him forwarded from there by express. Hans was tagged and started but was lost on the way. Now, there is great grief for the missing man by wifey and a very disgusted express company. And the Company is liable to have a big damage suit on hands for the loss.

BIG LAND DEAL.

It is learned on good authority that W. H. Fund, of Stiles has, just sold his model ranch for \$20/ 160 to J. H. Wilke of Ballinger. The deal was sprung by Parker Ford & Shamblin, the real estate dealers of Stiles, and was closed by long distang telephone Uncle Sam being entirely too slow with his mail pouch for the Stiles people.-San Angelo Standard.

Cut this out and take it to J. Y. Pearce's drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For biliousness and constipation they are unequaled. They improve the appetite, strengthen the di-gestion and regulate the liver and bowels.



WINTERS DOTS.

Dock Vancil a prominent stock man of Hatchell passed through FLOUR MILL, capacity 150 bbls the city this week with a nice two steel elevator storage tanks bunch of Hereford yearlings.

F. L. Chapman of Ballinger plant of 75 bbls. Erected five was in the city last week visithis father, Henry Chapman of this place.

Ed. Stone returned from Ballinger this week and is spending a few more days in our city, then he will return to his home in Garden city.

C. C. Cooper informs us that he will have two professional skaters out here on Mondav Nov. 5th, Messrs. Norman, of Abilene and Underwood of Ballinger will show you how to skate.

The cashier of the bank says he has 55 thousand dollars on deposit now. How is that for a old? The people here make the money that's the reason he has he gets one hundred thousand to the farmers orders.

There was a bale of cotton on are two lines of railway and anthe Ballinger road that was other soon to be in operation lost off a freight wagon several through this town, Excellent days ago. Despite the good reasons will be given for selling price cotton is bringing it is as and same will be sold for cash safe as it would be in a bonded and deferred payments, or exwarehouse. Every thing is safe changed for other property such here except a lassie of about 16 as West Texas lannds.-Call on summers. The time of the year or address, William L. White is now at hand when they are 2tf. liable to be stolen, with this exception, everything is safe, so look out Paps.-Enterprise.

000. has been expended on same, making it in first-class condition inside and out. Plansifter Sys- ing card. tem, Barnard & Lee machinery brick building for engine, boiler horse power boiler, placed in two years ago. 70-horsepower Bates

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

Carlina engine, Northern Dynmodern improvement in any flour mill in the world. Has 12.000

gal steel storage fuel oil tank, and 40 feet well of water. This mill is situated in town of 15,00 North Texas, and is in operation every day, with established line populated territory surrounding large part of the output. There

Lancaster Texas

A fellow tells that he went to a neighboring town, since that town went "dry" and was unable to get a drink. He asked a said: "The only place to get good price.

First Monday and Big Crowd.

The rain last Sunday checked A MODERN UP-TO-DATE cotton picking and other field work, and all the boys were in town taking in the first Monday of 40,000 bu. capacity, Corn Meal hurrah. It was perhaps the largest crowd that has been here years ago, and since built, \$10,on public sales day since this business feature become a draw-

As usual, the crowd was a Alsop Flour Bleacher, Brick base- lively one, and turned loose conment. 3 story frame. Separate siderable small change, mostly with the saloons. There was, and fuel house. Erie City 120- quite a lot of trading among the horse swappers, and a few public sales, but the stock changing hands was mostly of a character amo of 50 lights. In fact, every that classed as "scrub," and of course brought scrubby prices. The days doings was featured

by broncho "busting" and attracted the attention of the East Texas crowd, which, by the way country bank about one month inhabitants in wheat belt of number many, the woods being full of cotton pickers, new comers who have only been here a so much. Watch see how soon of patronage. Has a densely few weeks. The day passed off very peaceably and despite the of idle cash with % of it subject it, and local traffic consumes a extravagant drinking that prevailed, there was little for Sheriff Kirk and his deputies to do.

> W. W. McGinnis has sold his transfer business to C. B. Armstrong and will move to Sweetwater where he will be engaged in some business. Mr. Armstrong took charge of the business on the first of this month. Mr. McGinnis wili not move for some time yet, as he wants to collect and settle up all accounts.

Henry King was in from the Wingate county Monday. He citizen about it and the citizen sold a pair of horses for a pretty



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New Hardware

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Rock Island Plows, Gasoline Engines,

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difficulty in detecting it. Many a child has died from constipation, or illness arising from it, when it might have been saved by the timely use of

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin This is the greatest remedy known for

correcting constipated conditions. Don't wait until your child is affected,

but administer a dose of the medicine occasionally. You will notice a perceptible change for the better, a healthy color and a

livelier disposition. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a good

thing to have in the house, because it is good for the whole family. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin can be

obtained in both dollar and half-dollar sizes from all druggists.

Your money will be refunded if it does not benefit you.

Your postal card request will bring by return mail our new Focklet, "DR. CALDWELL'S BOOK OF WONDERS" and free sample to those who have never tried this wonderful remedy. Mothers write today.

PEPSIN SYRUP CO. Monticello, Illinois

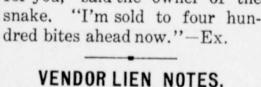
M. C. Cobb spent last Sunday with home folks.

Sells More of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy than of All Others Put Together.

Mr. Thos. George, a merchant at Mt. Elgin, Ontario, says: "I have had the local agency for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ever since it was introduced into Canada, and I sell as much of it as I do of all other lines I have on my shelves put together. Of the many dozens sold under guarantee, I have not had one bottle ment with colic cures and other returned. I can personally recommend this medicine as I have used it myself and given it to my children and always with the best results." For sale by J. Y. Pearce.

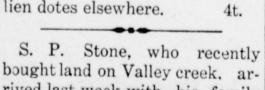
went to the drug store, but the condition adruggist said he could only sell mong children as it is it in case of snakebite. "Where with their can I find a snake," the fellow The condiinquired. The druggist said a tion is far more likely man kept one over on the next to reach an street. He went over and saw acute stage, the man. "I can't do anything develop seriously with the for you," said the owner of the little folks, because of the

just as a drink is at a drug store." He



Bought, sold and negotiated

your interest to figure with him before disposing of your vendor wonderful 4t.



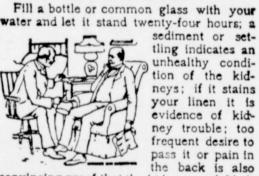
rived last week with his family and household goods from Hill county. Mr. Stone has rented the Humphrey place and will live in town. He is highly pleased with Runnels County, and says that forr or five families will arrive from Hill county within the next few weeks to locate in this Court House. county.

There is no Reason.

why your baby should be thin and fretful during the night. Worms are the cause of thin sickly babies. It is natural that a healthy baby should be fat and sleep well. If your baby does not retain its food, dont experimedicine, but try a bottle of white's Cream Vermifuge, and you will soon see your baby have color and laugh as it should. Sold by J. Y. Pearce.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know it.

How To Find Out.



convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What to Do. There is comfort in the knowledge so by and through the LAND MOR- Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-TGAGE DEPARTMT of the wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver. bladder and every part BALLINGER STATE BANK & of the urinary passage. It corrects inability TRUST CO. If you have any to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, thing to offer in this line, apply wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant to CHAS. S. MILLER, President necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times who specially supervises this de- during the night. The mild and the extrapartment of the bank's business ordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonand he will be glad at any time derful cures of the most distressing cases. to wait on you. It will be to If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and \$1. sizes. You may have a sample bottle of this

discovery and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Home of Swamp-Root. Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N.Y., on every bottle.

CEDAR FOST CEDAR POST we have them, a complete stock, Concho Lumber Co. successor to Humphrey Lumber Co. opposite Court House. tf.

Mrs. S. N. Hampton and son, Roy returned to their home in Tennessee, Monday after a visit to the family of J. C. Lynn. They will move to this country in about two months.

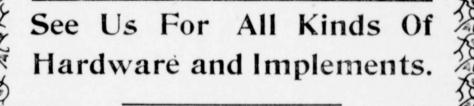
Might Have Been.

When Shakespeare said: "Aye, there is the rub," we do not know for certain he was thinking of the itch. But one thing we do know-and know it twenty years' worth-Hunt's Cure will absolutely, infallibly and immediately cure any itching trouble that ever happened to the human cuticle. It's guaranteed.

Repeater Planters, Star Wind Mills, Lone Star Cultivators

New Stoughton Wagons,

K. C. Buggies and Hacks.



Jones, Walton & Co.

BORN.

1st a boy.

Nov., 4th, a girl.

To Jas. W. Dodd and wife on Nov. 4th, a boy.

Missouri Milling Co., Ballinger. Texas.

Rev. L. Overman. of the Norton country went to Waco Tuesday to attend the Baptist Convention.

CEDAR POST CEDAR POST we have them, a complete stock. fore going to bed, and a speedy Concho Lumber Co. successor to Humphrey Lumber Co. opposite invaluable for sore nipples, itchtf.

Certainly Fair.

Of all troubles humanity is subject to none perhaps causes more acute distress and more frantic efforts for relief thafi many forms of itching skin troubles. We will tell you a remedy that rarely ever fails-Hunt's Cure. One box only is absolutely guaranteed to cure any one case of itching trouble -no matter the name. If it fails, ing a hunt. your money is cheerfully refunded.

Rev. L. W. Russell went to Waco, Monday to attend the convention of the Baptist church.

We will soon be in our new home. Alvis Bros.

W. A. Talley, the laundry man, To Foy Davis and wife on Nov. in company with Pete Laxson and Will Jackson, went out to To J. R. Edwards and wife the Parramore pasture with a bunch of gray hounds for a little wolf chase, Monday. They only jumped two Coyotes, but landed both of them, and report that Get your seed wheat from the they were well paid for their trip with the sport they had after these two.

Chapped Hands.

Wash your hands with warm water, dry with a towel and apply Chamberlain's Salve just becure is certain. This salve is also ing piles and skin diseases. For sale by J. Y. Pearce.

Try some of our New England Bread sold by.

Godwwin Grocery Co.

The Banks were closed on account of legal holiday, Tuesday, and the entire forces were enjoy-

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Gang Af't Aglee Etc.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Ledger, gave but a modest version of the Democratic meeting at the court house on Saturday evening last. From the columns of our honored competitor, one would hardly get at the real merits of that interesting occasion.

Democrats had met there in the crats to scratch the nominee of interest of the party. when it be- their party. came noised about that a gang of If wrong has been done, we sore heads, headed by the editor say rebuke and chastise the men of the Ledger, proposed to in- who have aggrieved and not arvade the meeting and pass a lot raign and assail the old party and

Mr. Truly however persisting, came forward, read his resolutions and arose to the occasion with a speech advocating their passage, "Times have changed," said he. "We must rebuke them," Selah, etc. Yea, verily, times have indeed changed, and and men with them. How inconsistent. how utter ridiculous and absurd it seemed, for Demo-It seems that a number of crats, appealing to fellow Demo-

of resolutions adverse to party strive thus to create defection. per mile of completed standard gauge railroad at any time own-

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interests, telling folks how to It is the bird of evil omen that vote. Sure enough they appear- befouls its own nest.

ed. Our brother, who prides Mr. Truly said he was satisfied himself on being the editor of a the resolutions would pass, when democratic sheet and says that again Judge Guion besought them he "yields to no man in fealty to to pause and reflect, and we know his party," accompanied by his his advice was, as seed sown in trenchant quill driver, who by bad ground.

the way, is secretary of the At this time C. F. Dickinson Democratic Executive Committee was called and along the same of Runnels County, with a string lines he conjured his friends to of caustic and scathing vituper- stay the patricidal hand and ation, in shape of resolutions, up not thus stab and smite the old their sleaves, and what for? The party and told them how it would mission of these people, the bur- sound away from home. At den of whose song on others this juncture Capt. Towner arose had been "dirty work," corrupt and moved the house to adjourn politics, etc., was, forsooth, to then and there. The effect was arraign and assail the party, and electrical and tumultuous as that on the momentous eve of the they waited for no second, but election, and advise Democrats with hearty cheers and applause 1906; the minutes of the proceedto scratch the ticket.

Shades of Jefferson, give us a ocratic (?) friends with their rest! resolutions sitting behind the

Judge Stone responded to calls rostrum, so to speak, "with the Abilene & Northern Railway Co. and entertained the crowd with bag to hold." a short but eloquent and earnest In truth, times have changed,

speech, replete with sound Demo- but thank God the old Democracratic doctrine and wise suggest- tic party, the last refuge and ions. He was followed by that hope of a free people, has not sturdy, honored and worthy changed. young son of Democracy, John F. Maddox, who in a stirring address plainly told his friends where he stood and expected to stand. This unexpected contratemps kind 'o shocked the wind their way in the workings of butter and eggs at M. D. Chasin some of their sails. political schemes.

Judge Jno. I. Guion, that old Far on down the dim gloom of Democratic War Horse, was now time, we behold with a prophets, ushered to the front and like a ken, the consummation of its misgladiator of old, he entered the sion and its glorious destiny, the arena. He looked upon the ex- triumphant realization of its pected action of his friends, as a blessings to our people, because serious matter and so plainly told its need and principles are imthem. He seemed to be fully on mutable, and will live forever. to their scheme and told them to bring forth to light their resolutions and earnestly protested Flour and you will have no other that none but democrats be per-Sold by Godwin Gro. Co. tf. mitted to sign or vote on their

passage. His fervid, earnest and th political axioms and a month. ed by said Company, said bonds to be pavable in gold coin at a time not exceeding thirty years from their date, and to bear interest at 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually; and for

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