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ADWANCE SHOWING OF

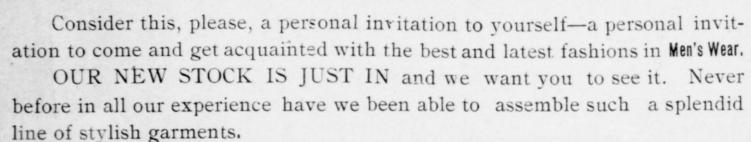
FALL AND WINTER STYLES

INCLUDING

Steinbloch Smart Clothes

Schloss Bros. & Co.'s FAMOUS

CORRECT CLOTHES for GENTLEMEN



STEINBLOCH SMART CLOTHES AND

SCHLOSS BROS. FAMOUS CLOTHES

These are without the slightest shadow of a doubt the best lines of clothing e in the world. EVERY SUIT FITS WITHOUT A WRINKLE WHEN YOU FIRST PUT IT ON, AND FITS JUT A WRINKLE WHEN YOU PUT IT AWAY WORN OUT. How many suits have you had od that test?

> We ask nothing better than to prove what we say. Come in and let us show you. YOU ARE AS WELCOME TO LOOK AS TO BUY.

R. A. Risser & Go., Ballinger, Tex.



BUBLES BURST AND "REDUCTION SALES" THAT ARE NOT GENUINE REDUCTION SALES DON'T LAST LONG. IF YOU HAVE NOTICED OUR FRONT DOOR YOU HAVE SEEN MANY PEOPLE GOING AWAY WITH BIGFAT BUNDLES UNDER THEIR ARMS. THIS MEANS THAT THEY FIND THINGS IN OUR STORE THEY WOULD RATHER HAVE THAN THEIR MONEY, AND IT MEANS THAT THOSE WHO COME TO OUR STORE FIND THAT WE BACK UP WITH OUR GOODS WHAT WE SAY ON PAPER.

Winkler Dry Goods Com'ny

BANNER-LEADER

City Ordinance.

An ordinance creating and establishing the office of City Sacvenger of the City of Ballinger, prescribing duties and compensation; providing rules and regulations pertaining to sanitary work in the City of Ballinger, and providing penalties for the violation of the same.

"Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Ballinger.' Sec. 1.—There is hereby created and established the office of City Scavenger of the City of Ballinger, which office shall be filled by appointment of the City Council at its first regular meeting in the Month of May of each year, or at such convenient time thereafter; a city scavenger so appointed shall hold his office for one year and until the appointment and qualification of his successor. The City Scavenger may be removed from office by the City Council at any time and for any cause that may seem sufficent to the Council; and in case of removal of said officer, his death or resignation his successor shall be appointed by the City Council to fill the unexpired term.

Sec. 2-The City Scavenger shall before entering upon the duties of his office file with the City Secretary a good and sufficient bond in the penal sum of \$100.00, with two or more good and sufficient sureties, said bond to be approved by the City Council, and payable to the Mayor and his successors in office, and

oughly clean up every public from the Ballinger papers, public dumping grounds; he shall week, when a committee was remove to the public dumping appointed and the count made. grounds all dead animals and Following is a full count of all fowls that may be found in any the contestants: street or alley of the City without K. V. Northington, charge to the City.

Sec. 4.—It shall be the further duty of the City Scavenger to cleanse and remove all excretions and matter therefrom to the Dumping Grounds, each and every privy or closet in the City of Ballinger as follows:-He shall one time every month clean and remove all excretions and matter from all privies and closets erected and used at private residences; he shall one time every two weeks cleanse and remove all excretions and matter from all privies or closets erected and used for the convenience of business houses, business offices, public or private schools, shops or factories, or other business or industrial establishments.

Sec. 5. - Every person, persons, firm or corporation owning, contrial or business establishment of Hatchell, gets second. shall pay to the City Scavenger the sum of 25 cents each time said privy or closet is cleaned by the City Scavenger.

for any person or persons, ex- Apply at Banner-Leader office. night,

cept the duly appointed and qualified City Scavenger and his employees, to remove the contents of any privy or closet situated within the City, and haul or convey the same along or through the alleys, streets and public thoroughfares of the City of Ballinger. Provided that it shall be unlawful for the City Scavenger. or any of his employes, to haul along or through any of the streets alleys or thorougfares of the City, the contents of any privy or closet, except between the hours of 8 o'clock p. m. and 5 o'clock a. m., or to deposit or leave the same at any other place than the public dumping grounds as designated by the City Council for the deposit of such filth or refuse.

Sec. 7.—Any person, persons firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of the foregoing sections of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding Twenty Five Dol lars. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 8.—The rule calling for a second and third reading shall be and is hereby suspended and this ordinance shall take effect immediately after publication.

Approved this 26th day ; ept.

John Hoffer, Mayor Attest J. R. Lusk, City Secy.

Buster Brown Contest Closes.

conditioned for the faithful per- The Buster Brown Contest, are here to give them the news. formance or the duties of his in which the Winkler Dry Goods Co. gives premiums to the boy or Sec. 3.—It shall be the duty girl cutting the largest number of the City Scavenger to thor- of Buster Brown advertisments street and alley of the business closed on the first of September. portion of the City at least one on account of Mr. Winkler being time every week; and haul there- absent from town the counting from all trash and garbage to the did not take place until this

Myrtle Armstrong, R. Drew, Brendon Wilke, Eva Brown, Nannie Moris, Donis Pagles, Sallie King, Dorsey Rampy, Ola Wood, J. L. Scale, Millard Worsham, Lydis Blackwood, Lunner Gill, Ludie Reese, Dessie Crable, Lillie Parrish. Blacnhe Mason, Wm. Nunn, Blanche Bailey, Boyd Ransberger, Minnie Burk, Vera Paterson,

Joe Davis, trolling or using any privy or A prize of \$5 for the first, and Throughout five games merricloset erected or used at a pri- \$2.50 for the second for the two ment reighed supreme, the bidvate residence shall pay to the highest in Ballinger, and a prize ding ran high, and some won-City Scavenger the sum of 25 of \$5 for the first and \$2.50 for derful averages were made. cents for each time said closet is second for the two highest At the close of the contest a cleaned by the said Scavenger; living outside of Ballinger was delicious salad course was served, and every person, persons, firm or offered, and from the above after which the guests took their corporation owning, controlling count the premiums go to K. V. leave with many expressions to or using any privy or closet erect- Northington for the first and their charming hostess for the ed and used for the convenience Nannie Morris for the second in pleasant afternoon given them. of any business house, business Ballinger and outside of Ballinoffice, public or private school, ger Vera Patterson, of Norton, shop or factory, or other indus- gets first premium and Joe Davis

CITY COUNCIL

Pass Sanitary Ordinance and Award City Printing to the Banner-Leader. Read the Leader for - the City News.

The City Council met Thursday morning for the purpose of passing a sanitary ordinance and passing on bids for the city printing, publishing of ordinance delinquent tax list, etc. The sanitary ordinance was passed and is found elsewhere in this paper. The bids for the city printing were opened, and the Banner-Leader's bid found to be more liberal and favorable to the council, and this paper was unanimously adopted as the official organ of the City of Ballinger. All city laws which carry a penalty, and which are of interest to the citizens of the town, will be published in the Leader as passed. If you do not read the Leader you had better subscribe and keep yourself posted, and in this way not lay yourself liable to punishment by violating some of the city laws.

The Leader secured this printing a bid considerable under regular advertising rates, but it is a class of matter that we had rather have at a very low rate than not to have at all, for it is a news feature and of particular interest to our readers, and we

BITTEN BY A RATTLER

The seven year old son of W. R. Sneed and wife was bitten by a Rattle snake, Wednesday eve, Thursday noon was reported in very dangerous condition.

The mother killed the snake but did not know what to do for the child. The doctor did not reach the child until 4 hours after it was bitten in which time the poison had taken effect to an alarming extent.-Santa Anna News.

J. A. O. Club

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At her cozy home on 10th 218 street Mrs. Cal Kirk was hostess 32 to the above social organization, 22 last Friday afternoon, from 4 to 12 7 o'clock.

31 The J. A. O's always prove 13 loyal to their hostess, and the 35 previous down pour of rain in no 17 way daunted their courage for a 25 large number of the members 52 were present and also several 51 invited guests.

82 Progressive forty-two formed 98 the interesting diversion for the 55 afternoons pleasure.

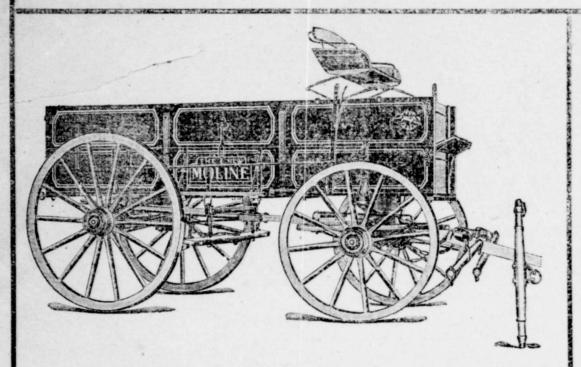
46 Swastick designs in blue and 77 gold served as score cards and 291 thus the Indians good-luck em-110. blem aided each participant.

Services will be held at the Court House Sunday. You are cordially invited to attend.

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. To buy a good second hand Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Preach-Sec. 6. -It shall be unlawful buggy, open top and cheap, ing at 4:30 p. m. No services at

OUR HANDSOME NEW HOME

You'll find us just across the street from our old stand with the largest store in Ballinger, designed and built especeally for us Of course, the goods we had on hand did not begin to fill this new store, but with the New Goods added we have the Largest Stock ever displayed in one building in this section of Texas. We extend to the public a hearty invitation to visit us and let us show you thru our new home and show you the many goods we are offering at



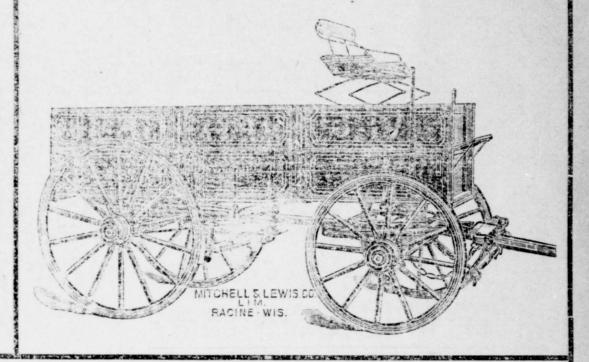
Save The Cost

On First Price.

When you buy a Wagon get

one that will stand the load.

HERE ARE TWO OF THE BEST MADE. AND WE GUARANTEE THEM IN EVERY RESPECT. INSPECT OUR WAGONS AND BUGGIES BEFORE YOU BUY.



New Clothing, Dry Goods, Hats, Shoes, just received Big line of Hardware opened up in our new home. Furniture and House Furnishing Goods-All New. and bought cheap. We sell it cheap. We have more things than we can tell you of in this space. CALL AND SEE; YOU WILL BE SURPRISED.

WE SELL EVERYTHING AND LUMBER.

For Sale.

16.60

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style.

Twentieth Century Pressing Co. Ballinger, Texas.

came in from Tennessee last Sat- of Menardville, are visiting Mr. urday. Miss Mable has been and Mrs. C. C. Schuchard, Mrs. spending the summer there with Tipton's parents. her grand mother, and Tom has been at Norfolk, Va., where he held a position during the vaca-

Notice to Stockmen.

Suit of misfit clothing, at one I will be in Ballinger Friday bring them in.

> C. S. Jackson Veterinary Surgeon. a good school.

Miss Mabel and Tom Fowler Mrs. Tipton and two little boys,

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schuchard tion season. He left Monday for returned from a trip to Menard-Austin to enter the State Univer- ville, last Sunday. Their son Edwin returned with them.

New Home Rambles.

The good trustees of this half of original cost, nice all wool and Saturday, Sept 20th and 21st place had the school house ceiled black suit, made in the latest If your horses needs treating and otherwise repared which was badly needed preparing for y Ballinger Lumber Co. the winter school; hope it will be

> Mr. and Mrs. John Wiley spent Sunday with I. F. Watson and family.

commenced picking which will be a quick job as there is not a good cotton crop in this community this year.

Mrs. Jones of Ballinger spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Tindall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Medley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs R. B. Ingle.

Floyd Turpin had a new visitor Saturday night. It was a Mr. Opossom which he found on the dining table, he mistook it for his cat and slapped it on the back. but it was rather quick and bit him on the wrist. Floyd screamed for his wife to bring the gun and light the lamp, which she done as quick as she could, but was'nt quick enough for Floyd as he was scared so bad he couldnt run but he was able to kill his new visitor and reported a nice dinner Sunday.

John Barnett and family spent last week with relatives in Coleman county.

Sunday with Mr. Huddleston and family.

Miss Emma Brister spent Satur- have more weight than any amount of day with P. W. Hinson and family, and Sunday with Pink Craig and family. Mand family.

Claud Burns spent last week with his sister Mrs. Norris.

The ice cream supper given by afford to accept as a substitute for one of these medicines of known composition, any secret nostrum. was greatly enjoyed.

Rose Bud.

Paint Your Buggy for 75

to \$1.00 with Devoe's Gloss Carriage Paint. It weigh 3 to 8 ozs. more to the pint than others, wears longer and gives a gloss equal to new work. Sold

Hugo Miller went to Austin Tuesday, and will spend another year in the State University.

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

> Col. J. L. Morgan, bookkeeper for the Walker Drug Co., is in Mineral Wells for the benefit of O. Harris and Judge W. E. Sayle a few days rest and recreation. visited San Angelo Tuesday

What Do They Cure?

The above question is often asked concerning Dr. Pierce's two leading medicines, "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Favorite Prescription."

The answer is that "Golden Medical

blood-purifier, and tonic or invigorator and acts especially favorably in a curative way upon all the mucous lining surfaces, as of the nasal passages, throat, bronchial tubes, stomach, bowels and bladder, curing a large per cent. of catarrhal cases whether the disease affects the nasal passages, the throat, larynx, bronchia, stomach (as catarrhal dyspepsia), bowels (as murous darrha), bladder, uterus or other pelvic organs. Even in the chronic or ulcerative stages of these affections, it is often successful in affecting cures.

ing tonic and nervine. For weak worn out, over-worked women-no matter what has caused the break-down, "Favorite Prescription "will be found most effective the womanly functions, subduing pain

A book of particulars wraps each bottle giving the formulæ of both medicines and J. M. Cox and family spent ical authors, whose works are consulted by physicians of all the schools of practice amily.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brister and liss Emma Brister spent. Setup.

forming drugs, being composed of glyceric extracts of the roots of native, American medicinal forest plants. They are both sold by dealers in medicine. You can't

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. General Robert E. Lee

Liniment. Quickly cures all the son of Mr. and Mrs, C. C. F. all. T. H. Pointer, Hempstead, had been seriously hurt. It

Judge B. B. Stone, Judge C. night and were initiated into the mysteries of the Elk Lodge. We ton, Tuesday, and will study understand that there is some pharmacy in the State Medical twenty-five or thirty, or prob- school at that place. ably more Elks here, and that all is necessary for an order to be organized here is for the boys to ways has money. Put some of get together, get their charter your money in the Citizens Natand go to work. Do this boys tonal Bank of Ballinger and you

Former Ballinger Boy Hurt.

was the greatest General the News was received here first world has ever known. Ballard's of the week from Amarillo to Snow Liniment is the greatest the effect that Guion Blanchard, pains. It is within the reach of Blanchard, formerly of Ballinger Texas writes: "This is to certi- seems that Guion was playing fy that Ballard's Snow Liniment with some other children and in has been used in my household jumping from a swing he susfor years and has been found to tained a bad break of the leg, be an excellent Liniment for and the doctor expressed the Rheumatic pains. I am never opinion that it would probably without it." Sold by J. Y. cripple him for life. The friends of the family in Ballinger trust that the break will not result in anything bad.

Bryce Bowdon went to Galves-

A rich man is the man who aland quit supporting San Angelo will begin to be rich right away.

A COMPLETE LINE

OF

Staple and Fancy Groceries and all seasonable articles car be found at

Dornberger & Hopkinson

The up-to-date Grocers

Phone 107

That we sell Groceries, Ranch and Farm supplies cheaper than any house in Ballinger.

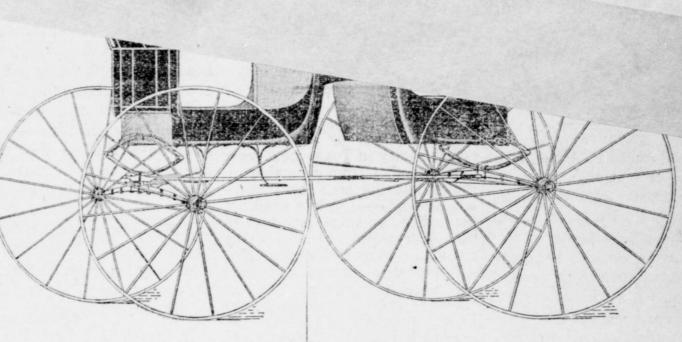
Years Experience

We have had years of exeperience in the grocery, business and know how to buy so we can sell right. A month's tryal will convince you.

We Need Money?

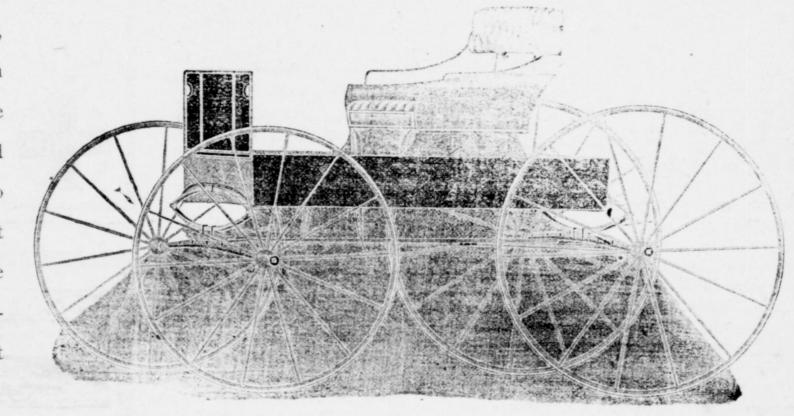
DO YOU NEED A BUGGY?

On account of being over sections considering the dry time and short crops, and the race that money will not be so plentiful, we have decided to do something that we never did before during our fifteen years in business in Ballinger. We have cut the profit price from every buggy, surry, hack, and all vehicles we have in stock and put on a Special Sale in this line, and now offer you anything in our Buggy line at



ACTUAL GOST.

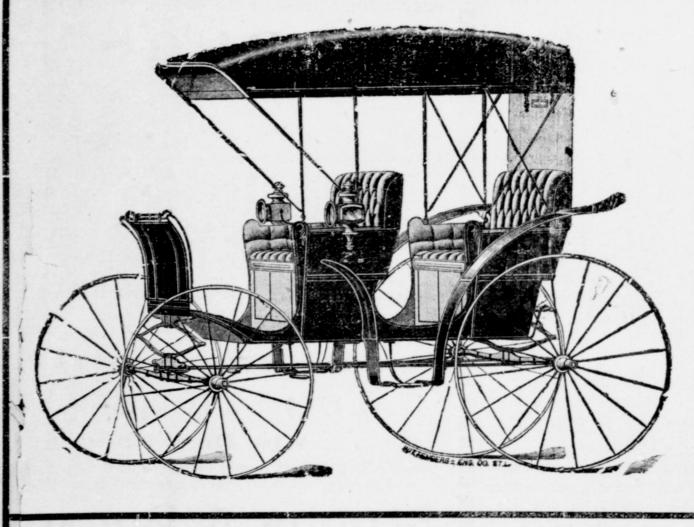
This is no fake or bogus sale, but a Genuine Cost sale put on for the purpose of converting the large stock of buggies on hand into cash, and we guarantee to sell any vehicle in stock at just exactly what it cost us, and at the same time we guarantee the vehicle to be just as we represent it to be.



We are here to stay and make good in everything we advertise, and not only on this occasion, but at any other time, if you buy anything from us, and it is not just as we represent, bring it back and we will make good.

lf you contemplate buying a buggy soon now is your chance to get one at

WHAT IT GOST US.



This Cost Sale holds good for the month of October—beginning Oct. 1st and closing Oct. 31st, and the cost prices are for CASH ONLY.

Remember we have a full line of Saddles, Harness Leather Goods, Furniture, Stoves and House Furnishing Goods, and that we can save you money on anything in these lines. We also buy and sell second hand goods, and will exchange you new goods for old. Our repair department is looked after by men who we guarantee to give you satisfactory work.

We Invite You to Call, Inspect Our Stock and Get Our Prices, and If You Want to Make Money Go a Long Ways, We Can Help You.

Lankford&Hathaway,

Ballinger, Texas.

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If you have visitors or if you know any item which would be of interest to our readers, please phone us and if necessary we will send our reporter ot

ces and business houses, and away money to advertise." probably a couple of thousand morep eople.

Runnels county will be planted and with good prices, the small grain crop will turn loose lots of pick, they will get busy and plant small grain.

Who said Ballinger's water water to supply the people than ever before. It was a test for the system, and with the low rates now being paid for water the people should be satisfied. At some future time a filtering system will be installed and then the quality of water will be improved.

Abilene railroad are waking man. up to a realization that the move is not all a joke or wind, and they see the felly of knocking. Every day things assume a more tion of the road will be started before any knocker or set of for the road is coming.

tion to prosecute all parties world. caught trespassing.

and uses the influence of his pa- at that place.

THE BANNER-LEADER. per towards boosting a town, and doing everything he can towards the building up of his town and here Tuesday of this week, after the good of the merchants, and a couple of negreos wanted in then see that merchant refuse to his court; a man for obtaining support the paper? We have money under false precense, and just a few of such merchants in a woman for attempting to kill Ballinger. When they have a her husband. The officers here little job of printing they either arrested the negroes and had send away from town for it, them ready for Mr. Futch when give it to the job printery, and he arrived and he carried them some time they will give it to back on the 3:30 train Tuesday the newspaper man, if they can evening. When asked how the jew him down to where they moral condition of Coleman counthink they are skinning the ty was, Mr. Futch said things newspaper man, or getting a bar- were moving along nicely. The paper, where all your neighbors will gain in the job. The newspaper clubs have long been put to the man gives value received for bad, and there was very little every cent spent with him, and violation of the local option law. the paper is not a charitable in- He said two or three parties with whatever other paint he likes; 1908 possibilities. Another stitution. Some business men had figured on putting in a bil-same painter (any fair man) same way railroad, a nice park and flower will take all the free boost a pa- lard and pool room there, but (the way of all fair painters, to make garden, a stone passenger staper will give them, and think his experience with pool rooms in less labor by one-tenth to seven-tenths, tion, a handsome Methodist they are entitled to so much free Coleman had been anything but we'll give him the paint. If our half church, many nice new residen advertising, but "it's throwing satisfactory, and only provided isn't sounder three years hence, we'll

that Bailey will be an issue in From all indications the larg- every county in Texas next year so because the people elected years hence, we'll give him the paint. est wheat crop in the history of in every office from constable up. him for that purpose. Mr, Any color. Bailey has declared that those Futch was elected by the people who are opposed to him shall not who believe in law and he is difference; we say seven-there are which generally follow a dry with good season which generally follow a dry tion everywhere to accept the year, a good crop will be made, challenge. Candidates for office sheriff. The people are backing ence-we say one to seven, because will hardly be allowed to stride him up in his work, and the re- there's a hundred that waste one-third the fence, but will have to say putation that Coleman county whether they endorse Baileyism has formerly sustained for lawmoney here next spring. The or not, and then in every com-lessness seems to be a thing of farmers have their land prepared, munity Baileyism will be made and with a light cotton crop to the issue. This matter has been the past, during Mr. Futch's P. S. Ballinger Lumber Co., sel's forced on the people and will not term at least. be downed, until the people are heard from. - Brownwood Bulle-

Well, we see nothing wrong saplpy was not inexhaustible? with the idea. There are so offering my 45 acre, fruit farm, pulling teeth to-day, but is the We have just passed through one many anti-Bailey men in the 3 miles south of Ballinger at a busiest man in town. of the longest, if not the longest, state this will be a good time to real bargain, for further pardrouth, in the history of the go to the polls and put Mr. Bail- ticulars, see or address me. water works plant, and during ey out of business. Bailey and which time it required more his friends are willing to make the test and stand the consequences. Yes, Bailey and his friends would be willing to leave the question of his guilt or innocence to a vote of the people to many valuable hard woods native day. Of course the Republicans, to Western Australia have made ticians will continue to fight him, erties of yate, be lieved to be the and a few of the good honest, strongest of all known woods. mislead Democrats will fall in Its average tensile strength is These fellows who were inclin- with them and be lead astray. It 2400 pounds to the square inch, ed to poke fun at the Ballinger- is mighty hard to down a good equaling that of good cast iron.

of the same size in the state with- to the tensile strength of definite state, and the construction a short while. The street wrought iron. The sawed timbuilding machinery is being un- ber of yate is probably the strongloaded today and will be in opera- est in the world. The tree knockers can kill it. The road tion at once, and the work of grows to a maxium height of 100 is coming, and with round house, macadamizing the principle feet and has some times a diamachine shops, etc., and Ballin- streets pushed, Experienced meter of two and some half or ger headquarters it will mean workmen are here to give a ten even three feet. something to the town. Of days free trial of the new machicourse it will cut off some of the nery, and with plenty laborers present trade territory, but Bal- to continue the work great good sionally wipes the dishes for his linger's population will be in- will be accomplished. When the wife, became tired of the job and creased, and the advantages town gets to a point where it is refused, saying that "it is not a gained by the road coming will entitled to free mail delivery the man's work," Not feeling dismore than off-set the loss in streets and, side walk question posed to lose his help she brought trade territory. If you don't will not be an obstacle in the libe out to convince him want to see another road running way, and during the wet season of his errors and read as follows into Ballinger you will have to it will not be impossible to trav- from Kings 21:-23: "And will get up and move, and move quick. el the streets on account of the wipe Jerusalem as a man wipeth mud, or impossible to stay in a dish, wiping it and turning it town on account of the stinch up-side-down." It is needless to From all indications some body caused by the mud holes. We say that he is still doing his is going to get in to trouble this say that Ballinger is composed occasional stunt. fall, and all on account of steal- of progressive citizens, and that ing and theiving. People own- nothing is too good for them. Yes, ing pecan trees need the crop we have some narrow minded more this year than ever before, knockers, and business men too, and they are not going to stand who would'nt turn loose a dollar back and allow this crop to be unless they could see the direct stolen from them by boys and selfish benefit. They are every trifling men, who have no re- where though, and of course Balspect for law. It is just as much linger must contend with her a violation of the law for a man share of them. Anything that to steal pecans, and it is nothing benefits a town benefits every more than stealing when you go man interested in that town. geather them and take them off Suppose every citizen was like without the owner's consent, these knockers; what kind of a than it is to steal any other crop town would we have any way? that grows, or any thing else of It takes public spirit and public value. Many pecan orchards enterprise in a man to make him are being guarded, and the own- a good citizen, and without that ers have expressed a determina- kind this would be a rocky old

Misses Lucile Reeder, Did you ever stop to think how Kate Guion, Alva and Bertha it makes a newspaper man feel, Van Pelt left Wednesday evenwhen he spends his money, if he ing for Milford where they will for anything?" has any, his time and energy, attend the Presbyterian College

Coleman County Sheriff Here.

Sheriff Futch, of Coleman, was

J. D. Smith Ballinger. Texas

Wood as Strong as Iron.

Recent official tests of the demagogues, and sore-head poli-known the extraordinary prop-But many specimens are much stronger, and one was tested up Ballinger will have the best to seventeen and one-half ton to streets and side walk of any town the square inch, which is equal

One of our citizens who occa-

ADMITTED THAT MUCH.

"But," she persisted, "you cannot deny it. A woman's life is made up of sacrifices."

"Of sacrifice sales, yes," replied he brute, her husband.

JUST AS BAD.

Nodd-When I want to get rid of my wife for a few days, I just send for my relatives. Todd-But how do you get rid o your relatives?—Life.

AN EXPERT.

Myer-"I understand your friend Bumps is an expert phrenologist." Gyer-"You bet he is. Why, he ining its head.'

NATURE OF THE CASE.

She-"Isn't this flat just too nice

He—"Naturally, it is a suite affair."-Baltimore American.

narrow escape from a serious ac-

cident while driving home from of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Brewer, an agreeable one, and hard to cure town Monday night. A delivery of Valley Creek, died at the Hal- unless the proper remedy is used. wagon collided with their buggy on eighth street crossing and Mrs. Lightner was thrown from the buggy. A bad fright and slight bruises was the only dam-

Dr. and Mrs. Lightner had a

Letter to Jno. I. Guion.

Ballinger, Texas Dear Sir:-We should like to print your opinion of this guarantee in this

We'll furnish the paint to paint half the house of any fair man on these terms: He shall paint the other half headquarters for that class of give him the paint. If our half isn't people that gives the officers sounder six years hence, we'll give him trouble, and that he was going the paint. It three years hence we'll give him the No far seeing man can doubt to keep out such things; and do paint. If our half isn't sounder six

> We say one-tenth, because there are of the money paid for both paint and

> > Yours truly F. W. Devoe & Co.

Born-To Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Gustavus, last night, a fine For a short time only, I am girl baby. The doctor is not

The Plain Plucker

If a burn or a bruise afflicts you rub

Then before you scarcely know it the trouble will be gone. For an aching joint or muscle do the

It extracts all pains and poisons, plucks the stinge and heals the lame.

Hunt's Lightning Oil does it.

Judge C. H. Willingham, Jack McGregor, C. A. Doose and Jo. Wilmeth are in Abilene this week on railroad business. They expect to close contracts for a good part of the right of way through Taylor county for the Ballinger and Abilene road while gone. Lee Maddox is working on the same committee and is working between Ballinger and

Notice--Keep Out.

the Taylor county line.

All my lands on Valley creek pecan gathering or trespassing in any manner will be allowed. J. W. Raby.

Special Notice

Come to the Court House Sunday. Services as follows: Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Freaching at 4:30 p. m. No Services

at night. E. P. WILLIAMS, Pastor.

To Whom It May Concern.

If you contemplate going west this year to look for good, cheap land, I want to meet you, either at Garden City, Glasscock Co., or at Midland, Midland Co., I have thousands of acres in Midland, Glasscock and adjoining counties of good agricultural land, some sandy, with red clay subsoil, and some black copper colored land, for sale at prices ranging from \$3.00 to 15.00 per acre, terms easy. I will gladly answer all questions with reference to these lands. Address the GUION GREGG LAND & AB-STRACT CO., at Garden City, Texcan tell what's in a barrel by exam- as, or KISTLER & GREGG, Midland Texas. I give my entire time to advertising and selling these lands. When you come my time will be at your disposal,

> Kindly let me hear from you Guion Gregg, Dealers in West Texas Land. tf

ley & Love Sanitarium Tuesday Hunt's Cure is the King of all Skin night, after an illness of two remedies. It cures promptly any itchweeks with liver trouble. De- ing trouble known. No matter the ceased was twenty years old, name or place. One application relieves and her death at this age is -one box is absolutely guaraateed to made more sad. The funeral took place at the Valley creek cemetery Tuesday evening.

The Ladies of the Episcopal Church will serve lunch during the flower show in Nov. Location and further details will be announced latter.

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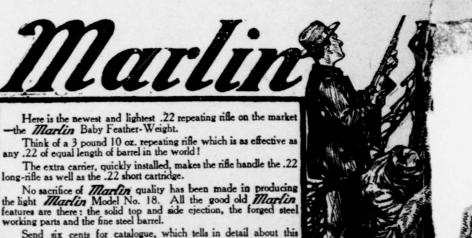
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writes: 'For nearly seven years I was and expect to give an opening in afflicted with a form of skin disease about two weeks. This store ex- utation as the best of all worm which aused an almost unbearable cels anything in this part of the destroyers, and for its tonic in-I could neither work, rest or peace. Nothing gave me perrelief until I tried Hunt's)ne application relieved me; cured me, and though a year mas passed, I have stayed cured. I am the city the road building ma-system and retores them to health

grateful beyond expression." for all itching diseases of the skin. ting the machinery in operation. You want a healthy, happy child

gin can be heard humming now. pushed. Two big motors furnished the power, and cotton ginned by electricity is no curiosity in Ballinger.

The Higginbotham-Currie Co. are getting pretty well straight-G. V Farlowe, East Florence, Ala., ened out in their new building Vermifuge has a world wide rep-

chinery, is here for the purpose Hunt's Cure is a guaranteed remedy of delivering the goods and putthe rock crusher, and it is billed Vermifuge. Sold by J. Y. Pearce. to be here in a few days and the The Ballinger Cotton Oil Co. work of building streets will be

Sick Headache.

This company is delivering the This disease is caused by a de ham stores at quite a number of for the various purposes in Bal- a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach these towns, and says the crop Sold by J. Y. Pearoe. linger. A day current the year and Liver Tablets to correct this conditions are bad every where, round for Ballinger is something disorder and the sick headache and that he finds things in as

If It's a Reputation

you are after, White's Cream state as far as size and arrange- fluence on weak and untrifty ments, and it is a credit to the children. It improves their digestion and assimilation of their Wm. Pason. the man who sold food, strengthens their nervous and vigor natural to a child. If Everything has arrived except get a bottle of White's Cream

R. W. Higginbotham, of Comanche, was here several days this week. Mr. Higginbotham that attracts attention of visitors will disappear. For sale by good shape here as any place he bunch of Mexicans at work dig-tain he can't see the dust over

Scott H. Mack made a business trip to Comanche first of the week'

H. A. Themson passed through Wednesday en route from the ranch to Austin.

J. H. Grant, a prominent lumber man, from Brownwood is here on business, this week. Herman Giesecke returned last

night on the Abilene Auto mobile from a trip out west on bus-Miss Louise Organ returned from Dallas and other places,

spending the summer. R. A. Terry went to Wichata, Oklahoma, Wednesday, to meet his mother who is coming out

from Mississippi on a visit.

Miss Lucy Rutherford, of Sny- kidneys. der, who has been visiting her neice, Mrs. Dan Moser, left last Saturday for Tennessee on a visit.

a month.

J. W. Earnest a prominent capitalist of San Marcos was here this week looking after his ranch near Moro Mountain. While here he moved his figures throbbing pain across the small more than six months next preceding up to 1909 in order to keep up with the news.

Our fall Heldman clothing has arrived. Pick out your suit while the stock is unbroken-The Globe.

and bring M. D. Chastain.

R. P. Kirk and D. M. Baker visited their place and camp grounds on the Concho this week to look after some improvements being made and make arrangements to have their pecans outing, and say the pecan crop is good. Bob says the quail are mighty scarce down that way.

She Found Relief.

Hammond, Moody, Texas. "I When asked this morning ed; and plaintiff also prays for such was in poor health—with liver about those floods that havent other and further relief, both in law trouble-for over a yea. Doctors thoughtful way and replied: entitled to, did me no good and I tried Her- "Well I guess my Goose bone is bine, and three bottles cured me. out of whack and that fog I saw I can't say too much for Herbine, must have been clouds of dust Herein Fail Not, but have before is interested in the Higginbot-as it is a wonderful liver medi-them stores at quite a number of cine. I always have it in the bar."--San Angelo Standard. goods in the furnishing of power rangement of the stomach. Take towns, and he has been visiting house. Publish where you wish.

> Judge M. C. Smith has a "Goose bone." We are from eight to twelve inches of then a soft chalky formation.

An Ounce of Prevention

is worth a pound of cure. There are many poor sufferers. Consumptives who are hopeless of getting well-who, if they style" at The Globe, had taken care of themselves. would now be well. A cough is the foundation of Consumption. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure that cough. Mrs. S-. Great Falls. Montana, writes: "I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my family for yearsmy children never suffer with coughs. Sold by J. Y. Pearce.

Mr. and Mrs. Higdon, of Lampasas, came up last Friday night to be present at the opening of the Higdon Melton Jackson Co. Despite the bad wet weather the opening was success in every respect, and these people it seems have started business in Ballinger by receiving a hearty welcome from the trading public. The firm is an enterprising one and deserves a share of your business.

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Mrs. James Calhoun, of 422 The State of Texas In the District South Throckmorton St, Sherman. Tex., says: "I was completely prostrated with my back, Horses examined free by Dr. not being able to get out of bed taken over half the pills when I fendant, and represents to the court: was up and around, feeling betof my back was gone and the secretions, which had been very irregular, were corrected. I take pleasure in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering in a like manner."

For sale by all dealers. Price from and leaving her in Lake County, Eggs wanted-will buy all yon 50 cents Foster-Milburn Co. Buf- Tennessee, the plaintiff going at once falo, New York, sole agents for to Arkansas and never having seen or the United States.

Remember the name Doans

A Miles Weather Prophet

in Wednesday and told a Standar men, and was caught by plaintiff in gathered. They report a fine reporter that we would have adultery with one Louis Tafe about floods of rain within the next 24 four months after their said marriage. hours, "I am an early riser," That the conduct of defendant was young man," said the seer from such as to render plaintiff's continuing Miles, and now for three morn- to live with her insupportable and iming in succession just about sun possible, and he immediately left her, up I have seen a heavy fog as stated. hanging over the country in the Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court direction of Ballinger. This is a that defendant be cited to answer this If you are troubled with liver complaint and have not received complaint and have not received direction of Bailinger. This is a that defendant be cited to answer that sure sign of rain and my Goose petition, and that upon hearing hereof bone says we're going to have he have judgment that the marriage

flooded he scratched his jaw in a and in equity, as he may show himself

That Miles weather prophet ed the same. should move to Ballinger where he would get good action on his ging holes for trees on his lots our way any more, for we have recently purchased on Broadway a good season in old mother It cost a great deal to put out earth, and the farmers are gettrees in that part of town, but ting busy planting wheat and they do as well, or better than oats. Our city lake is overtrees planted in the low land or flowing, and we have water to the Ninth Street Baptist church flat district of the town. The furnish Angelo, and from all by Rev. Jno. H. Myers of Marformation of the earth consist of reports we will be called upon shall, Tex. Everybody cordially to furnish it. The rain was invited, all members urged to be soil, a strata of lime rock, and very light at San Angelo and Miles, and those people are still rushing to the bar for their drinking, and no doubt cause couds of dust in their rush.

Any Prescription Blank

You have a right to take a prescription blank to any drug store that you favor. If your doctor writes a prescription on some other druggist's prescription blank, you are at liberty to bring the prescription to us. We can fill it exactly as well as the other druggist. Many people who know the superiority of our prescription work will not have a prescription filled anywhere else.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS:-To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnel County-Greeting:

You are Hereby commanded to sum mon Mary A. Gray by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to every three minutes. The kid- the return day hereof, in some newsneys filter the blood. They work paper published in your County, if there night and day. When healthy be a newspaper published therein, but they remove about 500 grains of if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in healthy some part of this impure said Judicial District, then in a newsmatter is left in the blood. This paper published in the nearest District brings on many diseases and to said 35th Judicial District, to appear symptoms-pain in the back, at the next regular term of the District headache. nervousness, hot. dry at the Court House thereof, in Ballin-Court of Runnels County, to be holden Wednesday, where she had been skin, rheumitism, gout, gravel, ger, on the 5th, Monday in Sept. A. D. disorders of the eyesight and 1907, the same being the 30 day of hearing, dizziness, irregular heart | Sept., A. D. 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29 day of Aug., A. D. 1907 in a suit, posits in the urine, etc. But if numbered on the docket of said Court you keen the filters right you No. 881, wherein F. M. Gray is Plairwill have no trouble with your tiff, and Mary A. Gray is Defendant, and said petition alleging ...

> Court of Runnels County, Texas Sept. Term 1907.

To the Honorable Judge of said Court:-Now comes your petitioner, F. M. Gray, hereinafter styled plaintiff, and Jackson. Visits Ballinger once for two weeks, when my hus- complaining of Mary A. Gray, hereinband brought me home a box of after styled plaintiff, and complaining Doan's Kidney Pills. I had not of Mary A. Gray, hereinafter called de-

> That plaintiff is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the state of Texas and ter in every way. The dull has resided in said Runnels county for the filing of this petition, and that defendant is a non-resident of Texas whose place of residence is to plaintiff unknown.

That on or about the 8th day of August, 1883, plaintiff was legally married to defendant in the state of Indiana and lived with her four months, separating heard of her since; and that plaintiff came to Texas about ten years ago, having continuously resided in this state ever since.

That soon after the marriage of plaintiff to defendant the latter began eading a loose and dissolute life, sus-A Miles weather prophet came taining immoral relations with other

Attorney for Plaintiff. thereon, showing how you have execut-

Witness, R. A. Terry, Clerk of the

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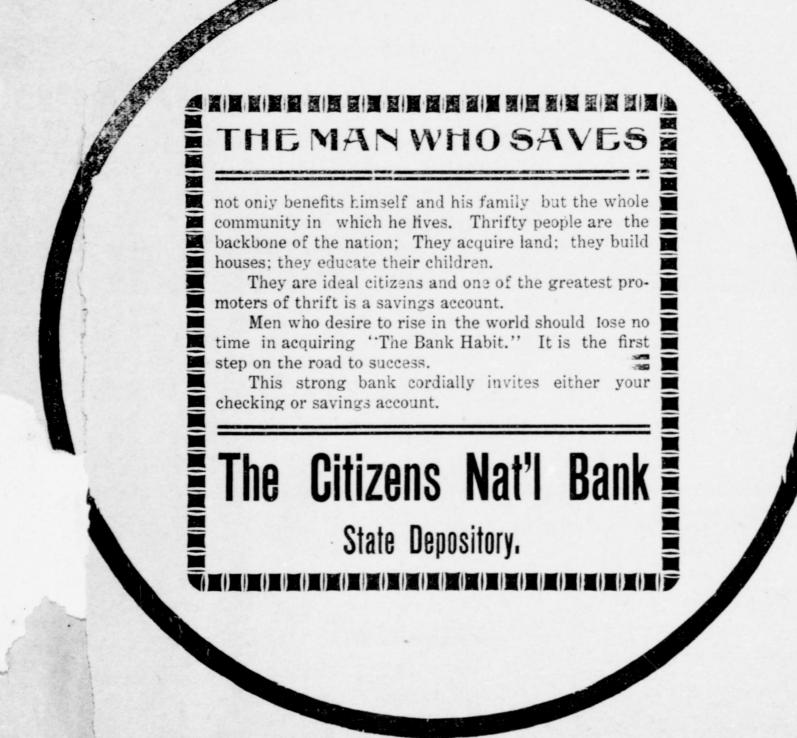
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A. Schawe went to San Antonio, Saturday.

Had Tetter for Thirty Years

most counties remedies with times. little, if any, relief. Three box- All collections are to be promptes of Chamberlain's Salve cured ly remitted to either myself or me. It was a torture. It breaks the Adjutant of our camp here. out a little sometimes, but noth- This is a noble cause and I will ing to what it used to do. -D. H. in advance thank you and your Beach, Midland City, Ala. Cham- companions of the committee for poor Walker Drug Co.

low went to Austin on business that is all we can ask or expect. last Saturday, returning Tues-

Don't be afraid to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to your children. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. It always cures. For sale by Walker Drug Co.

S. Roach, of Paint Rock, passed through Saturday, en route to San Antonio.

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will wear as long as Devoe's. No others are as heavy bodied, because Devoe's weigh 3 to 8 ounces more to the pint. Sold by Ballinger Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkinson ing or trespassing allowed. returned last Monday from Waco, where they went to attend the funeral of Mr. Hopkinson's

berlain's Cough Remedy to your another week or ten days. children. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. It always cures. For sale by Walker Drug Co.

Trespass Notice.

All persons are warned against trespassing in any way on my land on the Colorado river. No hunting, fishing, gathering pecans, or other trespassing allowed.

S. R. Muncy.

J. Whit Patterson went to kidney trouble Fort Worth last Saturday to visit his little boy.

If you think of attending a business college, it would be well troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, to write the METROPOLITAN BUSINESS COLLEGE, Dallas, Texas for full information. The by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is everywhere as one of the fore- soon realized. It stands the highest for its most business colleges of the wonderful cures of the most distressing cases

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Co. Call and see us.

A Noble Cause.

Ballinger, Tex., Sept. 21, 1907 Dear Sirs & Comrades

As the Commander of McCulare over- loch Camp, No. 557, U. C. V. of worked- Ballinger Texas, I have been reburdened quested and authorized to apin a state point and select a sub-committee Itisaseri- in each proper locality in our ous condition, and if County for the purpose of colneglected lecting and soliciting funds to erect a monument at Austin in Death not infrequently ensues as the honor of and in commemoration will correct itself and disappear unas- of the heroic mothers and women of the Confederacy during Don't neglect this condition—don't invite disaster by delay, but go to the nearest druggist and buy a bottle of be organized and proceed to be organized and proceed to work at once.

The model for this monument has been chosen and will-be a most splendid specimen of art most effective remedy in the world for and the same model will be used

This is a work that should ap-The confined gases are released, fer- peal to all southern hearts as a mentation is stopped and the affected debt of gratitude we owe the locality soothed and strengthened.

DR.CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN noble women whose patriotism can be obtained in both dollar and half- and zeal did so much to encour-Your money will be refunded if it age the southern soldier and incite them on to deeds of heroism.

These devoted women worked with all their might in every capacity not only in making clothing with their own hands and in nursing the sick and wounded at the hospitals, but like the Spartan mothers of old they inspired the southern heart with an enthusiasm and patriotic ardor and ferver that stood I have suffered with tetter for stood by them in the most trying thirty years and have tried al- hours of those dark and trying

berlain's Salve is for sale by your efforts in this patriotic enterprise.

I feel fully assured that you Tom Knight and N. J. Ward- will do the best you can, and

Remember this is a work that will be built by small donations and every nickle will do its part.

Hoping to hear from you and promising to further give you information connected with the

work as we go along. I am Respectfully your Com-

J. H. Routh. Commander of Ben McCulloch Camp No. 557, U. C. V. Ballinger, Texas.

Notice--Keep Out.

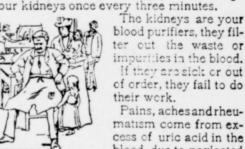
All my lands which boarder Valley Creek are posted and I hereby warn all parties to keep out. No hunting necan gather-

Mrs. Joe Sanford, of Prattville, Alabama, is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Oscar Pearson. Don't be afraid to give Cham- She expects to return home in

Over-Work Weakens Your Kidneys.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

All the blood in your body passes through



ter out the waste or impurities in the blood. If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do Pains, aches and rheumatism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected

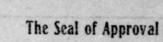
Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, lecause the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidneypoisoned blood through veins and arteries. it used to be considered that only urinary but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

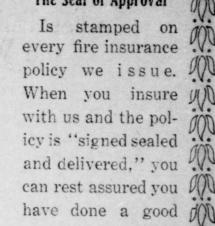
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Howard Baldwin, of Atoka, A girl baby arrived at the home of Editor and Mrs. P. E. who lost his wife last Saturday.

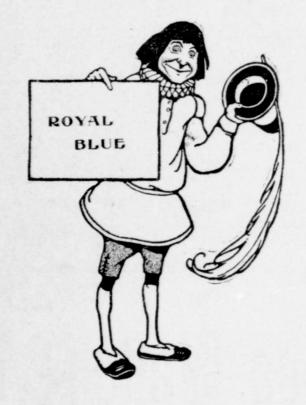
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Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Baldwin, parents of the heart broken husband and father were present and did all they could to relieve the sorrowing ones. They brought the children home with them, and will take care of the bady for their son.

Some Potato

There is on display at the Citizens National Bank a sweet potato that tips the beam to 16 pounds. The potato was raised in South Ballinger by L. G. Bills and is of the yam variety. The potato will probably include in the list of Runnels county wonders put on exhibit at Dallas fair. If you have anything that will add to the exhibit at Dallas you are requested to save it and turn it over to the secretary, Lee Maddox of the Commercial Club. or give it to some member of the committee. It is the intention of the committee to get up a creditable exhibit, and show the people that Runnels county yields even under the most unfavorable circumstances.

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