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# TAKE IN COKE, CONCHO, COLEMAN COUNTIES IN AUGMENTED RUNNELS COUNTY FAIR

ors of the Runnels County Fair Association was held Monday afternoon in the directors rooms of the local Chamber of Commerce. Some very important business was transacted which will have a good effect on the 1925 fair as well as all future fairs held in Ballinger.

Practically every district of the presented by proxy.

questions which was decided by se to attend the big meeting. the directors at this session was. The program issued for the Ab- nothing coming in.

counties to the Runnels fair was The Ballinger delegation will ficials state there will be some tention of the directors as stated tion to the convention before, to interfere with counties who have already organized fairs,

the building committee. It was friend to the Shields family. stated that the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible in order to be ready for the 1925 fair.

the directorate since the election tending Baylor College at Belton of the executive board in January and who spent the Fourth with the officers of the association Belton Sunday afternoon. and four members of the board of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Shields, perous times merchants receive bout ten per cent. directors as follows: Will S. Mc of Wichita Falls, who had been many quick spet shipments by Of course we cannot keep on Carver, president; J. D. Good, here attending the funeral of Mr. parcel post, and consign out to showing an increase or we would vice-president; R. G. Erwin, vice- Shields' mother, Mrs. Mary customers in other points drop soon be in the class with Dallas president; J. D. Motley, secret- Shields, returned to their home shipment of goods, mail order- and San Antonio," said Postary; R. W. Bruce, treasurer; E Thursday. Shepperd, W. A. Halamicek, Bert E. Low and W. R. Hunton.

Glober Sr., and other relatives buried in Evergreen Cemetery. and friends. They made the trip of 108 miles in three hours, so it Mrs. H. H. Luckett left Ballindaughter will go on to Eden to transact business. attend the pienic there tomorrow, from there to Brady and will visit in San Antonio

Ledger want ads pay.

# SUNDAY, JULY 12

county and adjoining counties was represented at the directorate meeting held here Monday. There are thirty men on the board, and are thirty men on the board. these were either present or re- Ladies, comprising Pat Williams mount to \$20 per bale and will get more than this amount.

who have no organized fair will meetings, with plenty of entertain- bout \$220,000 among the farmers. be asked to take part in the fair ment features. Abilene Legion of this organization in the counwhich will take in Concho, Cole- naires are expecting 500 persons ty. There are nine banks in the man and Coke as well as Runnels. in attendance at this district meet- county which will have deposited These three "C" counties will be ing, which is the last before the in them on the date of distribut will conduct a protracted meeting ivities. invited to take part in full in all State Department American Leg- ion to the credit of their custo activities of the local fair, enter gion convention in September at mers about \$25,000 each. This their exhibits, take part in para- Fort Worth on the 2nd, 3rd, and will boost bank statements at a day, July 31st des, bring their musical organ- 4th. The Ballinger post and aux- dull period of the year and should Elmer L. Nichols, Christian izations here, join in the athletic iliary want to carry at least fifty also make business better for the Evangelist of Fort Worth, will do ning hall, electric lights, shower contests, and generally make members, and on account of the merchants. Of course some of the the preaching.

carried by the board in practical- leave here at 7:00 o'clock Sunday checks sent out to every banking in Ballinger visiting relatives, ar ly an unanimous vote. These morning. All those who have ears institution of Runnels County. counties are without medium to are requested by officers of the Hery Todd, field man for the turn to their home at Wichita display their products and there Legion and Auxiliary to notify Runnels County Farm Bureau, Falls Monday after spending the by advertise their resources, and either Marvin Atkins or Mrs. stated Wednesday that most of Fourth here. it is known that they are in the Gerald Black, president of the the Bureau cotton raisers receivrichest part of Central West Tex- Auxiliary. Those who have no ed their payments of the cotton Miss Alma Baker, who had been as and should be recognized. The transportation and those who pool money through their house visiting relatives here for several and other accommodations at the central location of Ballinger mak- have automobile space to carry bank, but that a few got the r days, left for her school work at service of the boys and girls. es it easy of access to the snr, one or more members are asked cheeks direct. The cheeks are Howard Payne college, Brownrounding counties and provides to let the offiers know at once so made out in duplicate, one going wood, Monday morning. them an outlet for the exhibition arrangements can be made to to the bank and the duplicate goof their wares. It is not the in transport the Ballinger delega- ing to the Bureau members to ser-

Sam Davis, of Galveston, who and was only intended to assist had been here to attend the funcommunities who have no represeral of Mrs. Mary Shields left entation and display medium. Wednesday for Nocona, Texas, Other important business taken where he was called on account up by the board at the Monday of the serious illness of his momeeting was the building program the serious files of the serious files

Misses Maxine Russell and This was the first meeting of Mayme Ray Preston, who are at-

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Shields, of ming up the totals. Houston, returned to their home | According to figures furnished is in a prosperous condition. Mrs. August Glober, Jr., and Wednesday afternoon. They had = daughter, Miss Vera, of Dallas been here to attend the funeral are here visiting Mrs. August of Mr. Shields' mother, who was

was reported to The Ledger, ger Wednesday afternoon for her which is fairly good driving for old home in Toyah, to be gone a two ladies. Mrs. Glober and month or two on a visit and to

> L. K. Gowdy is at home after a business trip to Oklahoma and North Texas.

### A RECORD THAT IS ALSO A PROMISE

From the starting point of 19 years ago to the present position of The Winters State Bank as the leader in resources in Runnels County, is a journey possible only when sound banking principles are

The confidence of the public we serve is the outgrowth of this adherence to sound policies of safety for depositors' money, help-fulness to local enterprises and individual, and faith in the future

of our County and its prospects.

Our growth since 1906 is our pledge of continued and increasing service, safety and community helpfulness.

### The Winters State Bank

Guaranty Bond Bank

Since 1906 The Dependable

Winters

· Texas

# One of the most enthusiastic meetings of the board of directors of the Bunnels County Fair

The 736 members of the Run-tve as a deposit slip. One of the most important respectively, will go over en mas-

nearness should have a good rep- banks will get more of the cotton

#### Local Postoffice Shows 10 Per Cent work will be under the direct sup-Gain In Half Year Over Same In '24

this year over that of 1924. A good gain is also shown in coming is heavier, and even more let- master Reese, but as stated above ters and circulars are mailed, run- it shows the local office is funct

ioning efficiently and the country

# NEW FALL HATS

Today's express brought us many new creations in Ladies' Hats-you will like the new Turbans-we are showing in all the new shades.

#### SPECIALS IN WHITE FELT AND KID HATS

We are showing many new shapes in White Felts and Kid

ALL SCARFS GREATLY REDUCED

Everything to Wear

# OVER 250 BOYS' AND GIRLS' CLUB MEMBERS **COMING TO ENCAMPMENT**

Boys' and Girls' Clubs of Run- addition to the club members nels County will be held this year themselves, their parents are esat Ballinger in the new tourist pecially invited and urged to be park, adjoining the Runnels present, and enjoy the accomoda-County Fair grounds on South tions and entertainments. The district meeting of the nels County Farm Bureau Cot- Figuring this \$220,000 on a per Eighth Street, on the banks of The opening session of the en-American Legion and American ton Association will receive their Legion Auxiliary of the 17th Legion Auxiliary of the 18th Legion Aux

There is one Mexican farmer The entire tourist park will be the year when there is usually Farm Bureau, living in the Row- ment and Ballinger citizens under 10:00 t o12:00 Organization and ena section, who pooled 21 bales the direction of the local chamber Making Camp. that of inviting neighboring counties that of participate in the Runnels service men will have a big time, from previous Pair Only those counties.

The program issued for the Action mothing coming in the regarded of commerce will do everything in their power to make the stay here will divide a will receive \$420 on July 15th.

Women's and Girls' Dept. The county agent, C. W. Lehmberg, and county home demonstra- Demonstration. tion agent, Miss Eula Key will Miss Maysie Malone, Home Dem.

Among accomodations that will Demonstration. Miss Anne Clair be furnished free to the club mem- Wray, Home Dem. Agent, San

attending the meeting are re- way of telephone service is best quested to bring bedding, neces-

onstration agent; and the Men's any difference at all between the and Boys' Club work under the he interests of the people who de-Postal receipts at the Ballinger | The Ledger by Postmaster J. A. berg, county agent. A program they are due to lack of under-

With full co-operation of Ballin- Mest cooperation of the community paring the receipts for the year 1st, was \$656.40 or approximate- civic organizations, home and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Heitz, of Del 1924 and the year 1923. Postal ly 10 per cent. The total for the farm agents, and club officials it Rio, who had been in Ballinger receipts are said to be a good in- six-month period in 1924 was is thought this encampment will visiting their cousin, Mrs. W. T. dication of the prosperiyt of a \$7,910.58, while the first half of be the largest in West Texas. Padgett, returned to their home The executive board consists of relatives in Ballinger, returned to ger, and surrounding surro ger and surrounding country The gain for the full year of club members are urging each must be on the upgrade. In pros- 1924 over 1923 will also show a- and every one to be present and | Lucus Campbell spent the 4th take an active part in the var- in Coleman.

The annual encampment of the ious phases of the program. In

Following is the program:

Thursday

3:00 to 4:00 One Hour Dress

Agent, Brownwood. 4:00 to 5:00 Basket Making

Men's and Boys' Dept. 3:00 to 5:00 Judging Dairy

General Meeting

5:00 to 7:00 Swim in Country

in Front of Grand Stand, Fair Park. (General Public Invited)

y. No community can get along

ital public utility. It is so affect-

is not provided the community omen's and Girls' Club; the telephone company can not

# Carnival of Bargains

## Come! Help Us Celebrate

EVERY ONCE IN A WHILE this store does something different. THIS IT IS! But it is not an ordinary sale-it is a joyous bargain event which we are advertising far and near. A stroke of luck came our way by which we made this very special purchase of new, crisp, standard merchandise at savings which we are passing on to you. COME!

Buy Your Kitchen Wares Now! Save! Bring a Neighbor!

SALE STARTS SATURDAY AND LASTS TEN DAYS

# THE HUB THE FAIR

Ballinger, Texas

# MANY IMPORTANT SCHOOL **ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD** SATURDAY, JULY 11TH

ed in the office of County Super- be found in West Texas. intendent White.

teacher school. the school completed for the next partment.

Several important bond issue | term. David Castle & Co., architricts on Saturday of next week, which will be one of the best

A consolidation election will be The Dry Ridge common school held in the Puckett and Stone district on July 11th will hold an school district on July 11th, acfrom Ballinger in one of the best present Stone schools employes life. farming sections surrounding this one teacher, and the Puckett city, and is composed of a pre-school employes two teachers, so gressive farming population who the consolidation would result in

elieve in good schools.

The Blanton common school dis
Mr. White has not heard from trict will hold an election on July the state department of education Hith to vote on a bond issue of regarding the arrangements to be \$1,200. This sum, if authorized, made about text books for the Murchison. Wayne L. Bennett, are in the offering and it is thouwill be used in constructing an ensuing term. The county de-supply; Henry L. Leach, Bassett ght some fast talent will be un whom licenses were issued during addition to the present two-teach- pository has on hand the books M. Brelsford; Robert J. Best; J. covered. At any rate it is hop- June; er school, making it a three- sent out previously by the state, I Taylor; Albert W. Turner, ed to give men who are inside which were thrown out by a re- Company Clerk. It is not known when the work cent decision of the Texas Suwill commence on the new \$36,- preme court which ruled in favor | Archie D. Pearse, Curtis Street, 000 school at Wingate, but it will of the book publishers and against Ray Dunn, Leo Castor, John W probably begin in time to have the state superintendent's de- Jones.

### Vital Statistics Reported For The Six-Month Period January to July

tyClerk Forgey's office deaths | iod. These figures do not include recorded in Runnels county for municipalities of Ballinger and Winters, it was said, who make the first six months of 1925 ex- vital reports to city authorities. ceeded the births by approximate. Marriages for the same period toly twenty per cent. Of course fig- tal 121, or an average of 20 per ures do not lie, but observers here month. June was the heaviest do not believe that the population month for marriage, in the first is decreasing at this rate, and fur- six months and generally is the ther do not believe that there is best month in the year for matriany decrease at all, but an in-| monial contracts.

spirits. Price 60c. Sold by

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WOMANLY AILS

Kentucky Lady Got Well

After Taking Cardui.

"I got down in health-suffering

from womanly troubles which caused me much pain and worry."

says Mrs. Rhoda Canary, of R. F. D. 6, Owensboro, Ky. "My stepmother had taken Cardui when she was in my same

condition, so I got to inquiring

and found several women who were taking it at that time. "They all 'old me how good it

was, so I told my husband to get me a bottle to try. That night he came

very serious condition. I had been

in bed eight weeks and was unable

bottle (of Cardul), my strength began to come back. I could sit up in bed.

that time I was able to walk across

the floor. I continued takin Cardui for several months and

"I finished up that bottle and by

the time I had taken half a

I continued taking

bome with a bottle of Cardui.

to move in bed without help.

around among my triends about it

According to statistics at Coun- were recorded for the same per

Births in Ballinger during the The difficulty seems to be in six-month period exceeded the getting some doctors of the coundeaths, for the first time in many Officer E. R. Walker. There were fered from Eczema, Ringworm, Cracked here on a week-end visit. Mr. 36 births reported to the city and Hands, Itch, Poison Oak, Old Sores Sledge is greatly improved from health department reported to it disease, we will sell you a jar of Blue down town this week. 69 births and 77 deaths. In 1923 Star Remedy, on a guarantee. This is the births were 55 and the deaths different from the ordinary skin treat-

icians in the city did not report Will not stain clothing and has a pleastheir births to the city depart- ant odor. ment, and this accounts for the

## ABILENE WINS FROM

to gotten rid of with surprising promptness by using Herbine. You feel its beneficial effect with the first dose as its purifying and regulating effect is thorough and complete. It not only drives out

bile and impurities but it imparts a splendid feeling of exhibaration, strength, vim, and buoyancy of succeeded by Meldred Cope who is or three weeks. not a pitcher and does not claim Will Bridges, of Talpa, was at to be. Errors by the club behind raong visitors from that section the Copes were numerous and in Ballinger Monday. Mr. Bridg- costly.

ented the Talpa country at the Ballinger team failed to do its Money back guarantee by E. A. Runnels County Fair Association best was due to the small crowd Jeanes at Economy Mills. which witnessed the game, and the feeble rooting done by the fans. The pep and morale of the Mr. and Mrs. James Blaic Harteam can not be kept up by such ris and family, of Dallas, who had actions as this, and it is hoped by been here over the week-end, visthe local baseball officials that siting Mr. Harris' parents, Mr. the citizens will wak cup and get and Mrs. J. N. Harris, left Monbehind the team and support it to day for their home. Mr. Harris, the limit.

ternoon at Fair Park between Amicable Life Insurance Co., and Talpa and South Ballinger, which divides his time between Fort cal baseball. A number of fans places headquarters. accompanied the Talpa team to Ballinger to witness the game and W. D. Seales returned home boost for their team.

### Sickly, Peevish Children

tinal worms are cross, restless and long fine and is out of danger. unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is Dr. A. S. Love left Sunday afpale, has dark rings under the termoon for Belton and Florence. eyes, bad breath and takes no to be gone several days. He will] interest in play, it is almost a cer- visit his sister at Florence. tainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by

John A. Weeks

F. E. Clayton, of Talpa, was among business visitors to Ballinger Monday.

## LOCAL GUARDS TO CAMP MABRY GAMES PLANNED COUNTY IN AVERAGE ONE PER DAY

furnish a strong line-up.

NOTICE

will come up at this meeting.

G. W. DEAN, President.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

F. L. HARPER, Secretary.

The stockholders of the Run-

at 2:00 p. m., at the court house Annie Vivian Sharpton.

was stated Friday.

linger until July 17th, going thru city are not satisfied with their. The average number of marri- Parmer. building. Dry Ridge is six miles in a four-teacher union school. At euvers and other work of army they are out to get even.

> Following is a roster of the loeal company :

Commanders W. C. McCarver, Captain. Chas. E. Lowry, 1st Lieutenant. Sergeants

John L. Clark, 1st; Albert R.

Corporals

#### Cooks

Tom Winans and Elmer Bryan. Bugler Elmer L. Williams.

Privates Dewey Burke, Andrew Collins, Futch Grundy, Milton J. Harris, Therman Beard, John S. Branch, C.cil Brice, P. Harvey, James M. Holland, Oseia Knight, Edward McDaniel, Raymond McMillan, Homer T. Sharpes, Fronis E. Jones, Charlie W. Branch, David N. Coulter, Edward Harrison, had been on a visit to Mr. Sled-Frank W. Smith, John Eakin, ge's old home in Mississippi, and Keith. Robert B. Bull, Emory H. Smith, to Mr. Sledge's brother in Mem-W. Parry, Bruce Bryan, Sam phis, Tenn., where The Ledger is Rodriguez.

#### "Stop That Itching"

No matter how hopeless your case years, according to City Health may seem, nor how long you have suf- home by Albert Sledge, who was 35 deaths Last year the city and Sores on children, or any other skin the operation, and expects to be he births numbered ment, it penetrates the skin, going diis and deaths 58.

It is known that several physical actions at the seat of trouble and immediately relieves that terrible itching.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets.) It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cough. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

#### J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

Rufus J. Wheeler is leaving ers to that city on her way home Mae Westbrook. Thursday afternoon for the an- to Sonora after a short visit here. Ernest Buchanan and Miss imitation. BALLINGER 24 TO 3 nual American Central Life Incurance Co., convention, at Cedar Point, Ohio, where he will be for The so-called baseball game be several days on business before tween Ballinger and Abilene taking his vacation. Mr. Wheel-Thursday, was almost a racing er will visit an uncle in Montreal, meet for Abilene. The Eagles Canada, whom he has not seen in took the game from the locals by five years, remaining there sevthe top-heavy score of 24 to 3. eral days. From Montreal Mr. The Ballinger team was a pat- Wheeler will go to Indianapolis, ched up outfit. Rube Cope, who the home office of his company, is generally effective against all and to Dallas on business, before comers, had a sore arm, and was returning home, being gone two

#### SICK TURKEYS?

Martin's Black Head Tablets es was among those who repressibly another reason why the to treat and prevent disease.

who was formerly editor of The A game is being played this af- Daily Ledger, is now with the closes the week's schedule in lo- Worth and Dallas, calling both

Thursday from Abilene where his wife was operated on in a hospital Tuesday morning at 10:00 Children suffering from intes- a. m. Mrs. Scales is getting a-



# CITY BASEBALL MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED IN JUNE

The local unit of the National Interest is running high in city | The marriage market showed Bernie Mae Walker. Guard , Company C., 142nd In- league baseball circles what with plenty of activity during June | Walter Collins and Miss Magfantry of Texas, which entrained challenges being hurled back and and averaged exactly one a day gie Walter. this afternoon for Camp Mabry, forth among the various business for the thirty day period. June Simon Te is all set ready to go. A tourist associations. The latest challenge is generally one of the best mo- Abreo. Pullman and a baggage car have which will probably be disputed, nths in the year for weddings, Carlos Vidal and Miss Margarbeen spotted on a siding near the is that coming from Claude Stone, and June of 1925 was no except- ita Lope elections will be passed on in tects of Abilene, have drawn the Santa Fe passenger station, and of The Hub, who states that the ion to this rule. County Clerk Runnels county rural school dis- plans for this ten-room structure, the troop coaches will be hooked dry goods mercants of the city W. A. Forgey states that Satur- Smith. onto the regular East bound train (including gents' furnishing men, day is generally the best day in according to information receiv- schools in the rural districts to at 4:30 until they arrive at Brown- etc.) will play an other line of week for the issuance of marri- ardo Bastardo. wood where a special train will business in Ballinger. It is ex- age licenses, sometimes as many be made up for the encampment. pected this defi will be taken up. as five or six apply at the clerk's Thomas. The men will be gone from Bal- The wholesale oil dealers of the office on Saturday

election to vote on a \$2,000 bond cording to Supt. White. If the conditions identical to that of the defeat by the Harwell Motor Co., ages per month for the six-month issue to construct a new school consolidation carries it will result regular army, doing drills, man-team last Wednesday, and say period beginning January 1st and nie Waldrop. closing June 30th, as shown inan-Barbers of Ballinger also want other colum of this issue is only to brush off Harwell's champs, twenty-less than one a day. Decand are rarin' to go. They can ember marriage licenses are said to be generally good and this The groceries will also be chal- runs up the record for the last lenged by the dry goods men, it half of the year, but as a rule in Runnels County June is the best in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle. Numerous other baseball games month for cupid.

Following are the couples to 456 PEOPLE GET FREE

stores all day a chance to get a Brandon. little exercise and the fans some

J. R. Woofin and Miss Johnnie Patterson. Maurine Wylie.

nels County Warehouse Assoc- Boynton. iation ar ecalled to meet July 13 John Bunyan Parker and Miss;

in Ballinger. Election of offieers and other important business Thorp. Ardell Richards and Miss Ed-

ith Lyle Richards. Jessie Lane Davis and Miss ings this summer. 3-2tw. Lula Elizabeth Smith. Will Watson and Miss M. ( A. W. Sledge and family, who Henson

S. J. Spann and Miss Verda Sirildo Rivera and Miss Victor-

F. Blalack, Sam A. Davis, Orange editor was operated on for ap- Douglas Bryan and Miss LaRue pendicitis, returned home Sun- Nelson.

day night. They sold their car John A. Madole and Miss Lilin Memphis and made the return lian Elizabeth Criag. trip on the train to Abilene and Elmer Condra and Miss Edith were met in Abilene and brought

Arthur McGriffin and Miss Grace Cloud. Daniel Bacardo and Miss Rosa

Scott McGriffin and Miss Maxya

Ervin Boon and Miss Ida Mae Holland.

Lee Smith. Alex Saunders was a visitor to Ben Livermore and Miss Lucie San Angelo Thursday, earrying Rozzelle little neice, Miss Jeanne Saund- R. J. Tillery and Miss Clara

Simon Tenores and Miss Bedale

J. H. Baker and Miss Beulah

Adolpho Juarez and Miss Lion-

Edwin Collins and Miss Sarah

Roy Dolehite and Miss Buell R. H. Ashby and Miss Mary Lin

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with Worms have an un-cealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, im-prove the digestion, and act as a General Strength-ening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then

### BARBECUE AT SINGING

At a singing meeting held near M. R. Petrie and Miss Cora Paint Rock in Ballard Motte Sunday, four counties were represented, including Runnels, Concho-McCullough and Tom Green. Edmund L. Richards and Miss Free barbecue was served to the participants, and 456 people went Eagle Berry and Miss Drosel through the chute to get the free

Sheriff Bob Miller of Concho county, who was in Ballinger A. H. Halbert and Miss Beulah Monday reported the singing as one of the best affairs of its kind he ever attended, and it is planned to put on more of these meet-

### CHILD'S BEST LAXATIVE IS CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP



HURRY MOTHER! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thor-oughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child Lon Caswell and Miss Mary again. Even if cross, feverish, bilious, constipated or full of cold, children love its pleasant taste.

Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say "California." Refuse any



### The Tourist Camps Invite You!

Thousands of them, hospitable and friendly, play a big part in the vacation joys of thousands of families every year.

Take advantage now of this interesting, economical way to travel! Get into your Ford and go-far away from the every-day haunts and the

working grind! All the family will enjoy the outing; everyone will be healthier, happier and better for a change of scene and life in the open.

No other car requires so small an investment as the Ford; none offers you such value for your money.



On open cars demountable rime and starter are \$55 extra. Full-size balloon tires \$25 extra. All prices f. o. b. Detroit

SEE ANY AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER OR MAIL THIS COUPON

Fordor Sedan

Please tell me how	I can secure a	Ford	Car on	easy	payments
Name					
Address					
Cley		late			

### State Educational Dep't. **Grants Additional Units To** Ballinger High School of '25

"Ballinger Daily Ledger, "Ballinger, Texas. "Dear Gentlemen :

"I am sure it will be of interest to the public to know that we seles it had been before only a half Company Clerk Turner, resisted Miss Malvina Skinner to Mr. Geocured five and one half units of unit in each. This Commercial so we just doubled the dose for rege McCulley of Brownwood on close of school. There are some students that are intending to go Advanced Arithmetic were all escape their dose, namely: Castor, touch of attractiveness had been away to college this fall that do granted. In other words we only Parry and Branch. Sargent lost have the required fifteen units lost 1 1-2 units out of seven for Clark also made the run, but did not have the required fifteen units of entrance, this information will be glad news to them.

"In the first place we applied for the fourth unit of English the but I guess we should be satisfied. morrow is the day we start to the hostess was repeated in the deschool having only three units in We did some good work in these steady grind of drilling and the licious refreshment plate served at this department. The material subjects but those in authority many other duties that go with the conclusion of the games and had to be sent from all four thought that we were just a little camp life. grades of the High School. The below standard and will offer some suggestions as to how to imstood to be very difficult to secure, there being a very small per it with favorable comment. Both helpful to the school and to the things we are enjoying camp life. the teachers and students deserve school administration in our last session, and father, I shall apthis unit.

"We only offer two units of preciate the continuance of your Spanish and secured full credit another year. A school is a growfor both units. We feel proud ing institution and when it ceases that we were able to obtain these to grow and improve, it must of The Ballinger Ledger, enedits, for many children had necessity go backward. Let Ballinger, Texas. rather take the Spanish than the everyone do what we can to make Latin, but would not do this for our schools for our children sec- morning about seven thirty, and Penn, Ross Murcheson, Williams we already had four full units in ond to none in the country. Yours things have been pretty lively up King, of Brownwood, Elbert Latin. This makes us six credits and mine deserve the best, as well until the time of this writing. Clampett of Cisco, A. B. Lankin foreign Language. We shall as, or, as much as any children in Our train took on National Guard ford of Abilene, Misses Elizabeth offer the third unit in Spanish this big state. With the new units from the time if left Ballin and Ellen Jones of Brownwood, next year if there are a sufficient building, the new and modern ger until it reached Austin. When Katharine Penn, Helen Brewer, number of students applying for equipment, and with the coopera- our train pulled into eamp there Adda Ward, Felda Cathey, Olga it. We have a Latin course that tion of all, we can have a school were fourteen coaches of Khaki Zappe, Anna Jean Sharp, Naomi cannot be excelled and hope to and a school spirit that will be Clads to take their places in the McWilliams and Lillian McKinbuild up as good a course in deserving of the Ballinger people. camp. Some trains had beat us ney. Spanish. Miss Peeler is now in "Assuring you of my best ef- here and some have come in since the University of Mexico, at Mex- forts for the improvement of your we made our arrival. Reports inico City, taking Spanish that she school system and the community dicate that there are near four may teach the work even more ef- at large, I am, ficiently than before.

"Last fall we added Bookkeep-

streets were cut and the ram-

shackled house had given place to

home where he was reared, just

south of Fort Worth in Tarrant

And returning to Denton on the

such does Lilly recall it.

saw the place, Lilly said.

there apparently would never be

Fifty years ago, W. K. Lilly,

prospecting trip. He had left his dell and family.

pretty residences.

OLD HOME A VISIT

PIONEER TEXAN PAYS

WITH THE BOYS IN CAMP AT AUSTIN

Camp Mabry July 5, 1925. Well this is Sunday and things have been running pretty lively for the last few minutes. The ling, Typewriting, Shorthand, Ad- boys of Company C decided they vanced Arithmetic, Economics, needed a little fun to pass the and increased the American Histime away, so we each one just credits that we applied for at the work consisting of Bookkeping, him. We are now waiting for Shorthand, Typewritting, and three others that have run off to

which we applied. Of course we it with a smile. were sorry that we were not able Tomorrow's sun will look down to secure the 1-2 unit in Econom- upon different activities than it ics, American History, and Civies has for the past two days; as to-

smile pass your countenance to "I would like to thank any and see some of the Ballinger boys cent of the schools of the state all, students, patrons, and teach- limping as a result of blistered unique and clever way the engage ers, who were in the least way heels, etc. But considering all

> Yours very truly Company C.

> > Camp Mabry, Austin, Texas,

July 3rd, 1925.

thousand men here to take the take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a two weeks training

From all indications we think training camp this year than Croup is enclosed with every bottle, of TO ENCAMPMENT that which we had last year in A number of local Baptists will Galveston.

"Sincerely your,

"W. A. CAIN, Supt."

others will make tops back ant

al. A number of prominent Bap-

tist will take part in the religious

The following Ballinger people

remember that a man was killed

"Things were pretty wild in

"Conditions in everything have

anno: need for each day.

BALLINGER BAPTISTS

Rip Van Winkle after his long attend the Christoval Baptist En-

to a prosperous town, and couldly on the grounds pro sed, while

recognized his old home. The grass and weeds which had grown in the

pioneer Texan, then a cow-punch- will leave for the encampment

County, and made his way thru FOR SALE - One Fordson

Denton, on to Gainesville and Tractor, one Three Disc Oliver

thence west in search of a new Tractor Plow, both practically

home. At that time Denton was a new. Can be seen at warehouse of

this story. Like Van Winkle's ed west," he said. "I can rememhome town, Denton has taken on ber when Birdville was the coun-

phenomenal growth since he last ty seat of Tarrant County and I

but he learned in two years what on my prospecting trip I thought

days) ox wagon. And he has re- ered a large part of the land in

years which have elapsed since And now much of the land that

that time. The family settled Lilly refused to buy at \$2.50 an near Fort Worth and Lilly remain- acre could not be bought for 40

his father in the cattle business, brought as high as \$150.00 per

ably contained 1,500 people and days its use was not past.

Rollwitz.

Thanking the folks of Ballinger sleep trudged thru the changed campment, which opened at that for their interest shown us upon streets of his native village, grown place Menday. Some will caup our departure, we are,

Faithfully yours, Company C., 142 Inf.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic restores gathering, and fine programs are Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how er, and now a resident of Ballin- Tuesday afternoon: Mr. and it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then ger, who with his family, is here Mrs. Wm. Street and family, Mrs.

visiting his daughter, Mrs. E. N. J. Morgan and daughter, Mrs. Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is simply Otis Allen, came to Denton on a Patterson, and Rev. Alvin Swin- Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it · Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

very insignificant town-and as Van Pelt, Kirk & Mack. Will Quite a number of Ballinger 17-tfw people went to Abilene on the 4th to attend the speed classic, including whom were Harold Stubbs, visit to his daughter during the took him to Denton 50 years ago. | Cicero Smith, Otwell Layton, J. past week his trip is not unlike "I grew up in Tarrant County L. McWhirter, Clarence McCarthat of the famous sleeper refer- and I punched cattle there and ver Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Thomas, red to in the first paragraph of in adjoining counties until I mov- and Harvey Holloway

#### Heal Those Sore Gums

If you suffer from Sore Gums, Bleed-ing Gums, Loose Teeth, Foul Breath, "I was surprised to see that near my home when the election, or from Pyorrhea in even its worst perform was not only a good town which changed the county seat to Denton was not only a good town which changed the county seat to but a city of considerable size," Fort Worth, was held. I recall he said. "When I was last here quite well the old fort that used different from any other treatment, and about 50 years ago, Denton prob- to stand on the river and in those results are certain.

Sold by Strain Drug Co.

much of a town in this locality. those times," he continued. "The Mrs. Cunningham, who operates The streets were almost no streets Indians gave some trouble—over a florist shop in Amarillo, was countries of take.

—overgrown with grass and weeds towards Decatur—until well after visiting old friends in Ballinger -overgrown with grass and weeds towards Decatur-until well after visiting old friends in Ballinger and the sand was so deep that a the Cicil War and there was a cer- Monday, and reviewing scenes of wagon would occasionally get tain lawless element which caus- her childhood. Mrs. Cunningham wagon would occasionally get tain lawless element which causes stuck and have to be shoveled ed some trouble. All of this was formerly Miss Carrie Holmscountry, then, was unfenced and ley, whose father was Dr. Holms-Lilly was born in Arkansas, when I came to Denton County ley of Ballinger.

Misses Elizabeth and Ellen some "Arkansawyers" never the land was practically worthhave learned—that it was fool- less. It could have been bought Jones, of Brownwood are here visish to waste one's life in Arkan- for \$2.50 an aere but I was look- iting Misses Mal and Ruth Skinsas when Texas was just across ing for range land and not farm ner. Miss Mal Skinner, who had the line. So he came to Texas land. I did not want to get into been visiting in Brownwood rewith his father's family, traveling a territory that was littered up turned home with the Misses in the conventional (in those with a lot of woods such as cov- Jones Thursday.

A Tonic Restorative SCOTT'S EMULSION ed in that section, engaged with times as much and some of it has OF PURE COD-LIVER OIL

FOR NURSING MOTHERS ABOUNDS IN VITAMINS

DR. P. J. BROPHY Dentist Office over Winters State Bank. Winters, Texas.

Announcement Party.

At a party of beautiful appointments, Mrs. C. P. Shepherd was hostess on Friday afternoon, announcing the engagement and aptory and Civies to a full unit got through running the gauntlet. proaching marriage of her niece, Thursday, July 23rd.

> In rooms to which an added given with a floral odorno of shasta daisies, guests found their places at the six tables arranged for playing Bridge by means of dainty place cards. The yellow and white motif, employed by the in the individual guests favors of bags of rice.

When the guests had all found places each was given a crossword puzzle to solve and in this ment was announced.

Mrs. Shepherd was assisted by her daughter, Miss Evelyn in making the afternoon one of unusual pleasure for Misses Malvina and Louis Ruth Skinner. Mms. J. M. Skinner, David Taylor, Cecil Thorp, Larent Webb, Homer Carsey, R. W. Earnshaw, K. V Northington, Troy Simpson, Oscar We reached Camp Mabry this Williams, of Winters, Clinton

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Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

county, accompanied by his son harlie, visited Ballinger Monmorning arranging details the forthcoming West Texas Sheriff's Association convention which will be held in Eden on July 8th and 9th.

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Misses Eleanor and Louise Kirk, Prof. W. A. Cain and Prof. J. B. Pace, will arrive in Ballinger this evening from Austin. Miss Louise Kirk and Mr Pace

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ach that affected my breathing, and Black-Draught helped this trouble. "For such common complaints, think Black-Draught is the best medicine a person can use."
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Steve Hale was among those going to Coleman county for week- Recause of its tonic and laxative effective BROMO QUININE (Tablets) can end vacation trips.

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#### WHAT IS PROFIT?

Profit, according to some of the old school arithmetics, is the difference between the price which a merchant pays for an article and the price for which he sells it. Some merchants and accountants eall it gross profit.

In modern trade language both are wrong. Only a small part of the difference between the cost price and the selling price is profit. Out of the difference must come the expenses which sometimes absarb from ninety to ninety-five per cent, of the entire

How numerous those expenses list suggested for study by the ers no moss? National Distribution Conference organized under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce of the

Wages, rent, heat, power, light, telephone, supplies, cost of capturns and pilfering; unknown there is both pro and con to be ever seen here at this time of the losses due to other causes and said on this subject. Attendance year. His crop is chopped, mistakes; deliveries, selling on ap- falls when a team seems doomed plowed, free of weeds and is proval, small purchases, long to near-cellar position, and a new ready for a rain. eredits, styles demanding a wide variety, taxes, size of territory decenteralization of purchases by merchant and consumer, turnover

If the retail merchant succeeds ting them to cook off their own. in meeting all these costs out of the margin between buying and selling price, what is left is pro- tried in matrimony at New Orfit. If not, he is out of pocket leans when three couples will be and out of luck.

sanitarium for appendicitis op- Two of the brides-to-be are twins, erations. Doctors say that the and the groom in the third concause of appendicitis is unknown, tract is a brother of the twins, but may possibly be due to soft One lone best man will act for the living of the present generation, three grooms.

ger fans at present, and much a. B. Legate will attend the carmusement and recreating is gain- riers' convention at Coleman Sated, particularly by those actually urday. playing in the games. A couple! of hours in the cool is also relish-

may or may not find work in this concrete or cement structure. prosperous section, and there is overcrowd the field.

ngineered by big oil magnates cents. nd former Secretary Albert B. he inhuman acts committed by tainment. he Chinese in their recent civil ar and demonstrations against. The American Legion certainly a more friendly feeling, and a reigners prove the truth of the brought the crowds to Ballinger route to market that the farmers

#### OIL MOVES

According to a well informed local citizen who comes in contact with oil men every day, the oil production outlook for Runnels by any means.

Geologists are working nearer to Ballinger every day, and a has its experts on the edge of showers do not do as much good Shackelford county, working as the same amount in a general southwest. No definite proof has rain but every little bit helps and ever been advanced that this county will not produce oil in paying quantities. Th elarger corporations are never in a hurry to open new fields, but the trend is surely this way.

exceeds all expectations.

this Independence Day gets the if you intend to take a vacation same weather hand-out as in in a car and travel around over

A 300 pound stone fell off an eighteen-story Dallas skyscraper

As usual the directors of the executive session to discuss the spurt may put them up in the first division if not in first place.

Home-brewing is worrying the shipments and broken packages. their former customers are quit-

A novel experiment Many persons are in the local will return to a triple love-nest.

According to the Portland ed by most people who have been Cement Corporation's bulletin cooped up in hot office buildings estimates published by the U. S. 24 per cent of the consumption Marcellus E. Foster, of the barrels—is used in paving highof cement-last year 146,000,000 Houston Chronicle, has been nam- ways, and about 7 per cent in ed a director of the Southern sidewalks and private driveways; Newspaper Publishers Associa- while another 25 percent is used ton, which closed its convention in public and commercial buildc'ay. There is not a stronger for miscellaneous farm purposes. character nor a wiser head in The remaining portion is employ-Southern newspaperdoom than ed in small individual per centoster, and his editorials in "Our ages for dwellings, concrete pipe City" column of the Chronicle for sewers, irrigation, etc; by are truthful and courageous. Un- railroads, for bridges, dams and ex-service men about attempting der his guidance the Chroniele for miscellaneous purposes. A to secure loans on the insurance has become one of the foremost new demand for this material is policies issued them on their adewspapers of the United States, being created in the construction justed compensation. of residences, according to archi- policies were found by secret Many tourists are coming this teets and contractors, and the service men in the hands of one ay now, and more will come day will no doubt come when it money lender in San Antonio. when they find that they can trav- will take the place of a great part The law prohibits loaning money t with pleasure in a car in this of the lumber now used in build, on these policies for the first two art of the state. In addition to ing houses. In Germany, France years and then the loan is very tourists people who are out to and other European countries small. Men should hold these ce the country and take an out- very little wood is used on ac- policies tight for they will be ug-are drifters and laborers count of the scarcity and high worth a great deal of money some om the drouth stricken areas of price of lumber and because of the day and it is not right to them-Texas. This last mentioned class more substantial character of the selves or the government to sacri

For those who desire to move here to climb, wool being sold at Mert- by grafting the former service and rent or purchase farm, noth- zon this week for as high as forty- man for the adjusted pay he has ing but welcome is extended, but six and one quarter cents per been given by the government. others should be warned not to pound. This is a good price for wool, but is not what most of the Any man who returns to Ballin-Runnels county wool growers re. ger after a few weeks' vacation Edward L. Doheny, who was in- ceived who had their wool sold travelling over the country in his icted in the Elk Hill oil lease, in under contract. The bulk of the car will tell you that the biggest onnection with nefarious deals Runnels county clip sold for 50 assect any town can have is the

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all, gave out what was said to The auto races at Abilene have have spent their lives advocating e a military secret Wednesday, grown by leaps and bounds and better roads into our trade terricheny said the great naval oil according to the advertising mat- tory and these men are willing to torage tanks built at Pearl Harder being distributed this year one go the limit to get these roads. or, Hawaii were built by him at of the best racing programs ever We have others who acknowledge he argent request of high naval held in the South will be given that good roads are the thing but nd military officers, who feared there on July 4th. Several men who can see no way of getting n invasion by an Oriental power, of national fame in the racing them. There is only one way to a one respect at least Doheny is world will take part in the big secure good roads so far as we ght-an invasion by an Orient- program on the 4th and Abilene have been able to find out and I horde would be worse than any no doubt will be overrun that day that is to build them and pay for trocity ever planned by the for- with people from all over West them. If they are a good propoher Kaiser of Germany. Some of Texas who like that kind of enter- sition the investment will bring in

for the birthday celebration.

Local showers that have been falling in different sections of the county for the past several days have done a great deal of good. Between Ballinger and Abilene five different showers county and Ballinger is not dead have covered a four or five mile strip and most of the farms along that route have received from one-half to one inch of rain in the large oil company of New York past three days. We realize that

So many laws became effective on June 18th that a fellow can be violating one and never know it. Sweet news: Cuban sugar crop Ignorance is no excuse, however, and it will be safest for people who do not know about these laws Citizens of Ballinger will be to make inquiry so they can abide able to keep cool this Fourth if by them. This is especially true

some crops are in mighty good

these showers.

the state.

shape as the result of getting

Fishing parties returning to onto a two-story building adjoin Ballinger from the rivers around ing and did \$50,000 damage to a here report that campers are so photograph studie and a fur store. thick along the river banks that are is indicated by the following Who says the rolling stone gath- it is hard to find a place in the shade to pitch camp.

A farmer brought a stalk of Texas League have been called in cotton to The Ledger office Saturday afternoon about ten inches split season for that baseball high and covered with squares. organization. And as usual Fort He stated that he had about two ital, bad debts, freight and cart- Worth is well out in front in the hundred acres just like the sample age, losses due to markdowns, rechase for the pennant. However, and that it was the best he had

As usual the Sunday concert by the band proved a popular attracbaying by the merchant in small bootleggers at Dallas, who claim nels county were parked about tion. People from all over Runthe lawn to hear the music and it is just another proof of value of a band. The boys will be all dressed up in new uniforms within the next three weeks and no doubt this will add to the enthusiasm of the boys and make the aggregation look like a real band,

> Next Sunday, June 21st, is 'Father's Day.'' This day is now being observed all over the nation as a day set apart for Father and all things that can be done for work and efforts for your benefit own dad better than anyone else, so just try to do something that you know will please him.

Fishermen who bring the fish back to town with them don't have to tell anything.

The United States Veterans fice them to some money lender who is willing to risk federal pros-Janger of a surplus of laborers. The price of wool still continues ecution in order to make money

> some citizens in Ballinger who a good dividend each year in the extension of the trade territory, lean use in all kinds of weather.

Helen Zurmu Eslen of Java, East breath of fresh air and fell.

level with the second floor.

James Thompson, who was vis- by his wife. NEW YORK, July 8.—Baroness ped to the open window for a death, but investigating officials

India, was killed today by a fall from the seventh story of the Ritz 28 years of age, was Miss Helen fall was accidental. Carlton Hotel here. The baroness Carruthers, of San Antonio before! Silence is usually mistaken for fell from a window and struck on her marriage to the baron, who is sense.

the hotel roof and the roof of the in the Dutch diplomatic service. Japanese Garden, which is on the He is at present in Java, where he expected to be joined shortly

iting with the baroness and An investigation has been startfriends at the time, said she step- ed into the cause of the woman's expressed the opinion that the

# Fall Hatched Chicks

will grow off faster and cost less to raise than at any other season of the year.

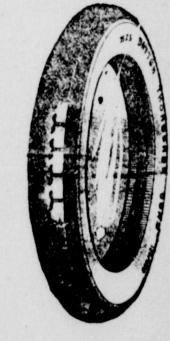
# The E. A. Jeanes POULTRY HATCHERY AT THE ECONOMY MILLS

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Ballinger,

Texas

# J. W. L. HALL TO



J. W. L. Hall

"The Next Step in Cotton Marketing" will be the subject of an interesting address by J. W. L. Hall, Field Service Director of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, when he speaks at the court house in Ballinger, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock July 18th.

Mr. Hall has the reputation of being one of the foremost outhorities on cotton co-operative market ing in the South and since cooperative marketing is becoming a generally accepted principle of marketing cotton, his visit to Runnels County is expected to draw large crowds. In addition to discussing the next step in They will visit Mr. Simpson's Sunday night to be operated on Schuchard. Hugo came in Moncotton marketing, the speaker brother at Breckenridge , will for appendicitis in an emergency day night to spend a few days. will also go into detail with respect to the organization, operation and advancement of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association with which he has been connected in an official capacity Cecil, visited Mrs. A. E. Cusen- with Mrs. King's parents, Mr. are leaving Thursday for Califor-

# MASONS WILL CELEBRATE AT

One Ballinger citizen was a onic Lodge, No. 613, when the Worth on a week's visit. lodge was organized forty years ago, and will probable be preseart at the fortieth anniversary celebration to be held on July 25. The Ballinger man is Dr. W. W. Fowler, who together with G. S. Plants, D. C. Melton, J F. Stand-W. T. Melton, W. H. Smith, J. W. Spiva, W. E. Wootan Sr., A. M. Dunman, R. Coffey, W. W. hours. Fowler, R. P. Merrill, W. P. Dodson, James E. Howse and J. W. Ratchford organized the Paint Rock lodge.

Four of the charter members of the lodge are still living: Dr. W. W. Fowler, of Ballinger; J. F. Sanderfer, of Paint Rock; G. S. ional Bank of Seymore, Texas; Monday, and W. H. Smith, of Alexanderia,

conisiana. niversary meeting will consist in Ballinger Monday. banging enlarged pictures of the be held, and a program of infer- meeting. mal discussion will complete the anniversary session.

O. L. Sims, H. H. Ratchford, A. R. Holmes, W. C. (Uncle Billy) Montgomery and J. B. Waide are members of a committee on arrangements for the meeting. All Masons in Concho county will be invited to the meeting, but on account of the limited space in the hall it was not thought advisable to request the presence of all Masons in Ballinger, San Angelo, Miles, Brady and Menard, but these lodges will be asked to send four representatives each to the meeting.

C. R. Crews, W. B. Halley, E. D. Walker and D. M. Baker will probably represent the Ballinger lodge at the Paint Rock annivertary meeting, and have been asked to be present at 6:00 o'clock p. m. The Paint Rock lodge received its charter December 11th 1885, just a few days over a year before the Ballinger lodge was organized on December 17th 1886. Mr. Crews is the only surviv-

ing charter member of the local lodge in good standing.

Will Hale, of Talpa, transacted business in Ballinger Monday,

Herbert Sledge, Maurice Gressett, W. Northington, Bernie Ward Earnshaw on the Fourth. and Roy Mack were visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Lem McElroy,

Jones, of Brownwood, who had Sunday. been here several days visiting

Nicholson and other relatives on spent Sunday with his parents, the Fourth. Mr. Clampitt left Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Castor, and Sunday for home, while Mrs. other relatives. Clampitt will remain for a longer Crews Alexander, of San Angelo loway, of Abilene, was elected.

family spen the Fourth in Stephenville, visiting relatives.

Christoval for the Fourth on an

Mrs. Chas. Northington is visiting friends in Fort Worth.

J. P. Flynt, who is now associated with Magnolia Provision Co., of Houston, having recently accepted a position with that coneern, left Monday morning for Goldthwaite to be gone a week on

Roy Reeder left Monday afternoon for Dallas where he will be gone for several days on business and visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Simpson and baby are away on their annual vain Abilene, being gone a week or could be expected.

rado and Sonora Saturday.

ented Winters directors at the tin.

ger Monday afternoon, and at spent the day in onting. tended the fair directors meeting.

John Heck, of Wilmeth was a the Ballinger Country Club.

business visitor to Ballinger Mon-

ed on for appendicitis Tuesday end. morning, had a very serious case

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Meadows Christi. the Fourth.

Plants, president of the First Nat- tion meeting held in Ballinger will spend the summer.

charter members on the walls of in Ballinger Monday, and repre- Street the lodge rooms. Installation of sented that rich section of Runofficers for the coming year will nels county at the fair directors You hear more people laughing

Mrs. H. T. Byers, of Caruthers

William Fox

ville, Missouri, who had been in Ballinger to attend the funeral of FIVE TEACHERS her mother, Mrs. Mary Shields, returned to her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Whitehead, of Abilene, a former West Texas League baseball player, and Mr. Fleming of Ballinger Independent School Dis-done. Coleman, were guests of R. W.

Misses Elizabeth and Ellen McElroy and other relatives here high school, a colored school teach The morning services begin at

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richards Mr. and Mrs Elbert Clampitt, urday and Sunday, spending the to teach the commercial course; of Cisco, were visiting Mrs. Fourth with relatives in Ballinger. and R. M. Pogue of Waco, and

his mother, Mrs. Alma Alexander history at the last term of the lo-

Ballinger Saturday and Sunday. place in the Austin schools. Miss Wilma Straley who is attending school in Brownwood ancies in the Junior High School came in Friday afternoon to spend and one vacancy in the High

and Mrs. Platt C. Straley. here to be with other relatives stated, although this part of the

Mrs. L. F. Gressett. ilene, were vistlors to Ballinger school work. At the next meetover the Fourth, guests of Mrs. ing, however, the purchase of id Keeton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. ditional equipment for the school W. D. Gregory, and other relat- will come up for consideration.

Kirk Gregory was carried to eation, leaving Saturday morning the Halley & Love sanitarium is here visiting his brother Edwin stay awhile in Fort Worth, and case. At last reports this afterwill visit Mrs. Simpson's relatives noon he was doing as well as who had been visiting relatives,

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King, of to her Tuesday evening. Mrs. R .A. Dickinson and son, Brownwood spent the Fourth Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stephens since its organization four years berry, a sister-in-law of Mrs. and Mrs. E. J. Cathey, and Mrs. nia to be gone the remainder of Dickinson at Sonora last Satur. King will be here for a longer vis- the summer. Their address will it while her husband is attending be San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dickin- the National Guard encampment son visited in Christoval, Eldo- with the Brownwood at Camp Mabry. Mr. King left Ballinger G. S. Neely, of Winters, repress Saturday to join his unit at Aus-

board meeting held here Monday G. P. Teague was a business visitor to Brady Saturday, Mrs. Bert Fletcher ,of the Mayerick Teague and children accompanied country, had business in Ballin him as far as Eden, where they

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Moody left ters, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. member of the Paint Rock Mas- Tuesday for Dallas and Fort H. S. Strain on the Fourth, and

Kirk Gregory, who was operat- tives and friends over the week-

it was stated Tuesday afternoon, Thursday night, on the Santa Fe erfer, R. T. Benge, W. J. McLane, but was doing as well as could be from Coleman where she visited expected at last reports. Kirk relatives. Mrs. Thomas, her couswas on the operating table two in and husband, of Coleman, made a short trip this week to Corpus

and family, and Mrs. Will Stuart Burton Reese, Hesterwood Clayand children of Houston were a- ton and Paul Jeanes were among mong visitors to Christoval on those attending the races at Abilene on the Fourth.

Edgar Jayroe, of the Crews Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Kelly and country, represented that part of son, Archie, leave Thursday mornthe county at the Fair Associa- ing for Kingsville, where they

Mrs. Ada Mullins, of Dallas, John Bigby, one of the promin- who has been with the Western ent citizens of the Bethel neigh- Union Telegraph Co., for the past Part of the ceremony of the an- borhood, was a business visitor to thirteen years, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. II. A .Mitchell, of Drasco, was N. S. Mullins, 219 South Seventh

> in small houses than you hear in big houses.

Mrs. R. E. George, the Misses ers were elected to positions in sweet singing.

was accepted. Misses Mal and Ruth Skinner, re- and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams, merce, was elected to teach man- crowds are growing, so come early ual training; Miss Sibyl Ingram, and get a chair. Clampitt's mother, Mrs. R. A. L. M. Castor of San Angelo, Miss Helen Brewer, of Ballinger were elected to high school plac-

For the negro school, H. W. Cal-

was in Ballinger Saturday and Miss Myrtle Bridwell, who Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dannelly and Sunday, spending the Fourth with taught bookkeeping, Latin and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fyynt and cal high school, and who was re-C. C. Haley and family went to family, and Frank Flynt Jr., of elected this year to teach mathe-Winters, were visiting relatives in matics, has resigned to accept a

At present there are two vac the Fourth with her parents Mr. School. Another meeting will be held this week, in which appli-Mrs. T. B. Pickett of Temple is eations may be passed on, it was visiting their parents Mr. and program may be deferred until the return of Supt. W. A. Cain, E. O. Keeton and family, of Ab- who is in Austin in summer

> Hugo Schuehard, of Fort Worth Mrs. T. B Pickett and children at the Gressett reunion returned

crowds are attending the meeting The board of trustees of the and some splendid work is being Cario Seeks Navigation Meeting

er was elected, and a resignation 10:00 a.m. The evening services begin promptly at 8:30 o'clock Prof. H. C. Kennedy, of Com- and are held on the lawn. The a year.

'REPORTER'

than the fastest auto, which is isfied. Ask your dealer. why it is so hard to grasp.

A eard received by The Ledger THE NAZARENE REVIVAL from Hammond O'Kelly states

A revival meeting is now in that he is now located at Weslaco, progress at the Church of the Texas, where he will be this sum-Nazarene on Ninth Street. Good mer for the cotton season,

triet held an important meeting Evangelist R. M. Hocker is has been appointed to organize last Friday evening, and trans- bringing some wonderful messag- an international navigation conacted much business. At this es. Miss Rhodes and Miss Cox gress in Cario. It will function San Angelo Friday evening and of Ovalo, were visiting Mr. and meeting a number of new teach- are blessing the people with their uder the direction of the minister of public works.

Congress enacts about 300 laws

KILL SCREW WORMS

heal wounds and keep off flies with MARTIN'S SCREW WORM KILLER. More for your money Opportunity passes by quicker and your money back if not sat-

Cooler than the Coolest

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY July 10th and 11th PETE MORRISON

"POT-LUCK PARDS"

"Cyclone Pete" in

An action comedy-drama of western chivalry and cowboy frailty in five parts

Also Jack Perrin and Marilyn Mills in the 5th episode of

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I can buy well known brands of quality groceries at PIGGLY WIGGLY, which are guaranteed to give satisfaction or my money will be refunded.

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19 bars Crystal White Soap 1 pkg. Crystal White Soap Chips 3 bars Cream Oil Soap

48 Lb. Smith's Best Flour

\$2.25

1 LB. CHOCOLATE CANDY WITH EACH POUND 1 LB. CHOCOLATE CANDY

30c FREE

3 Pkgs. Poly Pop

25c



his brand new specials. AND 10c

The only place in town where you can see Tom Mix in

"Spat Family Comedy and Fox News

Fo-To-Sho Theatre

Friday and Saturday, July 10 and 11

THE BIG SPECIAL

## **BRADY BOOSTERS** TO COME HERE Special to The Ledger MILES, July 6,-

city will be in Ballinger on July few days visit with relatives ut; 10th, according to announcement Miles. published in the Brady Standard. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Massey and gelo on Thursday afternoon. od to leave Tuesday, July 7th, re- urday. turning after a four day trip for the purpose of advertising the Temple are visiting relatives here Sheep and Goat Raisers' Assoc- and in San Angelo. iation which is to be held in E. Keisling and son, Alfred Brady on July 28th, 29th and were visitors to Christoval on

The trippers will go south the ericksburg, and spending the!, will be the stop for dinner on the day and Sunday with Mrs. J. A. second day and the trippers will Tyler and daughters. towns visited on the third day, on Friday.

With Eldorado Christoval and Ade Montgomery of Waco is San Angelo for dinner, Ballinger and Paint Rock in the afternoon gomery near Miles. of the fourth day.

There will probably be two hundred Brady citizens in the parade to be staged here, and will day be accompanied by Brady's "Laza Jane" Band. A concert will be played in Ballinger.

PREVENTS INFECTION flesh with extraordinary speed. returning to Miles. Bad wounds or cuts which take weeks to heal with the ordinary Saturday to her home in Abilene liniments mend quickly under the after visiting her uncle, J. C. Mepowerful influence of this wonder- Danald and family. ful remedy. Price (Liquid) 30c, 60e and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by

John A. Weeks

#### CHILD HURT BY AUTO

Little Miss Ethel Hull, daughter visited friends at Sherwood on Slaton after visiting Mr. and Mrs. of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hull, is still Saturday and Sunday. suffering from concussion receiv- Frank Meadows of San Angelo ed Friday evening when she was visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. struck by an automobile driven B. A. Meadows of this city on Moore and son, Carl Kinemid of It crashes into sour bile like dynamite cramping and siekening you. Calone rapid rate. The little girl was | Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lumpkin home at Florence, Texas. erossing the street to a confect and sons, Kenneth and Kermit of O. B. Patty was a visitor to driven by an unknown person hit lie and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lumpher and carried her several yards kin. on the running board. Ethel, who is four years old, was rushed to the sanitarium, and received an X-ray examination, which discussed several bruises but it is a discontinuous for their home at Edinburg after visiting Miss Lara Hart Misses Evic and Lynn Langston.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Gannaway left Sunday for their home at Edinburg after visiting Miss Lara Hart Misses Evic and Lynn Langston.

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#### THE OWL CAFE

all regular dishes, hamburgers, other relatives and friends. short orders, etc. A call will be Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Holmes and

and Santa Fe Depot on 7th street. day from Dallas to visit her Moth-F. C. JENKINS, Prop. | er Mrs. Sarah Smith.

#### HAIL DAMAGES OLD RUNNELS CROPS

night, did considerable damage on account of the rain.

a part of the 100 acres lost in the and responded to his aid Brother previous storm, that had been re- Turner, proprietor of the City planted and was in exceedingly Cafe being the first to be notified good shape, and would have made of his condition called out the sick a fine yield. Other farmers in committee of the local lodge. the neighborhood are reported to Miss Bertha Jenness spent the have lost some cotton.

#### NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE CLUB MEMBERS

club members and at the same She had as her guest Miss Hettie time give prospective members a Lee Keeton, Emmett Jenness and chance to compete for prizes in Willie Jackson accompanied the livestock, poultry, field crops, young ladies to San Angelo. etc., this notice is issued to the effect that no boy or girl shall be allowed to enter exhibits as a club member or compete for club prizes Thursday accompanied from here during the county fair, unless he or she has signed a regular memon to San Angelo to see Royal bership eard or made application on to San Angelo to see Royal for membership before July 15th, in a sanitarium at San Angelo

Therefore if you want to enjoy the privileges of a club member in competiting for club prizes during the fair get your applieation for membership in to the County Agent before July 15th.

C. W. LEHMBERG, County Agent, Runnels Co.

### MILES PERSONALS

MILES, July 6.-A. L. Curry day and children, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brady boosters, representing Snyder and baby left Sunday the Chamber of Commerce of that for their home at Snyder after a

county metropolis were schedul- Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Parmer on Sat-

Mr. and Mrs. John Sott of

Thursday

D. O. Montgomery and Dan Ellis first day, taking inner at Fred- were in San Angelo on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tyler and night in San Antonio. Uvalde baby of San Angelo spent Satur-

Riley and Dan Ellis and Homer spend the night in Eagle Pass. Riley and Dan Ellis and Homer Del Rio and Sonora will be the Stewart were visitors to Sonora

visiting his brother, D. O. Mont-

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Weisner of Rowena visited Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Curry on Saturday and Sun-

Raymond Pittman, Mrs. Weldon Moreland and Harrington Moreland left Sunday for their home at Austin after spending the 4th with relatives and friends in Miles. They were accompanied by

The greatest discovery in flesh Mrs. J. O. Pinkston and baby of healing is the marvelous Borozone, Port Arthur, who will spend a a preparation that comes in liquid few days in Austin before returnand powder form. It is a combining to her home, and by Mrs. nation treatment that not only Anna Pittman and son, Elton. purifies the wound of germs that Mrs. Pittman will visit relatives Friday cause infection but it heals the at Lockhart and Luling before

Miss Sallie Ruth returned an day.

Jene Thornton spent the Fourth

Miss Edna Buttery and Mr. Schooler of San Angelo visited friends in Miles Sunday. Tom Farmer and Miss Lora Hart

of ice cream when a car Childress and daughter, Miss Sal-

the nickle when rescued by her Mrs. B. E. Baugh for a few days.

West Miller of Houston visited because it is perfectly harmless and can Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Thomas Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Luce in this not salivate.

and Mr. and Mrs. Artemus Mc-Guire left Sunday for their home under new managment serving at Lampasas after visiting Mr. everything good to cat, including and Mrs. Sam Farmer Sr., and

appreciated. We also serve cold son, Graham of Lubbock are visliting friends in Miles.

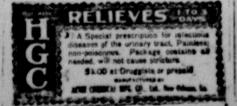
Located between Ladwig Bros. | Miss Mary Smith came in Mon-

Miles baseball boys defeated the San Augelo team by a score of 11 to 5 Saturday morning, July Hail reported in the old Run- 4th, on the local park. The game nels section of the county Friday with Paint Rock was postponed

to crops. George Holliday, who had previously lost 100 acres in a Springs, Texas, is ill at this place. hail storm, had 30 acres wipes out Mr. Gage is a member of the I. O. O. F., of that place and the broth-The 3t sere patch of cotton was or Odd Fellows were called on

week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H E. Jenness, returning to San Angelo on Sunday afternoon, where she is a student in In order to be fair to the old the San Angelo Business Cellege.

> MILES, July 3.-Dr. A. S. Love of Ballinger was in Miles on by Dr. J. H. Herndon, he went in a sanitarium at San Angelo as



.... result of an automobile accident city on Tuesday. \* Sunday.

W. W. Farmer attended to business in San Angelo on Wednes-

Dr. Crowder was a visitor to Miles from Ballinger on Thurs-Mrs. Lee Clarke and son, T. W.

The boosters of the McCullough daughter of San Angelo visited this place received a message on Thursday stating the sudden death of his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Adams, age 95 at Libert

visited Leroy Clarke in San An-

Hill, Texas. Alfred Wendland was a visitor to San Angelo on Wednesday. Clyde Harville was a business visitor to Miles from Ballinger on

Wednesday. Sam Farmer, Sr., Miss Myrtle Bauman, Mrs. C. L. Andrus and Mrs. J. O. Pinkston were among visitors to Ballinger on Wednes-

Mrs. Russel Grimes was called to Rowena on Tuesday to be with her mother, Mrs. Patterson, who

F. M. Smith attended to business in San Angelo on Wednesday Russel Grimes visited friends in San Angelo on Wednesday.

Eno and Walter Savage of Gainesville are guests of their ister, Mrs. J. I. Hancock. Mr. and Mrs. J. I Hancock and

son, Jesse Leroy, Eno and Walter Savage were in San Angelo on Thursday evening. Among Miles people going to

San Angelo on Tuesday were B. W. Forehand, Frank Eekert, Amos and Henry James. J. A. Freeman and C. B. Conn,

were here from Ballinger on last J. C. Cook of Ballinger attend-

ed to business in Miles on Tues-George Black and son of Cameron visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe

N. Luce here on Wednesday. Mrs. Huby Clarke and daughter Louise of Miles, Mrs. A. E. Woodward and children of Temple were visiors to San Angelo on Monday

this place has returned to her attacks the bones and should never be

elosed several bruises but it is Misses Evie and Lynn Langston not thought she was injured in have returned to their home in of the formers parents, Mr. and work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. No

STATEMEN'

OF BALLINGER

April 6, 1925

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts \_\_\_\_\_ 371,170.92

Bankers Acceptances \_\_\_\_\_ 190,915,94

Overdrafts 132.99

U. S. Bonds 28,000.00

Stocks and Bonds 4,700.00

Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures \_\_\_\_ 26,255.00

Real Estate \_\_\_\_\_ 24,500.00

Cash and Exchange \_\_\_\_\_ 248,646.88

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock \_\_\_\_\_ \$100,000.00

Surplus and Undivided Profits \_\_\_\_\_ 62,909.04

Reserved for Taxes \_\_\_\_\_ 2,542.17

Circulation \_\_\_\_\_ 25,000.00

Dividends Unpaid 5,000.00

We Carry No State, County or Municipal Interest-

We desire to thank our many friends and customers for

all business entrusted us, making it possible for our bank to

bearing Deposits.

render this most satisfactory statement.

FIRST NATIONAL

toval Thursday.

have moved to Ballinger where home on last Friday. Among Mrs. Brooks will take charge of those presene were; Mrs. L. M. the Stocks Hotel, owned by her Davidson and little daughter of mother, Mrs. T. J. Stocks, who San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Dick has been making her home in Trail of Brady, and Mr. and Mrs. this city with her daughter since Monree Norman and family of the death of Mr. Stocks sometime Holiday, Texas. Concho Licrald.

laughter, Mary Jo of Cameron, Sunday visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Luce

Mr. and Mrs. Lopie Gannaway and baby and D. C. Gannaway of Edinbury are guests of Miss Lara

Marvin Coughran of California and Finley Coughran of Dudley, Texas left Wednesday for Dudley fter visiting their sister, Mrs. II. C. Baughman here for several lays. Miss Myrtle Bauman acompanied them to Dudley where

he will spend a few days. William B. Tyler entertained he Young Men's Sunday School Class of the Baptist church on Tuesday evening at the Cressent Drug Store.

The parlor was attractively arranged. Beautiful flowers preented to the class by Mrs. W. W. Jackson adorned the table.

After the business session deicious drinks and sundaes were erved to the thirty members, the

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#### teacher, C. R. Tidwell, the Super-Mr. and Mrs. Boone and son intendent, L. B. Elamand the were visitors in Miles from Chris- Pastor Rev. Verner E. Stokes.

Mrs. J. A. Waide had a partial Mrs. J. P. Brooks and children reunion of her family at her

Misses Rena and Relda Freeman Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ratliff and of Mercedes, and who are taking baby were in Ballinger on Mon. a summer course at Daniel Baker College Brownwood, were here Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Luce and the latter port of last week visitdaughter, Miss Eloise were shop- ing Mrs. David Taylor on the ing in San Angelo on Thursday. Wood-Wright ranch. The Misses Mr. and Mrs. John Angell and Freeman returned to Brownwood

DEPARTMENT

Licensed Embalmers E. E. KING J. A. OSTERTAG

AMBULANCE SERVICE

Funeral Director

E. E. King

Ballinger, Texas

Condensed Statement of Financial Condition of

## Ballinger State Bank

June 30th, 1925

#### Resources

Loans and Discounts	\$214,382.59
Bonds and Stocks	1,290.00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	26,288.55
Other Real Estate	38,036.81
Interest and Assessment Guaranty Fund:	14,784.18
Cash and Exchange	69,553.96
	<b>\$</b> 364,336.09
Liabilities	

Capital	40,000.00
Surplus and Profits	7,936.72
Deposits	316,399.37

\$364,336.09

## Cottonseed---

Meal Hulls and Mixed Feed

# BALLINGER OIL MILL

## Progress Through Mutual Aid

Co-operation-all working together-brings vaster and more beneficial results than individual efforts alone.

You are co-operating with your community when you deposit money

It is used to advance the business interest of Ballinger and Runnels County, whose development brings greater progress to the community as a

There is therefore, a civic value to your bank account.

## FARMERSAMERCHANIS BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS

STRICTLY A BANKING INSTITUTION

# ESTABLISHES THE FIRST COTTON BREEDING FARM IN THIS SECTION OF STATE

R. S. Bowden, who lives one is laid off and separated to premile from Mayeriek, and farms in vent confusion, consisting of the the Maverick section of Runnels following varieties, Half-and-half county, has established what is Kash, Blue Wagon imported, Bensaid to be the first cotton breed- nett, Harper and one other kind. ing farm in the county, and one of the kind in ceived by Mr. Bowden every day West Texas. Mr. Bowden has six from farmers all over West Texas. Mr. Bowden has six from farmers all over West Texas. well as corn, maize and other feed requesting information as to the

part of the state from Lampasas how to handle the plant. This rush at the mill. A cleaning The major improvement procounty fifteen years ago, and after renting land for a time, pected to develop into a big entached to the seed house, the not been announced, but calls for bought from C. A. Doose & Co., terprise, similar to those in South dimensions of which are 38 by 38 much improvement, and same will out of the old Houghton & Rob-inson Ranch of 13,000 acres of all parts of the country.

| Texas, where seed are shipped to feet. The seed house proper will be pushed in orded to be ready be 68 feet four inches wide by for the 1925 exhibition.

from \$30 to \$40 an aere for, is to the acre, and maize from 6 to 8 etc., will be installed. The new now worth several times that feet high that promises two tons seed house will be constructed much, and the owner refused to the acre. Eight acres comprise with concrete floor, lumber and \$100 per acre for the place last the maize patch. week. It is located in a valley of There are other farms in Run- ional protection from fire wall. Oak Creek in the northwestern nels county which will do equally Movement of seed to and from part of Runnels county, and is as well as Mr. Bowden's, it is said the house will be automatic, and nearly as level as a floor, free and there is no section of Texas can be done much quicker than of Johnson grass, with the coton that can compare with Runnels previously. from knee to half hip tall. This county this year. Reports from cotton was planted on April 15, every tourist received by The Ledflat broke, the earth scratched, ger states that the rest of the watered once by irrigation during state is burning up, with possibly a short dry spell, finished plow- one or two exceptions. Farmers ing for the sixth time on July 1st, who came here years ago without and now has lots of blooms and a penny are now independent,

cotton, and the breeding cotton and a chance to get ahead.

Bob Bowden has about four acres the center 57 feet high. Newest The tract that Mr. Bowden paid of corn that will make 40 bushels improved equipment, conveyor,

### A. J. Thorp Champion Golfer of 1925; J. Whit Patterson Is The Medalist GOLD LEAF SIGN FOR

A. J. Thorp is 1925 champion the tie for the best man in the golf player of the Ballinger Coun finals of the second flight. try Club, winning the tournament arranged for club members on In- W. Cheatham, 51; R. L. Stephen- the Farmers and Merchants State dependence Day. Out of the 32 son, 46; J. McGregor, 53; Harry Bank to embellish their window. Who entered in the qualifying Lynn, 47. Finals: R. Stephrounds, J. W. Patterson won the enson 49; Harry Lynn, 45. Mr. gold leaf and is one of the most score recorded in the tourney at Fourth flight, semi-finals: M. C. tiest in the city.

ner of the bobie prize taking this flight. coveted place with a score of 64. Breakfast consiting of sand- lieve in sacrificing artistry for driving contest, hitting the ball to their caddies at the club house. a distance of approximately 245! At seven o'clock Saturday af-

1. Baker will play the winner of Fourth celebration.

37. Mr. Thorp won the champ- Atkins, 52; L. R. Tigner, 55; Dan Mr. Parnell has ionship of the club with a score of Moser, 55; J. D. Motley, 60. Fin- ged 14 years, and has done the als: M. C. Atkins, 50; Dan Moser, major portion of the better sign Dan Muser was declared win- 52; Mr. Atkins was winner of this worl in the city, and like the

E. W. McLaurin was second high wiches, coffee and doughnuts was speed. man, with a score of 63. A. J. served at 8:00 o'clock Saturday Thorp was also winner of the morning to the golf players and

ternoon, the ladies of the club Constipation. It relieves promptly but In the first flight, semi-finals, served a basket supper to all the following results were an members of the club. The memnounced: A. J. Thorp, 43; Mor- bers declare this was one of the per bottle. ris Nicholson, 45; R. W. Earn- most enjoyable events of the day, shaw, 51; Asa Cordill, 47. Finals closing what was said to be the SANFORD FLYNT DIES A. J. Thorp, 40; Asa Cordill, 46; most successful gathering ever Second flight, semi-finals: Dr. W. held on the club grouds. Swim-B. Halley and Dr. J. G. Douglass ming in the beautiful club lake Thursday night at Winters after cells in your blood, minus health, tied and will play it off today. C. was another feature of the July a short illness. The young man minus vitality. It is serious to be played by the property of the player by the pla

#### Old Timer Says Crop This Year Is Good As In 1908; Tells of Big Melon

Ballinger Thursday, and gave The Ledger reporter an interesting year, His corn was sent to Galbit of history on crop production. veston, where it took the state Mr. Witherspoon is now past 70 prize as the heaviest raised in POULTRY TONE, formerly call- nal ingredients are admitted by audit many many actual Texas. years old, and has quit actual Texas. farming, but still has supervision The pioneer citizen says he has EDY to your chickens and paint over his fine farm on the Colorado crops on his farm this year nearly your hen house with MARTIN'S ing appearance. River. He is one of the pioneer as good as in 1908, which were ROOST PAINT to kill and keep settlers in this county, coming raised without irrigation. He away insects. Guaranteed by E here in the early days from Ellis owns 210 acres, with 150 in culti- A. Jeanes at Economy Mills. county, when land in that county vation. One hundred acres are was beginning to sell for \$50 per in cotton. This is Colorado River

in Ellis county for \$50 per acre second. There is no hilly land on was too high for him, and he sold this farm, which is a part of the out and came to Runnels county Doc Holmsley survey. and bought better land for \$10 Another item mentioned by Mr. ening and watching the fireworks per acre. He has been here ever Witherspoon was about a large a fragment from the fireworks since and has done well.

ten cars of watermelons on ten pounds, was three feet long, and aeres, and on the same land pro- just could be crowded in the end duced half a bale of cotton to the of a wagon. A Detroit traveling acre. He planted three rows of salesman heard of the giant melon eotton and one row of watermel- and rushed out to buy it, paying ons, every fourth row being a three cents a pound. He stated melon row. On ten acres he had he wanted to ship it back to Micheorn which made 40 bushels to the igan, where folks made fun of aere, and on this tract he drilled Texas, and said we couldn't raise in maize in the middle and raised anything in this cactus

It on to the acre.

He exhibited his products at a saw and ate the melon said it was county fair in Ballinger that year the largest ever recorded, and was in which four counties competed, of fine flavor.

Winters and J. P. Flynt of Ballinger were uncles of the dead man, who lives and took first prize in the indivative who had other relatives and many and gave The spoon also took both blue and friends in this county.

Winters and J. P. Flynt of Ballinger were uncles of the dead man, who had other relatives and many body.

Winters and J. P. Flynt of Ballinger were uncles of the dead man, who had other relatives and many body.

More red-blood-cells! S.S.S. aids

land, situated in two valleys, 110 MRS. WILEY RAINWATER

Mr. Witherspoon said that land acres in one and 100 acres in the

watermelon he raised in 1908, struck Mrs. Wiley Rainwater and In 1908 Mr. Witherspoon raised which tipped the beam at full 100 cut quite a gash in her forchead.

# **NEW SEED HOUSE MORE LAND IS** FOR OIL MILL IS BOUGHT FOR FAIR

which will be much larger and day morning. more substantial than the house This tract is to the Southwest of will be more nearly fire proof ed part of the fair grounds.

"Bob" Bowden came to this of the state, when to plant, and the building ready for the fall pose necessary. virgin land. Bowden bought 200 | In addition to his cotton crop, 288 feet long with a fire wall near sheet iron walls and with addit-

Sufferers of Skin Diseases Hooper's Tetter-Rem is guaranteed short dry spell, finished plowag for the sixth time on July 1st,
and now has lots of blooms and
quares.

Mr. Bowden has 100 acres in
otton, and the breeding cotton and a chance to get shead.

Mr. Bowden has 100 acres in assured of a comfortable living of the sixth time on July 1st, who came here years ago without a penny are now independent, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living of the sixth time on July 1st, who came here years ago without a penny are now independent, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and those who come here now are assured of a comfortable living the sixth time of July 1st, and the sixth time of Ju Dandruff, Cracked Hands, Polson Ivy, Old Sores, Erysipelas, or any other skin disease or trouble, secure a bottle of Hooper's Tetter-Rem on our positive guarantee to give you entire astisfaction or your money back. A liquid. Will not stain. A germicide. Two sizes, 75c and \$1.50. Mfgd. by Encaline Medicine Co., Dallas, Texas. Sold and guaranteed by

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done recently in Ballinger, was entered, and four finished. medalist prize on the lowest Lynn was winner of this flight. costly as well as one of the pret-

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The baseball game between Lawn and Melvin was rained out Rodeo was a favorite attraction and many brone busters from this part of the state entered.

In the swimming contest, Opal Lee Miller, daughter of Sheriff FARMERS & MERCHANTS | Bob Miller of Paint Rock, won first prize. In the 200 yard swim One of the most artistic signs in 10-foot water, six contestants



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belle Mayes were married at the Eighth Street Presbyterian manse The Runnels County Fair As- Saturday afternoon, July 4th, sociation, through C. A. Doose & taking advantage of the Indepen-Co., has purchased all of blocks dence Day holiday to become par-

Mrs. Alexander is a daughter which burned October -, 1924, what is referred to commonly as of J. W. Mayes, who is a prominentailing a loss of approximately the laundry ditch, and is just a ent farmer living near Ballinger. \$125,000. The new seed house cross this ravine from the enclos- Mr. Alexander is engineer at the

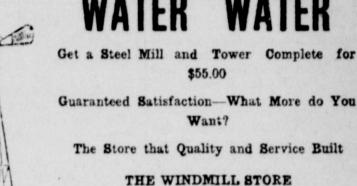
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they will save you money.

SOUTH BALLINGER

Miss Edna Mae Lowry left Mon-Brownwood.

8-4tdltw children returned home Monday Camp Mabry from Dublin, where they visited

tist church. Also the adjoining Mrs. Elzie Brown, of Corsicana, Murphy, Tuesday afternoon. property, consisting of a new 5 came in Monday from Cross

room residence, with all modern Plains for a week's stay with Mr. conveniences, garage, etc. Terms. Brown's parents ,T. P. Brown quite ill at her home for several Might consider trade, Fred Mit- and family and sister, Mrs. Ross days but is some better at last the warfare against the boll weechell, phone 230. Ballinger, Texas. Smith and family, while Etzie is reports. d&w tf looking after oil business at Cross Cut.

Lawton Clayton, Talpa, Texas, Rt. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook and but is now able to be up. 12-5tw-\* baby of Abilene, came down Saturday and returned home Sunday FOR SALE-Two residences in after a short stay with T. P.

--X--Mrs, Henry Leach is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chick and family at Eldorado, while Mr. FOR SALE-Dry mesquite wood Leach is with the National Guard amusements including goat road-

> W. H. Greer and family spent the Fourth of July in Abilene. Miss Faye Evans was among those to be in Abilene the 4th

Homer Prown went to Cross Plains Sunday where Elzie and 29 d & w 3t Claude Brown are looking after FOR SALE-Almost new Ford Monday. Mrs. Elzie Brown reoil business and returned home

lambs, mixed, at 9 1-2e per 1b. with the National Guard at Aus- bonds made out and signed.

and children and Mrs. R. E. about midnight Friday, June 26th, Brown and children went to by removing a portion of the

and Mrs. Letty's parents, Mr. up, and he is now at liberty on and Mrs. H. O. Humble. They bail. · returned to their homes at Wich-• • ita Falls Tuesday.

Raymond McMillan, Charlie day for a visit with relatives at Branch, Stell Branch, Milton Harris, Henry Leach, Fronis was charged with selling intox-Jones, C. E. Lowry are in the Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Evans and National Guard encampment at

Mrs. M. P. Kennon has been

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"BLUE BONNET"

PECAN SPRINGS PICNIC

A big basket pienie will be held at Pecan Springs on Thursday. July 16th. There will be various ing baseball, etc. Everybody is invited to come and join in the

## LANGIDEN BRINGS SHERIFF BONDS

What are you doing here, and where have you been," was the greeting Lang Iden received from Mrs. C. E. Lowry and children Sheriff Earl McWilliams Monare in Oklahoma for a stay with day morning when Iden walked WANTED To buy Rambouillet her parents while Mr. Lowry is into the sheriff's office with two

"These d- fellows wouldn't make these bonds for me, so I Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith and had to get out and get them my-FOR SALE-960 acres near family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith self," was the reply. And the Concho, known as W. A. Tillery and family, of Fort Stockton, vis- one-time resident of the Runnels Ranch, order to divide up estate ited Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. H. county jail presented two bonds

Iden, together with Perry Todd Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Evans and Walter Mesecke escaped jail stone wall of the old jail which had been weakened by removing and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar ion of the new county bastile. Letty and children came in Sat. None of the prisoners had been Patronize Ledger advertisers- urday from Wichita Falls for a heard from until Iden voluntarishort stay with Mrs. Waltshack's ily walked in and gave himself

AND THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY O

Those signing Iden's bond on the burgulary and theft charge were: J. A. Iden and E. W. Rainwater. On the bond in which he leating liquor were the names of A. P. Serratt, J. C. Dameron and Joe Spoonts. The bond was for \$1,000 in each case. Iden was The Ladies' and Girls' Club out on \$500 bond on charges of met at the home of Mrs. Horace carrying a pistol, before he was arrested on the other two above

FORT WORTH, July 8 .- With vil in the Southern sector of the United States won, Clarence Ous-Mrs. A. Pagles has been con-ley, president of the National fined to her bed for several days Boll Weevil Association, who had been in charge of the campaign for the last two years, returned to Fort Worth today. Mr. Ousley announced that he will discontinue his connection with the assoc iation on October 1st, and resume his residence here.

The coming armistice does not mean a cessation of activity against the boll weevil, Mr. Ousley explained, but farmers of the South must remain in a state of 9-ltw 11 & 13 do preparedness to keep the pest under control he said.

> S. C. Shultz, of Paint Rock, was visitor to Ballinger Sunday.

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