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Gas Flow In Watchhorn Increases; May-Schneider Drilling at 1,740 Ft.

Another flow of gas was encountered in the Watchhorn et al No. 1 J. L. King well, Thos. T. Williamson survey, late Tuesday evening, it was reported here Wednesday. The increase in the gas flow was not estimated but it has given drillers and operators renewed optimism.

The flow was struck between 3,565 and 3,580 feet. Drilling was underway Wednesday morning below 3,580 feet.

The gas in this well, the resumption of drilling at two others after they had passed the contract depth and the success of drillers in a fishing job on another well has all added to the interest in oil developments in the Runnels county field during the past few days.

May-Schneider drillers have successfully completed a fishing job lasting several weeks; Gibson & Johnson's No. 1 Serratt is drilling past the contract depth as is the Swensondale et al Werner, near Benoit.

Drillers at Vacuum-Owenwood No. 1 Fowler, Domingo Diaz survey, are having trouble with a fishing job, which followed the collapse of a joint of 10-inch casing in the bottom of the hole. Drillers are now endeavoring to get the tools and casing from the hole.

Drilling at Vacuum Oil Company's No. 1 Flanagan, section 532, Domingo Diaz survey, is underway, and it was reported Wednesday that 12 1/2 inch casing would be run, probably this week.

After several weeks fishing, drillers in the H. B. May No. 1 Schneider, section 378, John Wall survey, resumed work after the fishing job had been successfully completed at a depth of near 1,740 feet.

Drillers at this well have had a hard time with the hole and early after spudding had to skid the rig to a new location on account of a crooked hole. Drilling will be carried as far as possible with the rig now on the location and then a standard rig will be moved in to carry the hole deeper.

Gibson & Johnson's No. 1 A. P. Serratt, two miles north of Ballinger, was reported to be drilling at about 3,175 feet Wednesday morning, which is 175 feet lower than the contract on this well called for.

Elmer Close, the contractor on the Serratt well, also has the contract to drill the Gibson & Johnson No. 1 Rainwater, near Crews, and will move a string of tools onto this location as soon as possible.

Summers et al No. 1 Reese, Day Land & Cattle Co. survey, was shut down Tuesday around 1,100 feet due to boiler trouble. Drilling will be resumed as soon as the boiler is repaired.

Swensondale et al No. 1 Werner, section 160, ETRR Co. survey, is reported to be drilling at around 3,500 feet after completing the 3,000-foot contract several days ago.

Marland-E. L. Smith No. 1 A. C. Herring was reported to be drilling below 1,100 feet Wednesday morning.

Vacuum Oil Company No. 1 Flanagan, Domingo Diaz survey, was drilling below 1,100 feet Wednesday.

AVIATOR WHO SET RECORD DIES IN FALL

HASBROUCK, HEIGHTS, N. J., May 9.—Lieutenant Royal V. Thomas, of the United States army reserves, who recently established a solo flight record, was killed today when the Bellanca monoplane Reliance crashed here. An unidentified passenger was also killed.

SHERIFF GETS 20-GAL. STILL

A negro man, about 35 years of age, who refuses to tell anything, is being held in the county jail here, charged with possession of a whiskey still for the purpose of making intoxicating beverages. The negro was arrested on the Mat McKinley place, about 15 miles northeast of Winters in the hills.

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams and Deputy Sheriff S. T. Clark of Winters made the raid. The negro was at the still but it was not in operation. There was no whiskey to be found near the place but about 50 gallons of mash was confiscated. There were plenty of whiskey bottles scattered around, Sheriff McWilliams declared.

Other than to give his name, the negro refuses to talk to the officers about the case.

Sheriff McWilliams said the still was well equipped and although only a 20-gallon plant, it was one of the best he had ever captured. The utensils were brought to the city and placed in the county jail for safe keeping.

WINTERS GIRL HURT IN WRECK

Miss Mildred Spill, 16, high school student, was seriously injured in Winters Wednesday afternoon when the car in which she was riding with four other people, collided with a car driven by Jewett Smith of Winters.

The other three girls in the car, Misses Maurine Pumphrey, Katherine Lambert, and Frances Sustained only minor injuries. Occupants of the Jewett Smith car escaped without any hurts.

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RUNNELS DEMOCRATS ARE UNINSTRUCTED

AUSTIN, May 9.—Prohibitionists will control the State Democratic Convention at Beaumont on May 22, it was conceded today as reports from counties where conventions were held yesterday crept beyond the half way mark.

Whether the "harmony" or "constitutional" factions will control is still undecided.

R. B. Creager, of Brownsville, National Republican Committee man, won a smashing victory over the insurgents led by Congressman Harry M. Wurzbach.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 9.—Walter Moore, supporter of Gov. Al Smith is leading Watt Brown for the place of Democratic National Committee man, returns from 21 counties indicated.

William M. Gunther, a Smith supporter, is in fourth place for delegate at large in the preferential primary.

FT. WORTH, May 8.—Tarrant county's 17 delegates to the State Democratic Convention were instructed to demand a dry candidate on an arid platform today.

They recommended the selection of Dan Moody and Cato Sells as delegates at large.

An uninstructed delegation will be sent from Runnels county to the State Democratic Convention to be held at Beaumont, it was voted Tuesday afternoon at the county convention held at the court house here.

The delegates named are: C. R. Stephens, Ballinger; Joe N. Luce, Miles; and A. L. Smith, Winters.

The meeting got under way shortly after 1 o'clock and for the first hour or so there was some debate as to whether the delegates who failed to sign the pledge at the precinct conventions would be seated, but after several motions, and amended motions, the matter was finally settled when a majority of the delegates voted to endorse the resolution passed by the State Democratic Executive Committee asking that the pledge be signed. The matter was finally settled without the delegates signing the pledge but endorsing the pledge as sent out by the state committee.

A. O. Strother, of Winters, county chairman, opened the ses-

sion. He met with the precinct chairmen and passed on the accredited delegates, which were later passed on by the entire convention.

Judge Paul Trimmier was named temporary chairman and later elected permanent chairman as was Mr. Paxton of Winters elected secretary.

A resolution was presented at the close of other business which roundly denounced the Republican party and its part in national affairs during the last eight years, especially mentioning the elections, money, and oil scandals.

Chas. W. Branch, formerly of this city, who has been at a ranch near Dalhart for several weeks, is reported to be seriously ill in an Amarillo hospital, following an illness suffered several weeks ago. No report had been heard from Mr. Branch at noon Wednesday.

John Bailey, of Ozona, has returned to his home after a visit here to his sister, Mrs. Scott H. Mack, and mother, Mrs. Robert Bailey. Mrs. Bailey returned home with him for a visit.

FARMER BEATEN BY INSANE MAN IS DEAD

WATSON LEADS SECY. HOOVER IN INDIANA

INDIANAPOLIS, May 9.—Senator James E. Watson apparently has defeated Herbert Hoover for Indiana's preferential presidential primary vote.

The Senator leads Hoover by about 8,000 this morning with farm districts steadily adding to his majority.

Additional returns showed further Watson gains.

Unofficial returns from 2,320 of the state's 3,610 precincts showed Watson received 135,790, Hoover 112,688 votes.

Senator Arthur Robinson, backed by the drays, defeated both Attorney General Gilhom and Judge Holan Carter for the Senatorial seat on the Republican ticket.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 9.—Oscar G. Foellinger, Indiana manager for Herbert Hoover, refused to concede that Senator James W. Watson has carried the state.

Foellinger said that returns from several Hoover strongholds in the northern counties were slow in reporting and will swell the secretary's total.

James C. Carter, about 52 years of age, died in the Halley & Love Sanitarium Friday night at 10:20 o'clock from a wound received at the farm where he was working Friday afternoon about 1 o'clock when he was struck on the head with a stove poker by a man named W. C. Slyier, former state hospital patient, who was at home on a furlough.

Slyier is being held in the Nolan county jail at Sweetwater. He was arrested at his brother's farm, near Hyton, Nolan county, some 8 miles north of Wineat.

Carter was brought to Ballinger about 3 o'clock Friday afternoon and died about 10:20 p. m. His head was crushed.

According to information received here, Slyier had been confined to a state hospital for the insane two or three times and was at home on a furlough. He was staying with Mr. Carter who was working on a farm belonging to Mr. Slyier's brother, J. M. Slyier. The men were in the yard of the farm home Friday afternoon about 1 o'clock when Mr. Slyier became violently insane and rushed at Mr. Carter with the poker, striking him across the top of the head.

Neither of the two men were married, it was learned here Saturday morning.

Funeral services for Mr. Carter were held at Hyton at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

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DEATHS BY AUTO ARE INCREASING IN UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, April 26.—Automobile fatalities are increasing throughout the United States—and rather alarmingly.

In 1927 the number of persons killed or fatally injured in automobile accidents increased much more rapidly than either the increase in population or the registration of cars, according to statistics just made public by the Travelers Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

Reports were received from forty-two states and the District of Columbia. They showed an increase of 8.46 per cent in the number of motor fatalities in 1927 over 1926.

Nine states reported a decrease, the others an increase. The states showing a decrease were Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Massachusetts, Montana, Rhode Island and South Dakota.

Nevada's Increase

Nevada reported the greatest per centage increase, Montana the biggest decrease. Nevada's increase was 73.33 per cent; Montana's decrease 22.77 per cent.

The list showing the number reported killed in 1926 and 1927 follows:

State	1926	1927
Alabama	350	390
Arizona	78	124
Arkansas	155	153
California	1623	1725
Connecticut	332	356
Delaware	66	65
Dist. of Columbia	74	79
Florida	512	428
Georgia	370	395
Idaho	77	82
Illinois	1647	1776
Indiana	697	861

Iowa	264	282
Kansas	283	307
Kentucky	279	305
Louisiana	265	280
Maine	104	122
Maryland	314	334
Massachusetts	705	693
Michigan	1212	1335
Minnesota	359	362
Missouri	524	555
Montana	101	78
Nebraska	171	213
Nevada	15	26
New Hampshire	70	75
New Jersey	868	1042
New Mexico	55	57
New York	2332	2435
North Carolina	514	511
North Dakota	77	79
Ohio	1583	1744
Oklahoma	286	278
Oregon	195	203
Pennsylvania	1784	1837
Rhode Island	130	120
South Dakota	86	75
Texas	424	526
Vermont	56	66
Virginia	327	397
West Virginia	231	298
Wisconsin	429	592
Wyoming	47	55
Total	20,021	21,716

New York Leads

It will be seen by the above table that the five states reporting the greatest number of fatalities were New York, 2,435; Pennsylvania, 1,837; Illinois, 1,776; Ohio, 1,744 and California, 1,725.

The 8.46 per cent increase in the number of fatalities in 1927 over 1926 is significant in view of the "safety first" campaigns and efforts of automobile association officials to educate the public to more careful driving of cars. The increase is more rapid than the increase in population or the registration of cars. At the close of 1926 there were in the United States 22,091,393 passenger cars and trucks, and at the close of 1927, it has been estimated that the registration had increased 1,123,697 to 23,125,090, or 5.1 per cent. The population in 1926 was

estimated at 117,135,817 and in 1927 it was 118,628,000, which was an increase of only 1.27 per cent.

PAVING CREW LAYING BASE

A crew of workmen were busy Monday starting the laying of gravel base on Eighth Street, preparatory to topping with asphalt. A large gravel digging machine is at work on the Cathey farm west of the city near the Colorado River and trucks are kept busy hauling the gravel to the streets being improved.

The material being used for the base is known as caliche stone or gravel and is being spread as fast as one block is filled. This stone will be given a thorough soaking and rolled smooth before the topping is commenced. It is thought the first two or three blocks on Eighth Street will be completed within the next few days and opened for travel.

The big machine digging the gravel is handling about 500 cubic yards of material per day. W. A. Woolsey, superintendent for Brown & Root, the paving contractors, declared. Each block will require about 2,500 square yards of the gravel.

Excavation work is all complete and the curb and gutter crews have completed their work on Eighth Street and Broadway. There will be no delay in the completion of the paving unless there is an extended period of wet weather.

FREDERICKSBURG — The \$20,000 co-operative creamery of the 175 stockholders in this territory, has begun operations.

MATADOR — Matador will have natural gas by September 1, this year.

First National to Remodel Bank

We are glad to be able to announce definitely, the completion of plans that have been under consideration for some time, that will mean much for the civic betterment of our business section, and at the same time add greatly to the comfort, and convenience of the many patrons of one of our business institutions.

The First National Bank will celebrate its forty second anniversary of very successful business in Ballinger, by beginning a thorough, and complete overhauling of the banking house and furniture, under the plans as drawn and submitted by Paul G. Silber, of San Antonio, an Architect of State wide reputation, whose specialty is along the lines of this particular kind of work.

The exterior of the building will be finished in a very pleasing manner with stucco and cut stone trimmings, entirely new entrances and windows, of modern type, will be placed. New terrazzo floor will be laid, and many interior improvements will be made, adding to the beauty, as well as to the convenience of the bank.

The vaults will all be re-built, and enlarged, and the office room largely increased.

This work, which will start early in June, will of necessity interfere somewhat with the usual order of business while under construction, but due to the kindness, and courtesy of Mr. C. A. Dooce, who has very kindly placed his splendid office building at their disposal, this inconvenience will be reduced to the minimum, and on June 4th, which is a holiday, all necessary books and equipment will be moved there, and business carried on until the work is fully completed.

While this will detail quite an

amount of extra work for the bank's force, the old slogan, "Business as usual," will be in full force and effect, and no effort will be spared to avoid any inconvenience to friends and customers.

This improvement is a decided forward step in the march of progress and improvement in our city, and an indication that this, one of our oldest business institutions, is still keeping step with the growth, and development of Ballinger, and Runnels County.

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BROWNWOOD LAWYER VISIT HERE

Judge Chas. Jenkins, of Brownwood, candidate for representative in the 121st district, composed of Coleman and Brown counties; and E. J. Miller, also of Brownwood, member of the same firm with Judge Jennings, were in Ballinger Friday looking after business.

Judge Jenkins was en route to San Angelo also to look after business.

Mr. Miller was looking after political matters.

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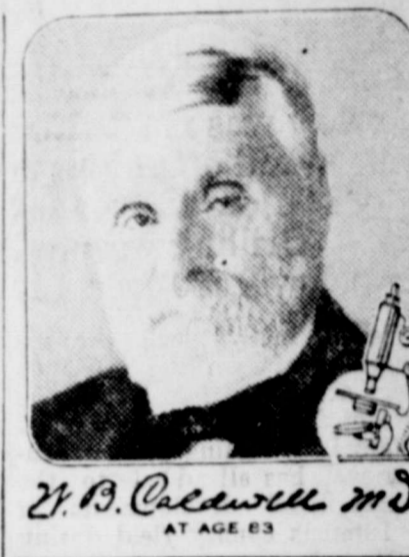
When Dr. Caldwell started to practice medicine, back in 1875, the needs for a laxative were not as great as they are today. People lived normal, quiet lives, ate plain, wholesome food, and got plenty of fresh air and sunshine. But even that early there were drastic physics and purges for the relief of constipation which Dr. Caldwell did not believe were good for human beings to put into their system. So he wrote a prescription for a laxative to be used by his patients.

The prescription for constipation that he used early in his practice, which he put in drug stores in 1892 under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a liquid vegetable remedy, intended for women, children and elderly people, and they need just such a mild, safe, gentle bowel stimulant as Syrup Pepsin.

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G.O.P. DELEGATES ARE INSTRUCTED FOR SEC. HOOVER

Herbert Hoover was the Republican choice for president, according to a resolution passed by the local precinct conventions last Saturday.

Ballinger No. 1 and No. 24 each named one delegate to the county convention and instructed these delegates to cast their vote for Hoover for president and R. B. Creager of Brownville, for Texas national Republican committee man.

In No. 1 M. H. Boynton acted as chairman, and W. A. Esmond as secretary. This convention named Billie Smith as its delegate. In No. 24, Noel Penn was chairman, and E. M. Eubank secretary. Mr. Eubank was selected as the delegate. In other Republican precincts the voters favored instructions for Hoover.

Following are the resolutions presented and passed by both precinct conventions:

"Resolved, by the Republican voters of precinct No. 1 of Kannels county in legal precinct convention assembled, this 5th day of May, A. D. 1928, that we hereby instruct our delegates elected to the Republican county convention to vote for delegates to the state convention who will:

"(1) Elect delegates to the Republican National Convention pledged to vote for Herbert Hoover for the Republican presidential nomination so long as there is a reasonable chance for his nomination;

"(2) Vote to instruct such delegates to vote for the nomination of Herbert Hoover so long as there is a reasonable chance for his nomination;

"(3) Vote to instruct the delegation to the national convention to vote in all matters as a unit, the majority casting the vote of the whole delegation;

"(4) Vote to instruct the delegation to the national convention to elect Hon. R. B. Creager of Brownville, member of the Republican national committee for Texas for the term beginning in 1928."

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ABILENE MAN KILLED ON BALLINGER-ABILENE ROAD

J. M. Robinson, 63, of Abilene, died Tuesday from injuries received when he was pinned under a car in which he and his son-in-law, C. C. Spieler, also of Abilene, were riding, when Spieler, who was driving, attempted to pass a large truck, two miles south of Ovalo.

The car wheels went into loose earth and overturned, pinning Mr. Robinson under the machine and throwing Mr. Spieler clear of the wreckage.

Funeral services for Mr. Robinson were held Wednesday afternoon at Abilene. He is survived by nine children.

Tom Penn, a student of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, spent the week-end here with relatives.

First National Bank Will Remodel Its Old Building

Announcement was made Saturday morning by Ralph G. Erwin, cashier of the First National Bank, of plans recently passed by the directors calling for an enlarging and remodeling program for the bank building at the intersection of Eighth Street and Hutchings Avenue to be started early in June. The architect's plans have not been completed and the contract price of the job will not be known until the contract is let.

Paul G. Silber, San Antonio architect, is now completing the plans.

Business here during the past few months has been increasing and the directors of the institution at a recent meeting decided to start work on the building to keep in step with the progress of the city and trade territory.

The interior of the building will have a new terra floor, the vaults will be rebuilt and enlarged, new directors' rooms and offices will be constructed, new furniture will be installed and the office room of the bank

materially enlarged and made modern to lend convenience. The exterior will also undergo extensive changes, with stucco and outstone trimming, new entrances and windows and a modern bank front.

The present building has undergone only a few changes since it was erected many years ago, and is considered a landmark. The changes contemplated will add to the beautification of the business district.

The C. A. Duce & Company building on Seventh Street and Hutchings Avenue has been obtained by the First National and will be used to ansact the business of the bank while the remodeling work being done.

Mr. Erwin said that books and furniture of the bank would be moved to the Duce building on June 4th, which a banking holiday and that work would be handled there usual. The bank offices will not be moved into the remodeled build until all the interior and extor work is completed.

MANY VISIT BIG GASSER SUNDAY

Many visitors are reported to have visited the Watchhorn et al No. 1 J. L. King, north of Ballinger during Sunday morning and afternoon. A strong flow of gas was encountered in the hole last week and oil interest in the county has increased during the past few days.

The gas pressure is still strong and is declared to be the largest ever struck in the county.

Drilling was underway Monday at below 3,525 feet with the bit working in a hard lime.

Operators are watching this well closely.

Summers et al No. 1 Reese, north of the city, was reported to be drilling around 1,100 feet Monday morning.

Gibson & Johnson's No. 1 Ser-ratt, just two miles north of the city, was drilling at 2,970 feet Monday. The 3,000-foot contract will soon be completed. It was stated Monday that it was not known whether this well would be drilled deeper or not.

Swensondale et al No. 1 Werner near Benoit, was reported to be drilling around 3,155 feet Monday, after rumors had been circulated here that the well was to be plugged at around 3,000 feet.

To Rebuild Derrick Over Deepest Well in World in Reagan

Rig contractors are preparing to rebuild the derrick at No. 1B University, in the Big Lake field, Reagan county, the deepest oil well in the world, which was burned Monday night.

The owners, Group One Oil Corporation, have had this well drilled to a depth of 8,220 feet.

No. 1B University is 19 feet deeper than the famous deep well in Orange county, California.

Ten Delegates Named Here for Conention

4 PAY DRUNK FINES MONDAY

Four boys paid fines in the justice court here Monday morning on charges of drunkenness, following their arrest at a dance held in a vacant store at Hatchel Saturday night, the court docket showed Monday at noon.

Five complaints were filed. However the fifth boy has not yet been haled in court. Three of the boys were from Winters and two from Ballinger.

There was a dance held at this place on last Friday night, also, County Attorney C. P. Shepherd said Monday, and the neighbors in the community reported quite a bit of drinking of beer and whiskey going on and requested the presence of officers at the Saturday night affair.

Deputy Sheriff S. T. Clark of Winters, and Constable C. L. Harter of Wingate were placed on watch and made five arrests, bringing the boys to Ballinger where they were later released.

Mr. Shepherd said that other cases would probably be filed in the court here.

Kazmeier's Best Grade Eggs Chickens, from 200 to 240 egg hens, blood tested for White Diarrhoea shipped Tuesday in May, satisfaction and 100% delivery guaranteed. White horns at 14.00 per one hundred, \$65.00 for five hundred. F. W. Kazmeier, Bryan, Texas.

J. R. Lusk, city secretary Sunday for Denton and Denton represent the city of Ballinger, meetings in those places. A. J. Voelkel, Paul Trimmier, return the latter part of the week.

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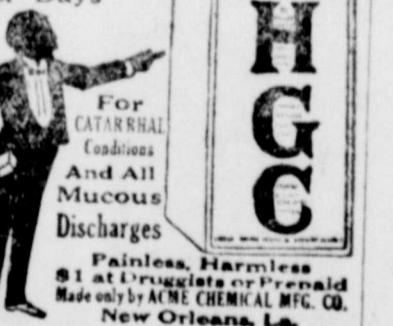
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The outdoor frolicking season has hardly opened, but daily papers are reporting drownings almost daily, six deep water deaths being reported in one day last week.

The importance of voting in the general election in November is now being felt by some of the Texas counties. Representation in the various political conventions is based on the number of votes cast in the general election.

There are 3,700 rivers and creeks of the living stream class in Texas, and while a portion of the state has the reputation of being a dry country, the state is one of the best watered in the United States.

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and advertise.

Group Pays Visit to Winners In the Living Room Contest

Tuesday, May 1st, was probably one of the most pleasant and profitable days in the life of the Runnels County Women's community clubs.

Promptly at 9:00 o'clock the ladies began to arrive at the court house lawn in Ballinger and the Winters Chamber of Commerce office, the designated starting points.

From Victory we formed a line and drove back through Winters. Here the honk of motor horns announced that there was something special taking place in old Runnels county on this May day.

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the Enterprise, were ready to cooperate in anything for the upbuilding of Runnels county and especially in the community work. Next, the club presidents were asked to speak. This was answered by pulling stunts. Wish we might give these stunts in detail but time and space would forbid.

Just before leaving our lovely picnic grounds we glanced at the line of cars and made the discovery which caused us to wonder if the Chevrolet dealers had framed up on us. In straight line facing south were seven Chevrolet cars placed in such positions as to suggest a demonstration.

It is now two o'clock and we are off to Spring Hill, our next place of inspection. We made this point by way of Ballinger and our noise awoke the citizens of our good county seat town to the realization that something was passing that way.

Arriving at Spring Hill, a community with a deep sandy soil and beautiful orchards, we inquired as to why it was known by that name. Someone said that there were two springs near the school house. This sounded real interesting just at this hour and we looked longingly toward the school house but dared not suggest another stop.

Through the sand we drove to the home of Mrs. L. K. Parr. Here we inspected the living room which won first in class one. Mrs. Parr is a widow, age 58 years, and made every piece of furniture in this room with the exceptions of a victrola and bookcase and had remodeled the bookcase.

Leaving Mrs. Parr's home we next visited Mrs. Owen Ayeoek in the same community. Mrs. Ayeoek's living room won first in class two. The furniture in this room was finished in light oak. The bright spots were a fern stand, magazine rack, and coal bucket, lacquered in red and a flower pot in dull green.

Our next and last room for inspection was in the home of Mrs. N. S. Wright, two miles east of Miles. On this route we passed through the busy little town of Rowena. Here we thought for a few anxious minutes that we had lost our charming young candidates. Miss Singletary made a stop at the filling station for some gas and noticing a group of handsome young gentlemen who appeared to be at least twenty-one, both she and Miss McKown shuffled their cards and left us

waiting inside. Here at Rowena we found out why no more of their club members could accompany us on the tour. The P. T. A. were having a special meeting and the Rowena women were 100 per cent for the P. T. A.

After leaving Rowena and driving back one mile west, we noticed corn and wheat up to a good stand and plenty of moisture in the ground to insure its growth for several days.

Just before leaving we saw someone begin to toss an old soda pop and spit in at once certain tone the air. At once everyone became excited and as we entered Miles and young began to pull the signs over every store front. At last we found a drink stand but it developed that the one of horns had driven the drinks out and one lone man remained to serve the drinks, but candidates were equal to the occasion, again volunteering their service. Just now Mrs. Cooper announced that the drinks were just with compliments of the Winters Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. Singletary and McKown, Mrs. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Parr did some speedy curb service serving some thirty-eight or forty persons and delivering the dry bottles in about twenty minutes.

From Miles we made a detour at the suggestion of Mrs. Hollingsworth. How Mrs. Hollingsworth just readily consented to back up when we found ourselves against the fence, whose gates were yet to be made. We made our way back through Miles just time to see the Baptist prior leaving town. From here we drove out to Mrs. Wright's home. Mrs. Wright's living room as entered in class two. The walls and ceiling here had been covered with sheetrock. The walls were painted blue and the ceiling was a rich cream. The woodwork was a light oak. The floor covering was conglomera in all gray. The bookcases were around a wall flue. The curtains were white swiss with red dots. The amount spent on the room was \$130. After having fully inspected this room the girls were invited into the dining room where we were served ice cream and cake from a snow white table.

This being our last work of the day our crowd began to separate. It was nearly six o'clock when we arrived at Ballinger and found that our chauffeur had beautified almost two hours.

Despite the fact that this was an epidemic of measles, and incubator hatching there were some sixty people on this tour and all expressed themselves as having a happy day. Nothing occurred to mar the pleasure of the day with the exceptions of ice flat tires, one at Victory, east of Norton and the last at Rowena. These caused but little delay as we were near a repair shop at the last two and our man did the work at Victory. Mrs. Hollingsworth invited us to accompany her on the next trip, (at our suggestion).

Mrs. Hollingsworth certainly deserves credit for the way in which she is putting over these programs; she loves the work and that is the secret why she does it well. Her workers are jolly good "bunch" and appreciate her very much.

The number of miles covered on this tour ran well above a hundred—nearly the 120 mile mark. "REPORTER"

Sheriff's Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. One, Runnels County, of the 2nd day of May 1928, by C. H. Willingham, Justice of the Peace of said Precinct No. One, for the sum of One Hundred Fifty-Six and 82/100 (\$156.82) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of J. F. Currie, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2334 and styled J. F. Currie vs. A. M. Nicholson, placed in my hands for service, I, R. E. McWilliams, as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did, on the 9th day of May 1928, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

An undivided one-fourth interest in and to all of the oil, gas, and other minerals and royalties in and under the following described tracts and parcels of land, to-wit:

11 acres out of block No. 36, a subdivision of the Domingo Diaz league and labor of land, known as Abstract No. 115, Certificate No. 93, Survey No. 532, and patented to Edward Dwyer, assignee, on May 22, 1873, per letters patent No. 381, Volume 19.

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Said above described tracts of land comprising in the aggregate 128.4 acres, being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a stone the original Southeast corner of said Block No. 36, same being the Southeast corner of this tract; from which a Mesquite 9" in diameter bears South 68 deg. East 11 1/2 varas. Thence West with the South line of said block 830.1 varas to the Southwest corner of said block from which a Mesquite 4" in diameter bears North 21 3/4 East 16 varas; Thence North with the West line of said Block 48 varas to a stake in South line of Ballinger and Crews public road; Thence with the South line of said road, as follows: North 49 1/4 degrees East 250 varas North 19 1/2 deg. East 1082 varas; North 26 deg. East 673 varas to a stake set in the East line of said block No. 36, and the South line of said road, for the Northeast corner of this tract; Thence South 1849 1/2 varas to the place of beginning.

And levied upon as the property of A. M. Nicholson and that on the first Tuesday in June 1928, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the town of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said A. M. Nicholson.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ballinger Banner-Ledger, a newspaper published in Runnels County.

Witness my hand, this 9th day of May, 1928.

R. E. McWILLIAMS, Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas. By John D. White, Deputy.

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SUMMER SCHOOL STARTS MAY 28

H. C. Lyon, superintendent of the city schools, announced Wednesday morning that the board of trustees had authorized Mrs. Bessie L. Lowe, English instructor in the high school, to conduct a summer school in the elementary building for both high school and grammar school students.

Mrs. Lowe will teach English in every high school class and the first year in mathematics, and every grade in the grammar school, Mr. Lyon stated.

Regular public school rates will be charged for the summer course. The parents should be guided by the recommendations of the teacher of the regular school term in selecting work for their children during the summer school, Mrs. Lyon said.

ESTES M. LYNN ON VISIT TO OLD HOME

Estes M. Lynn left this week for Tennessee to visit his old home for a few days while en route to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, U. S., which is to be held at Atlanta, Georgia. He will be gone for about three weeks.

Mr. Lynn will be joined in Atlanta by Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of this city.

LEAVES FOR NEW YORK TO MARRY HIS WIFE

WACO, May 7.—J. W. Sackett, of Waco, has gone to New York to marry his wife in the presence of their two grown sons. After having been married for 27 years, Sackett, in investigating court records here, discovered that his own marriage license had never been recorded. It was issued August 16, 1901.

Convinced that he was not legally married, Sackett decided to "marry" again. He left for New York, where his wife of 27 years is visiting their two sons, Maurice and Julius. A daughter, Mrs. E. J. Robinson, makes her home here.

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We have stated several times that you can save real money by trading at HELPY SELFY. Here is what one of Ballinger's local business men told me this week—that he had and was saving 25% on his grocery by trading at HELPY SELFY.

If this man can do this, so can you—just start right in now and compare your bills at the end of the month.

You can always find good fishing here, and there won't be any rocks for you lose your tackle on, in fact you can use the same tackle over and over.

Don't forget that we are going to give \$3.00 worth of groceries to the one buying the most groceries here this month, \$2.00 worth to the next, and \$1.00 worth to the next.

Also save your cash register receipts to the amount of \$25.00 and when you get this amount bring them in and we have a surprise for you.

Ladies, get busy, this paper has some misspelled words in it, and this Saturday we are going to give the first five ladies bring in the complete list of words and making a one dollar purchase, a 35c glass of peanut butter.

You will find that hunting for these misspelled words will be of a big help to you in many ways.

I don't like to pass on a list of just two, I want five of them, so bring them in Saturday and get the Peanut Butter.

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SKINER'S RAISIN BRAN Per Package 11½c	BROWN'S PEANUT BRITTLE 1-lb. Box 30c	BROWN'S LOG CABIN STICK CANDY 2-lb. Box 21c	BROWN'S ASSORTED MAY DAY CAKES Per Pound 31c	BROWN'S ASSORTED 5c COOKIES in Package 5 Packages for 21c	WALCO PIE PEACHES No. 2 Can 9c
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WINNER MATCHES 6 Boxes 19c
SUPER-SUDS WASHING POWDERS 9c
OCTAGON LAUNDRY SOAP Large Bars 5 Bars 30c Small Bars 8 Bars 34c

COCOANUT BAKERS or DROMADARY 2 for 28c
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Fruits and Vegetables

LETTUCE, 4 heads	25c
JUMBO CELERY, stock	18c
FRESH CUCUMBERS, per lb.	15c
BLACK-EYED PEAS, 2 lbs.	25c
NEW POTATOES, per lb.	5c
GREEN BEANS, per lb.	10c
Fresh Radishes and Onions, bunch	7c
WINSAP APPLES, per dozen	34c
ORANGES, per dozen	28c
LEMONS, per dozen	32c
BELL PEPPERS, per lb.	18c

Market Specials

SLICED BACON, Northern Sugar Cured per lb.	29c
ROLL ROAST, lb.	22c
PORK ROAST (from 8 to 10 o'clock) per lb.	16c
PORK SAUSAGE, per lb.	19c
CHUCK ROAST, per lb.	24c
BABY BEEF STEAKS, lb.	28c
FRESH COUNTRY BUTTER, lb.	45c
CREAM CHEESE, per lb.	33c
FRESH PORK HAM ROAST, lb.	25c
FRESH PORK HAM, center slice, per lb.	33c
DRY SALT PLATE, per lb.	14c
SUGAR CURED SMOKED BACON, per lb.	23c
PICNIC HAM, per lb.	19c
GROUND LOAF MEATS, lb.	20c
BOILED HAM, per lb.	42c
BAKED HAM, lb.	54c
PORK LIVER, per lb.	15c
SPARE RIBS, per lb.	21c
LAMB CHOPS, per lb.	34c

BROOMS 5- Strand MAYFLOUER 61c
HENNARD'S SALAD DRESSING 3½ oz. Mayonaise for 13c Medium size 24c Pint size 47c 3½ oz. Sandwich Relish 13c 7½ oz. size 29c Pint size 51c Thousand Island— 3½ oz. size 13c Medium size 29c

HEAVY Boss Walloper CANVAS GLOVES Per Pair 17c

HOSTES CAKES Many kinds and sizes — also Boston Brown Bread, home made. The prices are right.
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FLOUR COTTON WHITE or BLUE BONNET 48-lb. sack \$2.00 24-lb. sack \$1.03 12-lb. sack 52c 6-lb. sack 28c

Yes, we are going to have something to drink all day long H. C. McConnell, who is with the Folgers Coffee Co. will serve you with a nice cup of setaming Hot Coffee, with Pure Cream. And don't forget to bring in your list of misspelled words and get the 1 pound of Peanut Butter.

CHRISCO SHORT- ENING 3-lb. size 63c 6-lb. size \$1.31 9-lb. size \$1.89
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GREAT WESTERN SUGAR 10-lb. Sack 73c



Texas Mother Proves Claim

Children don't ordinarily take to medicines but here's one that all of them love. Perhaps it shouldn't be called a medicine at all. It's more like a rich, concentrated food. It's pure, wholesome, sweet to the taste and sweet in your child's little stomach.

Millions of mothers know about California Fig Syrup from experience. A Texas mother, Mrs. J. G. Moore, 119 Cliff Ave., San Antonio, says: "California Fig Syrup is certainly all that's claimed for it. I have proved that with my little Dorothy. She was a bottle baby and very delicate. Her bowels were weak. I started her on Fig Syrup when she was a few months old and it regulated her quick. I have used it with her ever since for colds and every little set back and her wonderful condition tells better than words how it helps."

Don't be imposed on. See that the Fig Syrup you buy bears the name "California" so you'll get the genuine, famous for 50 years.

WINTERS MAN ENTERS RACE FOR COLLECTOR

Arthur Byers, of Winters, was in Ballinger Monday looking after his interests in his race for county tax collector, subject to action of the Democratic primaries.

Mr. Byers has lived in Winters for many years and is well known over the entire county.

Mr. Byers recently announced for this office and is making a good campaigner and solicitor. He hopes to meet the voters in every community of the county, he stated while here Monday.

Kazmeier Quality Baby Chicks for delivery any Tuesday in May and June, from trap-nested hens with records of 200 eggs and better, from hens blood tested for White Diarrhoea under supervision Sanitary Live Stock Commission.

S. C. White Leghorns—25, \$4.00; 50, \$7.50; 100, \$14.00; 500, \$65.00. Barred Rocks and S. C. R. I. Reds—25, \$5.00; 50, \$9.00; 100, \$16.00; 500, \$80.00.

The above prices are prepaid and 100 per cent live delivery guaranteed. Orders must be booked in advance with a 20 per cent deposit. The above are our best grade chicks. Write—F. W. KAZMEIER, Bryan, Texas.

Clarence McCarver, of Howard Payne College, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCarver.

Arthur Giesecke left Sunday afternoon for Dallas, where he will look after business. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jeanes, of Coleman, were visiting relatives in Ballinger Sunday.



LESSON No. 14

Question: Why is emulsified cod-liver oil so efficient and so beneficial a food- tonic?

Answer: Because it is so easily assimilated and quickly builds up strength. Multitudes use it every day as in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

SECY. MOTLEY OFF TO SCHOOL

J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, recently decided that he did not know enough to serve Ballinger as commercial secretary and so he asked the board of directors to grant him a leave of absence during the last two weeks of this month.

The board took Mr. Motley at his word and Tuesday morning voted to let him off for a couple of weeks to go to Corpus Christi where he will attend a commercial secretaries school which is to be held there the last two weeks of May, starting May 17 and continuing until June 1.

Mr. Motley will leave Ballinger on June 16th, go to Corpus Christi and attend the school and be back in Ballinger by June 1st, ready again to push the development of this city and its territory.

The school on the coast will be attended by the largest number of secretaries ever to take the course it is said, with some of the most prominent in civic and commercial affairs present.

COLDS VICKS VAPORUB

HIGHWAY PLANS BEING PUSHED

Prominent Ballinger and Runnels county citizens will go to Austin to appear before the State Highway Commission at its next regular meeting if plans adopted by the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce work out successfully within the next few days. The chamber will appoint the leaders to make the trip to Austin with the local good roads committee and the Commissioners Court.

County Judge Paul Trimmer will head the delegation going to Austin.

District Highway Engineer Morrison of San Angelo, will also be in Austin and will present plans and specifications to the commission in regard to the Runnels county concrete roads, on highway No. 30, from Bradshaw to beyond Miles, and on No. 23 from near Talpa to Fuzzy Creek south of the city.

Other counties are joining in the paving movement and Runnels will soon connect up an important link in West Texas.

The paving project will be promoted as much as possible and definite plans will soon be ready to present.

FOR WORKING PEOPLE The best of workers get out of work when the liver fails to act. They feel languid, half-sick, "blue" and discouraged and think they are getting lary. Neglect of these symptoms might result in a sick spell, therefore the sensible course is to take a dose or two of Herbine. It is the medicine needed to purify the system and restore the vim and ambition of health. Price 60c. Sold by Weeks Drug Store

CAROL ORDERED FROM ENGLAND

LONDON, May 8.—A government order expelling him from Great Britain was served upon former Crown Prince Carol of Rumania today by Sir Wyndham Childes, chief of the special branch of Scotland Yard.

Carol was given "a reasonable time" to depart.

The order was based on the allegation that Carol violated the alien regulations and carried hostile propaganda against a government friendly to Great Britain during his stay at the Sandwich home of M. Jonescu.

Mrs. Ada Mullins and Mrs. Archie E. Hunter with Archie Hunter Jr., and Nancy Bliss Hunter, of Dallas, have been visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. N. S. Mullins for a few days. Mrs. Ada Mullins is spending part of her vacation with her mother. She is with the Western Union Telegraph Company, having been with that company sixteen years. Mrs. Hunter was formerly Miss Halley Billert.

Be wise and advertise

BALLINGER WILL SEND BAND TO C-C SESSION

BLANTON STARTS SPEAKING TOUR

Thomas L. Blanton, of Abilene, candidate for the United States Senate, will start his speaking tour Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock when he will deliver an address at Big Spring. Mr. Blanton will deliver twenty-four speeches within the next ten days.

In his first itinerary Mr. Blanton does not include Ballinger, commencing his campaign in the far western section of Texas, and intends to carry it over the entire state.

The congressman will visit some nine or ten West Texas counties on his first tour, which is to close at Midland on May 19.

Following are the dates announced for the next ten days: Big Spring, Wednesday, May 9, 1:30 p. m.; Stanton, Wednesday evening; Lamesa, Thursday, May 10, 11 a. m.; Tahoka, Thursday, 2:30 p. m.; Lubbock, Thursday evening; Post, Friday, 11 a. m.; Snyder, Friday evening; Colorado, Saturday, 11 a. m.; Sweetwater, Saturday, 3 p. m.; Merkel, Saturday evening.

Monday, May 14, 10 a. m.; Robert Lee, Sterling City, Monday, 3 p. m.; San Angelo, Monday evening; Sherwood, Tuesday, 11 a. m.; Rankin, Tuesday, 3 p. m.; Ft. Stockton, Tuesday night; Alpine, Wednesday, 11 a. m.; Marfa, Wednesday, 3 p. m.; Van Horn, Wednesday night; El Paso, Thursday night; Pecos, Friday night; Monahans, Saturday, 11 a. m.; Odessa, Saturday, 3 p. m.; Midland, Saturday evening, May 19th.

FORMER CITIZEN DIES IN GATESVILLE

J. Y. Pearce, president of the First National Bank, received a telegram Wednesday telling of the death of A. Matthews, formerly vice-president of the bank here, in Gatesville, Wednesday.

Mr. Matthews started in Ballinger with the town. He was at one time owner of a grain store where the Farmers & Merchants State Bank now stands. He was later in the grocery and mercantile business here. Mr. Matthews moved to Gatesville several years ago and entered the hardware business. Many of the old timers here remember Mr. Matthews as one of the first citizens of Ballinger and Runnels county. Funeral services were held Thursday at Gatesville.

SENIORS CELEBRATE CLASS DAY MONDAY

Members of the 1928 graduating class of the Ballinger high school were celebrating Class Day Monday at the high school.

There was no program other than the regular chapel services Monday morning but almost every member of the Senior class attended classes dressed in old fashioned clothes.

Their appearance at school and on the streets of the city excited much attention.

MORTIGIANS KING-HOLT Private Ambulance MODERN EQUIPMENT THOUGHTFUL SERVICE

Graduation Gifts Many gifts on sale are pretty junk. They often turn out to be mere junk. So why pay out your hard earned cash. For a gift that may be but trash? To make sure you're not giving chaff Just give your friend your photograph. MARTIN'S STUDIO Photographs on Sunday or at Night by Appointment Telephone 396

BIG ABSTRACT JOB COMPLETED

Employees of McCarver & Lynn's abstract office here were busy Tuesday morning completing the assembling of the biggest abstract job ever turned out here. The abstract was printed by the Ballinger Printing Company and delivered to the abstract company last week.

There are some 200 abstracts being prepared on this job which is for Reeder Realty Company's Hillcrest addition, the new subdivision opened just north of the city.

In each abstract there are 197 pages, which gives a total of 29,400 sheets used in the printing.

The abstract is declared to be one of the neatest jobs ever turned out here. There was much work attached to the job but the end is in sight now.

Y. W. A. PICNIC

The members of the Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist Church enjoyed a picnic at the first Old Runnels crossing Tuesday evening. After eating the supper a social hour was enjoyed. They then motored back

Before Baby Comes Get this book FREE MOTHER'S FRIEND is a comfort to expectant mothers. Externally applied it relieves prenatal distress by relaxing tight tissues and muscles. And it is so soothing. Its daily use makes the skin soft and pliable. "I was in labor only 25 minutes with my last child, but suffered agonies with three previous children," writes an enthusiastic mother who used "Mother's Friend." Right now, from this day on, and right up to the day your baby is born, "Mother's Friend" should be used. All drug stores sell Mother's Friend. Begin now and you will realize the wisdom of doing so as the weeks roll by! Booklet on Things to Know Before Baby Comes sent on request. One copy is yours, free. Write for it NOW. Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. 14, Atlanta, Ga.

\$875 COUPE F.O.B. DETROIT for DODGE BROTHERS STANDARD SIX

The Greatest Performer ever sold under \$1,000

Don't miss the experience of driving this remarkable new Six by Dodge Brothers!

And set your hopes HIGH—for here is the fastest and finest performer in the world selling for less than a thousand dollars. With the fastest acceleration AT ALL SPEEDS! And the most astounding power on hills you've ever experienced.

1 horsepower to every 47 pounds—an engine that in all moderation can be called SENSATIONAL. With the ruggedest Dodge chassis ever built; and Midland Steeldraulic four-wheel brakes to control the car's flashing action.

A long, smart, extra-roomy Six available in four fashionable body types: the Coupe, the 4-door Sedan, the Cabriolet and DeLux Sedan. Drive it a day and you'll drive nothing else!

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. Garage Phone 88

We had Sunday school in both churches Sunday morning, after which Rev. B. B. Edmiston preached.

The B. Y. P. U. from the Kickapoo Church put on a play in the Baptist Church Sunday night. The play was very interesting.

We are glad that Earl Berry is improving fast and will probably be brought back to his home the latter part of the week.

Alma Phipps spent Saturday night with Erna Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jayroe, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walden, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Phipps, Jimmie Lucas, Irven and Wilma Phipps and Reba Jayroe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Walden Sunday.

Bonnie Mae Clark, Mildred Madison, and Alma Phipps spent Sunday with Erna Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King, E. W. Immel, Jesse Wood, and Pauline Immel went on a fishing trip Tuesday, returning Saturday. They reported a splendid time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King gave a number of their friends a "42" party Saturday night.

Reba Jayroe spent Saturday night with Wilma Phipps.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pape and family visited relatives in Coleman Sunday.

Miss Pauline Immel left for home near Fredericksburg, Monday. Her many friends very much regretted her leaving.

The Epworth League gave a program Friday night which was followed by a social.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Immel, Mrs. V. P. King, Doyle Jayroe, Chester McBeth, Misses Pauline Immel, Pinkie King, and Beatrice Turrus were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King Sunday.

BARNETT NEWS

A crowd of Barnett young people attended a party at Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyree's in the Spring Hill community Wednesday night.

B. D. Dunn, of Tennyson, Mr. Wages and Mr. Potts, of San Angelo, came down for a fishing party Thursday night.

An unusually large crowd was present at Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arley Spann spent last week-end with Mrs. Spann's brother, Claude Thompson, of Concho.

Miss Ha Ray spent the week-end with relatives at Roscoe. She was accompanied back by her sister, Miss Vella Ray, who will spend the week here.

A crowd of Barnett people attended church at Hagan Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Howell spent Sunday with Mrs. Howell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, of Benoit.

The singing at Mr. and Mrs. Frost's was well attended Sunday afternoon.

Everyone is cordially invited to the program Thursday night, which will be given by the school children, assisted by Miss Mabelle Frost and her expression class.

The Barnett community will have a picnic Friday. Everyone is looking forward to a good time.

"REPORTER."

HAGAN NEWS

Bro. Golden filled his regular appointment Sunday and a large crowd attended both Sunday school and preaching.

Mrs. Davis Nunn, of Abilene, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner.

Miss Floy Drake spent Saturday night with Miss Marie Wooten of Ballinger.

Marguerite Crimm spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Corum.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Patterson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones went fishing on the Concho Thursday, but didn't catch many fish.

Mrs. J. A. McCulland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stubblefield, of Ballinger.

Miss Lillie Mae Bird, of Coleman, is spending this week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Miss Edna Mae Patterson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Patterson.

Miss Lena Foreman spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miles, of Eagle Branch.

Part of the Hagan folks attended the cemetery working at Old Runnels Tuesday.

Laura Sparks spent the week-end with Lois Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farmer were very much surprised Friday night when they attended a social at Mr. and Mrs. Otto Woods and their many friends gave them a linen shower. The decorations and color scheme were pink and white.

"REPORTER."

BLEEDING GUMS: The sight of sore gums is sickening. Reliable dentists report the successful use of Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy on their very worst cases. If you will get a bottle and use as directed druggists will return money if it fails. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. 1td

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Beautiful Cut Flowers and Blooming Pot Plants. Ballinger Floral Co., 1006 Eighth Street, Phone 263. 1tw



A. B. Middleton of this city has returned from Brady, where he went last week-end to greet a 7-pound son, born Monday morning, May 1. Both mother and son are resting well. Mr. Middleton will bring them to Ballinger within the next six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan are the parents of a 7 1/2 pound baby girl born to them at their home on Twelfth Street at 5 o'clock Thursday morning. Both mother and daughter are reported to be resting very well.

Fresh Dewberries will begin to ripen about May 20. One gallon or more delivered in town. Phone 523. W. R. White, Ballinger. 9-2tw-6td*

EDINBURG—The lower Rio Grande Valley has received an appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the construction of a deep-sea harbor at Point Isabel near here.



Wanted

Enough people to buy one thousand gallons Dew and 1500 gallons Black Berries. Bring your buckets and baskets. Berries are staked and free from sand or dirt. Will be ready about 20 to 25 of May. Full measure guaranteed. No berries delivered. Prices 35c and 50c gallon. Mike Boyd, Phone 237. 10-10td-2tw

FOR SALE—Cotton Seed, good grade for planting. Ballinger Cotton Oil Co., Inc. 10-1tw

FOR SALE—Well Drill. See or write Paul Mueller, Ballinger. 11-4tw*

WANTED—To sell two small electric cook stoves at a bargain. Phone 330. Mrs. S. D. Williams. 10-1td-1tw*

FOR SALE—1 1/2 horsepower Gas Engine. Bargain if sold now. See Holt Oil Co. 27-3w-2td

FOR SALE—Slightly used H. C. Bay Player Piano, Bench and 24 rolls, cost \$575.00, a bargain at \$295.00. Phone 142. 8-2d-1w

MAYOR URGES FIRE LAWS BE OBEYED HERE

In a letter to the editor of The Ledger Wednesday morning, Mayor S. B. Raby urges all citizens to obey the city fire ordinances. Mayor Raby made this statement after several complaints had been received at his office of citizens interfering with the work of the fire department in fighting fires and in making runs to scenes of fires.

Mayor Raby declares that it will be much safer and will probably save the lives of several people and much property damage if these laws are obeyed. He strongly urges that these laws be obeyed.

Following is the mayor's letter: "Editor Daily Ledger:

"I would like, through the columns of your paper, to call to the attention of the public, the danger of rushing madly through the streets when a fire alarm is turned in. I want to call your attention to the fact that there is an ordinance requiring all motor cars and vehicles of all kinds, to pull up to the curb for five minutes, from the time the fire alarm is turned off. That ordinance was passed for the protection of the fire boys and the public generally, and is not being observed.

"Some of you remember that not so long ago, one of the fire boys had a leg broken on account of someone rushing unnecessarily to a fire. Another had his arm almost cut off in the same way.

"The firemen are complaining of the trouble it is causing—of delaying them in getting to a fire. Another thing that gives the boys trouble and costs the city money is the fact that at nearly every fire someone persists in driving a car across a string of fire hose. A section of fire hose costs the city around \$75, and the least break in the rubber means that a section of hose is ruined and must be discarded. There is an ordinance prohibiting driving over a string of hose and carries rather a heavy penalty. I would regret very much to have to put a fine on any of our citizens for violating either of these ordinances, but something must be done.

"I hope all of you will be more careful in the future, and that it will not be necessary for me to meet you at the City Hall. These ordinances must be enforced.

"Respectfully, "S. B. RABY, Mayor."

SOUTH AFRICA IN PLAN TO USE THE POWER OF NOTED VICTORIA FALLS

BULAWAYO, May 8.—The government of Northern Rhodesia is open to receive offers for the harnessing of the Victoria Falls, the world-famous cataract discovered by David Livingstone.

In the legislative assembly here the chief secretary intimated a willing ear would be lent by the government to any proposition to develop the power of the falls.

It is hoped to make the Victoria Falls as valuable to Northern Rhodesia as those of Niagara are to the United States and Canada.

W. D. Scales has gone to Dallas where he will spend several days looking after business.

Will Spend \$10,000 for Long Passing Track Here

Plans are being completed by the Santa Fe Railroad for the construction of a long passing track just west of the Colorado River bridge, J. J. Beck, local Santa Fe agent, said Thursday. This track is to cost about \$10,000.

The plans call for the elimination of traffic tie-ups at rail and street intersections in the city, Mr. Beck said.

This track is to be several hundred yards long and will aid movement of vehicular traffic in the city considerably. The long trains which pass through Ballinger sometimes hold up traffic on several streets at the same

time and long delays are exasperating to those bound for some destination across the tracks.

This is thought to be the starting of an extensive program on the Temple-San Angelo branch of the Santa Fe west of Brownwood. Mr. Beck said that at present he knew of no other improvements to be made here.

The agent stated, however, that on June 1st, a new time card would be issued and that it probably would effect trains running through Ballinger. Mr. Beck said he did not know what the changes would be but that the new card would give all details.

CANDIDATE FOR HOUSE ELECTIONEERS HERE

T. P. Perkins, of Mineral Wells, candidate for congress to succeed Thomas L. Blanton, and R. E. Neothery, of Mineral Wells, a former local cotton man, were in Ballinger Friday in the interest of Mr. Perkins' race for congress.

Mr. Perkins has been an attorney at Mineral Wells for several years and is well known over this section. He greeted old friends here Friday and made several new ones.

"I appreciate very much the interest taken here in my campaign," Mr. Perkins said. "The people I have met have been very courteous and attentive."

Let us figure with you on a Water Well. Psenick Brothers, Drilling Contractors, Rowena, Texas. 11-6tw*

NOVICE PRODUCE HOUSE BURNS

The Novice Produce House, owned by C. L. Farmer, of Novice, was destroyed by fire Wednesday afternoon with a loss of about \$800.

It is believed that the fire originated when a small oil stove, used in the testing of cream, exploded. Mr. Farmer had been out of the building only a short time when the fire broke out.

None of the contents of the building were saved, and the damage was complete.

SNYDER—Building permits here represented \$138,690 for the first three months of 1928.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown and son have returned from Laredo and San Antonio, where Mr. Brown had been attending court.

Specials for Saturday

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES		FRESH FISH, Cat, fully dressed, lb. 40c
BANANAS, not over ripe, Guaranteed nice Golden Fruit, per dozen 19c	LETTUCE, fresh California Iceberg, per head 5c	FRYERS—Dressed or Undressed
LEMONS, large, doz. 26c	KRAUT JUICE, quart cans 22c	Our Beef and Pork are bought from home farmers and it's good and priced in keeping with the quality.
STRAWBERRIES, as fine as silk, per box 17 1/2c	ONIONS, White Bermuda, per lb. 5c	We want your Chickens and Eggs. We recommend taking your Cream to the Runnels County Co-operative Creamery, they can give you a better deal than any shipper of cream. It's a home enterprise and deserves your and our support. What Runnels County makes, makes Runnels County. We believe in Runnels and West Texas. If we didn't we would go where we did.
Fresh TOMATOES, Texas, per lb. 15c	SAVEX, 50c size, 2 for 69c	Sam Behringer.
Fresh CORN, well filled out, per dozen 60c	PEANUT BUTTER, 5-lb. pail 98c	
GREEN BEANS, lb. 11c	GOLD DUST —A Dish Mop Free with 1 large box 30c, or 5 small boxes at 25c.	
New POTATOES, lb. 4c	BREAD, Ballinger made, per loaf 9c	
Plenty of Bunch Vegetables, extra fresh, Turnips, Mustard, Radishes, Carrots, Beets; also Squash, Cucumbers, Okra and Blackeyed Peas.	HOSTESS and COLONIAL CAKES —a large assortment to select from.	

If Mrs. Herman Gus Nunn will call at our Store Saturday we will present her with \$1.00 worth of Fruit without charge.
Drop your name in the box in our store to receive Free Groceries.

PIGGLY WIGGLY

APPRECIATES YOUR BUSINESS

PRESBYTERIANS AND METHODISTS IN MERGER PLAN

CHICAGO, May 7.—The greatest church union in the history of the world, involving a fourth of the people in the United States, will be launched this month, it has been announced here.

The Presbyterian and Methodist Episcopal churches will attempt a merger both of members and of property. The two churches, in all their branches have 10,000,000 active members and 14,000,000 adherents, including Sunday school members.

Property involved in the giant spiritual combine totals nearly a billion dollars, in 35,000 churches throughout the country, as well as schools, hospitals, philanthropic enterprises and other investments.

Millions of Members

In the northern branches of the two churches there are 7,000,000 active members and 10,000,000 adherents; in the southern branches 3,000,000 members and 4,000,000 adherents.

Commissions in both churches will be appointed immediately, it was learned, to investigate the problems connected with the proposed union.

During the month the proposal will come before the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Kansas City, and the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church at Tulsa, Oklahoma.

For the first time in the history of American religious history, according to local officials of both churches, the difficulties attendant on a merger are not looked upon as unsurmountable.

Various attempts at such a union have been made before, but minor disagreements on teaching as well as property involved blocked action.

Property of the Methodist Episcopal Church is estimated in value at \$550,000,000 in 25,000 churches. The Presbyterian Church has 10,000 churches valued at \$300,000,000.

These tremendous valuations constitute one of the most complicated problems to be solved, it was understood. In many communities there are churches of the two denominations close together, and the merger might mean elimination of some of these duplications in religious service.

Serious Problem

Division of the protestant churches, with resultant weakening of all sects, has been a serious problem in the minds of ecclesiastical leaders.

The recent merger of Canadian churches, including the Congregational Church and the two involved in the proposed American merger, has been successful, it was pointed out. A similar plan is proposed in this country.

Completion of the unification would be made as quickly as possible, it was understood, after the preliminary differences were ironed out.

Most of these differences, however, do not involve questions of teachings or dogma, but merely adjustments necessary in such a large combination.

Leaders of both churches in Chicago district have expressed approval of tentative plans which are expected to mature into a definite policy this month.

From other leaders in both churches it was learned that other denominations are expected to follow in the merger when it is seen to be successful.

The completed merger, according to those church leaders, would include more than half the persons in the United States, as members and adherents.

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Rev. J. B. Curry, formerly pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ballinger, was here Tuesday calling on friends. Rev. Curry is devoting his time to Sunday school work, and makes Fort Worth headquarters. He is out in this section attending a training school at Winters and ran down to see Ballinger friends for an hour or two.

SNYDER—Two new water wells recently completed here produced 2,200 gallons of water per minute in a 72-hour pumping test.

OIL IS LEADING OVER COAL FOR HEATING SHIPS

LONDON, May 8.—Oil is beating coal in the battle for supremacy in shipbuilding, it is revealed by figures issued by Lloyd's, the great mercantile marine insurance concern.

For the past year the tonnage of motor shipping being built throughout the world has exceeded the tonnage of steamships, the figures show. At the moment the shipbuilding world is experiencing a boom in motor-driven vessels.

The first signs of the boom became noticeable in the quarterly returns for June of last year, when there was a preponderance of 93,000 in the motor tonnage. In the September quarter it had become 120,000 tons. Figures for the March quarter of this year show that oil is leading coal by 100,000 tons.

Coal to Stay

Experts, however, ridicule statements that in the next few years coal driven vessels will have ceased to be laid down. It is pointed out that the most important fact in the returns issued by Lloyd's is that in Great Britain, which still leads in shipbuilding, steam tonnage shows a tendency to increase its supremacy over motor tonnage.

The subject of oil versus coal has become an important controversy among shipbuilders here and in other parts of the world. Sir John Latta, one of the most experienced shipping men in England, disagrees emphatically from those who expect the rapid disappearance of coal from the seas.

"For higher speeds," he said in an interview, "say above eleven knots, the Diesel engine is the best. But for speeds below eleven knots I have found that coal is the better. For slow speeds and rough cargo there is no sign that oil will displace coal."

Still in Dispute

The Diesel engine has given some owners an incentive, and in some ways an advantage, in world transport which they did not possess when substantially on steam coal. This in a measure may account for the enormous increase of tonnage building in that quarter.

"It does not prove, however, that Diesel ships, cost for cost, with oil at today's prices, can carry goods more economically than steamers—which is what matters. The real issue is, can a steamer of say 10,000 tons be built and operated as cheaply as a motor vessel of 9,000 tons. My experience proves that it can."

"The controlling factor is the price of oil fuel compared with the price of coal, in my opinion."

Royal Petroleum Takes Over Griswold Well

The Royal Petroleum Company and H. E. Griswold of San Angelo, have taken over the tools to complete the Royal Petroleum Co. oil test known as the Griswold No. 1 Willingham, a little more than 440 yards southwest of the discovery well, Vacuum No. 1 McMillan.

This was announced in San Angelo Friday by Mr. Griswold, upon his return from Amarillo, where the deal was made. Drilling is now to be resumed at 1725 feet.

Summers et al No. 1 Reese is drilling at 1960 feet Saturday morning with a 12 1-2 inch bit.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

8th Street Presbyterian
Enrollment, 167
Present, 125
Visitors, 3
Offering, \$7.27

First Presbyterian

Enrollment, 131
Present, 112
Visitors, 2
Offering, \$21.09

Baptist

Enrollment, 491
Present, 333
New members, 2
Offering, \$30.48

First Methodist

Enrollment, 320
Present, 237
New members, 11
Offering, \$10.69

Ralph Erwin has gone to San Antonio to look after business for the First National Bank.

GIBSON & JOHNSON GET BIG WELL IN WINKLER

SAN ANGELO, May 9.—One of the most important happenings in the development of West Texas oil holdings occurred Wednesday morning when the Gibson & Johnson-Kessler & Logan No. 1 Leck blew in with an estimated production of 4,000 barrels per day and later increased to between 5,000 and 8,000 barrels daily with 40,000,000 cubic feet of gas, at a depth of 3,168 feet.

This well is located in the center of the southwest quarter of sec. 3, blk. No. 27, public school lands in Winkler county. It is about 3 miles south from the Texas-New Mexico line and 3 miles from the Roxana-Llano No. 1 Scarborough, a small producer. This well either opens a new field or gives a 9 mile northwest extension of the Hendricks field in Winkler county, which is already one of the largest producing fields in the United States.

This well was drilled with a rotary machine and is in fine condition. The hole was cleaned of all mud and slush Tuesday night and early Wednesday morning the swab was run three times when production started at the rate of 50 barrels per hour, later increasing.

According to reports received here there is little or no storage at the well and the oil is reported to be running wild.

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DEATHS

Jack S. Robinson

Jack Robinson, 4 years of age, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Robinson, Wednesday morning, from pneumonia following a case of measles.

Funeral services were held at the Norton cemetery with Rev. McBrevor, pastor in charge.

Higginbotham Bros. & Company undertakers prepared the body for burial and were in charge at the grave.

Texas is the leading sheep and wool growing state of the union.

B'WOOD LAWYER FOR DIST. JUDGE

E. J. Miller, a member of the firm of Jenkins, Miller & Wilson, attorneys and counselors, Brownwood, this week makes public his announcement for district judge of the 35th judicial district, composed of Runnels, Brown, Coleman, Concho and McCulloch counties, subject to action of the Democratic primary.

Judge Miller was in Ballinger a short time ago and talked with friends here in regard to his campaign.

Following is his announcement: "To the Voters of Runnels County:

"I was reared on a farm in Callahan county, taught school five years in Brown, Callahan, Coleman, and Mills counties and have been practicing law in Brownwood for more than 20 years.

"I have had a varied practice in local appellate and federal courts. Think I can conservatively say, successful practice, as I have handled a good many important cases, have been in the appellate courts more than the average lawyer and have won at least 75 per cent of all the cases I have ever been in.

"Practiced alone the greater part of the time, but am now a member of the firm of Jenkins, Miller & Wilson.

"My candidacy is a response to what seems to be a general demand for more prompt and careful disposition of the business of the Court. If elected I will give my full time, six days per week if necessary, to keep the dockets of the Court clear, and see that the business of the Court is promptly dispatched without fear or favor.

"I will give such careful consideration to the issues of law and fact involved in contested cases as will largely decrease the number of appeals and reversals.

"I entertain the very highest regard for the standing of the judiciary and feel that no condition should exist, nothing should be said or done that can give

any reasonable grounds for questioning the purity of the stream of justice. If elected it will be my first endeavor to so conduct the business of the Court that every citizen regardless of wealth, class, business connections or social standing may bring his cause before the Court with the assurance that it will be tried upon its merits uninfluenced by any other considerations."

10-1td-1tw

Dance

There will be a dance at Offen Amusement Hall Saturday night, May 12th. Music by Rainbow Orchestra. Everybody welcome. A good time assured.

COMMITTEE.

11-1td-1tw

LL select to be... at a cost of \$96,000.

CINCO—Increased activity in the oil fields in this section is indicated by the issuance of permits for eight new wells on a recent day.

GRAHAM—The value of a year's demonstration work in Young county done by Miss Norfleet Grimes is placed at \$15,000.

COMANCHE—Comanche held its first Jersey Show on May 7 under the auspices of the chamber of commerce.

Ledger advertising pays.

Next Sunday Is Mother's Day

If You Are Fortunate

Enough That Your

Mother Is Living—

Try to Make Mother's Day

A Happy One for Her

When you cannot be with your mother

remember that

Your Voice Is You

Call her on long distance. She will appreciate this act of thoughtfulness more than any gift you could send her.

For long distance and local service we are

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PALACE THEATRE

Friday and Saturday

KEN MAYNARD



The DEVIL'S SADDLE

Whoopie! Ken's here! With daring riding tricks never before seen on the screen. It's more than a Western drama. It's a stirring story of adventure and father-love woven into a thrilling chapter of American history.

COMEDY

NEWS

QUEEN THEATRE

Friday and Saturday

JACK HOXIE in

"Barbed Wire"

A rip-roaring yarn for every one who wants to feel young!

Also Eugenia Gilbert and Bobby Nelson in

"Perils of the Jungle"

Chapter One



Extra—A Two Reel Comedy

BLANTON NEWS

A Mother's Day program was given at New one Sunday night and was enjoyed by all who were present.

Miss Elva Foreman spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Maude James.

Miss Alice Foreman spent Saturday night with Miss Rhubal Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Newton, of Thrifty visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomkins Sunday.

Bro. West filled his regular appointment Sunday and spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Fowler home.

We are sorry to report Juanita Huddleston and Mrs. R. L. Beothe on the sick list this week.

Miss Effie Parker spent Wednesday with Mrs. Chas. Toungett.

Claude Odom, of Oxien, spent Saturday night with Hubert Foreman.

Blanton's outside baseball team went to Hagan Friday and played a game of ball, the score ending 17-1 in Hagan's favor.

Everyone has an invitation to our program, which will be given Thursday night, May 17th. We are sure you will enjoy it. Two plays will be given, "Patty Saves the Day," and "Ding Dong, Dumbell."

"REPORTER."

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use Blue Star Remedy to relieve Eczema, Itch, Tetter, Ringworm, Pimples, Cracked Hands, Sore Bilvered Feet, Red Bug bites and all itching skin diseases. It penetrates the skin, kills out the germs, stops the itching at once, and restores moistness to a healthy condition. Blue Star Soap may be used as a cleanser before applying Blue Star Remedy. All Drug Stores.

Weeks Drug Store

BENOIT NEWS

Some of the farmers are planting cotton, while others have finished, and some few have cotton up.

A nice shower fell here Friday morning, not enough to be of great benefit, but it will be some help to the small growing crops and gardens.

Rev. Jim Gressett and wife, who are conducting a revival in Winters, were visitors in the F. Gressett home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rumpy and L. B. Jr., motored to Sanatorium Sunday to see their son, R. B., who is an employee at the state institution.

Mrs. Claud Brookshier was the lucky person to win the ice cream freezer given away at Stone's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Curry and little daughter, LaVerne, spent Thursday night with W. T. Hill and family. Mrs. Curry will be remembered here as Miss Mildred Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brookshier visited Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hoffman Sunday.

J. D. Tullas and family and Earline Cox went to San Saba Saturday for a short visit with friends, returning Sunday.

Miss Jewel Clayton returned home Saturday from San Antonio, where she had been visiting for some time in the home of her sister, Mrs. Walker.

Mrs. W. H. Stagner spent Monday with Mrs. C. M. Gibson.

Drilling has been resumed in the Werner well.

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Mrs. Bob Watson and little son, Robert, of Eden, have returned home after spending several days with their aunt, Mrs. Mullins.

Mrs. J. O. Jenkins and Mrs. Zack G. Fine, of Amarillo, are here visiting with Mrs. A. Gustafus.

BETHEL CLUB

The Happy Home Makers met May 3rd at Bethel school house, the club's regular meeting place.

Mrs. Koenig gave the demonstration on jelly making, using plums. Mrs. Hale made a talk on the best kind of utensils to be used.

—Club Reporter.

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HERRING TOPICS

Several from this community attended the program at Oxien Friday night and reported a good program.

There was a rather small crowd at Sunday school Sunday morning but a good report was made.

Miss Lemma Brevard, of this community, and Mrs. Norris and the boys, visited relatives and friends near Dublin this week-end.

Singing at the Brevard home Sunday night was well attended and all had a nice time and some-what singing was heard.

Mrs. Branch and daughter, Miss Edna Mae, spent the week-end at Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mulanax, Misses Doris and Kate Mulanax and two boy friends of Valera, his sons, J. W. and J. H. visited the Joe Bragg family and remained over for the singing Sunday night.

J. P. Brevard and family spent Sunday with the G. C. Avents family.

Elvis Lowe, of Pleasant Valley, spent the week-end with W. A. Hale Jr.

Grandma Clark, of San Angelo, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. H. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Alcorn, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Miller and Grandma Clark spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hale visited Mr. and Mrs. Brandon Sunday.

The Sunday school is going to render a Mother's Day program May 13th in the morning immediately after Sunday school. Everybody welcome, be sure to come; we urge you to be present.

"REPORTER."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Geo. Allen and Miss Lillian Samuel.

E. R. Cogsdell and Miss Lois Vernon.

R. B. Robison and Miss Nellie Mae Christie.

S. J. Vanatta and Miss Effie Hensley.

Fred Holliday and Felton Davidson left Sunday for San Antonio and the Rio Grande Valley where they will be gone about a week.

M. H. Boynton left Sunday afternoon for Ft. Worth and other places to look after business.

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ALLINGER, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY

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VACUUM COMPRESSOR MORE OF LA

A. McLean, of Ballinger, one of those instrumental in the finding of oil in paying quantities in Wells county, and his associates, have sold their interest of 3,000 of the original drilling of 3,085.63 acres to the Vacuum Oil Company, for the sum of \$10,500 cash, an oil and lease assignment filed for record here with County Clerk A. Forgy, showed Monday. The instrument was closed on Friday, 14th, in Fort Worth, but was made public here until the 15th, when the instrument is styled B. C. Mc, Jr., et al to Vacuum Oil Company. The interests held by Mr. McLean and his sons, J. W. and J. H. McLean, and C. L. Bryant and A. Daniel, had title recorded in the name of Mr. Rhome, who over the block of acreage had been obtained by C. Sillix, lease buyer and broker his city. The instrument covers 3,085.63 acres, in some 14

GRANDE IS CO. FAR HIGH MARK

CALLEN, May 15.—The Rio Grande was expected to reach its stage today at Rio Grande where yesterday 200 homes in the lower section of the town were inundated following the overflow of an arroyo. The waters later receded. Two passenger busses were shed off the Rio Grande City highway yesterday and several hundred yards downstream from the highway morning. Four bridges on the Mission-Grande City highway were shed out yesterday. Telephone communication to is interrupted.

E. D. WALKER RECOVERING IN A MARLIN HOSPITAL

E. D. Walker, who with Mrs. Walker left a week or so ago for Marlin is slightly improved, according to letters received by friends of the family here during the past week.

While still confined to his bed in a Marlin hospital, Mr. Walker is showing some improvement, information received here stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caudie and son, of Coleman, spent the week-end in Ballinger with relatives and friends.

Eight More Blocks to Be Paved Here

City Secretary J. R. Lusk said Thursday that the City Commission had passed an order for the paving of eight more blocks here, five of which are certain, while the other three blocks depend on the action of the Commissioners' Court which meets May 14, but it is understood that the county is favorable to the paving of its part of Strong Avenue and Sixth Street.

The order passed calls for the paving of one block on Railroad Avenue, from Eighth Street to Ninth Street, on Ninth Street from Railroad Avenue to Strong Avenue, and on Strong Avenue from Ninth Street to Seventh Street. If the county votes to pave its part on Strong Avenue, and from Seventh Street to Sixth Street, and on Sixth Street from the Strong Avenue to Hutchings Avenue, this will give the city eight Comblocks of new pavement in the business district.

"It is the policy of the commission," Mr. Lusk said, "to pave knowstreets where the property owners are perfectly willing to pay their two one-third of the cost."

The commission has not yet passed on the petition of property from owners on Harris Avenue asking and for the paving of two blocks in front of the high school.

Name Lusk Delegate

Mr. Lusk was named as a delegate from Ballinger, to represent the commission at the annual meeting of the League of Texas Municipalities in Denton next Monday. Mr. Lusk will attend this meeting and then return by drillway to Dallas where he will attend the national meeting of the City Planning and Zoning Association. This association plans a large gathering at this session which will last for three days.

Water Question Discussed

All city bills were canvassed and ordered paid. Mayor S. B. Raby, City Commissioners E. M. Eubank and W. A. Holt, Secretary Lusk and City Engineer Davis were present for the meeting.

"Another thing of importance," Mr. Lusk said, "is the water question. It was discussed at this session of the commission. The engineers will start work on this project as soon as laying of the rock-asphalt is commenced on Broadway and Eighth Street.

Some work has been done on this during the past few months and within the next few weeks surveys will be begun on a new water supply for Ballinger."

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Halley left Sunday afternoon for Houston and Galveston, where they will visit and attend the State Medical Association convention.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Congress, 17th District: R. Q. LEE T. P. PERKINS

For Sheriff: R. E. (EARL) McWILLIAMS CALVIN ROBERTSON

For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN ED J. O'KELLY ARTHUR BYERS

For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD SID CASKEY

For District Clerk: MISS GEORGIA SINGLETARY E. HOYT SMITH J. L. HUNT

For Treasurer: MRS. JENNIE KIRK

For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMER

For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD ROY L. HILL

For County Clerk: MISS IMA McKOWN T. F. BRIDWELL C. A. WOMACK

For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE

For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1: C. H. WILLINGHAM

For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1: O. R. JONAS For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1: R. J. DEENS For Commissioner Prec. No. 2: D. W. YEAGER For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4: R. A. PERRY HENRY GOETZ E. A. KORNEGAY

SOCIETY

Brown-Cathey

The marriage of Robert Mack Brown of St. Louis and Miss Felda Cathey took place at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cathey, 206 Tenth Street. Rev. W. H. Doss of the Methodist Church officiated.

The home was beautifully decorated with roses and fern. Floor baskets of Easter lilies and orange blossoms were placed about the drawing room where the ceremony was performed.

Misses Ollie Mae Barrow and Claudia Smith sang "All for You," by Bertrand Brown, accompanied by Mrs. Pete Woodson, a sister of the bride, who also played the processional, the "Wedding March," by Mendelssohn, and the "Flower Song," by Lange, which she rendered during the ceremony and the recessional.

The flower girls were little Zaidie Mildred Watson and Mary Jane King, a niece of the bride. They wore orchid and pink chiffon dresses and carried rose petals in a silver May basket.

The bride and groom entered unattended. The vows were taken under an improvised archway, festooned with bridal wreath and roses. On each side were cathedral tapers in candelabra.

The bride wore an afternoon dress of beige lace and georgette. She carried a bouquet of sweet-

heart roses and plumbago. An informal reception was held following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid in lace over pink satin. A white wedding bell with a shower of lilies of the valley and tulle was suspended in the doorway near the table. Misses W. B. Woody and Rothal O'Kelly served punch. Mrs. M. H. Watson presided over the guest book.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Brown left for St. Louis, where they will make their home. The bride wore a traveling suit of navy blue and grey silk, with touches of red. Her hat and accessories were grey.

Both of the young people were well known in Ballinger where they have many friends. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Alice Brown of Brownwood.

The out-of-town guests for the wedding were: Mrs. Bill King of Brownwood, a sister of the bride; Mrs. Will Brown, of Winters, a sister of Mr. Brown; and Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly, of Kingsville.

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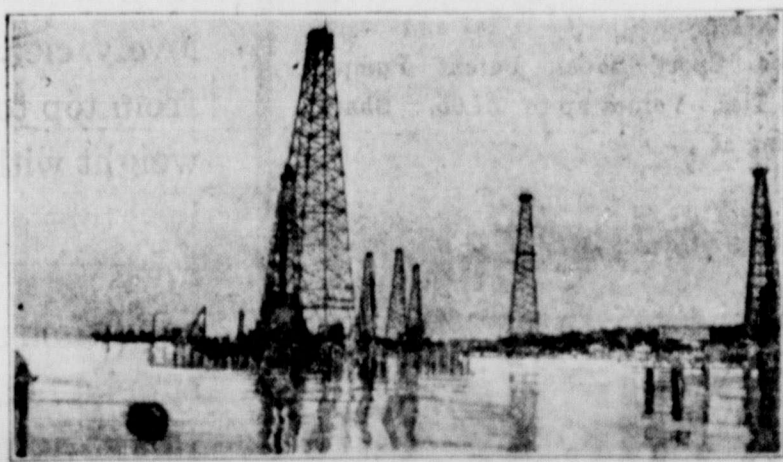
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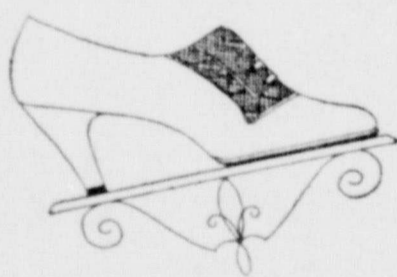
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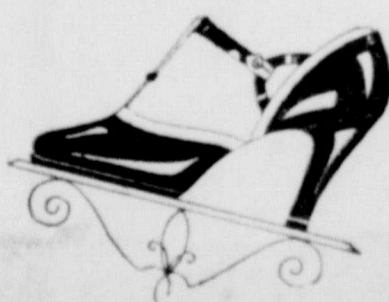
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B'WOOD LAWYER FOR DIST. JUDGE

E. J. Miller, a member of firm of Jenkins, Miller & Wil attorneys and counselors, Brownwood, this week makes public announcement for district judge of the 35th judicial district, composed of Runnels, Brown, Coleman, Concho and McCullo counties, subject to action of Democratic primary.

Judge Miller was in Ballinger short time ago and talked with friends here in regard to his campaign.

Following is his announcement: "To the Voters of Runnels County: "I was reared on a farm in Callahan county, taught school five years in Brown, Callahan, Coleman, and Mills counties; have been practicing law in Brownwood for more than 15 years.

"I have had a varied practice in local appellate and federal courts. Think I can conservatively say, successful practice. I have handled a good many important cases, have been in appellate courts more than 10 years, average lawyer and have won at least 75 per cent of all the cases I have ever been in.

"Practiced alone the greater part of the time, but am now a member of the firm of Jenkins, Miller & Wilson.

"My candidacy is a response to what seems to be a general demand for more prompt and careful disposition of the business of the Court. If elected will give my full time, six days per week if necessary, to keep the dockets of the Court clear, and see that the business of the Court is promptly dispatched without fear or favor.

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