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12 CLUBS AT COUNCIL MEET

Twelve of the sixteen women's clubs of Runnels county were represented at a council meeting, summoned by Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, home demonstration agent, on the court house lawn Saturday afternoon. More than thirty-five members of the County Council of Women's Clubs were present.

Sandwiches and desserts were served by the Shakespeare Club of this city. This courtesy on the part of the literary club came as a surprise to the council membership.

Clubs represented at the meeting were: Wingate, Drasco, Norton, Pumpfrey, Barnett, Hagan, South Ballinger, Bethel, Rowena, Olfen, Miles, and Spring Hill.

100 AT SCHOOL OF TERRACING

Nearly a hundred persons attended the terracing school held near Winters Friday. C. W. Lehmborg, county agent, said. The morning session, which was held on the farm of Ben Nitsch, was devoted to a study of the use of the level and the running of lines, and the afternoon period, on the farm of C. G. Brock, was given over to the actual building of terraces.

A lecture course was given in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium at Winters during the noon period. Among the speakers during this session were J. R. Masterson, of Abilene, and Roy Terry, of Paint Rock, visiting county agents; and S. C. Cooper, secretary of the Winters Chamber of Commerce.

The Martin Ditcher Company provided a ditching machine for use during the demonstrations, and Higginbotham Bros. & Co. contributed the use of two ditching machines, one a Corsicana and one a team implement. Nance-Brown Co., Winters Ford dealers, furnished a tractor.

Richard Hohmann, vocational agriculture teacher of Winters high school, assisted Mr. Lehmborg in arranging and conducting the terracing school.

THREE FINED IN HOME BREW CASE

Three Mexicans pleaded guilty to charges of vagrancy in Judge C. H. Willingham's justice court here Saturday morning in connection with their arrests for possession of home brew, and were each assessed fines of \$25 and costs, amounting to \$11.70.

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams and Deputy Sheriff J. D. White raided the homes of the three Friday night, and took approximately two cases of brew with each prisoner.

The Mexicans were Ben Martinez, Juan Alvaro, and Tornato Hernandez. Martinez operates a restaurant near the Santa Fe passenger station. Alvaro and Hernandez were captured at their residences.

THREE MEMBERS OF EPWORTH LEAGUE AT STATE CONVENTION

Three delegates of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church of this city are attending the state annual Epworth League convention this week in Fort Worth, where more than 400 members of the league from over the entire state are assembled. Local delegates are Irmagene Clark, Mabel Bigby and Claudia Smith.

After attending all sessions of the convention, the young ladies will visit in Fort Worth and Dallas before returning home.

Miss Ramona Turner, of Kansas City, is spending an extended visit here with Miss Margaret Kirk.

Romantic Rise of an East Side Urchin

A NEWSBOY ON THE EAST SIDE, NEW YORK CITY

PRESIDENT OF A LARGE TRUCKING CO.

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FOUR TIMES ELECTED GOVERNOR, NEW YORK STATE

ALFRED E. SMITH GOVERNOR OF N.Y. STATE

ELECTED TO THE N.Y. STATE ASSEMBLY

HIS FIRST JOB WAS IN THE FISH MARKET

It couldn't come true anywhere else in the world—this romantic rise of a barefoot urchin selling papers on the East Side to be governor of New York and a leading candidate for the presidency of the United States. Here is the latest photographic study of Governor Al Smith against a pictorial background of his colorful life done by Louis Biedermann, famous artist.

(International Illustrated News)

National Guards Entrain For Encampment Saturday

METHODISTS WIN 8 TO 7

The Methodist Sunday school baseball team emerged at the end of the tenth inning of a hard fought game with the Rowena and Olfen combined teams with an 8 to 7 victory here Friday afternoon.

Greer hurled for the local club, and had fourteen strike-outs chalked up to his credit at the end of the game. Ed McMillan led in batting, with two doubles and two singles out of two times up. Brady got three hits from five times at bat, a home-run, a double and a single. McMillan and Brady were responsible for every score by the Ballinger team, advancing men to the home plate on hits or making scores themselves.

Attendance at the game was discouragingly light, and managers of the team plan to disband the club. All matched games have been cancelled with the exception of one with Maverick, which will be played soon. Only one game during the season has gained sufficient receipts to cover expenses, managers said.

BIDS SUBMITTED BY 126 FIRMS

AUSTIN, July 2.—Bids for the purchase of two million dollars worth of groceries, dry goods, hardware, and drugs for seventeen eleemosynary institutions were opened today by the Board of Control.

A hundred and twenty-six firms submitted bids. Contracts will be awarded as soon as bids are tabulated for the six months period.

EXHIBITS LARGE EGG

J. T. McElroy exhibited an egg which measured 8 inches in extreme, and 6 3/4 inches in mean, perimeter, here Saturday. It was laid by a hen in his poultry flock, Mr. McElroy said.

SEVEN MEN FINED FOR WEEK-END MISDEMEANORS

Seven men appeared in Judge C. H. Willingham's justice court Monday to answer charges growing out of week-end misdemeanors, and all entered pleas of guilty and were assessed fines.

Four were charged with engaging in affrays, two were held for drunkenness, and one for disturbing the peace. Fines of \$1 and costs, totalling \$12.70, were assessed.

SMITH'S RUNNING MATE



Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas

HOUSTON, June 29.—Interesting potentialities are seen in the selections made by the Democrats here this week. A peculiarity of the case is that Smith is a Catholic, while Robinson is a thirty-third degree Mason, an unusual hook-up. Further, it is to be remembered that Smith is against prohibition, while Robinson is bone dry.

Be wise and advertise.

DANCE

Olfen Amusement Hall

Thursday Night, July 12

Music by BLUE MOON SIX of San Angelo

EVERYBODY WELCOME

Dairy Schools To Be Held In Ten Places

CONNALLY TO SPEAK HERE

Tom Connally, candidate for the United States Senate, will speak on behalf of his candidacy here Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, according to announcement made by Robert F. Higgins, campaign manager.

An effort was made by Connally supporters here to have the speaking time changed to 8 o'clock in the evening, in order to make it possible for a larger number of farmers to hear him. It was impossible for Connally to make this change, his campaign manager said, in view of the fact that two other speaking appointments for the day had been scheduled.

Judge Paul Trimmier, lifelong friend of Mr. Connally's, will introduce the speaker. Louis Cohen, fire chief and personal friend of Connally's, is an ardent worker in his interest.

INJURED BROTHER OF PRINTER IMPROVING

J. A. (Jake) Baker, with the Ballinger Printing Company, returned Sunday afternoon from Strawn, where he had been attending his brother Floyd, who was seriously injured on June 23, when he slipped into the machinery of the plant in which he was working. His right leg was badly crushed, necessitating amputation at the knee. It was feared that it would be necessary to remove the remainder of the leg, as it was critically bruised, but his condition was such that it was believed that he would not be strong enough to undergo further operation.

The condition of his injured brother was much improved when he left, Jake said, and surgeons feel that there is a probability of the rest of his leg being saved. Floyd Baker was an operator in the refining plant of the Lone Star Gas Company at Strawn.

T. B. Saunders, with the Hicks Rubber Company here, left Friday on a ten-day vacation trip, accompanied by his son, Tom, and John Thomas Hicks, who had been visiting here several days. Mr. Saunders will go to Junction first, where he will spend three days fishing, and then he will visit in Kerrville and Houston.

Ten special dairy schools in as many communities of the county will be conducted, beginning about the middle of August, it was voted at a meeting of the stockholders of the Runnels County Co-operative Creamery in the court house Saturday, at which time more than a hundred members of the organization were present. C. W. Lehmborg, county agent, and dairy experts and specialists will direct the community schools.

This educational work will pertain to methods of caring for milk, production of quality milk, rations for dairy cattle, proper breeding in order to make for the greatest milk production, and other problems affecting the small dairy. Several practical dairymen of the county will outline their plans in carrying on successful dairies.

Emphasis will be placed on sanitation in the production of milk at these schools, it was said. Farmers will be instructed in the selection of dairy types and proper breeding methods, with an object of having the breeding season changed from spring to fall, thereby making for maximum milk production during the year.

Reports of the manager and the secretary were heard at the meeting. June clearances were not included in the report, and June was a banner month, it was said. A substantial profit was registered, however, and with June business added to the records, the creamery will show very favorable financial progress.

Communities in which dairy schools will be held are Maverick, Miller, Crews, Hagan, Hatchel, Bethel, Drasco, Rowena, New Home and Dry Ridge.

HEALER MOTOR CO. BUYS HALF INTEREST IN WINTERS AGENCY

The Healer Motor Company, successors to the Ballinger Auto Company as distributors of Chevrolet cars, have acquired half interest in the Chevrolet agency at Winters, it has been announced.

Henry Jones, manager of the Ballinger Auto Company, disposed of his interest in the Winters Chevrolet agency, and will distribute and service Pontiac and Oakland cars.

The three and a half year old twin sons of C. R. Tarter have been very ill for the last few days at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jackson, in South Ballinger. Mr. Tarter and his mother are visiting here for the summer.

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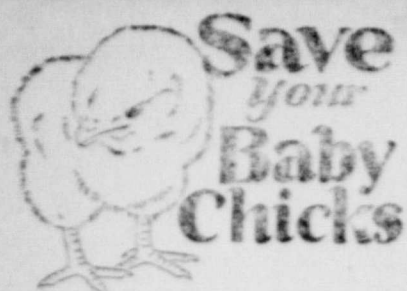
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Save your Baby Chicks. Don't let them die. Dr. LeGear's Chick Diarrhoea Tablets. IMPROVED. Will protect them against white diarrhoea and bowel troubles.

HERRING TOPICS

Sunday school was well attended at the Baptist church Sunday.

A number of people are attending the Methodist revival at Crews which began Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Allecorn visited Mr. and Mrs. Clem Scott of Lawn Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ray gave the young people a cream supper which was enjoyed by all and well attended.

Marion Kirby spent Saturday night with Arlis Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mulanax, Leslie Adaholt, and Miss Doris Mulanax, of Valera, spent Sunday with friends and relatives in this community.

G. C. Avert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kerby Todd visited the R. E. Todd family of Anderson Sunday.

Mrs. S. H. Miller, who is on the sick list, is improving slowly.

Champ Clark Burrus, of Valera, was the guest of Miss Della Bragg Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hale visited Mr. and Mrs. John Berry, of Crews Sunday.

L. A. Faubion and family left Tuesday for Lometa, where they will visit friends and relatives several days.

Miss Bernice Hale was the guest of Misses Della and Grace Bragg Sunday.

Miss Sammie Bragg spent Saturday night with Miss Jessie Carlton, of Oxien.

MOTHERS. Watch for symptoms of worms in your children. These parasites are the great destroyers of child life. If you have reason to think your child has worms, act quickly. Give the little one a dose or two of White's Cream Vermifuge.

BENOIT ITEMS. Most all the farmers are through week, and nothing to do but go fishing, and many are taking a few nights off on the river and creeks, to angle for the big trout that are many in the fair West.

We believe the Fourth will pass quietly here. We know of nothing exciting to take place.

Mr. and Mrs. Claid Brookshire went to Abilene Saturday to be with the latter's sister, Mrs.

How Expectant Mothers Prepare for Baby's Coming. Instructive FREE BOOK. Mother's Friend is a mother's comfort in expected mother. Externally applied, it relieves prenatal distress by relaxing tight tissues and muscles.

George Wood, who underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stagner and daughter, Miss Faye, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Cottrell, who spent several days here visiting, left Wednesday morning for Colorado, Texas, to spend some time with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Stagner will visit a daughter at Snyder before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Werner left Saturday by auto for San Antonio and other South Texas points.

W. T. Hill spent Saturday night with A. W. Hill and family, of Winters.

Morris Elliott and mother, Mrs. F. P. Elliott, of Wall, and Mrs. Vernie Horner, of San Angelo, relatives of your writer, stopped for a short time with us Thursday afternoon en route to their home after a week's stay in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, of the San Angelo country, were Benoit callers Saturday evening, while on their way to Valera to visit Mr. Hughes' father.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Glass, of Paint Rock, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Clayton.

J. D. Tullos and family attended services at Bethel Sunday night.

Mrs. C. C. Robinson and son, Jervis, left Sunday evening for Oklahoma City to spend a few days with Mrs. Arthur Helwig, daughter of Mrs. Robinson.

Card of Thanks. We wish to take this method of thanking our many friends for their kind deeds during the illness and death of our dear husband and father. May God's richest blessings be with you, is our prayer.

Mrs. John H. Burks and Family. 2-1d-1w

OFF ON CAMPING TRIP. Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Forson, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Simpson and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn and children left Tuesday afternoon on a camping trip on the Concho River. The party will pitch camp on the old Massey ranch on the river, where they will remain for about ten days or two weeks.

Troy Simpson, advertising solicitor of The Ledger, and Richard Anderson, dusky pilot, took off on what was hoped to be a non-stop drive to the camp site shortly after noon Tuesday in an antiquated Ford truck, a relic of the pre-war Ford days, with a peak-load of supplies for the encampment. Anderson will be mechanic, chief expert fisherman, and general utilities man on the trip.

WEST TEXAS UTILITIES DISTRIBUTING BOOKLET. "On the Trail of the Buffalo," an artistically arranged and profusely illustrated 32-page booklet, published by the West Texas Utilities Company at Abilene, has been received here.

Included in the illustrations are those of churches, schools, industrial plants, roads, lakes, ranches, farms, and other subjects common to West Texas. A picture of the Rannels county court house and its spacious park is in one section. Other Ballinger illustrations are of the high school, and interior and exterior views of the office of the company.

SLIGHT DAMAGES IN FIRE ON SIXTH ST. What might have proved a disastrous fire was extinguished by the volunteer fire department Thursday afternoon at the home of W. C. McCarver, on Sixth Street. A coal house caught on fire, and adjoining buildings would have become ignited had the fire truck not arrived within a short time after the alarm was sounded. Only slight damages resulted.

Miss Helen Williams returned Saturday night, after spending a vacation of two weeks in Fort Worth, Dallas, Royce City, and other points.

County Candidates Expense Accounts Total \$3,345.59

Expense accounts filed by candidates for county offices with W. A. Forgey, county clerk, Monday, aggregated \$3,345.59. This represents the first filing of expenses, and the next date for additional expenses will be between July 15 and 19.

Following is an itemized statement of each candidate: R. A. Perry, candidate for commissioner, precinct 4—Newspapers, \$27.50; ticket fee, \$25; cards, \$5; total, \$57.50.

J. L. Hunt, candidate for district clerk—Newspapers, \$57.50; ticket fee, \$50; cards, \$13.50; other expenses, \$25.55; total, \$146.55.

C. A. Byers, candidate for tax collector—Newspaper, \$50; ticket fee, \$90; cards, \$19; other expenses, \$21; total, \$180.

R. E. McWilliams, candidate for sheriff—Newspapers, \$57.50; ticket fee, \$50; cards, \$7.50; other expenses, \$14.85; total, \$129.85.

Sid Caskey, candidate for tax assessor—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$90; cards, \$16; other expenses, \$25; total, \$186.

C. A. Womack, candidate for county clerk—Newspapers, \$35; ticket fee, \$90; cards and printing, \$26; other expenses, \$15; total, \$166.

R. E. White, candidate for county superintendent—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$50; total, \$105.

E. J. O'Kelly, candidate for tax collector—Newspapers, \$35; ticket fee, \$90; cards, \$7.50; other expenses, \$24.50; total, \$157.

Mrs. Jennie Kirk, candidate for county treasurer—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$50; cards, \$3.75; total, \$108.75.

Odie Jonas, candidate for public weigher, precinct 1—Newspapers, \$12.50; ticket fee, \$50; other expenses, \$10; total, \$73.50.

Pat Tillery, candidate for public weigher, precinct 1—Newspapers, \$10; ticket fee, \$50; cards, \$5; total, \$65.

Paul Trimmer, candidate for county judge—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$90; total, \$145.

C. R. Hightower, candidate for commissioner, precinct 2—Ticket fee, \$25; cards, \$3.50; total, \$28.50.

R. J. Deens, candidate for commissioner, precinct 1—Newspapers, \$12.50; ticket fee, \$25; cards, \$7.50; other expenses, \$4; total, \$49.

W. L. Brown, candidate for tax collector—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$90; cards, \$5; other expenses, \$5; total, \$155.

Mike C. Boyd, candidate for tax assessor—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$90; total, \$145.

Roy L. Hill, candidate for county attorney—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$90; cards, \$12.50; other expenses, \$7.63; total, \$165.13.

Miss Ina McKown, candidate for county clerk—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$90; cards, \$24; other expenses, \$25; total, \$194.

T. F. Bridwell, candidate for county clerk—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$90; cards and printing, \$20; other expenses, \$45.61; total, \$310.61.

E. Hoyt Smith, candidate for district clerk—Newspapers, \$55; ticket fee, \$50; cards, \$29; other expenses, \$25; total, \$159.

C. P. Shepherd, candidate for county attorney—Newspapers, \$57.50; ticket fee, \$90; other expenses including printing and postage, \$82; total, \$229.70.

Miss Georgia Singletary, candidate for district clerk—Newspapers, \$90; ticket fee, \$50; cards, \$18.50; other expenses, \$5; total, \$163.50.

G. H. Guy Mullins, candidate for public weigher, precinct 5—Newspapers, \$10; ticket fee, \$50; total, \$60.

C. H. Willingham, candidate for justice of the peace, precinct 1—Newspapers, \$10; ticket fee, \$25; total, \$35.

H. B. Poe, candidate for commissioner, precinct 3—Newspapers, \$17.50; ticket fee, \$25; total, \$42.50.

Henry Pustka, candidate for public weigher, precinct 7—Newspapers, \$7.50; ticket fee, \$25; cards, \$3.50; total, \$36.

A. W. Strube, candidate for public weigher, precinct 7—Newspapers, \$7.50; ticket fee, \$25; other expenses, \$2.50; total, \$35.

Henry Goetz, candidate for commissioner, precinct 1—Newspapers, \$22.50; ticket fee, \$25; cards, \$12.50; total, \$60.

D. W. Yeager, candidate for commissioner, precinct 2—Newspapers, \$17.50; ticket fee, \$25; cards, \$2; total, \$44.50.

Prevent Summer Colds TAKE Scott's Emulsion

WOMAN INJURED IN CAR CRASH

Mrs. W. O. Beard, who resides seven miles north of town, was painfully but not seriously injured at 11 o'clock Thursday night when the car in which she was riding crashed into another near a filling station at Hillcrest, the impact throwing her into the windshield. Mrs. Beard sustained cuts about the face and mouth, but no other occupants of either car were injured.

Mrs. Beard was returning home, and her 14-year-old son, W. O., was driving, when they approached an automobile parked on the roadside. Members of the party hailed their car, and W. O. was bringing the car to a stop when he hit a car in front that had just stopped in answer to the man seeking help. The automobile in which Mrs. Beard was riding was somewhat damaged, the radiator being crushed, the fenders wrecked, and the axle and spring damaged. The car struck was badly damaged, the fender and back being bent.

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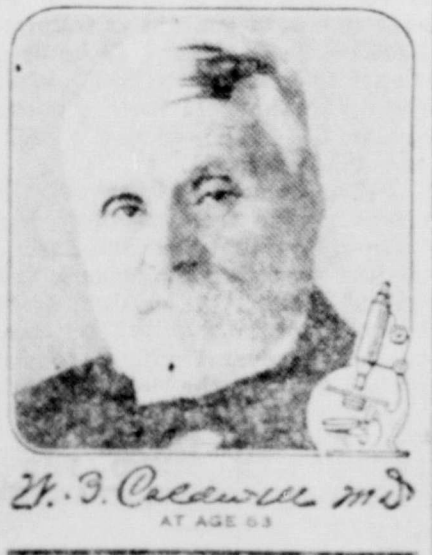
Prescription He Wrote in 1892 is the World's Most Popular Laxative

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, and 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.

Under successful management this prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative in the world. The fact that millions of bottles are used a year proves that it has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headache, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, dyspepsia, colds and fevers.

Millions of families are now never without Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and if you will once start using it you will also always have a bottle handy for emergencies.



Dr. J. C. Caldwell, M.D. AT AGE 63

It is particularly pleasing to know that the most of it is bought by mothers for themselves and the children, though Syrup Pepsin is just as valuable for elderly people. All drug stores have the generous bottles. We would be glad to have you prove at our expense how much Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin can mean to you and yours. Just write "Syrup Pepsin," Monticello, Illinois, and we will send you prepaid a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE.

Club Members and Fathers Attend Terracing School

An all-day terracing school was held near Winters Friday, under arrangements of C. W. Leitberg, county agent, assisted by R. M. Bentley, of the A. & M. College extension department, and A. K. (Dad) Short, soil conservationist for the Federal Land Bank. Members of boys' clubs over the county, and fathers of club members attended the demonstration. Mr. Bentley declared that the terracing program of the state had been accelerated in recent years by the joint work of the extension department of A. & M. College and the Federal Land Bank of Houston. More farmers are requesting short courses in terracing annually, he said.

Commenting on the policies of the Federal Land Bank, Mr. Short stated that in some instances, especially in East Texas, it had become necessary for the company to make terracing compulsory. A clause in land bank loans provides that mortgaged land must be reasonably conserved, and the failure of the borrower to meet this compulsion automatically matures his entire loan, he explained. West Texas clients were most cooperative, however, he affirmed.

Mr. Short was employed by the Federal Land Bank a few years ago, when the directors recognized the advantages of assisting farmers in their individual problems. While his work is devoted to terracing programs particularly, he also gives attention to fertilization and crop rotation. His services are not restricted to the patronage of the loan company, but he is always ready to assist all farmers with their land improvement endeavors.

In addition to lecturing at the school Friday, Mr. Short and Mr. Bentley, with County Agent Leitberg personally supervised terracing activities. The use of the level and the selection of contours were especially stressed, and proper methods of running terraces were discussed.

In many counties schools continuing for four or five days are held, and are open to all farmers of the county, Mr. Short asserted. Training in these schools is more intensive, he said, and many farmers are turned out as well qualified supervisors of terracing. By thoroughly training at least one man of each community, the work is greatly expedited, as this man can assist individual farmers in terracing their land. Farmers of various communities are working out their terrace systems jointly, he said.

The morning session of the school was held on the farm of Ben Niteh, and the afternoon session on the farm of C. G. Brock.

Card of Thanks. We wish to thank our many friends for their faithful and loving attention during the funeral of our dear infant daughter, granddaughter, and niece. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Davis, F. E. Clayton and family, F. F. Davis and family. 36-1td-1tw.*

Posted. The Smith pasture, 12 miles up the Colorado from Ballinger. This property is posted against any form of trespassing. Ben Simms. 29-2td-2tw

TOM CONNALLY. Candidate for U. S. Senate will speak here Saturday, July 7th at 11 a. m. Come hear this eminent statesman, and learn why he should be our next Senator.

Special for Saturday. 6 1/2-quart Aluminum Tea Kettle, Colonial style, clinched spout, detachable handle, enameled handle. \$1.50 regular price, Saturday Special only \$1.19. 2-quart Aluminum Percolator, Colonial style, clinched spout, detachable handle, Aluminum hinge, Colonial glass top, sturdy Aluminum inset. \$1.00 regular price, Saturday Special, only 79c. 10-quart Galvanized Pail, Saturday only 19c. THE IVORY "Everything"

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STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Runnels County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Carter Lumber Co., a dissolved corporation and the unknown stockholders, directors, officers and trustees of said Carter Lumber Co., by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County to be held at the court house thereof, in Ballinger, on the 4th Monday in October A. D. 1928, the same being the 22nd day of October A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 21st day of June A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 3501, wherein J. W. Powell, is plaintiff, and Carter Lumber Co., a dissolved corporation and the unknown stockholders, directors, officers and trustees of said Carter Lumber Co., a dissolved corporation, are defendants and said petition alleging that plaintiff resides in Runnels County, Texas and that the Carter Lumber Co., originally organized under the laws of Texas is now dissolved and that the places of residence of the stockholders, directors, officers and trustees are unknown to plaintiff; that on January 1st, 1928 plaintiff was the owner under a fee simple title of a certain tract of land situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows: Being all those certain lots, tracts or parcels of land lying and being situated in Runnels County, Texas, being lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 in Block No. 23 of the T. J. Reed subdivision of the West End Addition to the town of Ballinger, Texas, as shown by map and plat of said subdivision on file in the office of the County Clerk of Runnels County, Texas; That on said 1st day of January 1928, defendants and each of them unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withhold same from plaintiff to his damages in the sum of \$1,000.00, alleged to be the reasonable value of said lands. Plaintiff pleads the five and ten year statutes of limitation and claims title thereunder in addition to his title under deeds duly registered; said petition endorsed "That action is brought as well to try the title as for damages."

And praying for judgment against the defendants and each of them for title and possession of the above described lands, for writs of possession and restitution, for costs of suits and for general relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Georgia Singletary, Clerk of the District Court of Runnels County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Ballinger this the 21st day of June A. D. 1928.

(SEAL)
Georgia Singletary, Clerk
District Court, Runnels County.
29-4w

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GRISHAM STATES VIEWS
ON NATIONAL QUESTIONS



Judge R. N. Grisham of Eastland, one of the most widely known members of the bar of West Texas, is in the race for Congress. He has been an attorney for 26 years, was formerly county judge of Kent county, formerly district attorney at Sweetwater and was a school teacher before being admitted to the bar. He is 54 years of age and a lifelong resident of West Texas.

His candidacy is meeting with assurances of support throughout the district. At Abilene, the largest city in the district, he opened his campaign and the Hon. R. W. Haynie occupied a seat on the platform. Judge Jas. Stinson introduced Judge Grisham and among those who shook his hand at the close of the address were W. J. Cunningham, who made a brilliant race for congress four years ago, ex-Mayor Dallas Scarborough, ex-Mayor E. N. Kirby, J. M. Wagstaff and Harry Tom King.

Grisham's platform, without seeking to paramount any one issue or to appeal to any one class of citizens but rather to all, is a clear, compact statement of his position on the chief national questions.

"Congress alone has power under the constitution to declare war, and when others precipitate on our country a condition of war, it should be made statutory grounds for removal from office or for immediate impeachment, even though it applies to the president of the United States," he declared.

"The United States has no right under any constitution or law to interfere or to intermeddle with the domestic affairs of the Latin-American republics and this government should not, uninvited, take part in such matters. Strict neutrality in Asiatic and European wars should be observed.

"The Sherman anti-trust law should be amended and the offense against it confined to combinations to reduce the prices of wheat, cotton, oil and other commercial commodities and such an offense should be penalized without immunity."

Other principles advocated are: More treaties of commerce to aid the markets for America's natural products; proper consideration to the disabled soldier; restricted immigration; in time of peace, the reduction of the army and navy to a minimum; support of the constitution and all amendments, and consideration of the flood water control

problem as a national question.

After expressing gratitude to the thousands of voters who supported him eight years ago when he ran for congress, Judge Grisham concludes:

"A public officer is a public servant. The position I seek is one of great responsibility and requires much hard work. If I am elected, it will be my purpose to serve every part of the district impartially and faithfully, as I would serve a client with a just cause. I will give attention to laws promoting public health, public education, reclamation, agriculture, transportation, farm relief, federal bank reserve system reform to better accommodate the needs of the farmer and stock raiser, proper pensioning, and to the common welfare of everyone who asks for legitimate aid."

The 17th congressional district consists of Brown, Burnett, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Concho, Jones, Lampasas, Llano, McCulloch, Mills, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Runnels, San Saba, Shackelford, Stephens, and Taylor counties.

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J. O. WOODWARD
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R. E. (EARL) McWILLIAMS
- 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 TRIMMIER
- For County Attorney:
C. P. SHEPHERD
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R. E. WHITE
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PAT TILLERY
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D. W. YEAGER
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:
R. A. PERRY
HENRY GOETZ
E. A. KORNEGAY

Thirteen Languish in County Jail; Superstitions Aroused

Wanted—A jail inmate. No particular qualifications are prescribed, and no special admission methods are required.

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams or Deputy Sheriff John White will personally oversee the lodging of the desired inmate, all because of the fact that thirteen prisoners are now quartered in the county jail. Neither the sheriff nor the deputy is superstitious, but other county officials are, they intimated.

Efforts have been concentrated during the past few days to acquire a fourteenth occupant, but to no avail. Runnels county citizens persist in obeying the laws, they opined. A buoyant promise of an arrest collapsed yesterday when a woman held her hand as a signal that she was going to make a left turn—and did.

Authorities concerned about the grave state of the ominous thirteen are secretly hopeful that Fourth of July celebrations will yield favorable prospects for cell tenancy. Should this shielded desire fail to be realized only one alternative remains for Sheriff McWilliams, and that is to liberate one of the prisoners, bringing the jail roll to twelve.

A larger number than usual is

languishing in the county jail now, Sheriff McWilliams said. Of the thirteen inmates, ten are Americans and three Mexicans.

Two Mexicans are being held for Concho county, both on murder charges. One is wanted both in Concho county and Mexico on murder indictments.

Another angle of solution of the problem lies in the possibility of Concho county erecting some form of prison, and reclaiming her exiled convicts. A wild animal cage would suffice—anything to bring our prison population away from thirteen!

HAMILTON—Hamilton's new auditorium is expected to be completed by September 1st.

BUILDS HEALTH
TAKE
Scott's Emulsion

SANTA FE TO HAVE NEW WATER TANK

A new standard iron water tank will be constructed at the Santa Fe station here soon, according to J. J. Beck, local agent. An engineer of the company will be here within the next few days for the purpose of selecting a site and making plans for the erection of the tank, which will probably be under construction next week, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods and family, of near Winters, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wiley Sunday.

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THE Ford Motor Company is making a new car, but it is still proud of the Model T. It wants every owner of one of these cars to run it as long as possible at a minimum of expense.

Because of this policy and because of the investment that millions of motorists have in Model T cars, the Ford Motor Company is devoting a large part of its factories to making parts, in order that owners may enjoy uninterrupted service for many years to come.

More than eight million Model T Fords are still in active service, and many of them can be driven for two, three and five years and even longer at small cost.

New fenders, for instance, cost from \$3.50 to \$5 each, with a labor charge of \$1 to \$2.50. Tuning up the motor and replacing commutator case, brush and vibrator points costs only \$1, with a small charge for material. Brake shoes can be installed and emergency brakes equalized for a labor charge of only \$1.25. A labor charge of \$4 to \$5 will cover the overhauling of the front axle, rebushing springs and spring perches, and straightening, aligning and adjusting wheels.

The labor charge for overhauling the average rear axle runs from \$5.75 to \$7. Grinding valves and cleaning carbon can be done for \$3 to \$4.

A set of four new pistons costs only \$7 and an installation charge of \$6. For a labor charge of \$20 to \$25 you can have your motor and transmission completely overhauled. Parts are extra.

All of these prices are approximate, of course, because the cost of materials needed will depend on the condition of each car. They show, however, the low cost of putting the Model T Ford in shape for thousands of miles of additional service.

See the nearest Ford dealer, therefore, and have him estimate on the cost of reconditioning your Model T Ford. He will tell you, in advance, exactly how much the complete job will cost.



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**PARK BENCHES
REPAIRED**

A few weeks ago an editorial concerning dilapidated park benches appeared in this column. Since this article appeared the benches have been repaired. Whether or not the editorial had any influence in the benches being improved, we feel gratified that they were repaired.

A & M. SHORT COURSE

County Agent C. W. Lehmborg and Home Demonstration Agent Lura Hollingsworth are sparing no efforts in arranging for a banner attendance at the A. & M. College short course. Every indication points to a record-breaking attendance, and much will be derived from the course. Runnels county stands high agriculturally, and this standing will be furthered when our boys and girls acquire all the information pertaining to farming possible. A great deal of work is accomplished in the short course, and the benefits afforded by it are reflected in the club work of the boys and girls, as well as in the general farm work of the adults, each year.

**STIMULATING ROAD
BUILDING**

The paving of the road from San Angelo to the Runnels county line will beyond doubt stimulate road building interest in this county. Citizens of Runnels county who are wont to visit in San Angelo will not pass over the new road long without coming to consider the advantages of having a similar highway across the county. Too, no state nor federal aid will be forthcoming until bonds are voted locally. Bonds on thousands of miles of Texas roads have been retired, but the roads are still in use. We are prone to be alarmed at the first cost.

TRAFFIC OBSERVANCE

Little complaint of improper observance of traffic laws here is made. The status of observance is unusually good for a city of this size; rarely is it necessary to call a driver to account for his behavior in traffic. However, there are some instances when traffic law observance is not in evidence. This is most especially true of double parking and in passing up stop signs. The casual ordinance violator influences others to imitate him, and then law enforcement becomes a difficult problem. It is to be hoped that personal pride in an effective city code will compel obedience to every ordinance.

Favorable recognition is again gained for Ballinger and Runnels county in the choosing of Lynn Stokes as president of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association at an executive meeting in Dallas. Mr. Stokes has been an influential leader in Farm Bureau circles, and will prove a competent president. He was selected from a host of qualified candidates, and his election is heralded here with genuine pleasure. Farm Bureau organizations over the entire state will look to Mr. Stokes for effective leadership.

**A CHARACTER-BUILDING
PROGRAM**

It is universally agreed that the Boy Scout organization is the greatest character-building institution for boys in existence. With the introduction of the Boy Scout movement here through the Baptist church voting officially to sponsor one or more troops, the city may look forward to wonderful results to be accomplished by the boys who affiliate with the movement. One of the aims of Scouting is to help a boy with the three great problems that confront every man: 1. Mastery of his own powers, getting them keen and ready for use; 2. Getting along with other people; and 3. Finding a worthy use for these powers. Scouting is an ideal, a system of useful work for

boys under competent, volunteer leadership. The move was inaugurated in the United States eighteen years ago, and has made a lasting, steady growth, and many of the most prominent figures of the nation point with pride to their association with the Boy Scout organization. The Boy Scout slogan and motto are maxims that any person might well adopt—"Do a good turn daily," and "Be prepared."

**FRENCHMEN WIN
BALLOON RACE**

DETROIT, July 3.—The French balloon "Blanchard," with Charles Dollfus, pilot, and Georges Cornier, aide, is believed to have won this year's Gordon Bennett race.

The two landed at Walnut Cove, North Dakota, approximately 475 air-line miles from here, and fifteen miles farther than the American army balloon piloted by Captain W. E. Kepner.

**LIQUOR CRAZED;
TURNS KILLER**

CANYON CITY, Colo., July 3.—Crazed by liquor, Paul Beagler, jeweler, ran amuck today, killed his eight-year-old daughter, seriously wounded his wife and four-year-old daughter, and then committed suicide.

**MOODY SPEAKS
AT WAXAHACHIE**

AUSTIN, July 3.—Governor Moody leaves for Waxahachie tonight to deliver an address at a Fourth of July celebration.

**HEARST BUYS
OMAHA PAPER**

OMAHA, July 3.—The sale of the Omaha Bee-News to William Randolph Hearst, newspaper magnate of universal repute, was officially announced today by Nelson B. Uplike, retiring publisher.

**DEMOCRAT FARM
PLANK FAVORED**

CHICAGO, July 3.—George N. Peek, chairman of a committee of 22 men formed at Des Moines two years ago at a corn belt conference, re-iterated today that farmers, Republicans and Democrats, should support the Democratic farm plank.

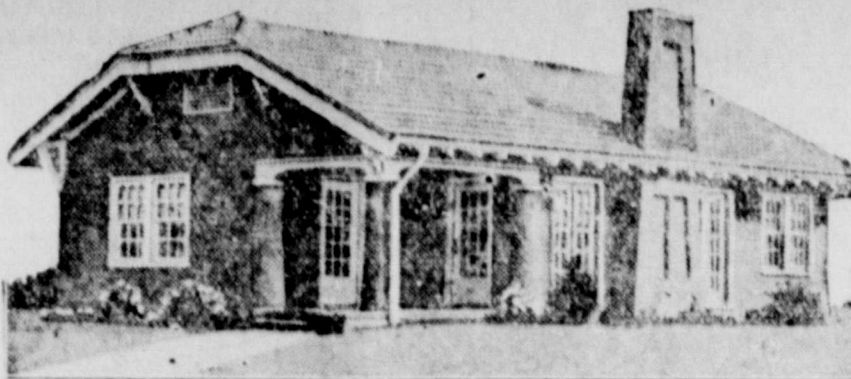
**3 CANDIDATES
TO BOLT PARTY**

AUSTIN, July 3.—William E. Hawkins, gubernatorial candidate, announced today that he will not support Governor Alfred E. Smith for the presidency. At Dallas yesterday Thomas B. Love, candidate for lieutenant-governor, and Mrs. Edith Wilman, candidate for governor, both claimed to have the support of the Ku Klux Klan, announced that they would bolt the party, rather than support Gov. Smith.

MOBEETIE, Tex.—An appropriate permanent marker will be placed at historic Old Fort Elliott near here.

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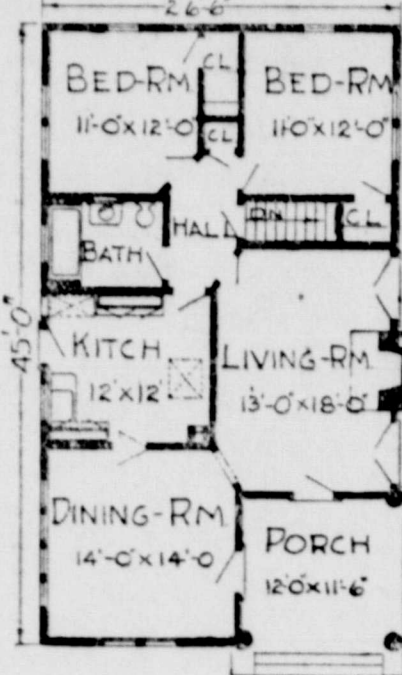
By WILLIAM A. RADFORD

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to practical home building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as editor, author and manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

This delightful stucco bungalow possesses many features that will recommend it to the prospective home builder. In the first place, it will fit almost any sort of a lot. The foundation dimensions are 26 1/2 by 45 feet and the house is so designed that it may be placed in either of two positions on the lot. This means that it is suitable either for a narrow lot or for a wide shallow one.

The construction is simple, which makes for economy, and it may be either frame or masonry, as the stucco finish can be applied equally well over either. These days stucco colors of a wide variety and excellent quality are available so that the exterior can be finished to suit the individual taste, the surroundings and the neighboring houses.

For the chimney an infinite number of colors and type of brick are available to fit the taste and also the pocketbook, and now that common brick has achieved artistic and architectural recognition, the cost need not be great. A tile roof is always a handsome covering on a house of this type, but clay tile is rather expensive for some. This need not be a hindrance, however, for cement tile and metal tile may be had these days which will serve admirably.



Floor Plan.

A glance at the plan will quickly satisfy one that the interior is easily the equal of the exterior treatment. The recessed porch leads into both the living room and dining room, the latter a roomy place with an open fireplace to make it more homelike. At the rear of the dining room is the kitchen, with separate service entrance. Back of this, the bathroom, and at the rear, two bedrooms, and all so conveniently arranged that even the woman who must do all of her own work should never find herself wearied by excess steps.

**Large Portion of Waste
Space Found in Cellar**

The age of wasted and dingy cellars has come to an end.

There is no longer reason for valuable space lying idle in the ether domestic regions. The new jacketed sectional boilers, odorless and requiring a minimum of attention, along with such improvements as the electric washers and ironers, have made possible a new era of widened family activity below stairs and increased income value from a new subterranean story.

Modern homes, with their compactness of structure, demand minute utilization of space. Architects know that the cost of a cellar is proportionately equal to that of any other part of the building. Yet the owner's return on this investment is too often disproportionately small, since the reality and rental valuation and the living comfort of the cellar are practically zero.

Statistics show that \$1,000,000,000 is invested annually in cellar construction, only 40 per cent of this space is utilized for boiler, coal bins and laundry. This means \$200,000,000 worth of space, unencumbered except for storage purposes, standing idle while the family does without room it actually needs for work and recreation. Today an idle cellar is a real expense.

To meet this prohibitive costliness the modern cellar has appeared, a cellar flooded with sunlight through modern casement windows and made gay with paint. No longer need one be crested, on descending the stairs, by damp odors and coal smoke proceeding from an ashy glow. Tubs and coal now enjoy private compartments. There is adequate space for storage after a portion of the cellar has been made livable.

The inclusion of the cellar as an integral part of the home comes as the need grows for additional living space at the lowest possible cost. Building a new room on the ground floor is an expense the average family will not consider at a cost that is slight, compared with the comfort derived and the saving achieved in labor and upkeep above ground.

The average family cannot afford an extra room for the children's play, on rainy days their cranks and kiddie cars clutter the living room, a wear in the family nerves and more noticeable on the living room furniture.

Thus the cellar is taking its place as the logical location for the recreation of the younger generation. This is only one of the uses to which it is being put. Workroom, billiard room, an extra sitting room and a gymnasium with apparatus and a shower attached are among the unsuspected possibilities where tradition once decried waste space.

Watch Chimney

Interested in the top of the chimney in your house? Perhaps not. But to be sure that the bolts in the masonry are well filled with mortar and that the pitch is enough to allow the water to run off means that you will never face the expense of disrepairment, and even, on occasions, water in the masonry joints.

**DISAPPEARANCE
STILL MYSTERY**

OSLO, July 3.—With seven nations, fourteen ships, and more than a score of planes now cooperating in the search for him, the disappearance of Captain Roald Amundsen, who left Tromsø in a French seaplane June 18 in search of the Nobile expedition, is still shrouded in mystery. Relief officials yesterday denied the report that Amundsen's body had been found off the Norwegian coast.

LONDON, July 3.—An unconfirmed report reached Copenhagen this afternoon that the English yacht Albion, lying a mile and a half north of Tromsø, had intercepted a radiogram from Captain Roald Amundsen, according to an Exchange Telegraph Company dispatch. Authorities here, however, doubt the authenticity of the report.

**11 GUARDSMEN
ARE PROMOTED**

Promotion of eleven members of Company C, 142nd Infantry of the Texas National Guard, is announced by Captain Charles H. Dobbs, commander of the local unit. Advancements were made this week, but take effect as of June 1st. Five promotions were to the rank of sergeant, and six to corporal.

Those advanced to sergeants were Leyton Hill, James Parrish, Dauce Grauke, Robert Sides, and Joe Beck, and those promoted to corporals were Fred Schmickle, J. B. Arthur, Walter Middleton, Owen Powell, George Doherty, and Elton Smith. Privates James Tuckey, Fronis E. Jones, and Claude Clise were ranked as specialists. One or two other promotions will be made before or during camp. Capt. Dobbs said.

The roster of officers and non-coms of the company prior to the promotions was as follows: Chas. H. Dobbs, captain; Albert R. Murchison, fire lieutenant; Felton T. Wright, second lieutenant; K. V. Northington, first sergeant; Carl Wilson, mess sergeant; and Frank Coker and Loraine McKay, corporals.

PARIS STYLE HINTS

By Alice Langelier
(International News Service Staff
Correspondent)

Sports Costumes are Very Simple

PARIS, July 2.—Summer sports costumes are simplicity itself and perhaps the nearest approach to something really meant for "the days of real sport" that has been shown for some seasons.

There have been sports clothes that were meant for wear when watching such sports as racing or polo matches, very elegant ones and scarcely intended for real exercise. Then there came the sports ensemble for shopping or walking and the sports morning ensemble for Deauville and Nice.

Sports costumes now appearing are generally of the three-piece variety with a skirt that is more or less pleated, a sweater or jumper-blouse and short loose jacket. Usually the jacket and skirt are of one material and the sweater of jersey or tricort, but Lucien Lelong is showing some charming ones entirely of jersey. Crepella is a favorite material for the costume with all sorts of jersey for the jumper.

One seen at the London Trades comes in navy blue with short jacket and pleated skirt each trimmed with bands of spotted blue and white silk and worn with a bodice of the silk.

White crepella makes another smart sports costume edged with narrow bands of dark gray jersey and worn with a sweater of white with bands of pink and dark gray with a belt of dark gray and pink striped ribbon tied in a little square bow at the front.

The coat and skirt of English tweed are guaranteed for good sports wear, the former with roomy inverted pleats at the sides and worn with a jersey in the same gray tone with groups of narrow stripes.

Be wise and advertise.

**MOODY WON'T
BOLT PARTY**

AUSTIN, July 2.—"Certainly I'm not a Democrat," Gov. Dan Moody declared today when asked whether he will attend a conference scheduled for Asheville, North Carolina, July 11, by the ultra-dry, with a view to forging a third party or bolting the Democratic ticket.

The governor is preparing a statement concerning the platform adopted by the Democratic National Convention, in which he will stress the construction he placed on the prohibition plank.

"The party is pledged to enforcement and not to modification of the Volstead act," Moody stated.

**COUPLE KILLED
IN COLLISION**

DALLAS, July 2.—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Goodman, both 60, of Galveston, were killed today when their new Nash sedan was demolished by a Fort Worth-Dallas interurban.

Goodman was killed instantly, and his wife died a few minutes later. The car burst into flames after the collision.

**RUSK DIES IN
NACOGDOCHES**

NACOGDOCHES, July 2.—John Rusk, 85, nephew of Senator Thomas J. Rusk, died here today. His father fought in the Battle of San Jacinto, and was sheriff of this county when it extended as far west as Dallas.

**FORTY MINERS
ARE ENTOMBED**

MOUNT CARMEL, Pa., July 2.—Forty miners were reported entombed today at the Locust Springs colliery of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company here, when a dam burst in the workings.

**REAL ESTATE
TRANSFERS**

Warranty Deeds

George H. Avery et ux to W. E. Scipp et ux, 18 1/2 acres of land out of block 10 of the South Ballinger addition to the city of Ballinger for the sum of \$3,000.

Houghton Brownlee et ux to J. W. Bigby, 300 acres of land out of the John Brown survey, for the sum of \$6,750.

C. A. Womack et ux to R. E. White, eastern one half of lot 10, and adjoining 20 feet of lot 9, Baker addition to Ballinger, for the sum of \$10 and other good and valuable considerations.

J. A. Berry et ux to Minnie V. Bedford, tract of land out of one acre tract, recorded in volume 70, page 42, deed records of Runnels county.

Willie McVeigh to Peter Arnold and E. W. Bounds, lot 4, block 75, recorded in volume 124, page 637, deed records of Runnels county.

E. W. Boon and wife to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., lots 1 to 10, inclusive, block 33, city of Ballinger, for the sum of \$13,500.

R. E. Cole et ux to G. T. Pomms, lot out of Dolphin Floyd survey, for the sum of \$1,750.

J. D. Casey and wife to R. E. White and C. A. Womack, lots 8 and 9 and adjoining one-half of lot 10 of Baker addition to Ballinger, for the sum of \$2,561.

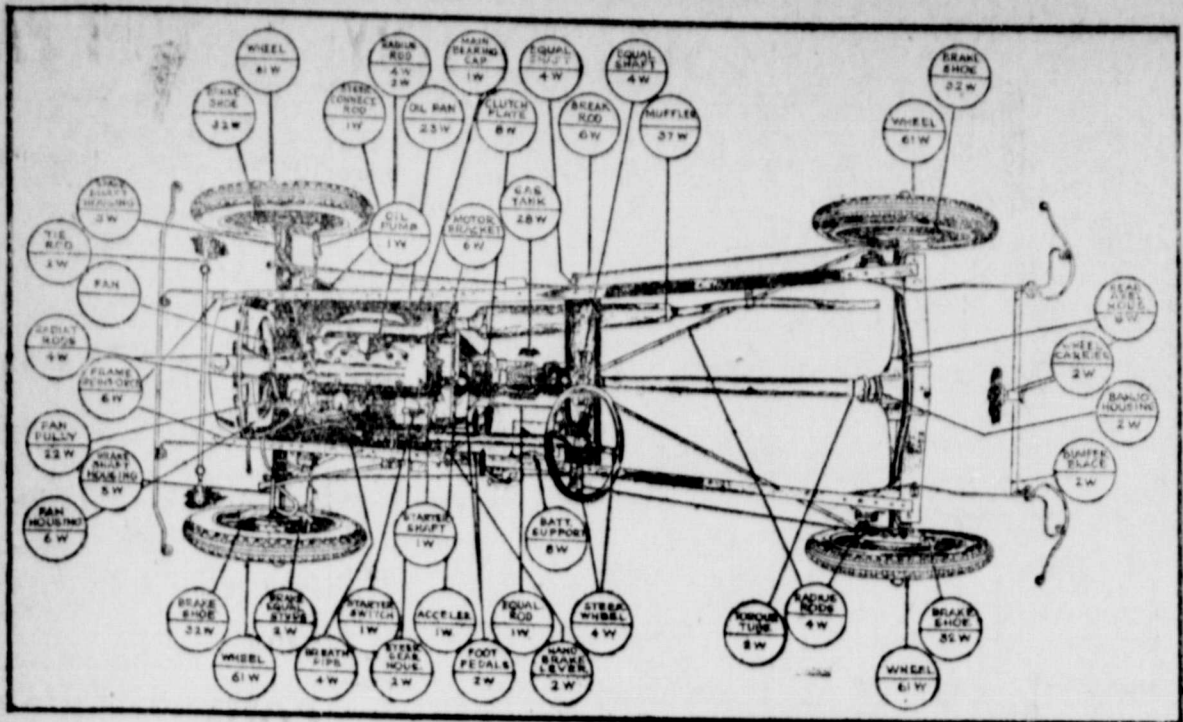
R. E. White et ux to C. A. Womack, 40 feet off eastern side of lot 9 and adjoining 10 feet off west side of lot 8, of Baker Addition to Ballinger, for the sum of \$10 and other valuable considerations.

Reader, Realty Company, a co-partnership, to B. J. Tyson, lot 7, block 2, of Hillcrest addition to the city of Ballinger, for the sum of \$300.

BARN BURNS ON TWELFTH

A small barn at the home of J. M. Moore on Twelfth Street was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin shortly after 12 o'clock Monday night. The fire was raging over the entire building when the fire department arrived, but nearby buildings were prevented from becoming ignited by the fire fighters.

Welding Revolutionizes Ford Car



ELECTRIC welding is one of the secrets of the remarkable strength, durability and low cost of the new Ford Model A car. And the story back of the welding operations employed in the manufacture of the new Ford is one of the wonder tales of modern industry.

In his preparation for the new model, Henry Ford, with his characteristic keenness, saw that welding was not only the world's best assembly method, but was the keystone on which rested the further devel-

opment of the best manufacturing methods now in use. Accordingly, Mr. Ford literally made his Detroit plants the most remarkable welding laboratory in the history of industry.

The above chart shows how welding has been employed in the manufacture of the new Ford to replace wherever possible the older methods of joining by the use of bolts and nuts. There are a total of 1339 metal welding operations used in the making of each new Ford car.

Lynn Stokes is Typical of Horatio Alger Model Hero

Horatio Alger would have found intimate character for his prolific compositions in the person of Lynn Stokes, influential farmer of this place and newly elected president of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association. Incidents in the life-story of Mr. Stokes, which reveals how he climbed from an impoverished to a prosperous farmer in the face of reverses and discouragements, would rival those of any typical hero in Alger fiction.

An introductory article in the editorial columns of the Farm Bureau News, official publication of the association, gives a resume of the life of Mr. Stokes. It is reproduced here:



In introducing Lynn Stokes of Ballinger, Rannels county, newly elected president of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, to those members throughout the state who are not acquainted with him, the Farm Bureau News introduces a farmer of farmer parents who has experienced and mastered the trials and tribulations of endeavoring to make farming operations pay. At the same time he has engaged in business enterprises, and made a success of them. The new president of the organization has, therefore, proven himself a successful farmer and business man, fully acquainted with farming conditions and needs and yet of the calibre capable of applying business principles to their relief.

Born in Limestone county on a farm 48 years ago, Mr. Stokes soon gained his first farming experience, and before leaving Limestone county for Rannels county farmed three years as a renter. He was married at the age of 24 and has a family of eight children, 5 boys and 3 girls, the eldest of which is 21 years and the youngest being 6 years. All are living as well as his wife.

Mr. Stokes has been a renter, a half renter and has worked on the farms by the month. When he landed in Rannels county 21 years ago he had \$15, no credit and only one acquaintance in the county. Today Mr. Stokes is said to be independent, with unlimited personal credit, and an acquaintance throughout the county which makes him one of the most prominent men of the county. He now farms over 1,200 acres, the principal income being cotton, sheep, grain and feed-stuffs. He usually plants some 300 acres in cotton, several hundred acres in grain and feed stuff, and at present has more than 800 sheep on his farm. He believes in and practices diversification and the rotation of crops. He believes in raising a living at home and it is said of him that what he can't raise at home he sells enough of his poultry and dairy products to buy such needs. His cotton shipments to the association have approximated 352 bales, at an approximate value of \$38,380.00.

When the Rannels County Farm Bureau was first organized, Mr. Stokes was made vice-president, and for the past six years has

been president of that county unit. He was one of the first to sign the cotton co-operative marketing contract when it was presented in his county. He has also been a member of the board of directors of the cotton association for six years, five years of which he has been a member of the executive committee. His recent election as president, and as ex-officio member of the committee, starts him on his sixth year as a member of this body. He has also served two years as a member of the board of trustees of the American Cotton Growers Exchange, refusing re-election for the third term, last year.

That his interest in co-operative marketing has not been passive, was further demonstrated last year, when at his own expense he sent his daughter to Colorado, Utah and California as a member of the Texas Farm Women's Special to study standardization, organization and co-operative marketing.

Mr. Stokes has also been active in other elements of farm organizational work, having been an organizer and supporter of the Rannels County Poultry Association and the Rannels County Co-operative Creamery Association, both successful enterprises. He was also an organizer of the Rannels County Warehouse Company back in 1920, since which time he has been a member of the board and active manager of the company. Mr. Stokes has also been connected with a number of other very successful business enterprises, having organized and built the Ballinger Gin Co., a most successful enterprise of Rannels county. Of this he was a director and active manager.

Much more could be said of Mr. Stokes, his experience, his ability and his success in farming and business enterprises, as well as his sincere interest and contribution in the advancement of the Texas association. The most recent and outstanding demonstration is presented in the successful manner in which he has, practically single-handedly, made possible the setting up of 31 Farm Bureau co-operative gins since last season, all of which have an enviable record of success as shown by their reports and financial standing.

The Farm Bureau News feels that the directors of the association have chosen wisely and well

in the selection of Mr. Stokes to assume the presidency of the association, and further feels that his leadership will add to the already successful progress of the movement within the state of Texas.

BETHEL BUILDERS CLUB

The Bethel Builders Club met at the farm of I. D. Little Thursday afternoon, the afternoon being spent in judging sheep.

We discussed the carnivals and decided to take part in all of them. We also discussed our community social which we will have July 19.

There were fifteen members present, and eight visitors. —Club Reporter.

BARNETT NEWS

Miss Golda Gene Frost spent Friday night and Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Roy Nelson.

A small crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Frost Saturday night to practice singing for the convention at Winters. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Norman and little daughter, Lorene, of Hagan, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Tyree, of Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Simmons, and daughter, Geraldine, of Hagan, Prof. Daniels and Miss Velma Paxton, of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Sprinkles and little son, of Mann, spent Sunday with Mrs. Sprinkles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Drake.

Miss Marvel Frost spent Sunday with Misses Pearl and Geneva Duke, of near Ballinger.

Sunday school was rather large Sunday morning. We had several visitors, as follows: Miss Mildred Stiles of this community, J. C. Overton of Big Spring, W. L. Duke and daughters, Misses Pearl and Geneva, and granddaughter, Billie Ruth Duke, of near Ballinger, and Mrs. Jim Duke of this community. We were very glad to have them with us and invite them back every Sunday.

Jesse Overton, of Big Spring, is here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Archie Tyree presented one of her Sunday school pupils with a present Sunday for having attended Sunday school regularly for six months.

Funeral services for Grandpa Burks were held from the family residence Sunday evening at 3:00 o'clock. Mr. Burks died Saturday night at 10 o'clock after an illness of about three weeks. He is survived by his grief stricken wife, Mrs. Louise Burks; five sons, West, Roy, Tommy, Moses, and Kirby; two daughters, Mrs. Frances Martin, of Throckmorton, and Mrs. Julia Hill, of this community, besides many grandchildren. Interment was made in Norton cemetery, with Higginbotham Bros. & Co. undertakers in charge. Our deepest sympathy goes out to the many loved ones.

A few of the Barnett people attended church at Hagan Sunday

night. —x— Next Sunday is singing day here. Everyone is invited to come, and help make this the best singing day we have ever had. "REPORTER."

SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS

Lennis Brown, of Midland, returned to Midland Wednesday, after spending the week-end with home folks.

Mrs. Jones Saunders and little daughter have returned home from Dallas after a visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chick and children and sister, Miss Ruby Chick, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Henry Leach, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kirkland, of San Angelo, is visiting Mr. Kirkland's sister, Mrs. James Barron, and family.

Mrs. Fox returned home Tuesday after several weeks stay at the home of Lon Mapes, under the treatment of the doctor. We are glad to know Mrs. Fox's eyes are improving after several weeks stay in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Matlock and daughter have returned home from a trip to Dallas and other places.

Curtis Reese, of Midland, spent the week-end with home folks.

Delbert Brown left Tuesday for Midland, where he will work.

Clinton Reese has returned home from a Temple hospital.

I. F. Watson is in Christoval for his health.

N. S. McMillan and children and sister spent Saturday and Sunday in Carlsbad with his brother, Sam McMillan, and family.

Clinton and Ira Reese are spending a few days in Christoval.

Miss Sadie McMillan is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Vener McMillan at Carlsbad.

Lennis Brown spent Sunday in Coleman with his cousins, Tom and Homer Brown.

In a few minutes' time the entire home can be freed of mosquitoes. With an improved FLY-TOX Hand Sprayer, spray FLY-TOX directly toward the ceiling, also on the draperies, in the closets and on the screens. It will not leave a stain on the most delicate of wallpapers, hangings or fabrics. Spray upwards until all parts of the room are filled with the finely atomized spray. Within a few minutes all the mosquitoes in the room will be dead, regardless of whether the windows and doors are open or closed. In addition to being stainless, FLY-TOX is fragrant, is absolutely harmless to people but sure death to all household insects. Every bottle guaranteed. —Adv.

BLANTON NEWS

Bro. West, of Santa Anna, filled his regular appointment at the New Home church Sunday morning and Sunday night. A large crowd was present at both services.

Elvis Elkins has returned home from Brownwood, where he had been attending Howard Payne College the past term.

Miss Mae Foreman spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Bonnie Cope, of Miller.

Little Miss Louise Foreman celebrated her sixth birthday Sunday by entertaining several of her little friends with a party. Refreshments were served to the following: LaVerne, Harmon, Dorie and Arline Boothe, Omilee Toungett, Mae Fowler, Robbie Lou Foreman and Imogene Boothe.

Mrs. Icie Lewis went to Abilene Saturday to be at the bedside of Mrs. George Woods who underwent an operation early Saturday morning. She was reported to be resting fine late Saturday evening.

Miss Maude James and a num-

ber of her friends, and relatives spent Thursday evening fishing and swimming.

Clyde Flanagan, of Hagan, visited Harrison and Russell Flanagan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. James spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Boothe.

Quite a number of the people of this community are attending the Methodist meeting at Crews.

Miss Maude James spent part of last week with Miss Lois Dietz, of Crews.

Misses Lillian Witter, Wilma Jones, Pauline Malone and Carrie Witter were guests of Miss Mildred Brevard Sunday.

Miss Mary Frances Cotton, of Ballinger, visited Miss Mamie Ruth Boothe Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cope, of Ballinger, visited J. A. Foreman and family Sunday.

The Baptist meeting will start at Blanton Friday night, July 13. Everybody is invited to attend.

CAR VICTIMS NEAR DEATH

WICHITA FALLS, July 3.—Slight hope is held for the recovery of Miss Margaret Perryman and Leonard Smith, employees of the Wichita Falls state hospital, it was voiced by physicians today.

They were injured in an auto crash at Lake Wichita yesterday, when G. W. Denson and Miss Kate Hogel, also hospital attaches, were killed.

WORK PREDICTS HOOVER VICTOR

CHICAGO, July 3.—Hubert Work, chairman of the Republican national committee, now en route from Superior, Wisconsin, where he conferred with President Coolidge and resigned as secretary of the interior, today predicted a "safe" majority for Herbert Hoover, Republican presidential nominee. Work conferred with several Middle West Republican leaders here.

TULIA—The annual celebration commemorating organization of Swisher county will be held July 17.

P.T.A. DISPLAYS POPULAR ART

Seventeen pictures are on exhibit in the display windows of the Higginbotham Bros. & Co. store here this week, the exhibit being arranged by the Parent-Teachers Association, which organization purchased the selection. The pictures will be distributed among the city schools at the opening of the school term.

The display is made up of the following popular pictures: "Dignity and Impudence," "Deer in Forest," "Wake Up," "The Torn Hat," "The Lake," "Baby Stuart," "The Coming of the White Man," "Spring," "Angel Heads," "The Indian and the Lily," "Washington Crossing the Delaware," "The Gleaners," "By the River," "Supper Time," "Song of the Lark," "The Shepherdess," and "Sir Galahad."

25 AIRPLANES IN AIR RACES

WICHITA, Kans., July 3.—With Robert Canwell's Lockheed holding a substantial lead, twenty-five airplanes entered in the 6,000-mile air tour took off for Tulsa, Oklahoma, this morning.

John P. Wood in a Waco plane, was second, and Charles Meyer, also in a Waco plane, was third.

APPROVES SALE OF SHIP LINES

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The sale of the United States Lines, operating the Leviathan and the American merchant line, was authorized today by the United States Shipping Board.

GERMANY WANTS TO OUTLAW WAR

BERLIN, July 3.—American proposals for a treaty outlawing wars were accepted in principle by Germany, Chancellor Mueller told the Reichstag today.

MIAMI, Tex.—Twenty charter members were recently enrolled in the first Lions Club of this city.

STATEMENT of Condition THE... FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER June 30th, 1928 RESOURCES Loans and Discounts \$382,809.40 Bankers Acceptances 204,023.62 U. S. Bonds 25,500.00 Stock and Bonds 63,525.00 Overdrafts 107.63 Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 28,500.00 CASH AND EXCHANGE 144,172.35 \$848,638.00 LIABILITIES Capital Stock \$100,000.00 Surplus and Undivided Profits 67,768.59 Circulation 24,600.00 Reserved for Taxes 1928 2,500.00 Dividend No. 79 5,000.00 DEPOSITS 648,769.41 \$848,638.00 We Carry No State, County or Municipal Interest-bearing Deposits. We desire to thank our many friends and customers for all business entrusted us, making it possible for our bank to render this most satisfactory statement.



Texas Girl in Mother's Steps

"Out of sight, out of mind" is a true saying. The fact that we can't see what's happening inside our children's bodies is the reason so many of us allow them to go on suffering from constipation until they are full of the poisons from decaying waste and they're bilious, head-achy, sallow and weak, with no appetite or energy. Watch your baby or child. Mother, and at the first sign of coated tongue, bad breath or feverishness, give him a little California Fig Syrup. This rich, fruity product gently expels all the souring waste; gives tone and strength to the stomach and bowels, so they continue to act normally; stimulates the circulation; tones and nourishes the entire system.

Its sales record of over four million bottles a year and the enthusiastic praise of women everywhere, prove mothers depend on it today as they have for more than fifty years. A Texas mother, Mrs. M. H. Goodrich, 1539 So. Olive St., San Antonio, says: "I used to take California Fig Syrup as a child, so when my little girl began to suffer with constipation I started her on it. It stopped her trouble quickly and made her look ever so much better. I kept using it with her for a few weeks and it made a different girl out of her. She has grown so well and strong and is never sick any more."

See that the Fig Syrup you buy bears the name "California," so you won't be imposed on by imitators.

Runnels County Drilling Report

Pure Oil Company No. 1 Giesecke, which was spudded in this week, is drilling around 300 feet, with work progressing rapidly.

Vacuum Oil Company No. 1 Fowler is drilling below 2100 feet.

Gibson & Johnson No. 1 Rainwater is drilling past 1650 feet.

Drilling in black slate, Griswold No. 1 Willingham was reported Friday morning at 2,552 feet.

Agnew & Son No. 1 Russell is at a depth of slightly more than 2,150 feet.

Mays & Campbell No. 1 Schneider has passed 2,400 feet.

Marland No. 1 Herring is drilling around 2,930.

SIGNS YOU CAN BELIEVE IN

If your breath is bad and you have spells of swimming in the head, poor appetite, constipation and a general no-account feeling, it is a sign your liver is torpid. The one really dependable remedy for all disorders in the liver, stomach and bowels is *Herbana*. It acts powerfully on the liver, strengthens digestion, purifies the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy, vim and cheerfulness. Price 60c. Sold by

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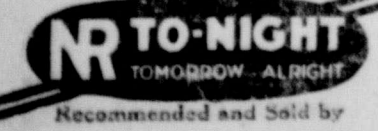
Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Bateman have returned from a ten-day trip to San Antonio, Gonzales, Gatesville, Temple, and other points, where Mr. Bateman made business calls, representing the Creasy Rotary Filed Company of this city. Mr. Bateman reported that crops in the central part of the state were good, that wheat was yielding from fifteen to twenty-eight bushels per acre, and oats averaging around fifty bushels. Their seven-year-old granddaughter, Earl Whitlock, returned with them, to spend the summer.

Mrs. Etta Burrus and Mrs. J. A. Younger left Monday for Corpus Christi, where they will join Mrs. Della Halley. The three ladies will visit in Rockport and Brownsville until September 1st.

Constipated?

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T. P. PERKINS SPEAKS HERE



Calling attention to the fact that five of the seven planks in his platform, announced two months ago, had been included in the platform adopted by the national Democratic party in the Houston convention, Judge T. P. Perkins of Mineral Wells spoke to an interested group of voters on the court house lawn here Saturday afternoon in the interest of his candidacy for congress from the 17th district. He was introduced by J. McGregor, prominent local merchant, who spoke in flattering terms of the judge's ability to fill the position he seeks.

In addition to pledging his efforts to the rigid enforcement of the 18th amendment, and outlining his policies on national matters, Mr. Perkins attacked the governor of the Federal Reserve Bank of the 11th district, as he has in all speeches of his campaign, and explained the harmful effect on the agricultural and livestock interests of the Southwest of the governor's rediscout attitude.

If the directors of the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas were to follow in the footsteps of the Mineral Wells man, they would find the governor of their institution to be one of the most unpopular men in the 17th district. While Judge Perkins adheres to his policy of refraining from all derogatory remarks concerning his opponents, he turns both bar-

rels loose on Lynn P. Talley.

He had the opportunity of observing closely the management of the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas, and of the farm loan policies of its governor, Mr. Talley, at the hearings held last December and January. He was the legal representative of the small banks; and as such, became the possessor of a voluminous record of the proceedings, which record he quotes from frequently. He says he had no idea of running for congress at the time, but the revelations made at the hearings caused him to announce on a platform centering about remedial legislation.

If elected he proposes to support the bill now pending authorizing a congressional investigation of the Dallas bank. He also promises to support and aid the bill limiting the salaries of Federal Reserve bank employees to \$15,000 per year, as some of them are now receiving as high as \$50,000 per year. This is a waste of public funds, he contends, and a waste he hopes to be instrumental in curbing.

He declared in favor of the principles of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, but expressed the opinion that the finances provided for in the bill could well be handled through the Federal Reserve Banks at very slight additional cost to the burdened taxpayer. This would eliminate the necessity of establishing a separate banking system and a much of the excessive costs attendant thereto. He further pledged his efforts in having the federal reserve banking act amended to allow for an increase in the number of directors to twelve, with the requirement that one director be named from each district. This would give each section representation on the board whereas the entire number may be named from one city under the present terms of the act.

The speaker evidently impressed his hearers very much and made many new friends and supporters on his visit here this time. He is making an aggressive campaign that calls for many miles of travel each day and a hard speaking program.

J. D. Ritchey and family, formerly of San Angelo, have moved to this city, where Mr. Ritchey is employed by G. W. Dunn, contractor, who is erecting several new homes in the city.

SMITH FUNERAL SUNDAY EVENING

A. G. Smith, age 68 years and 10 months, died at 10:30 o'clock Friday night in the Halley & Love Sanitarium, where he was taken for an operation. The body has been removed to the family residence at 117 Sixth Street.

Mr. Smith had lived here for 21 years, coming here from Farmersville, where he previously lived for many years. He was in good health until a few days preceding his death, but his condition became such that an operation could not prove successful.

Besides his wife, he is survived by five children, three girls and two boys; and four brothers and four sisters, all of whom live in Tennessee with the exception of one sister. The children are: Raymond Smith, Mrs. Stanley Cameron, Mrs. Bud Gray, and Miss Clemmie Smith, all of whom live in or near Ballinger; and Archie Smith, of Brady.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon with Rev. J. H. McClain, pastor of the Ballinger Baptist Church, and Rev. Alfred Crager, pastor of the First Christian Church, in charge. Burial will follow in Evergreen Cemetery, with King-Holt undertakers in charge.

The funeral was delayed until this time, pending the arrival of relatives from Farmersville.

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SALADS

(Editor's Note—This is one of a series of articles on salads prepared by Mrs. Lara Hollingsworth, county home demonstration agent. These salad recipes are especially recommended by the extension department, and are being used by members of the 4-H clubs of the county.)

Fruit Salads

No. 1

Apples cut in cubes cooked in

a syrup until transparent. Add to the syrup juice of one lemon or 1-2 lemon in slices, and a small piece of ginger root. When apples are done drain and chill. When they are firm add a little chopped celery and cream cheese. Serve on lettuce leaf with mayonnaise or French dressing.

No. 2

1 cup pineapple
1 cup diced apples (unpeeled)
1-2 cup celery
1-2 to 1 cup nuts.
Serve on lettuce with fruit salad dressing.

No. 3

Bananas rolled in nuts, served on sliced lettuce head, with fruit salad dressing.

No. 4

1 cup apples
1-4 cup celery
1-4 cup nuts
1-4 cup seedless raisins.
Serve with fruit salad dressing.

Fruit Salad Dressing

1 whole egg or two yolks
1 tablespoon flour

1-2 cup maple syrup, strained honey, or syrup from pickled peaches or pears or strawberries.

Juice 1 1-2 lemons
Salt to taste.

Method: Beat egg slightly. Mix together flour and salt and (paprika if desired) and combine with egg. Add syrup and lemon juice. Cook in double boiler until thick. Remove and cool. When well cooled fold it into 1 cup of whipped cream.



Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Dorsey, of this city, have gone to St. Louis, where they will visit his brother, Bert Dorsey, several days.

Jim Mulberry and Tom Shelby, Texas University students, visited in the home of Mrs. Jennie Kirk Sunday.



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MRS. LULA PEEKE

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and as soon as she finishes her work on the road will return to Ballinger and be in charge of the shop.

Mrs. Peeke for the past six years has visited The Hub demonstrating Elmo Toilet Goods.

Miss Lilly Mae Willis an expert operator will be in charge now and will appreciate a visit from everyone interested in her line.

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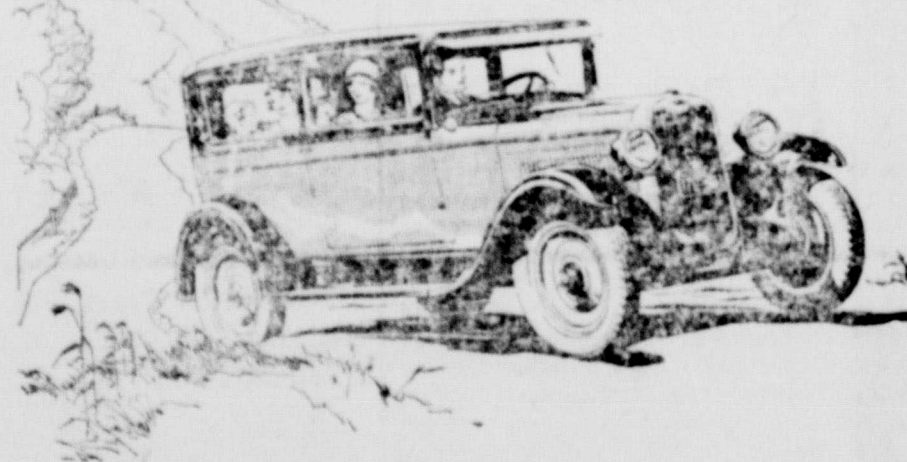
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- The Imperial Landau Light Delivery (Chassis Only) \$715
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- Truck (Chassis Only) \$520

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CLEARANCE SALE

Beginning Friday, July 6th

We have determined to reduce our large stock stock of merchandise to make room for our fall goods which will soon arrive. Following is only a small list of our many bargains to offer.

WIDE SHEETING

Bleached 9-4 Sheeting, now	32c
Brown 9-4 Sheeting, now	30c

ONE TABLE

\$4.00 to \$6.00 Ladies' Slippers, during Clearance Sale	\$1.95
\$2.50 to \$4.50 Ladies' Slippers, during Clearance Sale	95c

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

\$1.00 value, now	85c
\$1.25 value, now	\$1.00
\$1.50 value, now	\$1.20
\$1.75 value, now	\$1.45
\$2.00 value, now	\$1.65
\$2.25 value, now	\$1.85
\$2.50 value, now	\$2.00
\$3.00 value, now	\$2.50

DRESS SUITING

36-inch fast colors, 50¢ value, now	35c
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DRESS GINGHAMS

All patterns, 20¢ value, now	16c
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WILLIAMANTIC THREAD

7 spools for	25c
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UNDERWEAR CREPE

35¢ value, now	25c
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DOMESTIC

36-inch Belached Domestic, now	12c
36-inch Brown Domestic, now	10c

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

Blue, Gray and Khaki colors, were \$1.00, during sale	85c
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MEN'S WORK PANTS

\$1.25 value, now	\$1.00
\$1.50 value, now	\$1.20
\$1.75 value, now	\$1.45
\$2.00 value, now	\$1.65
\$2.25 value, now	\$1.85
\$2.50 value, now	\$2.00
\$3.00 value, now	\$2.50

PRINTED BATISTE

Floral designs, 50¢ value, now	35c
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KOTEX KOTEX

3 boxes for	\$1.00
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PRINTED VOILE

50¢ value, now	35c
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LADIES' SILK HOSE

\$2.50 value, now	\$2.00
\$2.00 value, now	\$1.60
\$1.75 value, now	\$1.45
\$1.50 value, now	\$1.20
\$1.25 value, now	\$1.00
\$1.00 value, now	80c

PLAY SUITS
Ages 2 to 8

\$1.00 value, now	80c
\$1.25 value, now	\$1.00
\$1.40 value, now	\$1.10

MEN'S DRESS HATS

\$7.50 value, now	\$6.50
\$6.00 value, now	\$5.25
\$5.50 value, now	\$4.50
\$5.00 value, now	\$4.25
\$4.50 value, now	\$4.00
\$4.00 value, now	\$3.25
\$3.25 value, now	\$2.85
\$2.25 value, now	\$1.85

WASH DRESSES

Street and House Dresses, \$1.95 value, during Clearance Sale	\$1.60
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SILK RAYONS

All shades, 49¢ value, now	32c
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EXTRA SPECIAL

Ladies' Silk Hose, now	39c
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MEN'S UNION SUITS

50¢ value, now	40c
65¢ value, now	50c
75¢ value, now	60c
95¢ value, now	75c
\$1.00 value, now	80c

MEN'S OXFORDS

\$6.00 value, now	\$5.25
\$5.50 value, now	\$4.75
\$4.95 value, now	\$4.40
\$4.50 value, now	\$4.00

MEN'S OVERALLS

\$1.25 Overalls, now	98c
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CLASSIFIED ADS.

WANTED—To buy some English white Leghorn pullets, hatched in February or March. F. I. Evridge, Millersview, 23rd-11w*

FOR SALE—Cotton Seed, good grade for planting. Ballinger Cotton Oil Co., Inc., 10-11w

FOR RENT—Five room house. Phone 6700. 29-21d-11w

DEATHS

John Hardin Burks

John Hardin Burks, 76-year-old farmer, died at his home 12 miles northeast of here at 10 o'clock Saturday night, and funeral services were held from the home at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. T. Mann. Burial was in the Norton cemetery, with Higginbotham Bros. & Co. undertakers in charge at the grave.

Mr. Burks moved here from Coleman county in 1922. He had been in bad health for several months, with little hope being held out for the possibility of his recovering.

Besides his wife, he is survived by eight children, six boys and two girls. They are Mrs. Juley Eliza Hill, Mrs. Nellie Frances Martin, Sanford Wesley Burks, John Hardin Burks, H. A. Burks, Thomas J. Burks, Kirby Burks, and Robert C. Burks. Two other children born to this couple died some time ago.

He was born in Jackson county, Missouri, December 1, 1852. He came to Texas in 1866, and married Miss Elysia Collier in Brown county on January 1, 1879. Later they moved to Coleman county, where they lived until moving here in 1922.

Mr. Burks had been a member of the Baptist church since 1885.

R. C. Hutto

R. C. Hutto, 24 years 10 months and 26 days old, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutto, on Sealy Avenue, at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning, and was buried in Evergreen Cemetery Wednesday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted at 5 o'clock by Rev. J. H. McClain, pastor of the Ballinger Baptist Church.

Hutto had been an invalid since he was one year old, at which time he suffered a stroke of infantile paralysis. Burial arrangements were in charge of King-Holt Company undertakers.

Old Folks Dance

An old folks dance will be given at the O. D. H. S. Hall at Rowena Monday night, July 9. Music by the St. Joseph Band. Everybody invited.

Committee 6-11w

MOTOR CAR REGISTRATIONS

A decided increase in auto registrations has been reported with the opening of a new quarter Monday. Registrations greatly declined during the last two weeks of June, which marked the end of the second quarter of the year.

Registrations for Monday follow:

- W. L. Adams, Winters, Chevrolet coach
- D. M. Baker, Ballinger, Chevrolet coupe
- Wm. Cameron Co., Ballinger, Ford sedan
- A. J. Smith, Miles, Ford coupe
- Mrs. Bob Bailey, Hatchel, Whippet touring
- Kirby Robinson, Winters, Ford coupe
- W. W. Parramore, Winters, Dodge Victory 6 sedan
- Adolphus Kloesel, Rowena, Dodge Victory 6 sedan
- Bryan Clayton, Talpa, Whippet coupe
- Curtis D. Jones, Ballinger, Chevrolet roadster
- A. R. Jones, Ballinger, Whippet 6 sedan
- Felton T. Wright, Ballinger, Chevrolet coach
- Mrs. L. C. Alexander, Ballinger, Chrysler coupe
- A. D. Lindley, Winters, Dodge sedan.

CROSS PLAINS—Cross Plains is busy in preparation for its annual picnic to be held July 12, 13, and 14.

\$45,000,000 FOR TALL BUILDING CHICAGO'S PLAN

By Francis F. Healy (International News Service Staff Correspondent)

CHICAGO, July 3.—Chicago is to have the world's tallest and largest building—a structure seventy-five stories high, or fifteen floors higher than the Woolworth Building in New York and only a trifle more than a hundred feet less than the Eiffel Tower in Paris.

Contracts for the massive structure have been let and work is to start within six months. The building, designed by Architect Walter W. Ahlschlager, will cost \$45,000,000.

100-Year Lease

A hundred year lease has been negotiated with the Illinois Central Railroad for air rights on Wacker Drive, not far from Chicago's famous avenue, Michigan Boulevard. The building will be known as the Apparel Mart, its purpose primarily being the concentration of men's, women's and children's wearing apparel concerns.

In addition, however, it is to contain a 1,000-room hotel, with facilities on the lower levels for the parking of Pullman cars of incoming and outgoing guests by the Illinois Central and its tenant railroads.

Special Features

Other outstanding features of this huge apparel mart will be a 1,200 car garage, two large auditoriums, an open air swimming pool on the roof and three clubs.

The structure will cover two square city blocks. The building is expected to be completed in 1930.

SORE GUMS — PYORRHEA: Vul breath, loose teeth or sore gums are disgusting to behold, all will agree. Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy is highly recommended by leading dentists and won't fail you. Druggists return money if it fails. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. 1-1d

PEABODY MUSEUM GETS DEAD CIRCUS ANIMALS

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 3.—Circus animals, after they die, go to Peabody Museum of Natural History at Yale. That seems to be the case of many such departed animals. A rhinoceros from Houston, a giraffe from Philadelphia, and, recently, an elephant that passed away in New Haven have been donated to Peabody after death and have been skinned, bled and mounted by Yale taxidermists.

A huge bull elephant that went loco in several New England towns, finally was shot by a New Haven big-game hunter when the animal went on a final rampage here, after doing tricks of the same sort in Providence, and in Port Chester, N. Y. The circus people hoisted the great carcass on a truck and transported it to the Peabody Museum grounds where it was dissected, prepared and mounted for the museum collection.

COMMUNITY SOCIAL AT MAVERICK TONIGHT

A community social will be given at Maverick tonight, in accordance with a series of community entertainments scheduled by C. W. Lehmborg, county agent, and Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, home demonstration agent, for the purpose of augmenting funds to defray expenses to the A. & M. College short course.

Refreshments will be sold, and various concession features, typical of such gatherings, will be provided. In addition to Mr. Lehmborg and Mrs. Hollingsworth, those from here who will participate in the entertainment include R. E. White, county superintendent, and J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce.

FARMER EXHIBITS LARGE COTTON BOLL

R. L. Bowden, farmer residing near Maverick, exhibited a mottled cotton boll about the size of a pullet egg here Tuesday. Mr. Bowden has about 40 acres in cotton that is now well loaded with large bolls. This cotton will begin to open about August 10, he said.

Be wise and advertise.

Junior Band Being Formed; A Real Musical Opportunity

(By H. H. Carsey)

The time has arrived when, in the interest of the Ballinger Band, new students of band instruments must be recruited and developed. Because the town band is a training camp for the college band, we lost valuable band members when they finish high school and are most useful to us; they enter the college band—and how!—and probably compete against us in a band contest.

We see the necessity right now for a new band of as near complete instrumentation as possible. It would be fortunate if we could secure thirty-five members at least, and there is no limit; the more the better and merrier.

Ballinger needs a live progressive band for its Fall Fair, its trade excursions and summer concerts; it is the most important town in the county.

It is fortunate for the residents of Ballinger that they and their children are offered an opportunity every two or three years to become members of a band just beginning and thereby, if they are interested and expend a bit

of effort, are assured of becoming a proficient performer upon an instrument.

We wish men, women, boys and girls would join this band and make it a real one. It is generally conceded among music teachers and supervisors that group instruction in band and orchestras is decidedly the most successful training during the first year of musical effort.

Since the war and with the advent of the radio, music has become closely interwoven with our national life. Bands have become part of the social and educational life of the city high schools. America is the most musical nation of the world.

Get on the band wagon. The cost is trifling compared with the benefits. If interested in becoming a member of a beginning band, phone 677 or see me on the third floor of the Farmers & Merchants Bank Building.

CHEVROLET SALESMAN BELIEVES IN BALLINGER

Sid Thomas arrived here Sunday from Gallup, New Mexico,

where he resided during the past two years, to become associated with the Healer Chevrolet Company, successor of the Ballinger Auto Company in the distribution of Chevrolet automobiles and trucks. Mr. Thomas was in the Chevrolet sales agency at Gallup, and "as an enviable sales record to his credit.

Mr. Thomas has come to Ballinger to stay, and has evidenced his faith in the future of the city by purchasing a home. His wife and two children are visiting in Matador, and will arrive here in August, according to their present plans.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

8th Street Presbyterian
Enrollment, 168
Present, 133
Visitors 25
Offering, \$20.68

Baptist
Enrollment, 484
Attendance, 282

New members, 2
Visitors, 12
Offering, \$31.42

First Presbyterian

Enrollment, 138
Attendance, 115
Visitors, 15
Offering, \$17.82

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Raymond Coleman and Miss Jaunet Eabank.
Doss B. Herring and Miss Katherine Holloway.

KILLOUGH WILL SPEAK HERE IN BEHALF OF LEE

Frank Killough will speak here in the interest of R. Q. Lee's campaign for congress at 8:30 o'clock Monday evening, according to an announcement made by the candidate. Killough will also speak at Winters and Coleman on the following Tuesday.

Be wise and advertise.

Marine Flier Honored



His country's highest tribute was paid to Lieutenant C. Frank Schmitt, U.S.M.C., when President Coolidge pinned upon his breast the Congressional Medal of Honor. The courageous pilot evacuated eighteen wounded marines from a narrow street in Quilali, New Guinea, landing and taking off under a withering fire from Japanese insurgents.

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FARMERS & MERCHANTS BALLINGER STATE BANK (TEXAS)

At the Close of Business June 30th, 1928

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$399,137.35
School Warrants	1,431.98
Overdrafts	1,083.90
Banking House	25,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,932.70
Real Estate	6,286.06
Interest Guaranty Fund	2,349.50
Cash and due from banks	\$ 73,835.51
Banker's Acceptances and Commercial Paper	217,430.61
Bills of Exchange (Cotton)	4,066.21
	295,332.33
	\$736,553.82
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits, Net	42,175.46
DEPOSITS	594,378.36
	\$736,553.82

Comparative increase deposits of this institution at close of business ending June 30th for the past three years.

1925	\$422,359.87
1926	\$476,865.71
1927	\$522,222.39
1928	\$594,378.36

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