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Miss Alpha Williams will render a solo at  
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### MAY BANNER AUTO MONTH IN RUNNELS

Runnels county now has registered on the County Clerk's record books the total of 858 automobiles. While this is short of what some people believed it would show, it is a good record and is being added to daily.

May was the banner month for motor cars, with 90 gas driven vehicles registered, and the month of June looks even better so far. Eleven autos were recorded on June 8th, and several have not yet been set down.

Wallace E. Hawkins, who is candidate for representative from this district, was No. 858, the last one down, representing a Ford car which Mr. Hawkins thinks will make a fast "race."

London—Owing to the scarcity of paper, the Hertfordshire County Council has re-introduced slates in lieu of copy elementary schools in lieu of copy books.

Watch the Fords Go By.

### REVIVAL AT HATCHEL JUNE 23

D. E. Candler of the Hatchel country, was in Ballinger Friday and requested us to announce that Elder C. D. Record, of Arlington, Texas, formerly of Ballinger, will begin a revival meeting at Hatchel on Friday night, June 23rd, and will hold over two Sundays. Services each day and night. A cordial invitation extended to everybody to attend the revival.

### TWO LODGES MEET

The regular meeting of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Thursday night, developed into a social affair, with quite a number of visitors present. While no special program was rendered an acceptable entertainment was afforded the lodges and refreshments of cake and cream were served at the hall.

### GIN FIRST 1916 BALE, MAKING NEW RECORD

Lyford, June 8—Breaking all records for early production by seven days the first bale of 1916 cotton was ginned here tonight and immediately thereafter forwarded by express to Houston. The bale was grown on the farm of R. F. Deyo of this city.

### DARIO RESTA IS DERBY FAVORITE

SPEEDWAY, Maywood Ill, June 10.—Twenty seven of the world's fastest auto drivers are ready here today for the start in the western automobile classic, the second annual Chicago Derby.

The distance is 300 miles and the prizes amount to \$30,000 cash. It was estimated that 30,000 auto fans were crowded in the grandstand and along the speedway course shortly before Starter Fred Wagner sent the speed demons on their way.

Half of the crowd were visitors to the Republican, Progressive and Woman's Party conventions. The Republicans adjourned at noon to let the delegates get to the race.

Dario Resta, who won the Derby last year in a Peugeot, establishing a record of 97.58 miles an hour; also winner of the 300 mile run at Indianapolis May 30th, was back on the job again, a strong favorite. The diminutive Italian couldn't see anyone but himself as the winner.

"It's my race," he said. "Those fellows can't beat me. They'll have to smash world records to do it, and I expect to smash a few myself."

Ralph de Palma, who probably has more bad luck than any auto driver in the game, will drive a Mercedes. De Palma has missed winning several big races short distances from the finish because of car trouble.

"Nothing like that this time," he said. "I'm taking no chances."

Other entrants are Barney Oldfield, driving a Delage; Tom Alley, Ogresl Christiaens Sunbeam; Eddie O'Donnell Duesenberg; Billy Chandler, Crawford; and George Adams, Adams Special.

The winner of the Derby will get \$12,000; second \$6,000; third, \$3,000; fourth \$1,500; fifth, \$1,000; sixth, \$1,200; seventh, \$1,100; eighth, \$900; tenth, \$700.

A cash bonus of \$500 will be presented to the driver leading at the end of 100 miles; \$500 more to the driver leading at the end of 200 miles; and \$500 more for the leader at the end of 250 miles.

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### Progressive Party Puts Roosevelt in Race

By United Press  
Auditorium Theatre,  
Chicago, June 10.—  
Theodore Roosevelt, for  
the second time, was  
nominated by the Prog-  
ressive party as their  
candidate for president  
of the United States.  
Roosevelt was unani-  
mously acclaimed Bull  
Moose nominee this af-  
ternoon by acclamation.

### TEDDY APPROVES LODGE.

By United Press  
Oyster Bay, June 10.—  
Theodore Roosevelt tel-  
egraphed Chicago  
friends this morning  
that he approved Sena-  
tor Lodge, of Massachu-  
setts, as a compromise  
candidate of Republi-  
cans and Progressives.  
Senator Lodge is a per-  
sonal friend of T. R.'s  
and is known to be ac-  
ceptable to many radi-  
cals.

### WILL MOVE POWER PLANT NEXT WEEK

M. F. Treadwell, manager of the Ballinger branch of the Interstate Electric Corporation, told a Ledger reporter Saturday morning that his company would begin next week on their promised improvements. Mr. Treadwell stated that the work contemplated would be rushed through as soon as possible, as business of that nature could not well afford to be delayed.

"We will begin moving our generating plant from the oil mill to the ice plant next week" said the power plant man, "and the local current users will not be inconvenienced in the slightest, as we will actually have two power plants at work at one time—for about three minutes. After that Ballinger's current will be supplied from the generator at the ice plant."

Mr. Treadwell was very optimistic over the plans for extension of transmission lines out of Ballinger to Miles and Rowena, and information was gleaned that several car loads of poles were en route to Ballinger from points north for use on these extension cables. The poles will be routed over the Abilene and Southern railway.

Further development of the city lines is expected in the near future according to the manager, who stated that material improvements would be made.

CHICAGO, Coliseum, June 10. — Republican delegates this afternoon, nominated Charles E. Hughes, of New York, as candidate for President of the United States, on that ticket. Justice Hughes received 940 1-2 votes out of a possible nine hundred and eighty-seven, beating by far his nearest competitor, Theodore Roosevelt.

Closely following the nomination of Justice Hughes for president, Charles Fairbanks was declared winner of the Republican nomination for vice-president. Thus the Republican ticket for the big race is Hughes-Fairbanks. "Buttermilk" Fairbanks will for the second time in his life race for the vice-president's chair.

Roosevelt came second in choice of the Old Guard delegates, with only eighteen and a half votes to his credit. Hughes was then declared the nominee unanimously.

It was learned that the Bull Moosers nominated Teddy by acclamation despite his last minute message urging Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts as a compromise candidate.

Colby of New Jersey, made the speech nominating Colonel Roosevelt.

Hughes is expected to issue a formal statement from Washington this afternoon, declaring his intentions. Official notification has been sent the Justice. Hughes was nominated on the third ballot.

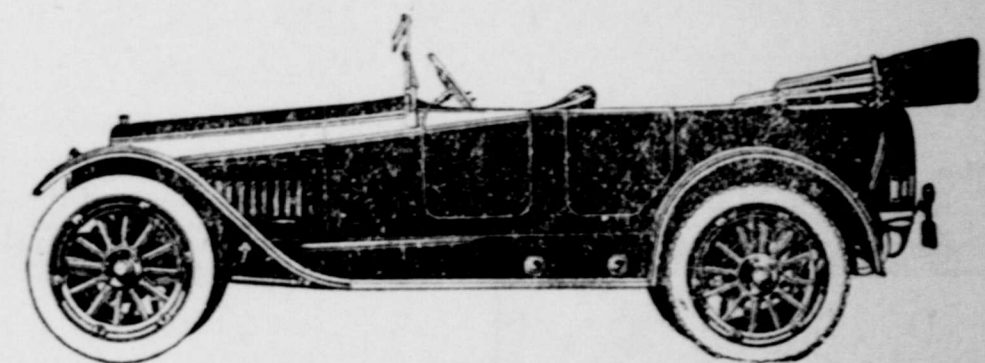
Vice-presidential nominations by the Republicans began this afternoon, following Hughes' nomination. Wannamaker placed the name of Charles Fairbanks in the lists for the second-executive's nomination-Burkett of Nebraska was also nominated.

### HUGHES ACCEPTS NOMINATION AT ONCE

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Justice Chas. E. Hughes of the Supreme Court accepted nomination shortly after he had been officially notified of same.

After accepting the nomination Mr. Hughes resigned from the Supreme Court and sent his resignation to President Wilson this afternoon. The resignation was accepted at once.

W. A. Nance 393 NIGHT PHONES Henry Jones 556



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GIRL SELLS TEN DOZEN HATS TO EARN VACATION MONEY. San Angelo, June 10.—Ten dozen bonnets were sold by one San Angelo young woman to a local dry goods establishment.

MUST NOT CROSS BORDER. El Paso, Tex., June 10.—Customs inspectors at the international bridge here early today received instructions to permit no American to enter Mexico from here until further notice.

It's Always Cooler in Corpus Christi. Spend Your Vacation at CORPUS CHRISTI. Special Rates Railroads and Hotels.

EYE BEING KEPT ON MEXICAN GOVERNMENT

(By A. W. Sledge) EL PASO, Texas, June 8.—That Uncle Sam has an eye on the safety of the Americans along the Mexican border was demonstrated most vividly here Thursday when Gen. Bell, in command of the 4,500 soldiers stationed at Fort Bliss brought "into action" almost the entire fighting equipment under his command for the entertainment of the Texas editors.

It was the first parade since the recent concentration of troops here and the preparedness was quite a surprise for the El Paso citizens who did not realize that such move had been made for the protection of the people at this point on the border.

4,000 soldiers participated in the parade including the artillery, cavalry, heavy field guns, machine guns, hospital corps, mounted autos and motors. It required one hour and ten minutes for the parade to pass the hotel where the newspaper men were stationed to view the display.

SEVERE PUNISHMENT

Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years' Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Mt. Airy, N. C.—Mrs. Sarah M. Chappell of this town, says: "I suffered for five years with womanly troubles, also stomach troubles, and my punishment was more than any one could tell. I tried most every kind of medicine, but none did me any good.

I read one day about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I decided to try it. I had not taken but about six bottles until I was almost cured. It did me more good than all the other medicines I had tried, put together.

slavery of the ignorant, are responsible for the awful condition that prevails right at our back door. There is no comparison between the American troops stationed at Fort Bliss just north of this city, and the Carrancista troops stationed at the Juarez garrison, not more than a mile south of the city, and firing upon the Carrancistas would be nothing short of murder of irresponsible boys wearing Mexican uniforms; yet some day the firing must be done.

The Woman's Missionary Conference of the Brownwood district was held in Winters, Texas the first and second days of June.

Rev. L. A. Clark had charge of the devotional service. His text was, "She Hath Done What She Could." Prayer by Miss Posy. District Secretary's message by Miss Posy.

"When we review our work for the past year we realize the Lord has blessed our labors; we have accomplished more than we have ever accomplished before in a year's time.

"The plan of the council for next year is a membership of 50,000 new members, and dues and offerings \$20,000, with 30,000 new subscribers to the Voice and 10,000 new subscribers to the Young Christian Worker.

Will My Child Take Dr. King's New Discovery?

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Fred Montgomery returned home Friday from an auto trip to Brownwood, Comanche and Stephenville and was accompanied by J. S. Acee, of Belton, who was installing gas plants.

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O'KELLY & WALTON. The following program was carried out: Hymn 144. Devotional by Mrs. Ora Bird. Welcome address by Mr. Hawkins.

\$100 Reward, \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh.

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TEACHING babies always have a hard row of it when this process occurs in hot weather. They not only have to contend with painful gums but the stomach is disordered.

Mrs. G. A. Beaumont and children, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Tom Ward and family the past week or two, returned home Friday.

Judge J. M. Martin left Friday afternoon on an important business trip to Coleman and other points east for a few days.

Miss Blanch Griffin, of Coleman, who had been the guest of Miss Mildred Herring and other Ballinger friends the past few days, returned home Friday.

BRIDEGROOM DISAPPEARS ON WAY TO WEDDING. Fort Worth, Tex., June 9.—Miss Zanie Moon of polytechnic is prostrated with grief because her fiance, Larry Stanslaw, who started from Dallas last Saturday on his way here to wed here, has strangely disappeared.

DATE OF ELECTION FOR FAIR BONDS IS JUNE 20. San Antonio, Tex., June 10.—June 20 has been selected as the date for holding the special election on the \$1,000,000 bond issue for the Texas Bicentennial exposition, to be held in this city in 1918.



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John Henry Lewis and daughter, Miss Zelma, of the Crews country, came in Friday and Miss Zelma left in the afternoon for Austin, where she will attend the commencement exercises and attend the summer school at the State University.

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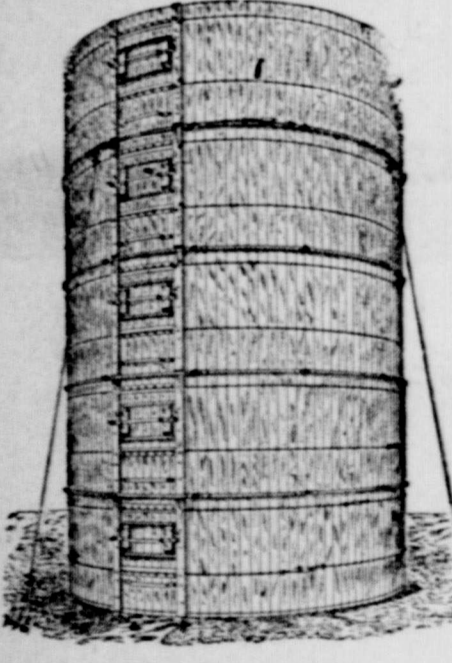
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**GRANDDAUGHTER OF MORGAN MARRIES**

STERLINGTON, N. Y., June 10.—Society was taken completely by surprise by the news that Miss Helen Morgan Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce Hamilton, granddaughter of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, and great-great-granddaughter of Alexander Hamilton, is to become the bride of Police Commissioner Arthur Woods. She was a favorite of the financier and was at his bedside when he died in Rome on March 31, 1913.

Miss Hamilton and Mrs. Woods were married here today. Bishop Rhineland of Philadelphia, an uncle of the bride, officiating.

Friends of Mr. Woods, both in public and private life, had come to regard him as a confirmed bachelor. Even those closest to him in the affairs of the great department of which he is the head had no hint that he ever thought of romance as they went about the unromantic business of the department together.

Miss Hamilton was introduced to society a year and a half ago. She stepped immediately into the front ranks of the young set in society. She became a member of the Colony Club and joined the Junior League.

Through her father and mother she is descended from well known American families that have been identified with public life for many generations. Her mother, who was Miss Juliet P. Morgan, is one of the four children of the late financier and philanthropist, the others being Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, Mrs. Herbert L. Satterlee and Miss Ann T. Morgan.

Mr. Woods, after having been Mayor Mitchell's private secretary for three months, was designated Police Commissioner in 1914.

The Commissioner is forty-three years old. In 1892 he was graduated from Harvard.

Before that date he had decided to find a career in public life. His first opportunity came in 1905, when he went to the Philippines in the party with William Howard Taft then Secretary of war.

In 1907 he left the Police Department with Commissioner Bingham and passed some time in Mexico, remaining out of public life until 1912.

Commissioner Woods lives at the Harvard Club. He also is a member of the Racquet and Tennis Club.

If you have the itch, don't scratch. It does not cure the trouble and makes the skin bleed. Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment. Rub it in gently on the affected parts. It relieves itching instantly and a few applications removes the cause thus performing a permanent cure. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

Mrs. R. W. Haskins, who had been the guests of D. E. Sims and family of Paint Rock, passed through Ballinger Friday afternoon en route to her home in California.

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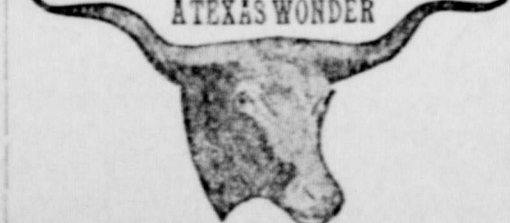
**PICTURES AT YOUR BEST THEATRE**

Mrs. A. J. Carriger returned home Friday afternoon from a visit to her parents at Robert Lee the past few days.

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The regular services will be held at this church tomorrow at the usual hours: Bible School 9:45. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Christian Endeavor 7:15. You are cordially invited to worship with us at all these services. Come bringing a friend with you.

R. R. RIVES, Pastor.

**Methodist Church**

Corner 10th and Murrell Streets

Sunday School 9:45. All invited to be present. Classes for all ages.

Preaching 11:00 a. m. Services close promptly at 12 sharp. Some interesting fish stories to be related. As the pastor has been fishing the past week. On account of the revival services in progress at other churches the evening service will be called in.

Rev. E. Rosmond Stanford, pastor

**CHURCH OF CHRIST.**

The subject discussed last night by Elder Ussey was listened to by a large crowd and held their undivided attention during the entire discourse. Many interesting points were brought out and made clear on the "Work of Woman in the Church and in Business." Subject for tonight, "The Unanswerable Question."

Sunday 11:00 a. m. at the tabernacle will be "The New Name." Sunday evening at 8:30, "Old Folks Service."

Bible school at 9:30 o'clock a. m. at court house. You are cordially invited to be present.

**Bowel Complaints in India.**

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa, churches, a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventive and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable everywhere.

**MEXICAN RAIDERS HANGED.**

Deming, N. M., June 10.—Francisco Alvarez and Juan Sanchez, two Villa followers captured during the raid on Columbus, N. M., March 9, were hanged here yesterday.

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**CARNEGIE REFUSES TO ASSIST NEGRO LIBRARY**

Dallas, Tex., June 10.—Andrew Carnegie does not think much of Texas. When the Dallas negroes asked him for a donation for a negro colored library here, he replied that he would spend no more of his money in Texas, as the citizens of at least ten communities had not lived up to their promises to maintain libraries built with his money.

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**U. S. CONSULATE AT DURANGO CITY ATTACKED BY MOB.**

El Paso, Tex., June 10.—Gen. Bell Jr. military commander here, was informed last night that a mob of Mexican civilians and Carranza soldiers attacked the United States consulate in Durango. The report indicates that the building was burned. Other details not available.

A bilious, half-sick feeling, loss of energy, and constipated bowels can be relieved with surprising promptness by using Herbine. The first dose brings improvement, a few doses puts the system in fine, vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

**TEMPLE PASTOR RESIGNS—GOES TO SAN ANGELO**

Temple, June 10.—Rev. A. F. Cunningham tendered his resignation as pastor of the First Presbyterian church yesterday to the Central Texas Presbytery, convened in this city in special session. Mr. Cunningham expects to accept the call to San Angelo, his resignation becoming effective Aug. 1.

Watch the Fords Go By.

**DROPS DEAD ON TRAIN**

Stanton, June 9.—Word was received today that I. Davis Fouts Egleston, professor of English at Austin College here for twenty-seven years, had dropped dead on a train near San Antonio this morning. The body will be brought here for burial.

Dr. Egleston's eldest son, Clyde, was a Rhodes Scholarship man, returning home at the outbreak of the war.

**Chickens-Chickens**

On Tuesday, June the 13th we will have a poultry car here and this will be your best and possibly last good opportunity to get rid of you old roosters and clean up your flock in general. On this day we guarantee the prices mentioned here and better if the market will justify.

Old Roosters 5c per pound.  
Hens 11c per pound.  
Friers 1 1-2 to 2 1-4 lbs. 17c per lb.  
Turkeys 12c per pound.

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**JEANES Produce Comp'ny**

P. S.—Bring us your cream. We are testing on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Prof. J. C. Wells, of Miles, was looking after his candidacy for school superintendent in Ballinger Friday and was accompanied home in the afternoon, in his auto, by Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harris who had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. A. Nicholson and family of West End.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Page returned home Thursday afternoon from a very pleasant outing on the Concho the past several days and reports fish biting nicely and a most enjoyable occasion is reported.

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Mrs. W. E. Branch has the thanks of the Ledger force for a vase of beautiful cape jasmines raised at her home, in South Ballinger and to the old states person it is a great delight to have a few of this splendid, fragrant flower.

Miss Lillian Pyburn, of Cooledece, Texas, who had been in our city to attend the Pyburn-Van Pelt wedding, returned home Friday afternoon.

A regular morning operation of the bowels puts you in fine shape for the day's work. If you miss it you feel uncomfortable and cannot put vim into your movements. For all bowel irregularities Herbine is the remedy. It purifies, strengthens and regulates. Price 50c. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

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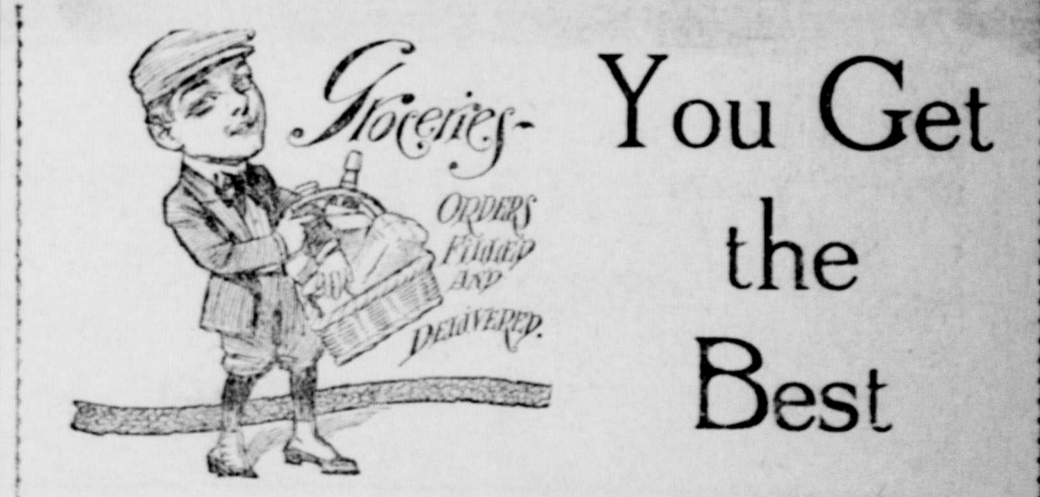
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## Passes On Safe Bet—Don't Get These Bathing Suits too Wet

By Margaret Mason  
(Written For The United Press)  
If when you don your bathing suit, You've chosen it with care, As on the beach to bathe you are en route, You'll find you have a following Replete with son and heir. It follows every man will follow suit.

NEW YORK, June 10.—If you want to take a dip then you'd better take a tip and select a suit impervious to water for they're making more and more suits for bathing on the shore and to wear them

in the wet you hadn't oughter. In fact most everyone is for bathing in the sun and if you have desire for surf and brine, a one piece suit is best, it will stand the aqua test and it fits a perfect figure simply fine. But if you think it fun just to linger near the sun—and of course a moneyed son you much prefer there are ruffled suits galore that the brightest sons are for. They excite to envy human maids or mer. Of taffeta they're made, in all or any shade but there's one of green that simply is divine. The skirt is ruffled flour and there simply can't be more, because

above the knees it draws the line. The neck is rather low with a ruffle round it so and the sleeves of course are nothing much to mention. It's cap is ruffled too, with its knickers out of view and to make appearance they have no intention.

Another suit of blue flaunts something very new; around the hips believe me 'tis a hoop. There are scollops by and fore down the front and then some more round the skirt but it's the hoop that is the coup. And so if you are brave in the trough of ocean wave you can go and roll your hoop with perfect ease. So hoop-a-la my dear hoops at first you may think queer, but for bathing suits they're chic soon each agrees.

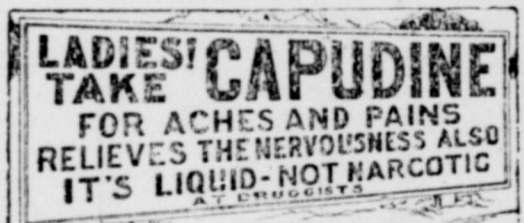
With sandals on her feet, clasping close her ankle neat, here's a maiden looks just like the Russian ballet, for her bathing suit bizarre has indeed a rainbow of as some ribbons blue, pink, purple round it rally. There is yellow ribbon too and the suit is green in hue and its two tiered skirt hangs down in jagged points that the divers ribbons edge and the knickers closely hedge her shapely nether limbs below the knee joints. Near the hips are ribbons placed that half gather in her waist, but the

ribbons don't extend across the front. From square neck it falls quite plain and this length of line 20th gain and it makes it a good model for a runt. The sleeves are pointed tabs with more bright ribbons dabs. On this bathing suit sure keeps the ribbons busy, for they also trim the neck and the helmet cap, by heck, and the whole things sure to make the fishes dizzy.  
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J. S. Flanagan, of the Valley creek country, was transacting business in Ballinger Saturday and says he is enjoying life to the fullest extent and growing fatter every day in the healthful zone of Rannels county.



Cecil Glenn left Saturday morning for Coleman on a short business trip in the interest of his firm Dunn & Glenn, the tinners and plumbers.

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Miss Ha Hurly left Friday afternoon for Austin, where she will assist Rev. Wells in a revival meeting at the Nazarene church in that city a few weeks. Miss Ha will spend several months this summer in church work over Texas.

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Miss F. Curry, of the Norton country, came in Saturday to accompany her trict manager for The Texas Oil Co., Miss Maud Grosschloss, who was en route to her home at Aransas Pass, after a visit to her uncle and family the past several weeks.

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Gus Glass, of Rowena, motored over to Ballinger Saturday to look after business affairs a few hours.

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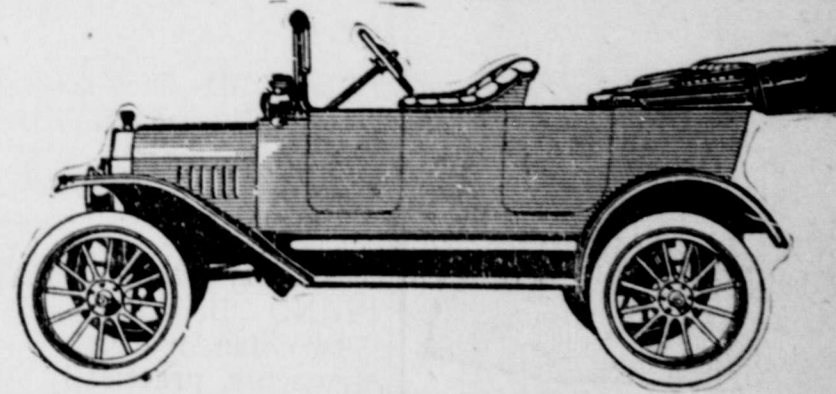
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