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Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Jones returned from Fort Worth today where they went to carry their baby for an X-ray examination and an X-ray photograph, in order that proper treatment might be given for a broken hip. Their many friends will be glad to know that the child is getting along as well as could be expected and complete recovery is now hoped for.

The little child, about one year old, was struck by an auto as it was returning home from a neighbor's house early this week, and suffered for some time before it was discovered that the hip was seriously injured.

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Ballinger, Texas

ROOSEVELT'S CONDITION ALARMING

By United Press.
NEW YORK, June 16.—Attending physicians issued a statement this afternoon declaring that the condition of Theodore Roosevelt had grown worse after a bad night last night. Mr. Roosevelt suffered violent coughing throughout the night, and his condition is such today as to alarm his family and friends.

ELECTED PRINCIPAL MAVERICK SCHOOL

We are glad to note that Prof. Emmett Cockrell has been elected principal of the Maverick school, with a seven or eight months term and a good salary. Mr. Cockrell is a product of Ballinger and the local schools, and has taught two successful years in the county. For the past year he has been connected with the West Texas Telephone Co., of Ballinger, holding the position of bookkeeper with that company. He will resign in time to enter upon his school duties. The Maverick school employs three teachers, and we feel that the school board of that district has made no mistake in selecting the principal.

Mrs. Fannie Peets, of San Angelo, who had been the guest of R. H. Schuler and family, left Friday for her home. She had been visiting at Goldthwaite, Brownwood and other points in the east.



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White City TO-NIGHT

Ferguson Wins Woman Suffrage Fight

RUSHING SOLDIERS TO BORDER

By United Press.
LAREDO, June 16.—Eight men each from troops B. C. and D. of the First Texas Cavalry were sent to San Ignacio this morning to assist the cavalry stationed at that place in running down the bandits who attacked the American troops Wednesday night. Twelve men from troop A have been dispatched to Litas to strengthen the patrol and head off threaten attack.

COUNTY NEEDS MORE DIPPING VATS

One of the problems to come before the commissioners' court this week was the question of dipping vats for communities where vats had not been provided. In many sections of the county the stockmen have built community vats, but in thinly settled sections of the county vats have not been provided. The question of supplying the vats for such places was put up to the commissioners.

The county can build the vats and charge so much for the use of them until they are paid for and then permit the free use of them, and this plan was suggested, but was objected to on the ground that it would not be treating the man who had built his own vat right in opening free vats. The court has not announced what plan will be adopted for supplying the vats.

FIRST VIOLATION REPORTED.
The first charge made in this county charging violation of the quarantine law since the tick eradication law was adopted, came up this week, when a man brought a bunch of cattle from Coleman county into this county without having them inspected. The man pleaded guilty to the charge and is now busy eradicating the ticks.

THIS IS A SAN ANGELO SNAKE STORY

(San Angelo Standard)
Stanley Turner of Water Valley, reports the drought which was broken by the rain Wednesday night did not have the effect of diminishing the stock of rattlesnakes in the Water Valley country, and he is patiently awaiting the return of Charles Swinney, official snake catcher, who is at present in Oklahoma traveling with a show.

Mr. Turner says he received a letter from Swinney recently in which he stated that he has not fully recovered from the bite of a big rattler he received on the left forearm just before he quit this section to go with a show. Swinney catches rattlers with his bare hand and swings them into a sack he carries on his left shoulder. When the snake bit Swinney, instead of going to his wagon to apply the antidote he always has on hand, he conquered the snake first, and by that time the poison had spread through the arteries. The old man's left arm was almost paralyzed when he left here and it is feared the poison caused a neuralgic condition of the heart.

Mr. Turner says there is one den of rattlers in the Water Valley country in which there are three hundred of the venomous reptiles.

These three hundred maverick reptiles were located by Swinney last fall and he will mark and brand them when he returns.

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.

MANY TO ATTEND PICNIC
Unless the people of the Crews community put out an unusually large spread at their annual picnic tomorrow somebody may go hungry. Many from Ballinger are planning to attend and enjoy the day with the people in the north end of the county. Candidates for state and district offices are slated for speech making at Crews, and it is probable the county candidates will be crowded off the platform, and will have to confine their campaigning to the single shot plan, and corner one voter at a time. The Crews people have extended an invitation to all, and they never do things by halves.

CHARGE ANTI PASS LAW VIOLATED

(By United Press)
AUSTIN, June 16.—The railroad commission took up the work this morning of investigating the alleged use of free passes in and out of San Antonio by delegates attending the Democratic state convention recently. It has been charged that certain delegates were given free transportation to the convention by certain railroads.

BROTHER DROPPED DEAD AT COMANCHE

L. F. Gressett received the sad news about noon today that his brother, Rev. W. W. Gressett, dropped dead at Comanche Friday morning, and accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. T. M. Steen, Mr. Gressett left Friday afternoon for Comanche to attend the funeral.

Rev. Gressett had quite a number of acquaintances in Ballinger, having frequently visited here. For many years he had been in the ministry, serving as a Methodist preacher. He had made a faithful servant, and growing old was no doubt ready to leave this life, although he was taken without a moment's notice.

Does Sloan's Liniment Help Rheumatism.
Ask the man who uses it, he knows. "To think I suffered all these years when one 25 cent bottle of Sloan's Liniment cured me," writes one grateful user. If you have Rheumatism or suffer from Neuralgia, Backache, Soreness and Stiffness, don't put off getting a bottle of Sloan's. It will give you such welcome relief. It warms and soothes the sore, stiff painful places and you feel so much better. Buy it at any Drug Store, only 25 cents.

A PRETTY HOME
Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pilcher are now comfortably domiciled in their home on Sealy Avenue and have just had their home remodeled, papered and painted and new cement sidewalks put down and now have one of the prettiest homes in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Moor, of Winters were visiting and looking after business affairs in Ballinger a few hours Friday.

By United Press.
ST. LOUIS, June 16.—Gov. Jas. E. Ferguson, of Texas, presented a minority report on platform at one-thirty-seven o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Ferguson's report declares that the question of woman suffrage is a state issue and should be left for each state to work out for itself without the National Democratic party to the principle. After hearing the majority and minority reports the convention voted that thirty minutes be allowed for debating the suffrage question, after which time the question will be voted upon.

In the committee room a battle between the western and southern states on the suffrage question lasted for five hours with Gov. Ferguson leading the fight against suffrage for women. With the northern and eastern states taking no part the southern states won out, but the plank was included in the majority report.

After a twenty-two hours session of the committee on resolutions, the platform was submitted to the convention for its adoption. The principal planks in the platform include the endorsement of Americanism and preparedness, and the denunciation of hyphenated citizenship. The platform is loud in its laudation of the achievements of the Wilson administration and true democracy, and promises additional labor legislation. Intervention in Mexico was held to be "revolting" but protection of Americans in foreign lands endorsed.

WILSON NOMINATED BY ACCLAMATION

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—The convention was called to order by Permanent Chairman Ollie James at 9:15 o'clock Thursday night for its final session. Senator Thompson of Kansas moved that the rules be suspended and that William Jennings Bryan be invited to address the convention. The motion was put and carried.

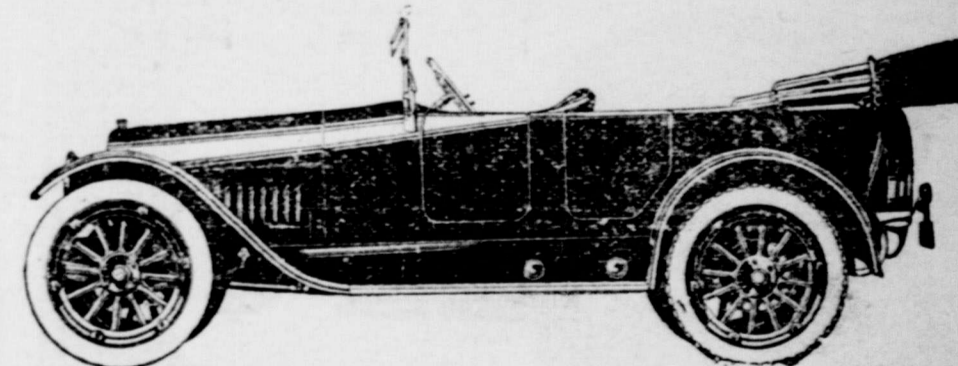
J. W. Kern of Indiana, W. H. Thompson of Nebraska and Senator Thompson of Kansas were appointed a committee to escort Mr. Bryan to the platform. Great and continued cheering greeted the Nebraskan as he took the platform. At the conclusion of Mr. Bryan's speech and the prolonged demonstration that followed, J. W. Westcott of New Jersey, was recognized to make the speech nominating Woodrow Wilson for a second term as president of the United States.

Another tremendous demonstration followed and the ballot was ordered, with the result that Wilson was declared the nominee by acclamation.

Forethought.

People are learning that a little forethought often saves them a big expense. Here is an instance: E. W. Archer, Caldwell, Ohio, writes: "I do not believe that our family has been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since we commenced keeping house years ago. When we go on an extended visit we take it with us." Obtainable everywhere.

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35	34.75	34.75	5.90
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CHRISTIAN REVIVAL.

A large crowd heard Evangelist Rogers last night.

A best yet day service this morning, with two responses to the invitation.

Subject for tonight will be "Excuses." No day service tomorrow. Baptismal service this evening at 7:30 at the river ford below the bridge and from that the people will go to the meeting place for the service at 8:30. Evrybody cordially invited to the services, and the help of the people solicited in the singing and in every way to make the meeting a great blessing to Ballinger.

Bad To Have A Cold Hang On.

Don't let your cold hang on, rack your system and become chronic when Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will help you. It heals the inflammation, soothes the cough and loosens the phlegm. You breathe easier at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a laxative Tar Syrup, the pine tar balsam heals the raw spots, loosens the mucous and prevents irritation of the bronchial tubes. Just get a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey today, its guaranteed to help you. At drugists.

Audice Reese, of the post office forced is taking a ten days vacation and left Friday morning.

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YOUNG LADY WINS DELIGHTFUL TOUR.

Miss Mae McElroy, the popular young lady in the box office of the Queen and White City Theatres, will leave on July first for a tour to points of interest in the East. Miss McElroy will join a party of tourist who are to be the guests of the Southern Woman's Magazine, having been recently declared one of the winners in a contest conducted by that magazine. In order to make this trip Miss McElroy had to secure 180 subscribers for this magazine and of this number she secured 70 the first day.

The Texas girls will meet at Dallas and go in a body to Nashville, where they will meet the other members of the party and the trip will be made on a special train. The itinerary calls for visits to Washington, D. C., Philadelphia, Atlantic City, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Thousand Islands, LaChine Rapids, Montreal, Lake Champlain, Albany, Hudson River, New York City, Norfolk, Old Point Comfort, James River, Richmond, Chattanooga, back to Nashville and return home. The tour will cover a period of two weeks with all expenses paid.

Miss McElroy's many friends will be glad to know that she is to have the privilege of enjoying such a vacation, and that too without expense to herself.

\$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. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and it reaches the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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THE BENEFITS OF A UNION PICNIC

Most of us can reflect back and remember when the town turned out once each year and celebrated with an old fashioned basket picnic. It was a great day for children as well as for the old folks, and was an inexpensive proposition as every family was supposed to bring "well filled" baskets.

There was a time when the annual union Sunday School picnic was looked forward to as the red letter event of the year. Those were days never to be forgotten by the older generation of today. But the young folks of today are deprived of such pleasure, because interest in such matters have been smothered out by modern commercialism and new-fangled society rules, and we might say denominational competition.

The idea of a union picnic of the various Sunday Schools of Ballinger has been mentioned a number of times, and about the only objection raised was that such a coming together was appropriate and good for small towns, but that Ballinger was too large. Well, we agree with all that Ballinger is a modern little city, made up of progressive people, and for this reason we believe that the plan to hold a union picnic—of the old fashioned kind—would be just as successful as anything else ever undertaken in this city. It's time to be more sociable, if we expect the coming generation to stand together for the common good of all mankind.

Stomach Troubles and Constipation.

"I will cheerfully say that Chamberlain's Tablets are the most satisfactory remedy for stomach troubles and constipation that I have sold in thirty-four years' drug store service," writes S. H. Murphy, druggist, Wellsburg, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

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OUTING PARTY RETURNS FROM JUNCTION

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Pearce returned Thursday night from a week's outing on the Llano and report a most enjoyable outing. They spent most of the time in the Junction country, making the trip in their autos.

Children that are affected by worms are bale and sickly and liable to contract some fatal disease. White's Cream Vermifuge expels worms promptly and puts the child on the road to health. Price 25c, per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

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Items of Interest from Our Hardware and Grocery Section

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Read These Hardware Specials

No-Work Freezers—We have secured for one week's selling a quantity of the celebrated No-Work freezers. No home should be without one of these marvels, 2 quart \$2.50 freezers, special \$1.00

Philadelphia Lawn Mowers—10 per cent reduction on all lawn mowers will surely appeal to the thrifty buyers. Any lawn mower for one week 10 per cent off marked price.

Red Rubber Garden Hose—Make a real saving on garden hose. This kind will please you, 3-4 inch 12 1-2c hose, a foot 11c. Black Rubber Garden Hose—3-4 inch, a nice size for gardening, regular 10c quality, 9c a foot.

Aluminum Sets—A few 7-piece aluminum sets left, regular \$12.50, special \$9.95. A dollar down, a dollar a week.

Combination Pliers—7 inch size, 35c quality, now 25c

Nail Hammer—an excellent hammer, special, one week only 50c

All-purpose Hatchet—one week, 40c

Reels and Rods—A 10 per cent reduction on all reels and rods. Buy now.

Try These Grocery Specials

Cream Chicken a la King—The newest prepared chicken delicacy. Eat it on toast or in patty shells. An ideal dish for breakfast and so easy to serve. Two sizes, 25c and 50c

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California Sardines—1 pound cans 20c

Marmalade—Grape fruit and orange, 15 ounce jars 35c

Creole Dinner—A real Creole Dinner is yours 10c

Mince Meat—Genuine Heinz mince meat, 2 pounds 50c

Heinz Mushroom and Walnut Ketchup and India Relish 35c

Asparagus Tips—35c cans, special at this selling 25c

California Fruit, peaches, pears and apricots, 3 pounds 25c seller 15c

Pure home made lard, in 10 pound buckets or 50 pound cans, special, a pound 15c

Read Our Page Advertisement on Last Page

HIGGINBOTHAM-CURRIE-WILLIAMS COMPANY

APPOINTED TICK INSPECTOR At the regular meeting of the Commissioners' court this week, H. E. Petty, of Maverick, was appointed one of the tick inspectors for Runnels county, which was a very wise selection.

Hon. E. R. Meitzen, of Hallettsville, candidate for governor on the socialist party two years ago, passed through Ballinger Friday en route to Abilene from Brownwood in the interest of his party.

LEFT FOR ARIZONA. Miss Gertrude Martin and little sister Lucile, left Thursday afternoon to visit at Comanche a week or so and will go on to Tucson, Arizona, to spend some time with their brother, Roy Martin.

To the Public. "I have been using Chamberlain's Tablets for indigestion for the past six months, and it affords me pleasure to say I have never used a remedy that did me so much good." Mrs. C. E. Riley, Hlilon, N. Y. Chamberlain's Tablets are obtainable everywhere.

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Teething babies always have a hard time of it when this process occurs in hot weather. They not only have to contend with painful gums but the stomach is disordered, bowels loose and the body uncomfortable. The best help you can give the little sufferer is McGee's Baby Elixir. It corrects sour stomach, cools and quiets the bowels and helps digestion. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

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Services 8:30 p. m. Each week day. Sunday 11

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Table with 2 columns of subjects for discussion: "Christ in Fulfilled Promises and Prophesies", "Christ as God and Man.", "Christ's Teachings and Life.", "Christ in the Garden.", "Christ on the Cross", "Why Jesus Went to Hell", "Christ on Mount Olives.", "Christ Our Prophet, Priest and King.", "Christ and His Church.", "Christ the Way, Truth and Life.", "Christ formed in the Heart the Hope of Glory.", "Christ the Prince of Peace.", "What then Shall I Do with Jesus that is Called Christ.", MOTTO: "Speaking the Truth in Love." Eph. iv: 15. "Preaching Christ and Him Crucified." Cor. ii: 1-3. Other subjects will be announced in due time.

Everybody Cordially Invited

SUGGEST SCHEME TO CATCH AUTO THIEF.

R. M. Davis, of the Crews country, was in Ballinger Friday and called for a few minutes at the Ledger office. Mr. Davis says the auto owners of the county should put up a fund to be offered as a reward for the thief who stole E. Shepperd's auto in Ballinger last week. "I think every auto owner in the county should give a dollar," said Mr. Davis, "and if some one will take hold of the proposition they can draw on me thru the First National Bank of Ballinger for my dollar, and I will put a dollar in making up a reward for the arrest and conviction of every auto thief who comes this way." When reminded that the officers were sending out description of the thief and making an effort to get him, Mr. Davis stated that a big reward would cause a more keen look out for the thief at other places, and he is correct about this. A reward of two or three hundred dollars will make the officers work mighty hard in running down the thief.

\$29.00 FOR BOX SUPPER.

A phone message from Mrs. Holliday, of Hatchel, Friday, stated that the box supper given at that place Thursday night was a great success. \$29 was realized from the sale of boxes of good things to eat, and this money will be used for the benefit of the Baptist Sunday school at Hatchel.

SHOWING THEM THE WAY OUT.

Laredo, Tex., June 15.—Thirty American residents of Laredo, mostly business men, this afternoon led Leo D. Walker, Mexican, and managing editor of "El Progreso," a Mexican newspaper published here, into Mexico at the point of a revolver and ordered him under penalty of death, not to return to the United States. El Progreso has recently contained editorials abusing the United States government.

The committee also notified other attaches of El Progreso to cease publication immediately. Officers had not taken official cognizance of the action today.

MRS. JNO. A. WEEKS IMPROVING

We are glad to report that Mrs. Jno. A. Weeks, who underwent an operation in the Halley & Love Sanitarium first of the week, is getting along as well as could be expected today, and in due course of time will be able to return to her home.

W. A. Hambleck, one of the prominent business men of Rowena was looking after business affairs in Ballinger Friday. Mr. Hambleck is the justice of the peace of his precinct and is running this year again without opposition.

The best reason for buying an Overland is what Overland owners say. Ask an Overland user. Phone 33.

H. Connor and son Henry, of Benoit, and E. F. Edwards, of Winters, one of the candidates for sheriff, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Friday.

C. N. Craft, of Miles, who had been here attending the regular term of court and attended the big Woodmen picnic at Maverick, left from this point Friday at noon en route home.

Watch the Fords Go By.

We are little folks, but handle only Best grade of oil—and cedar posts. Independent Oil Co. 15-2td-1tw.

THE BUS YSHOP

The dog muzzle law has been repealed, but there is no law against having your shoes repaired at H. L. WENDORF'S. 13-tfd

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VACATION TIME

LET US HELP YOU PLAN YOUR TRIP

REDUCED RATES FOR ROUND TRIP TICKETS LIMITED TO OCTOBER 31st, 1916

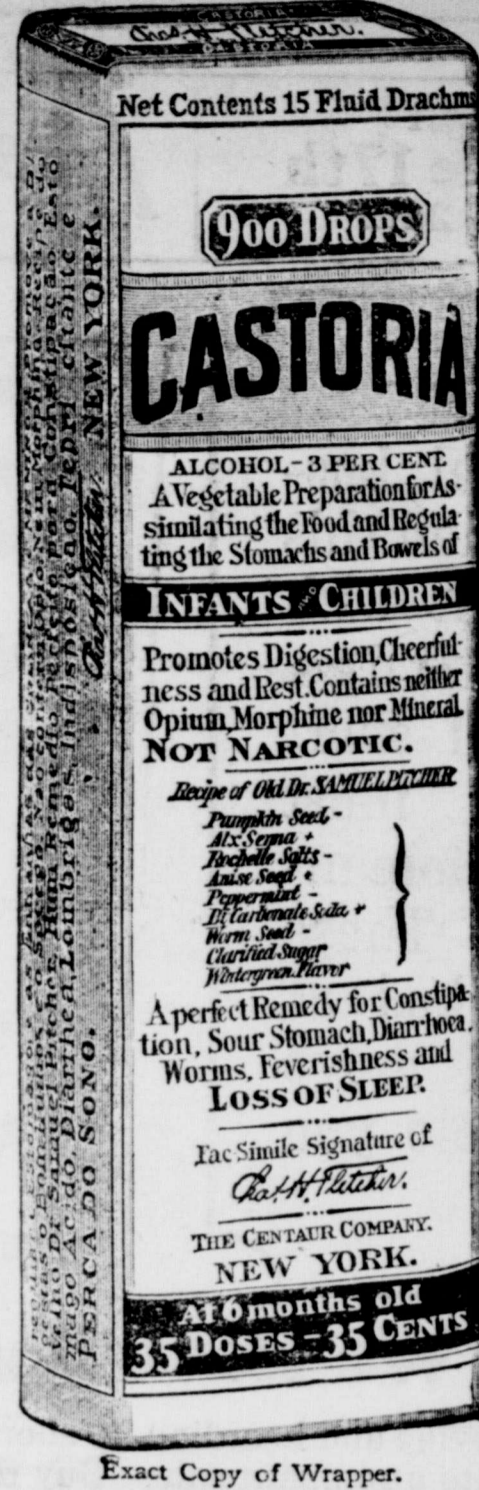


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RETURNS HOME.

Judge Jno. I. Guion and son Master Wade, returned home Thursday night from College Station, where they had been to attend the closing exercises of the A. and M. College of which Judge Guion is one of the regents. He reports the most successful school year in the history of the college and everything in splendid working order.

The judge says Dr. W. B. Bizzell, the president is a very forceful and efficient man and has succeeded in carrying out many of the very much needed reforms at the A. & M. College and is the right man in the right place.

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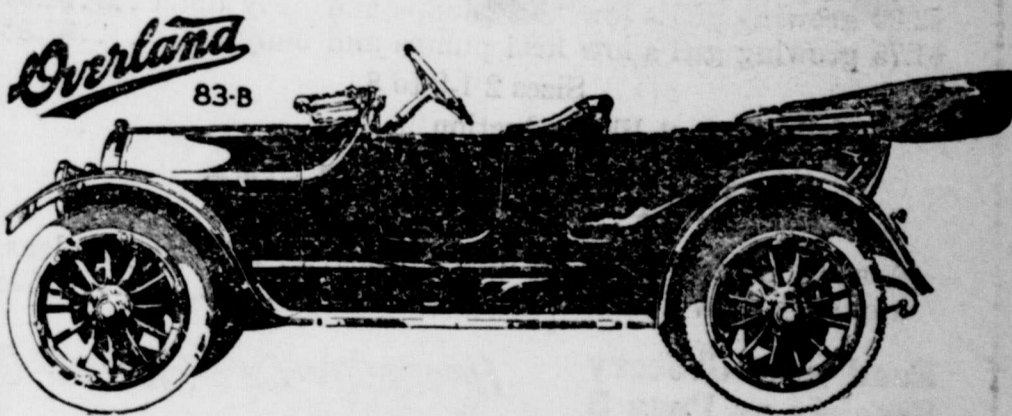
It Is Economy to Buy the Best

You can't afford to eat inferior groceries. It's poor economy to buy cheap groceries. We carry the best and we can convince you that the best is the cheapest. No substitutes, but the standard line at our store.

MILLER MERCANTILE CO. TWO PHONES 66 AND 77

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Order Now to Get Your Overland

This is the same Overland—with improvements—that last season sold for \$750. The price is \$65 less. It is the most popular Overland ever built. Already there is an enormous demand for this car. More than 60,000 of this model have been sold and delivered. The price will never be lower, for the cost of all materials is rising. So order your car now, to be sure of getting it.

En bloc 35 horsepower motor. Demountable rims, with one extra. Electric starting and lighting system. 106 inch wheelbase. Electric control buttons on steering column. Deep divan upholstery. Four inch tires. One man top cover. Call, Telephones or write for Demonstration

O'KELLY & WALTON

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Saturday, June 17th
to Saturday, June 24th

HIGGINBOTHAM-CURRIE-WILLIAMS Co
BALLINGER'S GREATEST STORE

ONE WEEK ONLY
Saturday, June 17th
to Saturday, June 24th

The Cause

The wonderful business we have had this spring leaves us with many broken lines, small lots and short lengths. They must be closed out before inventory time. These have been marked at prices that will move them. This sale you must not miss.

GREAT SALE OF REMNANTS



The Effect

These prices are sure to cause the thrifty buyers of Ballinger and its trade territory to buy liberally, consequently these lots will not remain in our shelves long. The first to come will have the first choice. Come early and buy liberally.

We Have Been Hoarding Up For This Sale of Remnants

For weeks we have been saving and hoarding up short lengths of remnants for this Great Sale of Remnants. You know that only the most desirable fabrics and wanted materials find their way into a remnant sale. Buy now just the fabrics that are the best sellers, but you make a saving of a third to a half. This means economy.

All Millinery Must Go



These are all hats of high standard materials, the styles, makes and finish are right, very smart and very becoming. These prices will move them:

- \$9.00 to \$12.50 dress hats.....\$7.45
- \$6.00 to \$8.50 dress hats.....\$4.95
- \$3.50 to \$5.00 dress hats.....\$2.25

Auto Veils

of chiffon cloth and plain chiffon, fancy borders:

- \$1.75 to \$2.00 veils.....\$1.45
- \$1.50 veils.....\$1.20
- \$1.25 veils.....95c

Baby Caps

\$1.75 and \$2.00 filet lace caps, special.....\$1.25
75c and \$1.00 lingerie, lace and embroidery caps.....65c

Wonderful Bargains from Our Ready-to-Wear Section

It is indeed wonderful the many remarkable bargains we are now showing in our ready-to-wear section. Many of these suits and dresses are the newest creations.

Silk and Wool Suits

Regular \$20 and \$22.50 serge, taffeta, gaberdine and rep, all shades
Special \$16.95

All other suits values up to \$18.50, nothing reserved, this sale **\$14.95**

Silver Bloom Suits

The new summer fabric. You should see them
\$10.00 and \$12.50

Silk and Wool Suits

Regular \$25 to \$27.50 Midnight blue, Russian green and other shades
Special \$19.95

Women's and Children's House Dresses at a Saving

HOUSE DRESSES

Beautiful white Lingerie House Dresses with pink and blue trimmings, \$5.00 values.....\$3.95
\$2.50 dresses of percale and gingham.....\$1.95
\$1.50 percale, gingham and plaids.....\$1.15



APRONS

Classy aprons of solid blue and pink ginghams, made in the new middie and butterfly styles, extra special 55c
Special assortment of Percale and Gingham Aprons, all sizes and patterns, while they last, special.....45c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Dressy frocks for party and afternoon wear, ages 6 to 12, \$4.00 values, special.....\$3.15
\$2.50 and \$3.50 values.....\$2.10
Kilties and middies for the little ones, ages 8 to 16, values up to \$1.25, special.....75c

Save On Waists



Beautiful and Seasonable Waists Economically Priced

Buy your waists for the summer at this great Remnant Sale:

- \$6.00 waist, all styles and materials, one week.....\$4.95
- \$5.00 Georgette, lace and fancy silk waists.....\$4.35
- \$3.50 fancy waists.....\$2.65
- \$2.50 Tub silk waists.....\$1.75

Special Lot.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 lingerie soisette and other wash fabrics in sport, dress-up, and middie styles, special.....95c

Wash Skirts.

\$4.00 and \$4.50 white Herringbone and Gaberdine, special.....\$3.65
\$3.00 and \$3.50 Gaberdine and striped Galatea.....\$2.55

Extra Special

White Lingerie Skirts, flap pockets, \$1.00 values.....75c

Special Offering In Our Dry Goods Section

A great collection of discontinued lines of seasonable goods may be found in our dry goods section. Popular materials and fabrics that sold remarkably well leaving only small lots and broken sizes. Here real savings are to be had.

15 yards BLEACHED DOMESTIC \$1.00 Regular 10c	SHEETING 25c yard This is the best quality 9, 9 1-4	LAWN and CREPE up to 5c yard	Fancy PARASOLS One-Half Price	SILK HOSE 3 pairs \$1.00 colors black, white and tan	Valencienne LACE 5c yard	10c Dress Gingham 6 1-2c yard	12 1-2c Dress Gingham 9c yard	CALICO quality 9, 10-14 5c yard	Turkish Bath TOWELS 12 1-2c	Curtain Scrim, values up to 35c 16 2-3c yard
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A Great Saving On Low Shoes For Women

\$5.00 low shoes and pumps.....\$3.95
\$4.00 low shoes and pumps.....\$3.50
\$3.50 low shoes and pumps.....\$2.95
\$3.00 low shoes and pumps.....\$2.45
\$2.50 low shoes and pumps.....\$1.35

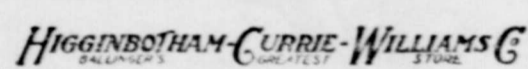
Buy Children's Shoes Now

\$3.50 growing girl's low heel pumps and baby dolls.....\$2.95
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\$2.50 growing girl's low heel pumps and baby dolls.....\$1.95
\$2.00 growing girl's low heel pumps and baby dolls.....\$1.65
\$1.75 growing girl's low heel pumps and baby dolls.....\$1.35
Sizes 2 1-2 to 8
Smaller run at like reduction.

Men's Union Suits

A good knitted garment, quarter sleeves, full length legs, 75c quality, now.....49c

Read our Grocery Specials on Page 3



BED SHEETS

Henderson 72x90 CORSETS your choice 25c each	American Beauty CORSETS 50c each
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SWEEPING SUMMER SHOE SALE

TABLE NO. 1

All women's white shoes, values up to \$3.00.....98c

TABLE NO. 2

All men's white canvas oxfords values to \$3.50.....\$1.98

Men's Low Shoes at a Fraction of Their Real Value

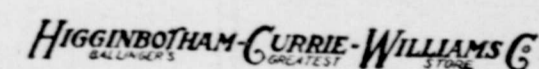
\$6.50 Edwin Clapp oxfords, special.....\$5.85
\$6.00 Williams Bench made.....\$5.25
\$5.00 William Special.....\$4.00
\$4.00 Monarch, custom-made.....\$3.45
\$3.50 Monarch Special.....\$2.95
\$3.00 Monarch and other makes.....\$2.45

Boy's Oxfords

\$3.00 gun-metal oxford, English last.....\$2.45
A special lot of broken sizes, tan and black, lace and button models, values up to \$3.50, special.....\$1.95

Cross Bar Union Suits

Athletic, and quarter sleeves, all knee length, regular \$1.00 values, special.....85c



Read our Hardware Specials on Page 3

Men's Seasonable Wearables Greatly Underpriced For One Week Only

Straw Hat Bargain

Just the proper time to buy a genuine guaranteed Panama hat at a great saving. These prices are good for one week only:

- \$6.00 Panamas.....\$4.95
- \$5.00 Panamas.....\$3.95
- special.....\$2.35

Genuine Italian Panamas

You can hardly tell them from the more expensive kinds. Regular \$3.00 values, Special lot straw hats 15c to.....25c



BUY A COOL COMFORTABLE SUIT NOW

\$8.50 and \$10.00 Palm Peach Suits Special \$7.50

Boys' Clothing

\$10.00 values.....\$7.95	\$7.50 values.....\$6.75	\$6.00 values.....\$5.45	\$5.00 values.....\$4.45	\$4.00 values.....\$3.65	\$2.50 values.....\$3.15
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Men's Odd Pants

\$6.00 values, special \$5.45	\$5.00 values, special \$4.45	\$4.00 values, special \$3.65	\$3.50 values, special \$3.15	\$2.50 values, special \$2.20	Overalls at.....\$1.00
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Exceptionable Shirt Sale

The most beautiful silk shirts we have ever shown. We know many men who will simply jump at this great opportunity. Read these prices:

- \$7.50 crepe de chine shirts.....\$5.35
- \$5.00 tub silk shirt in all the new colors \$3.95
- \$3.50 and \$4.00 Eagle and Arrow silk cloth shirts.....\$2.95
- \$2.50 silk mixed and Silco shirts.....\$1.95
- Special lot soft and laundered shirts at 55c.
- \$2.00 values.....\$1.55
- \$1.25 values.....95c
- \$1.50 values.....\$1.25
- \$1.00 values.....79c

