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FORMER BALLINGER LADY HORRIBLY CUT BY MEXICAN

Special to The Daily Ledger.
BROWNWOOD, Tex., June 20.—Bent upon revenge for his countrymen, and half crazed over recent Mexican events along the border, a Mexican youth, seriously, if not fatally wounded Mrs. Quince Kuykendall at her home on Austin Avenue at three o'clock this morning, made his escape to the country and was later shot to death by a ranch man who was on the lookout for the Mexican.

The Mexican, about eighteen years old, had been a trusted servant in the Kuykendall home for several years, acting as a protector for Mrs. Kuykendall and her two children while Mr. Kuykendall, who is a traveling man, was away from home.

While the Mexican was known to be of a blood thirsty nature, it had never occurred to the family or their friends that he would harm any one, and especially those who had taken care of him from the time he was a mere boy.

It seems that the crime was committed through a motive of revenge for his race, which at this time is almost in a conflict with the Americans. It developed that the Mexican had visited among other Mexicans in the city during the last few days, and had been taking considerable interest in the Mexican war situation, and had planned the attack upon Mrs. Kuykendall. He had purchased shells for a gun that was in the Kuykendall home, and

made inquiry about a neighbor's horse, supposed with a view to stealing the animal after committing the crime and making his escape.

At the time of the tragedy Mr. Kuykendall was in Temple, and Mrs. Kuykendall was alone at home with her two children, one six years old and the other a baby. It seems that the Mexican had not undressed during the night, and entering Mrs. Kuykendall's room at three o'clock this morning attacked her with a knife. Mrs. Kuykendall was awakened when the Mexican entered her room and had time to offer some defense in fighting off the Mexican and this is believed to have saved her from instant death. After the Mexican had cut out her right eye, and splitting the left side of her face open from the ear to the mouth and cutting a deep gash in her throat, narrowly missing the jugular vein, and inflicting three ugly stabs in the breast, Mrs. Kuykendall succeeded in escaping from the room and running out in the streets screaming for help. Neighbors rushed to her assistance, and in the meantime the Mexican had returned to his room, secured the gun and shells and made his escape. He attempted to get the horse in a neighbor's lot, but failing to catch the animal dropped the bridle and left the city afoot.

The report of the tragedy spread rapidly over the city and by four o'clock a posse of more than two hundred men were searching for the Mexican, while every telephone leading out of this city was notifying the surrounding country to watch out for the brute.

When the Mexican approached the ranch home of Arch Ratliff, ten miles south of the city, at nine thirty this morning, Mr. Ratliff, who had been notified of the crime attempted to arrest the Mexican and as he resisted, the ranchman riddled his body with bullets, killing him instantly. The body of the dead Mexican was brought to the city and identified as the guilty party.

Excitement was intense in the city throughout the early morning, and while the cooler heads were busy planning some way to prevent a lynching, it is believed that the Mexican would have been promptly lynched had he been brought to the city alive.

The Kuykendall family moved to this city from Harlingen more than a year ago. They formerly lived in Miles, where Mrs. Kuykendall's father, Rev. C. L. Ewing was pastor of the Presbyterian church. At the time of the tragedy was in Temple. He was promptly notified and arrived here early in the day, and just a short time before the Mexican was killed.

After the Mexican's body was brought to town and identified, the crowds that had gathered on

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AMERICANS THREATENED WITH DEATH

(By United Press)
EAGLE PASS, June 20.—Refugees arriving here report that anti-foreign feeling is so intense at Saltillo that several Americans who could not get out of the that city, and also several Englishmen, sought refuge in the British consulate Sunday night.

According to the report Americans and Englishmen are jeered at and insulted by Mexican civilians, and threats of death have been made by civilians and no attempt on the part of the de facto government is made to protect foreigners. Those arriving here believe that all Americans in Mexico will be put to death when the clash between the two governments comes.

NANCE SELLS THREE BIG MITCHELL CARS

W. A. Nance of the Ballinger Auto Company, reports the sale this week of three new seven passenger Mitchell cars, all of the 1917 model and every car fully equipped with the very latest to be found in the auto world.

One of the cars goes to Sam Brookshire, of the Benoit country, Dr. W. W. Fowler gets one of the cars and Dr. W. B. Halley the third. Dr. Halley sells to the Ballinger Auto Co. the Mitchell he is now using.

Accompanied by Drs. Fowler and Halley, Mr. Nance will leave for Dallas Friday, where they will receive the new cars and drive them back to Ballinger.

NEW PENSION PLAN FOR EXPRESS CO.

Local Express Agent has just received notice of new benefit and pension plans announced by the Wells Fargo Express Co., which shows the generosity of this company in providing for its employees.

The new system, which went into effect on June 1, is not the first pension provision established by Wells Fargo. The company has been retiring its older men on pensions for more than a quarter of a century—for the past twelve or fourteen years its pension board has been a distinct feature of its general organization. But the new plan, as its name indicates, contemplates much more than pension relief. One of its most salient features is a disability clause, which applies to any established worker in the company's ranks who may be stricken by illness or by accident.

To make this clause clearly understood, it is only necessary to read the program of the new pension system. It specifically states that any Wells Fargo salaried employe, who has been six months or more in the service, when incapacitated for work by accident or sickness while not on duty, may be allowed pay for the period of the enforced absence, in accordance with a very generous table of time allowances. If the accident should occur while he is on duty the compensation granted is, of course, much greater. For instance, even in the case of an injury temporarily disabling him, he may, to the extent required, be granted full pay for six months and half-pay for a year following the time of his injury. If, after this year, he still is disabled, the pay is continued for two additional years. Then, if he shall have been fifteen years with the company at the time of his accident, he may go upon a pension until

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Threatened Carranza With Gravest Consequence; 50,000 Horses Wanted

PERSHING READY FOR CLASH

EL PASO, Texas, June 20.—The warlike snarl from the Mexican side of the border is growing louder and more menacing as the hours go by. Carranza troops worked all days yesterday throwing up earth fortifications at the south end of the international bridge. Another large force has entrenched across the Rio Grande from Ysleta, ten miles south of El Paso.

An American, believed to be a soldier, was shot by snipers from Juarez while bathing in the river near the Santa Fe bridge late yesterday. Gen. George Bell Jr., has ordered an investigation to establish the identity of the victim.

A refugee train from Chihuahua brought out a number of foreigners who reported passing seven troop trains loaded to the guards with Mexican soldiers at Montezuma on the Mexican Central. The trains were moving in the direction of Juarez and are expected to arrive during the night.

Gen. Francisco Serrano, chief of staff to Minister of War Obregon, in Mexico City, has established headquarters in Juarez and assumed full command of the Carranza forces in this district.

The Mexico Northwestern railroad from Chihuahua City to Madero has been commandeered by Gen. Jacinto Trevino for troop movements to the westward. This is accepted by the American military authorities as verification of the plan to attack General Pershing's southern base and positions in the vicinity of Namiquipa.

The Mexican column, estimated at 8000 men, which started thru the canyon from Villa Ahumada in the direction of the American line of communication at El Valle, is still proceeding slowly westward.

General Pershing is said to have sent out a large cavalry guard to check this advance toward his line. Report of a clash between the two forces at any time would not be a surprise.

The military authorities are satisfied, however, that the American forces will be well able to protect themselves.

A similar situation prevails at Pulpita pass, which leads from Sonora into Chihuahua. The Mexicans will not be able to pass unless they are strong enough to dispose of a cavalry regiment.

Aluminum utensils, the kind that wears and gives satisfaction, all the latest combinations in sets. Hall Hardware Company. 2-dtf

B. F. Haynes, of Concho, came in Tuesday to accompany his niece Miss Lola Avant, en route to her home in Falls county.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Waring and children, of Eden, motored over to Ballinger Tuesday to visit friends and do some shopping.

BLANTON SPEAKER HERE SATURDAY

Judge Fred Cockrell of Abilene, will speak in Ballinger at eleven o'clock Saturday morning in the interest of the candidacy of Judge Thomas L. Blanton, candidate for congress. The speaking will either be at the Queen Theatre or the court house.

Judge Blanton passed through Ballinger Tuesday en route to Water Valley, where he was billed to speak at ten o'clock Tuesday morning, and from Water Valley will go to Junction, where he was billed to speak Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Fearing that such an act would be construed as an act of war, and desiring to avoid every move that would cause Mexico to take extreme measures, the war department decided this morning to withdraw the request made yesterday for congress to pass a resolution authorizing the president to use the state militia in Mexico until a later date and until it became necessary to send the militia into foreign country.

The American government sent a long note to Carranza this morning replying to Carranza's last note asking for withdrawal of the American troops. The note not only declines to withdraw the troops at this time but warns Carranza not to permit his troops to attack the United States forces, and threatens Carranza with the "gravest consequences" if the American forces are attacked in Mexico by Carranza soldiers.

LOWER CALIFORNIA SECEDING

(By United Press)
SAN DIEGO, California, June 20.—Unconfirmed reports reaching here today say that Lower California is about to secede from Mexico, and will declare itself a republic, and fight for its freedom from Mexican rule. According to the reports received here Gov. Cinto is the virtual dictator of the district, and is behind this plan, having the substantial backing of the citizens of the Lower California state.

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

Mrs. Gentry, of Bangs, came in Tuesday at noon and will be the guest of her friends Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harman and family.

Will Gallia, one of the prominent real estate men of Rowena, was transacting business in Ballinger Tuesday.

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever," this means Community Silver and Haviland China. Hall Hardware Company. 2-dtf

John G. Louder and J. C. Wells of Miles, two of the county candidates, were circulating among the voters in this part of the county Tuesday.

SAN ANTONIO, June 20.—Gen. Funston announced this morning that he had been authorized by the war department to order the quartermaster at Fort Sam Houston to purchase 50,000 horses and mules for the state militia at once.

The war department also asks Gen. Funston how many thousand guardsmen he wants at once. Gen. Funston promptly replied to the inquiry, making requisition for what is believed to be a large number, although Gen. Funston declined to say how many guardsmen he had called for. It is rumored in army circles that the request calls for 25,000 militiamen to be concentrated here as soon as transportation can be provided for them.

RETURNS FROM THE EAST.

W. B. Ray, the cotton man, returned home Monday night from an extended trip over the cotton belt in Mississippi, Louisiana, and other points in that section and says he found the cotton backward and the boll weevil working on it and says he does not see any show for a large crop. He thinks cotton will sell this fall and winter at 10 to 15 cents. He reports a very pleasant stay at his old home in Mississippi.

Frank Pearce left Monday afternoon for an extended vacation in cool Colorado and will also visit at the old home of his parents in Illinois and other points in that section before returning home.

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SLEDGE Editor
P. SHEPHERD, Business Mgr.

D. E. Averett starts to house-keeping right by ordering 'The Daily Ledger, Tuesday, to his home on Sixth street.

A Hacking Cough Weakens the System.

Don't suffer with a hacking cough that has weakened your system—get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, in use over 40 years, and benefiting all who use it, the soothing pine balsam with tar heal the irritated air passages—soothes the raw spots, loosens the mucous and prevents racking the body with coughing. Dr. King's New Discovery induces natural sleep and aids nature to cure you.

Frank Gressett and daughter, Mrs. T. M. Osteen, returned home Sunday night from Comanche, where they had been to attend the funeral of Rev. W. W. Gressett.

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Everett Ellis left Tuesday for Dallas, where he has accepted a position as bookkeeper for a prominent firm.

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RELIEVES THE NERVOUSNESS ALSO
IT'S LIQUID—NOT NARCOTIC

Mrs. Steinfield and sister, Miles, came in Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Bauman and family a few days.

No one can either feel good nor look good while suffering from constipation. Get rid of that tired, draggy, lifeless feeling by a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Buy a box today, take one or more pills tonight. In the morning that stuffed, dull feeling is gone and you feel better at once 25c. at your druggist.

G. W. Brister of the New Home neighborhood, was looking after business affairs in Ballinger Tuesday.

A DELEGATION OF WOMEN

were intensely interested when they recently visited the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., and saw the extreme cleanliness and purity which prevail in the preparation and storing of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as well as of her other medicines. An hour is required to go through so large an establishment. One thing which struck the visitors was the great number of files containing the letters of women who told how much the famous Compound had done for them. Only part of them are published, and no letter is ever published without the writer's permission.

Why Endure Summer Colds?

All it isn't necessary to have a stuffed head, running nose. To cough your head off as it were. All you need do is to use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. The soothing and healing balsams open the clogged air passages and in a short time you get relief and start on the road to recovery. Your nose stops running, you cough less and you know you are getting better. Get a bottle, use as directed. Keep what is left as a cough and cold insurance.



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HUNGRY GERMANS DINE IN HOLLAND

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD
United Press Staff Correspondent
ROTTERDAM, Holland, June 20.—Babies seven months to a year old are eating carrots, apples and spinach in Germany.

Other folks besides babies are having food troubles. These food stories we'll tell all about them.

If you watch the consulates here and keep your eyes on the incoming trains you can meet, every day, a scant few persons who have just come from Germany and who will gladly tell you what experiences they have had in their kitchens, dining rooms and stomachs since the food stringency in Germany became noticeable.

These travelers feel themselves heroes, as, indeed, you come to regard them, in a manner of speaking, when you see them abandon themselves to a full, man's sized meal here.

Travelers to Berlin, especially the American writing kind, live at the best hotels. They return with stories of plentiful and excellent food.

Berlin is the wartime show place of Germany, and the hotels where the writers go are the wartime show places of Berlin. What the American writers have said of the plentifulness and the excellence of the food, is not necessarily true.

Here in Rotterdam you get the truth, straight from the dining rooms and kitchens of civilians in every part of Germany. It indicates that life in Germany is uncomfortable, highly so, for a civilian who is keeping house.

Here's a Swedish mechanic from Germany, running around Rotterdam filling his arms with packages of bacon, bottle of olive oil and rice. Perhaps the Hollanders will refuse him permission to take these things across the border but, "I'm going to make a try of it," he says.

Here's a pretty American girl dining alone in a Rotterdam restaurant. She's studying music in Berlin. "I've just run over to Holland to spend a week eating," she says.

Here's a Spanish woman with three little children. "I brought the baby down to get him some milk. He is tired of carrots, spinach and apples. No wonder, he is only seven months."

And here are Germans—rich, elderly, retired Germans—who haunt the doorways of the hotel restaurants, waiting for the Amer-

ican plan dinner bell to ring and who seem to be always eating, even at the hated English tea hour. They are here a week. Then they go back to Germany.

Germany, civilian Germany is hungry. Not hungry for victuals, because victuals are anything a human being can eat and digest, but for decent food like meat and wheat and milk and animal and vegetable fats. (How and why tiny, toothless German babies eat apples, carrots, spinach and oatmeal, instead of gurgling milk, will be the subject of Shepherd's next German food story.)

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.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope P. Cobb of South Texas, came in Monday in their two passenger, six cylinder Buick car from Waco and other points in that section, and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Dooze a few days while passing through this section on their bridal tour.

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.

Prof. Chas. Plachy, who taught the Rowena schools the past year, passed thru Ballinger Monday en route to South Texas, where he intends making home for the future.

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Of course it should! For after a strenuous day when your muscles have been exercised to the limit an application of Sloan's Liniment will take the soreness and stiffness away and get you in fine shape for the morrow. You should also use it for a sudden attack of toothache, stiff neck, backache, stings, bites and the many accidents that are incidental to a vacation. "We would as soon leave our baggage as go on a vacation or camp out without Sloan's Liniment." Writes one vacationist: "We use it for every thing from cramps to toothache." Put a bottle in your bag, be prepared and have no regrets.

D. Reeder visited his brother, George Reeder, at Miles between trains Tuesday.

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Watch the Fords Go By.

T. M. Curry of the Token country, was in Ballinger Monday to meet with the County Chairman to attend to arranging matters for the Democratic primary in Runnels County for July 22nd.

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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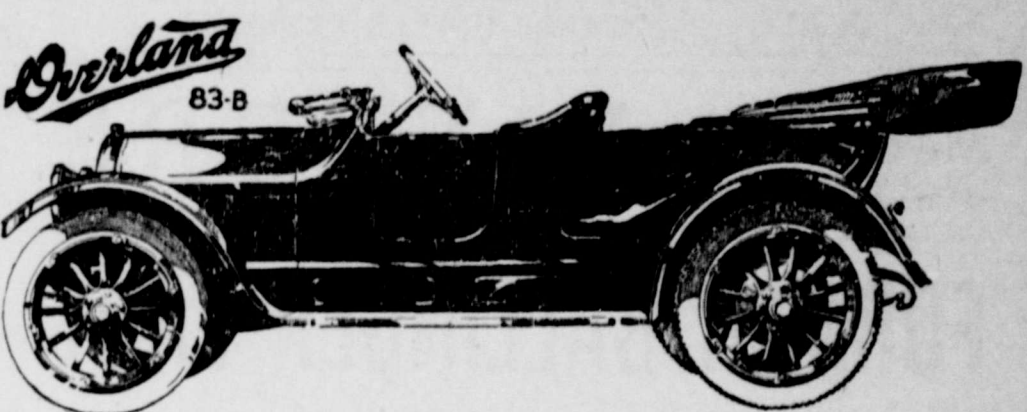
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru 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 it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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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. My friends began asking me why I looked so well, and I told them about Cardui. Several are now taking it. Do you, lady reader, suffer from any of the ailments due to womanly trouble, such as headache, backache, sideache, sleeplessness, and that everlastingly tired feeling? If so, let us urge you to give Cardui a trial. We feel confident it will help you, just as it has a million other women in the past half century. Begin taking Cardui to-day. You won't regret it. All druggists. Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 124

Sheriff Davis, of Brownwood, passed through Ballinger Monday en route home from Abilene on official business.

Pure Sisal Binder Twine, as good as the best, as cheap as the cheapest, at Hall Hardware Company. 2-dtf.

PERSONAL OBLIGATIONS IN RELIGIOUS WORK

With four converts at the Monday morning service, one convert and two additions to the church Monday night, the revival at the First Baptist tabernacle enters upon the first week's work under the most favorable and promising circumstances.

The attendance at the Monday night service numbered nearly five hundred people, and it was an attentive crowd that enjoyed the good singing and the strong appeal made to the people by the preacher to live up to their personal obligation the Bible teaches us we are under for the soul welfare of our friends and loved ones.

Dr. Scarborough quoted as a basis for his sermon that portion of the second chapter of John which gives a description of the conversion of three men, showing that each was led to Christ by the personal efforts of a friend, and said it was a personal obligation placed upon us to speak to our friends and loved ones about Jesus Christ.

"The Bible teaches the plain Christian duty of every child of God to constantly try to lead some one to Christ," said the preacher, "not only during a revival of religion, but every day. In business, social and domestic relations we neglect the important matter of speaking to others about their soul salvation."

Dr. Scarborough pointed out in a practical way how some people consider that when they have paid the preacher they have performed all the obligations placed upon them in religious work, and said that the church member could not pay the preacher for doing what was the church member's personal duty. He stated that the neglect of Christians to do personal work was a great outstanding sin, and he told how he had traveled from 6,000 to 7,000 miles, rubbed elbows with thousands of people in all walks of life, including preachers, Sunday School teachers, and not a single man spoke to him about his soul salvation, and here the preacher impressed upon his hearers with practical illustrations the great obligation that rested upon them—obligation that father owed to son, mother to daughter, and said that the parents could not pay the preacher to save the soul of their boy or girl. The evangelist appealed to the fathers and mothers to bring their own children to the Lord Jesus Christ by personally telling them of Christ, and speaking to them about their soul salvation.

"We owe it to our associates in business, our employees and our employers to speak to them about their soul salvation," said Dr. Scarborough, and the preacher made the statement that the majority of Christians were brought to Christ through personal work. He said that the success of the greatest evangelists, including Mr. Sunday, was due to their good generalship in organizing the Christian people for personal work, and the organized efforts of personal workers in the revivals under the direction of Mr. Sunday and other successful evangelists.

"Our greatest Christian strength comes from doing some personal work," continued Dr. Scarborough, "and when we speak to others about Jesus Christ our religious experience grows by metes and bounds."

Dr. Scarborough pointed out several reasons why the Christian should speak to others about their soul condition. Among the reasons he stated was "because of the example that Jesus Christ set for us." Because "such a wide difference between heaven and hell, and the peril of lost men." In pointing out the great peril under which lost men were living, Dr. Scarborough stated that out of 175 revivals he had held there had only been one where some preacher connected with the revival was not called on to conduct a funeral service before the revival closed, and emphasized the uncertainty of the tomorrow, and the great danger of putting off so important a matter as preparing for the hour of death.

The revival workers adopted a novel scheme of advertising the revival meeting in Ballinger and throughout the surrounding country for a distance of ten miles in every direction from Ballinger when more than a dozen autos loaded with people went on Monday afternoon and distributed circulars.

The autos were bedecked with

banner and the circulars distributed invited the people to attend the revival. Following is a list of those who furnished autos for the advertising campaign, and the names of those who were in the party:

W. B. Dunlap, W. B. Wood, A. L. Spann, W. E. Barbee, R. T. Williams, E. Shepperd, M. D. Chastain, E. B. Ross, T. F. Bridwell, J. N. Adams, Lee Scarborough, Dr. W. A. Gustavus, W. B. Ray, W. A. Bridwell, T. C. Jester, Rev. Miles, Edgar Ellis, D. C. Claypool, Sid Hale, Wainwright Chastain, A. D. Norman, Jno. W. Milton, J. T. Moore, Ike Reynolds.

The Strong Withstand the Heat of Summer Better Than the Weak
Old people who are feeble, and younger people who are weak, will be strengthened and enabled to go through the depressing heat of summer by taking regularly Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50c.

Watch the Fords Go By.

C. C. Raby of Mabank, Texas, came in a day or two ago to visit his brother Dr. S. B. Raby and family a few weeks. This is a very pleasant meeting as the brothers had not seen each other before in 10 or 15 years.

W.H. CHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for W.H. Chester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic Boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for W.H. CHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best. Always Reliable.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

FIRE INSURANCE
The Best Companies
PROMPT SERVICE
Your business solicited.
Miss Maggie Sharp.
Upstairs in old Fidelity
Credit Co. Office. Phone
111. See Me.

Will Hale of the Talpa country, had business in Ballinger between trains Monday.

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.

Sim Cotelle returned home Sunday from a short vacation and visit with relatives and friends at Austin.

LADIES' CAPUDINE
TAKE FOR ACHE AND PAINS
RELIEVES THE NERVOUSNESS ALSO
IT'S LIQUID—NOT NARCOTIC

Watch the Fords Go By.



A WOMAN'S BURDENS
are lightened when she turns to the right medicine. If her existence is made gloomy by the chronic weakness, delicate derangements, and painful disorders that afflict her sex, she will find relief and emancipation from her troubles in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If she is overworked, nervous, or "run-down," she finds new life and strength. It's a powerful, invigorating tonic and nerve which was discovered and used by an eminent physician for many years, in all cases of "female complaints" and weaknesses. For young girls just entering womanhood; for women at the critical "change of life;" in bearing-down sensations, periodical pains, ulceration, inflammation, and every kindred ailment, the "Favorite Prescription" is guaranteed to benefit or cure. Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

L. W. Little of the Maverick county, came in Monday to accompany his wife and baby and daughter Miss Lottie who left in the afternoon to visit at Opton, Texas, with relatives a few weeks.

Progressive Ballinger

<p>JEWELRY</p> <p>Let us fit your eyes and grind your lenses. We guarantee accurate work.</p> <p>JAS. E. BREWER</p> <p>Everything in Jewelry and Repairing</p> <p>709 Hutchins Ave. Phone 68</p>	<p>LAUNDRY</p> <p>HOME STEAM LAUNDRY</p> <p>Our workmen spend their money in Ballinger. Our work is as good as the best.</p>	<p>WASHBURN PIANO.</p> <p>Responsive touch, Durable Action, Beautiful Design. Prices and Terms to please you.</p> <p>Come and see them.</p> <p>J. P. MARTINDALE.</p> <p>120 Eighth Street.</p>	<p>FURNITURE.</p> <p>For the best in—</p> <p>FURNITURE</p> <p>See T. S. LANKFORD.</p>
<p>GROCERIES</p> <p>W. B. WOOD & SON</p> <p>We cater to people who care.</p> <p>Phones 25 and 26</p>	<p>LUMBER YARD.</p> <p>HARDIN & BATEMAN</p> <p>Clean up, paint up, build up. We can furnish the material.</p>	<p>ICE CREAM</p> <p>"Eat a plate of Ice Cream every day"</p> <p>ALTA VISTA CREAM the best in the world.</p> <p>J. Y. PEARCE</p>	<p>DRY GOODS</p> <p>A. J. ZAPPE</p> <p>Get in on our June bargains in Dry Goods, Clothing, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings and Millinery</p>
<p>GOOD EATING</p> <p>CITY CAFE</p> <p>Quantity, Quality, and good Coffee is our motto. If you eat we want your business.</p> <p>J. L. Stroble, Prop.</p>	<p>INSURANCE</p> <p>TORNADO SEASON</p> <p>We have paid out for tornado losses in the last five years more than double the amount of premiums collected. A hint to the wise is sufficient.</p> <p>E. SHEPPERD & CO. Ballinger, Texas</p>	<p>BARBER SHOP</p> <p>BANK BARBER SHOP</p> <p>Send your children to our shop. If you pay for the best, why not get it?</p>	<p>REAL ESTATE</p> <p>C. A. DOOSE & CO.</p> <p>The man who gets a home in Runnels County now will see his land values grow. Talk to us about it.</p>
<p>HIDES AND JUNK</p> <p>I. O. WOODEN</p> <p>Bring me your hides and bones, bottles and metal. Warehouse on South Eighth Street.</p>	<p>MEAT MARKET</p> <p>STROBLE'S</p> <p>is the place to get meat that you can eat. Open to inspection all the time.</p> <p>Phone 114</p>	<p>COLD DRINKS</p> <p>SIDES & SMITH</p> <p>Get refreshed at our fountain. Cream made and delivered.</p> <p>Telephone 56</p>	<p>AUTOMOBILES</p> <p>We sell everything for Autos for less. If you pay to have it fixed, why not have it done right.</p> <p>BALLINGER AUTO CO.</p>
<p>TAILOR SHOP</p> <p>C. C. GILLIAM</p> <p>The Old reliable caters to the particular. Let him dress you.</p>	<p>POCKET BILLARDS</p> <p>G. W. DUNLAP</p> <p>Pleasant pastime in clean games, strictly according to law.</p>	<p>VACATION NECESSITIES</p> <p>Bath Caps, Anseo Cameras and films, Fishing Tackle. Everready Flashlights, Cold Cream, Cigars, Cigarettes.</p> <p>Johnston Chocolates</p> <p>THE WALKER DRUG CO.</p>	<p>PRODUCE</p> <p>E. A. JEANES & CO.</p> <p>We want your infertile eggs. We are the largest poultry shippers in West Texas.</p>
<p>BLACKSMITH</p> <p>F. F. MOORE</p> <p>Universal Tractor, will plow your cotton and corn and will do any other work on the farm. See one before you buy others F. F. MOORE for wagons</p>	<p>SECOND HAND GOODS.</p> <p>JEWEL CUNNINGHAM</p> <p>Buys and trades for anything.</p> <p>Violins Repaired</p>	<p>RACKET GOODS</p> <p>THE FAIR</p> <p>Save money on the little things in life.</p> <p>We keep what you want.</p>	<p>SHOE REPAIRING</p> <p>BALLINGER SADDLE MANUFACTURING CO.</p> <p>We work all kinds of leather goods and maintain a quick Shoe Shop.</p>
<p>HATTER</p> <p>Old panamas and felt hats cleaned and reblocked for \$1.00</p> <p>Ladies' hats a specialty.</p> <p>See SOL DEVAULL at Bank Barber Shop.</p>	<p>PLUMBING.</p> <p>DUNN & GLENN</p> <p>We build tanks, and do anything in tin work and plumbing all the time.</p> <p>Phone 22</p>	<p>CREAMERY</p> <p>We buy fresh cream and sell ice cold cream, made from cream produced in Runnels County.</p> <p>J. C. COOK.</p>	<p>PRINTING</p> <p>BALLINGER PTG. CO</p> <p>News while it's news and printing when you want it.</p>

Ballinger and Winters Service Line

Makes four trips each way. Call for and deliver passengers any where in Ballinger or Winters.

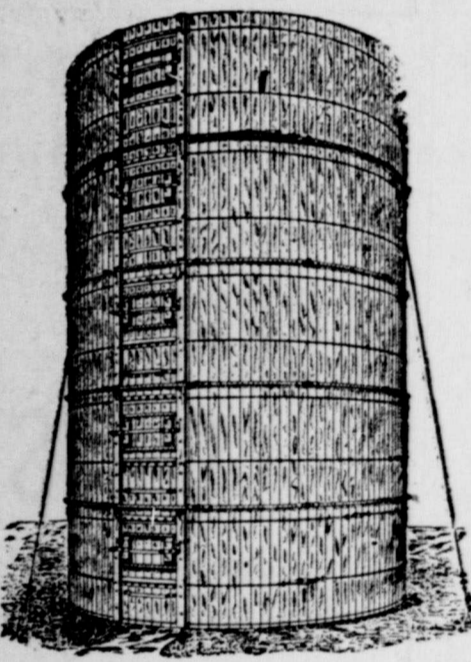
Price: 75c One Way.

Leave Ballinger at—7:00 a. m. 9:30 a. m. 1:30 p. m. 4:00 p. m.

Leave Winters at—8:30 a. m. 11:30 a. m. 2:30 p. m. 5:30 p. m.

Phone Ballinger 135. Phone Winters 92. Good cars and careful drivers.

W. E. BROOKS



The Small Farmer's Friend

The farmer who buys a Tulsa Silo has the advantage over his neighbor in saving his feed and converting it into cash at a time when there is a demand for ensilage. We make in sizes from 50 to 150 tons. Get our figures.

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LET US HELP YOU PLAN YOUR TRIP

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK, N. Y.

COUNTY BOARD TO MEET MONDAY, JUNE 26TH.

The County Board of Trustees will meet in called session Monday, June 26th. All school trustees having business with the board will please take notice. The schools cannot be graded at this meeting, as this must be done after August first. The other papers of the county will please copy this.

L. S. BIRD,
County Superintendent.

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

F. W. Greber, general manager of the West Texas Telephone Co. of Brownwood, was looking after his company's interests in Ballinger Tuesday.

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.

"A Time of Plenty"

The time to save is when you have. This holds good with money as well as with other property. War times, and hard times do not worry people with a bank account, like those who have made no preparation for the days to come.

Our bank is a good place to start an account and be prepared for times of needs.

Our operations are conservative, and all times keep the interest of our customers in mind.

Make Our Bank Your Bank

...THE...

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER

MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM



Picture this Bank

with its fire, burglar and damp proof vaults in comparison with your own little safe. Think also of the value and convenience of a bank account as compared with the risk and inconvenience of paying with currency. Then come and open an account.

The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.
Ballinger, Texas

Mrs. Murrell of Seymour, came in Monday to visit her brother, J. S. McKenzie, and family, a week or two.

Wood McKissick, W. W. Rainwater, and E. T. Branan of the Crews country, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Monday.

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.

W. D. Meadows, county commissioner of the Winters country, passed through Ballinger Monday en route to Indiana, where he goes to look after road grading machinery to be used on the public roads in his precinct.

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.

RATES FOR Classified Ads

IN
THE BALLINGER DAILY
LEDGER

One cent per word first insertion.
Half cent per word each subsequent insertion.

Black face type double regular rate.

Cash must accompany copy except where party has regular open account with us.

Call Telephone No. 27

WANTED

WANTED—Enginemen and trainmen for service on the Gulf Colorado & Santa Fe Railway. The present employees in the engine, train and yard service on the G. C. & S. F. are to be called upon by their Brotherhood officials for a strike vote. It is hoped that the vote in our territory will be in the negative, but it is necessary for the company to be ready. Applications will therefore be received from experienced men for positions as enginemen, conductors, firemen, brakemen and switchmen and from inexperienced men for position as firemen and brakemen. Application should be made to the undersigned and should give experience, former employer, reason for leaving service and present address. These applications will be considered confidential and the applicant if his application is approved and his services are required will be notified where and to whom he should report to. F. G. PETTIBONE, Vice President and General Manager. Galveston, Texas. 20-tfd

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A 4 burner quick-meal oil stove and a few other household goods. Phone 121, Mrs. Walter Parker. 20-2td

CANDIDATES ASSESSED; MANAGERS APPOINTED

It will cost in the neighborhood of \$800 to defray the expenses of holding the primary elections of this county, according to the figures compiled by the Democratic Executive Committee, which met Monday to make up the ticket and assess the candidates, and also appoint managers of the elections.

It will be remembered that the question of a second primary for nominating United States senators is being contested in the courts, and if the courts knock out this election there will be only two elections for county candidates to pay for, and the money left on hand will be refunded to them. The law provides for the holding of a second primary for nominating county candidates, where the majority rule is adopted, on Aug. 12, while the date for holding the second senatorial primary is fixed for August 26th, and the law provides for no plans for paying the expenses of the second senatorial primary and some counties are assessing the county candidates for holding all three of the elections which to say the least of it seems to be an unfair proposition, and upon this ground it is being contested.

In fixing the assessment for county candidates, the executive committee made the assessment upon a basis of what the office pays, and assessed each office so much, the amount to be pro rated between the candidates for that office. Thus the greater number of candidates for any one office the less expense on each candidate, and where the candidate has no opposition he is left with the entire assessment to pay. Following is the assessment per candidate for this county:

County judge, \$20; tax collector, \$40; tax assessor, \$24; county clerk, \$40; district clerk, \$40; treasurer, \$40; county attorney, \$30; sheriff, \$20; superintendent, \$25; surveyor, \$5; each precinct office was assessed \$10, the amount to be pro rated for the candidates for that office.

The ticket was made up and places awarded on the ticket for the various candidates. This was done by the usual method of drawing the names from a box, slips containing the various names have been written and placed in the box, and the first drawn getting the first place on the ticket, the second the second place and so on, and the ticket as made up is as follows:

District Judge:
Jno. W. Goodwin
J. O. Woodward

State Senator:
R. P. Connor
W. S. Woodward

Representative:
W. E. Hawkins
C. Y. Roberts
R. P. Taylor

County Judge:
W. D. Jennings
C. H. Willingham
O. L. Parish

County Clerk:
W. C. McCarver
A. L. Spann
C. C. Cockrell

County Attorney:
S. C. Harris
C. P. Shepherd

County Superintendent:
J. C. Wells
L. S. Bird
E. L. Hagan

Tax Assessor:
H. O. Rhodes
Willie Stephens
Joe Turner

Tax Collector:
W. T. Padgett
Mike C. Boyd
M. D. Chastain

Sheriff:
E. F. Edwards
J. P. Flynt
J. D. Perkins

Election Managers.

The committee appointed a manager for each election box in the county and authorized the manager to appoint his judges and clerks, as heretofore, appointing the required number according to the vote polled. Following are the names of those appointed to hold the election in their respective precincts:

Ballinger No. 1, C. R. Crews.
Hatchel, Geo. Holliday.
Benoit, B. J. Clayton.
Crews, A. E. Davis.
Tokeen, F. M. Curry.
Tritt, W. H. Seals.
Winters, Bert E. Low.
Antelope, W. H. Brown.
Pumphrey, R. L. Mosely.
Wingate, Jas. Barron.
Baldwin, J. M. Johnson.

ZINI
SHOE POLISHES
THE BIG SHINE
BLACK WHITE TAN
10c
A combination of both liquid and paste. Requires half the effort. Easy for children to use. Gives a smooth, lasting shine. Contains no acid. Will not crack the leather. Preserves the leather and increases the life of your shoes.
THE F. DALLEY CO., LTD.
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Wilmeth, H. W. Calloway
Cochran, Joe Vaneil.
North Norton, J. N. Key.
Marie—M. Mackey.
Maverick—T. L. Todd.
South Norton—T. J. McCaughn.
Pierce School House—J. N. Mason.
Brookshire—A. E. Brookshire.
Miles—J. S. Mills.
Rowena—G. Schuhmann.
Offin—F. G. Hoelscher.
Pony—J. W. Bigby.
Ballinger No. 24—Edwin Day.

HORRIBLY CUT BY MEXICAN FORMER BALLINGER LADY

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the streets and who were forming in posses to take up the man hunt quietly dispersed, and while the feeling of the American citizens have been greatly disturbed, it is not believed there will be any further trouble.

Mrs. Kuykendall will be remembered in Ballinger as Miss Minnie Ewing, the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Ewing. For many years Rev. Ewing was pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city. Mrs. Kuykendall grew from childhood into womanhood here, and was popular among the young people of the city.

The account of her misfortune was received in Ballinger early Tuesday morning, and the city greatly shocked. The first report stated that Mrs. Kuykendall had been killed, and a later report stated that she was only slightly injured. A phone message from H. F. Mayes, of the Brownwood Bulletin, to The Ledger this afternoon confirms the account of the trouble as given above, and while the latest reports from the sanitarium where Mrs. Kuykendall was carried for treatment, say that she will recover, unless some complication sets up, the report to The Ledger also says her condition is serious.

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.

Watch the Fords Go By.

IT'S WHAT YOU SAVE THAT MAKES YOU RICH.

and the best way to save is to open a bank account where your money is safe and it won't burn a hole in your pocket. Add to it as frequently as possible. It will really surprise you what you can accumulate within a year by a little effort. Surely your ambitions are to improve the future and the best way to accomplish it is to establish first-class banking connections.

We solicit your account.

The Farmers and Merchants State Bank

The Bank that HELPS YOU Do Things