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SUNDAY NIGHT  
EIGHT O'CLOCK

NO MEXICAN HOLIDAY  
OBSERVED IN BALLINGER

Saturday was Mexican Independence Day in Mexico, but there was nothing doing in the way of celebration in Ballinger Mexican circles. The Mexicans of this section are busy in the cotton fields or perhaps the day passed without even being remembered by the Mexicans here. News from Coleman, however, where the Mex population is greater than for any of the small cities in this part of the state, say that the day was observed in true Mexican style, and one

would have thought the border had been set back a few hundred miles.

At the Hub

All kinds of millinery goods. Hats from \$1.00 up. All up to date new styles.

MRS. L. BREEDLOVE.

John Ayers left Saturday afternoon for San Angelo to visit his parents over Sunday.

"In the Clutches of Death," or "The Soul's Fatal Sleep," Ninth Street Baptist Church, Sunday Night, Eight o'clock. 15-2td

SUBJECTS

At The Rink Sunday,  
11:00 a. m.

"The National Pay-Up Week"

or

The Crowning Glory of the Church

Sunday Night  
8:00 p. m.

"Mother Home and Heaven"

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## SISTER OF PRESIDENT IS DEAD

By United Press  
NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Annie Howe, the only sister of President Wilson, died at her home here at six-forty o'clock this morning.

Asbury Park, N. J., Sept. 16.—On account of the death of his sister, Mrs. Annie Howe, which occurred at New London, Conn., this morning, President Wilson cancelled all his engagements for Monday and Tuesday, and has requested Secretary of War Baker, to speak for him at St. Louis on Sept. 2th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will accompany the body of Mrs. Howe to South Carolina for burial.

When you have an aching, stretchy, feeling and you are dull tired and discouraged it is a sign of approaching malaria or chills. You should act quickly to ward off an attack. Herbine offers you the help you need. It destroys the malarial germ, drives out all impurities and makes you feel bright, vigorous and cheerful. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

REVIVAL AT THE RINK

Subject last night, "Genuine or Counterfeit Religion." God gave Moses the divine pattern by which to fashion the genuine religion of his day, giving the way and worship the Jews were to walk in, and observe, and until Jesus should die, and establish a greater and more perfect tabernacle.

The first given by Moses was a true figure of the perfect one established by Jesus. Sealed not with the blood of animals but with the blood of Jesus. Ex. 40; Heb. 9 compared will give the desired information as to the type and anti-type given by Moses and Christ.

Hear the exhortation of Jer. 6:16 as follows: "Stand ye in the way and see as for the old paths and the good way, and walk therein, and find rest and walk soul, but they said we will not walk therein." See Jer. 23:16-17. He also contemplates spurious revelation and false prophets. See comparison in New Testament, First Tim. 4:1. "The time will come when they will turn from the way of truth and be turned unto fables."

The above reference from Old and New Testament scriptures indicate clearly there is such a thing as the genuine and counterfeit. In Revelation teaches ways and worship.

Less we forget, let us be sure to give all diligence to examine the divine record and our relationship to same, so that we may not be turned away from the Christ, having accepted the counterfeit instead of the genuine article.

Subject tonight, "Make It as Sure as You Can."

Constipation the Father of Many Ills.

Of the numerous ills that affect humanity a large share start with constipation. Keep your bowels regular and they may be avoided. When a laxative is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. Obtainable everywhere.

HOLINESS MEETING.

Rev. E. W. Wells, of Austin, and Mrs. Mullanax of Brownwood, are conducting an interesting revival in the Holiness church in this city. Large congregations attend the services and the meeting has been interesting thru out. It is understood services will continue until Sunday night.—Goldthwaite Eagle.

Wanted second-hand oat sacks. Miller Mercantile Co. 11tdt

## MAN HELD FOR BRUTAL MURDER

One of the most brutal murders ever committed in Texas was committed in Fisher county, and not far from Sweetwater Wednesday night, and which came to light Friday. The news of the murder reached Ballinger Friday, but particulars were lacking until today when the Sweetwater Reporter gave the following account of the awful crime:

One of the most brutal murders ever committed in this section of the state was at Longworth Wednesday night when John Evans of Royston was killed.

A party by the name of Bishop was arrested in Sweetwater Thursday afternoon charged with the crime.

According to the story of Constable J. C. Jones, who was in Longworth Thursday and saw dead man, and the officers and other citizens here who saw and talked with the man accused of committing the deed, the story of the murder is almost unbelievable because of its brutality.

Story of Crime.

It seems that Bishop met Evans a well known citizen in Royston, about the first of this month, and after a short acquaintance Bishop pretended he had some real estate near San Angelo he wished to trade for property near Royston. Evans became interested in Bishop's property near San Angelo and made a conditional proposition to deal with him, provided the San Angelo property showed up as represented.

Both Bishop and Evans drove into Longworth Wednesday afternoon from Royston in one buggy. They stated to parties there they were going down to San Angelo on the train that night. As there was no wagon yard in the town, they camped near the lumber yard.

Thursday morning Bishop was still in Longworth, and Evans was gone. Bishop told those asking about Evans that the latter had decided to go on the train to San Angelo and he (Bishop) was to drive his buggy through to San Angelo where Evans was to await for him.

About 10:30 Bishop left Longworth in his buggy coming toward Sweetwater. When he got near the home of Mr. White about one mile this side of Longworth, he hitched his horse and went out into the field where some children were picking cotton. He asked if the owner of the cotton needed any help in gathering the cotton. He was told no. He then went back to his buggy and drove a short distance down the road to a thicket where he again hitched his horse and went out some distance from the road and stood sometime. His actions aroused the suspicion of the children picking cotton. As soon as Bishop left in his buggy, coming on toward Sweetwater, the children went to see what he had done in the thicket.

Find New Grave.

They found a new made grave. At once they gave the alarm and soon the neighbors came in. An investigation was at once begun, which resulted in the following story of the crime.

Digs Grave With Axe.

Some time Thursday while at

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## WINNING OF WAR CAUSE REJOICING

By United Press  
LONDON, Sept. 16.—War bulletins issued today cause much rejoicing among the British. Confirmed reports bring the news that the British have made further advance north of the Somme. The Serbs are pushing the Bulgars towards Monastir with a gain of much advantage. The Italians have pierced the Austrian lines at Isonzo.

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Mrs. Frank Chapman made a short visit and business trip to Winters between trains Friday.

Wanted second-hand oat sacks. Miller Mercantile Co. 11tdt

## 75,000 QUIT THEIR JOBS IN N. Y. CITY


By United Press  
NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—This city is in the grip of one of the worst strikes in its history, and the situation became serious today when sympathetic strike leaders brought into the support of the striking traction employees seventy-five thousand workers in other unions.

The sympathetic strike orders became effective at noon today and twenty thousand longshoremen and boatmen were the first to respond to the order for seventy-five thousand men to leave their jobs. Twenty-five thousand mechanics are expected to join the strikers before night.

The central federated union submitted recommendations to all local unions to join the strike, and it declared that every line of industry in the city under the control of the unions will be tied up by Monday.

Riots are occurring at different points in the city, and during the last twenty-four hours two men have been killed and thirty-seven injured on traction lines affected by the strike. Broadway has been the scene of strike riots today.

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The Walker Drug Co. Ballinger

C. C. Gannaway returned home Friday from the Wingate country, where he had been looking after his farms the past several days and reports that section very dry, the recent rains over the county having been very light around Wingate.

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### WITH THE CHURCHES

#### All Saints Church

Service and sermon at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Lord is Good and His Mercies are Over All His Works." Sermon at 8 o'clock, and a discussion of the same subject will be continued. W. T. ALLAN.

#### Eighth Street Presbyterian Church.

Remember the services tomorrow: Bible School 9:45, Christian Endeavor 7 p. m. No preaching on account of the absence of the pastor from the city.

#### Notice Pastors.

The Pastors' Association of Ballinger is called to meet at the Eighth Street Presbyterian church Monday at 10 a. m. All members are requested to be present. R. R. RIVES, President.

#### First Presbyterian Church

The services of this church, to which an invitation to the public in general and strangers and visitors in particular, is heartily given are: Bible School 10 a. m., Prof. W. S. Fleming, supt. Morning worship and sermon 11 a. m. At the morning service Messrs. J. McGregor and E. L. McElpine will be installed as Elders, and Messrs. C. J. Lynn and J. M. Pyburn as Deacons. Evening service at 8 o'clock. J. W. ATWOOD.

#### Ninth Street Baptist Church.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. The revival that has been in progress for the past two weeks will close with the night service. Everybody invited to attend. Especially do we invite the singers of the town to help with the music. JNO. W. MILTON, Pastor.

#### Methodist Church

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. A. K. Doss, Supt. 11 a. m. preaching. Special sermon, "The Women of the Church and the Call of the World." 8:00 p. m. "The Master's Joy."

#### The Nazarene Church.

Services tonight at 8 o'clock. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. REV. J. W. BOST.

#### First Baptist Church

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sun-seams at 3 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. You are invited to attend all of these services—there is a welcome for you. T. C. JESTER.

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### SPANNELL CASE VENUED TO SAN ANGELO COURT

ALPINE, Tex., Sept. 16.—Because of the feeling aroused in this community over the shooting of Mrs. Harry J. Spannell, daughter of a leading West Texas rancher, and Colonel Butler, an army officer, by the woman's husband, a change of venue to Fort Green county was granted Spannell. Spannell will probably be taken at once to San Angelo to await trial, the date of which has not been set.

Spannell entered a plea of not guilty.

### PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD

If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding Piles, send me your address, and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption treatment; and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial, with references from your own locality if requested. Users report immediate relief and speedy cures. Send no money, but tell others of this offer. Write today to Mrs. M. Summers, Box P, Notre Dame, Ind.

Miss Josie Glenn, of Marie, who had been spending the summer vacation with home folks and friends, left from this point Friday afternoon to begin her duties in the public schools of Houston.

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## UNHEALTHY CHILDREN CAN'T TRAVEL ON RY. PAINT ROCK AFTER PUGET SOUND HIGHWAY

All railroads, steamship lines and public carriers in Texas are requiring health certificates from all children under sixteen years of age when tickets are purchased for points outside the state. This action has resulted from a proclamation which has been issued by Governor James E. Ferguson, effective September 1. Its aim is to prevent the spread of infantile paralysis.

The T. and P. and Ft. Worth and Denver roads have been observing the rule for more than a week, while the Orient took notice of it on Wednesday of the present week. The health certificate must state the name, origin, and destination of the child, and a copy must be furnished the State Board of Health at Austin.

Tom Greer, who had been doing some contract rock work at Sonora, came in Friday to visit home folks and Ballinger friends a few days.

## SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles."

"Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me. At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing. I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years. At all druggists.

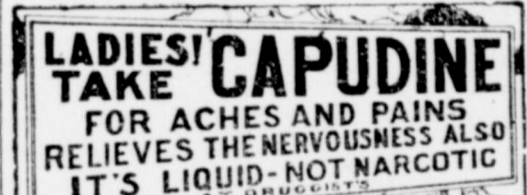
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## PAINT ROCK AFTER PUGET SOUND HIGHWAY

(Paint Rock Herald)

Saturday night a small number of the Paint Rock citizens met to hear the report of O. L. Sims as to the prospect and hope of holding ourselves on the map by staying on the route of the National Highway, known as the Puget Sound to the Gulf Highway. Mr. Sims at his own expense and time attended both the good roads convention at San Antonio, mention of which was made in the Herald last week; and the latter one at Austin last week. The meeting at Austin was composed of delegates and persons interested in routes that necessarily clash. One proposed route would take the road through Brownwood, another through Ballinger; both of which would take them from us, but we have a good working chance to get the road as it stands from Corpus Christi to San Antonio, Fredericksburg, Mason, Brady, Paint Rock, and the other from Austin to Liberty Hill, Burnett, Llano, Brady, Paint Rock, if we do our part in both sentiment and work. If we are anxious for it and show our anxiety by properly hearing the men explain these things to us when they visit us, by giving our support to good roads in the county and by helping to build and develop good road sentiment that will be permanent.



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State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

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Mrs. Arrant and baby of Santa Anna, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Tom Greer and family, left for home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lollar and son, of the Maria country, were shopping in Ballinger Saturday.

### Diarrhoea Remedy

This is a medicine that every family should be provided with. Colic and diarrhoea often come on suddenly and it is of the greatest importance that they be treated promptly. Consider the suffering that must be endured until a physician arrives or medicine can be obtained. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has a reputation second to none for the quick relief which it affords. Obtainable everywhere.

H. C. Brunson, of the Dry Ridge neighborhood, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday and while here ordered the Banner-Ledger to the address of his daughter, Mrs. Sheppard at Temple, Okla. for the ensuing year.

If your child is pale and sickly, picks at the nose, starts in the sleep and grinds the teeth while sleeping, it is a sure sign of worms. A remedy for these parasites will be found in White's Cream Vermifuge. It not only clears out the worms, but it restores health and cheerfulness. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Mrs. Myrtle Rose and little son of Corsicana are visiting Mrs. Rose's brother, H. M. Jones and family.

Mrs. B. F. Vinson, of Santa Anna, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Chambers and family, left for her home Friday.

### Forget Your Aches

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(Continued from Yesterday)

Stirred to wrath, Burton said not a word, but strode up to the discomfited George, seized him by the scruff of the neck, and thrust him out of the room, bidding the astounded butler throw the young blackguard into the street and not be too particular now he did it.

Then he strove to assuage Helen's storm-tossed emotions. He might as well have endeavored to quell an equinoctial gale. Helen followed her brother out of the house. But she had quite made up her mind not to return to the Ray tenement. She sought her friend, Alice Martin, and Alice, in her perverted way, played a strangely contorted version of the role of the Good Samaritan.

"Never mind, dearie," she said. "You stay right here until I can fix things for you. You needn't care, even if you have missed your marquis. He ain't the only pebble on the beach."

Burton was more distressed than he cared to admit. When the first shock of the girl's departure had passed he resolved to find her, and use every means in his power to bring her back to a more equable frame of mind. But search as he might and did, he found no trace of the lost girl during nearly a fortnight.

At last, however, a friend in whom he had confided, and whose assistance he sought, ascertained the true state in which Alice Martin lived, and, by following up that clue, came upon the cabaret in which the two girls now took their nightly diversion. Greatly grieved at the news, Burton went there with his companion, and found Helen seated at a table in the midst of a gay party.

Striding across to the revelers, and disregarding all others except Helen, he bent over the girl and urged her earnestly to come away from a devilish set which meant only to compass her ruin. She hung her head in shame, but a man beside her, who had already marked her down as his lawful prey, naturally resented such outspoken language, and sprang upright with an oath.

Yielding apparently to an uncontrollable impulse, Helen thrust back the cavalier who was minded to change words for blows, mounted the chair in which she had been seated and, before anyone could stop her, stood on the table, kicking aside an array of bottles and glasses with her dainty feet.

"The man who wants me must buy me!" she shrieked, with an utter abandonment of voice and gesture.

Helen's extraordinary escapade had drawn every habitue of the garish cabaret as a magnet draws steel filings.

The crowd of roysterers treated the whole affair as a wild prank. But Burton knew in his heart that the girl was in deadly earnest. Pocketbooks were opened and bundles of notes were thrown on the table.

"Five thousand!" yelled one man. "Ten!" roared he who had been seated by Helen's side.

"Fifteen!" bellowed a third. "Twenty!" I'll put in a certified check—" this from the steadfast swain.

Burton felt a hand on his arm. It was his friend.

"Come away," muttered the latter. "You can do no good; she's done for; damned forever!"

Aware only of a feeling of physical nausea, John turned and went to the door. His departure was noted by the revelers, and evoked an exultant yell.

"The noble marquis is down and out!" roared he who had bid twenty thousand dollars, and who was now wildly waving a checkbook. "He's got to either put up or shut up. I guess he can't make good."

Helen's eyes darted one last hungry glance at the man with whom she would cheerfully have faced poverty and all that it meant. He interpreted aright that terrible look, and mournfully shook his head. She asked for love, and that he did not feel he could give, since his sad experience of life had seemingly made him a bankrupt in life's most precious gift.

Knowing she had failed, Helen spurred him with a magnificent gesture. She whirled around upon the man who had named the highest price. "You win!" she screamed, and flung herself into his arms.

That last dreadful cry rang in John's ears for many a day. It was the plaint of a lost soul.

(END OF FIFTH EPISODE.)

(Continued next Week.)

**LADIES' CAPUDINE**  
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RELIEVES THE NERVOUSNESS ALSO  
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**Pine Tar Relieves a Cold**

Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey contains all the soothing elements of the pine forest. It heals the irritated membrane, and by its antiseptic properties, loosens the phlegm, you breathe easier, and what promised to be a severe cold has been broken up. For that stuffed-up feeling, tight chest or sore throat take a dose of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey and prevent a wearing, hacking cough dragging through the winter. At your druggist, 25c.

Miss Kathleen Jones left Saturday morning for Coleman to visit friends a few days and will go on to Santa Anna to join her grandfather, Rev. H. M. Bandy in a meeting.

**SEARCHING THE COUNTRY**

The manufacturers of Ross' "Dead Quick" Spray are searching the country for an insect it will not kill. Write them if you find one. If insects are in your home, on your plants, shrubbery, vegetables, among your poultry, this spray will destroy them. Sold in Ballinger by the Walker Drug Co.

"In the Clutches of Death," or "The Soul's Fatal Sleep," Ninth Street Baptist Church, Sunday Night, Eight o'clock. 15-2td

Yellow complexion, pimples, and disfiguring blemishes on the face or body can be gotten rid of by doctoring the liver, which is torpid. Herbine is a powerful liver correctant. It purifies the system, stimulates the vital organs and puts the body in fine vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Roy Gilliam of Winters was in Ballinger Saturday.

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WANTED—Good painter and paper hanger at once. Review. Rowena, Texas. 16-2td

WANTED—2 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 560. 15-4tdpd

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WANTED—woman or girl to help in house work; only two in family, work light and prompt pay. Apply at 304 Fourth street, at phone 567. 14-dtd

VIOLIN LESSONS—Mrs. Leon Ward will teach a limited number of pupils. Phone 137. 14-3

VOCAL LESSON—my fall term will begin Monday, Sept. 18. Phone 155. Mrs. E. L. McAlpine. 16-3td.

**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—We will have several cars hay, corn and maize here for sale in a few days. West Texas Grain Co. 15-2td1tw

FOR SALE—Jersey cows, fresh in milk. W. W. Embry. 31-14th 2tw.

**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—One or two furnished or unfurnished rooms. Mrs. Frank Chapman. 16-dtd.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 321. 15-3td

**TRESPASS NOTICES**

POSTED—my pasture is posted, and the law governing same will be enforced. No hunting, day or night will be tolerated. It is my purpose to protect all game on my place, and the trespassers will take notice and avoid prosecution. J. W. RABY. 5-d tf- w tf.

**Children Cry for Fletcher's**

**CASTORIA**

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* 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.

**What is CASTORIA**

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.

**GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS**

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**In Use For Over 30 Years**

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Mrs. Arch Brookshire, of the of Milan county, were visiting Benoit country and her sister, friends and shopping in Ballinger Mrs. Felix Barker and little son, Friday.

**MRS. BENJ. HARRIS**

Teacher of

*Piano, Theory and Harmony*

Studio in the High School

I wish to announce the opening of my fall class Monday, September 18th, and will teach in the High School building. I also desire to express my gratitude to the good people of Ballinger for their kind and liberal patronage, assuring you that a continuance of the same will be much appreciated.

**Make Our Bank Your Bank**

We will handle checks on any bank in Ballinger or other points.

We settle for cotton and seed bought by any responsible buyer.

We will grant every accommodation consistent with conservative banking.

We will be glad to take care of your cotton tickets and have arranged a convenient rack for cotton samples.

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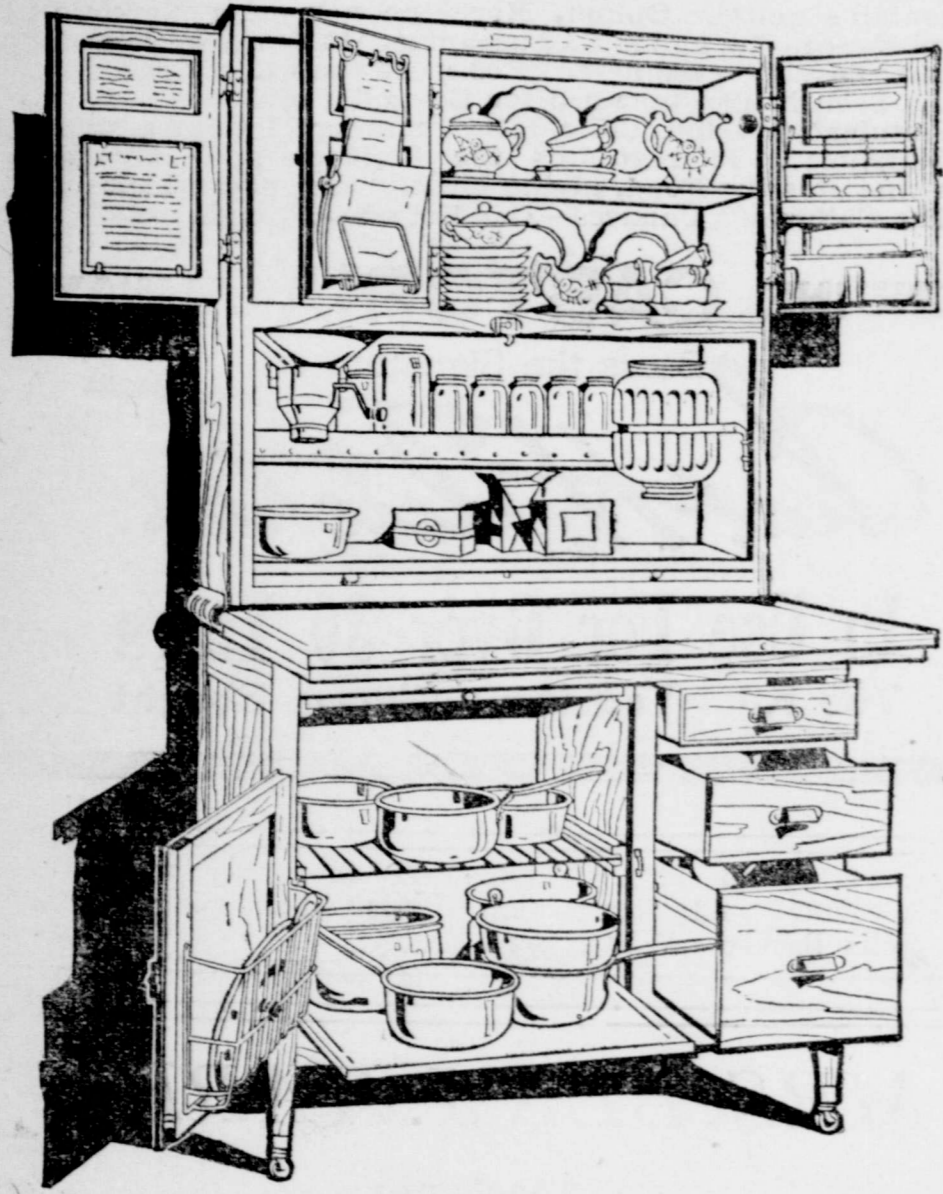
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## Read Our Double-Page Ad In This Week's Saturday Evening Post

It tells the story of the most modern and most needed convenience that you can have in your kitchen; a fascinating, always-ready helper who will cut your kitchen work in two. Be sure and read this big ad in this week's Post, telling about



## McDougall Kitchen Cabinets

Then come right down here and look over our magnificent display of these celebrated cabinets. You cannot appreciate the wonderful McDougall advantages without first seeing them. Then you will understand why it is that no woman is satisfied until there is a McDougall in her kitchen—ready to save her thousands of steps and assist her in a hundred ways—to make kitchen work easier, pleasanter and more economical.

### Special Prices and Special Terms This Week

Pick out the cabinet that best fits your needs—pay but \$1.00 down, and we'll deliver whenever you say. Then \$1.00 weekly for a few short weeks, gives you the lifetime service of the best built, most convenient and sanitary cabinet to be found.

**HIGGINBOTHAM-CURRIE-WILLIAMS Co**  
BALLINGER'S GREATEST STORE

#### MARRIED

Married at the Manse of the Eighth Street Presbyterian church Friday evening 7 o'clock Mr. R. K. Townsen and Miss Isabel Patterson, Rev. R. R. Rives officiating.

#### At the Hub

All kinds of millinery goods. Hats from \$1.00 up. All up to date new styles.

MRS. L. BREEDLOVE.  
15-2td-1tw

Seed oats and seed wheat. Miller Mercantile Co. 11-dtf

Mrs. H. A. Bradley came in Saturday morning from Marlin, where she had been for some time for the benefit of her health. After attending to some business in Ballinger Mrs. Bradley went out to her home near Crews. We are glad to note that Mrs. Bradley returns home improved in health.

**CHESTER'S PILLS**  
THE DIABLO BRAND  
Ask your Druggist for  
Chester's Diamond Brand  
Pills on each and every bottle  
Takes no other. Buy of your  
Druggist. Ask for CHESTER'S PILLS  
With 100% GUARANTEE. For 25  
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#### A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUNG LADIES AND YOUNG MEN

The demand for telegraph operators was never so great as at the present time. The largest telegraph school in America—equipped with over a hundred sets of instruments, miniature train service, a train wire of a main line railroad, all telegraph and freight blanks and books of records; tickets, and in fact everything just as complete as found in the best equipped railroad offices, the best practical teachers to be obtained, thoroughly experienced in commercial and railway telegraphy, station and freight work—the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, is unable to supply the demands of the railroads, Western Union and Postal telegraph companies for operators. Just as surely as you complete our course of telegraphy and station work, just so surely will we place you in a good position. The same is true where our course of Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Stenotypewriting, and Cotton Clipping or Business Administration and Finance is completed.

Write for free catalogue. Our telegraph students are on all the leading Southwestern roads, and in Western Union and Postal offices. Our graduates of other departments are holding high positions in the commercial world. With our help you can be a big success.

#### Bad Colds from little Sneezes Grow.

Many colds that hang on all winter start with a sneeze, a sniffle, a sore throat, a tight chest. You know the symptoms of colds, and you know prompt treatment will break them up. Dr. King's New Discovery, with its soothing antiseptic balsams, has been breaking up colds and healing coughs of young and old for 47 years. Dr. King's New Discovery loosens the phlegm, clears the head, soothes the irritated membrane, and makes breathing easier. At your druggist, 50c.

Col. J. R. Taylor, of Norton, passed through Ballinger Saturday en route home from a visit to Moody and a few weeks stay at Marlin.

Herbine is the medicine that cures biliousness, malaria and constipation. The first dose makes you feel better, a few additional doses cures completely. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

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#### Your Test Grades Tell The Tale.



If the pen you use writes with an ease and a smoothness, day in and day out, it shows up in your test grades. Therefore, whether it's theme writing, taking notes in class, home work, or what-not, use the efficient

**Conklin's Self-Filling Fountain Pen**  
NON-LEAKABLE

Let us fit your particular style of hand writing with a CONKLIN that will help you in your work for years to come.

**The Walker Drug Co**  
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THE Rexall STORE

#### Man Held for Brutal Murder

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the camp in Longworth, Bishop is said to have killed Evans by striking him over the head a number of times with an instrument that crushed his skull in many places. Bishop then took the body of Evans to the tank about 300 yards distant and tried to sink it.

Failing in this he got it out of the water, put it back in his buggy and brought it west of Longworth to the thicket, a mile distant from Longworth. It was then carried about one hundred yards from the road and buried.

Bishop dug the grave about three feet deep with an axe and threw the dirt out of the hole with his hands. The grave was shorter than the length of the man so Bishop took his knife and almost cut the body into two parts so that it could be folded and made to fit the hole dug for it.

#### Bishop Arrest.

About 3 o'clock, Mr. Mitchell, a merchant at Palava, phoned the officers here to be on the lookout for the party supposed to have committed the deed.

Deputy Sheriff Thompson was in his office when the message came.

He at once went down to the A. L. Hogue wagon yard where he located a buggy, stained with blood. Soon after officer Thompson found the buggy. Bishop came in dressed in a new suit of clothes.

Mr. Thompson arrested Bishop when he reached the yard, but he stoutly denied having committed the crime.

Sheriff Yarbrough and Deputy Sheriff Thompson started to Roby with Bishop and met Sheriff House of Fisher county a short distance from the city.

#### How to Give Good Advice.

The best way to give good advice is to set a good example. When others see how quickly you get over your cold by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they are likely to follow your example. This remedy has been in use for many years and enjoys an excellent reputation. Obtainable everywhere.

#### Overcome Chronic Constipation

Don't continue to create a habit of strong purgatives. They relieve, and that is all. And they call for increased dosage. A sensible treatment will arouse the liver and give tone and strength to the bowels. It is offered in



Many years have shown the usefulness of this remedy. It's the ideal laxative, gentle, effective and strengthening. Now it may be obtained in tablet form, for convenience in taking.

Manalin will not form a habit of cathartics. Used as directed, the sufferer may reasonably expect not only immediate relief, but the re-formation of proper habits, in the natural way.

Liquid if you desire it, \$1 and 35c.

Tablets, 25c and 10c

Carry a box with you. Constipation is largely a matter of habit. You can overcome it with Manalin's help.

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio

Rev. R. R. Rives left Saturday at noon for San Angelo, where he goes to install the new pastor of the Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock Sunday and will also preach for them Sunday morning and night.

#### At the Hub

All kinds of millinery goods. Hats from \$1.00 up. All up to date new styles.

MRS. L. BREEDLOVE.  
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THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hill, 223 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv. 6



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### White City

7:00 p. m. to 12:00 p. m.

Admission:

Children 10c

Adults 20c

Reserved Seats 10c Extra.

### Queen Theatre

2:00 p. m. to 7:00 p. m.

Admission:

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Adults 20c

### WHITE CITY TONIGHT

Henry King in a special 3 reel feature "THE STAINED PEARL"

Rose Melville "IN SMUGGLING JUSTICE"

"LIBERTY" featured by Marie Walcamp and Eddie Polo. 6000 feet 10c

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### QUEEN THEATRE TONIGHT

"LIBERTY, LOVE AND WAR" featured by Marie Walcamp and Eddie Polo. Cleo Madison in a Big U feature "PRISCILLA'S PRISONER"

Victor Comedy "JUST A FEW LITTLE THINGS" Universal Animated Weekly. 6000 Feet 10c

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