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## 100 TEACHERS MEET HERE FOR ANNUAL INSTITUTE

With practically every rural school teacher in Runnels county present, the total enrollment figuring about 100, the 1916 term of the Runnels County Teachers Institute convened at nine o'clock Monday morning at the First Baptist church, where the sessions will be held throughout the week, and up until Friday afternoon.

The institute is being held at the First Baptist church where the Sunday School rooms could be used for the various department work. The institute opened without delay and with very little preliminary program. Rev. E. R. Stanford, pastor of the Methodist church, conducted a brief devotional service and the program as outlined for the week was taken up and the subjects assigned discussed.

County Superintendent Bird announced that prospects were promising for a successful week's work. All the teachers were coming up with their work, and with only a very few exceptions answered to roll call. It is a fine body of young men and young ladies and they are putting their whole soul and heart into better training for taking the lead in educational matters.

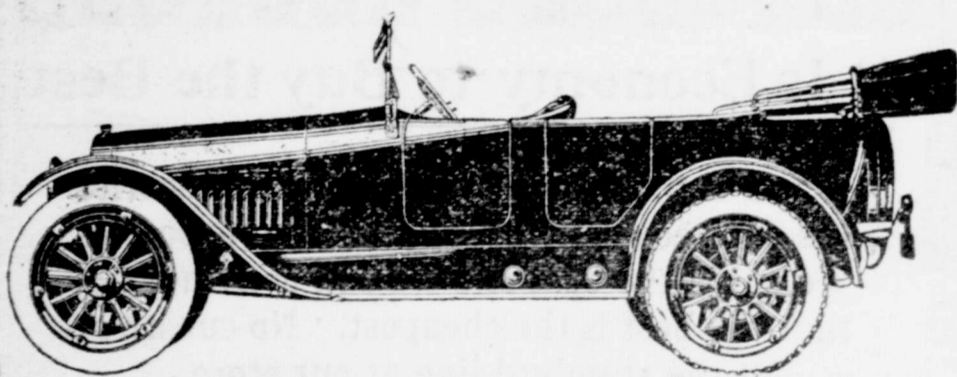
The program for the week includes speeches by a number of prominent laymen, and the business mens committee of the city is planning an entertainment program which will be announced later, and the one hundred visiting teachers will be made to feel that Ballinger welcomes them, and stands ready to co-operate with them in carrying on their work for higher education.

Job Hearrell of Bronte, C. W. Evans of the New Home neighborhood, L. W. Williams of the Norton country, J. M. Nichols of Maverick, and W. T. Nichols of the Bethel neighborhood, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Monday. While here Mr. Evans ordered the Banner-Ledger and Dallas News to his address for a year.

### BUYS NEW OVERLAND

H. L. Wendorf, the saddle and harness man, may not appear to speak as politely as in former days, but it is not on account of his having the "big head," but it takes all his time to watch the steering wheel of his No. 9 New Model Overland, just bought from O Kelly & Welton.

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## LEDGER TO GIVE ELECTION RETURNS

The Daily Ledger has perfected arrangements for receiving the returns from the Presidential election on Tuesday night, November 7th. The returns will be so complete that we hope to be able to tell by the mid-night hour who is who in National politics.

The service furnished The Ledger comes from the United Press, and comes pretty high for a small paper, but as has been the policy of this paper all along the line, to give the news while its news and cover the field so completely that our patrons can not complain.

The United Press will control many leased wires of the Western Union on election night, and the Western Union line running into Ballinger will be used exclusively for receiving election returns after eight o'clock Tuesday night. The U. P. announces that the most perfect and detailed arrangements have been made for compiling and sending out returns, and the service contracted for by The Ledger covers it all.

There will be no Daily Ledger on Tuesday afternoon, but an election issue will be issued early Wednesday morning, the special morning issue giving complete election returns up to the time of going to press.

We will also bulletin the returns at The Ledger office for the benefit of the public. These bulletins will come in such a way as to keep the people posted as to how the various states are voting.

### PORTUGAL HELPING ALLIES?

BERLIN, Oct. 30.—Portuguese troops are reported to be fighting with the allies in Macedonia. It is said several large bodies of Portuguese have been landed for Balkan service.

### FINE CHICKENS SHIPPED

Quite a number of pens of fine chickens were shipped from Ballinger Monday by express to be on exhibition at the San Angelo fair. Among the number were noted, Garland Nunn, of Old Runnels, 3 coops; Jno. L. Guion, Jr., 3 coops; Oscar Pearson, 5 coops; Chester Cherry, 6 coops; Harold Tucker, 5 coops; A. W. Sledge, one pen.

## COPELAND JURY STILL TIED UP

GALVESTON, Oct. 30.—The jury in the so-called "Father Black" case, sitting in the trial of John Copeland, here, is hopelessly divided on a verdict, and has asked the judge to discharge them. After listening to the jury's report, Judge Clay Stone Briggs ordered the jury returned for further deliberation.

The case of the State of Texas vs. George Ryan, was called today, and counsel for the state, asked for a delay. Ryan is also cited as having connection with the murder of Black, at Marshal, Texas.

## BROWNWOOD HOTEL MAN DROPS DEAD

Special to The Daily Ledger: BROWNWOOD, Oct. 30.—J. A. Armstrong, chief stockholder and manager of the Southern Hotel in this city, dropped dead while sitting at the dinner table with his family shortly after twelve o'clock today. Mr. Armstrong was apparently in the best of health. The physicians announced that death was due to congestion and rupture of a blood vessel on the brain. He had just entered the dining room and was sitting at the table with members of his family and Dr. K. R. Barton, pastor of the Brownwood Methodist church, who was taking dinner with the family, when suddenly he fell forward and died almost instantly.

Mr. Armstrong had been a citizen of this city for about twenty years and was prominent in the development and commercial life of Brownwood. Arrangements have been perfected for the funeral and the remains will be laid to rest here sometime tomorrow afternoon.

## PROPOSED AIRLINE ROAD TO WINTERS

There is a growing demand for a better road from Ballinger to Winters. The present road must be improved, and will be improved, or a new road out-and-out constructed in the near future. There is more travel over this road than any other line of road in the county, and it is in the worst condition of any road in the county, several places at present being almost impassable.

R. P. Kirk has suggested the idea of an airline road between the two towns, the proposed road to follow the railroad. The present road is as crooked as a boot-legger's business, and over a route as rough as a negro prize fighter, and one that would be expensive to build a good road over.

It is pointed out that a straight road could be built at a great deal less expense than the crooked road, and the saving in distance would be a big item in the cost of travel and saving of time. We believe to build such a road would meet with the approval of the property owners adjacent thereto and with the public in general.

To follow the line of the A. & S. railroad, it would be necessary to bridge Elm creek, but at the same time the crossing of Coyote would be eliminated. It is only a question of time until the bridge now spanning Elm creek in the edge of the city will have to give way to a wider crossing. It would be good business to move this bridge to the upper crossing which would be created by the airline road and build a modern concrete bridge where the present steel bridge spans.

Mr. Kirk has discussed this proposition with some of the peo-

## GERMANSUB OPERATIONS VERY ACTIVE

Americans on British Steamer. WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Two American citizens were members of the crew of the British steamer, Marna, sunk yesterday, according to reports received in the United States today from consular sources.

United States Consul Frost says five Filipinos were also in the crew of the Marna. Mr. Frost cables the Marna was sunk by German gunfire.

### Patrol Boats Rescue 104.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—British patrol boats report they have rescued one hundred and four persons, survivors of Greek and Danish steamers and Russian and Norwegian sailing vessels, which were submerged by Teuton U-boats.

These survivors only include those picked up in the last twenty-four hours.

## SLAVS MOVE BACK AND FORE TODAY

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Russo-Rumanian troops have succeeded in throwing back the German advance under Gen. Falkenhayn, today. News reports from Petrograd state that the Teutons have been hurled back over a three-mile front to north of Campoli.

General von Mackensen continues his victorious pursuit of the Russian and Rumanian armies, and is near Dobrudja this afternoon.

When in Winters eat at Moor's Cafe. 21-mon-sat-1mo-d.

## DEAD NEGRO WANTED FOR MURDER IN OKLA.

Sheriff Perkins is in receipt of a letter from the sheriff of Temple, Oklahoma, stating that one Ben Johnson, a negro, is wanted in that county for murder.

The negro killed on the Embury place two weeks ago was going under the name of Sam Montgomery, but it later developed that this was an alias, and that the negro's right name was Ben Johnson. This fact was brought out in the trial of the negro Chas. Ellis, who did the shooting that ended the life of Johnson, alias Montgomery, when the dead negro's mother was put on the witness stand and swore that the dead negro was her son and that his right name was Ben Johnson.

It is not known whether the dead negro was the one wanted in Oklahoma on a murder charge or not, but since he was going under an alias, and his right name was not known until after he had been killed, it is believed by the officers that he was the negro wanted.

Chas. Ellis, who killed the negro, and who was convicted of the crime and given a life sentence last Saturday, has been somewhat perturbed since the jury rendered its verdict, and the officers state that the negro has spent most of the time crying and praying, and did not sleep any during Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doose and two children, of Midland, came over Saturday to visit relatives and friends. Mr. Doose returned home Monday and Mrs. Doose and children will remain in the city a week or ten days longer.

The Misses Clary of Coleman, who had been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Wm. Toliver, and family, of the Valley creek country, passed thru Ballinger Monday en route home.

## 4-YEAR-OLD CHILD BURNS TO DEATH WHEN HATCHELL STORE IS DESTROYED

## VILLA HITS SOUTHWARD IN 3 TRAINS

EL PASO, Oct. 30.—Santa Rosalia, eighty miles south of Chihuahua City, is today in the hands of the Villistas. The main body of bandits lead by Pancho Villa is moving southward towards Jimenez and Parral.

Three trains are being requisitioned by Villa to carry his troops on his southward march.

## SPECIAL MUSIC IS FEATURE SUNDAY

Sunday was a full day at the Methodist Church. Two hundred were present at Sunday School, brought an offering of \$20.66. The last Sunday in each month is observed as Missionary Day and the collection goes as a special to missions. The total collected this year is \$70.

One of the best sacred musical programs ever given in the Methodist church in Ballinger was rendered Sunday night and was thoroughly enjoyed by a packed house. The choir did unusually well on the Anthems. The trio and piano numbers by Mrs. Elmer Simpson were also enjoyed. The most artistically rendered number perhaps was a duet, "Whispering Hope" by Mrs. Shelton and Troy Simpson. The pastor, Rev. E. R. Stanford gave a brief address on, "George Matherson, the blind Post-Preacher."

At 11:00 a. m. he preached on the "Master's Scale of Values." The text was, Matt. 6:21. "For where thy treasure is, there will thy heart be also. In no other way is the Master's manhood revealed more perfectly than in His scale of values. The quality of our lives are determined by our scale of values.

Character and personality are the result of our choices. One can not be easy-going, a drifter or shifter and also successful and efficient. There is no compromise between a covetous, superficial worldliness, and devout, unselfish service.

The Master put the Kingdom of God and His righteousness first. Nothing good for us is excluded in His program, health, comfort, recreation, money, love, home, friends, but He said seek first the Kingdom and all these other things will be added. The Master was occupied with the things of real value. Our life time is limited at best, but if filled with the trivial and little things from day to day no place will be left for the big things. Too often our lives become a mere round of nothingness. The domestic cares become a rigid system of slavery. Others spend their leisure playing games that lead nowhere.

Some travel on the plane of the low and vulgar. The fire boys and the "Dutch Lunch" is a recent example. This idea of a good time is a very low one and the scale of values is cheap. Public opinion should not permit such a thing to be carried on in this day and time and self respecting church members and city officials should not countenance such conduct. The Master's chief business was to do good, heal the sick and save the souls of men. He came to change the location of men's treasure "For where thy treasure is there will thy heart be also. His demand was to "Put First Things First."

The four-year-old girl baby of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sides was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Sides store at Hatchell about eight o'clock Sunday night. The charred trunk of the little body was recovered from the ruins by the volunteer fire boys from Ballinger aided by citizens of the Hatchell community, and were prepared for burial and the remains were interred in the Ballinger cemetery Monday afternoon at five o'clock.

R. L. Sides has been conducting a dry goods and grocery store at Hatchell for several years. He sold out some time ago, but later engaged in business again, using a two story frame building for his business and for a home. The business was conducted in the lower story and the family occupied the upper story.

The family, composed of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sides and two children, one child age six, and the other nearly four years old, had returned from an auto ride about dark, and about one hour before the fire. The four year old child was asleep when the family returned from the ride and Mrs. Sides carried the baby upstairs and put it to bed and returned down stairs where the other members of the family were. Later the six year old child went up stairs to go to bed, and it was a few minutes after the child went up stairs that the father and mother heard screams and ran up stairs to find the room enveloped in flame, and all possible chances of getting to the baby cut off.

The six year old child had partially undressed when her screams attracted the father and mother, having removed one shot and stocking. The child escaped from the room where it seems the fire originated and fell down the stair steps as the father started up.

Mr. Sides was painfully burned around the hands in an attempt to get his baby, and had narrow escape from burning to death himself. The fire had gained such headway that the building and practically all the contents were soon destroyed, and the heroic work of neighbors only saved a store a few feet away owned by J. R. Brannon.

Besides the Sides store there are two other stores at Hatchell. J. R. Brannon conducts a grocery store, and David Holliday conducts a grocery, dry goods and confectionery store. The building occupied by Mr. Brannon was damaged by fire, but as stated above the building was saved by a bucket brigade that formed on the roof of the burning building. The goods from both the Brannon and Holliday stores were moved out and damaged.

The stock of goods carried by Mr. Sides amounted to about \$2,000, with only \$500 insurance. The building was also owned by Mr. Sides and was valued at about \$1500 and insured for \$900, and \$100 insurance was carried on the fixtures which were estimated to be worth about \$400. The insurance was carried by E. Sheppard & Co., of Ballinger.

The prosperous and peaceful Hatchell community was thrown into sadness over the awful holocaust, and many people gathered to do what they could and to help the unfortunate family in their trouble. Besides the death of their little baby, the financial loss falls heavy on Mr. Sides and we understand that neighbors soon started a subscription list to be used in helping to reimburse the unfortunate man.

### Appreciates Work of Fire Boys.

As a token of their appreciation the citizens of Hatchell presented the Ballinger Volunteer Fire Co., with a purse amounting to \$23.25. A hat as passed around through the crowd after the fire company had recovered the re-

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CUSSING RUMNELS COUNTY ROADS.

It has been said that the man who can travel across Rumnels county and get by without losing some of his religion, has a sure chance to get in touch with St. Peter. The more the travel the worse roads become, and the greater the demand for better roads. Ten days wet weather now would tie things up, and all lines of business would be crippled and the entire county would suffer. The dry weather roads are almost impassable in places and are expensive to any kind of a vehicle to say nothing of the shocks to the nerve of the traveler.

A prominent lady who recently had occasion to go into another county, and who made the trip shortly after the rain and just as the roads began to dry, said she could tell where the county line was by the difference in the roads. In the neighboring county the road drag had been put to work and the roads dragged right up to the county line while in Rumnels county, the roads were permitted to dry in ruts, bumps and clods, and it was like driving over a plowed field to get over them.

Real estate is going higher with the harvest of each crop in this county. In fact the farm land in this county is rapidly increasing in value, and the delay in road building will cost more the longer the work is postponed. There is no question but what the people will rise up some time, open their eyes and get busy, but what worries us is the delay, which is not only expensive, but is depriving the present generation of the advantages of good roads.

Rumnels county is known to be one of the best counties in Texas, and the best county in Central West Texas, but development is being greatly retarded by bad roads. In this day of travel a good public road running by a man's home is worth more than a railroad to him. He derives more benefit from the good road than he would from the line of a grand trunk railroad. A good road puts

him in touch with the conveniences of the city and he has the advantages of a good market, yet is not subject to the expenses of living in the city. Good roads eliminate distance and adds pleasure and profit. Why is the delay?

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SAN ANGELO FAIR OPENS TUESDAY

The San Angelo Fair will be the center of attraction for many people during the remainder of this week, the gates to the fair ground swinging open at nine o'clock Tuesday morning for a five days run. The managers of the fair have announced a very attractive program, with the best line of exhibits ever shown by that fair organization.

Ballinger and Rumnels county will be represented both with exhibits and by a large attendance from this county. Throughout Monday many cars passed through Ballinger en route to Angelo, and the east-bound train was well loaded with fair visitors. Both auto and railroad travel will be heavy for the remainder of the week, and quite a crowd will go from Ballinger daily, a regular jitney line being maintained.

Ballinger will be represented in the exhibit hall by poultry, flowers and dogs, while farmers in different sections of the county have sent shipments of agricultural products and livestock to that city to be exhibit throughout the week.

M. M. McFarland, wife and son, of Alpine, passed thru Ballinger Monday en route to Austin, where they will spend the winter, while their son attends the university. Mr. McFarland is the representative of Brewster county in the next legislature.

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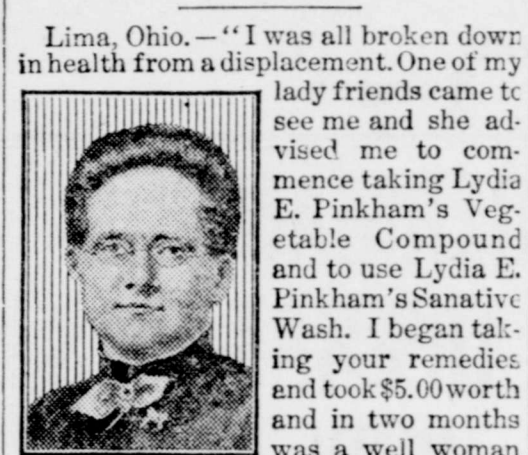
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MAN DOOMED TO DIE DENIED NEW TRIAL

ANSON, Tex., Oct. 30.—District Judge Thomas overruled a motion for a new trial in the case of W. T. Bishop, convicted and given the death penalty for the murder of J. C. Evans, Saturday afternoon. Attorneys Rattikan & Rodgers gave notice of appeal and the defendant was ordered held by the sheriff until the higher court passes upon the trial here.

During the brief proceedings today the defendant maintained his characteristic lack of interest in what was going on around him. He spent most of the time while occupying a seat in front of the judge's stand cleaning his finger nails with a tooth pick.

Bishop was given the death penalty for the murder of J. C. Evans near Sweetwater about two months ago. Bishop and Evans were en route to San Angelo, traveling thru the country together.

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SHOW RECOVERS LOST PROPERTY.

A carnival show passing thru Ballinger en route to San Angelo, where it will do business for the week, lost a gasoline engine just before the train carrying the show reached Ballinger. The gasoline engine is one used for running the ferris wheel, or some other device of the show, and it is presumed that it fell off of the show car while the train was running. The engine was recovered and shipped by express to the show company on Monday's train. The engine proved to be a good one as the fall from the moving train did not break it, and as far as could be seen was not damaged.

H. C. Fletcher returned home Monday at noon from Dallas, where he had been on business the past week.

When in Winters eat at Moor's Cafe. 21-mon sat-1mo-d.

4-Year-Old Child Burns to Death When Hatchel Store is Destroyed

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main of the day, and the Hatchel citizens dropped in liberal contributions. The boys did not expect anything like this and they appreciate fully the amount contributed and the spirit that prompted it. After learning that the store was on fire the fire truck picked up eight or ten of the members of the fire company and made the run to Hatchel in twenty minutes. Of course the building was practically burned down when they arrived, as the fire had gained a good headway before it was discovered, but a string of hose from the fire truck was dropped in a cistern and the fire put out sufficient to enable the recovery of the remains of the child. Two cisterns were pumped dry by the fire truck, and the remains of the child recovered, where if it had not been for the arrival of the fire truck the little remains would have been entirely consumed by the fire, as the building a frame structure, made a very hot fire, and the citizens could only have waited until the fire burned its course. As it was there were only the little trunk of the body, the limbs and head being entirely burned away.

Origin of Fire Unknown

It will probably never be known how the fire started. It was reported that Mrs. Sides left a lamp burning upstairs where she went to put her baby to bed, but she says she does not think she had a light, and did not leave the lamp burning. It is believed that the fire started after the six year old child went upstairs to go to bed as she had partly undressed when she ran from the room and fell down the steps.

Funeral Largely Attended.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the residence of J. S. Thomson, where the remains of the child were carried after being recovered from the ruins of the fire. The pastor of the Christian church at Hatchel conducted the services and a long procession of sorrowing friends followed the little casket to the city cemetery.

How Catarrh is Contracted

Mothers are sometimes so thoughtless as to neglect the colds which their children contract. The inflammation of the mucous membrane, at first acute, becomes chronic and the child has chronic catarrh, a disease that is seldom cured and that may prove a life's burden. Many persons who have this loathsome disease will remember having had frequent colds at the time it was contracted. A little forethought, a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy judiciously used, and all this trouble might have been avoided. Obtainable everywhere.

When in Winters eat at Moor's Cafe. 21-mon sat-1mo-d.

Ernest Graves and Key Williams, of Hatchel, came in Monday to meet Mr. and Mrs. Bates and daughter of Brownwood, who arrived here at noon to attend the funeral of their little grandchild, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sides of Hatchel. The remains were laid to rest in the Ballinger cemetery Monday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eoff of Winters, passed thru Ballinger Saturday afternoon en route to Coleman to visit relatives a few days.

R. O. Walton returned home Saturday from Austin where he had been a witness in court.

Proposed Airline Road to Winters

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ple and we understand will discuss it with the commissioners of the Winters precinct, W. D. Meadows, and we hope to be able in the near future to report something doing.

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J. P. Flynt, who spent Sunday with his family and Ballinger friends, returned to Winters Monday morning, where he is buying cotton.

**Forget Your Aches**  
Stiff knees, aching limbs, lame back, make life a burden. If you suffer from rheumatism, gout, lumbago, neuralgia, get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, the universal remedy for pain. Easy to apply; it penetrates without rubbing and soothes the tender flesh. Cleaner and more effective than musky ointments or poultices. For strains or sprains, sore muscles or wrenched ligaments, resulting from strenuous exercise, Sloan's Liniment gives quick relief. Keep it on hand for emergencies. At your Drug Store, 25c.

Charlie Waldrup of the Winters Crews country, motored over to Ballinger Monday on a short business trip.

We can fix your car cheaper than the other fellow at the Conn Jitney Co. 27-3d1w

**If Going to Winters Go the Quick Way.**  
**BROOKS' AUTO LINE**  
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as we deliver them to you, and, in quantity and quality you will always find our groceries just as they ought to be. We cater to the kind of trade that comes back to us through being satisfied with our service in every particular. We handle only the best and freshest goods and we charge only reasonable prices

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"You Are Not Engaged in Woman's Work, Senora."

**TWELFTH EPISODE**  
**Into the Pit**

**The Hell-Cats.**  
When, if ever, the biography of John Burton, tenth marquis of Castleton, is written, his adventure with the gang of notorious criminals known to the police and to newspaper reporters as the "Hell-cats" will probably bulk large in that interesting and exciting record.

In the first place, it was through their instrumentality that he had met Grace Coe, an event fraught with the utmost significance to his future life; secondly, he contrived to get himself marked down for the gang's signal vengeance, with results which nearly proved disastrous on more than one occasion.

The affair began so quietly that no one could have suspected its extraordinary outcome. One morning John was seated in his study, going through some business papers, when his valet announced that a poor woman wished to see him. Burton at once gave an emphatic refusal. He had learned long since that philanthropy, if it would be reasonably successful, must act along business lines, and all appeals for his assistance were straightway referred to a trustworthy secretary, who either investigated them in person or made inquiries through one of the many charitable associations in the city. By this means the young millionaire was saved, at least, from downright swindling.

The servant was leaving the room when it became evident that the would-be visitor refused to be denied. She had crossed the hall and was striving to enter the study without further announcement.

Moreover, John had heard a soft, well-spoken voice saying tearfully: "I am sure if only Mr. Burton would come and see my mother he would help her. There is no one in all this large city more deserving of assistance."

Bitter experience should have taught Burton that the more plausible the story the greater chance there was that it might be based on deceit. But he never could refuse the appeal of a woman, so, changing his mind, he bade the valet allow the applicant to enter. Yet, some degree of prudence having been forced on him by events, he no sooner saw that the new-comer was young and good-looking than he made a secret sign which warned the servant to remain within earshot.

The girl, who was very poorly dressed, and seemed to be in a state of genuine misery, told him that her name was Blanche Griffin.

the district named by the girl was not far distant, so John decided to accompany her, and, as his car was temporarily out of commission, they went there together on foot.

Now, the valet happened to be an unusually observant man. He was well acquainted with his master's temperament, and regretted the soft-hearted impulses which seemed to lead Mr. Burton into so much trouble. He, the valet, had formed a somewhat unfavorable opinion of Blanche Griffin. Her wretched rags and ready tears did not deceive him at all. He saw that the girl was well nourished, that her hair had been tinted, and that her cheeks bore traces of make-up recently applied.

Further, when his master and the young woman crossed the avenue and turned into a side street, they were followed by a stocky, over-dressed young man who seemed to have been awaiting their appearance.

At any rate, for some reason which the valet himself could hardly explain, this latest escapade of his master's rendered him uneasy. Above all else, he did not like the name of the locality given by the girl as her mother's residence. It was highly improbable that decent working-class people would live there at all.

So, deeming it best to satisfy these vague doubts, he took his hat and followed Burton and Blanche. On turning the first corner he saw them walking about two hundred yards ahead. At an intervening street corner he was surprised to find the flashily dressed man in conversation with a certain Billy Reilly, whom the valet recognized as a reformed criminal now employed in settlement work by a Miss Grace Coe, only daughter of a local banker. The valet, who sympathized with rescue work, had looked in at the settlement once or twice, and had scraped up a sort of acquaintance with Reilly, and he had no hesitation now in approaching him. By the time he drew near, Reilly had parted from his companion and was watching the latter with anxious eyes as the man swung jauntily down the street after Burton and his companion.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

**Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured.**

by local applications, as they can not reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

**BATEMAN RETIRES FROM BUSINESS**

A deal was made several days ago, and which will take effect on Nov. 1st, in which E. V. Bateman retires from the lumber firm of Hardin & Bateman. Mr. Bateman sells his interest both in the Ballinger yard and in the yards at Winters and Bradshaw, to his partner, H. H. Hardin.

Mr. Bateman organized the Ballinger yard several years ago, and has been the active member of the firm here since the partnership was formed. Shortly after putting in the Ballinger yard, a yard was established by Hardin & Bateman at Winters and later a yard was put in by this firm at Bronte and conducted for several years, and subsequently a yard was added at Bradshaw.

Mr. Bateman in retiring from the lumber business declines to say what business he will engage in, but it is rumored that he will take up farm life and try raising cotton, peanuts, pigs, turkeys, and 'taters. He has watched others grow independently rich farming in this county, and why shouldn't he find farm life easy.

When interviewed by a newspaper reporter, Mr. Bateman said, "I don't know what I am going to do, but I am going to stay in Ballinger because my wife says she will not leave here."

The Ballinger yard will be under the management of John Armistead, of Winters, assisted by Otto Whitaker, and J. R. Fielder, of Winters, will be general manager of the three yards.

**HOW APPENDICITIS CAN BE PREVENTED.**

Ballinger people should know that a few doses of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc mixed in Adler-ika, often relieve or prevent appendicitis. This simple mixture removes such surprising foul matter that ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas. A short treatment helps chronic stomach trouble. Adler-ika has easiest and most thorough action of anything we ever sold. The Walker Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Pilcher, of Cisco, who had been visiting his uncle B. W. Pilcher and his brother, Gomer Pilcher and families, left at noon Monday for San Angelo, where they will visit the fair before returning home.

Mrs. A. G. Ellis returned home Sunday night from Dallas, where she had been visiting her daughter the past two weeks and attending the fair.

**Clear Bad Skin from Within**  
Pimply, muddy complexions are due to impurities in the blood. Clear up the skin by taking Dr. King's New Life Pills. Their mild laxative qualities remove the poisons from the system and brighten the eye. A full, free, non-gripping bowel movement in the morning is the reward of a dose of Dr. King's New Life Pills the night before. At your druggist, 25c.

R. G. Ray, the cotton buyer, left Monday for the Plains country, where he will look after cotton business the balance of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rainwater and children, of Crews, passed through Ballinger Monday en route to San Angelo to visit relatives and to attend the fair.

Goodyear Tires for sale at the Conn Jitney Co. 27-3d-1tw

Bates Hoffer, who is with the Radford Grocery Co., of Abilene, came in Sunday to assist in the clerical department of that firm in our city for a few weeks.

E. B. Warmock and family of the Oak Creek country, motored over to Ballinger Monday to do some shipping.

**THE WENDORF BUSY SHOP**—has just received a new line of Winter auto and buggy lap robes. Come and see them. H. L. Wendorf, the Saddle and Harness man. d&w-tf.

Mrs. A. J. Voelkel who was with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Schuhmann of Rowena, returned home Monday at noon from a visit to Dallas.

Buy your gasoline at 18 cents per gallon at the Conn Jitney Co. 27-3d-1tw.

**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 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**  
Bears the Signature of  
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**In Use For Over 30 Years**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

I. C. Browder of the Marie country, and W. L. Patterson of Rowena, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Monday.

Attorney L. B. Harris of San Angelo, was looking after legal business in Ballinger Monday.

Tickling in the throat, hoarseness loss of voice, indicate the need of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It eases the lungs, quiets the cough and restores health in the bronchial tubes. Prices 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

Only 18 cents per gallon for the best gasoline from the best Bowser tank made, at the Conn Jitney Co. 27-3d-1tw

Mrs. Jack Guy and little daughter of Talpa, after a few days visit to relatives and Ballinger friends, returned home Monday.

**Have Your Suit Cleaned and Pressed**  
—The Sanitary Way  
—The Hoffman Way  
**SCOTCH WOOLEN MILLS**  
Hutchins Avenue  
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We will handle checks on any bank in Ballinger or other points.

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

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

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**Friends!**

Wrigley's is a constant friend to teeth, breath, appetite and digestion.

The refreshment and comfort of this toothsome, long-lasting confection is within the reach of everybody.

Its benefits are many — its cost small. That's why it's used around the world. Nothing else can take its place.

Chew it after every meal



Write Wrigley's 1644 Kesner Building, Chicago for the funny Spearmint Gum-ption book. 644

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hambright, of the Norton country, were shopping in Ballinger Saturday afternoon.

5 gallons gasoline for 90 cents at the Conn Jitney Co. 27-3d-1w

Ed Spill of Brownwood, came in

Saturday night to visit home folks and Ballinger friends over Sunday.

The Best Bowser tank made just received at the Conn Jitney Co. Gas only 18 cents per gallon. 27-3d-1w

## Chinese Sacred Lilly Bulbs

15c each, 2 for 25c. \$1.50 per Dozen.

Daffodils, Tulips and those big pretty Hyacinths now ready.

Ask for our fall and winter catalogue.

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with us you will find our service such that you will not do without it in the future.

Why not avail yourself of the best service. We invite you to do so now.

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to the business man seeking aid or advice at this bank. Our financial knowledge is at his service. Our ample resources are at his service also for legitimate purposes which a bank is permitted to finance. If you need a loan or desire to consult with us upon some financial point we shall be glad to see you.

The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co. Ballinger, Texas

## ABILENE HIGH 52; BALLINGER HIGH 6

(Abilene Reporter)

It was an easy time Abilene High had with Ballinger High at Fair Park Saturday afternoon and the locals annexed another football scalp to their list to the tune of 52 to 6. The game, although listless toward the end, is significant in the fact that the Abilene High was scored on for the first time this season.

A crowd of about 400 people saw the game. There was considerable enthusiasm at the start but toward the conclusion of the fray, there was hardly a sound.

The game was featured by long gains on both sides, Ballinger being proficient in this one time, and Abilene several times. There was also a good amount of punting throughout the battle, and the open style of football was worked to good account.

The line-ups: Ballinger: right end, Gregory; left end O'Kelly; right tackle, Lowrey; left tackle E. Clampitt; right guard Sisson; left guard Maek; center Chastain; right half Henderson; left half, McKinzey; full back Kirk; quarterback Lankford; substitutes: Miller, Tuckey, McWilliams, Ray Clampitt.

Abilene: left end, Jacobs; right end Holly; left tackle Anderson; left guard Dudley; center Hamilton; right guard Williams; right tackle Stephens, Goss, Pitzer, McDaniel; quarterback Couch; right half Willis; left half Cranfill; full back Goodnight. Officials: referee Mark Thomas. Head linesman, Dick Payne.

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Lestest Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy your Diamond Brand Pills, for 25 cents a box at Best, Sells, & Sons, Ballinger, Texas. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Judge Rice and District Attorney Walter Early, of Brownwood, who had been here to conduct the trial of negro Charley Ellis, left Saturday afternoon for home. They will return here next Saturday to hear a motion for a new trial.

When the chest feels on fire and the throat burns, you have indigestion, and you need *Herbine* to get rid of the disagreeable feeling. It drives out badly digested food, strengthens the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

C. W. Northington left Saturday for San Antonio and other points in South Texas, on important land business, and will spend the next week in that section.

F. W. Wilde and son of the Oilfin country, passed thru Ballinger Saturday afternoon en route to Colorado county, to visit his father and friends a week or two.

All you who have torpid liver, weak digestion or constipated bowels look out for chills. The season is here and the air is full of the disease germs. The best thing to do is to get your liver in good condition and purify the stomach and bowels. *Herbine* is the right remedy, it answers the purpose completely. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

W. D. Hightower of the Spring Hill neighborhood, passed thru route to Waxahachie on a short visit and business trip combined.

C. C. Robason of Benoit, was transacting business in Ballinger Saturday afternoon.

The best lube oil only 58 cents per gallon at the Conn Jitney Co. 27-3d-1w.

Arno Schawe came in from the east Sunday to visit home folks and Ballinger friends a week or so and has as his guest, O. A. Graser of St. Louis.

## ONLY ONE AMENDMENT ON ELECTION TICKET

To the Voters of Texas:

The constitutional amendment to be voted upon by the people on the seventh of November is distinctly an educational amendment and is the only amendment to be considered at that time. One leading feature of the amendment is that it does not impose a tax of itself but if adopted will give the various districts and counties of the State an opportunity to secure additional support for their schools if they need it and want it.

The amendment was submitted to the people of Texas in response to a widespread demand throughout the state for an opportunity to secure greater support for the schools than is now permitted by the Constitution of the State. Many districts in Texas have already reached the constitutional limit in taxation and are yet short of funds with which to provide an adequate system of public free schools. Inasmuch as the amendment does not levy a tax on any district or county, the voters of such counties and districts as may not need additional support should in good neighborly spirit vote for the amendment, for by so doing they will give the needy districts of Texas an opportunity to establish good schools for their children.

Four hundred sixty-seven independent school districts, and approximately two thousand common school districts in the State have already voted upon their selves the limit in taxation permitted by the present Constitution. Many of these districts need additional support and cannot secure another dollar for their schools unless this amendment is adopted. On account of the compulsory school attendance law many schools in these districts are now filled to overflowing with pupils for whom there is no provision for housing, seating, or teaching. The only relief for such districts is the adoption of the amendment to Section 3, Article 7, of the State Constitution, known as House Joint Resolution 30, to be voted on the seventh of next month.

Yours for the schools,  
W. F. DOUGHTY,  
State Superintendent.

## 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.

## Notice

This is to notify our patrons and the public that I will have to raise my price on milk. Instead of 25 and 40 cents per gallon, it will be 35 and 50 cents per gallon, due to the high price of feed. These prices will be effective Nov. 1st, 1916.

W. F. JACKSON,  
30-2d Prop. Jackson Dairy.

## For a Muddy Complexion.

Take Chamberlain's Tablets and adopt a diet of vegetables and cereals. Take outdoor exercise daily and your complexion will be greatly improved within a few months. Try it. Obtainable everywhere.

## Changes Location

I have changed my location from the D. Reeder store to the Walker Drug Co., at which please phone orders for my delivery wagon in the future.

30-3d T. J. STARKEY.

We want your automobile business at the Conn Jitney Co. 27-3d-1w.

## When You Take Cold

With the average man a cold is a serious matter and should not be trifled with, as some of the most dangerous diseases start with a common cold. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of your cold as quickly as possible. You are not experimenting when you use this remedy, as it has been in use for many years and has an established reputation. It contains no opium or other narcotic. Obtainable everywhere.



## Lower Cost of Living

"Three cents (3c) worth of coal heats our house over night and cooks our breakfast with

## COLE'S PATENTED High Oven Range

"We save the big gas bill of the old gas stove. We save the big coal bill of the old heating stove."

Both these large fuel bills are unnecessary by using the convenient, modern, fuel-saving Cole's High Oven. It combines in one the work of the best modern range and best modern heater.

You can afford to put one in your home today. The fuel saved buys the range.

If you want big returns for your money—here's a sure way to get it.

See the name "Cole's" on the oven door—none genuine without it

Higginbotham-Currie Williams Co.



W. E. Chambers left Saturday afternoon for Santa Anna to visit relatives and friends a few days.

## GOT CUSSSED OUT

Others got cussed out, but he took Ross' "Dead Quick" Spray and "vowed" it was the only thing that could be depended upon to kill bedbugs, ants, fleas, mites, vegetable and plant insects. Don't be deceived, but get the genuine bug killer. Sold in Ballinger by the Walker Drug Co.

W. W. Wiygle of the Hatchel country, Joe M. Thomas of the Valley creek country, and J. Ed Gentry of the Marie country, were among business visitors to Ballinger Saturday.

If your child starts in its sleep, grinding its teeth while sleeping, picks at the nose, has a bad breath, fickle appetite, pale complexion, and dark rings under the eyes; it has worms, and as long as they remain in the intestines, that child will be sickly. White's Cream Vermifuge clears out the worms, strengthens the stomach and bowels and puts the little one on the road to health and cheerfulness. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

You can buy Best Gasoline from the Best Bowser Tank at 18 cents per gallon at the Conn Jitney Co. 27-3d-1w

Mesdames J. D. Robinson and Georgia Landers of the Higginbotham-Currie-Williams Co., left Saturday afternoon for Dallas to attend the closing days of the State Fair.

## Hallowe'en Tea.

The Ladies of the First Presbyterian church will give a tea at the home of Mrs. Jno. I. Guion, Oct. 31st from 3 to 8 o'clock p. m. Everybody cordially invited. 24-tues-sat-mon-d.

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