

BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

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BALLINGER, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1920.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

Let's Go Fishing!

But first, let's see the Pearce Drug Store show window.

All kinds of hooks, lines, seines, jointed poles, minnow buckets and "every thing."

**J. Y. Pearce
Drug Co.**

AIRPLANES MAKE A SHORT STOP HERE

Two airplanes, flying East, made a fifteen minute stop at Ballinger Wednesday afternoon. The planes came in from the West arriving with the East bound train, circled the city and landed West of town, where they made adjustments on their planes and left immediately for the East. There were two men in each plane. Just an occurrence which is becoming more common and which hardly attracts attention.

Ben Guin was down from Winters Wednesday, attending to business for the Winters oil mill.

The Odor of 26 Flowers

Jonteel

Cold Cream
Combination Cream
Face Powder
Toilet Water

Also Rouge and Lip Stick Only at

**Weeks
Drug Store**
Phones 12 and 13

MAY USE RANGERS TO HOLD LAND

AUSTIN, March 11.—Governor Hobby and Adjutant General Cope were in conference today for the purpose of deciding whether Texas rangers should maintain possession of the disputed territory in the Red River valley, following the decision of Federal Judge Yoemans, of Enid, Okla. The federal judge ruled that the property in dispute is owned by Oklahoma. It is probable that Texas will refuse to give it up and rangers will remain on the job.

REWARD GOES TO CHARITY COMMITTEE

A reward of \$5 offered for the recovery of a lost grip, goes to the Charity Committee. Phil Leavison, a traveling man, lost his grip between Miles and Ballinger and advertised in The Ledger for the grip, offering \$5 reward. R. L. Harwell brought the grip to The Ledger office Thursday morning, and instructed that the reward be paid to C. R. Cress, treasurer of the local Charity Committee and the order will be carried out.

MOTHER DIES AT BAIRD

Jarrett's barber shop is closed on account of the death of Mr. Jarrett's mother, which occurred at Baird. Mr. Jarrett went to Baird Wednesday to attend the funeral of his mother.

J. B. Bass, of Norton, was in the city Thursday. Mr. Bass reports that considerable grain was planted in the Norton country after the rains let up so the farmers could get in the fields, and that the young grain would profit by a good rain now.

Mrs. Ed Eason of Winters, was in Ballinger Thursday, spending a short time with friends and looking after business.

Judge C. O. Harris of San Angelo, was among the visiting attorneys here for district court this week.

Mrs. J. D. Robinson, who has been with Higginbotham Bros. & Co. here for some time, left for Dallas Thursday afternoon.

Use Ledger Classifieds.

WOMEN WORK FOR A BARE LIVING.

AUSTIN, March 11.—The average salary of women and minors in Texas mercantile establishments, telephone exchanges, laundries and factories, is between 12 and 13 dollars weekly, according to the figures of the Industrial Welfare Commission gathered in its recent hearings. According to statements of the employees, the average living costs for workers without dependents is between \$13 and \$14 weekly.

Reports from employes covering 13,500 included only women and children under fifteen years of age, and will be used as a basis for setting a minimum wage for women and children in the four industries named. So few children are in these industries that the figures virtually apply to women workers exclusively.

CLEVELAND LIGHT SIX MAKES NEW RECORD

With its fan belt removed and its water pump rendered inoperative a Cleveland Light Six touring car carrying four persons has been successfully driven up Mt. Hamilton, in Northern California, according to a report received by Higginbotham Bros. & Co., local Cleveland distributors.

The trip up the mountain, on which the Lick observatory is located, is one hundred and fifty miles. During the ride the car was not stopped to "cool off" nor was it otherwise spared. The party of four members of the Peacock Motor Sales Company, San Francisco, Cleveland distributor, left Oakland at 8:45 a. m., and reached the Lick observatory at 12:00 o'clock. The party stopped for lunch and completed the trip to Oakland at 5:10 in the evening.

Stanley D. Lewin, of San Francisco, acted as observer and at the end of the trip made an affidavit describing the remarkably successful radiation test without fan belt or water pump.

The car was stock and no adjustments were made beyond the removal of the fan belt, and the operation which rendered the water pump useless.

Royal Arch Masons Attention

Regular meeting of Ballinger Chapter will be held in Hall Friday night, 7:30, March 12th.

It is very important to have a full attendance at this meeting, and every member is urgently requested to be present.

By order of H. P. Attest: J. McGREGOR, Sec. 11-2td.

J. B. Riggs, of the Wingate country, spent a couple of days here this week.

COAL MINE WAGE COMMITTEE REPORT

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The coal commission, named by President Wilson some time ago, to effect a settlement in the mine wage controversy, forwarded a part of its report to the White House today.

John P. White miners' representative, did not sign the report, and announced that he would make a minority report. This indicates that the report will not be altogether favorable to the miners.

SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS.

Miss Ida Ray Cockrell, who has been in Tulsa, Oklahoma, for some time, came in Wednesday to spend awhile with home folks.

Miss Maydell Rushing, who is teaching school at Victory, came home and spent Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. N. Tindall, accompanied by her mother and daughter, visited in San Angelo a few days last week.

H. C. Grady and wife, of Ballinger, visited Mrs. Grady's mother, Mrs. T. O. Brown, a few days returning home Monday.

Luther Watson, who is teaching school at Poe, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

FIRE ALARM AT MID-NIGHT ALL FALSE.

There was no fire Wednesday night and the alarm turned in was all false, we are glad to say. Most of the fire alarms in Ballinger for the last year or more have been false and we are profiting in a reduction in insurance rates.

Smoke coming from the flu in the Gustavus grocery store about midnight Wednesday night caused some one to think the building was on fire. It seems that fire in the stove which had not burned out during the day, was sending up an unusual column of smoke for such a late hour and the alarm was turned in.

The fire company responded, but no fire was found, and the excitement was all for naught.

B. W. Smith, wife, two sons and daughter-in-law, left for their home in Wyoming Wednesday afternoon, after making Ballinger their home for several months. The family had been occupying rooms at the Ward home on 8th Street, while Mr. Smith and sons had been interested in oil work here, being employed on the Lacy well. They made friends here, who regretted to see them leave.

Mrs. W. C. Penn, left for Denton, Wednesday afternoon, where she will visit Mrs. Parks and will go from there to Jermy, to visit Mrs. Harold Tucker, daughter of Mr. Penn.

SPRING HILL SCHOOL GETS MORE STATE AID

The state inspector for the department of education, who was here a few days ago and approved application for aid from many of the rural schools of this county, cut the amount asked for by the Spring Hill school down to \$200. This was a disappointment to the trustees of the Spring Hill school, and accompanied by County Superintendent Bugg, J. P. Dean, one of the trustees, followed the inspector to San Angelo, where they prevailed upon him to increase the aid, and the amount was doubled. The Spring Hill school will now get \$400 instead of \$200. Mr. Dean stated that the school would be made a two teacher school next year and a fifty cent school tax voted to make improvements and finance the school.

CONVICT COMING BACK HERE FOR TRIAL

Dave Henry, who was convicted here at the last term of court and sent to the pen for two years for stealing an auto, will be brought back from the pen at Huntsville, and tried for burning the local jail.

An indictment has been returned against Henry, and it is expected that he will be tried at the present term of court. B. W. Pilcher left for Huntsville Thursday afternoon and will return here Sunday or Monday with the prisoner.

It will be remembered that Henry and a half dozen other prisoners came near losing their lives in the fire which destroyed the top of the jail, and it later developed that charges would be made against the men for setting the prison on fire. Henry is charged with the offense.

It is alleged that Henry set the jail on fire and the prisoners had planned to make a break for liberty when the jailor's wife came to rescue them from the burning building. The jailor was out of town at the time and the prisoners knew this. The scheme did not work, and the jailor's wife let them remain in jail until help arrived when they turned in the alarm and cried out that they were burning to death.

If the man is convicted, this will add to his prison term, and he will be returned to the pen to serve two terms instead of one.

Surgeons agree that in cases of cuts, burns, bruises, and wounds, the FIRST TREATMENT is most important. When an Efficient antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection, and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the ideal antiseptic and healing agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by John A. Weeks.

Dr. F. M. Hale went to Victoria Wednesday afternoon, to visit his son Louis, who was reported to be ill.

SLAYER OF WHITE GIRL CONFESSES

EDDYVILLE, Kentucky, Mar. 11.—Petrie Kimbrough, alias Will Lockett, negro, was electrocuted here today for the murder of Geneva Hardman, a white school girl.

Two brothers and two uncles of the murdered girl witnessed the execution.

During Lockett's trial at Lexington, Ky., six men were killed while trying to lynch the negro. He admitted at the trial that he killed the girl, and while being held in the death cell, he confessed to the jailors that he had killed four white women within the last ten years.

INSANE WOMAN IS CARRIED TO RUSK

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pilcher left for Rusk Thursday afternoon, where they go to place Miss Riggs in the asylum at that place. The lady was declared to be insane by the insanity court Wednesday.

Mr. Pilcher will return via Huntsville, and bring Dave Henry back to Ballinger to face trial for burning the county jail. The man is now serving a term for stealing an auto.

JACK PICKFORD COMING IN OLD SCHOOL DAYS TALE.

Member the days of the old swimmin' hole above the dam, and the days of the rag doll and the school boy and girl loves! Jack Pickford in "In Wrong" is coming here at the Queen Theatre Friday, matinee and night, and he'll carry you back to "them good old days."

Did your mother ever "lick" you when you knew you were "grewed up" and could swing on the gate with your best girl? Which doll did you love most Sally? Of course it was the old rag doll that you cherished for years. Was everyone pickin' on you when you were a boy? You know it, and you'll enjoy the pathos and humor in "In Wrong."

"In Wrong" is a comedy of small town life, written by that master of technique, James Kirkwood, the man who made Mary Pickford famous, and who is putting her brother Jack over. Kirkwood also directed this lively little story, injecting just the right amount of pathos and humor to every foot of the celluloid. Like it?—course you will!

We are glad to report that Jno. A. Weeks, who underwent a serious operation in the Halley & Love sanitarium, Monday, is getting along nicely.

We Put Pep in Your Car!

Tire Trouble---Battery Trouble---Radiator Trouble

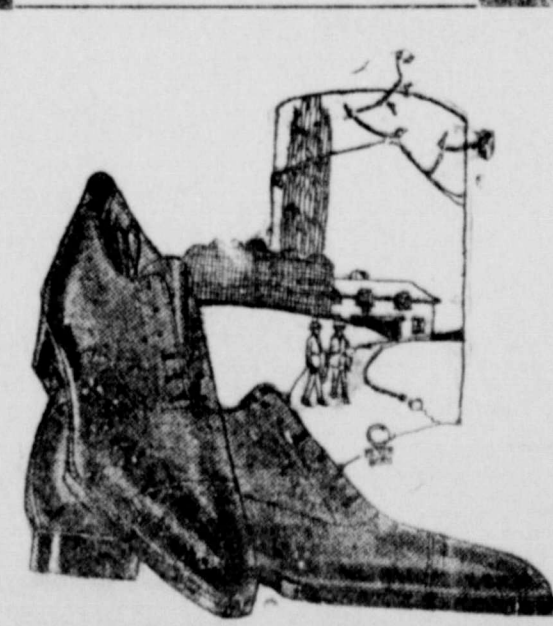


should be corrected at once. Delay only piles up more trouble and greater expense. Bring your car to us at the first sign. We will put it in first-class condition and fill it full of pep. Don't delay. A small job at the beginning of trouble is less expensive than a larger one later on.

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Just What You'll Need for
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Now is the time to get "your fit." We'll make your feet feel good and "tickle" your pocketbook.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Candidates for Public Offices.
The following candidates have announced for nomination for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held on Saturday, July 31, 1920:

- For Tax Collector:**
W. L. BROWN
- For County Superintendent:**
JOHN J. BUGG
- For Tax Assessor:**
J. R. HOLLOWAY
M. D. CHASTAIN
- For District Clerk:**
C. C. COCKRELL
- For County Clerk:**
W. R. PUCKETT
- For Sheriff:**
J. P. (JIM) FLYNT
- For County Judge:**
J. W. POWELL
- For Treasurer:**
MRS. R. P. KIRK
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:**
R. J. DEENS

When people crawl out of their winter den, they should clean up and be healthy through the summer.

The rain seems to have disappeared, but we have the rough roads to contend with, that it did rain in this country not so very long ago.

Take the dollar out of a proposition at, most of us have interest in it, the man who does not make an effort to give value received is not the man who makes the world a better place to live. All selfishness is all loss.

Bailey's bunch is in Dallas today lining up for the political franchise which promises to be the warmest in Texas politics for many years. Perhaps Bailey will have something more to say why he declined to accept Thomason's challenge.

The man who knocks his town, when things go wrong is not the man who makes the best citizen. Natural resources are great assets, but natural resources in the hands of knoekers, will not make any town.

CLASS ADOPTS UNIFORM GRADUATING DRESS
The girls of the graduating class of the Ballinger high school have adopted a uniform dress, and we understand that the dress is to be a simple one and not expensive. The young ladies are to be congratulated for adopting this plan. Sometimes, graduating exercises are made more of a dressing contest, and the member of the class who is not able to dress like her class mates is made to feel somewhat embarrassed.

Do you have spells of dizziness when everything turns black before the eyes? These are symptoms of torpid liver and a clogged condition of the bowels. Take Prickly Ash Bitter, and get rid of the misery. It is a man's remedy for correcting such disorders. Price \$1.25 per bottle. J. J. A. Weeks, special agent.

Gus Hartgrove was here from San Angelo Thursday.

BLISS NATIVE OIL

THE FAMILY AND FARM LINIMENT
Inclement weather sometimes brings a twitching pain in the Chest, Neck, arms or other exposed or tender part of the body, which remains for days or weeks. Just as soon as you feel these pains, rub Bliss Native Oil into the parts affected. Relief will quickly follow: blood circulation will be stimulated, and pains and aches will rapidly disappear.
Sprains, Strains, Sore Muscles and Rheumatic Pains yield to BLISS NATIVE OIL.
Made by the Alonzo O. Bliss Medical Company, Washington, D. C.
Price 50c and 25c per bottle.

Health About Gone

Many thousands of women suffering from womanly trouble, have been benefited by the use of Cardui, the woman's tonic, according to letters we receive, similar to this one from Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I could not stand on my feet, and just suffered terribly," she says. "As my suffering was so great, and he had tried other remedies, Dr. _____ had us get Cardui. . . I began improving, and it cured me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me, for my nerves and health were about gone."

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

She writes further: "I am in splendid health . . . can do my work. I feel I owe it to Cardui, for I was in dreadful condition." If you are nervous, run-down and weak, or suffer from headache, backache, etc., every month, try Cardui. Thousands of women praise this medicine for the good it has done them, and many physicians who have used Cardui successfully with their women patients, for years, endorse this medicine. Think what it means to be in splendid health, like Mrs. Spell. Give Cardui a trial.

All Druggists

A TRIBUTE TO MOTHER LOVE
Hon. I. W. Calo, candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Texas in a recent talk had occasion to pay a tribute to Mother Love, and he told the following pretty story:
"She was an old black mammy, boys, her face would have made a wash kettle look as white as a China jar and her hair had all the characteristic kinks of the race she represented. I saw her sitting under a service flag that was decorated with a star of gold; the tears were running down her fat cheeks and she wiped them away with a big clean apron she wore."

"Washington am dead" she muttered, "they done and send me word four days ago. He war a comin home but the 'fluenza' hit got him an' now my pore chile, my soldier, I don't get to see him no more. I'se got him a pie done"



Easter Sunday April 4th

You will surely want to look your best on this the foremost of dress occasions. Why not a

Royal Tailored Suit

a perfect fit is guaranteed. Hundreds of beautiful samples to choose from at prices that are reasonable. Look for the TIGERS.

SOUTHSIDE TAILORING COMPANY

31 BRIDGEMAN BUILDING, NEXT DOOR TO MURPHY'S CAFE, PHONE DELIVERY

cooked with his ole black mammy's hans. But he wout nebber, nebber 'joy it. He war jes' a nigger and maybe some folks dey would call him good fer nuffin', but Wash he were kind to me an then he wuz my own baby chile a long time fore his daddy Moze die, an' I jes love him wif all my heart."

"That's a mother, white or black or brown or yellow; that's a mother, at the Indian's straw thatched adobe down in the wilds of Mexico, the same as in the center of American culture and refinement. That's a mother, where the wild-wood cottage stands only half-defying the elements, or where marble walks shut in a king. Her's is a love that speaks the language of all humanity, a love that is as fadeless as the stars, a love reaching from the highest pinnacles of fame down to where depravity has found its lowest level."

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than in all other diseases put together and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine manufactured by J. F. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by druggist, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Dr. Boon, of Paint Rock, was a visitor to the city Thursday.

The Rome Tribune speaks of "the positively amazing administrative efficiency of both Lenin and Trotsky."

GLYCERINE MIXTURE PREVENTS APPENDICITIS

Simple glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika, removes all foul, accumulated poisonous matter from BOTH upper and lower bowel and prevents appendicitis. Relieves Any Case gas on stomach or constipation. The INSTANT pleasant action of Adler-ika surprises both doctors and patients. A business man reports great benefit in a long standing case of indigestion and sour stomach. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

CITY TO ENFORCE SANITARY LAWS.

The city commission will take steps to enforce the sanitary laws of this city, according to a statement made by one of the city officials to The Ledger, following a meeting of the civic league Wednesday afternoon.

The ordinance governing certain sanitary conditions will be enforced, or the ordinance will be declared off and the city turned loose to live in filth and breed disease, and the latter is hardly probable.

The city commission went into session this afternoon to discuss this and the other problems which are confronting the city at this time. The sanitary ordinance and the street working ordinance are two important laws of the city, and both have been held constitutional and the city authorities have power to enforce them.

Some people comply with the sanitary laws because it is right, and they realize the importance of good health, while other citizens are indifferent, careless and seem to have no consideration for the health of the community. It is for the latter class the law was made, and it should be rigidly enforced.

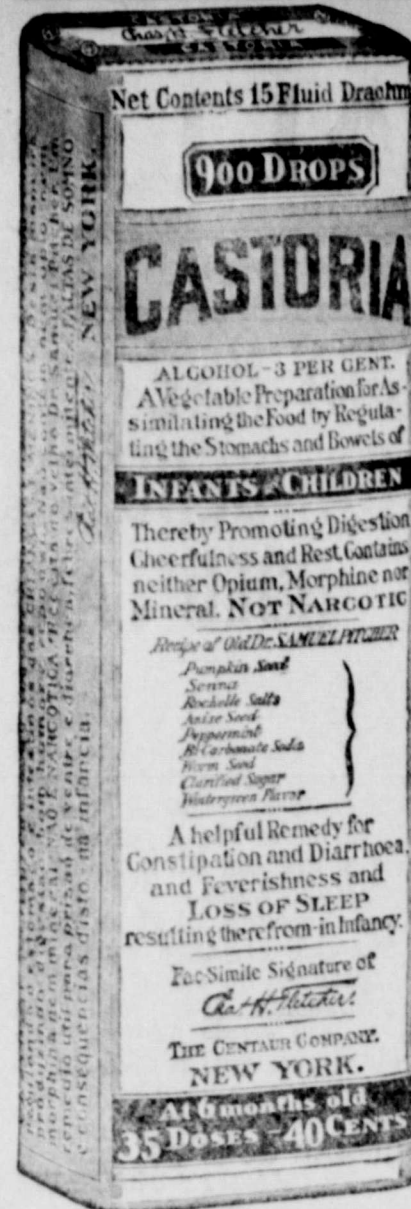
The same rule applies to the street working ordinance. Many citizens have paid their street tax, while some have not. It is not just to accept the street money from the man who pays willingly, and permit the other fellow to dodge. The law has been held valid, and should be enforced or scratched off the city's statutes.

These are problems which the city commission will thrash out at its meeting this afternoon.

Even the illiterate natives of Egypt have become millionaires in amazing numbers because of the boom in cotton.

After a lapse of 148 years, Poland has again become a "sea nation," having recovered the port of Putzig.

Pastries and cakes may be baked and sold only two days a week in France owing to the flour shortage.



CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria

Always Bears the Signature of

In Use For Over Thirty Years **CASTORIA**

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

The man with an income of \$2,000 a year receives just \$870 in value of the standard of 1913.

A pain in the side or back that catches you when you straighten up calls for a rubbing application of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It relaxes the contracted muscles and permits ordinary bodily motion without suffering or inconvenience. Sold by John A. Weeks.

Flame-throwers were used on New York snow drifts in an experiment for quick snow removal but were not very successful.

John Shell, who was rejected as a soldier in the Civil War—because he was then 72 years old—was still alive and active when the census man called on him the other day.

Use Ledger Classifieds.

New Shoe Shop

I have just installed the latest and newest equipment for repairing and finishing shoe work of all kinds. Besides my experience as a shoe repairman I offer you the experience of others in the latest machines available. Come in and look it over. Located in Wilke building opposite Santa Fe passenger station.

W. G. Drennan



Make your Home Attractive by its Lights
It Won't Cost much and helps the looks of any home.

Now that the school year is open and your children are studying at night, don't let them ruin their eyes studying by a poor light. A MADZA lamp gives you more and is smooth and restful to the eyes.

Ballinger Electric Light, Power & Ice Company

The open season for **WINDSTORMS** is about here. Wise is that man who has a storm cellar to cover himself and one of our **Tornado and Windstorm Policies** to cover his house. Let us figure with you.

Ballinger Insurance Agency

Phone 30

"Estes Lynn's Agency"

Hall Hardware Building

Resolutions of Respect
Whereas, the grim reaper, Death, has again visited our Camp, and laid claim to one of our beloved sovereigns, John Lewis Milliken, and Whereas, our Camp deeply feels the loss of his pleasant fellowship and ever ready hand in aiding the needy and distressed,

whenever and wherever he was called upon.
Now, therefore, Be it resolved by Ballinger Camp No. 363 W. O. W. that we extend to his wife and little son, and to the father and mother and other bereaved

relatives of Sovereign Milliken, our sincere sympathy in this sad hour of their lives, assuring them of our readiness at all times to do for them as we believe Sovereign Milliken would have been ready to do for our loved ones, and at the same time deeply feeling the loss of a good strong member from the Forest of Woodcraft, but as the Almighty has so willed, let us not question, but ever look to him for help and Divine guidance.

And, be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family of Sovereign Milliken, a copy to The Ledger for publication and a copy spread upon the minutes of our Camp. Respectfully submitted:

J. F. LUSK,
R. E. WILLINGHAM,
J. R. HOLLOWAY,
d&w Committee.

If the bowels are clogged up poisons get into the blood, causing loss of strength, skin eruption, dizziness, and vertigo (blind staggers). Prickly Ash Bitters will open the bowels, drive out the impurities and restore your strength, energy and cheerful spirits. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

STANDING OF VOTE IN FAVORITE CONTEST

Following is the standing of the candidates in the contest to elect six "Favorites," whose pictures will be printed in the rural school annual. Votes are received on a basis of one cent for each vote and the money raised in this way will defray the expenses of printing the annual:

- Miss Lela Baron 2550 (Rowena)
- Miss Claudia Reagan .. 2500 (Hatchel)
- Miss Velma Pruitt 1300 (Sweet Home)
- Miss Hildeg'd. Henniger 1008 (Dale school)
- Miss Alma Tyree 866 (Barnett)
- Miss Lorene Johnston ... 850 (Dietz)
- Miss Lillie Aldridge ... 710 (Content)
- Miss Zella Mills 600 (Victory)
- Miss June Cumby 550 (Elna Creek)
- Miss Luella Robertson .. 400 (Mazeland)
- Miss Winona Moore 350 (Harmony)
- Miss Marion Patterson .. 310 (Drasco)
- Miss Myrtle Bowden ... 300 (Maverick)
- Miss Irma Chapman ... 275 (Coelran)
- Miss Eula Vinyard 225 (Lone Star school)
- Miss Alma Davis 220 (Stone school)

A TEXAS MOTHER'S EXPERIENCE

Houston, Texas:—"After the advent of one of my babies, my health became very poor. I was nervous and so weak I could not do anything, could not eat or sleep and was nothing short of a physical wreck when a friend advised me to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I took several bottles but it was well worth it for it completely restored me to good health. My



advice to women who suffer is to give 'Favorite Prescription' a trial, it will surely help them."—Mrs. E. L. Browns, 2414 Freeman St.

San Antonio, Texas:—"After a serious illness, when my strength seemed as though it would not come back to me, I decided to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic. I had seen it advertised and recommended so highly that I felt I could not go far astray. This medicine did all for me that could be desired. It restored me to perfect health and strength in a comparatively short time and I am just as strong and well as can be. 'Favorite Prescription' is a splendid tonic and builder for women and it is a pleasure to me to recommend it."—Mrs. HETTIE McLANE, 308 Bowie St.

Houston, Texas:—"When I had become all run-down, weak and nervous and was feeling miserable all the time I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It was only necessary for me to take two bottles to build me up in health and strength. 'Favorite Prescription' is an excellent tonic for women."—Mrs. F. E. Govee, 2615 N. Main.

F. Roper, of Norton, was in Ballinger on business Thursday.

"The New Poor" is a term invented to describe the classes, who, before the war were able to get along comfortably, but are now under strain.

A TEXAS WONDER
for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, weak and lame back, rheumatism, and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder. If not sold by your druggist, by mail \$1.25 small bottle, often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis Mo. Sold by druggists.

There are thousands of wild horses near the Utah-Nevada line. They draw off domesticated horses to their company and tear down range fences.

The peanut is "pindar" in India and "goober" in Africa.

William de Morgan made a world reputation as a novelist after he was 60, and in the last months of his life busied himself with a submarine detector.

PROMPT SERVICE
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* MISS MAGGIE SHARP *
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Bicycle Repairing a Specialty.
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SECONDE HAND STORE

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Toys that were popular during the war have been gathered into a permanent collection at the Smithsonian Institute.

Apply a cotton cloth wet with Ballard's Snow Liment to all wounds, cuts, burns, sores or blisters, and note its wonderful healing power. It is prompt and very effective. Sold by John A. Weeks.

Ledger classifieds bring results.



"DON'T BLAME THE BOY"
His poor reports at school, his tendency to be irritable or quick-tempered, or his lack of interest or inattention may be the results of poor vision. Imperfect eyesight causes a multitude of nervous disorders in children. Have his eyes examined (refracted) by our Registered Optometrist. Glasses prescribed only when examination shows their need.

DR. MCGUIRE
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Monday's and Saturday's
Sunday by Appointment Only

We Make a Study of Our Individual Customers---What They Like and What They Don't Like.

The result is that after being a Stubbs customer for a while you'll be surprised at the ease with which you can place your morning order and the confidence you will have that you will receive the exact goods that you have been accustomed to using.

In other words what you receive is—SERVICE.

L. B. Stubbs

Phones 93 and 94

Bread is Your Best Food--- Eat More of It

The use of pure, wholesome ingredients make our Bread so delicious that the children will eat it in preference to other food. Our flours are carefully selected and only standardized grades are used, which assures perfect uniformity in our Bread.

Try a loaf today, and you will become a regular customer.

W. V. Connelly

WELCOME

That's it exactly! We extend to you a Hearty Welcome to pay us a visit and inspect the Greatest Value Giving tailoring line that ever came to these parts.

You men, of the most critical and exacting tastes, who consider carefully what you are getting for your money before you spend it, will appreciate the smart fashions, new fabrics in great variety, and the extreme values to be found in our Spring and Summer lines.

Cleaning and Pressing.

Dundee Woolen Mills

J. L. Hardin and J. E. McKown, Proprietors
PHONE 56.

THEY ALL COME FROM THE FARM

The milk and cream, and butter, and eggs which form a part of our daily food. Our creamery handles only the best of these farm products, and if you will leave your order with us you need never give another thought as to the freshness of what we send you.

JACKSON DAIRY

The Way She Judges You is very much the same as you judge her.

When a man sees a woman—or a woman sees a man—or the whole wide world sees either—the first impression is largely a matter of clothes. A

"Royal Tailored Suit"

gives the right impression—made to your order, up-to-the-minute in style \$25 to \$75.

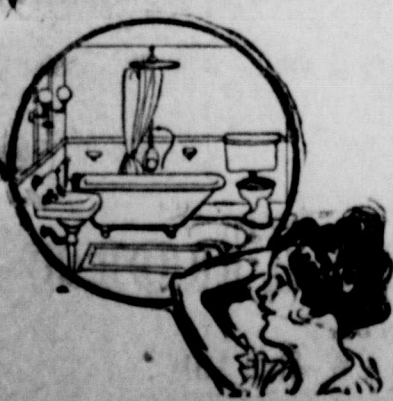
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Southside Tailoring Co.

Next Door to Hopper's Cafe

V. Weinberg, Mgr.

Ford Delivery



SURPRISE YOUR WIFE

by ordering us to transform your old bathroom into a handsomely equipped, modern sanitary lavatory and toilet. Your reward will come in her delight and also in the sure elimination of the risk of illness always attending an unsanitary bathroom.

D. J. BREWER
The Plumber. Phone 53

BALLINGER AUTO COMPANY

Opposite Court House Lawn

Telephone Number 505



STATEMENT of Condition

...THE...

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER
Feb. 28, 1920

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$604,849.15
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Liberty Loan Bonds	25,800.00
War Savings and Thrift Stamps	500.74
Banking House, F. and F.	23,900.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,900.00
Acceptance (cotton)	112,615.37
Cash and Exchange	468,005.19
	\$1,266,070.45

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	77,672.97
Circulation	25,000.00
Deposits	1,063,397.48
	\$1,266,070.45

The above statement is correct.

R. G. Frwin, Cashier

GROCERIES

Best in Quality at Prices that are Reasonable.

FRESH FRUIT

The Best to be had, in Stock All the Time.

DAILY SHIPMENTS

of Fresh, Crisp, Bunch Vegetables.

318—TWO PHONES—357.

Jeanes Produce Company

Clothes Speak

CLOTHES have a language of their own. They speak silently, yet often more audibly than vocal sounds. No class is unaware of their importance; no one—man or woman is free of their influence.



*Kuppenheimer
good Clothes*

Kuppenheimer good clothes have a definite place in the demands of men because they ARE GOOD clothes. The business man, the banker, the professional, the salaried man, the young man—all, find in them thorough clothes-satisfaction.

This store has Kuppenheimer good clothes that fit you.

Rogers-Higdon Co.

Successors to Melton Dry Goods Co.

The President's letter, dismissing Secretary Lansing, was dated Friday, the 13th.

Wireless telephones are being rapidly introduced in China. Wires are too costly and clumsy for the Oriental.

For serious diseases that attack the kidneys, Prickly Ash Bitters is a remedy of merit. It relieves headache, dizziness, persistent headache, loss of strength and nervous weakness; symptoms which indicate kidney trouble. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

Why Not Own Your Home?

Everyone Wants a Home of their Own.

It is the desire of every true home-loving American to own his home. In the present time of high prices, some of us find it difficult, but there is a way to get the home you are looking for. Investigate our safe and easy plan. Our

Members Can Borrow Money at 3%.

\$20.00 for 100 months—a \$2,000 home paid for \$20.00 rents for 100 months, a bunch of receipts. What are they worth? (000). Join the

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Phone, Call or Write

Fannin Abstract & Title Co.

FOR CONCHO COUNTY ABSTRACTS

D. J. Fannin, Mgr.

Paint Rock, Texas



Imitation "Ford" parts are being sold by many mail-order houses and garages to unsuspecting Ford owners as "Ford" parts. But they are not Genuine Ford parts, made by the Ford Motor Company. They are made by concern who have no connection whatsoever with the Ford Motor Company. These imitation parts are not even made from the same grade of steel, or under the same formulas used by the Ford Company. They are counterfeit parts. Tests have shown them to break when the genuine Ford parts didn't even bend and they generally are from thirty-five to one hundred per cent lower in quality.

The Authorized Ford Dealer is your protection. As such, we handle nothing but the Genuine Ford parts. They are made from the famous Ford Vanadium Steel and each part—according to its use—is heat-treated in the way that will give it the longest wearing qualities.

Harwell Motor Company

SCHOOL HOLIDAY GRANTED FOR TEACHERS' MEET.

The Ballinger schools will not be in session Friday. The pupils will enjoy a holiday while the teachers will attend the Mid-Texas Teachers' Association meeting at Brownwood.

The order dismissing the school was passed by the board in order that as many of the teachers as desired to do so might attend.

Brownwood is planning a great time for the teachers, as is shown by the following from the Brownwood Bulletin:

The teachers of Brownwood held a meeting at the High School building Tuesday evening for the purpose of discussing final plans for the entertainment of the Mid-Texas Teachers' Association which convenes here next Friday.

All necessary committees were appointed and the chairman of each committee was authorized to arrange such program as might be necessary to fully cover the requirements of the occasion.

Practically every teacher attended the meeting Tuesday evening and there was a feeling of enthusiasm regarding the coming session of the big association. There will be no school Friday, in order that the teachers as well as the pupils may have an opportunity of attending the sessions of the association, and in order also that the visiting teachers may have opportunity to visit the High School where special exhibits from all the schools in the city will be on display, with teachers in charge to give such explanation and illustrations as might be necessary. The teachers are busily engaged now, in preparing these exhibits, which are intended to be of an extensive character, covering the actual work of the Brownwood schools in the various departments.

It is planned to make the reception in honor of the teachers, on Friday, as elaborate and complete as possible. Howard Payne Hall will be thrown open for this purpose and an opportunity given the school patrons and teachers of Brownwood as well as the public generally, to meet the visiting teachers. There will be a musical program on this occasion; also a punch bowl and other appropriate features. Arrangements have been made to meet all trains and conduct the visiting teachers and others connected with the association, to their designated places in the city.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

Indistinct Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Each box contains 10 pills. Sold with Free Kidney. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist or of H. C. HOSKINS, 1140-1142 Broadway, New York. Sold by DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Toward the end of his life Mark Twain grew very unhappy over the future of the human race.

America's railway payroll has increased one billion dollars in two years.

Henry Watterson is 80 years old; Thomas A. Edison, 73; and Elihu Root, 75.

Daily Ledger Want Ads

WANTED—75 or 100 acres of good land to work 1-3 and 1-4. Will plant all cotton, large force to work and gather crop. 502, 12th Street, city. 10-3d.*

FOR RENT—Light house keeping rooms, 10th and Pou. Mrs. Don Jackson. 10-2d.*

LOST—Black leather hand bag, between Mile₂ and Ballinger. Finder please leave at Ledger office, and receive \$5 reward. 10-2d.*

LOST—Sunday, muffler between river bridge and oil mill. If found leave at Davis Auto Co. O. F. Blankenship. 10-3d.*

FOR SALE—Cheap, C. C. Smith place on 12th St. See B. D. Duncan. 10-2d.*

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, Servant's House, in first-class condition. Boyd H. Bailey. 9-3d

FOR SALE—Good five passenger car, in good shape, and a bargain. Call at Ledger office. dh-tf.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn eggs, five cents each at my home near Hatchel. J. B. Estes, Phone 5021. 6-12w-15d.*

MAN'S BEST AGE

A man is as old as his organs; he can be as vigorous and healthy at 70 as at 35 if he aids his organs in performing their functions. Keep your vital organs healthy with

GOLD MEDAL HARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles since 1896; corrects disorders; stimulates vital organs. All druggists, three sizes. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

It was not only shell-fire that destroyed the forests of France, but it was war. War needs destroyed more timber than did actual destruction. Over 40 year's production was used up.

Take Herbine for indigestion. It relieves the pain in a few minutes and forces the fermented matter which causes the misery into the bowels where it is expelled. Sold by Jno. A. Weeks.

A Levey, the well known optician of San Antonio, is here in Ballinger, located at the Lankford Rooming House. 10-3td-1tw.

Former Emperor Charles of Austria, has now in his own right less than \$500 a year on which to support himself, a wife and six children.

BLISS NATIVE HERBS TABLETS

Why permit your Liver and Kidneys to remind you constantly of their unhealthy condition when Bliss Native Herbs Tablets taken at regular intervals, will free you from pain, keep your system in sound healthy condition, and ward off disease? Geo. Stanek, Bayonne, N. J., writes: "We are using these Tablets in my family all the time. Previous to this we were all going to the doctor but his medicine did not seem to help, and we did not get relief until we began to take the tablets." Each box contains a Guarantee coupon and is sealed with a blue seal bearing the signature of Alonzo O. Bliss. For sale by all leading druggists in boxes containing 200 doses for \$1.00 and a smaller size for \$.50. Made by A. O. Bliss Co., Washington, D. C.

Why You Should be Insured in

American Central Life Insurance Co.
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This question can be answered in a very few words by

Rufus J. Wheeler
Ballinger, Texas
You will find me at E. Shepherd's Fire Insurance Office.

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Building Material of all Kinds. See us before you build that

Sleeping Porch, Barn, Garage or Addition.

Just received a large stock of white pine screen doors. Let us screen your house.

Ballinger Lumber Co.
Phone 65

Gas---All Want 26c Per Gallon.

FREE--Until April 1st--FREE

With every Pennsylvan a Casing we will give you an inner tube Free. Casing guaranteed 8,000 miles.

See our prices on Goodrich Tires. Can you beat it? No war tax.

30x3	\$12.90	\$14.75	\$2.75	\$3.30
30x3 1-2	16.80	18.70	3.25	3.90
31x4	20.50	22.50	4.00	4.50
32x3 1-2	19.45	21.85	3.70	4.35
32x4	26.20	29.70	4.55	5.10
33x4	27.40	31.20	4.75	5.35
34x4	28.10	31.85	4.95	5.55
32x4 1-2	35.55	40.15	5.80	6.55
34x4 1-2	37.80	42.75	6.10	6.85
35x4 1-2	39.55	44.70	6.15	6.90

Storage Batteries—We are it. If you want a battery, see us. We cut the price—We also take your old battery in at \$5.00. We recharge, and rebuild any kind of battery and guarantee our work. Recharging \$1.00.

We carry coils, ignition points, brushes for generators, and starters for all models.

Vulcan Springs for any make car. See us or we both lose.

Nance-Stroble Auto Electric

Company

Dodge Bldg. Main St. Opposite Bateman Lumber Y.
Night Phone 327 Day Phone 109

Jake Stubblefield, J. M. Jennings and E. M. Setser, of Norton, were trading and transacting business in Ballinger Thursday.

COLDS

Head of chest are best treated "externally" with

VICK'S VAPORUB

YOUR BODYGUARD—30¢ COFFEE SIZE

"Uncle Joe" Cannon is the only man living whose name appeared on the same political ballot with that of Abraham Lincoln.

Herbine cures constipation and re-establishes regular bowel movements. Sold by John A. Weeks.

A Newfoundland railway train completed a 29-hour run in three weeks—snow.

QUEEN THEATRE

RUPERT JULIAN
in the Universal Production extraordinary—
"THE FIRE FLINGERS."
From the story by Wm. J. Neidig in the Saturday Evening Post.

Baby Chicks
Johnson White Leghorn, 240 to 280 egg strain, 15 cents each. G. A. Ludwig, Phone 4104. 10-2td-1tw.*

An ad a day keeps the wolf—!

Avoid that Cold

We mend the rips and patch the holes; Build up the heels and save your soles.

Our harness department is complete. See us for harness repairs.

E. J. Cathey Saddle and Harness Company

New Bakery

I have opened a new bakery in Ballinger in the Stubbs store where I will operate until I can find a permanent location and will appreciate all courtesies shown me.

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We are Now Showing New Spring Shirts, Hats, Caps and Neckwear.

Order that Spring Suit sent from us.

Ed V. Price,
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