

BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

VOLUME XV.

BALLINGER, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 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.**

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.

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Cold Cream
Combination Cream
Face Powder
Talc Powder
Toilet Water

Also Rouge and Lip Stick Only at

Weeks

Drug Store
Phones 12 and 13

ANOTHER CAR EGGS SHIPPED TO MARKET

Jeanes Produce Co loaded out the largest car of eggs shipped from here this season, and perhaps the largest car ever shipped from this point.

There were 459 cases of thirty dozen to the case in the car, and the eggs are valued at almost five thousand dollars.

This car of eggs was shipped to Chicago, following a car of 400 cases which was shipped to New York by this firm last week.

This firm has put out a car each week for the past three weeks, and stated that they expected to keep up the egg movement as long as the hens stayed on the job, and they will probably average a car each week for the next six or eight weeks.

After shipping a large car of eggs a week ago, R. P. Conn loaded out another car of four hundred cases today. The eggs were billed to the egg eaters of New Orleans.

This car of eggs netted the hen owners of this county about \$4,000, and makes \$8,000 turned loose by Conn for eggs during the last two weeks.

It is the little things in life that count, and it is poultry money which pays the grocery bills for many families in this county.

This county was gaining quite a reputation as a poultry country when the drouth struck here and caused farmers to have to dispose of their poultry. The county is rapidly restocking with a better grade of poultry, and with favorable season next year will set a new record for poultry production in West Texas.

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.

PIONEER CITIZEN LOSES RIGHT EYE

We regret to note that J. A. DeMerville, one of the pioneer citizens of Ballinger, has had the misfortune to lose his right eye. The eye became infected with an ulcer some time ago, and he did not have it treated early enough. The physician who has been waiting on Mr. DeMerville, informed him that he will never be able to see out of the eye again. Mr. DeMerville has suffered considerably with the afflicted eye, and his friends will regret to hear of his misfortune.

SENATOR'S SON CHARGED WITH MURDER

ALEXANDRIA, Minn., March 12.—A warrant charging Gustaf Nelson, son-in-law of United States Senator Nelson, of manslaughter, was issued by District Attorney Jacke today.

Nelson is alleged to have killed Joseph Middleton, a farmer in a quarrel yesterday.

BANDITS SHOOT CARD PLAYER.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 12.—James Ray was shot and killed early today by bandits attempting to rob a card game. Two others were wounded in the general shooting. There have been no arrests yet.

BROWNWOOD TO ENTERTAIN VISITING TEACHERS

Luncheon will be served the visiting teachers of the Mid-Texas Association, at the High School building on Austin Avenue Saturday, under the auspices of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, assisted by the domestic science classes of Howard Payne, Daniel Baker and the Brownwood High School.

It is planned to make this feature of the teachers convention one of the most interesting and attractive of the entire program.—Brownwood Bulletin.

15 PER CENT CUT IN INSURANCE RATES

The clean fire record maintained by this city for the last three years, brings to the property owners a fifteen per cent reduction on the key rate of insurance.

This was announced in a letter received from the secretary of the State Fire Insurance Commission by Mayor Guin, Friday. The letter says:

"This department is in receipt of affidavits of your local fire insurance agents showing the net premiums and losses for your city for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919, and the data has been checked and approved, and it is our pleasure to advise that an insert showing the proper credit for a good fire record, as applicable to policies effective in your city during 1920, has been prepared and will be mailed to all local agents in your city within the next few days, and it will then be our pleasure to enclose a copy to you for your files."

Thus it will be seen that it pays to fight against fire. The loss from fire can be kept at a low minimum, if all the people will be careful all the time, and guard against fires.

I. W. W. CASE IS READY FOR JURY

MONTESANO, Wash., March 12.—Federal Judge Wilson hearing the case against ten I. W. W. members charged with the murder of three American Legion members during the Armistice Day parade, at Centralia, Washington, last fall, will charge the jury this afternoon. Night sessions will be held and final arguments in the case made by Saturday.

GRAND JURY TURNS IN TEN INDICTMENTS

Up to Thursday night the grand jury had reported ten felony indictments, and is still grinding. It is not known who any of the parties indicted are, except Dave Henry, who is already in the pen, and who was indicted for burning the local jail. However, most of the parties indicted are either in jail or out on bond.

It has been a busy week for the grand jury and it is not known whether they will get through this week or not. Judge Woodward went to Coleman Thursday afternoon to remain until Saturday when he will return to hear the final report of the grand jury and discharge them, if they are through with their work.

It is probable that a number of those indicted will be arraigned for trial next week, or before the present term of court adjourns.

MILES BANK SHOWS BIG BUSINESS GAIN.

The individual deposits of the Miles National Bank, as shown in their statement at close of business, Feb. 28, amounts to \$491,435.45 as against a total of \$457,070.52 at the first of January, making an increase of \$34,364.93 in two months business.

The increase in deposits can be accounted for by the sale of cotton that was being held for a better market.—Miles Messenger.

J. M. Jennings left for Whitney Thursday afternoon, to look after business. Mr. Jennings lives at Norton.

SCHOOL GIRL FALLS AND BREAKS AN ARM

Mamie Jean Hale had the misfortune to fall and break her arm Thursday afternoon, while going to her elocution class. The little lady was going from the central school building to the old kindergarten building across the street to take her elocution lesson, when she tripped and fell. Her father, Dr. F. M. Hale, is out of the city, having left the day before for Victoria to see his son Louis, who is sick.

POOL HALL LAW AGAIN ATTACKED

AUSTIN, March 12.—The constitutionality of the Texas pool hall law is attacked in the case of J. A. Davis of Bell county. The court of criminal appeals today contended that the law is inoperative, invalid and is an invasion of the rights of citizens.

C. C. GILLIAM AND FAMILY MOVING AWAY

Ballinger is to lose C. C. Gilliam and family. Mr. Gilliam is arranging to move his family to San Antonio, and they will leave in a few days, for that city where they will make their home. Mrs. Gilliam was raised in Ballinger, and Mr. Gilliam has been in business here for several years, up until two months ago when he sold his business. Their friends here will regret to know that they are moving away.

Dr. Cheatham left for Dallas Thursday afternoon, where he was called on business.

GREEKS PERMITTED TO ATTACK TURKS

LONDON, March 12.—The peace conference has decided to permit the Greeks to attack the Turks in Anatolia and take such measures as are necessary to expel the Turks from that region, it was learned on semi-official authority here today.

Permission is given the Greeks only upon the condition that after the campaign has been successfully concluded the Greeks will return to the position occupied before the fighting started.

The Greeks number 90,000 against 40,000 Turks under Mustafa Kemal.

PRISONERS SAW OUT OF JAIL

CLEBURNE, March 12.—Johnson county authorities today are searching for three prisoners of the party of five who sawed through iron bars and escaped from the jail here late Wednesday evening. Two of the prisoners, Mexicans, were recaptured soon after they gained their liberty.

The sheriff's wife, with a revolver, forced two of the prisoners trying to escape back in to their cells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wear arrived Friday in their car, from Gainesville, and are the guests of Mrs. Wear's parents, Judge and Mrs. J. W. Powell.

The Turks are massacring Armenians, again, which indicates a gradual return to the pursuits of peace.—Columbia Record.

The Colorado River May Be Dammed

at Austin, yet the old stream runs merrily on. And this is the case with our business, sometime we have work stacked to the ceiling but we run merrily on.

We are making money for our customers because we are saving them money and you know that old familiar phrase: "It's what you save that counts." We have no set amount to save anyone individual, but anytime you think we wont save you some money on Tires, Batteries or Radiators, you have guessed wrong.

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Complete Spring Displays of Bischof Suits and Coats

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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. K. P. KIRK
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: R. J. DEENS

If you want to break into the pen, write the other fellow's name to a check, or break in a store and steal a pair of four-bit six. Don't kill a man.

Divorce courts are a help and not a hinder to matrimony. Many people are willing to try anything once, you know, and when they realize that it is easy to get a divorce if they don't like married life, they give it a trial.

The man who harbors hate in his heart against his fellow man is getting the worst end of the deal. The fellow he hates does not give a whoop and the hater cultivates a disposition which does not profit him anything.

This man Sims should have made himself heard earlier in the game. There is no use to grieve over what we might have done to the Germans had the navy used more speed. Some times haste makes waste, and now let us be contented to know that we got what the boys want after, even if congress will not accept it.

This old horse question is hard to down. Notwithstanding that the nation is dry, jails are useless ornaments in many towns and cities, and faces which were flushed and eyes which glared, are now clear and healthy, we are told that horse will return. We don't believe it. John Barleycorn is dead, and the politician who thinks he can start a resurrection day, will be buried by the side of John, and the 1920 campaign will serve as the funeral service.

Do you have spells of dizziness when everything turns black before the eyes? These are symptoms of torpid liver and a clouded condition of the blood. Take Prickly Ash Bitter, and get rid of the ailment. It is a small, simple, but powerful medicine. Price \$1.00 per bottle. John A. Weeks, specialty agent.



"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

F. & M. Bank Building
Monday's and Saturday's
Sunday by Appointment Only

Why Colds are Dangerous

It is the serious diseases that colds lead to that makes them dangerous. They prepare the system for the reception and development of the germs of influenza, pneumonia, tuberculosis, diphtheria, scarlet fever, whooping cough, and measles. You are much more likely to contract these diseases when you have a cold. For that reason you should get rid of every cold as quickly as possible. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will help you. It is widely known as a cure for bad colds.

SCRAMBLED EGGS

Egg shipments from Ballinger have averaged more than eight thousand dollars per week for the past four weeks, and dealers tell us that this average will be maintained for six or eight weeks longer.

The shipment this week amounted to more than nine thousand dollars, two cars going out, and two cars bringing almost as much cash were shipped the week before.

The wholesale shipment of eggs from Ballinger for the months of February, March and April will amount to about one hundred thousand dollars. Added to this will be several thousand dol-

ars worth of eggs which have gone out in smaller shipments by express.

This alone is sufficient to give Ballinger a reputation as a successful poultry country. This does not take into consideration the thousands of dollars worth of turkeys and chickens shipped out during the fall season.

Several hundred dollars spent in staging a poultry show here would be money well invested. The industry is one which should receive more attention, and this county made the banner poultry county of West Texas. It can be done.

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.

A Levey, the well known optician of San Antonio, is here in Ballinger, located at the Bankford Rooming House, 10-3rd-st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blankenship visited relatives at Talpa Friday.

ALL FAVORITE GIRLS, PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

This contest will close promptly at four o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 20th. All votes must be in the hands of the contest manager by the above hour.

Positively no votes will be accepted after four o'clock on the above date. Have your votes in the hands of A. W. Sledge at Ballinger, or they will not be counted.

Following is the way the vote stands today:

- Miss Lela Baron 2550 (Rowena)
- Miss Claudia Reagan 2500 (Hathiel)
- Miss Velma Pruitt 1300 (Sweet Home)
- Miss Hildeg'd. Henniger 1008 (Dale school)
- Miss Alma Tyree 866 (Barnett)
- Miss Lorene Johnston 850 (Dietz)
- Miss June Cumby 715 (Elm Creek)
- Miss Lillie Albridge 710 (Content)
- Miss Zella Mills 600 (Victory)
- Miss Luella Robertson 400 (Mazeland)
- Miss Winona Moore 350 (Harmony)
- Miss Marion Patterson 310 (Drasco)
- Miss Myrtle Bowden 300 (Maverick)
- Miss Irma Chapman 275 (Coolran)
- Miss Eda Vinyard 225 (Lone Star school)
- Miss Alma Davis 220 (Stone school)

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

As yet Mr. Colby has not called any informal sessions of the Cabinet.—Salt Lake Herald.

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Guns Cleaned, Oiled and Repaired.
Bicycle Repairing a Specialty.

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SECOND HAND STORE

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FIRE INSURANCE
The Best Companies
MISS MAGGIE SHARP
Your business solicited
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Phone 215, or See Me.

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L. C. Smith & Bros.
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Waco, Texas
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Women can be sure of receiving courteous attention in this institution.

We not only invite you to open a personal account with us, but we also will be glad to give you the benefit of our advice and experience in other business matters.

We are never too busy to be pleasant.

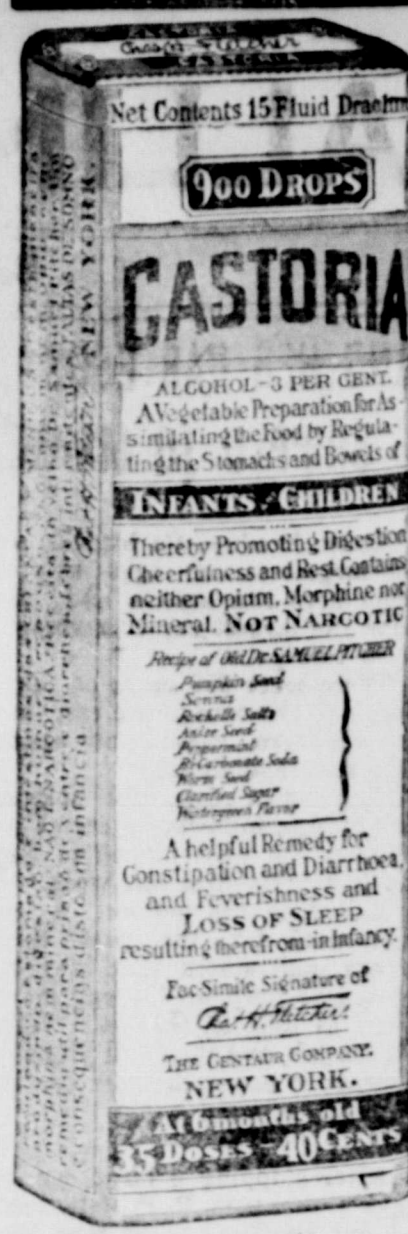
Great Oaks from Little Acorns Grow

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THREADED Rubber doesn't protect a battery against abuse any more than a check book protects you against the high cost of living. But it unfailingly guards against need for re-insulation during the battery's life, and that is a thing that never can be truthfully said about ordinary insulation.

BALLINGER AUTO COMPANY
Opposite Court House Laws Telephone Number 505



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For Infants and Children.

Mothers Know That
Genuine Castoria
Always
Bears the
Signature
of

Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use
For Over
Thirty Years
CASTORIA

"Mexico Will Expel Jenkins," a moving picture—Chicago Post.
says a headline. Lucky dog!—Norfolk Ledger.
John Hay said, "There will always be 34 per cent of the Senate on the blackguard side of every question that comes before them."

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

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

NEXT DOOR TO MOPPER'S CAFE FORD DELIVERY

PICTURE OPENS AT THE OLD SWIMMIN' HOLE

"The old Swimmin' Hole" famous in American song and story, is the opening scene in "In Wrong," Jack Pickford's new feature, which is being distributed by First National, and which is showing at the Queen Theatre today and tonight. Here, one sees "Johnny Spivens," the character

played by Pickford, making his entrance by coming up from the depths

On the shore sits his faithful dog, watching his clothes. Johnny, the driver of a grocer's wagon has gone out past the edge of town to serve a distant customer, and has taken this opportunity to cool off on the hot summer's day on which the story starts. He goes home, lies to his mother about the plunge into the creek, and is whipped for it.

"In Wrong" introduces Jack Pickford as a poor lad with all sorts of ambition, who does not seem to be able to get ahead. After he has lost his girl to a city man, been "fired" from his job, and has seen his rival made the hero of the hour, his opportunity comes. Then he shows how to capture bank robbers with a no-more pretensions weapon than a pitchfork.

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

CASTORIA

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

The German war criminals are said to be escaping over the frontiers into Holland. The ex-Kaiser's faithful followers will never, never desert him.—Kansas City Star.

INTER-SCHOLASTIC CONTEST PICKING

The various schools of the district are announcing elimination contests, or preliminary plans for selecting candidates for the county meet, at which time contestants will be selected for the district meet.

The preliminary declamation contest for the Ballinger schools will be held at the Library next Monday afternoon and evening.

A try out for the juniors will be held at four o'clock and the seniors will hold their preliminary contest at eight o'clock Monday.

At this preliminary meeting contestants will be selected to represent the Ballinger schools in the county interscholastic meet.

The public is invited to attend the declamation contest and encourage the contestants to do their best.

Prof. O. E. Fleming, Prof. Brown and Miss Berta Bostic left for Brownwood Thursday afternoon to attend the Mid-Texas Teachers' Association meeting. Other teachers from the city schools went to Brownwood Friday morning.

Mrs. Florence Helm and children went to Dallas, Thursday afternoon, to visit relatives. Mrs. Helm lives on the Farmer farm south of the city.

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.

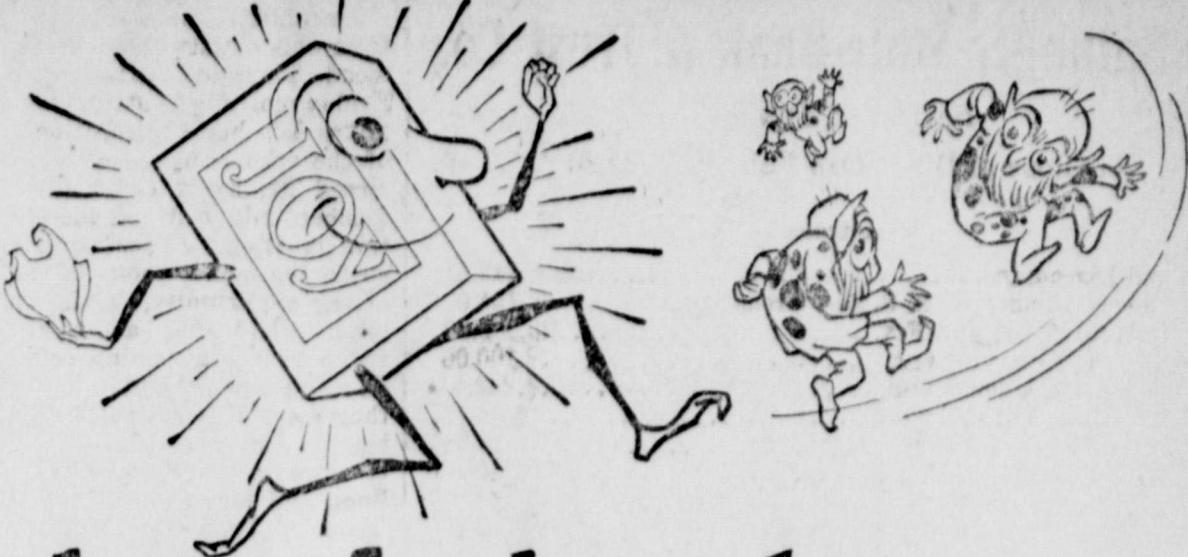
Sold by druggist, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A new Chicago paper announces that it is going to publish no crime or scandal. Want it print any local news at all?—Lansing State Journal.

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.

Attorney General Palmer will now tackle the high cost of running.—Columbia Record.

There must be something wrong about this news from Nevada. No



chase the bugaboo out!

QUIT dreading house cleaning and washing! Quit hating to wash the dishes, or clean up windows and rooms. There's a wonderful new bugaboo chaser in town—

It's called Joy Soap, because it brings joy into every home where it is used. Presto—in the shortest time you ever heard of and in the easiest manner possible, Joy cleans clothes, dishes and windows, bath tubs and floors—anything and everything in the house. It's a real revelation! Women say it's the grandest soap they ever used. It works like a wizard!

Ask your grocer for Joy Soap today. Put it to work, and soon you'll learn how much easier and more pleasant house work may be made. Just notice how firm and cool and white the cake of Joy Soap is. That's why it lasts so long and is so pleasant to use. No sticky, "soapy" feel or softening when it's wet. Try it once and you'll never change.

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"Works like a Wizard"

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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.

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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.

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The Plumber. Phone 83

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"Man Eats Monkey's Glands and Says He's Forty Years Younger." Maybe if he keeps up the diet he'll get back to the pre-human stage of the race.—Milwaukee Journal.

While suffering with a severe attack of the grip and threatened with pneumonia, Mrs. Annie H. Cooley, of Middlefield, Conn., began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was very much benefited by its use. The pains in the chest soon disappeared, the cough became loose, expectoration easy, and in a short time she was as well as ever. Mrs. Cooley says she cannot speak too highly in praise of this remedy.

Pointexter's challenge to Wood for a week's debate suggests that the General is out of the running for the Senate rather than for the White House.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

A returned traveler from Russia says there are two kinds of Bolsheviki. As if one wasn't enough.—Omaha World-Herald.

The phrase "It goes without saying," was not coined for Congressional use.—Nashville Tennessean.

The treaty is only a year old, but it has already lost all of its teeth.—Philadelphia North American.

A Maine girl has been left \$100,000 by a newspaper man to whom she was kind. Moral: Be kind to newspaper men.—Sioux City Tribune.

If the bowels are clogged up poisons get into the blood, causing loss of strength, skin eruptions, 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.

Chairman Hays says Republican financing this year is to be "an open book." Pocket, check, or both?—Greenville Piedmont.

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STATEMENT of Condition

...THE...
FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER
Feb. 28, 1920

RESOURCES:

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|-------------------------------|----------------|
| 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:

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| 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. Erwin, 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

Condensed Official Statement of
The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.

Ballinger, Texas

At Close of Business Feb. 28th, 1920

Resources

| | |
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| Loans and Discounts | \$208,143.61 |
| U. S. Liberty Bonds, W. S. S. and Treas. Cert. | 34,744.00 |
| Banking House Fur. and Fix. | 25,000.00 |
| Stock in Fed. Reserve Bank | 2,100.00 |
| Int. and Assm't. Guar. Fund | 4,242.54 |
| Int. Earned and not collected | 684.78 |
| Bill. of Exchange (Cotton) | 57,418.74 |
| Cash and Exchange | 70,086.29 |
| Total | \$402,419.96 |

Liabilities

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|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Capital | \$60,000.00 |
| Surplus | 11,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits | 1,928.00 |
| Interest Collected and not earned | 1,164.35 |
| Dividends Unpaid | 150.00 |
| DEPOSITS | 328,177.01 |
| Total | \$402,419.96 |

The above statement is correct.

Feb McWilliams, Pres. C. S. Miller, Cashier

RELIABILITY AC-COMMODATION
The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.
STRENGTH SERVICE

SCHOOL TEACHERS GO TO BROWNWOOD.

Twenty-five or thirty teachers from this county went to Brownwood, Thursday afternoon and Friday morning to attend the Mid-Texas Teachers' convention. Most of the schools in the county were closed Friday in order that the teachers might attend the association meeting. Those who could spare the money took advantage of the opportunity, while many others who would have been benefited by the attending could not do so on account of the low salary they receive. Among those attending the convention from this county were: County Superintendent Bugg and Mrs. Bugg, Prof. J. M. Skinner, Prof. O. E. Fleming, Mrs. W. A. Bridwell, Miss Myrtle and Mae Bridwell, Prof. Green, Prof. Brown, Miss Pearl Evans, Miss Berta Bostic, of the Ballinger schools; Miss Pearl Meadows, of the Winters schools; Miss Fannie Zachary, Mrs. R. W. Kennedy and Miss Ha Seay, of Mazeland; Miss Eron Payne, of Puckett; Luther Watson and Miss Pearl Chick, of Poe; Miss Florence Dodson, of Bell; Mrs. W. M. Payne, and Miss Oma Hamby, of Dietz; and other teachers from Rowena and Miles.

SCHOOL BOY PLEADS GUILTY TO CUTTING

Wesley Hall, age fifteen, plead guilty in the county court and was fined \$50 for cutting B. F. Goats, age fifteen. The difficulty between the two boys took place on the school grounds at Tokeea, and Goats, was in a serious condition for several days. An operation was performed and one of the boy's ribs removed. On account of the age of the boys, the grand jury passed the case up to the county court to act upon and the father of the boy paid the fine and the matter was settled. Goats is reported to be recovering, and will not be any the worse in time for the experience.

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.

Jack McKay is here from Breckenridge on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McKay. Ross, a brother of Jack, is also at Breckenridge, and we are glad to note the boys are getting along well in the oil fields.

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Take no other. They are the BEST DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as such. Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Misses Cora and Ella Hartgrove, of Paint Rock left for Ft. Worth Thursday afternoon to attend the stock show. They were accompanied to Ballinger by their mother.

Judge J. O. Woodward went to Coleman to spend a day or two Thursday afternoon, while waiting for the grand jury to complete its work.

An Ideal Remedy for Constipation. It would be hard to find a better remedy for constipation than Chamberlain's Tablets. For the best effect they should be taken immediately after supper. They are easy to take and mild and gentle in effect.

Thos. C. Hall returned to his home at Temple, Thursday afternoon. He had been here for a week or more looking after his farm.

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Daily Ledger Want Ads

WANTED—Table boarders, very reasonable rates. Phone 330 or see Mr. S. D. Williams, 204, 12th Street. 12-3td.*

FOR SALE—Bargain, Ford touring car, 1917 model, in fine running condition, has recently been overhauled. All new cases and innertubes. Lots of accessories; chains, rope, 3 extra innertubes, extra cases, spark plugs, 4 blow-out patches, etc. Must be sold at once. Car at Ford Garage, J. Maloney, cpo. Central Hotel. 12-1d.*

FOR SALE—83 Overland car, must sell quick, \$1250. Can be seen at Fire Station. 12-2d.*

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.*

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

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One 7 passenger Studebaker, new Batteries, 3 new tubes, and in good condition. Would take some trade, a bargain at \$700.00.

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