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BRYAN URGED TO LEAD PROS

LINCOLN, Neb., July 22.—Hundreds of letters and telegrams poured into the office of W. J. Bryan today urging him to accept the presidential nomination of the Prohibition party ticket, which was tendered the Commander last night.

The dominant note in the messages received was this: "It is Bryan's opportunity to sweep the country because people everywhere are disgusted with both the Democratic and Republican parties."

The Prohibition party today turned its attention to the nomination of a vice president and the adoption of a platform and the election of a National committee and to adjourn tonight if possible.

As Bryan's running mate the name of Miss Marie Brehm, of Los Angeles, stood out in the delegate discussion. She is the permanent chairman of the convention which would nominate Bryan for president.

Harding in Acceptance Talk Says Amendment Binding

MARION, July 22.—The Republican campaign attained full speed today when Senator Harding was formally notified of his nomination as the party's presidential nominee. Notification ceremonies brought most of the big party leaders here to attend the Harding reception and hear the acceptance speech which came at the end of a long program.

Thirty special trains and thousands of automobiles brought many visitors here.

MARION, Ohio, July 22.—Senator Warren G. Harding formally accepted the nomination for president on the Republican in a lengthy speech here at two o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Harding only paid passing attention to many policies for

which he stands, but dealt at length on the history of the Republican party and the relationship of the United States to the other nations of the world. In discussing the league of nations, he said:

"It will avail nothing to discuss in detail the league covenant, which was conceived for world super-government, negotiated in misunderstanding, and intolerantly urged and demanded by its administration sponsors, who resisted every effort to safeguard America, and who finally rejected when such safeguards were inserted. If the supreme blunder has left European relationships inextricably interwoven in the league compact, our sympathy for Europe only magnifies our own good fortune in resisting involvement. It is better to be the free and disinterested agent of international justice and advancing civilization, with the covenant of conscience, than be shackled by a written compact which surrenders our freedom of action and gives to a military alliance the right to proclaim America's duty to the world. No surrender of rights to a world council or its military alliance, no assumed mandatory however appealing, ever shall summon the sons of this republic to war. Their supreme sacrifice shall only be asked for America and its call of honor. There is a sanctity in that right we will not delegate."

COTTON FOR JULY SHOWS ADVANCE

NEW YORK, July 22.—July contracts on New York cotton exchange went higher than ever known before in the history of the exchange. The market closed 125 points higher today over yesterday's quotations, at 43.75.

The sharp advance is said to be the result of covering by traders.

FOURTH SHOWER DAMPENS MEET

The revival which was extensively advertised as an "open air" revival, and which began at the Christian church last Sunday, has experienced the fourth rain-out, or rain-in, the showers each afternoon making it necessary to hold the service in the church.

"We must not become discouraged at God's ways," said the pastor, Rev. Glover, "and we are not discouraged. We want the rain and we will hold the service each day at ten and eight o'clock at night in the church if the weather is not favorable to get out in the open air." Seats, lights, and everything is ready for the open air service whenever the weather is favorable.

The service Wednesday night was well attended, considering the difficulties under which the church is working, and the music and preaching was good and helpful to those who attended. Andy Gustavus lead the choir in the splendid singing, and Miss Anna Jean Sharp sang a solo.

Rev. Glover is not adhering to the subjects as advertised, but is fitting his sermons to suit the complexion of the congregation. Wednesday night he read a portion of the first chapter of Joshua showing how God directed Joshua to prepare for success in material things, and he also read the second verse of Third John, showing how God dealt with those who looked after the spiritual side of life as well as the material side.

"Men and women are bewitched by prosperity and hypnotized by success," said the preacher, and he illustrated how looking after the material things in life and neglecting the spiritual life meant a flat failure, and used the story of Lazarus and the rich man to emphasize what it meant to devote all time to making money and neglecting the soul. Money making is alright and God intended for man to succeed in life and succeed in material things, but not the complete loss and destruction of his soul, was the thought the speaker brought out.

Rev. Glover made plain the point in his sermon that success in material things is only half success and half success is worse than a flat failure. He illustrated by personal observation and experience how God prospers the man in material things who uses the material things and his material success for God.

INCREASE FAILS TO PLEASE ALL

CHICAGO, July 22.—A decision tonight on whether the eighteen railroad unions will accept the wage award or not is promised by T. E. Shepperd, when the conference resumed for further consideration this afternoon.

CHICAGO, July 22.—The heads of the railroad brotherhoods are today divided on action of acceptance or rejection of the six million dollar wage increase granted by the railway labor board.

When consideration was renewed today after an all night session last night, six brotherhoods and master mate pilots of America favored the acceptance of the wage increase, seven favored referring the question to their men with a recommendation that it be accepted, and two are undecided and declined to take any action. The order of railway telegraphers decided to reject the increase offered and are said to be preparing a strike ballot.

Efforts to get the brotherhoods to agree to a compromise has been taken up with the hope for a report by the union chiefs and general chairmen. With no agreement between the various union chiefs it is expected that each union will act independently in finally accepting or rejecting the wage award.

stand their relationship to the people and their obligation to the republic. Out of this understanding will come the unanimous commitment to economic justice, and in economic justice lies that social justice which is the highest essential to human happiness.

"I am speaking as one who has counted the contents of the pay envelope from the viewpoint of the earner as well as the employer. No one pretends to deny the inequalities which are manifest in modern industrial life. They are less in fact than they were before organization and grouping on either side revealed the inequalities, and conscience has wrought more justice than statutes have compelled, but the ferment of the world rivets our thoughts on the necessity of progressive solution, else our generation will suffer the experiment which means chaos for our day to reestablish God's plan for the great tomorrow."

Senator Harding expressed his views on the Eighteenth Amendment.

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PRERARING FOR FOURTH RACE

SANDY HOOK, July 22.—The cup challenger Shamrock is dry-docked today to have the underbody cleaned in preparation for the fourth race tomorrow with the American defender Resolute.

The next contest over a triangular course of ten miles to the leg is declared to be to the advantage of the Shamrock by the yachting sharps.

TULSA THRIBBLES IN POPULATION

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The census bureau today announced the following populations: Cleburne, Texas, 12,820, increase 2,456 or 23.7 per cent. Navasota, Texas, 5,060, an increase of 1,776 or 54.1 per cent. Tulsa, Oklahoma, 72,075, an increase of 53,893, or 296.4 per cent.

DATES FIXED FOR COX SHOW

COLUMBUS, July 22.—Chairman White of the Democratic National committee, today announced that August 7 has been chosen as the date for the official notification of Gov. Cox of his nomination for president. August 9 fixed as date of notification of Roosevelt of his nomination as vice presidential candidate.

It isn't so much the heat as it is the aridity.—Boston Transcript.

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ALLIES IN RUSH TO AID POLES

PARIS, July 22.—The allies have decided to take measures preparatory to giving military aid to Poland, if it should prove necessary to defeat the Russian bolsheviks.

PARIS, July 22.—The French Mission leaves for Warsaw tonight to arrange for prompt succor to the Poles. On the same train with the same object goes the British mission. The two missions will have full authority to tell the Poles that whatever aid is needed will be forthcoming, if the Bolsheviki continue to attempt to march into distinctive Polish territory.

It is stated by high authority that the help for the Poles includes allied troops.

JOE VANCIL BURIED AT WINTERS THURSDAY

The remains of Joe Vancil were laid to rest in the Winters cemetery at four o'clock Thursday afternoon. The funeral was largely attended and a host of friends gathered to pay the last tribute to the pioneer citizen. Several Ballinger people attended the funeral.

Mr. Vancil died suddenly at his farm near Winters Wednesday at noon. He suffered what was believed to be a stroke of apoplexy last Sunday and a lighter stroke Tuesday, but was feeling somewhat improved when he fell backwards and died in a few minutes.

Mrs. Vancil had just returned from a visit to Mississippi, arriving home at noon Tuesday, and her husband died at noon the following day.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. Baugh returned home Wednesday afternoon from a visit to San Antonio and other places. Mrs. Baugh had been visiting in San Antonio for some time, and Judge Baugh became lonesome and cranked up his car and went after his wife.

Ledger classifieds bring results.

NOTICE TO CLUB MEMBERS

At the regular meeting of the Directors of the Ballinger Social Club, the following rules were adopted, and will be rigidly enforced:

- 1st. No Minor will be permitted in the Club room.
- 2nd. After August 1st, 1920, the membership fee will be \$25.
- 3rd. Any member can reinstate his membership before Aug. 1st, 1920, without charge.
- 4th. Members will not be permitted to loan their Club-room key to non-members.
- 5th. Members are not permitted to invite resident non-members to the Club-room at any time.
- 6th. The ladies will have the privilege of the Club-room every Thursday afternoon. Any lady whose brother, husband or son is a member may secure the use of the rooms on any other afternoon, by applying in advance to the Secretary.

DIRECTORS.

C. R. Crews was called to Winters Wednesday afternoon to embalm the remains of Joe Vancil, who died suddenly at his farm West of Winters Wednesday afternoon.

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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 24th, 1920:

- For Tax Collector:
W. L. BROWN
- For County Superintendent:
JOHN J. BUGG
- For Tax Assessor:
J. R. HOLLOWAY
M. D. CHASTAIN
W. A. TALLY
J. N. KEY
- For County Clerk:
W. R. PUCKETT
W. A. FORGEY
- For Sheriff:
J. P. (JIM) FLYNT
- For County Judge:
J. W. POWELL
O. L. PARISH
- For Treasurer:
MRS. R. P. KIRK
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
R. J. DEENS
M. B. WARDLAW
- For District Clerk:
(Miss) GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:
J. P. BOOTHE
- For Representative 111 District:
C. R. STEPHENS
- For State Senator 26th District:
J. H. BAUGH


You can help the election board by voting early and make it possible to get an early report. Do it.

Brownwood is enforcing her ice weight ordinance and requires ice dealers to give full measure under heavy penalty for "short putting." In Ballinger you take what you can get.

The railroad employees are entitled to the increased pay just granted, the railroads have increased freight rates to meet the raise, the merchant must have more for his goods to pay the freight raise, and the producer must have more for his products to pay the merchant, and around and around we go. Jones, he pays the freight.

Joe Bailey said he was going to defeat the Democratic administration in Texas. Some people had no better "conviction" than to believe it. Now Joe says he is going to be elected governor and after being fooled by about twenty-five to one many of the same hunk still believe what Joe says. Joe, it is true, has changed his method of campaigning and tried to crawl back on the Democratic hand wagon, but people do not forget so quickly.

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FATHER KILLED IN OIL FIELD

L. K. Parr was called to Dallas last week on account of the death of his father, who died following an accident in the oil fields near Electra.

Deceased lived in Dallas, where he was engaged in the plumbing business. He was in the oil field when the storm struck that country ten days ago, and he was injured in the storm.

It was not thought that his injuries amounted to much at first, and he got in his car and drove to town on Tuesday, July 12th, and died the following Friday.

SLATED FOR ASST. SEC. NAVY

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Thomas J. Spellaey, of Hartford, Connecticut, is understood to have been slated to fill the place of assistant Secretary of Navy to succeed Franklin D. Roosevelt, who retires about August 9th to make the race for the Democratic vice-presidency.

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RUNNELS COUNTY WAR RECORD BEING GATHERED

Messrs. L. R. Williams and Fred Carpenter, of the Army & Navy History Co., of Dallas, are now in Ballinger collecting the records and photos of the men who were in the service, either army or navy, necessary for the compiling of the History: "The Texas Spirit of '17."

"The Texas Spirit of '17," while primarily a commemoration of the deeds and memories of our brave boys, will fascinate and inspire both old and young of both sexes for generations to come. Necessarily it will contain a collection of stirring true stories of the great world war, descriptive of brave deeds, intense suffering and great sacrifice for love of home and country and of the right.

"The Texas Spirit of '17" lauds no one, rich or poor, of high rank or of low but tells the plain facts and the people can not but be deeply interested. The work has the endorsement of the government and a number of our leading statesmen and citizens

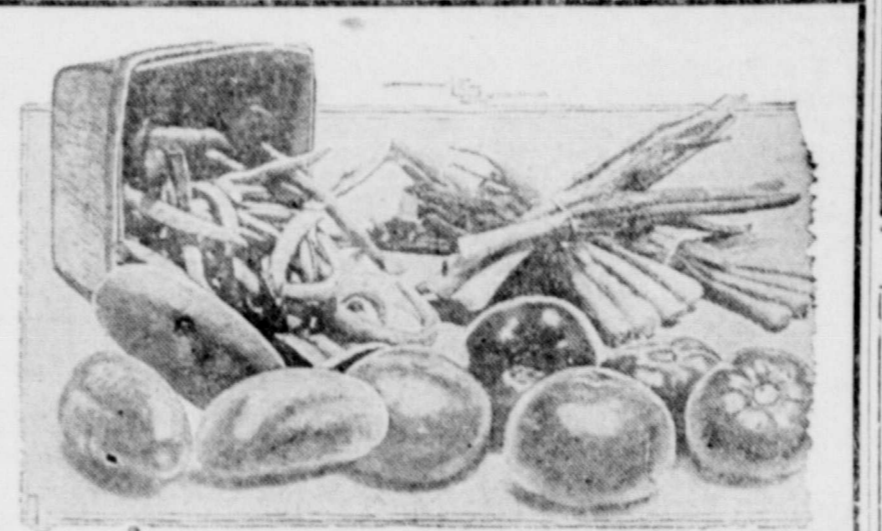
and is considered by all as a worthy work that deserves the co-operation and support of every true citizen.

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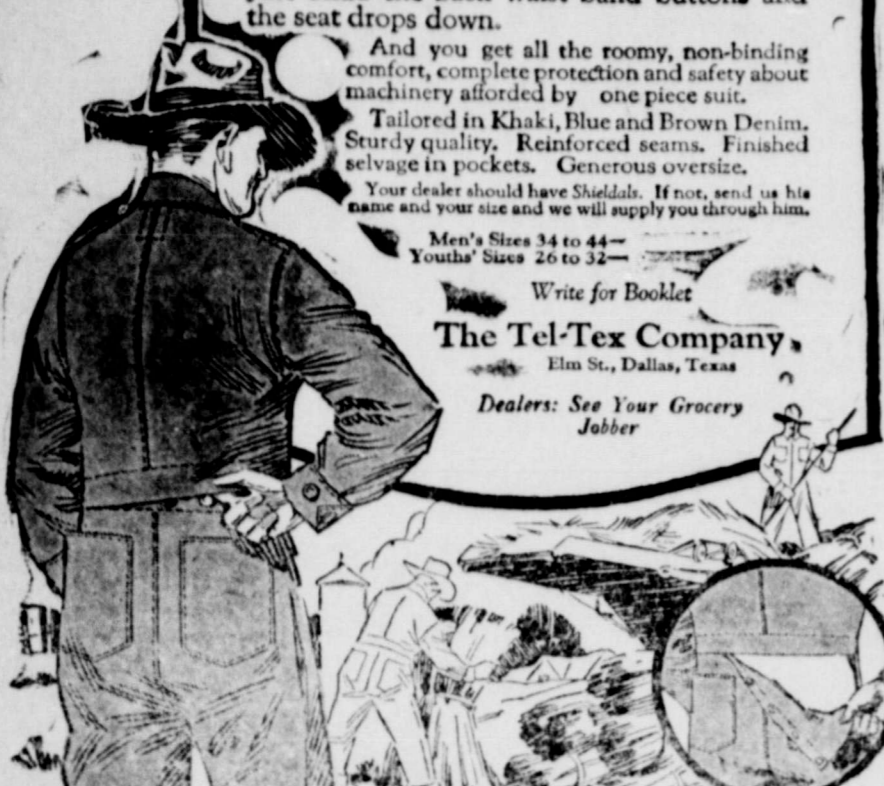
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Harding in Acceptance Talk Says Amendment Binding

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FOUND—Key and 3 nickles in change, no mark of identification on either key or the nickles, key has three holes however, was discovered on comfortable lawn chair on 8th Street. No reward expected, but owner can have property by calling at Ledger office. 21-4d.*

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ment with contempt for law enforcement. Modification or repeal is the right of a free people, whenever the deliberate and intelligent public sentiment commands, but perversion and evasion mark the paths to the failure of government itself."

TEXAN WINS IN WORLD'S SHOOT

ANTWERP, July 22. — The American team proved an easy winner in the first round of the Olympic trapshooting today with a score of 115 out of a possible 120. The Swedish team was second with a score of 107. Forest McNier, of Houston, was one of the six in the American team.

If your appetite is poor and your stomach and bowels are out of order the remedy you need is Priekly Ash Bitters. It cleanses the system of bilious impurities, sharpens the appetite and makes a man feel fine. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

VOTE FORECAST FOR GOVERNOR

—By Judge M. C. Smith

"Editor Ledger:

"In the issue of your valuable paper of yesterday appears an article in the nature of 'an election forecast' with reference to the race of the four candidates for the highest executive office of our state. In the 'forecast' it is conceded that J. W. Bailey will be in the second primary, and thereupon, the author or authors thereof proceed with the further statement, in substance, that all the forces opposing Bailey were now centering upon R. E. Thomason to 'beat Bailey.'

"As the columns of your paper are open to 'gubernatorial forecasts,' may not I, as an humble citizen, venture a 'forecast' thru the same channels, as follows:

"First—All the forces opposing Bailey are not centering on Thomason to 'beat Bailey,' as the labor union element and the Neff followers will verify.

"Second—It is common knowledge that the vote of the labor unions in Texas is, approximately 160,000, and it is a fact, we are bound to admit, that Ben F. Looney is the logical and accepted candidate of the 'Labor Unions' and that not one of that element will support either Thomason or Bailey.

"Third—It is publicly charged by Thomason and those supporting him that the Baptists and the Baptist educational institutions are supporting Neff, which, if true, is a factor in this campaign that must be reckoned with, lest those opposing make a mistake.

"Fourth—Those who are acquainted with the political situation in Texas, and who have been watching this campaign from its inception, must, for the sake of truth, admit that Bailey will lead in the first primary and that the other candidates are competing for second place.

"Fifth—If the signs of the time be not delusive, Thomason will receive no support from the Pat Neff forces for second place, not even to 'beat Bailey.'

"Sixth—Viewing the situation from every angle, Ben F. Looney may have the honor of occupying second place."

Notice in Probate
The State of Texas
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Rannels county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days, before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Rannels county, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas
To all persons interested in the estate of Anna Kre, deceased, notice is hereby given that Theodor Kre, by his attorneys, Doss & Baugh, has filed an application in the County Court of Rannels County, on the 14th day of July, 1920, for probate of Last will and testament of said deceased, and for Letters Testamen-

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We are tireless in our search and ceaseless in our vigilance for desirable merchandise which manufacturers must sell quickly for cash—and at low prices. You will find the result of our energies reflected in the splendid groups of seasonable merchandise offered here at prices even lower than you had hoped for.

Georgette Blouses—All New

Values up to \$15.00 at

\$4.75



Dainty waists fashioned in any number of pleasing styles, made with round and square necks, trimmed with lace tufts, hemstitching beaded, and embroidered. These are positively the greatest values of the season and in all wanted shades and sizes. Make your selection early at this wonderful price of \$4.75.

Special Purchase of New and Fascinating Frocks.

For Afternoon and Day Wear, Specially Priced at

\$19.50

Lovelier and more picturesque creations could not be imagined than the frocks found in the selection that would ordinarily sell at \$35.00 to \$60.00. Every dress is worth more than double the price we are offering them to you. They are in all wanted shades and fashioned from such a diversity of exquisite materials, including Georgette Crepe, Satin and Taffeta. Not an old garment offered, all fresh and clean, just opened.

\$19.50

Skirts are Gay Colored and Soft in Werve.

Very large selection, values up to \$30 at the attractive price of

\$15.00

This shipment has just been received and include the new fall skirts. Some are fashioned from serge and satin in plated, fancy and tailored models, also smart plaids in novel effects. They will not last long at the extremely low price of \$15.00.



And with these bargains have come the first showing of Autumn Suits, Coats and Dresses revealing feminine fashion as only master designers interpret it, and as usual, our prices will be the lowest.

D. Reeder's DRY GOODS

TWO FRONTS--HUTCHINS AVE. & 8th ST.



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SUGGESTS EVERYWHERE

Mr. Doose and child... to Bangs, Wednesday... to visit Mrs. Doose's... Mr. Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Harding returned to their home in Oklahoma Wednesday afternoon, after a visit to Mrs. Harding's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Tuckey. Mrs. Harding was formerly Miss Hetty Tuckey.



Those new snappy all-wool fabrics have just arrived for autumn and winter that will suit your fancy. Master weaves of magnificence are here awaiting your selection. By all means come in and look them over—you'll find just the pattern you want. Tailored to your measure by our hand-tailored clothes craftsmen.

Our cleaning and pressing department is absolutely perfect. We guarantee the best of work to be had.

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Where Tailoring is an Art.
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if your glasses need adjusting, tightening, straightening, a new screw, rivet, or some little repair, it doesn't make any difference whether they were bought of us or not, we are always glad to attend to these little things for you and we

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The scientific examination of the eye and the furnishing of glasses is our business exclusively.

Dr. McGuire
Optometrist

F. & M. Bank Bldg.
Ballinger, Texas.
Mondays and Saturdays.

MAEROY THEATRE TONIGHT

The "LOOK PLEASANT PLEASE, GIRLS" Co. will present "THE HOUSE OF TROUBLES."

PICTURE PROGRAM
Maurice Tourneur in "The Life Line," also the last episode of "The Invisible Hand."

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the 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 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 surface. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucus surface of the system. We will give one hundred dollars for any case of catarrhal deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All druggists, 75c.

Grapes for sale, Jelly, or Eating. J. E. Powell, Ballinger, Texas. 19-264d

If hot weather saps your energy and you can't work well, it is a sign that your system is full of bilious impurities. You will be sick if you do not do something. Take Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy for men; it cleanses the blood, liver and bowels, restores strength, vim and cheerful spirits. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

Mrs. Louis Massey and daughter, Miss Helen came in from Dallas Wednesday, and will spend a few days visiting relatives in Ballinger.

MICHEL-HAMPTON
Dr. E. T. Phillips performed the ceremony Thursday morning which united Miss Ruby Mitchell and Parker Hampton in the holy bonds of wedlock. The contracting parties are among our most prominent young people. They will make their home here.

Mrs. Peyton Orgain and daughter, Miss Louise, and Mrs. Peyton, Mrs. Orgain's mother, left for Dallas, Thursday morning, where they will spend a month and will probably visit Marlin before returning home.

A new chopping block for butchers is a steel drum, filled with concrete and with a changeable wooden top.

To protect X-Ray operators, garments made of silk impregnated with lead have been invented by a Frenchman.

Look---Voiles 22c Yard---Look Special Saturday Only
You'll Have to Hurry
N. Passur
"Watch Me Grow"

Why Not Get The Best Flour
We Have It In
American Beauty and Live Oak
L. B. Stubbs
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