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Just do a little investigating and you'll see that we beat all competition.

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STRIKE THREATENS TO SPREAD OTHER NATIONS

LONDON, Oct. 22.—The miners' conference of South Wales today asked the National Miners' Federation to call a national conference to consider the withdrawal of all labor from coal mines. The mines are being kept in order by specially assigned forces, and their withdrawal would render the pits useless for the resumption of work.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—At an executive meeting of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen today, it was decided to defer action on the question of a sympathetic strike with the coal miners until Monday.

The society is an important wealthy section of railwaymen and is distinct from the National Union of Railwaymen, and the decision is considered an important one in the strike situation.

A meeting of the miners executives set for tomorrow is generally believed to presage the possible reopening of negotiations with the government in an effort to bring about an adjustment of the trouble. It is understood that the meeting was called at the suggestions of the House of Commons and members representing the miners.

BERLIN, Oct. 22.—The leaders of the striking coal miners in the British Isles have appealed to the miners of the Internationale for assistance, according to the Vorwaerts. This newspaper adds that the miners in Germany are watching the British strike with intense interest and have sent messages to the British coal diggers wishing them speedy success. All of the world, especially Russia, is taking a keen interest in the conflict.

A manifesto to miners written by M. Losowsky and M. Anzelovitch, soviet Russian delegates here, has been printed in Die Rote Fahne, a radical organ.

MORE BILLS FOR COMPRESS BURNS BALL PLAYERS LOSS IS \$600,000

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—The grand jury investigation will take on a new turn today when the Cook county jurors begin inquiry into baseball pools. Eleven indictments against ball players and gamblers will also be voted today, according to reports at the criminal court building.

Eight of the additional indictments will be against White Sox players against whom true bills were returned last month. The other three indictments are understood to involve a former prize fighter and two former baseball players, one of whom was a member of the New York Giants, and the other at one time a White Sox player.

Advertisements in The Ledger regularly and see your profits grow.

EARLE, Kansas, Oct. 22.—The plant of the Earle Compress Company was destroyed by fire early today. Approximately 5,000 bales of cotton were destroyed.

It is claimed that fire broke out almost simultaneously in several sections of the compress building, and the entire plant was soon in flames. The loss is estimated at \$600,000.

A cotton gin in another part of the city was discovered on fire about the same time, but the flames were extinguished with only slight damage.

W. A. Nance returned home from Dallas Thursday night, where he attended the fair and spent several days on business.

If You Like Coffee

Try Our
Coffee Ice
Cream Sodas

Very refreshing and made with Alta Vista Cream too.

J. Y. Pearce
Drug Co.

FREE DELIVERY

Headquarters for Everyone

COTTON BACK TO 20 CENTS

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Yesterday's decline in the cotton market, following by sharp recovery here this morning, sent the market up. The better price came on the strength of reports of better prospects for the early settlement of the British labor troubles, and consequently increased demand by the English market.

Cotton for December delivery sold up to 19.85 on the local exchange, or ninety points above the closing price of yesterday, and nearly 150 points above the low level touched by yesterday's decline.

Gaining 102 points, cotton climbed to twenty cents on the local market Friday. This was the best price for more than ten days, when the downward trend sent the bulls scampering.

The \$5 per bale jump caused some selling by those who were holding with twenty cents as the peg set for selling. The better market created a more active buying, and drives away a little of the grouch which has prevailed on the market for several days.

David Gregory was able to be carried home from the Halley & Love sanitarium Friday afternoon. He underwent two operations for appendicitis and had quite a close call of it.

Wool Hose—they are the newest. Van Pelt-Pyburn. 22-2d



5.30 at the Office— one letter left from the poised steel pen falls a drop of ink—that letter misses the mail.

Every scratching, inefficient steel pen should be replaced with a Conklin that writes smoothly and without blotting. A Conklin means writing convenience for the business man—for everyone.

Conklin's
Self-Filling
Fountain Pen
NON-LEAKABLE

Fills itself with one thumb-pressure on its wonderful "Crescent-Filler". \$2.50 up.

Weeks Drug Store

FURTHER DROP IN SHOE PRICES

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 22.—A continued decline in the prices of shoes was predicted by delegates here attending the conference of the Western Association of Wholesale shoe dealers today. Shoes have declined an average of 35 per cent since last May, it was asserted by a spokesman for the delegation, and further declines will come for spring trade he stated.

The Clothes We Clean, Press and Repair Represent Painstaking Effort

Not a suit, skirt or overcoat ever leaves this place without our knowing that it is O. K.

Our work must be so well done that it will please the critic.

That's Work We'll Done.

May we do it for you?

Phone 97.

Suits to Order

Men's Furnishings

Stone & Thorp

The Men's Store

If it's New We have it.

ANOTHER FEEDING GIVEN MACSWINEY

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Lord Mayor MacSwiney was delirious again this morning and the prison authorities forced food into his mouth despite his protests, according to the daily bulletin issued by the Irish Self Determination League. The Lord mayor was conscious at intervals, the bulletin said, but was unable to recognize relatives or surroundings. For a short time last night the delirium became violent and the mayor almost suffered convulsions.

USES MAD MONKEY TO MURDER KING

ROME, Oct. 22.—It developed today that the injuries inflicted upon King Alexander of Greece by a monkey was the result of a well foined plot to assassinate the young monarch, according to Dr. Georges Vidal, of Paris, who has been attending the king and who was interviewed by a correspondent of the Messagero while passing through Rome on his way to Paris.

"While the story of the monkey biting King Alexander is true," Dr. Vidal is quoted as saying, "the monkey was suffering from rabies with which it had been artificially inoculated, hence a veritable attempt against the king's life was committed."

Car of choice Alfalfa to arrive in day or two. Special price from car. J. K. Hutton Lumber and Feed Co. 22-2d

Mrs. Lynn arrived in the city Friday at noon from Tennessee, and will spend the winter here with her sons. Her son, Estes Lynn, met her in Dallas.

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Select Your Christmas Phonograph
and Get \$25 Worth of New Records
FREE!

There's no string to this offer; no joker in it. \$25 worth of Pathe records free, if you buy a Pathe Phonograph (except the small models 3 and 6 which are not included).

No matter if you pay cash or extend the terms on easy payments—the \$25 worth of records will be delivered with the instrument as quickly as you make your selection.

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with any

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(Except Nos. 3 and 6)

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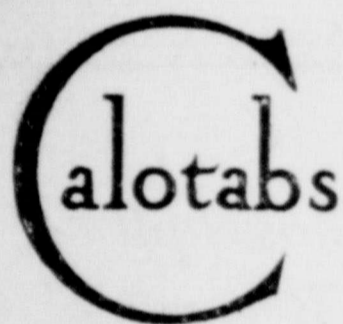
ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Tax Collector:
 W. L. BROWN
For County Superintendent:
 JOHN J. BUGG
For Tax Assessor:
 M. D. CHASTAIN
For County Clerk:
 W. A. FORGEY
For Sheriff:
 J. P. (JIM) FLYNT
For County Judge:
 O. L. PARISH
For Treasurer:
 MRS. R. P. KIRK
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
 R. J. DEENS
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

NO LAW BREAKERS HERE

Notwithstanding that an unusually large number of people have been in Ballinger every day this week, and notwithstanding the fact that the carnival company playing here has brought a large number of transient people to the city, officers have been an idle bunch as far as local work is concerned. Aside from the two cases of horse theft which occurred last week, the officers have found little to demand their attention. The people as a whole may not have much to boast about morally speaking, but they manage to come within the scope of the law, and get by without taxing the courts, to keep things straight.

To abort a cold and prevent complications take



The purified and refined calomel tablets that are nauseous, safe and sure. Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages Price 35c.

PROTECTING THE QUAIL
 The business men of Coleman have pledged themselves, together to protect in every way possible quail or partridges, during the coming season, and declare they will use every means possible to prevent the extermination of this valuable bird to the farm. The business men have appealed to the farmers not to permit any quail shooting on their farms. It is pointed out that this breed of bird is being rapidly destroyed and unless something is done to protect the birds it will only be a short time until there will be no quail in this country.

Grip
 Grip usually starts just the same as a cold with a watery discharge from the nose. You are much more likely to contract the grip when you have a cold. For that reason when grip is prevalent you should go to bed as soon as you feel that you are taking cold and stay in bed until fully recovered which should not be long if you take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Three days in bed now is better than three weeks later on.

BLANTON COMING BACK
 Congressman Thos. L. Blanton is scheduled to make a few speeches in his district before the general election, speaking in behalf of the Democratic ticket and to create sentiment in favor of economical legislation which he is attempting to have enacted. No speaking date has been announced for Ballinger, but he will speak at Coleman on Oct. 30th and announces that he will divide time with candidates on opposing tickets.

How's This?
 We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucus surfaces, expelling the poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.
 Sold by all druggists. 75c.

Rev. F. O. Woestermeyer, of San Angelo, will preach at the 8th Street Presbyterian church in Ballinger Sunday night. This is the first preaching service for some time at this church, on account of the illness of the pastor, Dr. R. T. Phillips. Rev. Woestermeyer is pastor at San Angelo, and the local congregation invited him to preach here Sunday night, and his congregation at San Angelo consented for the visit.

BRONCHITIS
 All bedtime rub the throat and chest thoroughly with—
VICKS VAPORUB
 Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Perfect Comfort

Even Steady Heat
 Always Under Perfect Control
COLE'S HOT BLAST
 Fuel Saving System

of combustion (see cut) is a patented feature of Cole's Original Hot Blast Heaters. Prevents the waste of combustible gases. Start a fuel savings bank account with Cole's Hot Blast; it makes your coal pile last. See us for the original, guaranteed Cole's Hot Blast.

Thompson Bros. & Co.

35 YEAR SCHEDULE FOR JACK FROST

A thirty-five year weather record shows that Runnels county has passed the danger line for the earliest killing frost. The record shows that the earliest killing frost here since 1885 formed on the night of Oct. 19, 1917. We have passed over that period with good prospects for a later fall than usual.

The latest frost in the thirty-five year history shows that vegetation remained green up until December 4, 1901, when Jack Frost arrived on a delayed schedule and blighted winter gardens. The average date for the first killing frost for the thirty-five year run, as given out by the U. S. Weather Bureau for this country, is November 9th. Of the thirty-five years recorded, killing frosts came in the month of October nine times, and only three times in December; December 4, 1901; December 1, 1902; and December 2, 1906. For the remainder of the thirty-five years frost killed in November.

Financial Loss Due to Colds
 It is estimated that the average man loses three days time each year from inability to work on account of having a cold. Much of this loss can be avoided by treating every cold as soon as the first symptoms of the disease appear. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won a wide reputation and immense sale by its cures of this disease. Try it. You are certain to be pleased with its pleasant taste and the prompt relief which it affords.

R. P. Conn reports the sale of a 1920 model Buick to I. W. Spann, of the Valley Creek country, for \$1995.

To remove bilious impurities in the system and be made internally clean and healthy, you need the fine tonic and laxative properties of Herbine. It acts quickly and thoroughly. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

Physicians have decided that Calvin Kirk has appendicitis, and an operation was performed Friday morning. He was doing as well as could be expected later in the day. Calvin was stricken down suddenly while at work this week.

In all malarial countries the popular remedy is Herbine. People find it a good medicine for purifying the system and warding off the disease. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

THIS VAUDEVILLIAN LIVES WITH HIS WIFE
 LONDON — "So many husbands and wives in the ranks of vaudeville artists live apart that my client can be described as a novelty," said a lawyer in a London court. "He is a vaudeville living happily with his wife," the lawyer concluded.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pearce and little son returned home Friday at noon from Dallas and other places. Mrs. Pearce and baby had been visiting in North Dakota for several weeks and Mr. Pearce went to Dallas a few days ago to meet them.

Table Delicacies

Hot cakes and waffles call for syrup or honey. And they call for the best!

We are here to answer that call. And other table delicacies, too, are here with their savory sweetness or tempting tang.

Olives—queen, ripe or stuffed—pickles, salad dressings that stimulate the appetite—might go on and on. But you know what you like. Come here for it and you will get the best there is—deliciously satisfying.

Quality
 OUR MOTTO

For Finest and Freshest Groceries
E. A. Jeanes & Co.
 Phone 257 and 318

Looks as if it might become cheaper to stay at home than to go visiting under the increased cost of traveling.—Toledo Blade.

After all, it begins to look as if the Irish question may have to be settled on the other side of the Atlantic.—Los Angeles Express.

THE MOST IMPORTANT THING YOU EVER DID was to PUT YOUR FIRST DOLLAR IN THE BANK

It Pays to Have a Bank Account

When you have a Bank Account, you not only have the respect of the people of your community, but the respect of yourself and the confidence of those for whom and with whom you work.

Confidence is Faith; Faith is Credit; and Credit is what holds the entire business world together.

Start a Bank Account now. Put Your money in Our Bank.

THE First National Bank
 OF BALLINGER, TEXAS
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"A MANSION IN THE SKIES"

May be your hopes for the future, but **A COTTAGE ON EARTH** should be your realization for the present.

BALLINGER LUMBER CO.

What is baby's health worth?

WHAT IS YOUR BABY'S HEALTH

worth to you? The best milk sealed for your protection costs but little more than the other product. Let us serve you each morning for your own sake as well as the baby's. Will call upon you promptly if you telephone us.

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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.

D. J. BREWER
 The Plumber. Phone 53

A BUSY REPAIR SHOP

is our auto radiator repairing establishment, but we are not too busy to take care of Your job. Bring it here and we will give you a figure on fixing it. We do not care how old, broken or rusty your radiator is, we will make good on it.

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 Successors to Castor Tire & Battery Co.

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\$12.57 Round Trip

Texas State Fair

Tickets on sale daily to October 24 Limited until October 26th.

Through Sleeper to Dallas

Corresponding fares from other stations—ask your Santa Fe agent

W. S. Keenan, Gen'l. Pass't. Agent, Galveston

xXx Pearl
 the best drink under the shining sun
N. Passur
 "Watch Me Grow"

IN YE OLDEN TIME



HOOP skirts were worn by those who first asked the druggist for, and insisted on having, the genuine Golden Medical Discovery put up by

Dr. Pierce over fifty years ago. Dress has changed very much since then! But Dr. Pierce's medicines contain the same dependable ingredients. They are standard today just as they were fifty years ago.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the stomach and blood cannot be surpassed by any remedy today.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak women has never been equalled for the distressing complaints incident to womanhood. What others say:

DEANYVILLE, ARK.—"I have used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and also the 'Favorite Prescription' with good results. I am now in better health than I have been in two years. Dr. Pierce's medicines are all they are claimed to be."—MRS. BESSIE SLAIGR.

Send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package of any of his medicines.

COUNTRY NIGHT AT THE BIG CARNIVAL

The shower of rain which fell Thursday afternoon rained to the good for the Great Southwestern Exposition Shows which are playing here this week by bringing a large crowd of country people to town. The rain was not sufficient to make bad roads, but stopped cotton picking and the people came to town to spend a few hours, and it was the largest crowd, and composed almost exclusively of country people, the carnival has entertained this week.

Tonight will no doubt be school kiddies night, and the school children who have been held down during the week, will turn out in large numbers tonight, and get their first rides on the Whip, and other go-rounds. And Saturday will bring the country to town again, and it will be the big day for the show folks.

Keep your stomach, liver and bowels in good condition if you would have health. Prickly Ash Bitters cleanses and strengthens these organs and helps the system to resist disease germs. It is the remedy for working men. Price \$1.50 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.



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We have all wool suits as low as \$32.50 made-to-measure.

Phone us to call for your work—free delivery.

SOUTHSIDE TAILORING COMPANY

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PROMPT SERVICE
FIRE INSURANCE
The Best Companies
MISS MAGGIE SHARP
Your business solicited
Upstairs Over the Ballinger State Bank.
Phone 215, or See Me.

GOOD NEWS FOR RURAL SCHOOLS

County Superintendent Bugg is jubilant over the outlook for the ensuing term of rural schools in this county. Mr. Bugg received notice Thursday from the State Department of Education announcing the appropriations made for school aid for the various rural schools in the county which meet the requirements, and Mr. Bugg is going to see that all the Rummels county schools meet the requirements.

The total amount appropriated for school aid from the rural school fund amounts to \$19,675, and Mr. Bugg believes that this will be increased some when the schools come up to the requirements.

The total amount received from State aid last year was \$17,000. Thus it will be seen that the country schools are receiving \$2,675 more this year than last year.

The county school trustees will meet at the court house in Ballinger Saturday afternoon at 2:30 and there will be two or three hundred trustees here. This is a pre-school opening meeting and matters of interest to the schools of the county will be discussed.

Practically every rural school in the county will open Monday morning. Mr. Bugg reports that all schools have a sufficient number of teachers, with the exception of three schools which will be supplied within the next few days, it is believed.

The uniform opening date of school was made possible by postponing for a month and at the same time making it possible for the children to be of great benefit in helping in the cotton picking rush. Rummels county people have just cause to feel proud of the wonderful progress being made in educational work in her rural districts.

Bad breath is a symptom of a disordered stomach, and weak digestion. The remedy for it is Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy for men. It purges the stomach and bowels of fermented food and impurities, purifies the breath, clears the complexion of sallowness and makes you feel fine. Price \$1.50 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

Mrs. Tom Ward came in from Dallas, Friday at noon.

Clear, colorless liquid that will heal wounds, cuts sores and galls is the latest and best production of medical science. Ask for Liquid Borozone, it is a marvel in flesh-healing remedies. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

Backward Pupils

You are anxious to give your child every advantage at school, but how about his eyes? Perhaps he is handicapped for lack of glasses.

No boy or girl can do well in school who cannot see distinctly. A case of that kind came under our observation last year—teacher said he was stupid and dull—he did not do well at his lessons. We examined his eyes and found he could not see the writing on the blackboard—glasses changed everything—soon he was leading his class.

Most backward children have poor eyesight. How about your child? No boy or girl can do well in school who cannot see distinctly; with correctly fitted glasses nine out of ten improve immediately in school work.

Success in school promises success in later life. Have your child's eyes examined the first indication of trouble.

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

Beware of Peddlers—the Patent Opticians do not peddle from house to house.

This is A True Story---

You can buy cheaper
Tailored to Measure Clothes
Than Ours
But
You Cannot Buy Better.
Our Prices are Based
On Quality
In Both
Material and Workmanship.
Added to This is a
Reasonable Profit.
All We Ask You to Pay
For the Best Tailoring
Is a Fair Price.
You Cannot Afford
To Pay Less
And
You Should Not
Pay More.

HARDIN & CARR

Tailors of the Better Class
Phone 56

We Call We Deliver
We render Sudden Service and Guarantee all of our work in the Cleaning and Pressing Department.

Got Her Good Health out of a Bottle

Mrs. Edward Raifsnider, Wash, Ind., says that she owes her good health to Chamberlain's Tablets. She suffered from distress after eating and constipation and was completely cured by use of these tablets.

CATHOLICS TO PRAY FOR AMERICAN REPUBLIC

GALVESTON, Oct. 21.—A prayer for the "American Republic" probably will be added to the ritual of the Catholic church, according to the Right Rev. Christopher E. Byrne, bishop of Galveston, who has just returned from a meeting of the council of bishops and arch-bishops in Washington. According to Bishop Byrne, it is likely that Cardinal Gibbons will petition the Holy See to include the prayer for use upon special occasions.

READY TO CONFESS THEFT OF HORSES

Sheriff Perkins returned home from Albany Thursday afternoon, and had in custody Tom Cates and W. T. Powell, arrested at Albany on warrants issued out of the justice court charging them with horse theft.

The two young fellows, ages about eighteen, are charged with stealing two horses and saddles in Ballinger on the night of October 15th. They were caught at Albany, where it is alleged they were in the act of selling the horses, having sold the saddles.

Cates says his home is in Dallas. Powell says his mother was living in San Antonio the last time he heard from her. The boys stated that they were drifting thru the country, having gone as far West as San Angelo and stopped off at Ballinger. They claim that they had not picked any cotton in this country, and according to their story were not doing anything but seeing the country. They indicated to the officers that they would enter a plea of guilty when arraigned for trial.

T. T. Caffey accompanied Mr. Perkins to Albany and is returning thru the country with the horses. The horses were stolen from the sisters of Mr. Caffey, who rode them to town from their home a few miles West of the city.

Does your stomach feel bloated after eating? Do you have sour risings, heartburn, spells of dizziness and constipated bowels? If so, Prickly Ash Bitters is the medicine for you. Men who use it find it exactly suited for such disorders. Price \$1.50 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

BALLINGER STEAM BAKERY

Bakes Good Sweet Tender Bread.
Our Hot Rolls and Cinnamon Rolls are Baked to Perfection.
Cakes that are Delicious.

EIGHTH STREET
Phone 25.



Just Water!

We're not one of those "barber shop" stations.

We don't try to coax you to have insulation replaced, battery recharged and a lot of miscellaneous needless work done when all your battery needs is a drink.

Drive in. Let's get acquainted for your battery's sake.

And you ought to know about Threaded Rubber Insulation—the kind selected by 152 manufacturers of passenger cars and motor trucks.

BALLINGER AUTO COMPANY
Opposite Court House Lawn Telephone Number 505

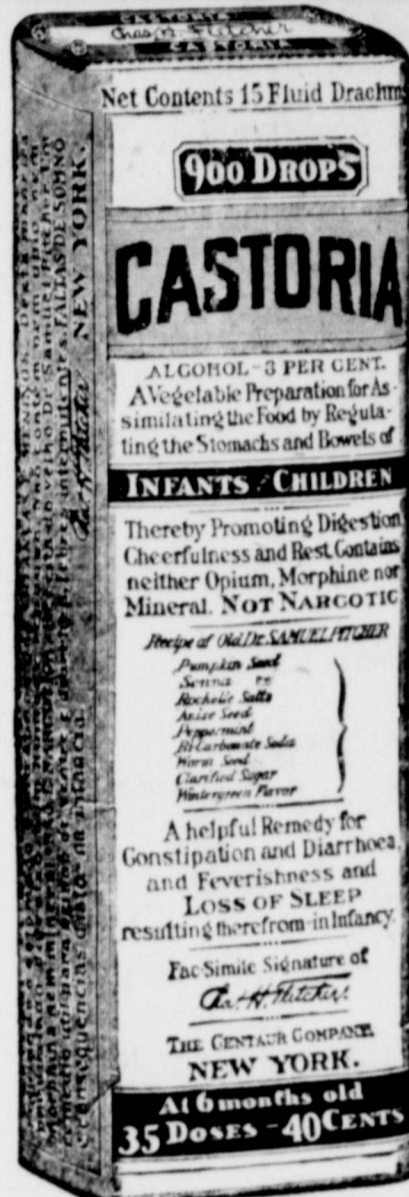


Save Money by buying your Winter clothes ready made at Van Pelt Pyburn's. Sale now on. 22-2td.

To get rid of worms in children give them White's Cream Vermifuge. The little sufferer improves at once and soon becomes healthy, active and robust. Price 35c. Sold by all druggists.

TWINS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Aycock, of the Spring Hill community, are rejoicing over the arrival of two boys. The twins are healthy young fellows and will no doubt be a big help on the farm. They were born Oct. 19th.



CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria

Always Bears the Signature of

John A. Weeks
In Use For Over Thirty Years
CASTORIA

Bargain in Stone Building

The building which E. A. Jeanes & Co. now occupy on Eighth Street—

\$5,000.00 if sold at once, terms to suit the purchaser. Figure with us for a real bargain.

E. Shepperd & Company
The Place Where Most People Insure

For the Holiday Trade

- Bulk Dates
- Citron
- Orange and Lemon Peel
- Crystallized Pineapple and Cherries
- Sunbeam Golden Dates in Package
- Currauts
- Raisins, Seeded and Seedless
- Richard & Robbins' English Style Plum Pudding
- Crosse & Blackwell's Imported Chow Chow
- Plain and Stuffed Olives, 25c to \$1.00.
- Madeleine Cherries in Bottles
- Heinz Sweet Mustard
- Pickles
- Celebrated Oscar's Sauce, (Used instead of Waldorf-Astoria.)
- Heinz Old Fashioned Apple Butter
- Dates in Package

L. B. Stubbs

Phones 93 and 94



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.

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LOOK MEN HERE THEY ARE



25 High Grade Suits
Just Received at

\$19.75

Better hurry as your size will be gone.
Many other similar values in
Men's and Boys Clothing.

D. Reeder's DRY GOODS

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

B'WOOD MURDER STILL UNSOLVED

Rumors floated thick and fast in Ballinger Thursday, but nothing new has developed in the Brownwood murder mystery. According to the Brownwood Bulletin officers are as far from a hot clue upon which to begin a prosecution of the case as they were when the body of J. N. Weatherby, prominent Brownwood business man was found by the side of the road near Bangs.

The Bulletin of Thursday date says:

"If the various officials who are giving the matter their attention, known anything they are keeping it to themselves. It was stated for certain this morning, however, that besides the detention of the woman, who was taken in custody when she arrived Wednesday morning, arrests have been made, in spite of many reports to the contrary. Telegrams and letters as well as telephone messages have been sent far and wide, with descriptions of every person who is even suspected of having the remotest connection with the tragedy, and it would seem that under ordinary circumstances the escape of the guilty party or parties would have been well nigh impossible. The net of inquiry with orders to arrest and hold has been spread all over Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, as far north as Albuquerque, and as far west as El Paso.

"As stated many theories have been advanced. If the woman who is now being held in jail, knows anything she does not tell it. In fact she stoutly maintains her innocence, and says she was in Oklahoma City when the tragedy was staged.

"If the man who is suspected and also the boy who came for Weatherby at the garage, are alive and had nothing to do with the tragedy why don't they show up and declare their innocence? This is one strong point against them. Where are they? This is one of the many questions that are being asked and one which the officers would like to have answered.

"The report that the man who it was stated Weatherby had killed about two years ago, at San Saba, was a foreigner, was a mistake as the man was a member of a good family living in San Saba county. This is stated in order that the record may be kept clear."

Improve Your Digestion

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