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DO YOU KNOW WHAT
CHERRY BARK
WILL DO FOR YOUR
COUGH?

—If you want a cough
medicine that will relieve
you and will not upset your
stomach, you should try our
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REXALL
Cherry Bark Cough Syrup
WEEKS
Phones 12 and 13

NAVAL PROBE FOR LOST MEN

FAR ROCKAWAY, N. Y., Jan. 17.—The Naval Board of Inquiry, appointed by Secretary Daniels, met here today to begin an investigation of the balloon flight of Lieutenants Kloor, Farrell and Hinton, which took them for a month's hazardous trip into Northern Canada. Rear Admiral George Washington Kline is presiding officer of the investigation. In anticipation of a large crowd as a result of the announcement that the hearings will be made public, officers of the Rockaway joint naval air station have ordered the assembly hall filled with extra seats. The three balloonists lost their way in a storm when they ascended in a balloon from the Rockaway Beach station on December 14th and were carried 1600 miles and suffered the severest hardships and had narrow escapes from death by cold and starvation before they were rescued at an outpost of the Hudson Bay Co. who cared for them until they could be returned to civilization. They made an eleven days trip by dog sled and were brought back to civilization by Indian trappers.

CALL MEETING OF THE CIVIC LEAGUE

The Civic League will meet tomorrow, Tuesday 18th, at the Carnegie Library at 3:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as they wish to complete plans for the entertainment the last of the month.

Big Social Event

A Wedding without a Woman, prominent Ballinger people participating, Carnegie Library, Jan. 21. Staged by Senior Class. 15-2td

MASTER MIND DENIES CHARGE

DALLAS, Jan. 17.—Charges of robbery were filed here today against Albert Rowan, alleged to be the "master mind" in various robberies, and who the Federal officers allege planned the post office hold-up here last Friday.

Rowan, with his attorney, called at the police station this morning and said that he had heard the police wanted him, and he was anxious to give up.

The man denies, however, that he was in any way implicated in the post office robbery. Rowan is about thirty-five years old and is a well known son of a wealthy Dallas business man.

MAY CONTINUE WAR TIME LAWS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The House resolution proposing to repeal the most special war time laws was approved by the Senate judiciary committee today. Under the amendments proposed by the committee, the operation of the food and fuel act would be continued.

LOCAL P. O. LOBBY TO REMAIN OPEN

Orders have been sent out from Washington to a number of cities in Texas instructing that the offices of post offices be closed at seven o'clock in the evening. So far this order does not apply to the local office, as no such instructions have been received here. The object in issuing such orders is said to be to guard against robbery. The patrons of the Ballinger office are at liberty to go and come as they see fit, receiving their mail through lock boxes at any and all hours, and it is hoped that the plan will not be changed. Closing the lobby of the post office will not prevent a robbery, if the stage is set for a raid, and as evidence of this the largest hold-ups so far pulled off have taken place in broad open daylight.

HARDING CONFERS WITH OPPONENT

MARION, Ohio, Jan. 17.—Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, and leading candidate for president on the Republican ticket before the Republican national convention, was called into consultation by President Eleet Harding today. It is known that Mr. Harding wanted Mr. Lowden's counsel and advice on various problems of the coming administration.

Get \$12,000 and Kill Two Officers

HUSBAND KILLED; WIFE ENDS LIFE

MANILLA, P. I., Jan. 17.—The Russian wife of Lieut. Langdon, who was killed by a Japanese sentry at Vladivostok recently, today ended her life when she learned her husband was dead, according to a Reuter Telegraph Co. dispatch from Vladivostok.

FARM AGENT PUTS ON NEW LIBRARY

FORT WORTH, Jan. 17.—Texans living in rural communities will have libraries at their doors, from which they can draw books every two weeks. This was the statement of H. M. Means, Tarrant county Farm Agent, who, with Dr. H. K. Taylor, of Texas Woman's College, is planning to start circulating libraries in this county. The libraries he said, will be used in disseminating agricultural literature and government bulletins on farming and farm problems.

The libraries "on wheels" were adopted by the United States department of agriculture to bring library facilities to the rural communities. In addition to the farm bulletins, which Means said would be carried, there would be books on other subjects and for general reading, such as fiction.

The arrival of the library automobile would be heralded in each community by an entertainment or community welfare meeting at which ovies would be shown by aid of a picture machine carried in the truck. Music would be furnished by the phonograph which would be a part of the truck's equipment.

When the library visited a community, books could be withdrawn and kept until the next visit of the truck in two weeks. If books of a certain title or on some particular subject were wanted, they would be brought on the next fortnightly trip.

The only expense to the communities is a share in the cost of the automobile and its equipment and the transportation of the books, Means said.

HOBBY GRANTS 2000 PARDONS

AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—During his administration Governor Hobby granted approximately 2,000 pardons and placed 200 convicts on parole, the State executive advised the 37th Legislature today in a message dealing specially with this phase of his administration.

"I have doubtless made mistakes in the exercise of this power," said the governor, "but when the people conferred this power upon the governor they knew that some mistakes would be made, because no human could unerringly exercise it."

In another message today Gov. Hobby deals with the penitentiary system. It was shown by his message that the prison system had been operated at a profit and was now on a cash basis, while \$2,164,337 had been paid out in permanent improvements. The governor recommended the enactment of a law prohibiting the leasing of State lands for cultivation after the termination of the leases now in operation.

It is alright for every man to look out for himself, but there are certain interests which we must all throw in on if we succeed in looking out for No. 1. You can't stand alone.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 17.—Two railroad officers were killed by six bandits at noon today, after the bandits held up an automobile and seized \$12,000 which the officers were transporting, and which belonged to the New York Central railroad.

Louis Schrieder and A. E. Long were killed when they refused to give up to the highwaymen.

CITIZENS APPROVE PLAN TO BUILD LIGHT PLANT

The City Commission is backed by an almost unanimous citizenship in its efforts to build a municipal light plant for this city. Since the definite announcement was made that the plant would be constructed at the earliest time possible, quite a number of citizens have expressed themselves, and declare that they stand ready to back the city commission in any reasonable undertaking to put the proposition over.

Before leaving for Austin Sunday afternoon, where he goes to push the proposition, Mayor Guin said "we can't hope to build the plant in sixty or ninety days, and we trust the people will be patient." Mr. Guin said that there was only one thing which could delay the building of the plant, and that would be the failure to get the cash on the city's warrants, and the commission has already received offers to take the warrants as soon as they were ready and were issued according to law.

W. A. Danford of the Winters country, and J. T. Burns of the Wingate country, were visitors to Ballinger Monday. Mr. Danford was carrying a crippled hand which had brought him great suffering as the result of an abscess in the palm of his hand.

SEVEN HELD FOR DEATH OF COUPLE

KAUFMAN, Tex., Jan. 17.—Seven men, suspected in complicity in the murder last Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. James Willard, an aged couple, on a farm near here, have been arrested up to noon today. No charges have been filed against any of the men and they are being held for further investigation.

HAMILTON BUYS EIGHTH STREET BUSINESS HOUSE

A deal which was agreed upon a short time ago, and which was closed this week, transfers the title of a building on 8th Street from U. O. Whaley, of St. Louis, to S. A. B. Hamilton, of this city. The building was formerly occupied by the Jeanes Produce Co. and used as a produce house. Mr. Hamilton will probably occupy the building with his confectionary business in the near future. He paid \$4,500.00 for the building.

COUNTING VOTE FOR GOVERNOR

AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—A joint committee composed of Senate and House members, appointed to canvass the votes for governor and lieutenant governor, in the last election, met today to complete their work. They expect to have the count complete and be ready to make final report late today.

Be Wise and Advertise—

PHONE COMPANY WINS HIGH RATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The Supreme Court today denied a motion of the city of Dallas, Texas, for leave to file a petition for mandamus proceedings restraining Judge James Wilson from taking action in injunction proceedings, brought against the city of Dallas by the telephone company of that city.

The telephone company is seeking to enjoin the city from enforcing rates for local service prescribed in a franchise ordinance granted in 1918 and from interfering with the collection of the new tariffs fixed by the telephone company. By action of the court the telephone company wins the suit.

Mayor C. S. Guin and S. L. Williams, secretary of the Y. M. B. L., are in Austin this week. Mr. Williams is representing the irrigation association in a conference before the State Board of Water Engineers, while Mr. Guin goes on a double purpose, and will also appear before the water engineers, and will look after business in connection with the building of a light plant in this city.

Rev. and Mrs. D. Bierbaum, of Rowena, were shopping in Ballinger Monday.

CALL CONGRESS SPECIAL SESSION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—President Eleet Harding has practically decided to call a special session of the new Congress on April 4th, the House way, and means committee was informed today by Chairman Fordney, who had just returned from a conference with Mr. Harding at Marion, Ohio.

Mr. Harding discussed with Chairman Fordney the general taxation and tariff questions which will be among the more important subjects, coming before the special session of the new Congress.

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at less than regular price. When you see the desirable materials---at our wonderfully low prices, you will say the time to buy is doubly favorable.

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\$1.60 Cordial Cherries \$1.15	\$2.50 Hope Chest . . . \$1.75
\$3.00 Round Box . . . \$2.25	\$3.50 Heap o' Livin' . . . \$2.20
\$1.40 Assorted Chocolates . . . 90c	\$4.00 Maxfield . . . \$2.90
\$1.75 Nut Chocolates . . . \$1.25	\$4.75 Egypt . . . \$3.25
\$1.50 Box Bountiful . . . \$1.05	\$7.00 All Chocolates . . . \$4.65
\$3.75 Chocolate Nuts . . . \$2.45	\$8.75 Canary Cottage \$5.50
\$1.75 Mary Garden . . . \$1.10	

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

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The man who pays his dog's poll tax and leaves his wife's poll tax unpaid, may be a good husband, but he is a poor tax payer.

Fortune tellers have been ordered to leave an oil field town because they are said to be responsible for heavy divorce records, by telling wives to look out for other women.

The man and woman who are charged \$1.75 each for the privilege of voting does not get his or her money's worth, but it is a law and the burden should fall equally on all. We opposed the measure when it was made a part of the constitution.

BABYS COLDS
are soon "nipped in the bud" without "dosing" by use of
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Yarns Used Yearly

The government has spent thousands of dollars to exterminate prairie dogs and other pests, while the rats and rabbits, the chiefs of pests, continue to thrive and multiply. It seems that the people have fallen into the habit of waiting for the government to do for them what they should do for themselves, and a rabbit law should be considered by the present band of law-makers.

For a Persistent Cough
Some years ago, H. P. Burbage, a student at law in Greenville, S. C., had been troubled for a long while with a persistent cough which he says, "greatly alarmed me, causing me to fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Having seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised he concluded to try it. "I soon felt a remarkable change and after using two bottles of the small size was permanently cured."

Brownwood citizens continue to boost the oil game, and declare

that indications for a favorable find are good. Deep wells continue to go down and others are under contract. It is just such persistent pluck that knocks the grapes. The most skeptical are inclined to believe that Runnels county is built over an oil pool, but at the present writing the development here seems to be lagging.

To drive our worms that are eating away the strength and vitality of your child, use White's Cream Vermifuge. It expels the worms without injury to the child. Price 35c. Sold by all druggists.

There may be more art in saving money than in making money, but did you ever stop to think that you couldn't make money if the other fellow did not spend it? Economy is practicing common sense, but to get all and give nothing is the policy of a "tight wad."

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BALLINGER BOY LEADS JAP FIGHT

Finley Ewing, post commander of the American Legion at Harlingen, and who is leading the fight against the colonization of Japanese in the Rio Grande valley, was born in Ballinger, coming into this world while his father, Rev. C. L. Ewing, was pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city. Rev. Ewing was here Monday en route to his home at Brownwood from Paint Rock, where he preached Sunday. He stated that he had received an interesting letter from his son concerning the attempt to colonize Japs in Texas, and said that telegrams from many states and from all over Texas were sent to the Legion post at Harlingen, commending them for their stand against settlement of Japs in Texas.

When the first Jap families arrived in Harlingen with their household goods, and farm equipment, including tractors, etc., the citizens became indignant and took steps to prevent the Japs from settling, but didn't have the nerve to speak out when the land agents appeared on the scene and called a meeting of the citizens to discuss the proposition. It was then that the American Legion came to the front and after stating that no violence would be done the Orientals, gave them to understand that no Japs would be permitted to settle in that country. The Japs had purchased the

land and the Legion has pledged its support to break the deal and have the money refunded to the Japanese, and in the meantime the same trouble with which California has been contending is before Texas law makers. The Legionnaires declare that they stand for law and order and that they consider it law and order to keep Japs out of the Rio Grande valley, and they are emphatic in the warning given land owners and those who are responsible for bringing the "yellow peril" to Texas.

AS OTHER COUNTIES SEE US.

The Commissioners' Court of Runnels county recently decided to discontinue the work of the County Farm Agent. Vigorous protests were made by a number of farmers, who finally proposed that they would defray the expense of an election covering the question, in order to ascertain the will of the majority. The Commissioners have declined this very generous offer, and are now being subjected to a more or less bitter fight by the farmers.

The County Farm Agent is one of the most important officials in any county, and while it is not the function of The Bulletin to offer advice to the Runnels county Commissioners, we nevertheless believe that they are making a grave mistake in discontinuing the Farm Agent's work there. The cost is small, in comparison with the sometimes marvelous results obtained. Progressive farmers desire the assistance of the agent, and it is the duty of the county to co-operate with the national government in giving it to them.—Brownwood Bulletin.

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The same Willard quality—backed by the same authorized Willard Service.

Ballinger Auto Co.
Phone 506

Willard Batteries

FARMERS PUT UP FOR FARM AGENT

Those delegated to "pass the hat," and put the county's part of the Farm Agent's salary in the treasury to keep the good work going here, report that they are meeting with success.

Many farmers in Ballinger Saturday subscribed to the fund, paying in the cash, and reports from members of the committee in other parts of the county indicate that the amount will be raised in cash without any trouble.

Amounts ranging from \$1 to \$25 are being subscribed and paid in. The committee is collecting the money as they get the subscriptions, and this will eliminate the unnecessary work of sending out a collector after the money has been subscribed.

College Station authorities, under whose direction the government is supporting Farm Agents in Texas, look upon the work in Runnels county as being of such vital importance, in view of the fact that the National Farm Bureau is about to be introduced in this county, that they made an exception in accepting private subscription, to supplement the government's portion of the expense, and this makes it possible to continue the work in Runnels county.

The National Farm Bureau is proving successful in counties where branch organizations have been perfected, and farmers are

profiting greatly through the marketing system where the bureau has been perfected.

Had Cold and Cough Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Several years ago C. D. Glass, Gardiner, Me., contracted a severe cold and cough. He tried various medicines but instead of getting well he kept adding to it by contracting fresh colds. Nothing he had taken for it was of any permanent benefit until a druggist advised him to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says "I was completely cured by this remedy and have since always turned to it when I had a cold and soon find relief."

Judge M. Weathersby came up from Coleman Saturday and spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Douglass. Mrs. Weathersby, who had been the guest of Mrs. Douglass for a few days, accompanied her husband home Sunday afternoon.

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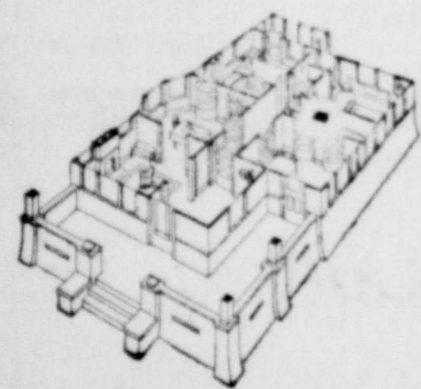
Good eyesight develops initiative, while bad eyes encourage procrastination. You cannot afford to go without our glasses if your vision is defective.

We give sound advice regarding your eyes. Glasses are recommended only when needed and then only the right kind.

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- They protect you from fraud.
- Don't miss the advertisements.
- They are guide-posts to better buying.



Our Own Home

We all build our hopes around a home of our own. Those who haven't a home look with envy on those fortunate individuals who have.

If you are wishing for a home talk the matter over with us. Many of your seeming obstacles will vanish when you submit your problems to us for solution.

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TO COLONIZE MEXICAN LAND

G. G. Carlisle, W. B. Page and M. C. McBride are at home from a week's visit to old Mexico.

The party crossed over into Mexico at Eagle Pass, and made a trip of forty miles by auto into the southern republic.

"I think Mexico offers wonderful possibilities for investors and there is such a great field for development," said Mr. Carlisle.

"We saw lots of deer and other game," said Mr. Carlisle, "and pretty streams for fishing, and the man who wants to go that far on a hunting trip can find all the game he wants."

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they can not reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

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TRUTH ABOUT AVERAGE MAN

Not a Bad Fellow at Heart, and Really is at Least Entitled to Toleration.

The average man is not a bad fellow when you come to know him. You have to make his acquaintance if you are not to hold yourself aloof from this human, interdependent world.

He needn't always be given all that he asks for; sometimes he makes mistakes, and sometimes he wants what isn't good for him.

Leaders of men have learned to deal with the average man, to talk his language and to understand his ways.

SCORED ON THE PRINCIPAL

Young School Teacher Got Gloriously Even for Long Series of Sarcastic Observations.

Now, the principal of this school is sarcastic as well as intelligent, and whenever she happens to mention a subject and finds that her teachers are ignorant on the subject she "bawls them out" for their ignorance.

Recently the principal acquired "a man" who was a widower. She is proud of the acquisition, mentioning him often in her conversations.

The other morning she began to ask the teachers about an article she had just read in the paper. Now, none of them had read it.

The newest recruit smiled sweetly and wisely. "Of course," she returned, "but not everything in them. We just have time to read the society page and then the death and funeral list so that we shall know who the new widowers are."

Autolog for Wolves.

The motorcycle threatens to out-ride the broncho as an instrument of locomotion on Western ranches and cattle ranges. According to the Illustrated World, cowboys are using it for rounding up cattle, driving in stray animals, inspecting long lines of fences and other such work.

She Knew.

The girls in the seventh grade all wore large hair bows made of beautiful, bright tissue paper. They were not only inexpensive but so pretty that they were declared a great success until one day it rained.

Then teacher smiled. She too had preferences.—Indianapolis News.

Belt Full of Sea Lion Scapls.

As the sea lion is regarded as the worst enemy of the salmon, the state of Washington pays a bounty of \$2.50 on every sea lion scalp and recently William Hunter, who devotes his entire time to hunting sea lions, collected \$880 for 352 scalps which he gathered during the season.

Black Opal Prized.

Almost every known gem is mined in Australia. The black opal is the most beautiful of all. It has increased 300 per cent in value in the last two years and the best quality now brings nearly \$40 a carat.

IRRIGATION PARTY LEAVES

A delegation from the Colorado Valley Irrigation Association, consisting of C. S. Guin and S. L. Williams of Ballinger; County Judge E. J. Stockton, W. Robt. Krierim, and Sam Sayner, of Bronte; and W. A. Murff of San Angelo, left here at 4:13 Sunday afternoon to attend the State Irrigation Conference at Austin.

While in Austin the delegation will confer with the State Board of Water Engineers with reference to securing a state survey of the project.

The Irrigation Conference is attracting considerable attention over the state, the larger dailies featuring it in their Sunday issues.

At this time the most practical plan for the Colorado Valley Association seems to be to organize an irrigation district and issue bonds for financing the big project, but before the district can be created it must be determined what land is irrigable and what land is not, in order to fix boundaries for the project and prepare for the bond issue.

The committee which was sent to Austin is to report to a meeting of interested citizens from four counties, which is to be held in Ballinger on Feb. 5th.

SWEET HOME BOX SUPPER A SUCCESS

The box supper given at the Sweet Home school Saturday night for the purpose of raising money to buy some necessary equipment for the school was a big success. We realized \$35 from the supper.

County Superintendent Bugz, and Prof. Mayfield came out from Ballinger. Mr. Bugz presented a fountain pen to the most popular girl in a voting contest. Miss Alta Wallace received the most votes and received the pen.

The teachers of the school wish to thank every one for their presence and support. The liberal contributions show that the people have an interest in their schools and are ready to aid in their improvement.

Avoid irregularity in the bowel movements, it leads to chronic constipation; a condition that poisons the blood and breeds disease. Prickly Ash Bitters is a man's remedy for putting the system in order.

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NOTICE TO BANKING CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND INDIVIDUAL BANKERS.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Runnels County, Texas, will receive sealed proposals, until 10 o'clock a. m. February 14th, 1921, from banking corporations, associations, and individual bankers, of Runnels County, desiring to be selected county depository, stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association, or individual banker offers to pay on the funds of the county for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository. Said bids shall be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$5,000 as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bidder, and that if his bid be accepted he will enter into bond as required by law.

O. L. PARISH, County Judge, Runnels County, Texas. J-17-24-31

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LOST—Tail light and auto No. 299130. Return to Geo. Allen. 17-2td*

FARM WANTED—I want to hear from party having farm for sale. Give price and description. B. B. Howard, Champaign, Ill. 17-2td-Itw*

WANTED—Good Milch Cow for feed, will feed well and take good care of her. Phone 4103. 15-3td*

WANTED—We need 5 copies of The Daily Ledger of Jan. 5th, 1921, for our files. Will pay 10 cents per copy for first 5 copies delivered at Ledger office. tf-d

FOR RENT—Good bed rooms close in, phone 179. tf-d*

LAND TO RENT—Some on halves and some on thirds and fourths. R. W. Bruce. 11-tfd

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car, a good one. Shepperson Auto Co., Chevrolet dealers.

WANTED—Will pay liberally for big, white, clean, cotton rags. The Ballinger Printing Co. tf-d

NO TURN DOWNS ON ICE COMPANY

"We have been getting the cash this morning, and have not met with a single turn down," said a member of the committee appointed to collect the stock subscriptions to the Citizens Ice Company Monday morning. It was about noon when the said member was doing his talking, all of which sounded good to those who are so vitally interested in seeing the proposition put over.

Of the \$35,000.00 subscribed the committee expects to have at least \$30,000 of the amount paid in by Wednesday night, or quicker, if the committees can make the rounds. The stock was subscribed largely in small amounts, by individuals, and it will require some time to call on each subscriber. The plan is to collect the entire amount which has been subscribed just as quick as it can be done, and the money will be held in escrow pending the perfection of the organization by calling a stockholders' meeting and electing a board of directors, and the order for the ice machinery will be placed by wire and the project rapidly pushed. Ground will be broken and the building commenced immediately if the money is forthcoming, it is stated.

The question is now up to those who subscribed. If they put the money where they have put their signatures, the plant will be built and in ample time to take care of the ice business in this city and territory during the coming season.

Several committees are hard at work this afternoon, and intend to push the stock raising until the last man is seen, and if you have not purchased stock now is the time. It is also stated that any who desire to increase their subscriptions may do so today.

Have your check ready when the committee calls. Do not throw a stumbling block in the way of the proposition and then next summer "cuss" the town because you can't get ice. Remember last summer's experience and then fortify yourself.

A bad wound, burn or cut should be cleansed of dirt or impurities and dressed with Liquid Borozone. It heals the flesh with marvelous speed. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

OTHER COUNTIES TO ISSUE ANNUALS

County Superintendent J. J. Bugg has received a request from an engraving company for ten copies of the "Ruralview," for the purpose of using them as models for other counties which will issue rural annuals this year.

The county annual issued in this county last year under the direction of Prof. Bugg was the first county annual ever issued in Texas. The state superintendent, Miss Blanton, was so well impressed with the big annual and the stimulus that it will add to educational interest and bring the rural schools close in touch with each other, that she sent out a circular letter recommending that other counties pattern after Runnels county, and as a result the engraving house has been called on for suggestions and ideas, and the Runnels county annual is wanted as a copy to go by. This shows the originality with which Superintendent Bugg does his work.

Herbine corrects biliousness, indigestion and constipation. It is a fine herbal medicine that drives out impurities and restores healthy conditions in the system. Price, 60c. Sold by all druggists.

Lodge Meeting

Ballinger Lodge A. F. and A. M. No. 643 will hold stated meeting Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 7:00 p. m. All members are urged to be present. Visiting members are cordially invited.

Hugh Campbell, W. M., C. R. Crews, Secretary.

Take a dose of Herbine when you are bilious or constipated, or your stomach is out of order. It is a marvel of promptness in correcting these conditions. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

Look—Look

Prominent Ballinger couple to wed at Carnegie Library, Friday Jan. 21. Everybody attend. 15-2td

Rubber Stamps.—The Ballinger Printing Co.

NEPHEW KILLED IN ACCIDENT DALLAS NAMES MARKET MASTER

Dr. J. G. Douglass received a message about two o'clock Monday afternoon stating that his nephew, Martin Douglass, had been killed in a street accident at Galveston. The message gave no further particulars.

The boy was the thirteen-year-old son of Judge and Mrs. J. G. Douglass, there being only six days difference between the ages of the unfortunate boy and Sidney, the adopted son of Dr. and Mrs. Douglass, who died suddenly here two days before Christmas. Judge Douglass is general claim agent for the Santa Fe at Galveston. He and his wife joined Dr. and Mrs. Douglass at Cleburne Christmas, where they went with the remains of Sidney, and Dr. and Mrs. Douglass left Monday afternoon to join the bereaved parents at Temple and accompany them to Fort Worth, where the message stated the funeral will be held Tuesday.

While no particulars of the accidental death were given in the message, coming a couple of hours after noon, it is presumed that the boy was either going or coming from school, and was probably killed by an auto or street car.

Coming so soon after the recent death in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Douglass of this city, makes the sorrow doubly heavy for the parents and relatives to suffer, and in this they have the sympathy of their friends.

Dr. and Mrs. Douglass left on the afternoon train Monday, leaving in a short time after receiving the message. They will join their brother and wife at Temple and accompany them to Fort Worth.

For sick headache, backache, heartburn, nervous weakness and constipation, Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy that men use. It purifies the bowels, tones the stomach, clears the brain, sweetens the breath, restores energy and cheerfulness. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

Ledger classifieds bring results

DALLAS, Jan. 17.—With the official title of Municipal Market Master, Theophilus Lee, a student in the school of Theology at the Southern Methodist University here, is in charge of the city market of Dallas, managing and policing the sale of country produce by farmers, at the market. He is also manager of the spring garden campaign, with the objective of a garden in every vacant lot and backyard, in Dallas.

The Parent-Teachers' Association is co-operating with Mr. Lee and will make a house to house canvass. Pictures urging the importance of the movement will be shown in the leading theatres.

Lee is a graduate student in the university and is working in the theological department. Many students of the university are working their way through school aided by the opportunities afforded here.

When You are Bilious.

To promote a healthy action of the liver and correct the disorders caused by the biliousness Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent. Try them and see how quickly they give you a relish for your food and banish that dull stupid feeling.

YOU CAN SAVE 25%

of your living expenses if you buy for cash.

E. A. JEANES & CO. "Great is the Power of Cash." 13-3td

J. T. Billups of the Tritt country, was here on business Monday.

DR. F. D. MARQUISS

Graduate Veterinarian

Phone 454. Office at City

Wagon Yard, Ballinger.

We're "Spinning the Motor" and Warming Things Up for a Big

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

THE PRICE BARS ARE DOWN—and the people appreciate the fact by their liberal patronage. This store now, as always since our arrival, persistently and continually offers values that command attention. Our business has increased rapidly, each sale we feature adds to our steadily growing list of customers, for each pleased customer tells another, and we prosper largely through our friends. Note the special features that will be on sale at the low price named and for cash.

Men's Hats at Half Price

Except Stetson's

DRESS SHIRTS LESS THAN HALF

Table listing men's shirts and prices: \$7.50 Men's Shirts \$2.95, \$6.00 Men's Shirts \$2.55, \$5.00 Men's Shirts \$2.00, \$4.50 Men's Shirts \$2.00, \$4.00 Men's Shirts \$1.75, \$3.50 Men's Shirts \$1.50, \$10.00 Silk Shirt \$5.95

SPECIAL PRICES ON HOSE

Table listing hose prices: \$1.50 Everwear Silk Hose \$1.00, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Hose 75c

All Ties at Half Price. All Sweaters at Half Price.

COOPER'S UNDERWEAR AT SPECIAL PRICES

Table listing Cooper's underwear prices: \$4.00 Cooper's Underwear \$2.75, \$3.50 Cooper's Underwear \$2.50, \$3.00 Cooper's Underwear \$2.00

Stone & Thorp

The Men's Store

Daily shipments of Fresh bunch Vegetables from South Texas gardens. E. A. Jeanes & Co. J. A. Hadden of San Angelo, spent Sunday in Ballinger with friends and relatives.

..MOVING..

Opposite Court House Lawn Next to Stubbs Grocery Store. STORAGE

\$4.00 per Month; 25 cents for Day and Night.

Storage Batteries 25 per cent Off List. Willard, Standard and U. S. L.

Best Equipped Electric Service Station. Register your Battery with us and we will look after it and water it Free of Charge.

Tires 10 and 5 per cent Off List. Tubes Free with Casings.

Gasoline—all you want—26 cents.

Webb Brothers will have charge of the Repair Shop and they are both First Class Mechanics, one of them has been with Harwell Motor Company for some time, and the other one has been working in Oklahoma. You will get a square deal from them and will not pay for hours put in on other cars and will pay for only the parts put in your car—Every part will be checked twice.

Give us your business and save from 25 per cent to 100 per cent.

Nance-Stroble Auto Electric Co.

Phone 109 Opposite C. H. L.

Building Lots

We have some well located building lots in the M. C. Smith block, price \$350.00 and up—terms

E. Shepperd & Company

Rental Agents

START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT BY BUYING YOUR GROCERIES AT THIS STORE

L. B. Stubbs

Phones 93 and 94

The Maeroy Theatre Today

Select Presents a Submarine Special

"Girl of the Sea"

Most exciting, nerve ripping battle ever staged under water, in which a diver and a devilish fight to a finish on the bed of the ocean.

Selznick News

Admission 10c and 25c

Tomorrow

J. Warren Kerrigan in "Turn of the Road" Star Comedy "Her Night Out"