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## STOP OPPOSITION TO SUNDAY SHOW.

DENISON, Jan. 29.—Objection to Sunday exhibition of moving picture shows to raise funds for European relief, which was raised here by the pastors association has been withdrawn. The pastor's association based their objection at first on what they believed was a plan to restore Sunday shows. The objection was about to disrupt the shows staged for tomorrow.

## COURT ISSUES ORDER TO STOP HOME BREAKING

HOUSTON, Jan. 29.—An injunction was granted by Judge Ewing Boyd today, restraining one man from breaking up the home of another.

J. J. Owens filed the petition in Judge Boyd's court, alleging that Henry Rogers, the defendant had entered his home ejected him and was making an attempt to persuade Mrs. Owens to elope with him. Rogers is also attempting to take Owens' furniture the petition declared. There are two children in the Owens family. Judge Boyd issued a temporary order restraining Rogers from coming on the premises of Owens' home or attempting to remove the furniture and from persuading the wife to leave the home.

Rev. A. N. Glover, left Saturday at noon for Millersview, where he is scheduled to preach Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reasonover returned from Dallas, Saturday at noon, where they went to consult an oculist and have an operation performed on Mrs. Reasonover's eye.

## WANT TEN YEAR BAN ON ALL U.S. MANUFACTURES

ATLANTA, Jan. 29.—Resolutions proposing a ten year ban on the importations of all goods made or can be made in the United States, is before the Southern Tariff Congress, in session here today, and will be acted on at a final session of the congress held this afternoon.

The congress has gone on record as favoring the Fordney emergency tariff measure. Visiting guests at the congress today included Mr. Joel Chandler Harris, of Wren's Nest Home whose late husband was the creator of "Uncle Remus."

## TEX. LAWMAKERS VISITING SCHOOLS

DENTON, Jan. 29.—Seventy-five members of the Texas legislature are guests today of the local chamber of commerce. The legislators came in on a special train at the request of this city for the purpose of inspecting the College of Industrial Arts and the North State Normal College. After an inspection of the properties today they will return to Austin tonight.

## FORT WORTH GETS FRUIT JOBBERS MEET

FORT WORTH, Jan. 29.—This city today won the 1922 convention of the Western Fruit Jobbers Association, which is now in session at Pueblo, Colorado, according to a message received by interested parties here.

## CAN'T REGULATE INTERURBAN RATES

AUSTIN, Jan. 29.—Doubt is expressed today by the railroad commission as to whether it has authority to regulate rates of interurban lines.

The commission recommended that legislature amend existing laws and give it power to fix rates.

8th Street Presbyterian Church Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m. An open meeting. Everybody invited to attend.

Topic: C. E. (What it Stands For.)

Leader: David Coulter. If you do not know what C. E. stands for—come and learn.

Mrs. Claude Wilmett is at home from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Joe Blagg at Brownwood.

Europe will have to use its hands to get on its feet.

## GERMANY TO PAY HEAVY PENALTY

PARIS, Jan. 29.—The charges for the war have been made against Germany and the terms of settlement fixed, according to plans approved today by the allied supreme council. Under the terms of the plan agreed upon by a special committee last night and approved by the supreme council, Germany will be required to pay as reparations two hundred and twenty-six billion in gold marks in forty-two annual installments.

Germany will be required to pay in the first two installments two billion marks, the next three installments three billion marks, the next three installments four billion marks, the next three installments five billion marks, and the next thirty-one installments six billion marks each.

In addition to the above Germany will be required to pay twelve per cent tax on exports, or about one billion and five hundred million marks in gold.

The task of collecting the large fund falls to the reparation committee. As a guarantee for payment of the above indemnity the plan approved by the council provides for a seizure of the German customs or taxes increased in default of payment.

## DALLAS ROBBER IS SEEKING BOND

DALLAS, Jan. 29.—Application for a writ of habeas corpus will be filed in criminal court here today in behalf of Albert Rowan, indicted for murder in connection with the death of George Street, postal employe, according to counsel for Rowan.

Rowan is also under indictment by a federal grand jury for the alleged planning of the post office robbery here on January 14th. Maury Hughes, County Attorney, said that he would oppose any effort to obtain the release of Rowan, and contends that the case is not bailable.

Rowan's counsel declared that he could make \$25,000 bond as fixed for the federal indictment, but no bond for the murder has been agreed upon and it is for this charge the writ of habeas corpus will be applied for. Rowan was arrested yesterday on both the federal indictment and for the murder of the post office clerk.

The Ladies Home Journal, The Woman's Home Companion, The American Magazine for February on sale Monday by the Underwood News Co. 1td.

The plumb is used to straighten building lines; the plum to straighten party lines.

## IRISH MAYOR TO SAIL FEB. 11TH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Donald O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork who came to the United States as a stowaway, has been ordered by Secretary of Labor Wilson, to leave the United States by February 1st. O'Callaghan is now in this country as a seaman awaiting an opportunity to reship himself to Ireland.

The University of Cincinnati is to have a tanning department. Boy, page the o. f. schoolmaster.

Many industrial workers may be asked to take three-quarters of a loaf, but that is better than no bread.

A Canadian captain, just returned from the Arctic regions, has been told that the war is over—but is it!

## MANY COMING TO IRRIGATION MEET

One of the most important conferences ever held in this city will be that of the Colorado Valley Irrigation Association which will convene here on Feb. 5th to hear a report of the committee sent to the State Irrigation conference at Austin, and to take the next step looking to the perfection of the big irrigation project on the Colorado River.

Delegates from Tom Green, Coke, Concho and Runnels counties will attend the conference here on the fifth, and it is expected members of the state board of water engineers will also be here, and plans for making the preliminary survey under the direction of the State Water Board will be put under way.

At the recent conference with the State Board, the representatives of the Colorado Valley Irrigation Association were promised state aid in making the preliminary survey, and the state engineers are expected to be on the job at an early date.

This project is of such magnitude that it is hard to estimate what the value to this country will be. Thousands of acres of fertile land will be increased in value from \$25 to \$1000 and more per acre.

The public will be invited to attend the conference here next month.

The next meeting of the Colorado Valley Irrigation Association will be held in the Court house in Ballinger on Saturday, Feb. 5th at 1:30 p. m.

It is expected by the Association officials to bring irrigation matters in this section to a head at the Ballinger meeting.

An unusually interesting program is being prepared by Secretary Williams, which will include addresses by Dean J. C. Nagles, of the Engineering Department of A. & M. College; J. A. Norris and W. R. Clark of the Board of Water Engineers, and Will L. Vining of Orange, Texas.

The delegation from Ballinger, San Angelo and Bronte which attended the State Irrigation Conference at Austin, January 17th, will have a very optimistic report to make. This committee also conferred with the Board of Water Engineers and induced them to come to this section and make an investigation of the proposed project.

Delegations are expected at the meeting from San Angelo, Robert Lee, Tennyson, Bronte, Miles, Rowena, Paint Rock, Harriet and other towns within the district.

## NAVY JEALOUS OF AIRPLANES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Secretary Daniels, of the navy department, was aroused today by the testimony before the House appropriations sub-committee by Brig. General William Mitchell, chief of the army air service, to the effect that battleships had been rendered practically useless by the rapid development made in aircraft.

Lon Mapes orders The Ledger to go to his daughter, Mrs. S. P. Fritz, at Cochise, Arizona, for a year.

The majority never engages in fault-finding—it is in power and is using the soft pedal on its shortcomings.

Success to you in 1921, but you'll have to hustle for it.

## WHITE-BLACK COUNT MADE IN SAN TONE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The negro population of San Antonio was announced today the census bureau showing that San Antonio has a negro population of 14,155, an increase of 3,639, or 34 per cent. The final count of the white population is given at 146,795, an increase of 60,994, or 70.1 per cent. All other population is given at 229.

## PERUVIAN SHIPS GREET U.S. FLEET

CALLAO, Peru, Jan. 29.—Several Peruvian warships sailed from this port today to go out and welcome the United States Atlantic Fleet which is en route to visit here. Several vessels loaded with sight-seers also sailed to meet the American fleet.

## INCOME COLLECTOR'S DATE

I will maintain an office at the points and on the dates given below for the purpose of assisting individual taxpayers in the preparation of their 1920 Income Tax Returns:

Miles, February 10th.  
Ballinger, February 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th.

Winters, February 15th, 16th and 17th.

Wingate, February 18th.  
Rowena, February 19th.  
Mertzon, February 21st.

## WEST TEXAS RAILROAD IMPROVEMENTS POSTPONED

FORT WORTH, Jan. 29.—Hale Holden, of Chicago, president of the Burlington system and Fort Worth & Denver railroads, who completed a survey of inspection of the properties in the Panhandle and West Texas today, said that extensive improvement program recently announced would be postponed until after April first. Much work on the line from here to Colorado had been planned.

## CO. FARM AGENT IN STATEMENT

By the kindness and interest of Runnels county farmers we have been retained as County Agent for this county.

We had a very attractive proposition offered us in another county but after the unusual sentiment and support of so large a number of farmers in this county and feeling that with that character of support back of me, my services here could be more effective than in any other county.

It is with the sincerest gratitude to the many friends in practically every community in the county that I make this public statement.

Within the next few weeks we shall put on a systematic campaign for the establishment of a Farm Bureau in this county. After this has been organized we will then be able to serve the county more systematically and efficiently as we will then have an organization through which we can function.

The county's part of my salary is now being paid by a farmer's organization exclusively, and all funds handled by a committee for that purpose and has no connection with the late Runnels County Warehouse Association and involves none of the Associations funds.

My office days will be Monday and Saturday of each week. Parties desiring to see me in my office on other days can arrange conference by phoning my office, Phone 39, or residence phone 549. I will continue to office with the Y. M. B. L. I am at your service, ready to help you in any way that I can.

D. F. EATON,  
County Agent

## HOUSE PASSING ON MEAT INDUSTRY BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The house today voted 11 to 5 to proceed with the senate meat industry bill without a hearing.

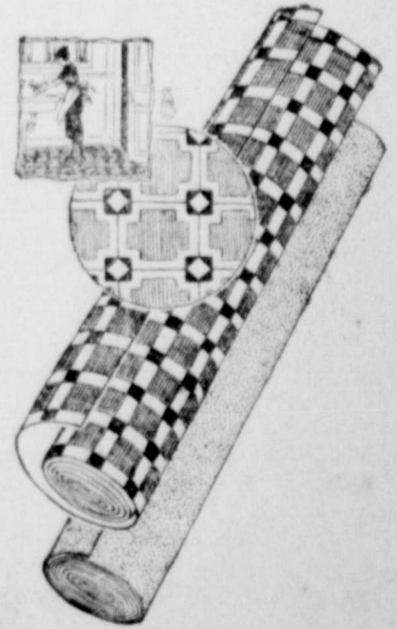
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\$5.00 Picture Frames \$2.75	\$6.50 Hair Brushes .....\$3.95
\$4.25 Picture Frames \$2.25	\$4.00 Hair Brushes .....\$2.40
\$1.25 Picture Frames .75c	\$1.00 Buffers .....60c
\$3.25 Perfume Bottles \$1.75	75c Buffers .....47c
\$1.50 Perfume Bottles .90c	\$1.50 Nail Files .....85c
\$5.00 Puff Boxes .....\$2.85	75c Nail Files .....47c
\$4.00 Puff Boxes .....\$2.25	\$7.00 Trays .....\$4.00
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A special train will be run out of Ranger during the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting thru the Ranger and Breckenridge oil fields as one of the entertainment features.

The man who suggested the coining of a half nickel should not hurry with his suggestion. If we wait awhile maybe the nickel will some day be worth that much.

**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."

**KEEPING TAB ON CHURCH GOERS**

A church in Aurora, Neb., has adopted a somewhat unusual method of checking upon the attendance of members. It is the same as used by business concerns for keeping a record of employes present and on time or otherwise, but it has not been followed long enough to determine if strict business rules can be injected into religion.

Each member receives a card which is to be presented at services. An attendant punches the card to show time of attendance and character of service. At regular periods these cards are gathered and the record of the members ascertained. Any brother or sister who has fallen below a fixed standard for attendance will be called before the official board, and the persuasive influence of that body will be exercised. The card system will work one of two ways—it will stimulate the attendance of members who do not desire to be known as delinquents, or it will drive them from the church. It will probably be found that the best way as well as the easiest to interest persons in attending church is to make the services so attractive that they will not be willing to miss them.

**CHICHESTER'S PILLS**



**PEOPLE FLOCK HERE TO PAY TAXES**

Saturday was the big day of the season at the tax collector's office, and tax payers stacked up twenty deep and patiently waited their turn. A recent ruling that tax payers, or their agents, must appear in person has caused more visitors to the collector's office than usual. Heretofore many poll taxes have been paid on receipt of mail orders, but this plan was stopped by ruling of the attorney general in construing the law which says the tax payer must appear in person or his authorized agent must appear in person.

Monday will be the last day to qualify for voting, and will also be the last day to pay taxes and save the penalty which goes on after the last day of January. Monday will no doubt also be a big day. Poll tax payments will fall considerably under last year, notwithstanding that all women are supposed to pay this year. It is off year in politics, and the demand for poll tax receipts as a prerequisite to voting is not so great.

Don't let other engagements cheat you out of hearing Skovgaard, the violin wizard, at the Library January 31. 26-5d

R. L. Harwell left Thursday afternoon for Dallas and Fort Worth, where he will confer with other Ford dealers.

**HEN BRINGS \$2.10 ON LOCAL MARKET**

"We broke the record today for the highest price ever paid on the local market for chickens," said E. A. Jeanes, of E. A. Jeanes & Co. when we paid \$2.10 for one old bar red hen. The hen weighed even ten pounds and at twenty-one cents per pound, the market price today, brought \$2.10.

At the prevailing price it is a mighty sorry chicken which will not bring as much as a dollar. The big price paid for the big hen caused Mr. Jeanes to comment on what kind of chickens are the best for market. He said that poultry growers should remember that it is the big hens which bring the most money, and that a big hen is just as cheap to raise as a little hen.

Sam Briley, of Winters, was a visitor to Ballinger Saturday.

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.

**EASTLAND MAN IS KILLED AT HOME**

EASTLAND, Jan. 28.—Cal Yancy, 49, was shot through the head and instantly killed at his home here last night. Police are searching for his son-in-law, John Littleton, in connection with the shooting, who they state fled from the house immediately following the firing of the fatal shot.

The shooting occurred when Littleton came to the home of his father-in-law to see his wife, who had been living with her mother and father for about two weeks. After talking to her for a few minutes, Littleton, it is stated by the officers, opened the door and called to Yancy. Yancy, it is alleged, was killed when he started to rise.

**Notice to Prospective Students—**

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**JUDGE ORDERS PRESS NOT REPORT TRIAL**

TEMPLE, Jan. 28.—The case of J. N. Gunn, on trial in the district court of Bell county, is attracting wide attention and is being attended by large crowds. Gunn, who has been indicted for the double murder of his wife and stepson, near Sparks, Nov. 6, 1920, is being tried first for the murder of the latter, Hobart Keaton. A jury was secured from a special panel of 150 veniremen late Tuesday and asking of testimony began Wednesday morning.

Judge Blair imposed a prohibition on newspaper printing the testimony, but stated that he would lift the embargo in the event outside paper made publication. The State is being assisted in the prosecution by able counsel.

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**WOMAN KIDNAPED, HELD FOR RANSOM**

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28.—Mrs. Gladys Witherell, wife of O. S. Witherell, president of a loan and investment company, who disappeared from her home Tuesday night, has been kidnaped and is being held for ransom, according to communications received by relatives today and believed by the police to be bona fide.

**23 CENT GAS DURING PRICE CUTTING HERE**

A recent wholesale reduction in the price of gasoline, coupled with a little local competition, knocks five cents off the price of gas in Ballinger, bringing the price down from 28 cents to 23 cents, this week. This brings a saving of one dollar to the fellow with a twenty gallon tank on his car, which is calculated to add greatly to the pleasure of joy riding.

**HELP SAVE A CHILD SUNDAY**

With 3,500,000 children in Europe starving for the lack of food, the motion picture industry has called upon its forces to get behind the movement in an effort to help put it over the top. Through personal subscriptions of all employes, theatre owners and managers, this fund has already been materially added to Sunday, 30th, has been designated as motion picture day in every show house in the country, at which time motion picture performances will be given for the benefit of this fund. No admission will be charged to any theatre at this time, donations being collected allowing each and every person to give as much as he desires.

The Macro Theatre is co-operating in this national drive for the Child Feeding Fund. "Every ten spot saves a tot" is the motto of the workers. One ten dollar bill will feed a child one meal a day for a year. This is very close figuring when most of the American public spend that much for food each week.

Skeptical persons are crying over the fact that we are already aiding in relief work for other countries and forgetting our own. American today is the richest and most prosperous nation in the world. The \$35,000,000 that it is hoped will be raised by the country is to be spent in the United States in the purchase of food. Europe has been unable to raise a sufficient amount to supply her own people and it is the duty of this nation to come to their aid. Practically half of the fund has been raised up to this time, with a little more than one week to complete the total. Possibly forty thousand persons in the world have given something. Millions who can give have thus far remained silent.

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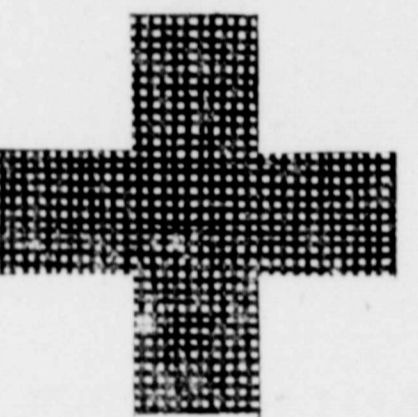
**AGED MAN SLEEPS 4 DAYS**

T. P. Brown, who recently received a message stating that his father, T. E. Brown, was very low at San Saba, stated Friday that his father was alright again. The senior Brown is 89 years old, and being of such age it was feared that his serious illness would prove fatal. It developed that Mr. Brown took an overdose of some kind of medicine he was taking for his nervous condition, and dropped off to sleep and enjoyed a four day nap. After reviving from the sleep he was as pert as ever. Mr. Brown lived in the Winters and Crews country for many years and is well-known in this county.

**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."

Lawson Allen, of the Norton country, went to Fort Worth Thursday afternoon, where he expects to undergo an operation in the army hospital. Mr. Allen saw service overseas and was wounded in the head with shrapnel. It has developed that all the fragments of the shell were not removed from the wound in the side of his head, and it has been giving him some trouble recently.



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**Citation by Publication**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. H. Sudduth, whose residence is unknown by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Ballinger, on the 2nd Monday in March, A. D. 1921, the same being the 14 day of March A. D. 1921 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 28th day of January A. D. 1921 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 2024, wherein Anna B. Sudduth is plaintiff and J. H. Sudduth, is defendant, and said petition alleging:

In the District Court of Runnels County, Texas, March Term A. D. 1921.

Mrs. Anna B. Sudduth vs. J. H. Sudduth.

To the Hon. Judge of said court: Now comes Mrs. Anna B. Sudduth who resides in Runnels county, Texas, hereinafter called plaintiff, complaining of J. H. Sudduth, whose residence to this plaintiff is unknown, hereinafter called defendant; and for cause of action plaintiff represents to the court that she is and has been for a period of more than twelve months prior to exhibiting this petition an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has been a resident of Runnels county for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit;

That on or about the 20th day of July A. D. 1920 in Ballinger, Runnels county Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to the defendant, that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 21st day of October A. D. 1920, when by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff, she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

Plaintiff alleges that during the time that she and the defendant lived together as aforesaid, she was kind and affectionate towards him, looking after the household duties, preparing his meals and otherwise trying to make a true and congenial wife, but defendant unmindful of the duties and obligations of his marital vows about one month prior to the time of their final separation began a course of unkind, harsh and cruel treatment towards plaintiff, which continued till their final separation, and until this plaintiff was forced to abandon the defendant.

That during the time of this said harsh cruel and unkind treatment, the defendant would fly into a rage and curse and abuse plaintiff and her 13 year old daughter who was making her home with plaintiff and defendant but who was the step-daughter of this defendant, that during these times defendant would curse and abuse plaintiff applying to her the vilest epithets without any cause or provocation whatever on

the part of this plaintiff.

That on or about the 21st day of October the date of their final separation defendant came to their home in Ballinger, Texas, late at night, made her get up out of bed and then he cursed and abused her and her 13 year old daughter, calling her a God damn Fool and cursing the little girl, and then procured a bed slat and attempted to strike plaintiff and but for interference would have struck her.

Plaintiff alleges that defendant's actions and conduct toward her generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable, as husband and wife, premises considered.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and that on final hearing hereof she have judgement dissolving the marriage relations, for cost of suit and for such other and further relief in law and in equity that she may be justly entitled to.

C. P. SHEPHERD,

Attorney for Plaintiff.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Ballinger, Texas, this, the 28 day of January A. D. 1921.

(Seal) Georgia Singletary, Clerk District Court, Runnels County, Texas. 29-5-12-19 D

**POPULAR NURSE MARRIES PROMINENT FARMER**

By the time the readers get this news, Miss Emmie Pagles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Pagles, of South Ballinger, will have become Mrs. Chas. Michealis, according to plans for the marriage, which is due to take place this evening.

Miss Pagle, is a graduate of the Ballinger Training School for Nurses and has been nursing in the Helley & Love sanitarium and in the homes of this county and at other places for several years, and has many friends who will wish her much happiness. She has chosen for a husband a prominent young farmer of the Hatchel country, and the happy couple will be at home at Hatchel.

**PLAY AT PAINT ROCK BRINGS CLASS \$49**

Aside from having a pleasant trip and enjoying the fun of the occasion, the Senior Class of the local high school, realized \$49 in their play presented to an appreciative audience at Paint Rock Friday night. The Paint Rock people turned out splendidly to greet the locals and the trip was made worth while.

**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. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or 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 surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces 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. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

J. D. Brewer, the plumber, left for Dallas and Fort Worth, last Thursday, where he goes on business.

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.

**HARD TO MATCH RUNNELS SCHOOLS**

The Model School News, published monthly in the interest of education at Dallas, carried a challenge to other schools to match Runnels county in point of standing of her schools. Lamar county, one of the oldest and wealthiest counties in Texas, came forward with an effort to match Runnels county, and says it has 98 schools, 68 of which are state aid schools, having met requirements to get state aid. Runnels county goes Lamar considerably better, but so far Lamar is the only county which has accepted the challenge.

The Model School News also makes the following comment concerning the rural schools of Runnels county:

We have just been privileged to see a copy of the "Rural Review" published by and for the rural schools of Runnels county.

This volume of two hundred and seventy pages is one of the best school annuals we have ever seen—in High Schools or College.

Every school in the county is represented with photos, names, etc. and the whole volume speaks hard and consistent work on the part of Miss Sue B. Mann, editor and John J. Bugg, business manager. It is no wonder that this county stand so high.

Ledger classifieds bring results

**COUNTING THE COST**

of new shoes for the children makes you stagger, does it not? Take our advice and save many dollars—have those well-worn shoes repaired here and add weeks, perhaps months, of wear to them. Good shoe repairing these days is a real economy you should not fail to take advantage of.

COY DRENNAN



The Ledger will pay more for in your discarded cotton dresses, clean cotton Rags than you could shirts and petticoats, and turn sell low grade cotton for. Bring them into cash.

**Children Cry for Fletcher's**

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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It Won't Cost much and helps the looks of any home.

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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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When it comes to quality we satisfy the most particular people and save them money in everything in the grocery line.

Our business being conducted on the principles of Little Profit and Large Sales we are able to invariably give you a higher quality of Groceries at a lower price than you can obtain elsewhere.

It therefore follows that you can live better at less cost by dealing with—

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**Big Cut in Ford Tractors**

**WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM**

Received At 20 DAX 142 BLUE PX Ballinger, Texas. Dallas, Tex. 10:16 AM Jan. 26-21. HARWELL MOTOR CO.—Ballinger, Tex.

Effective Wednesday January twenty-sixth List Price of Tractor \$696.00 F.O.B. Ballinger. With all advantages of greatly reduced price to customers with rock bottom reached on Tractor price. Any further reduction in list price of Ford Cars, Trucks and Tractors cannot be made for an indefinite period. In fact these prices have been made in anticipation of continuous maximum production and increase may be necessary soon if large volume of business is not obtained. With these facts placed before prospective customers you should move present stock quickly.

FORD MOTOR CO.

1:30 P. M.

We have a few Tractors on hand, but they will not last long at the above prices. Get yours today.

**HARWELL MOTOR COMPANY**



## TWO SISTERS GET HELP

Praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for what it did for Them

Hagerstown, Md.—"I was overworked and my monthly periods stopped. My body was swollen and I often had pains so I had to lie down. I was treated by a physician, but he did not seem to help me at all. My sister had taken your medicine with great results so I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now I am able to work and feel like working. I have been recommending your medicine to my friends, and you are welcome to use my testimonial for I can never praise your medicine enough for what it has done for me."—RHODA E. CARBAUGH, R. R. 1, Hagerstown, Md.

Women will tax their powers of endurance to the limit before giving up, and it is then some womanly ailment develops and they have to give up entirely. When a woman suffers from such symptoms as irregularities, headaches, backaches, bearing-down pains, inflammation, nervousness and "the blues," it is well for her to profit by Mrs. Carbaugh's experience and try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has restored multitudes of women suffering from such ailments.

## CASE ON TRIAL IN JUVENILE COURT

Frank Burch, Jr., charged with being a delinquent child, is on trial in county court, and the case will probably go over for several days before the court renders a decision in the case.

The boy is the fourteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burch, of near Maverick, and it is alleged that he committed aggravated assault on Arby Ridgway, the fourteen year old son of W. L. Ridgway, also of the Maverick country.

It is alleged that the difficulty took place at Maverick on Jan. 14th, when the two boys engaged in a fist fight, which later developed in to a more serious affray.

Testimony introduced by the prosecution tends to show that after the two boys had a fight, Burch later attacked Ridgway with a mesquite club and seriously injured him by blows on the head. It is alleged that the injury was of such nature that the Ridgway boy was kept out of school for several days.

The parents of the Burch boy were contesting the case, and ask for time in which to introduce evidence showing that their boy was acting in self defense, and was justified in the fight. During the pending of the disposition of the case the defendant is in the custody of his parents.

Skovgaard, the musical treat of all seasons, at Carnegie Library, January 31st.

**Baptist Church**  
All the regular services throughout the day.  
In the afternoon the Junior and Senior B. Y. P. U.'s will attend the county meeting at Hatcher.  
ALVIN SWINDELL.

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. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

R. A. Nicholson left Friday afternoon for Dallas, where he had business.

**Not If As Rich As Ceresus.**  
If you were as rich as Ceresus you could not buy a better remedy for constipation than Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy and pleasant to take and when the proper dose is taken produce a mild and gentle effect. They also strengthen the digestion.

Mrs. Tom Routh went to San Angelo Saturday afternoon, to spend Sunday with Mrs. Dr. Nibbling.

You will miss the musical treat of your life if you miss Skovgaard at Library January 31 26-5d

A. C. Molback, manager for Rogers-Higdon Co., left Saturday afternoon for the Eastern markets, to buy goods for the local store.

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.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Herring are occupying the Eight Street Presbyterian manse temporarily, or until this church secures a pastor.

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.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook are at home from an extended visit to Fort Worth and Dallas.

F. W. Hunter, of the Safety First Oil and Gas Co., left here Friday for Douglass, Arizona, where he will confer with the officials of the company and attend a stockholders meeting.

**Two Eclipses of Moon in 1921**  
FORT WORTH, Jan. 29.—Two eclipses of the moon will be visible in Texas in 1921, according to information from the local Weather Bureau. They will occur on April 21 and October 16. There will be no eclipse of the sun visible in Texas in 1921.

Jim Hubbard is here from his ranch in Glascock county.

## WEAR GOES WITH JEANES & COMP'Y.

Notice to the Public:

This will inform you that on January 1st, 1921, the Wear Grocery Company was consolidated with E. A. Jeanes & Company and will henceforth be conducted under the name of E. A. Jeanes & Company. Owing to the fact that E. A. Jeanes & Company were planning to enlarge and push the wholesale department of their business made it easy to arrive at an agreement for the consolidation of the two firms. Mr. Wear being a experienced salesman and a reliable business man proved to be just what E. A. Jeanes & Company were looking for. So through the consolidation of the two firms it is reasonable to believe that we are better prepared to successfully carry out our business plans.

We, under the firm name of E. A. Jeanes & Company, jointly thank the trade for their liberality patronage extended to the Wear Grocery Company and E. A. Jeanes & Company in the past and we trust you will continue favoring us with a liberal portion of your business in the future.

Respectfully,  
E. A. JEANES & CO.  
Inc.

Preparedness applies to the human body as well as to nations. A bottle of Prickly Ash Bitters on the shelf at home is the best and cheapest form of preparedness for indigestion, constipation and kidney troubles. It is the dose taken in time that wards off sickness and saves money. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

Chas. Boyd went to Galveston on business, Friday afternoon.

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For Infants and Children  
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## The Maeroy Theatre Today

Franklin Farnum in "DEATH PURSUES," episode 6 of "Vanishing Trails" A serial full of Action and tense scenes.

Hoot Gibson in "THE MAN WITH THE PUNCH." One of those Westerns of Today with "Grinning" Hoot Gibson as Leader.

"THE INVISIBLE GUEST," a view of the suffering Children of Europe.

"TEE TIME," a 2 reel Comedy featuring Billy Armstrong and Florence Lee.

Admission 10c and 25c  
Tomorrow  
FREE SHOW for Everybody Sunday. All Donations go to Hoover's Food Fund.  
Two Shows 2:00 p. m. and 3:30 p. m.

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**Methodist Church**  
Sunday school 9:45.  
W. A. Francis Superintendent, Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.  
Epworth League 6:15 p. m.  
Woman's Missionary Society, Monday 3:00 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening 7:30.

Rev. T. S. Barcus, Presiding Elder of the Brownwood district will preach at the evening hour and hold the first quarterly conference. Everybody has a cordial invitation to attend all of these services.

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Aching joints, rheumatic pains, neuralgia, can be relieved quickly by a rubbing application of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It is a powerful penetrating remedy. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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## Daily Ledger Want Ads

WANTED—House—3, 4 or 5 rooms, for long time. Inquire at Ledger office or ring 343. 22-dtf\*\*

FOR SALE—Two cultivators, one planter. Phone 6305. 27 6d\*

WANTED—One or two good show cases. W. E. Bartlett at studio. 27 3d

FOR RENT—Good bed rooms close in, phone 179. 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. tfd

WANTED—To trade, a good 5 passenger Auto practically new, for small 3 or 4 room house in Ballinger. Must be in good condition. Phone 161. 18-d&w-tf

Geo. Vaughn went to San Angelo Saturday afternoon, where Mrs. Vaughn is visiting her sister. Mrs. Vaughn will probably return home with Mr. Vaughn.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bruce chaperoned the Senior Class to Paint Rock Friday night where the class presented their home talent play.

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