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TRADES DAY PROGRAM GOOD

The first Trades Day to be held in Ballinger for many years was put over yesterday and those in charge are very much encouraged and are already planning for a much bigger one next month to be held on the first Monday in July.

The program took place on the old baseball grounds North of town and a big crowd turned out to encourage the performers in their efforts. The usual stunts that are seen at a performance of this kind were on the program and every event had plenty of entries to make it interesting. Broncho riding, steer riding, pony races, goat roping and cigar races were some of the events carried out. Next month there will be more events and people from many other towns have already signified their intention of being here to help make the day a big one and the Ballinger people should lend a helping hand and make this a big day. Riders from Bronte and Winters are to be here and the entire day will be spent in fun. The next first Monday will fall on July 4th, and many are coming from the country and will bring their baskets and spread their dinners in the old City Park and make an entire day of it. It is likely that the roping and riding events will be held in the morning next time and in the afternoon the Ballinger Bears will play a double-header baseball game with some other team of the West Texas League. Complete arrangements will be announced later.

Al H. Mayfield was winner in the steer riding contest yesterday, some saying it was a "frame up" between Mayfield and the steer, but anyway both refused to talk and Mayfield got first money. The goat roping was won by Shannon McWilliams, 1st, and Ralph Vancil and Buckner Bailey tied for 2nd place. Cigar race: Ralph Vancil, 1st; Chas. Evans, 2nd. Pony race, Fuleher.

Several rode in the broncho riding contest, and many more are being secured for the big show on July 4th.

TEN INDICTED FOR FRAUD

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 7.—Indictments charging ten men with obtaining between \$600,000.00 and \$750,000.00 fraudulently, by selling stock in the Pen Burk Burnett Oil Company of Fort Worth, Texas, on a promise of dividends yielding twenty-four per cent yearly, was returned by the Federal grand jury here today.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 7.—Three men, it is alleged, have operated a company under a similar name to another concern in the Burk Burnett Oil Company, with a view to deceiving the investing public.

"Local Favorite"

OUR SODA

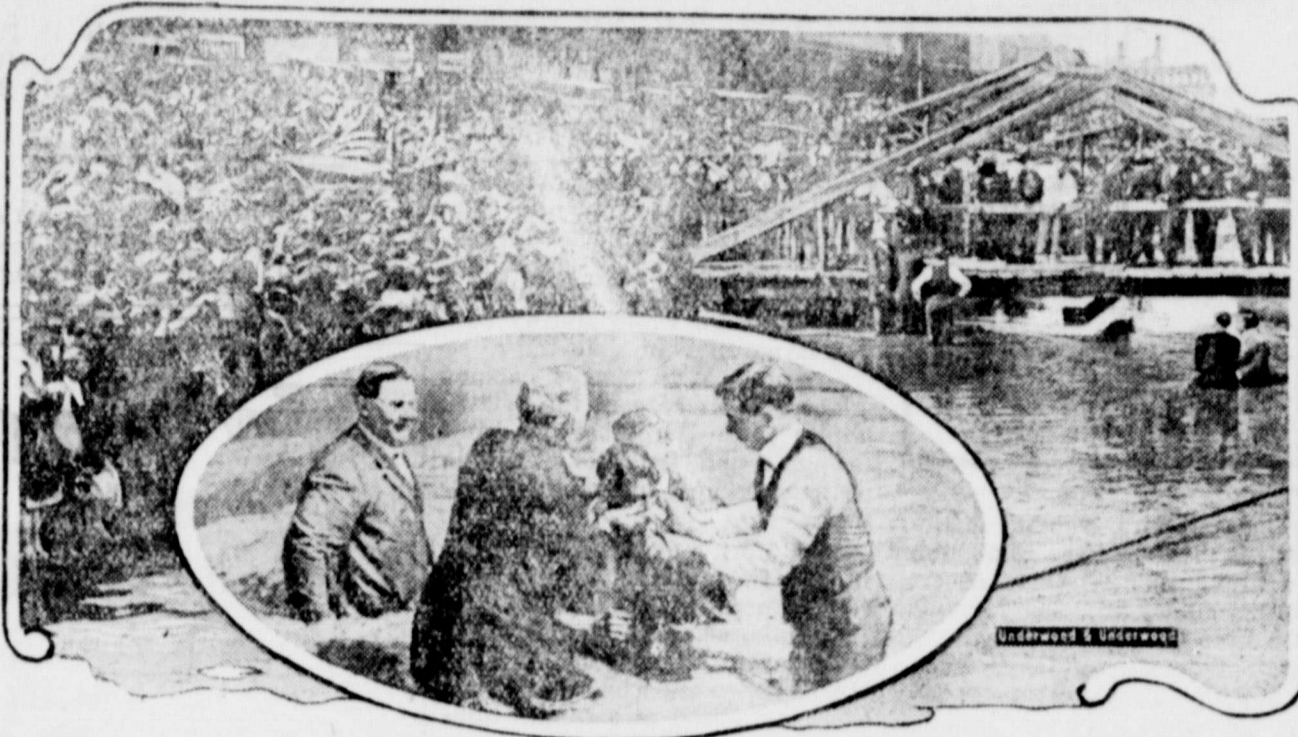
Local Favorite, the most delicious in town. We know so when we see the crowds flock fancy conceit.

Flavors that are true.

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

Free Delivery
Oldest—Biggest—Best.

St. Louis Baptists Make 5,000 Converts



The Baptists of St. Louis have been holding revival services for the past month and claim they have made five thousand converts. The illustration shows the ceremony of baptizing these converts in the chilly waters of the Mississippi river, and a "close-up" of the immersion of one of them.

ELM CREEK ON BIG RISE FROM RAINS IN NORTH

NEGRO BOY ROBS STORE AT MILES

Sunday night about 10:00 o'clock the store belonging to W. J. Reasonover, at Miles, was broken into and robbed of considerable merchandise. Monday afternoon, a negro boy, by name of Willie Campbell, working on the T. O. Atwell place near Miles was arrested and brought to Ballinger, where he is alleged to have made a complete confession to the county officials.

Campbell says that he went to the back door of Reasonover's store Sunday night, cut the screen on one of the back windows, broke the glass and entered the store, where he proceeded to dress himself up in the fashion of the day. Among the things taken by the negro are: 1 suit of clothes, 3 pairs of pants, 1 hat, 1 cap, 2 union suits, 12 shirts, 1 pair of shoes, 1 bottle toilet water, 1 jar face cream, 12 pairs of socks, 5 ties, 4 stick pins, 2 pairs sleeve holders.

After securing the loot Campbell left by the back window and went to the place of Mr. Atwell and slept the rest of the night. Monday morning he went to work, but was arrested Monday afternoon and was brought to Ballinger and lodged in jail and Tuesday made a complete confession of the whole affair. All of the goods have been returned to the Reasonover store.

GERMAN U-97 IS DESTROYED

ABOARD U. S. S. WILMETTE, (By naval radio), June 7.—The German submarine U-97 was sunk at eleven o'clock today in Lake Michigan, some thirty miles off from Chicago, by four inch guns from the U. S. S. Wilmette. The sinking was carried out as ordered by the provisional Versailles treaty. Two hundred naval reserves of Indiana and Illinois participated. The vessel was stripped of all removable machinery and brass parts. It had a record of sinking seven allied ships. The only marks of "kaiserdom" was the coat of arms ainted on its masts.

There never was a time when the spoils system looked more hateful to honest Democrats than right now.—Chattanooga News.

A. & S. trains are tied up in Abilene on account of washouts. Many entire crops are washed away it is reported by farmers from the North end of the county. Elm Creek is out of banks and is still rapidly rising. No other damage is reported except where 5 and 6 inches of rain fell in a few hours and there roads and fields are washed out badly and damages of various kinds resulted.

Bradshaw reports the heaviest rainfall of any town in this section of the country last night, with 7 inches fall in a very few hours. Ovalo, only nine miles from Bradshaw reports 6.25 inches. News was received in Ballinger that the dam on Elm Creek just South of Abilene had broken and that high water was moving down all streams.

All towns North of Ballinger received good rains and towns South showed a gradual falling off. According a report furnished the Ledger by the West Texas Telephone Co., Brady received none; Eden none; Paint Rock light; Miles light; San Angelo light; Coleman light; Ballinger 1.7 inch; Benoit 2 inches; Crews big rain; Winters 2.56 inches; Wingate 4 inches; Wilmeth 4 inches; Norton 1 inch; Blackwell 1 inch; Ovalo 6.25 inches; Bradshaw 7 inches; Abilene 3 inches.

With the heavy rains in the North part of the county will fill the creeks and make an abundant water supply here. Some harvesting was still going on but a majority of the small grain was already out and in the shock. Other crops were needing rain badly and with a rain South of us now the entire county will have a good season. No damage of any kind from hail or rain has been reported, and farmers are feeling good.

No Train on A. & S. for Several Days.

The Abilene & Southern will not be able to run a train for three or four days on account of serious washouts along the road. From Ovalo to Abilene waters are high in every stream and several bridges have either washed out or have been damaged until it will take several days to complete repairs.

One advantage the modern prodigal enjoys is that he does not have to go home to father in order to feast on the fatted calves.—Columbia (S. C.) Record.

MEXICAN ANSWER NOT IMPORTANT

MEXICO CITY, June 7.—The Mexican answer to the communication from the United States relative to the recognition of Mexico was delivered to Geo. T. Summerlin, American charge d'affaires here. This information was received from President Obregon last night, the president however declining to announce the text of the note. Summerlin said that the note constituted a "mere exchange of ideas on international topics."

WASHINGTON, June 7.—A formal announcement of the policy of the United States government in regard to Mexico is expected late today by the State Department, which has been the basis of a cabinet discussion on President Obregon's reply to the American message dealing with the recognition.

Sheriff Flynt and County Attorney C. P. Shepherd left Tuesday morning for Miles to look after business there. A phone call asked the officers to come to that town to investigate a robbery which occurred Monday night.

NEFF MAKES APPOINTMENT

AUSTIN, June 7.—Gov. Neff said today that the successor to R. H. Hamilton as Assistant Attorney General before the Court of Criminal Appeals has been appointed, but will not be announced at present as he will not assume the office until next October. The Governor said that the office was being flooded with requests and recommendations for the place, all of which are useless. Hamilton has been appointed to the Commission of Appeals.

DANCE LAST NIGHT ENJOYED BY MANY

The dance last night at the Club was well attended and everyone present enjoyed the affair to the fullest. The Lone Star Five furnished the music and this alone guarantees a good dance. There were six with the musicians last night, consisting of piano, clarinet, trombone, saxophone, banjo, and drums.

PROPERTY LOSS FROM FLOOD IS \$15,000,000; TRAFFIC DEMORALIZED

HARDING SPEAKS AT ANGELO

The following letter has been received by R. G. Erwin of the First National Bank, urging that this county send as many people as possible to San Angelo June 11th, to hear the Hon. W. P. G. Harding speak. The local banks are starting a move to get as many stockmen, farmers and business men as possible to attend. Following is the letter:

June 4th, 1921.

First National Bank,
Ballinger, Texas,
Dear Sirs:

The Hon. W. P. G. Harding, Governor of the Federal Reserve Board, Washington, D. C., will be in San Angelo on June 11th for the purpose of meeting the bankers and stockmen of this part of Texas and to address them on matters relating to the financial issues of the day, this meeting and such address as will then be made to take place on Saturday, June 11th, at 3:00 p. m.

It is the desire of Gov. Harding to meet the bankers and stockmen in their own country and to learn at first hand from them their view respecting the financial needs of the live stock industry. The interest that Gov. Harding is taking in this matter, as is shown by this trip into Texas and to be extended to California and the Pacific Northwest indicates that the desire of the Federal Reserve Board to know the business conditions at first hand.

We consider that the coming of Gov. Harding to our country will prove of great value to our live stock interests, and so we urge that your bank send a representative to this meeting and that you bring with you representative stockmen, for it is desired that this gathering be truly representative in its character. It is expected that Gov. Harding will be accompanied on this trip by Hon. W. F. Ramsey, Federal Reserve Agent of this District, and also by the Hon. Claude B. Hudspey, our representative in Congress.

We will look for you and ask that you let us know who will come from your bank and vicinity.

Asking your hearty co-operation in this effort to accomplish something for our live stock interests, I am,
Very truly yours,
"GEO. E. WEBB,
"President."

DEATH CLAIMS GEN. RUCKMAN

BROOKLINE, Mass., June 7.—Brigadier General John J. Ruckman, in command of the coast artillery of this district, died at his home here today. He was born at Sidney, Illinois, in 1858, and graduated from West Point in 1883 and held the rank of a Major General during the world war. He commanded the provisional regiment of coast artillery on the Texas border in 1916, and later commanded the South Atlantic coast artillery of the district, and the Southern Department. He leaves a widow, one son and one daughter.

PUEBLO, Colo., June 7.—A committee of real estate men today estimated the property damage of Pueblo from the flood to be between \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000. The damage estimated is the appraisal of buildings and contents. Known dead totalled 55, according to Red Cross officials.

AMARILLO, Tex., June 7.—With a fourteen foot rise on the Canadian river at Cogan, New Mexico, 120 miles West of Amarillo, early today, all rail traffic in the Texas Panhandle continued to be demoralized by washed out bridges, and softened tracks. Heavy rains fell throughout the Texas Panhandle last night.

ELKS TO HELP FLOOD VICTIMS

DENISON, Tex., June 7.—The Elks responded to the cry of the distressed from Pueblo and will forward \$10,000 to the stricken city. P. J. Brennan, of Denison, Grand Treasurer, was notified today by W. M. Abbott, Grand Exalted Ruler, to be prepared to honor a draft for \$10,000, for the benefit of the Pueblo sufferers.

\$20,000 COLEMAN FIRE LOSS SATURDAY NIGHT

Fire originating from a gasoline explosion of a clothes pressing machine in the rear of the Sam L. Matthews' haberdashery store in Coleman late Saturday night completely gutted the stock, and Mr. Matthews was severely but not fatally burned about the face, arms and back.

The stock was a total loss, estimated at more than \$20,000, largely covered with insurance. Prompt action on the part of the Coleman volunteer fire company prevented the flames from spreading to other buildings.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Olive branches don't grow on the ambush.—Baltimore Sun.

DANCE
AT ROWENA
Tues. June 7th
Lone Star Orchestra of Waco
Will Furnish Music.
Benefit Mother's Club.



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A new San-Tex Complexion Powder of wondrous fragrance. It is soft and velvety in texture and charms the skin to beauty.
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JOHN A. WEEKS

BEFORE AND AFTER CHILD BIRTH

**Mrs. Williams Tells How
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound Kept Her
in Health**



Overpeck, O.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me both before and after my baby was born. I suffered with backache, headache, was generally run down and weak. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers and decided to try it. Now I feel fine, take care of my two boys and do my own work. I recommend your medicine to anyone who is ailing. You may publish my testimonial if you think it will help others."—Mrs. CARRIE WILLIAMS, Overpeck, Ohio.

NEW LAW REGULATING HANDLING OF FOOD IS EFFECTIVE ON JUNE 10.

City Health Officer, Dr. E. R. Walker is in receipt of a letter from Dr. M. M. Carriek, State Health Officer, instructing him to see that the new law, which becomes operative June 10th, is strictly enforced.

We print below the act of the Legislature referred to, that our readers may become acquainted with its provisions:

"An Act providing that persons, firms or corporations, who operate or conduct hotels, cafes, restaurants, dining cars or other public eating places, bakeries and meat markets in this State, shall not work, employ or keep in their employ any person who is infected with or affected by any infectious or contagious disease, and further providing that such persons, firms or corporations, or common carriers, operating or conducting any public eating place heretofore named or operating any bakery, or meat market, public dairy or dairies, shall have made a medical inspection for all their employees at intervals of time of not more than six months, and if such examination discloses the fact that any person in their employment is infected with or affected by any infectious or contagious disease, that such person shall promptly be discharged from such employment, and further providing that all

IF BACK HURTS USE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Flush the Kidneys once when
Back hurts or Bladder
bothers.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders, come from sluggish kidneys. The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

dishes, receptacles or other utensils used in eating or drinking, or for the conveyance of articles of food, shall be thoroughly cleaned and sterilized by heat or in boiling water since used by another person, and prohibiting the use of dishes, receptacles or other utensils that are cracked or broken in such a manner to render their sterilization impossible or doubtful, and providing penalties for a violation of the provisions of this Act, repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency.

"Sec. 1. That it shall be unlawful for any individual, persons, firms, corporations or common carriers, operating or conducting any hotel, cafe, restaurant, dining car or other public eating place, or operating any bakery or meat market, public dairy or dairies in this State, to hereafter work, employ or keep in their employ any person or persons infected with or affected by any infectious or contagious disease, and also such persons so employed who at the same time of the taking effect of the provisions herein made are infected with or affected by any contagious or infectious disease, shall at once be discharged from such employment in any of the places above enumerated in this Act.

"Sec. 2. Every individual, persons, firms or corporations or common carriers, operating or conducting a hotel, cafe, restaurant, dining car or other eating place, or operating a bakery or meat market, shall institute and have made a medical examination for all their employees at intervals of time not to exceed six months, and shall after such medical examination of all their employees promptly discharge from their employment in or about the above mentioned places any person or persons found to be infected with or affected by any infectious or contagious disease.

"Sec. 3. That it shall be unlawful for any individual, persons, firms or corporations, operating or conducting any hotel, cafe, restaurant, dining car or other public eating place, or operating any bakery or meat market, to work or employ any person to work in any hotel, cafe, restaurant, dining car or other public eating place, or in any bakery or meat market, who, at the time of their employment, had not in his or her possession, a certificate from some reputable physician, where said person is to be employed, attesting the fact that the bearer has been examined by such physician within one week prior to the time of employment, and that such examination discloses the fact that such person to be employed was free from any and all infectious or contagious diseases.

"Sec. 4. That it shall be unlawful for any individual, persons, firms or corporations, operating or conducting a hotel, cafe, restaurant, dining car or other public eating place, or conducting or operating any bakery or meat market, to furnish to their patrons or customers any dish or other receptacle or utensil used in eating, drinking or conveying food, until such dish, receptacle or other utensil has been thoroughly cleaned and sterilized by heat or in boiling water subsequent to being used by any other person or persons; and providing further, that it shall be unlawful for any individual, persons, firm or corporation, operating or conducting a hotel, cafe, restaurant, dining car or other public eating place, or conducting or operating any bakery or meat market, to furnish to their patrons or customers any dish or receptacle or utensil used in eating, drinking or conveying food, if such dish, receptacle, or utensil is broken or cracked in such a manner as to render their sterilization impossible or doubtful.

"Sec. 5. That any individual, firm or corporation, who shall violate any provision of this Act, shall upon conviction thereof in a court of competent jurisdiction, be fined in any sum not less than five (\$5.00) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, and provided further, that any individual, person, firm, or corporation, who shall be convicted for a second offense under the provisions of this Act, shall be fined in a sum of not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, nor more than two hundred (\$200.00) dollars."

AUSTIN—Gov. Pat M. Neff has formally expressed his thanks and appreciation to his friends for their assistance and sympathy in the recent illness and death of

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ONE-ELEVEN Cigarettes

To tell you of the care in blending tobaccos for ONE-ELEVEN Cigarettes would be highly interesting. But—just buy a package and find out.

20 cigarettes 15¢

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his mother, Mrs. Isabella E. Neff. EL PASO—El Paso Elks, under the direction of Julius Alberts, exalted ruler, will celebrate flag day, June 14.

There is nothing in the whole list of flesh-healing remedies that can approach Liquid Borzone in the rapidity with which it heals cuts, wounds, sores, burns, or scalds. It is a marvelous discovery. Price, 30c. 63c, and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

EL PASO—El Paso's only drug store licensed to fill whiskey prescriptions is doing a poor business, according to figures from the United States marshal's office. The store has purchased just 120 pints of whiskey in the past year and some of that stock is still on hand.

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BRONCS KICK DOWN THE NITROS' FENCES

SAN ANGELO, June 7—Almost every inning witnessed an explosion in the Nitros' defense Monday afternoon and San Angelo defeated Ranger 10 to 5 in the first game of the series. The Broncs bombarded Keek for eleven hits for a total of nineteen bases and nine errors gave them more than their just due on the attack.

Billings shutout the visitors during the first five innings, yielding only four scattered hits, but a walk, five hits, one a triple by Robertson, and Angelo's only two errors, netted the Nitros five scores in the sixth. The former Cisco manager had fine support, which was featured by two double plays which prevented scoring. Tate, Hamilton and Lovelace each got two hits out of four times up while McKay batted seven fifty in four trips to the pan. Williamson's homer with none on base in the sixth, triples by Higginbotham and Seiggins and Robinson's double were highpoints in the local attack.

Jack York's overthrow of home in the first inning on McKay's roller permitted tallying of Truesdale, who had singled, and Williamson on whose rap to Murphy, Seiggins had been forced by Hamilton at second. Robinson after walking was forced at third and Higginbotham flew out to Singleton.

Angelo added one in the second on Kelly's hit, Truesdale's walk, Robertson's wild throw to third, and Murphy's muff when Truesdale got caught in an attempted double steal. After that hits and



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errors were too numerous to record, the third inning being most fruitful for the Broncs, a hit batsman, a fielder's choice, two singles, a triple and two errors accounting for four runs.

Ranger players frequently protested Umpire Sorrell's decisions and when a foul tip shook Sorrell's mask late in the game, causing ump to walk in circles for a few minutes, Sled Allen rushed out with a cup of water which the arbiter knocked from his hands to everybody's laughter, players included.

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Ranger 000 005 000—5 10 9
Angelo 214 021 00x—10 11 2

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney make oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing

business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

A. W. Gleason,
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He Can Who Thinks He Can

This advertisement is addressed to the young folks—but others may read it.

Life and your progress thru-out is an individual operation.

In short, you are the ruler of your destiny.

What other men have done you may do. Application is the word.

Plan, equip, then "carry on."

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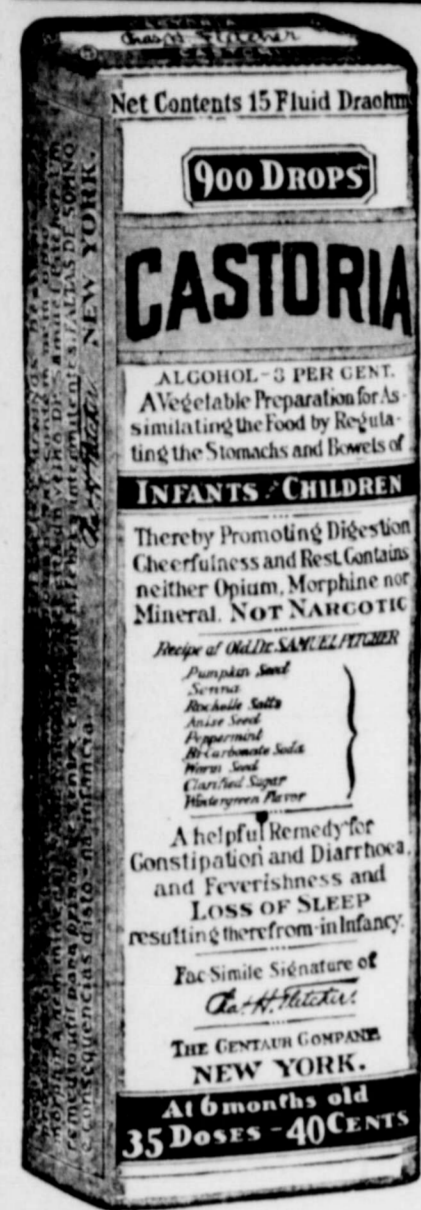
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BEARCAT BRIEFS

William G. White
White arrived in Comanche county on the fourth day of December, 1898. Aspermont, Texas, has the distinction of giving him his first amateur experience. He was a member of the Simmons College team in 1917, and played independent ball in 1918. He signed with the New York Giants in 1920, reporting to training season that year. McGraw farmed him out to Grandmere of the St. Maurice Valley League, where he spent the season. He worked out with the Giants at San Antonio this spring, and later caught eleven games for the Bronchos. He was then loaned to the Mineral Wells club, and came to Ballinger with the transfer.
He is still the property of the Giants, and is easily the class of the West Texas backstops. Another year or two will find this popular player in the Big Show, if we are any judge.



"WHAT'S YOUR HURRY?"
BREEZY NEW PICTURE
WITH WALLACE REID

That there are thrills concealed in the prosaic motor truck, as well as in the graceful lines of the racing automobile is proven by Wallace Reid's latest picture, "What's Your Hurry" which will be on view at the Maeroy Theatre Friday matinee and evening performance.

As "Dusty" Rhodes, auto racer, the breezy star wins a speedy tussle on the track, but fails to impress Patrick MacMurran, whom "Dusty" hopes to have as a father-in-law. Pat is the manufacturer of Pakro trucks. "Dusty" tries to demonstrate his worth as a publicity man for the Pakro, but only succeeds in getting more deeply "in wrong." However, when a big irrigation dam threatens to yield under the strain of a raging storm and to bring disaster upon the valley below, "Dusty" not only shows his own mettle but also brings Pakro trucks to the fore.

"What's Your Hurry?" is the work of Byron Morgan, who also wrote "The Roaring Road," and "Excuse My Dust." Lois Wilson was never more charming as the leading woman, and Charles

Ogle and Clarence Burton are also in the cast. The picture, which is a Paramount, was directed by Sam Wood.

Don't expect to get through a hot summer of hard work without a sick spell, if you start with your system full of impurities. To avoid a break-down in the busy season begin now taking Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy for men. It will purify the blood, liver, and bowels and put the system in healthy condition. Price \$1.25 per bottle.

"IT'S A GREAT LIFE" AT THE FO-TO SHO TONIGHT

What was your idea of "a great life" when you were about seventeen?

Did your imagination carry you off to distant lands; scented, mysterious islands in far-off seas, where blue waves hissed upon a coral strand and the sun splashed the cliffs with gold?

Mary Roberts Rinehart's famous book, "The Empire Builders," told an enchanting tale of two boys in a prep school and the dreams they wove. So cleverly did she catch the spirit of boyhood, the ludicrous aspects of puppy love, the atmosphere of the school and its scholars, that the book rivalled her greatest successes in popularity. E. Mason Hopper, famous for his production of the Booth Tarkington "Edgar" comedies, was chosen to direct the screen version, entitled "It's a Great Life," because of his profound knowledge

of that mysterious creature, the American boy.

The question nowadays seems to be whether it is cheaper to build a garage or leave your car out in front of the house at night for people to leave babies in.

Wedding Invitations and Announcements

All the Newest Styles in Type Face and Stationery, Both Pannelled and Plain in Cards and Folders.

Ballinger Printing Company

HOT LINERS

The Cats went two days without losing a game—Sunday and Monday.

Big preparations are being made for an athletic day here on the Fourth of July. Rodeo sports all morning and baseball all afternoon.

The enforced idleness of the team yesterday will enable some of our cripples to get in condition.

Yesterday was the first Monday that Ballinger has observed in years. The goat ropers and bronco busters had a large day, and are planning for bigger ones in the future.

Work starts on the new grand stand this week.

No gambling in the ball park in the future! Absolutely!

And there should be no swearing. It is a reflection on the culture and refinement of the biggest little city in Texas that a single oath should be uttered by a fan during the progress of a game. If you haven't any respect for the ladies, remember that there are gentlemen present.

A teaspoonful of Herbine will produce a copious and purifying bowel movement, improve appetite, restore mental activity and a fine feeling of vigor and cheerfulness. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

WEST TEXAS LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Standing of the Teams.

Teams—	GP.	Wn.	Lst.	Pct.
Sweetwater	45	26	19	.577
Abilene	44	25	19	.568
S. Angelo	46	26	20	.565
Ranger	48	26	22	.541
Cisco	44	19	25	.431
Ballinger	45	14	31	.311

Yesterday's Games
Ballinger-Abilene, no game, rain.
San Angelo 10, Ranger 5.
Sweetwater 5, Cisco 2.
Where They Play Today
Ballinger at Abilene.
Cisco at Sweetwater.
Ranger at San Angelo.

Swelling caused by insect bites can be reduced by using Ballard's Snow Lintiment. It counteracts the poison and relieves the irritation. Three sizes, 30c, 60c, and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

EL PASO—The El Paso chamber of commerce announced that persons aboard its special train to Mexico City to attend the trade conference in June will not need individual passports. The chamber has arranged a "blanket" passport to take care of the excursionists.

A. & M. TO OBSERVE LEGAL HOLIDAYS

COLLEGE STATION, Tex., June 7.—Dr. W. B. Bizzell, president of Texas A. & M. College, announced after a recent faculty meeting that the college will observe legal holidays "in a more appropriate manner in the future than is the custom at the present time."

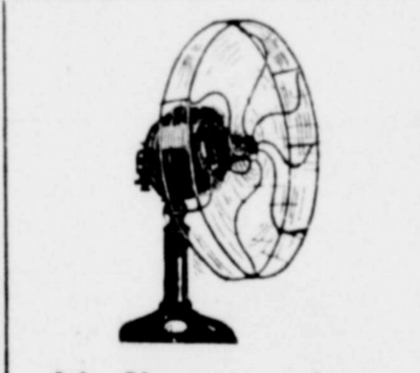
The faculty said it believed that "the colleges of the country are getting away from the appropriate observance of legal holidays." The colleges and universities in the past appropriately observed the legal holidays by providing suitable programs or other exercises, the statement said.

"It is important that the former customs be reestablished and made significant at this time when emphasis is being laid upon Americanism," according to the faculty members, who said that they would make an effort to observe the holidays appropriately.

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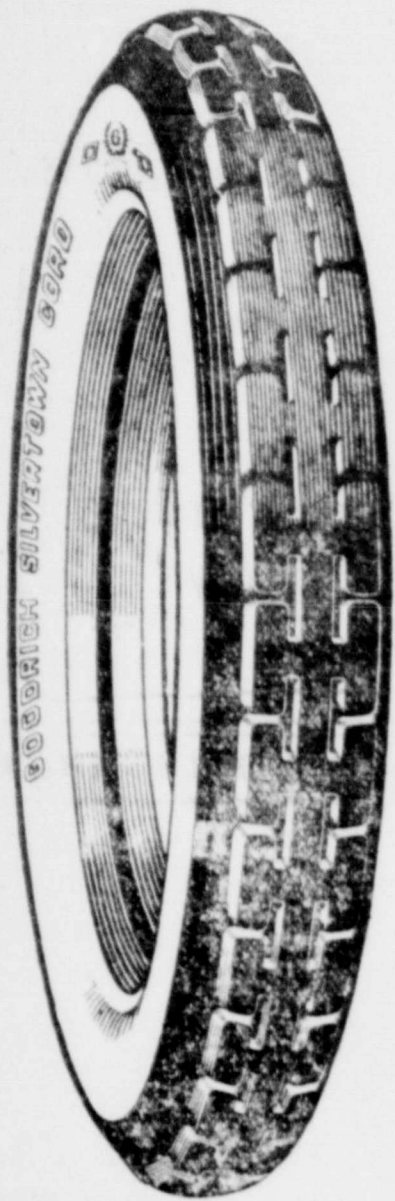
They tell you what the manufacturers of these goods, who are constantly striving to please the great American public, have done to add to your advantages and comforts. The news, while always interesting, may often concern you only in a general way.

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33-4	\$43.10	\$3.70
32-4½	\$47.30	\$4.50
33-4½	\$48.40	\$4.65
34-4½	\$49.65	\$4.75
33-5	\$58.90	\$5.55
35-5	\$61.90	\$5.80

Fabric Tires

Smooth	30-3	\$12.00	Safety	32-4	\$26.90
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Safety	30-3½	\$16.00	Safety	33-4½	\$37.15

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DIRECTORS TO STOP GAMBLING

A meeting of the directors of the Baseball Club was held yesterday to discuss several problems in connection with the local baseball situation.

The matter of gambling in the park was considered, and the directors were unanimous in their decision that gambling on the games or any part of the games would not be tolerated. It is the intention of the directors to run the games on a strictly business basis for the purpose of providing clean, enjoyable sport and entertainment, and nothing will be tolerated that will prejudice the best interests of the game.

The management is negotiating for the services of Pitcher Franks, who is the property of the Chicago White Sox, and who twirled a part of the game for the Bearcats in the exhibition game here against the Sox.

Efforts are also being made to secure a first baseman, in order that Burch may serve as a utility catcher, first baseman and outfielder.

The Baseball Club is to be incorporated under the laws of the state, and a charter secured, the directors deeming this the safest plan of operation.

Work will begin on the addition to the grandstand within the next week.

Brownwood and Coleman both want series transferred to those points, and it is likely that the Ranger series of June 23rd, 24th and 25th will be played in Brownwood in order to split the long string of home games, which begins June 16th and lasts until July 6th. A double-header will be played on the afternoon of July 4th. Large crowds are expected here that day, as the regular First Monday program of wild west events will be run off in the forenoon.

A child can't get strong and robust while worms eat away its strength and vitality. A dose or two of White's Cream Vermifuge puts the little one on its feet again. Price, 35c. Sold by all druggists.

Biliousness is a condition that breeds disease in the vital organs and ought to be corrected promptly. Prickly Ash Bitters is a man's remedy. It vitalizes the blood, drives out impurities in the bowels, makes you feel bright, strong and hearty. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

FEW LICENCES ARE BEING ISSUED NOW

Few marriage licenses are being issued this month is a report that has come from the court house this morning. Not many people see fit now to be one of the performers in matrimonial service, for some unknown reason. Cupid must have lost patience with some one who disappointed him and gone on a vacation. Following is a list of those who used the licenses this month: Joe Boehm and Miss Otila Sklenar; J. L. Geowover and Mrs.

Sadie Bently; Arthur Rowe and Miss Dovie Childress; H. D. Henderson and Miss Anna Currie; Franklin Mann and Miss Myrtle Rowland; W. McQuiston and Miss Ollie D. Payne.

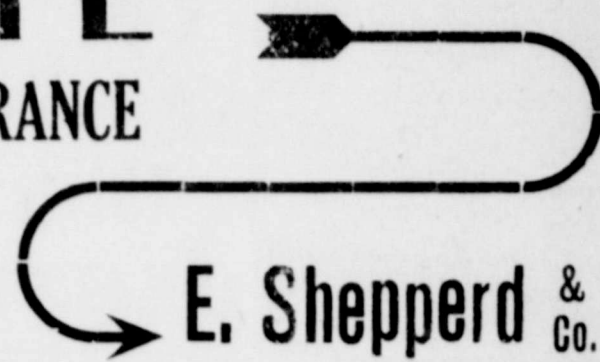
Find Church Singer Bound and Gagged.—Headline. Looks like somebody in the congregation is planning a nap.—Buffalo Express.

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SAYS MEXICAN CITY NEEDS AMERICAN CASH

CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mexico, June 6.—Money for reconstruction work in Mexico must come from the United States, said Enrique Creel, former Mexican ambassador to the United States who recently returned to Mexico after a long absence.

Mr. Creel predicted that Chihuahua City would have a population of 100,000 in ten years. The completion of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad and the bringing of electric power to the city from the Conchos will affect the progress materially, he said.

Before the revolution Chihuahua City was the most prosperous

city in Mexico with the exception of Mexico City, according to Mr. Creel.

Hot weather is hard on teething babies. They suffer the combined misery of heat, pain and stomach disorder. Mechie's Baby Elixir helps the little sufferer through the trying period by correcting the stomach and bowels. Price, 35c and 60c. Sold by all druggists.

BEARCAT EAGLE GAME RAINED OUT

The Bearcats got a rest yesterday at Abilene on account of rain and it is likely that a double-header will be played either today or tomorrow. This was a good turn of luck for the Ballinger club as it will give Brown and Briscoe a little more time to get over their injuries and possibly get back in the game today. With all the team in good condition we will have a good chance to win a good part of our games on the road and when the club gets home be ready to start fighting for the pennant on the close of the first lap.

When Japan speaks of her sphere of influence, her tone of voice indicates that she means hemisphere.—Fresno Republican.

When food gives you distress you need a dose of Prickly Ash Bitters to relieve the stomach and help digestion. It is a man's remedy for the liver and bowels. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

Fielding says nature seems to wear a grin. Now we know why they call them nature dancers.—El Paso Herald.

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FOR SALE—My home on 16th Street at a bargain. Will take a car as part payment. Has 5 rooms, hall, bath, sleeping porch, cistern, all in good condition. J. A. Freeman, Phone 386, Ballinger, Texas. 30-12d-1w.*

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