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TWO PEOPLE KILLED IN ROAD-HOUSE ROW

SAN ANTONIO, April 4.—Two people were killed and the third seriously injured in a pistol battle on the Frio road last night. The dead are Miss Maria Pavia, age eighteen, and Jesus Pacheco, age thirty-five of Schert, Texas. The wounded is Severiano Aguilera, age twenty-two.

"Rough House" tactics at the Frio Inn, the detectives declare precipitated the fight. Fourteen people are being held by the police pending an investigation.

INVITED TO GET IN BIG PARADE

The Young Men's Business League has received the following wire from the Chairman of the Dallas Dubar Committee:

"The Executive Committee of the Southwest Dubar cordially invites the merchants, manufacturers and citizens of Ballinger spring festivities to be held in to participate in the Dubar Dallas the week beginning May 21st, and to join in the Southwest Inter-cities Illuminated Parade Wednesday night, May 24th, with your band, a delegation in costume and floats representing some feature or features of which your city is the producer, and which you most desire to bring to the attention of the people of the Southwest who will be assembled here for Durbar festivities. Please reply at your earliest opportunity."

"T. E. Jackson, Chairman."

The illuminated parade has been a feature of former Dallas festivities, and is one of the most striking demonstrations ever staged in the Southwest. It is likely that some of the owners of attractive cars in Ballinger will take advantage of the opportunity to appear in this parade, and give Ballinger some favorable advertising.

The Y. M. B. L. has the matter in hand, and would be glad to discuss it with any Ballinger citizen who would be willing to take part in this event.

HEAVY RAINS FALL EAST AND SOUTH

Only light showers of rain fell at Ballinger Monday night, while points South and East received heavy rains. Only light showers were reported at other places in Runnels county. Abilene received light showers. Bradshaw sprinkle, Norton light sprinkle, Winters sprinkle, Miles, San Angelo and Paint Rock sprinkle. Brady received two inches Brown wood, Menard two inches, Coleman 1.40, Santa Anna 1.20, Le-day, 1 inch, Talpa half inch.

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NEGRO INSULTS WHITE WOMAN

Sheriff J. P. Flynt was called to Winters Monday afternoon to quell what threatened to be serious trouble growing out of a negro insulting a white woman. It is charged that by his action the negro grossly insulted the woman, and after the negro had been arrested and identified it was feared that punishment would be meted out to him without any court procedure.

The negro was placed in the Winters calaboose, and later a committee of citizens appeared on the scene and gave him a good flogging, after which he was returned to the calaboose and later turned over to Sheriff Flynt and brought to Ballinger. It is not known whether the floggers were Ku Kluxers or not, but it is said that they were not masked. It was first reported here that all negroes were being forced to leave Winters on account of the little disturbance, but Mr. Flynt states that this report was false and that no other negroes were molested.

Disturbing the peace will probably be the only charge filed against the negro.

HOW CITY BONDS WERE SOLD

In answer to the charge which is being made by various citizens, that Ballinger's light and water bonds, issued in 1921, were sold at too great an expense, the Y. M. B. L. has secured the following figures from the bond firm of J. L. Arlitt & Co., of Austin.

Towns	Issue Rec.
Ballinger, Texas	\$220,000 82%
Mission, Texas	100,000 80%
Edinburg, Texas	60,000 77%
Memphis, Texas	65,000 85%
Alto, Texas	40,000 82%
Alto, Texas	30,000 82%
Henrietta, Texas	45,000 85%

Ballinger's \$75,000 issue brought 88 3/4-100 cents on the dollar, said by the bond buyers to be about three cents over the market price. And it must be remembered that at the time they were sold injunction proceedings were being instituted by the Interstate Electric Corporation, and every effort being put forth by the attorneys of that company to prevent the bonds being sold.

Mr. Arlitt also states that an issue of 5% bonds of Travis County sold for 69% of their face value. All of the other bonds above referred to were 6% bonds.

The bond market is in much better condition at this time. Baird, Texas, recently sold an issue for par and accrued interest, and it is stated that San Angelo's paving bonds brought par, accrued interest and a premium.

A small want ad in The Daily Ledger often saves you money.



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The End of a Perfect April Day



MISS BLANTON TO MAKE RACE

AUSTIN, April 4.—Miss Annie Webb Blanton, state superintendent of education, said today that she would make the race for congress to fill the unexpired term of the late Lucian W. Parrish. She also stated that she would be a candidate for the next regular term of congress from the Thirteenth District.

Miss Blanton had previously announced that she would be a candidate, but when friends of Mrs. Parrish solicited her to offer for re-election to fill the place of her husband, Miss Blanton stated that she would not be a candidate against Mrs. Parrish. Mrs. Parrish announced yesterday that she would not be a candidate and Miss Blanton immediately announced for the place.

Two men will probably oppose her for the office.

54 MILLERS ARE INDICTED

AUSTIN, April 4.—Representatives of twenty mills in Texas yesterday advised the commissioner of markets and warehouse that the mill will comply implicitly with the state weights and measures laws and will co-operate with the department in the enforcement of the law. There are indictments pending against fifty-four Texas millers for short weights, it was announced by the commissioner.



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HEAVY RAIN HITS TEXAS

HOUSTON, April 4.—Flood warnings along the Brazos and Trinity rivers were issued by the local weather bureau today.

Farmers were advised to move their cattle to high ground and guard against loss from high water.

DALLAS, April 4.—Several persons are reported missing and some livestock drowned in the Sabine river near Greenville as the result of heavy rains.

Unconfirmed reports said that two persons were drowned South of Greenville, and a dozen families forced to flee from their homes to escape the high water.

GOLDWAITH, April 4.—Three buildings in the business district and a number of residences were wrecked here yesterday by a cyclone. No one was injured. A heavy rain followed the storm.

Indigestion and Constipation

"Prior to using Chamberlain's Tablets, I suffered dreadfully from indigestion. Nothing I ate agreed with me and I lost flesh and ran down in health. Chamberlain's Tablets strengthened my digestion and cured me of constipation," writes Mrs. George Stroup, Solvay, N. Y.

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KILLS ARMY OFFICER IN WIFE'S EMBRACE

COAL STRIKE STARTS TROUBLE

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 4.—The first disorder in the Western Pennsylvania coal strike district was reported from Fayette, and Washington counties today where the authorities stated that high tension electric wires, carrying current to the coal mines, had been cut. A detail of state police have been called out to disperse the crowd which is endeavoring to induce the non-union men to leave their work and join the strikers.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The

miners strike in all the union districts is one hundred per cent effective today, President Lewis, of the mine workers, declared after going over the reports sent in by the union leaders.

OIL TANK FIRE LOSS \$300,000

SAPULPA, Okla., April 4.—The most spectacular and the most costly oil tank fire in the history of this city burned itself out today, after raging over thirty-six hours, causing a damage estimated at \$300,000.

MARINE BILL UP FOR HEARING

WASHINGTON, April 4.—A joint congressional hearing on the administration's merchant marine bill began today by the republican leaders. They state that they are confident the House would be able to act on the measure before the close of the present session, but are doubtful as to whether the senate would find time to dispose of the bill after congress reconvenes next December.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 4.—Jean P. Day, former State Supreme Court Justice, was today held under \$5000 appearance bond pending investigation by the corner's jury into the death of Lieut. Col Paul W. Beck.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 4.—Lieut. Col Paul W. Beck, commandant of Post Field at Fort Sill, was shot to death here early today in the residence of Jean P. Day, a widely known oil operator. Day is being held at his home in the custody of a deputy sheriff pending an investigation.

According to a statement made by R. W. Dick, intimate acquaintance and friend of the Day family, Day returned to his home after escorting home a number of guests he and his wife had entertained at cards and dancing, and found Mrs. Day struggling in the arms of the army officer.

Justice of Peace McWilliams stated that an inquest would probably be held.

NEFF INVITED TO GRAND JURY

DALLAS, April 4.—Mayor Aldridge of this city today asked Governor Neff to visit Dallas and lay before the Dallas county grand jury any facts the governor might have about the alleged lawless conditions in Dallas, growing out of the recent floggings of numerous Dallas parties.

CAN'T GIVE NAME OF KLANSMEN

DENISON, April 4.—Persons, who yesterday declared that they were positive that they recognized the Ku Klux Klansman whose mask was torn from his face by Dr. W. L. Smith, a deacon of the First Baptist church when the masked men visited the church Sunday night, today are not sure they know the man.

Read the ads and profit.

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The man who holds to the theory that hell is on this earth, is getting off light.

Mud chains, rubbers, raincoats and rain barrels are again in popular demand.

There is no law against keeping booze, if you will keep it. The trouble seems to be in keeping it.

The man who says he was crazy because he married eleven women needs no further proof of his insanity.

Under the present system of levying taxes, what's the use of consulting and insulting a property owner about it. Just go ahead and take what you want.

It may be wrong to call a man a fool, but when you see a fellow with the big head it is not necessary to say anything. The world knows what he is.

Tell a girl she is sweet and simple pleases her, but tell her that she is simple and see what happens.

What's the use of reading a history of the war as long as we are paying the cost. Leave the reading for the future generation.

With a two months coal supply for industrial purposes in the bins, and with spring time here, the coal strikers are fighting against odds.

A modern Methuselah, reputed to be the oldest man on earth, has started out to see the world before he gets "too old to travel." Zora Mehusel, one hundred and forty-six years old, of Constantinople has arrived in Paris. Zora, who has been working pretty consistently for 140 years, is in excellent health and boasts of being able to carry a 200-pound weight.

Zora produces identification papers to prove he was born in 1775, and he refers to his closest competitor for longevity honors, a Sioux Indian in the United States, aged one hundred and thirty-seven years, as "a mere boy." Zora has a son ninety-five years old, and he has so many descendants that he long ago lost count.

The aged Turk is a skeptic on the subject of matrimony. Having tried the experience four times, he says he speaks with a certain amount of authority.

"Women," said Zora, shaking his head bitterly, "women, they may seem as sweet as the rose down, but, verily, they are more often like thorns, hidden only by a rosy exterior."

Nose-Tip Vaccination.

The aged Japanese statesman had a little, saucer-shaped scar on the tip of his nose.

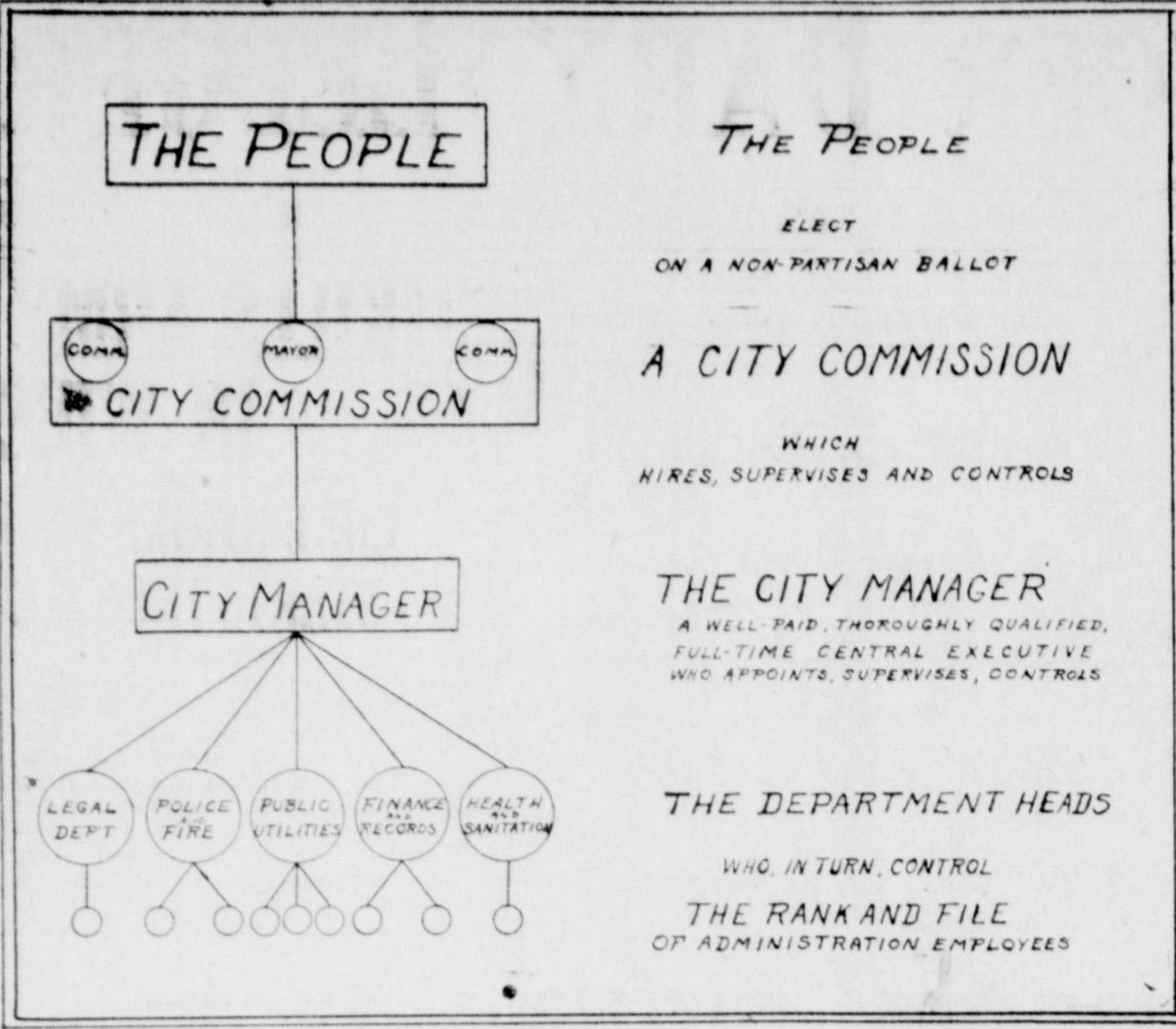
"All we Japanese of the older generation have this scar," he said. "It's our vaccination mark."

"Mercy!"
"Yes, it's our vaccination mark. In the old days, when compulsory vaccination first came in, we vaccinated everybody on the tip of the nose. Why? Well, because it was a good place—no movement there, you see, to rub off the scab. Also because a vaccination mark on the nose tip was easily identified by the medical officer—no need to take off half your clothes in order to prove that you'd been vaccinated."

"Yes, nose-tip vaccination had its good points, but before the modern hankering after beauty it had to go, just as knee vaccination is going, here in the western world, before the one-piece bathing dress and the stocking rolled down to the top of the calf."

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City Manager Plan is Success



The above sketch outlines in graphical form the operation of a plan of city government or business administration known as the City Manager Plan. This plan is in operation in over 250 towns and cities in the United States. The sketch above is self-explanatory and shows a system of city management which has central authority and responsibility, and a direct line of responsibility from the voters straight thru to the department heads.

City's are municipal corporations, and are composed of a certain number of stock holders, each of whom owns his share of the taxable values of the city. The corporation has certain sources of revenue, and can and should be operated in exactly the same manner that the stockholders in a private corporation manage their business.

In private enterprises, the stockholders elect their board of directors, who in turn, elect a General Manager, who employs the heads of the various departments. In a municipal corporation the City Manager corresponds to the General Manager of the private corporation.

To those who would argue that the employment of a City Manager would only be creating another position, the answer is that if the city's business cannot be made to pay the salary of a General Manager, as in private owned concerns, then the city has no business in the ownership and management of light plants, water systems, sewerage systems, etc.

The City Manager Plan is in the first analysis, democratic, it is non-political, as the office is appointive; it is efficient, and business like, and makes for economy and lack of waste; it has never been dropped by any city that adopted it; the plan spreads faster where it is best known; numerous investigations have resulted in favorable reports—four out of every five new charters are City Manager charters; the Model Charter drafted by the National Municipal League's Charter Committee, composed of leading political scientists is a City Manager Charter; without exception, it is considered by political economists to be the best form of city administration.

Sacramento, California, a city of 66,000, adopted the plan by a vote of five to one. It is used in cities ranging in population from 700 to 800,000. Over half of the American cities that have adopted the plan are cities under 10,000. There is nothing wildly theoretical about the plan. It actually works, and it works to the advantage of all the citizens. Texas and Oklahoma are among her of city manager towns, show the states with the greatest number to this section. Ex-president Woodrow Wilson states "the city manager plan is a marked advance over any plan hitherto tried in this country, from the standpoint of both efficiency and democracy." Otto Kahn, the New York banker says, "It is my belief that the city manager plan of government is the true way out for American cities." It has been repeatedly said that

the weakest place, in our democratic government is the management of our cities, but is a hopeful sign that our American cities are demanding better government and better business administration. The application of approved business principles city affairs cannot produce anything but the best of results.

The tax-paying, property-owning citizens who want the affairs of his city efficiently administered to the end that he and every other citizen will get full value for every cent received and expended by that city, will turn to the City Manager Plan as the one system for attaining that end.

In order, however, for the plan to receive a fair and impartial trial, the City Manager employed should be experienced in the work, and should preferably be an outside man. The City Manager's Association of the U. S. and the National Municipal League could be resorted to for information that would lead to the discovery of a man who has made an exhaustive study of the work, and who has had actual practice in some other city. If the position is to be made a political football, and the applicant is not to be chosen strictly on his merits, it is best to leave the entire matter untouched.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS TO HOLD CANDY SALE
The ladies of the Royal Neighbors will sell candy on the streets tomorrow—show day. They will appreciate your patronage. 11d

What Does the Future Hold In Store

Every earnest young man asks himself that question. In nine cases out of ten the answer depends on the man himself. If he spends all that he earns, he will always remain a wage slave, depending on fluctuating conditions, "luck" and the good graces of his employer. But if a man has ambition, energy, self control he will save regularly and in a short time cease to worry about the future.

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We furnish our customers Lock Boxes Free of charge for their valuable papers.

"Chickens" Fine Comedy
Douglas MacLean's latest comedy "Chickens" which is showing at the Maeroy Theatre tonight is one of the finest of his screen repertoires. There are many laughable situations all of which are ably presented by a supporting company headed by Gladys George.

THE WEATHER
Tonight and Wednesday cloudy, probably local rains.

NO REFLECTION ON GOVERNMENT WORKERS
WASHINGTON, April 4.—The recent dismissal of upwards of thirty officials of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing by President Harding involving no desire to reflect upon the character of any government employe, according to a statement issued today by Secretary Christian.

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NOT EASY TO CRIPPLE CRAB

Nature Has Provided That Lost Leg or Claw May Be Replaced in a Short Time.

"For you yourself, sir, should be as old as I am, if like a crab you could go backward." True, Hamlet, true, but a crab can also walk forward and sideways. At the bottom of warm salt water, where he likes to take his leisure, the crab walks slowly about on the tips of the second, third and fourth pair of legs, and then again you may see, he walks backward, forward and sideways, though he seems to prefer the sidewise gait. Generally he folds his heavy claws, or pincers, and works his paddles with a lazy sculling motion to assist him on his walk.

One of the many remarkable things about the crab is his ability to throw off or drop his legs and claws and grow them again. The scientists call this "autotomy," or "the automatic throwing off of appendages of the body and then renewing them." If a crab is seized by a leg or claw in the water, it often throws it off and escapes, and at the place where he breaks off his own leg nature has furnished an arrangement which prevents excessive bleeding. This phenomenon is common among crustaceans, of which the crab is one.

As an example of "autotomy" the United States bureau of fisheries has the record of a crab which was kept under observation in a small cage beneath salt water. When put in the cage the crab had lost its left claw. Day by day a new claw grew and the rate of growth can be had from the fisheries bureau. At the end of 51 days the left claw had been restored and was the same size as the right.

GOOD AND BAD WEDDING DAYS

Many and Varied Are the Superstitions That Have to Do With the Marriage Altar.

The superstitions that cluster round the altar are as many and as mysterious as the ways of a maid with a man.

May has always had a bad name as a wedding month since far-away Roman days, and Lent has been in equal bad odor. But why should June be considered the luckiest month of all the year for a trip to the altar, with October a good second? And why should special happiness await those who wed when the moon is at the full, or when the sun and moon are in conjunction?

Friday is the most unlucky day of all the week to set the wedding bells a-ringing, except, curiously enough, in Scotland, where it seems to be held in special favor. On the other hand, for some obscure reason, Sunday has been a day of good omen for wedding couples, ever since (and no doubt long before) Shakespeare made Petruchio say to Katherine, "Kiss me, Kate; we will be married on Sunday."

Gratitude in Strange Garb.

Bishop W. R. Lambuth in his interesting book, "Medical Missions," tells of a native of India whose wife went for treatment to a mission hospital. On her return he wrote as follows to the woman physician in charge of the hospital:

"Dear Sir: My wife has returned from your hospital cured. Provided males are allowed in your bungalow, I would like to do you the honor of presenting myself there this afternoon. But I will not try to repay you; vengeance belongeth to God."

Another, whose wife did not survive, expressed himself thus:

"Dear and Fair Madam: I have much pleasure to inform you that my dearly unfortunate wife will be no longer under your kind treatment, she having left this world for the other on the night of the 27th ultimo. For your own help in this matter I shall ever remain grateful. Yours reverently."

Hawaiian Islands.

A Spanish navigator first discovered the Hawaiian Islands in 1555 but his country laid no claim to them and they were practically forgotten. The British Captain Cook visited the Hawaiian group in 1778 and named them the Sandwich Islands. Still the islands were practically unknown. Then, following the close of the American Revolution, American ships began to sail the seven seas in growing numbers, and in 1789 the first ship flying the Stars and Stripes—from Boston—visited the Hawaiians. It was the first of many from the same port, carrying traders, whalers and adventurers; and soon the natives had learned of the republic on the continent to the east, and came to consider "United States" and "Boston" synonymous.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

Times for Silence.

The value of silence depends altogether on its relation to time, place and circumstances. Scripture says, "there is a time to speak, and a time to be silent." There are occasions when to be silent is cowardly and criminal. And there are other occasions when it is a mark of character and discrimination to keep a bridle on the lips. When your friend's reputation is being defamed unjustly, not to defend him openly is a mean betrayal. On the other hand it is honorable to practice a friendly reticence when you know the charge against him is probably true and you feel you cannot in justice to yourself defend his innocence.—Exchange.

'ADVENTURES OF TARZAN' NEW MAEROY SERIAL SAT.

The "Adventures of Tarzan" starring Elmo Lincoln and pictured from the concluding chapters of "The Return of Tarzan" by Edgar Rice Burroughs is the newest serial to be booked by the manager of the Maeroy Theatre. It will make its first appearance on Saturday, April 8th, and one episode of two reels each will be shown thereafter for fourteen weeks on this same day. This serial, produced in fifteen chapters and thirty-one reels, is said to be the most wonderful wild animal episode play ever made. Sponsored by Weiss Brothers Numa Pictures Corporation and produced by Great Western Producing Company, "Adventures of Tarzan" was directed by Robert F. Hill, adapted for the screen by Hill and Lillian Valentine and photographed by a battery of cameras under the direction of Joe Mayer Ash. It presents in his original character which he made famous in "Tarzan of the Apes" and "The Romance of Tarzan," Elmo Lincoln the giant actor noted for his daring stunts in many successful serials. The serial offers an engrossing story of suspense, mystery, romance and thrills laid in the heart of the African jungle. Every episode contains a host of wild animals, including Tantor, the elephant, Numa the lion, Regent the puma, the famous ape, Joe Martin, and crocodiles, leopards, monkeys, apes, hyenas, etc. These beasts figure prominently in a series of astounding thrills, many of which Elmo Lincoln faces death in bare handed fights with lions and leopards. A strong cast of prominent serial players support Lincoln throughout the entire production, headed by Louise Lorraine, hailed as the most daring heroine of the screen. Among the other players may be mentioned Frank Whitson, Chas. Inslee, Lillian Worth, George Monberg, Percy Pembroke and others. The tremendous popularity of the Edgar Rice Burroughs' Tarzan stories combined with the following of Elmo Lincoln in his role of Tarzan should bring record crowds to the Maeroy theatre every week to witness the unfolding of "Adventures of Tarzan."

DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If your Back hurts or Bladder bothers, drink lots of water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drinking lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will 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 clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.

COMES HERE TO WED BALLINGER GIRL.

Stanley Gray, of Wichita Falls, arrived in Ballinger Tuesday at noon, coming to wed Miss Mae McElroy. After the wedding the happy couple will return to Wichita Falls to make their home.

Standard Theme Paper, 10c per package. The Ballinger Printing Co. 14d

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Preventative Medicine

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