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MORE PROPOSALS ON MUSCE SHOALS

WASHINGTON, May 11.—A new proposal for the lease and operation of the government's nitrate and power project at Muscel Shoals, Alabama, which was submitted by L. Stern, of Baltimore, was made public today by Chairman Norris of the agricultural committee. Stern offered to take over all properties for operation for a term of twenty-five or fifty years or such other time as agreeable, to complete all plants at government cost and to repay all expenditures already made at the rate of two per cent annually. The power development at the shoals is to be used in the manufacture of fertilizer and other products.

SECURITY TITLE COMPANY ENTERS BANKRUPTCY

J. W. Powell, attorney, filed a voluntary bankruptcy petition in the federal court at San Angelo on May 9th, for the Security Title Co. of Ballinger, Texas, a corporation engaged in the abstract business. The assets of the corporation are listed at \$24,469.96, and the liabilities at \$17,946.65.

GASOLINE IS UP CENT A GALLON

NEW YORK, May 11.—The Standard Oil Company of New York today advanced the price of gasoline one cent per gallon in all its territory and also announced a similar advance in the price of varnish maker's and painter's naphtha.

ROGERS-HIGDON COMPANY CLOSING THEIR OFFICE

Elmer Haynes, of the Rogers-Higdon Co., who has been here looking after collections for that firm and closing up the business in general, is closing his office here today. Mr. Haynes has made no announcement yet as to what he will do other than to visit his people at San Angelo for a few days. He has had several business propositions under consideration but has not definitely decided what he will do. Mr. Haynes has made many friends in Ballinger during his time here as manager of the Rogers-Higdon store, who wish him success in any endeavor he chooses.

Notice to Dog Owners

The City Commission has ordered me to enforce the dog ordinance, and you are hereby notified to pay your dog license fees of \$1.00 for 1922, at the City Hall, and get your receipt and collar tag. All dogs running at large, without a tag after the 15th of May will be shot as they are found.

B. W. PILCHER,
City Marshal.

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Ledger want ads pay.

Graduation Gifts

SUGGESTIONS:

Electric, Table, Library and Boudoir Lamps; Curling Irons, Waving Rods, Travelling Irons, Vibrators, Marcel Waving Rods.

FOR THE BOYS:

Flash Lights, Shaving Mugs, Water Heaters, Radio Phones.

We give free tickets to the Maseroy.

Ballinger Electric Co.
Phone 7 8th Street

CITRUS FRUIT A FARM PRODUCT IS QUESTION

MERCEDES, Tex., May 11.—Whether citrus fruit is a farm product is a question that has arisen with the organization of a cooperative agency for marketing of citrus fruits in the lower Rio Grande valley.

The answer to the question, growers in this vicinity suggest, possibly would decide whether members of a previously organized marketing exchange may dispose of their citrus fruits thru the newly formed association. Contracts with the older organization are said to bind the members to sell all their "products of the farm" through its medium.

DENISON SHOPS MAY NOT OPEN

DENISON, Tex., May 11.—F. K. Tutt, mechanical superintendent of the Katy railroad, declined to make any statement today when he was informed of the decision of the United States Railroad Labor Board, holding that the "farming out" of shop work was illegal. The M. K. & T. had ordered the opening of the Denison shops when he was informed by the board that it had taken up the contract question.

WOOD FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY AT GRANGER

Word was recently received in Ballinger that Diaz B. Wood was in the race for the office of County Attorney of Williams county, and is opposed by two other candidates. The report also says that friends of Mr. Wood caused him to enter the race and that he was running like a race horse. Many recommendations from here are being sent to Granger and his many friends here will watch with the keenest interest the result of his campaign.

RED CROSS IS ASKED TO AID

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Local chapters of the American Red Cross were requested today by National Chairman Payne to solicit contributions and funds for relief in the flooded areas in the valleys of the Mississippi, Illinois and Ohio rivers. At least \$500,000 is needed at once, Payne said.

NOTICE TO WOOL GROWERS

While some of the 1922 clips have been contracted wool will be concentrated at the Congress as usual.

Prices look very encouraging and regardless of size of clip can be sold to advantage.

R. G. ERWIN, Sec.
Wool Growers Association.
11-13-d-1tw

April seems to come in like a duck and go out like a fish.

Quality Service

We aim at perfection in all details of quality and service. If not already a customer we solicit an opportunity to please you.

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

Telephone 38.

We Deliver

REMEMBER YOUR MOTHER

Mother's Day, Sunday 14th.

TO MOTHER

You're my Mother, come what may,
Loving, good and true;
Mother's Day is every day,
In my thoughts of you.

Nothing would gladden her heart more as an expression of thoughtful remembrance than a box of NORRIS, ELMER'S or JOHNSTON'S Candies.

WEEKS

Phones 12 and 13

Dandelions Ueber Alles



WOULD PARDON WAR PRISONERS

WASHINGTON, May 11.—A bill granting an amnesty to all persons now held in the federal prisons for the violation of the wartime espionage laws was introduced in the Senate today by Senator Ladd, Republican, of North Dakota, who estimated that 113 prisoners would be affected.

Read the ads and profit.

WELDON BAILEY TAKES BRIDE

SAN ANTONIO, May 11.—E. Weldon Bailey, son of former Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey and Mrs. Electra Waggoner Wharton, daughter of W. T. Waggoner of Ft. Worth, millionaire cattleman, were married here early today after a quick decision at Dallas, and are now speeding en route to Tucson, Arizona, where Bailey owns a cattle ranch.

Australia is the largest producer of wool.

RUSSIAN REPLY RECEIVED TODAY

GENOA, May 11.—Foreign Minister Tchitcherin, of the Russian soviet, personally handed the Russian reply to the allied memorandum today to Foreign Minister Schanzer of Italy. It was stated or suggested that the appointment of a new special commission by the conference be made to continue after the close of the Genoa meeting.

Mrs. A. J. Thorp and children left Wednesday afternoon for Coleman to visit with her sister, Mrs. H. M. Jones.

JUDGE REFUSES HABEAS CORPUS

CHICAGO, May 11.—Declaring that he agreed with the contentions made by the police that Chicago is in a state of warfare, Judge Scandon today refused to issue writs of habeas corpus for leasing Cornelius Shea and John Lafferty, labor leaders who were arrested in connection with the murder of two policemen yesterday morning during a series of labor bombings.

COMMITTEE FINDS NOTHING WRONG

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The report of the special treasury committee which made an inventory of the supplies and equipment of the bureau of printing and engraving following the recent re-organization of the bureau's personnel, was completed today and it is understood to be substantial in the vindication of the declaration by treasury officials that no material or illegal output on bond, note or stamp issues had taken place there within recent years.

BROTHERHOOD TO HELP SENATOR

HOUSTON, May 11.—The International Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers today endorsed Senator Robert M. LaFollette for re-election as United States senator from Wisconsin.

GETS FORGER AT WINTERS

Sheriff Flynt was called to Winters late Tuesday afternoon and arrested a man who is alleged to have been passing bad checks. The man gave his name as H. A. Taylor, and it developed that he had passed three checks on Winters firms for small amounts each.

At the Skaggs Dry Goods Co. Taylor bought a bill of goods amounting to \$23.75 and gave a check for \$25.00 signed "J. H. Tucker." He also gave a check to Walker Bros for \$5.00 signed the same name, and one to Nathan & Krauss for \$3.75 and signed "A. Tucker." As soon as the checks went in to the bank the forgeries were detected and officers at Ballinger notified Sheriff Flynt went to Winters immediately and succeeded in making the arrest before Taylor had time to make his get-away.

Taylor is in the jail here awaiting examining trial.

Read Ledger "wants" column.

VOCATIONAL BOARD APPROVES NORMAL SCHOOL

AUSTIN, May 11.—The Federal Board for Vocational Education has approved the Sam Houston Normal College as a teacher-training institution in vocational agriculture under the Smith-Hughes act, it has been learned here.

An amendment to the Texas state plan for vocational education, approved by the State Board last February, provides for teacher-training in related subjects in trade and industrial education in the North Texas Normal College.

Horace Oliver was looking after business in Ballinger Wednesday.

INTEREST GROWS IN C. OF C. TRIP

The chances for getting together a party of 25 for the Plainview convention are growing brighter every day, according to a statement from the Young Men's Business League.

12 1-2 tickets have been sold locally, and it is expected that Bronte, Rowena, Winters and Paint Rock will each send three or four delegates via Ballinger and the special Pullman.

The delegation will be presented with white duck hats, with "Ballinger" printed on the hat band. Most of the advertising matter distributed will be designed to boost the Colorado irrigation project and the Runnels County Fair.

The sale of tickets for the trip must be closed at an early date in order that the Santa Fe may be notified, and those desiring to make the trip should notify the Y. M. B. L. at once. As stated in The Ledger recently, the cost of the trip will be \$22.00 which will include transportation, Pullman fare and the use of the Pullman while in Plainview.

SHERIFF WALLACE IS STILL IN JAIL

BEAUMONT, May 11.—Deputy Sheriff George Wallace was still in jail this morning having been confined on an order by District Judge McDowell for his refusal to answer questions before the grand jury regarding his membership in the Ku Klux Klan. It is expected that habeas corpus proceedings will be instituted.

Chamberlain's Tablets are Mild and Gentle in Effect

The laxative effect of Chamberlain's Tablets is so mild and gentle that you can hardly realize that it has been produced by a medicine.

POULTRY RAISERS TO MEET HERE

Poultry growers of Runnels county are called to meet in Ballinger on May 18th, at 2:30 p. m. in the court house, where they will be addressed by Walton Petet, of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation. Mr. Petet is making a tour of all West Texas in the interest of organizing the poultry growers into a co-operative marketing association similar to the one now in existence in California.

The association in California is the largest of its kind in the United States, having 1600 members who are the owners of 2,000,000 hens. It devotes all its time to the marketing of eggs and so far has not handled any poultry. It owns the largest egg packing plant in the world and ships eggs all over the United States and as soon as refrigerator steamers start running thru the Panama Canal it is planned to ship to Great Britain.

It is along these lines that Mr. Petet wishes to address the poultry men of Runnels county and he no doubt will be greeted by a large crowd here.

WILL TAKE VOTE ON CONTRACTS

CHICAGO, May 11.—A decision against contracting shop work with outside firms by railroad companies in an order handed down by the United States Railroad Labor Board yesterday will not halt the strike vote being taken by 500,000 shopmen on the contract question.

BALLINGER BOOSTERS GIVEN RESERVATIONS

The Plainview Chamber of Commerce has notified the local organization that they have been assigned convention headquarters in the Halton furniture store. The headquarters will be fitted with tables, chairs and other conveniences.

The building is half way between the Convention Hall and the leading hotels, and is given to the local delegation without charge of any kind.

The Young Men's Business League is exerting every effort to get together a party of 25 in order that a special Pullman may be secured, and that Ballinger may be properly represented at the meeting. Over half the space in the Pullman has already been sold, and it is expected that quite a number of boosters from nearby towns will help to swell the local party.

Holmes will sell you Tires for less money. 3-df

Cameron Marshall, Presents

THE TREBLE CLEF CLUB

of

Howard Payne College

An Unusual Program Given By

18 Attractive Voices 18

Under Auspices of the

Senior Class of B. H. S.

Carnegie Library

Friday, May 12th

Admission - - - 35c and 50c

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OUR PLATFORM

- * More Water
- * Better Schools.
- * Better Streets
- * Better Highways
- * Oil Development
- * Annual County Fair
- * Annual Summer Normal
- * Tourists Camping Grounds
- * Completion of C. V. f. Project.
- * Patronage for Home Industries.
- * If you endorse this platform get busy and help the Y. M. B. L., put it over.
- * Every plank in it is within the city's reach if the citizens will pull together.
- * We are doing our part.

DON'T AIR YOUR ILLS

REMEMBER that the man who makes a point not to air his bodily ills, and who makes it a matter of principle not to grumble about the ups and downs of his health always has an advantage over the man who keeps his associates posted concerning the way he feels.

Instinctively your associates feel that you are superior when they realize that possibly you too sometimes feel under the weather but that you never grumble about it. The thoroughbred man, like the thoroughbred animal, does not whimper over the slightest discomfort. There is something of the Stoic in all true aristocrats and it is a characteristic of all men and ill-bred natures to like to reveal the fact of their discomfort even to close associates. This is, of course, absurd—absurd because it actually causes more discomfort to your associates than would an admission of your illness.

Remember that there is only one person in the world to whom you have a right to tell all the bad feelings that you experience, only one person whom you are privileged to burden with your symptoms—and that is your doctor, and the only reason you are privileged to tell him is because you pay him to listen and because by telling him you hope to remove the symptoms.

YOUR HAND How to Read Your Characteristics and Tendencies—the Capabilities or Weaknesses That Make for Success or Failure as Shown in Your Palm

THE HAND OF A SOLDIER

AS MIGHT almost be expected, the hand of a successful soldier must be square and firm. The top phalanx of the thumb must be strong, to indicate will power and ability to command. As the soldier—that is, the officer—must frequently use tact and diplomacy, the second phalanx of the thumb should be well curved.

Ambition is indicated by a line running from the line of life to or toward the mount of Jupiter, under the forefinger. A star on the mount of Jupiter reveals distinction gained in the field or elsewhere.

If there is present in the hand what is called a second mount of Mars—that is, a mount lying between the line of life and the mount of Jupiter—it indicates unusual bravery and daring. A short line running from the line of fate, which runs vertically up the palm of the hand to Saturn, shows a government appointment. The mount of Mars—about the middle of the palm, on the outside—should be strong, to express endurance.



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

PADGETT BABY LAID TO REST

Mrs. W. T. Padgett returned from Austin Wednesday night, bringing with her the remains of Doris Gail Padgett, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raby Padgett.

The funeral was held this afternoon from the home of W. T. Padgett at 3:00 o'clock, and was laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery, Rev. C. E. Simpson conducting the service. Doris was one year, seven months and 18 days old, and had lived practically all of that time in Ballinger. Her parents moved to Austin only a few months ago, where Mr. Padgett had accepted a position and was making home there when a cyclone struck Austin on May 4th, claiming the life of the child.

The Ledger joins with friends in extending sympathy to the loved ones and hoping for the speedy recovery of the mother and father, who were both seriously injured.

Mrs. Raby Padgett is reported to be very much better, and it is hoped, entirely out of danger. Mr. Padgett shows some signs of improvement and it is now thought that he will recover and soon be able to be up again. W. T. Padgett remained in Austin to be at the bedside of his son until danger is passed.

"What's in a Name?"

By MILDRED MARSHALL
Facts about your name; its history; meaning; whence it was derived; significance; your lucky day and lucky jewel

LENA

LENA or Lina, as it is frequently spelled, is one of the most conflicting of feminine names. Etymologists find it derived from the same source as Helen and also discover it through the evolution of Charlotte. Who shall say which is correct?

It is not difficult to understand how Lena or Lina came to be a contraction of Helena, but preference is generally given to the theory that Lina is the correct form and that its real course is identical with the great Karl of the Franks who was the forefather of the feminine Charlotte.

Charlotte of Savoy, who married Louis XI, introduced her name to French royalty, whence it traveled quickly to Germany. There it changed form, becoming first Lettchen, then Caroline, and finally Lina. Meanwhile Charlotte d'Albret of France, who was given in marriage into the House of Turenne, was responsible for the brave Lady Derby carrying it into England. The queen of George III, bringing the name from Germany, established in England the popularity of the diminutive Lina.

The Spanish make Lola from the contracted form of Charlotte or Carolina, as they call her, and the French have an equivalent Lolotte. Caroline, the form from which our own Lina is probably most often derived, was

popular in Germany and was brought to England by the wife of George II, who gave it vogue among the nobility. The lovely mysterious lapis lazuli is the talismanic stone assigned to Lena. It promises her freedom from danger and disease; indeed, it is said to be a cure for fevers. Friday is her lucky day and 5 her lucky number. The morning glory of contentment is her flower.

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Honor Watchmaker.

Arrangements are being made by the center of Neuchatel, Switzerland, to hold an international chronometer competition next year to commemorate the centenary of the death of the famous watchmaker, Abraham Breguet, who was born at Neuchatel in 1747.



PRACTICAL THEMES

"Our sweet girl graduates are getting practical, eh?"
"I understand most of the essays this year will be on such subjects as dress reform and the cost of living."

Senator Penrose left a very modest estate—just about enough, say, to be elected to the Senate three times had he found it as hard as Newberry.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For Rep. 11th District:
CLAUDE E. CARTER
J. N. WELLS
C. R. STEPHENS
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
E. W. BROWN RIGG
R. J. DEENS
B. M. SMITH
- For Tax Collector:
W. L. BROWN
- For Tax Assessor:
M. D. CHASTAIN
- For County Clerk:
W. A. FORGEY
- For County Treasurer:
MRS. R. P. KIRK
- For District Clerk:
GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For County Judge:
PAUL TRIMMER
- For Sheriff:
J. P. FLYNT
- For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
JOHN J. RUGG
- For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:
E. F. BATTS
J. P. BOOTHE

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Priddy, two of Runnels county's popular school teachers, were looking after business in Ballinger Wednesday and arranging for their work in the Normal and Summer School to be held here beginning June 12. Mrs. Priddy will visit in Oklahoma for a while before the school commences.

Harry Lynn and Fulton Lane had business in San Angelo Wednesday and while there attended the baseball game between the Eagles and Brones.

J. A. Hash and family went to Brownwood Thursday morning to attend the races at the Firemen's convention, making the trip in their car.

Bill Sharp left Thursday afternoon for Abilene, where he goes to meet Dr. W. B. Halley who is returning from the State Medical Association Convention recently in session at El Paso.

Mrs. T. F. Cole came in from Pasadena, California, Thursday at noon, and will visit her daughter, Mrs. Stuart L. Williams. After a visit here Mrs. Cole will go on to Greenwich, Conn.

J. R. Lusk left Thursday morning for Brownwood, where he goes to attend the races at the firemen's convention.

C. S. Guin had business in Brownwood Thursday and while there took in the firemen's convention and other amusements of the city.

Ledger want ads pay.

- PROMPT SERVICE
- FIRE INSURANCE
- The Best Companies
- MISS MAGGIE SHARP
- Your business solicited
- Upstairs over Farmers & Merchants State Bank.
- Phone 215, or See Me.

Financial Statement of the

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK TEXAS

May 5th 1922

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans & Discounts \$359,752.13	Capital Stock \$100,000.00
Liberty Bonds and W. S. S. 23,700.00	Surplus & Profits 46,117.12
Real Estate and Banking House 30,001.00	Bills Payable NONE
Dep. Guar. Fund 6,892.86	Rediscounts NONE
Grty. Assn. Fund 3,000.00	Deposits 396,007.99
Cash & Exchange 118,778.12	
	\$542,125.11

We invite your attention to the above statement and solicit your account. No depositor has ever lost a dollar in a Guaranty Fund Bank in Texas

Officers:

- H. Giesecke, President
- J. F. Currie, Vice-President
- R. R. Russell, Vice-President
- E. D. Walker, Active V-Pres.
- J. L. Chastain, Cashier.

Directors:

- H. Giesecke
- J. F. Currie
- G. G. Odum
- R. R. Russell
- E. D. Walker
- J. L. Chastain.

Aunt Jemima Flour and Cream Meal is Better.

There is a reason, it is milled from the very best Missouri Soft Wheat, on the most modern mills yet invented.

Try a sack and be convinced. If not the best you ever used your money will be cheerfully refunded.

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- A. L. Spann & Co.
- L. B. Stubbs
- Higginbotham Brothers & Co
- Currie Mercantile Co.
- L. E. Bair & Co.
- Harber Grocery Co.
- Cline Grocery.



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- C. P. Shepherd, Vice Pres.
- N. K. Freeman, Cashier
- Sam Baker, Asst. Cashier
- J. M. Simmons, Asst. Cashier

Telephone 63

Odorless Dry Cleaning

Suit Get Muddy?

Have It Cleaned By Electricity.

No Brushing

South Side Tailoring Co.

Free Delivery

Phone 63

MRS. HATFIELD SABINA, OHIO

In Pitiable Condition when she Began Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Sabina, Ohio.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for weakness and irregularity. I was weak and nervous and could hardly stand on my feet long enough to cook a meal. I was this way for about a year and had tried several medicines and had a physician, but to no avail. My sister was taking your medicine and finally induced me to try it. I now feel fine and can do my housework without any trouble at all. You can use this letter for the sake of others if you wish."—Mrs. WELDON G. HATFIELD, R. R. 3, Sabina, Ohio.

Housewives make a great mistake in allowing themselves to become so weak and nervous that it is well-nigh impossible for them to attend to their necessary household duties.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound should be taken when you first notice such symptoms as nervousness, headache, weakness and irregularity. It will help you and prevent more serious trouble. Give it a fair trial. It surely helped Mrs. Hatfield, just as it has many, many other women.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR S. NORMAL

While there are only three rural schools in the county still running, County Supt. Bugg's office is the busiest place in town. Together with the closing of the schools over the county and the work of getting ready to start the Summer School and Normal here all hands are busy. Mr. Bugg says that he is expecting the biggest normal and summer school ever held in Ballinger and that he is now expecting at least 200 to be in attendance on the opening day and that the number will increase after the opening. Catalogs are being mailed to all prospective students and while this work has only been underway for a few days, already there have been many letters asking information and a good many are asking him to arrange board and rooms for them.

The work of getting a faculty ready to start teaching has been a big job, but this has about been accomplished. Prof. J. M. Skinner will be in charge of the Summer School and Prof. Bugg will conduct the Normal. Those in charge were pleased to announce that Prof. and Mrs. John Priddy would be instructors in the normal and school and this addition to the faculty is one that will bring many other students and teachers to the school. Mrs. Priddy, who is widely known as a teacher in Primary work, will teach Reading and Primary Methods. Mrs. Priddy is very enthusiastic about reading and says she would like to teach nothing but that, and go from one school to another teaching children how to read.

The school will be held in the High School building and will open the morning of June 12th, and all who are contemplating the making up of work this summer, or teachers who are getting certificates extended, or taking examinations for certificates, should make arrangements at once to attend.

The Young Men's Business League is lending every effort possible for the success of the school and are furnishing advertising matter as well as arranging for rooms and board for those who want to make such arrangements in advance of the opening of the summer sessions.

If you will notify the Y. M. B. L. a place will be secured for you during your stay here.

All the work done in the Normal goes to the State Department of Education for inspection, and last year the work done in the Ballinger Normal was as good as the work done in any normal in the state. This speaks well for the instruction given here and with even a better faculty than was used last year, prospective applicants for admission should be eager to attend close at home.

Read Ledger "wants" column.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.

at Ballinger, state of Texas at the close of business on the 5th day of May 1922, published in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper printed and published at Ballinger, State of Texas on the 11th day of May, 1922.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$189,768.68
Loans, real estate	26,780.00
Overdrafts	163.98
Bonds and Stocks	2,850.00
Real estate (banking house)	20,000.00
Other Real Estate	15,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,739.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	38,628.13
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund	4,863.44
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	8,151.70
Expenses paid	1,434.90
Other Resources	1,400.00
TOTAL	\$315,309.23

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus Fund	4,000.00
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	6,925.48
Individual Deposits, subject to check	165,449.58
Time Certificates of Deposits	7,756.16
Cashier's Checks	899.58
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	70,298.43
Total	\$315,309.23

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss
We, R. W. Bruce, as President, and N. K. Freeman, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. W. Bruce, President
N. K. Freeman, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of May, A. D., 1922.
(Seal)
Joe Simmons,
Notary Public Runnels County, Texas

CORRECT—ATTEST:
C. P. Shepherd, C. R. Stephens, Sam Baker, Directors.

RECAPITULATION	
RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$215,712.00
Bonds and Stocks	2,850.00
Banking House, Furn. & Fix., other real estate	41,239.00
Int. and Assmt. Guaranty Fund	12,615.14
Other Resources	2,534.90
Cash in vault and with other banks	38,628.13
Total	\$315,309.23

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus	4,000.00
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	70,298.43
Deposits: Banks and Individual	181,010.80
Total	\$315,309.23

Whooping Cough

This is a very dangerous disease, particularly to children under five years of age, but when no paregoric, codeine or other opiate is given, is easily cured by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Most people believe that it must run its course, not knowing that the time is very much shortened, and that there is little danger from the disease when this remedy is given. It has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, with pronounced success. It is safe and pleasant to take.

J. P. Pogue, Marvin C. Atkins, Roy Statton, who had been here for several days on cotton business, returned to Brownwood Thursday. Mr. Statton says he has been scouting all over West Texas looking at the prospects of this year's cotton crop and that he has never seen it as good as it is now. "With the great acreage and some summer rain the biggest crop ever raised in this section is assured," said Mr. Statton.

How's This?

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

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

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

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

CHILDREN'S COLDS

should not be "dosed." Treat them externally with—



Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

W. C. McCarver left Wednesday afternoon for Granger, where he goes to look after business and while there will visit relatives who live near that city.

Evils of Constipation

Perhaps the most serious of the diseases caused by constipation is appendicitis. If you would avoid this dangerous disease, keep your bowels regular. For this purpose Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent, easy to take and mild and gentle in effect.

Old and Strong and Tested

Resources, responsibility and specialized facilities are the foundation of the First National Bank's service.

They have been developed—as most worthy things of life—not suddenly, as the mushroom grows—but slowly, steadily over thirty-six years of time since 1886.

Everything in banking a good bank should do.

The First National Bank

Of Ballinger

Since 1886

Safe Efficient Progressive

Take the Short Cut

When you were a youngster, you never went to school the low way 'round! You took a short cut.

Every advertisement in this paper is a short cut. Advertisements make it possible to tell you in a few minutes all you want to know about the service or articles you need.

At a glance you can sift out the things that interest you most and in a moment you know just where to go for what you want.

Figure how many steps, how much needless walking the advertisements thus save you and your neighbors.

Then you realize the great economy and necessity of advertising in your daily life.

Read the advertisements!

A LINE O' CHEER
By John Kendrick Bangs.

THE OLD DAYS

I WONDER if the Old Days came again.
As oftentimes we mortals pray they may.
We'd live them as we lived before,
Or joy, according to the special day?

For me the good that lay in olden days,
Lost in the hurry of the onward flight,
I still may find, I'm sure, in coming ways,
That lie beyond the curtains of tonight.

And for their ill, the lessons that they taught
Will shield my path from many a lurking sorrow—
And if of Old Days my New Days be wrought
I'll find them born again in my tomorrow.
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Printer Stamps.—The Ballinger Ledger want ads pay.



MANY WOULD AID LEAGUE

A delegation of baseball fans will leave Friday morning for Coleman, where they go to discuss the forming of a new baseball league in this section. Ballinger, from all reports, is ready to go, and if the other towns are willing to enter the league and run it on an economical basis and stay within the salary limit there seems to be nothing in the way of the league being an assured thing. Local fans who have been feeling the people out here on the proposition say that it is just the kind of baseball that the people in Ballinger want and that no difficulty at all will be met in securing the money.

A majority of the fans here are desirous of Winters being added to the circuit, and it is likely that local promoters will visit that city and feel out the citizens there on the proposition. Winters would shorten the jump in the loop and is known as a good baseball town. Another reason Ballinger wants Winters in the league is the fact that when the two towns are playing the attendance will be large as both towns will attend games regardless of which town it is played in.

Hot Weather Suits

\$15 to \$25.

We clean, press and deliver your Suit the same day.

Hardin & Carr

"Tailors of the Better Class" We call—Phone 56—We Deliver.

Lumbago

This is a rheumatism of the muscles of the back. It comes on suddenly and is quite painful. Every movement aggravates the disease. Go to bed, keep quiet and have Chamberlain's Liniment applied and a quick recovery may be expected. Mrs. F. J. Dunn, Brockport, N. Y., writes "I can honestly say that Chamberlain's Liniment cured me of lumbago a year ago last summer. When I began using it, I was flat on my back in bed and could not turn to the left or right. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment in the house and this was applied to my back. It promptly drove away the pains and aches."

When the postman leaves nothing at the heart-expectant door, he has left a great disappointment.



Cut Down Your Feed Bills!

Hundreds of dollars lost on many farms each year in wasted feed. This can easily be prevented if stock are provided a dry place for feeding. In wet weather much of the feed is lost if thrown on the ground.

Every successful stockman knows the best results are obtained from feeding if stock have a clean dry place for their feed and are sheltered from cold rains, snow and driving gales. The best arranged shelters give this protection and at the same time allow plenty of ventilation.

Free Building Helps

We do more than sell you lumber. We save you a big part of your feed bills. Let us tell you how. We will be glad to give you the use of blue prints and cost estimates of various kinds of stock shelters and other buildings for town and country.

Our Building Service is FREE to You.

Wm. Cameron & Company, Inc.

STOP TONSILITIS

This Sure Easy Way

Tonsillitis is often the forerunner of "Flu," Pneumonia, Asthma, Grippe and Tuberculosis. Stop it quick! Simply gargle a few drops of STEROLINE, the approved antiseptic mouthwash. See how quickly the soreness disappears. Acts almost instantaneously! STEROLINE has no equal as a germ killer. Use it night and morning as a mouthwash. 50-cent bottle lasts months. Get it from your druggist today.

STEROLINE

KILLS TONSILITIS GERMS

Sold by Weeks Drug Store

Mother's day is nearly at hand, but poor father, it's most always good night for him!

LAX PIRIN

(Laxative Aspirin)

Better than plain Aspirin for headaches, neuralgia, asthma, and all pain. 25c per box of 12 tablets. At all Druggists. 4-1mo d.

Mrs. E. W. Patterson, and Misses Marion Patterson and Lola Mosley, all of Drasco, were pleasant visitors to the Ledger office Thursday.

A movie kiss lasts 50 seconds. Their marriages, however, often last much longer than this.

REPORTS 6 CASES OF SMALL POX

Dr. E. R. Walker, City Health Officer, reports five cases of small pox at the home of W. T. Malone, five miles East of town on the Leaday road. Mrs. Mitchell, who was reported to have small pox in Ballinger a few days ago, has been moved to the Malone home, as she is a relative of Mr. Malone and to confine all the cases under one roof.

Dr. Walker states that a short time ago some people in the Malone neighborhood returned from Logansport, Louisiana, and that it is his belief that the disease was brought back from there, and further stated that it was careless on the part of some health officer to allow persons with the contagion to travel. As there have been no other cases of the disease reported, the authorities are confident that there will be no further spread of the contagion, and strict precautions are being taken.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills to keep you healthy. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for THE DIAMOND BRAND PILLS. 100 YEARS OF SUCCESS. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Notice in Bankruptcy In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, at San Angelo. In the matter of Security Title Company, Bankrupt. No. 317, in bankruptcy. San Angelo, Texas, May 19, 1922.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Hathcock*

There's lots of tell tales along the road to success.

Daily Ledger Want Ads

FOR TRADE—Fardson tractor and triple disc plow, for a truck. J. W. Clappitt. 11-3d *

FOR SALE—Second-hand furniture. Call 809 Ninth Street or see J. W. Clappitt. 8-3d

FOR SALE—Pure Red Top Game Seed, 4 cents per pound in small quantities; larger quantities cheaper. E. N. Phipps, Rt. B, Ballinger, Texas.

FOR RENT—Narcene parsonage. South Broadway. Phone 290. 8-6d *

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping and bed rooms. Phone 179. 5-11d *

---lowest in years Excursion Fares to Galveston

\$16.65 Round Trip



\$16.65 Round Trip

Tickets on sale every Friday and Saturday, commencing May 12th, limited fifteen days.

Bathing Girl Revue--May 14th

Ask your Santa Fe Agent about Season Excursion Fares to Galveston; tickets on sale daily beginning May 15th, limited ninety days.

J. J. Beck, Agent Ballinger Phone 47

STATEMENT of Condition

...THE... FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER May 5th, 1922

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$378,188.39
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Bonds, Stocks, Securities, etc.	6,525.00
Banking House, F. and F.	27,735.00
Real Estate	17,500.00
Acceptances [cotton]	NONE
Cash and Exchange	175,899.32
	\$ 632,347.71

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	67,723.16
Circulation	24,600.00
Rediscounts	NONE
Bills Payable	NONE
Deposits	440,024.55
	\$ 632,347.71

Not a dollar of interest bearing Public Money in the above statement.

We desire to thank our many friends and customers for all business entrusted us, making it possible for our bank to render this most satisfactory statement.

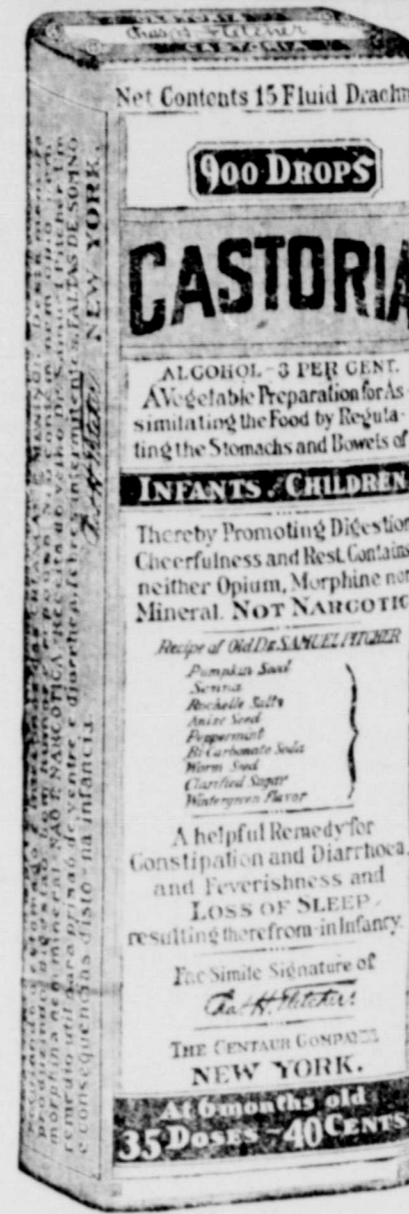
Creditors of the Security Title Company, a corporation engaged in the abstract business at Ballinger, Texas, are hereby given notice that on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1922, the said Security Title Company was duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the first meeting of the creditors of the bankrupt will be held at the Court House in the City of Ballinger, Texas, on the 19th day of May, A. D. 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend,

prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such business as may properly come before said meeting.

CARTER T. DALTON, Referee in Bankruptcy.

HARMONY CAMP NO. 6714

R. N. of A. will have a special meeting Friday night at the O. O. F. Hall at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present. Refreshments will be served.



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On Everything You Buy from Us. If it is new we have it. A full assortment Ferndell Brand Canned Fruits and Vegetables.

Fresh garden vegetables, anything you could wish for—at all times. One trial will convince you that Stubbs' way is the best.

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SHOWING THE PICK O' THE PICTURES When Better Pictures are Made the Maeroy will Show Them. We Lead Others Follow

William Fox

presents

Dustin Farnum

in

The Primal Law

An up-to-the-minute drama of the old West with thrills, action and adventure.

Also a Star Comedy

Admission - - - 10c and 25c

Friday Only—Thomas Meighan in

"The Easy Road"

Elmo Lincoln in "Adventures of Tarzan"