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They Say Fishin' Is Good

We have just gotten in a new line of fishing tackle which we will be glad to show you.

See our show window. Get equipped for the sport.

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Telephone 38.
We Deliver

TROOPERS STOP NEGRO UPRISING

HAVERSTRAW, N. Y., May 12.—Twenty state troopers were ordered to Haverstraw today to guard the town against the threatened outbreak of a thousand negroes who are on a strike in thirty-five brick plants here.

METHODISTS IN SHARP DEBATE

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 12.—Following a sharp debate which produced numerous parliamentary tangles and brought allegations from the floor that all sides had not been able to present their views, the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, today adopted a report from the committee on Episcopacy, providing for the election of five new Bishops.

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

Francis and Co.

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 Maeroy.

Ballinger Electric Co.
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EATS WEEDS TO SUSTAIN LIFE

(San Angelo Standard)
Her husband gone since last Friday a week ago in search of work that they were unable to find here, Mrs. J. B. Robbins and her five children residing North of San Angelo on the road to the Lake View school are practically destitute. Investigation was made Wednesday by C. R. Fox, president of the Board of United Charities, of the report that the family had been subsisting on careless weeds for the last week. Groceries were sent out by the Charity Board when the report was found to be largely true.

The sheriff's department was notified of the missing husband, who left with the words that he would "find work and return tomorrow to get you." He has not been heard from since. The sheriff at Ballinger, the former home of the man, was also notified to be on the lookout. Mrs. Robbins thinks her husband is dead.

The Robbins family, with children ranging from four to sixteen years old, had been assisted by the charity board here twice before in the three months they have been here. One of the little girls called the day following the departure of the father asking for food, saying they had nothing to eat in the last twenty-four hours. Wednesday, they had some flour and coffee left over from the supply left by the charity workers then, but said they had been eating careless weeds as greens to sustain life. They had no seasoning of any kind and simply ate the parboiled potato.

Other calls for aid are rapidly depleting the charity funds and an urgent call is being sent out for help. Anything will be appreciated, but funds are most badly needed.

RECOGNITION OF PROPERTY RIGHT

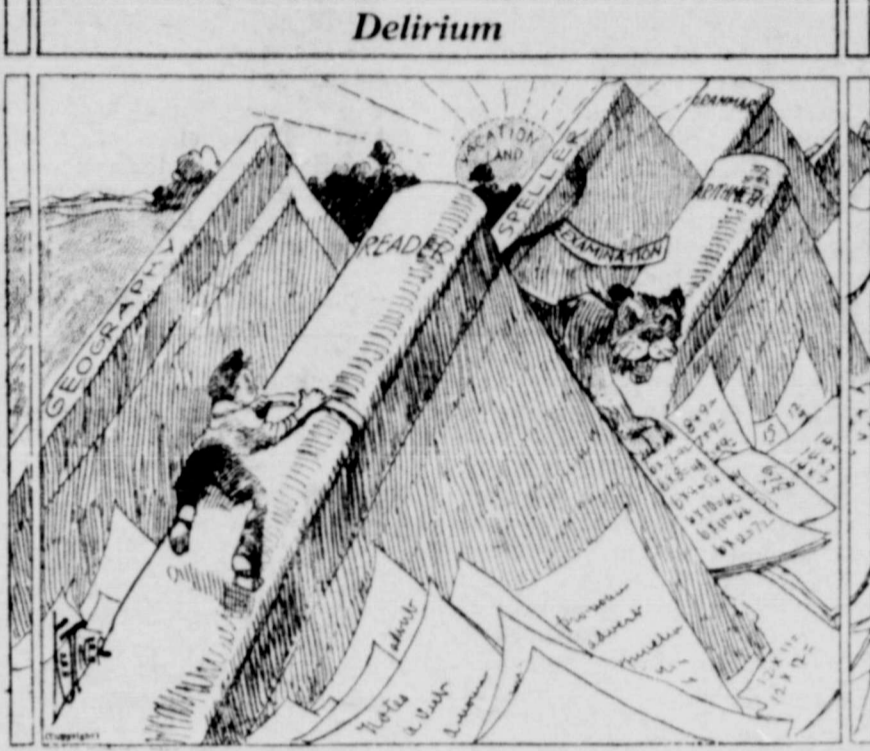
MOSCOW, May 12.—Legalized recognition of private property rights in money, industrial, agricultural products, and other personal property to a certain extent in real estate, is proposed in a decree which the Soviet government has prepared for presentation before the All Russian Central Executive Committee for passage at the opening of the session today.

D. Reeder's DRY GOODS



Well—
is \$5 your price?
or \$6?
or \$7?
or \$8?
whichever it is—
we can satisfy you—
in style—
in fit—
in wear—
and—
in the way
we serve you.
Try-ons free—
courtesy the same price.

BEACON SHOES
THERE ARE NO BETTER
FOR FIT FOR STYLE FOR WEAR



Delirium

FIREMEN RETURN FROM MEETING

Representatives, and a racing team of the Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department, returned Thursday night from Brownwood, where they had been attending the State Firemen's Convention. All are of the same voice that Brownwood did herself proud in entertaining the visitors and many declare that it was the best convention they ever attended.

Thursday was a very busy day at the convention and at the close it was decided that San Marcos would be the next place of meeting. This selection came after a very bitter fight in which some twenty-five towns were asking for the 1923 convention.

Thursday was also the day for the races, and was of more interest to the Ballinger people than any other event, as Ballinger is conceded to have a very fast team. The members of the team state that they have no alibis, and that sixth place was what they won; however others who witnessed the competition say that the Ballinger team was in a class to itself and had not the usual hard luck followed the boys first place would have been theirs by an easy margin. In all previous races at the conventions, the spanner which is used in connecting the hose to the plug, has been laid by the plug, and the Ballinger team, which ran first, were doing as had been done at other conventions.

After the starter had already called the team to get ready, the judge at the plug noticed the spanner there and called attention to it with them, and some of the Ballinger boys took it and started back to the team with the wrench, but before arriving the starter shot, with team unprepared. The boys pulling the cart started and those behind grabbed the cart and tried to hold it until the difficulty was straightened out, but could not stop the leaders and after a delay of several seconds the race continued with time being counted all the while. J. E. Gressett, who makes the connection at the plug did not have the spanner and when the team reached the plug wrapped his arm around the hose and made a perfect connection and gave the water in 31 seconds. 27 seconds won the race for Lampasas. The starter acknowledged his error, but the judges ruled that it was a perfect race and that the team could not run it over. This, of course, was just Ballinger's hard luck.

The boys say that the city of Brownwood was wide open to them and while there they were entertained every minute. Baseball games, banquets, dances, shows and swimming parties were tendered the boys and something special every day made their stay there pleasant.

New typewriter ribbons, for different machines, at Ballinger Printing Co.

WOULD MAKE INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The hope that the department of justice would be "sufficiently aroused to enjoin the proposed steel plants merger before it is consummated" was expressed by Senator LaFollette, Republican of Wisconsin, in calling up today in the Senate his resolution for an investigation by the department of the Federal Trades Commission on the reported merger plans of the Bethlehem and Lackawanna steel corporations and the possible inclusion of other independent steel companies in the consolidation. LaFollette said that irreparable injury would be done if the merger was consummated.

MASS MEETING HERE SATURDAY

The meeting of property owning tax payers which is to be held in the county court house Saturday afternoon is one of great importance to the landowners and business men of this precinct, and one which should lead to immediate action tending to relieve the shortage of good bridges in this section.

The people in the Pony Creek community have been insisting for years that they were entitled to a bridge over the Colorado, and the Hatel people feel the same way about a new bridge over Elm Creek, and a bridge at the "four-mile" crossing. In fact, a petition circulated in the latter community several years ago asking for a bridge over Elm near that city, was signed by over 200 residents.

A large number of local people are alive to the necessity for these bridges, and have signified their intention of pushing the proposition to completion. The meeting will be held at 2:00 p. m. in the district court room, and everyone interested in road and bridge question is urged to be present.

FRANCE AGAINST PROPOSED COM.

GENOA, May 12.—France will never agree to the project for a mixed commission sitting indefinitely while the conference is going on to the study of Russian affairs, said a statement issued by the French delegation to the economic conference.

Read Ledger "wants" column.

LABOR LEADERS ARE CHARGED WITH MURDER

WOOL GROWERS CLIPPING NOW

Sheep raisers of Runnels county are in the midst of the busy clipping season and while most of the large clips had been contracted for sale before clipping, the Runnels County Wool Growers Association makes the announcement that wool will be stored at the local compress as usual and within the next few days those who have not sold will commence to bring their wool to Ballinger for storage. The price paid this year and the eagerness of the buyers to get the wool has put some life into the market, the best wool selling for about 5 cents.

Some trouble was experienced at the beginning of the clipping season over a difference between raisers and clippers on the price paid for clipping. It is costing a man with only a few sheep considerable this year for clipping, as the crew has to move from one job to another and cannot do the small job as cheap as the large one. Some sheepmen are said to be paying as much as 10 cents per head for clipping. All the wool which is not sold will be concentrated by the association at the compress and buyers are expected in Ballinger about the middle of June to look over the wool and make bids for the lot.

MUST ALLOW GERMANS TIME

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Impartial experts agree that the only hope of the economic reconstruction of Germany lies in the speedy considerable reduction of the reparations payments, and the deferment of all such payments for at least several years. Karl Lang, German Charge d' Affairs, declared today before the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

AGED MAN IS BELIEVED DEAD

FT. WORTH, May 12.—The police and relatives today are searching for J. F. Wells, aged 81 years, who is believed to have been drowned in a small creek near Hanley during the flood Monday.

Ledger want ads work for you

CHICAGO, May 12.—Police and civic organizations saw in the indictment of eight Chicago labor leaders the State's attorney's threats to use against the union heads a law which was invoked thirty-six years ago to obtain the executions of the "Haymarket" rioters, in a smashing blow at what they termed gang terrorism.

A special grand jury last night return true bills charging murder against "Big Tim" Murphy, Cornelius Shea and Fred Mader, labor leaders, and five others, who they said were connected with the slaying of the policemen.

CHICAGO, May 12.—Through an unexplained error by some official, Jeremiah Horn, a former saloon keeper, who was indicted with several labor leaders for murder in connection with the killing of two policemen, was released from the Cook county jail last night on a \$50 bail, and has disappeared.

Two squads of city detectives are seeking him today.

BANK ROBBERS MAKE CONFESSION

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 12.—John Vardeman alias J. W. Hollis, and Bertha Fern Vardeman have made a "clean breast" of the robbery of the Chase National Bank of New York city, in which \$500,000 worth of securities were stolen recently, according to detectives who have been shadowing the two men and the woman.

\$30,000 worth of bonds, still missing from the securities recovered this morning from the robbers, will probably be recovered in a few hours, the detectives asserted.

SHOE MAKER FOUND DEAD

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 12.—Joe Fojtik, a Bohemian shoemaker, was found strangled to death with a leather strap around his neck in one of his shops here today where he made his home. Local police express the belief that he committed suicide.

Judge Strother, of Winters, had business in Ballinger Wednesday.

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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 - * Better Highways
 - * Oil Development
 - * Annual County Fair
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 - * Tourists Camping Grounds
 - * Completion of C. V. I. 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.

Sheep are shedding their winter clothes and the owners are going to profit thereby with the price of wool opening up.

There are two reasons why there are no more people in town than there are these hot days. The farmers are busy battling with the weeds and the fish are biting good.

If you want to be a real Ballinger booster, get on the dotted line for the trip to Plainview. You will have a good time and will do Ballinger good by the advertising that a sizable delegation from here will do.

With cyclones happening every day and bad looking clouds coming up every night somebody should get in the business and start taking contracts to dig dug-outs.

A bill has been presented in the United States Senate providing a pardon for all violators of wartime laws; deserters, slackers, etc. Kind of a reward for services rendered!

Ballinger manufactures, mattresses, pillows, overalls, work shirts, ice cream, soda water, and other things that are used every day. If you want to be 100 per cent behind your town buy these articles that are made in Ballinger.

If you attend the commencement exercises you will see another reason why Ballinger should have a big public auditorium with a big seating capacity. Already we have heard people say that they would not attend because there would not be room unless they went early.

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

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 thru the Blood on the Mucous 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.

LILA LEE, GRACE GEORGE TOM MEIGHAN, TONIGHT

Grace George, Lila Lee, and Thomas Meighan—all in one picture—are at the Maeroy Theatre tonight. Grace George is the latest recruit from stageland to enter the films, and for years was a star in her own right for David Belasco on Broadway. Lila Lee, the charming Paramount film actress, is becoming more popular with each new screen appearance. She has an exceptionally fine role in "The Easy Road," starring Thomas Meighan tonight, and her performance stamps her as an artist of exceptional power and ability. This Thomas Meighan picture was booked at the Maeroy for last Friday, but on account of an error on the part of the film exchange at Dallas, was delayed and held over until today. It is said to be Meighan's most important production in the last several months, and provides him a better part than "Male and Female," or "Conrad in Quest of His Youth."

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.

CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children
 In Use For Over 30 Years
 Always bears the Signature of *W. C. Parke*

You can get a pretty good idea of a woman's real age, despite her dress and looks, by noticing whether she remains for the last dance.

Buy your rubber stamps from Ballinger Printings Co. tld
 Read Ledger "wants" column.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

WHEREAS, at a called meeting of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, held at the City Hall on the 27th day of April, A. D., 1922, the following resolution was duly offered by Commissioner C. A. Doose, seconded by Commissioner R. T. Williams, and adopted by the following vote to-wit:
 Ayes—Commissioners R. T. Williams, C. A. Doose, and Mayor C. S. Guin.
 Nays: None.

Resolution
 WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Ballinger deems it advisable to order a special election for the adoption or rejection of the benefits and terms of Chapter 14, Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of the State of Texas, Laws, 1909, with reference to the construction of permanent street improvements;

"THEREFORE, Be it resolved by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas:

"That it is hereby ordered that an election be held on the 30th day of May, A. D., 1922, at which election the adoption or rejection by the City of Ballinger of the benefits and terms of Chapter 14 of the Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of the State of Texas, Laws, 1909, shall be submitted. Said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Ballinger, and the following officers are hereby appointed to hold same:

"Presiding Judge: J. F. Lusk; and W. C. McCarver, Assistant Judge; Edwin Day; and H. C. Gardner; as clerks to assist in holding the said election as prescribed by law. The polls at said election shall be kept open from eight a. m. to seven p. m., and at said election only resident property tax-payers of Ballinger, Texas who are qualified voters shall be allowed to vote. Voting shall be by an official ballot as required by law and numbered as required by law in the following form, to-wit:

"Official Ballot.
 "For the adoption of Chapter 14, Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of Texas, Laws 1909, with reference to the construction of permanent street improvements."

"Against the adoption of Chapter 14, Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of Texas, Laws 1909, with reference

to the construction of permanent street improvements."

The manner of holding said special election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas regulating regular elections in the city of Ballinger.

Copy of this Resolution signed by the Mayor of the City of Ballinger shall serve as a proper notice of said election and the said Mayor is directed to cause the same to be posted up at the said voting place, the same being a public place in said city, and to cause the same to be published in a newspaper published in the City of Ballinger, Texas, for thirty days prior to the time of the said election.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given: That the said election will be held in the said City of Ballinger at the time and place and within the hours mentioned in the said Resolution and in the manner therein set out.

C. S. GUIN,
 Mayor of the City of Ballinger, Texas.

Attest:
 J. R. LUSK,
 City Secretary.

4td-28—may 5-12-19
NEURALGIA
 or headache—rub the forehead—melt and inhale the vapors
VICKS
 VAPORUB
 Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For Rep. 111th District: CLAUDE E. CARTER, J. N. WELLS, C. R. STEPHENS
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: E. W. BROWN, 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 TRIMMIER
- For Sheriff: J. P. FLYNT
- For County Superintendent of Public Instruction: JOHN J. BUGG
- For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: E. F. BATTS, J. P. BOOTHE

Notice in Bankruptcy

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, at San Angelo.

In the matter of West & Glaze, bankrupt

No. 316, in bankruptcy.

San Angelo, Texas, May 11, 1922.
 Creditors of West & Glaze, a copartnership composed of William Anderson West and Thomas Mosely Glaze, and of William Anderson West and Thomas Mosely Glaze individually are hereby given notice that on the 9th day of May, A. D., 1922, the said firm of West & Glaze and the said William Anderson West and Thomas Mosely Glaze as individuals were duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the first meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupts will be held at the office of the Referee at the City of San Angelo, Texas, on the 23rd 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 bankrupts and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
 CARTER T. DALTON,
 Referee in Bankruptcy.

Elmer Haynes, who had been here as manager of the Rogers-Higdon Co. left for San Angelo Friday, where he will visit his parents for a short while. Before leaving Mr. Haynes announced that he would go to St. Louis in a few weeks, where he has accepted a position with one of the largest wholesale dry goods companies in the world.

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 \$359,752.12	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
City. Assn. Fund 3,000.00	Deposits 396,007.99
Cash & Exchange 118,778.12	
	\$542,125.11
	\$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

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RYZON BAKING POWDER

Mashed potatoes—lighter and more digestible. Saves time and labor.

RYZON should be put in mashed potatoes before removing from the fire. Less whipping is needed. The results will surprise you.

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We want to make Farm Loans and to purchase First Vendor's Lien notes secured by Runnels County farm lands.

Old loans renewed—New loans made—A part of purchase money advanced to buy a place with. See us—

Trimmier, McCarver and Lynn
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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.

For sale by the following merchants

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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.

AUNT JEMIMA FLOUR
 AUNT JEMIMA MILLS COMPANY
 ST. JOSEPH, MO.

EAGLE "MIKADO" PENCIL No. 174

For Sale at Your Dealers Made in Five Grades
 ASK FOR THE YELLOW PENCIL WITH THE RED BAND
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Odorless Dry Cleaning
 Suit Get Muddy?
 Have It Cleaned By Electricity.
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Free Delivery **South Side Tailoring Co.** Phone 63

EAT LESS AND TAKE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder bothers.

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; 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 and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage, and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that I will sell at my place of business in Ballinger, Texas, the herein-after described property at 2:00 o'clock p. m., May 27, 1922, to wit:

One Indian Motorcycle, engine number _____

Said above described property will be sold for the purpose of paying charges against same amounting to the sum of \$36.00.

Dated at Ballinger, Texas, this the 28th day of April, 1922.
d-5-12-19 W. A. NANCE.

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.

GLEE CLUB AT LIBRARY TONIGHT

The Treble Clef Club of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, after being delayed for several days, will appear at the Carnegie Library tonight. This club was advertised for last Tuesday night, but was delayed on account of the floods at Breckenridge and could not get here sooner.

No musical organization that ever came to Ballinger has a better reputation than the Howard Payne club. They have given concerts here for the past two years and their popularity needs no comment. Miss Ray as a soprano soloist last year completely captivated her audience and her singing of the lead in old familiar songs caused one encore after another.

Mr. Marshall, director of the club, is known all over the state as an entertainer of unusual merit. Aside from having a very remarkable voice, he sings solos and illustrates them with crayon drawings. This one part of the program is worth the price of admission alone and after you hear this pleasing club in one concert you will look forward to their coming next year.

While here the Treble Clef Club will be entertained by friends, and are showing under the auspices of the Senior Class of the Ballinger High School.

The admission for tonight will be 35 and 50 cents.

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.

Royal Arch Masons, Attention

Regular meeting of Ballinger Chapter No. 184, tonight, Friday May 12th. Imperative that a meeting be held. All members hereby notified to be present.

By order of High Priest,
Attest: J. McGregor, Sec.

The man who "got three months" for shooting off a toe, is doubtless thankful he didn't blaze away at his foot with a shot gun.

NIGHT TRAIN WAS 7 HOURS BEHIND

A hot box on the baggage car of Santa Fe train No. 75 Thursday night, caused the train to be tied up for about seven hours, 3 miles out of town, and the train did not arrive at Ballinger until about 7:00 o'clock Friday morning. What could have been a very serious wreck was narrowly averted when the journals which support the baggage car

came loose at one end, throwing all the weight of the car on one truck and causing the hot box.

The Ballinger fire company boys were on this train coming home from their state convention at Brownwood, and the accident occurring so close to home that some were able to catch an automobile to Ballinger, and the fire truck was sent back for the rest of the company. A few are reported to have walked in.

Trains on this branch of the Santa Fe have been generally late since the recent floods, and nearly every day the train due here at 12:26 p. m. has been

chalked up late, but this is the first dangerous wreck in some time.

Ledger want ads pay.

Mrs. Jno. Maddox, of Lubbock, came in Wednesday to attend the funeral of her niece and will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Padgett.

Maeroy Theatre
Monday and Tuesday



William S. Hart in "O'Malley of the Mounted" A Paramount Picture



"Mother—everybody says it's way after ten o'clock in the morning and we get to have a lot of Kellogg's Corn Flakes or we can't go ahead and play any longer. We're not—aw—dry—somethin' fierce!"

for meal-time and play-time
Kellogg's CORN FLAKES
cooling-delicious-healthy

Summer's the time for "safety first" with family stomachs! Every one feels a lot better with lighter food on the hot days! And, crisp, delicious Kellogg's Corn Flakes are everything that can be desired—for health, for enjoyment, for nourishment!

Realize what proper diet means to health in summer. Cut down on the heavier foods that upset physical and mental energy and eat Kellogg's Corn Flakes! They're extra delicious with the luscious fruits now in season.

Kellogg's Corn Flakes are sold only in the RED and GREEN packages that bear the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes. None are genuine without it!



Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

Also makers of KELLOGG'S KRUMBLES and KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and krumbled

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 long 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!

YOUR VACATION AND WHAT YOU WILL BE DOING IN 1930

This depends on what you do within the next few months. The ordinary young person is not rich in money, but is rich in time and opportunity. A day to the boy or girl from sixteen to twenty-one years of age is worth a month of time to the man or woman twenty years of age. Time properly invested now will earn dividends the rest of your life. You will not waste your time waiting for something to turn up, but you will turn up something worth while. Through a business education is the shortest cut to "Success" and now is the time to get it.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND
Laxative and Blood Purifier
Pills to keep your system clean and healthy.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

NOTICE TO WOOL GROWERS

While some of the 1922 clips have been contracted for sale, wool will be concentrated at the Compress as usual.

R. G. EDWIN, Sec.
Wool Growers Association.
12-13-d-1tw

A sporting writer says athletes do their best work on an empty stomach but this may only be an alibi for Republican promises of a full dinner pail.

Ledger want ads pay.

Daily Ledger
Want Ads

WANTED—to buy your discarded clothing and men's shoes. Second Hand Store, 123 Eighth Street. 12-2td

WANTED—To buy second-hand clothing. 123 Eighth St.

TRADE—Fordson tractor and disc plow, for a truck. Clampitt. 11-3d*

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

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

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping and bed rooms. Phone 179. 5-1fd*

OUTLOOK FOR PRESS BETTER

DENTON, Tex., May 12.—Declaring the smaller newspapers are "logically the leaders of tomorrow's thought," Charles C. Cantrell, editor of the Greenville Banner, told newspapermen at the convention of the Texas Press Association here today that "as soon as all newspapers give the air to all publicity men, they will be able to breathe easily."

"It means that the editors must enter upon the practice of the new journalism, upon the threshold of which the press of this country now stands," Mr. Cantrell said.

"The daily press must be good mirrors of public opinion," the speaker said, "mirrors with conscience, with intelligence and with courage."

"They must follow the line of development until they reach the stage of the super-propagandists—the interpretive journalism which interprets to lead and not to mislead."

"As a general thing the smaller dailies have not made even that advance," Mr. Cantrell said, referring to the printing of parallel columns of interpretive news in the better great dailies, "to give both sides of the question."

"Hampered by lack of physical facilities and weighted down under the work better allocated to twice their numerical strength," he continued, "the staffs of the small dailies succumb to the blandishments of the press agent and the publicity agent. They are getting a little encouragement from the Associated Press which, regardless of all other charges made against it by self-seekers, is following the lead of the greater daily papers and is furnishing its members with 'both sides,' either by telegraph or mail advance."

"The demand of the next few years will develop a new school of journalism of the super-interpretive type," said Mr. Cantrell. "This school will endow itself with a triple-angled news-getter and will shoot neither at the reader nor the subject, but at an objective found only in the welfare and interest of the whole, because the philosophy of the new journalism will be entirely utilitarian in its idealism."

"This new journalism will be supersensitive to news. It will faithfully record the news of the community it serves and its demand for faithful presentation of general news by mail and by telegraph will provide that kind of 'foreign news'."

Read Ledger "wants" column.



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. Dann, 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."

R. L. Harwell went to San Angelo Thursday afternoon and while there would have attended the ball game, but the team being away from home, caused Mr. Harwell to call it a business trip.

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 Marshall.
d-28-29-1-11-12-13

Holmes will sell you tires for less money. 3-dtf

NEGROES STAGE SHOOTING AFFAIR

Jealousy is given as the cause of a shooting affair Thursday night on Eighth Street near the old baseball park grounds. Myrtle Lee and Peter Jones are suffering from wounds sustained by a shot gun charge and negro Shaek in the county bastille where he will have to do a lot of explaining in regard to his whereabouts last night.

The Lee woman and Jones were standing in the street talking with another couple when they were fired upon from a mesquite thicket across the street, (and if the thicket had been closer the story would have been longer) the woman receiving some 40 or 50 shot wounds in her arm and shoulder and Jones receiving fewer wounds in the same part of the anatomy.

Officers were called to the scene and Shaek was immediately suspected and the officers upon going to his home found him reading his Bible, and where and what he said he had been doing for the previous two hours. Evidence however, continued to pile up against him until the sheriff arrested him and placed him in jail and charges were preferred against him today.

The shooting occurred about 10:30 last night and the arrest was made only a short time later.

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"Where the Best Pictures are Shown"

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Harry Sweet
The Ballinger Boy in
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Hoot's best picture in five reels.
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LET'S GO

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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.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that I will sell at my place of business in Ballinger, Texas, the herein-after described property at 2:00 o'clock p. m., May 27, 1922, to the highest bidder, to-wit:

One two ton Reo Truck, motor number 12997.

Said above described property will be sold for the purpose of paying charges for repairs and storage aggregating the sum of \$138.15.

Dated at Ballinger, Texas, this

the 28th day of April, 1922.
d-5-12-19 W. A. NANCE.

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

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A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food by Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN
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