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APPEALS TO UNIONS FOR SUPPORT

FUEL OIL SHORTAGE EXPECTED IN TEXAS

By Associated Press
DALLAS, July 19.—The invitation of President Harding to the coal operators to re-open the coal mines will not affect the situation in Texas materially, according to Secretary Willis of the Southwestern Electrical, Coal and Gas Association.

Some Texas mines are now operating on an open shop basis, and others are operated through an agreement with the union men. Others are closed because of local labor disputes.

It is said that an acute shortage of fuel oil will likely develop in Texas within the next week or ten days, due to the scarcity of tank cars as a result of the railroad strike. The fuel oil officials said today that a shortage of tank cars was already being experienced.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Most of the governors in coal states, in replying to President Harding's request to co-operate with the federal government in protecting mines where operations had been resumed, said that they would support the federal government in its policy in case of emergency, and would furnish mines with state troops should plans for operating the mines be blocked.

CARTER POSTPONES HIS SPEAKING TO FRIDAY

On account of the death of R. A. Nicholson, casting a gloom over the city, Claude E. Carter, candidate for representative of this district, will not speak on the court house lawn tonight as announced, but will speak Friday night. Parties interested and who had planned to hear Mr. Carter will please take notice and be present Friday night at 8:30.

I. G. David has sold his interest in the firm of A. L. Spann & Co., to other members of the firm, and is retiring from the business. Mr. David stated that he had not determined fully as to what he would engage in, but stated that it was probable that he would leave the state and move to Kansas.

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DIBRELL SPEAKS TO SMALL CROWD

Judge Joe Dibrell, of Coleman, candidate for congress, addressed about fifty people on the court house lawn here Tuesday night, presenting his claim for representation for this district.

Mr. Dibrell discussed what he termed the vital questions of the campaign, naming the federal reserve bank system as one of the most important. He defended the federal banking system, reviewing how the banks served to tide the country through the severest crisis in the financial history of the American nation, and declaring that it was a friend to the people, and only needed perfecting by amendments of the law regulating it.

The speaker stated that he also favored a tariff on raw materials where the finished product was taxed. He promised, if elected, that he would work for the passage of a banking law which would make it possible for farmers and stockmen to borrow money on one, two and three years' time, and make it possible for them to market their crops and livestock gradually without having to slump them on a bad market.

Mr. Dibrell declared that he was not slinging mud at his opponents and he claimed that they were all his friends, and said that Mr. Blanton told the people when he spoke at Coleman that if they could not vote for Blanton to vote for Dibrell, and said that Mr. Blanton told his Brownwood audience the same thing. He declared that Callaway always pulled against the team when he was in Congress, and said that the other members of congress hated Blanton so much that they would give him (Dibrell) almost anything he asked for if the people sent him up there instead of Blanton. Said congress would be glad to see Blanton defeated because he had created so much trouble up there.

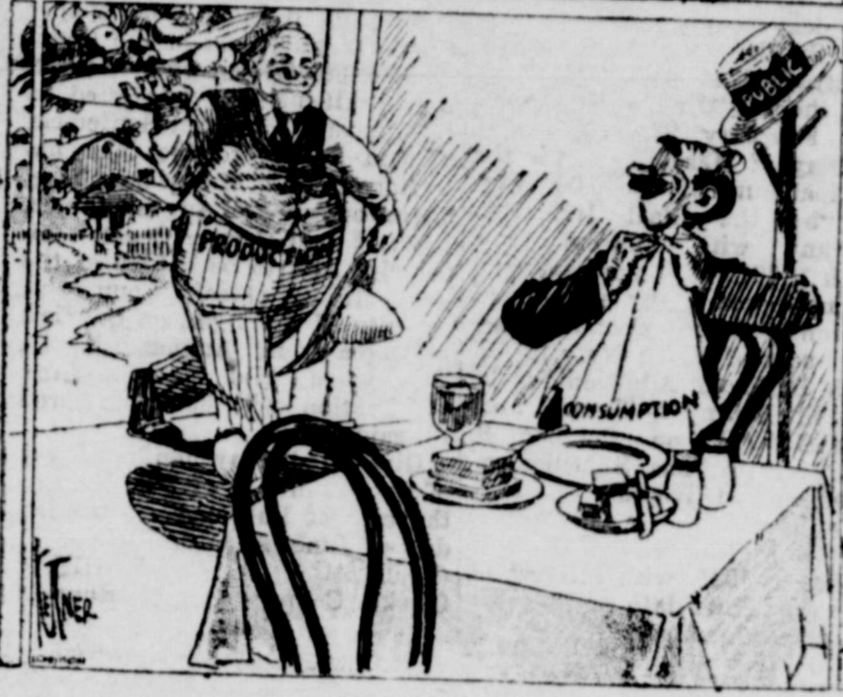
There was considerable applause as Mr. Dibrell completed his talk, indicating that he had some supporters in the small crowd who turned out to hear him.

DEUTSCHLAND IS SOLD FOR SCRAP

By Associated Press
LIVERPOOL, Eng., July 19.—The former German submarine Deutschland has been sold at Kellock's saleroom, Liverpool, for 200 pounds sterling to Messrs. Robert Smith & Sons, Birkenhead. She will be dismantled and sold as scrap.

The Deutschland ran the blockade during the war and made two commercial voyages to the United States.

Back on a Normal Basis



R. A. Nicholson Passes Away Very Suddenly

R. A. Nicholson died suddenly at his home, 1409 Broadway, at five o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Death came as a surprise and shock to his family and a large circle of friends, and the announcement that he was dead cast a gloom over Ballinger.

Mr. Nicholson had been troubled more or less with heart trouble for several years, and for the past few days he was confined to his home, but able to be up and about the house. He was sitting out in the yard with other members of the family when a shower of rain came up Tuesday afternoon, and he walked in the house. A short time after going in the house, and while passing from one room to other, he was stricken down, dropping to the floor, and death came before physicians could reach him.

About one week ago Mr. Nicholson started on a trip to New Mexico and Colorado. He decided to abandon the trip and turned back after reaching Carlsbad, New Mexico. He had not been himself since returning home, and had only been down town a time or two, and while his friends knew that he was not well they did not realize that the end was so near, and the news of his death came as a shock.

The death of R. A. Nicholson brings a distinct and keenly felt loss to Ballinger, and robs a large family of a good husband and father. For several years Mr. Nicholson has been actively connected with the civic and commercial life of Ballinger. He was one of the most successful cotton buyers and shippers in the state, and during recent years he had liberally supported both with his time and money, the civic and religious institutions of this city, and at the time of his death he was an active member of important committees having in charge the civic and commercial advancement of Ballinger. He was interested in different business enterprises here and elsewhere. Mr. Nicholson was a member of the Christian church. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge and other secret orders.

WHO SAID SWEDISH NAVY WAS EXTINCT?

By Associated Press
STOCKHOLM, July 19.—A parliamentary commission supported by navy experts has proposed for the Swedish navy a building program for the next ten years of four fast armored cruisers, 12 destroyers, six big torpedo boats, three mine layers, 22 submarine chasers and a number of smaller craft. The armored cruisers are to be 6,500 tons each with a speed of 33 knots, with eight 21 centimeter and six 12 centimeter guns.

As the proposal is based on parliamentary consideration there is a probability of its being passed during the coming sessions of parliament.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, will serve light lunches, consisting of coffee, tea, pie and cake, also candy, next Saturday, in the Rogers-Higdon building, 19-3rd.

SECRETARY OF NAVY IN PLANE FALL

By Associated Press
PEKIN, July 19.—Secretary Edwin Denby of the American naval department, narrowly escaped death here this afternoon in an airplane accident. Secretary Denby was flying four thousand feet high over the great Chinese wall when the engine to his plane broke down. The machine was badly demolished in landing, but Mr. Denby escaped in a most miraculous way uninjured.

NEW PLAN FOR RUSS. PAYMENT

By Associated Press
THE HAGUE, July 19.—New proposals in connection with the compensation for confiscated property advanced by the Russian debt were advanced by the Russian delegation at a meeting of the conference today. With the entire non-Russian commission at the conference on Russian affairs here the Russians suggested that arrangements by which Russia would undertake to negotiate directly with foreign governments for the payment of compensation for confiscated property and bond holders for the settlement of the Russian debt.

HARDING OPPOSE GEN. AMNESTY

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, July 19.—President Harding was quoted today by members of a delegation which presented him with a petition for the release of all persons still held in prison for violation of war time laws, as having said that he still adhered to opposition to the policy of a general amnesty. It was indicated that the president would not consider granting pardons to all prisoners held for violating war time laws.

WARNS COX TO PLAY GAME FAIR

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, July 19.—An order was issued today to S. E. J. Cox and his wife, of Houston, to discontinue "false representations" in connection with the sale of oil stocks and securities. The federal trade commission issued the order warning Cox not to continue sale of stocks. A total of eleven hundred persons, the commission said, had probably been misled and deceived in the purchase of stock in the Cox companies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skaggs, of Winters, passed thru Ballinger Tuesday, en route to New York, where they go to buy goods for their store.

Mrs. J. W. Godwin, of Dallas, came a Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Creasy.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—

An appeal was issued today to the executive council of the American Federation of Labor to support the railroad shopmen in their efforts to secure just wages. "All workers everywhere are urged to support the railroad workers in their efforts to secure a just settlement of the railroad shops disputes," said the appeal.

The appeal was issued unanimously by the council and has been forwarded to every labor organization, labor publication, and all labor union organizers in the United States.

The federation headquarters announced that organized labor is asked specifically in the appeal to refrain from doing any work formerly done by the men who are now out on strike, while the strikers are urged to conduct themselves in a law abiding manner.

CHICAGO, July 19.—The railway strike peace parleys assumed more important proportions today with the possibility of a walk-out of more than 400,000 maintenance of way men virtually removed, by action of the United States Railroad Labor Board indicating that it would grant new wage hearings.

Senator Cummins announced that he would hold hearings on the transportation act to ascertain how the law may be amended to make clear a living wage principle. This announcement was received as being favorable to peace, and further steps looking to a walk-out by maintenance of way men will be held up pending the action of labor board.

Mrs. Wm. Hill returned Tuesday evening from Fort. Worth, Comanche, and elsewhere, where she had been on a visit to relatives. Little Miss Lois Allen, Mrs. Hill's niece, came in to make home here with Mr. and Mrs. Hill at least temporarily, following the death of her mother at Gustine, Texas.

W. L. Golden and E. M. Egbanks returned Tuesday night from South Texas, where they had been buying cotton. They shipped out what they had on hand and decided to return home and wait until the strike situation cleared up.

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 - 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.

There are exceptions to all rules. Runnels county farmers have good opportunity to make money this year.

Renza Lee left for Temple Tuesday afternoon, where he goes for an operation. He was accompanied by his brother, Charley Lee.

Mrs. R. T. Williams, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, was able to be removed to her home Tuesday morning, and is getting along nicely.

BULGARIA GETS GLIMPSE OF PROHIBITION LATELY

By Associated Press
SOFIA, Bulgaria, July 19.—The movement for prohibition has shown itself in Bulgaria. Premier Stamboulsky has introduced a measure in parliament which would suppress all saloons unless the men and women residents of the locality concerned come out and specifically vote for the retention of the establishment.

TWO PICNICS TO BE STAGED TOMORROW

By all means Ballinger should be well represented at the picnics to be held at Wingate and Miles tomorrow (Thursday). Both these communities are bidding for Ballinger visitors, invitations having been extended to the public to attend the affairs. Quite a crowd went out to the picnics last week and distributed advertising matter for the county fair, and those going tomorrow will be supplied with badges and advertising matter, if they will call at the office of the Y. M. B. L.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lankford went to Brownwood on business Wednesday, making the trip in their car.

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- 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

NEW RACKET STORE OPENS HERE SOON

L. Afflerbach, who has been in the restaurant business in Ballinger for more than twenty years, has perfected plans for opening a variety store about the first of August. Mr. Afflerbach and son, Albert, have just returned from market where they went to buy goods for the new store. The building formerly occupied by the restaurant has been remodeled and new fixtures installed, and the new firm will make their formal announcement soon.

GOOD RAIN COVERS SMALL AREA NORTH

A heavy downpour drenched a strip of country about eight miles wide North of Ballinger, and extending East towards the Crews country, Tuesday afternoon. The rain extended from a point about four miles South of Winters to within four miles of Ballinger, the Hatchel country being flooded. Only a sprinkle fell at Ballinger.

Harvey Ratchford, a Paint Rock merchant, was looking after business in Ballinger Wednesday.

W. S. Moss, proprietor of the Central Hotel, is at home from St. Augustine, where he went to welcome the arrival of a new son. Mrs. Moss was at St. Augustine and when Mr. Moss received a message that he was the father of a son he left in his auto for the East Texas town. He was accompanied by R. W. Bruce. Mr. Bruce reports that crops are good in East Texas and conditions for a favorable business season this fall are promising. Mr. Moss was accompanied home by his sister, Miss Lillian, who will visit here for awhile.

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Notice of Sale

To all Persons interested in the Estate of Chas. S. Miller, deceased:
WHEREAS, on July 3, 1918, Chas. S. Miller, as principal, with Mrs. R. A. Smith as surety, did execute and deliver to the Ballinger State Bank & Trust Company of Ballinger, a note for the principal sum of \$500.00 due November 1, 1918, with interest at 8 per cent from maturity, all interest on same having been paid up to November 1, 1921, by Chas. S. Miller, deceased, which said note has been paid off by the said Mrs. R. A. Smith, surety, and now owned and held by her, and,
WHEREAS, the said Chas. S. Miller, for the purpose of securing the said Mrs. R. A. Smith against all loss and damage by reason of her executing said note, delivered to the said Mrs. R. A. Smith as collateral security, attached to said principal note, the following note, to-wit: dated February 23, 1914, due first day of March 1918, for the principal sum of \$500.00 executed by the Ideal Irrigation Company with interest from March 1, 1914, at 8 per cent, and said note secured by a Vendor's Lien on 19 1/2 acres of land, being a part of Block No. 11 of South Ballinger Addition to the town of Ballinger, Texas, and,
WHEREAS, on October 9, 1918, the said Chas. S. Miller executed and delivered to Mrs. Sarah R. Smith, a note for \$3300.00 bearing said date, due October 9, 1921, with interest at 8 per cent from date until paid, said note showing a credit of \$200.00 interest paid on September 27, 1921, and as collateral security on said principal note delivered to the said Mrs. Sarah R. Smith the following two described notes each dated February 24, 1914, being Nos. 3 and 4 of a series of even date therewith, each being for the principal sum of \$2,000.00 payable to Chas. S. Miller, executed by the Ideal Irrigation Company, a corporation, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and said two notes secured in their payment by a Vendor's Lien on 81 1/2 acres of land in Runnels County, out of Blocks 26 and 27, California Fruit Land Addition to the City of Ballinger, which said two notes are now held by the said Mrs. Sarah R. Smith as collateral security aforesaid and,
WHEREAS, on October 4, 1915, the said Chas. S. Miller, executed and delivered to Mrs. R. A. Smith one note for the principal sum of \$1200.00 due October 4, 1916, extended to October 4, 1922, bearing interest at 8 percent, bearing interest endorsements paid up to October 4, 1921, and on the said 4th day of October 1915, the said Chas. S. Miller delivered to the said Mrs. R. A. Smith, as collateral security on said note a note executed by the Ideal Irrigation Company, dated February 24, 1914, for the principal sum of \$1500.00 payable to Chas. S. Miller and due on February 24, 1920, bearing interest at 8 percent per annum showing endorsement of interest paid up to February 24, 1920, and said collateral note secured in its payment by a vendor's lien on 81 1/2 acres of land in Runnels County out of Blocks 26 and 27, California Fruit Land Addition and Block No. 11 to the South Ballinger Addition to the City of Ballinger, and,
WHEREAS, all of said principal notes with the exception of the one for \$1200.00 last described are now long since past due and unpaid and the said Mrs. Sarah R. Smith or Mrs. R. A. Smith has presented her claim on said notes to J. M. Simmons, administrator of the Estate of Chas. S. Miller, deceased, which said claims have been duly allowed by said administrator and approved by the County Judge of Runnels County, Texas, and have not been paid nor any part thereof, and said estate has no property which may be subjected to the payment of said notes.
NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that on Monday July 31st, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., I, A. K. DOSS, attorney and agent for the said Mrs. Sarah R. Smith, or Mrs. R. A. Smith, as she is variously named in said notes will sell at the court house door in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, the above described collateral notes, at public auction, for cash, to the highest and best bidder therefor, the proceeds of said sale to be applied as a credit upon the said principal notes so owing by the Estate of the said Chas. S. Miller, deceased.

Witness my hand at Ballinger, Texas, this the 19th day of July, 1922.
A. K. DOSS,
Attorney and Agent for Mrs. R. A. Smith.
20-27-d-1tw

Notice by Publication of Final Account

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting:
J. T. Person, Guardian of the Estate of Alford Harry Person, Minor, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Alford Harry Person, together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship,
You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Runnels, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the August Term, 1922, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the city of Ballinger, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1922, when said Account and Application will be considered by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at my office, in the city of Ballinger, this 23rd day of June, A. D. 1922.
(Seal) W. A. FORGEY,
Clerk, County Court, Runnels County.
By Alda Mae Powell,
Deputy Clerk

A true copy, I certify:
J. P. FLYNT,
Sheriff, Runnels County.
5-31d-5-12-19

You will find me at J. M. Moore's auto repair shop. J. G. Evans. 17-6d*

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FIFTY LOCAL CITIZENS ATTEND OLFEN AFFAIR

About fifty Ballinger people attended the barbecue and celebration held at Olfen Tuesday in connection with the laying of the corner stone of the new Catholic church at that place. Those attending patronized the cold drink and barbecue stand which were operated in connection with the celebration, the proceeds from the sale of refreshments and barbecue going

to the church fund. Mark Callaway, of Comanche, was the principal speaker of the day, speaking in behalf of his brother Oscar, candidate for congress. County Agent Eaton and Secretary Williams of the local commercial organization, also made talks in behalf of the county fair and irrigation project.
R. W. Bruce returned from East Texas Tuesday, where he had been on business.

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GIRLS in the class of '22 have nearly reached the end of the long journey diplomaward, and one of their great days is dawning. Commencements are about to be staged. They prove the most engrossing subject in the minds of everybody concerned, with what shall I wear, uppermost among the details under discussion.

Having made a little journey of research long before Commencement day peeped over the horizon, the style reporter gathers that the first thing for the girl graduate to decide is the matter of silhouette. She is to choose between the piquant and demure bouffant skirt.

If the maid elects to be picturesque in a full skirt she may join it to a rather snug bodice with sleeves a little shorter than elbow length. In necklines there are the square, "V" shaped,

and bateau lines to be selected according to their becomingness, and in materials organdie, taffeta, or other crepe weaves insure the success of this style. They all lend themselves to narrow ruffles and puffs, to cordings and shirings, and narrow ribbons seem to be made for them. How sufficient unto itself organdie is, may be gathered from the pretty frock pictured, in which the skirt is just one ruffle after another, each edged with a little frill. The bodice is finished in the same way, and even the short sash is made of organdie. The variety in these organdie frocks is endless, and those of taffeta are built on the same lines.

Julia P.

Mrs. E. D. Walker left Tuesday afternoon for Los Angeles, California, where she goes to

spend the remainder of the summer with her four sons, who live in that city.

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JULY FIFTH CELEBRATED BY THIS FLORIDA FAMILY

By Associated Press
PENSACOLA, Fla., July 19.—The family of O. S. Norman, of this city, has decided that July 5th is a bigger day in history than July 4th and in the future the day after the day featured by firecrackers, flag displays, and speeches will be celebrated in the household.

Eloise Norman was born at 5:55 a. m. July 5, 1908. Cleo Elizabeth was born at 10:55 a. m., July 5, 1921, and July 5, 1922 became notable at 12:55 p. m., because of the arrival of O. S. Norman, Jr. It is the only instance in this city where as many as three children in one family, excluding triplets, have the same birthday, and another peculiar feature is the fact that each child was born within five minutes of the hour. The Norman family moved to Pensacola from St. Louis, Mo., last October.

VALLEY VIEW MEETING PROVING SUCCESSFUL

The revival at Valley View Baptist Church grows in interest and attendance. At the service Monday night seven were saved. Rev. F. M. Wiley is doing the preaching.

VINE TO TABLE SERVICE GIVES CHICAGO BERRIES

By Associated Press
CHICAGO, July 19.—Berries picked in the Puget Sound area in the far Northwest are served on breakfast tables in Chicago eight hours later as a result of the inauguration by the Northern Pacific Railway of a special express refrigerator train operating on passenger schedules between the Pacific Northwest and Chicago.

Heretofore these fresh fruits have either been marketed in the immediate neighborhood where they were raised or they have been shipped in single cars by express to eastern markets, it was stated.

In the last few years the development of the berry industry has been so rapid in the Northwest that additional markets had to be opened. To meet the emergency the Northern Pacific this spring arranged for special fruit trains, which are now operating daily. Refrigerator cars were designed to travel in the passenger schedules.

The fruit specials are bringing strawberries, cherries, raspberries, blackberries, and Loganberries from White Salmon, Yakima, Puyallup and Walla Walla, Washington valleys; Bashon Island, Puget Sound; and Lewiston, Idaho country.

These trains are iced five times between the Pacific Coast and Chicago and make no other stops.

At present special trainloads of red raspberries are being brought into St. Paul, Minneapolis and Chicago every day by the Northern Pacific.

In the production centers, the berries are rushed by motor truck and interurban street car service to the refrigerator cars on the Northern Pacific tracks every afternoon. The cars are loaded rapidly, iced, and hurried on passenger schedules to Spokane, Wash., where all of them from the several originating points in the Pacific Northwest are united into a special fruit train during the night. In the early hours of the morning the train pulls out of Spokane for the East.

Upon arrival in Chicago the express companies deliver the berries promptly either to the commission and wholesale houses, which have purchased them, or to the Chicago market.

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WOMAN WAR GARDENER DIES AT AGE OF 93 YEARS

By Associated Press
OBERLIN, Ohio, July 19.—Mrs. Rashal Edwards, who died here this week at the age of ninety-eight, was not only the oldest resident of Oberlin, but she was the eldest, and probably the best known "war gardener."

For ninety years of her lifetime Mrs. Edwards had her own garden and did all the work herself with the exception of the plowing. When the war garden movement was at its height she was one of the leaders in the country wide campaign to increase food stuffs production as one means of checking the work of the submarine.

A native of Wales, where

many of her relatives and descendants live, she had twenty-six men of her family at the front in the British armies. During the last five years of her life Mrs. Edwards gradually lost her use of the English language and went back to the Welsh of her girlhood.

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is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over Forty Years.

Sold by all druggists.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Read Ledger "wants" column.

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!

BILIOUS CHILDREN

Black-Draught, long in successful use, prepared by an Arkansas Miller, "Sosa, Dica, Its Wash."

Marmaduke, Ark.—Speaking of Theodor's Black-Draught, which from long use is, her husband has become regarded as the family medicine, Mrs. Mary S. Hill, of Louis, La., this week says:

"When the children get bilious, I give them a couple of good doses, and when we have our stomach troubles, or any liver or stomach trouble, we use Black-Draught. It is in our house, and soon does the work. I certainly think it is one of the best you could make."

Black-Draught acts on the liver, liver, gently, but positively, and helps it in its important function of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system.

In thousands of households Black-Draught is kept handy for immediate use in time of need. Proving treatment often is half the battle, and will often prevent slight ills from developing into serious troubles.

Its well-established merit, during more than 19 years of successful use, should convince you of the helpful effects obtainable by taking Black-Draught for liver and stomach disorders. Get a package today, and keep it in your house. See that the package bears the words, "Theodor's Black-Draught." NO-141

TRAIN TRAVEL IN RUMANIA HAS DANGERS

By Associated Press

GALATZ, Rumania, July 19.—Some railroad trains in Rumania are so jammed with the roving populace that the conductors are powerless to collect fares. Hence the impression is conveyed that one may travel for nothing, which serves only to bring larger numbers to the already overcrowded coaches.

Like most other war-affected countries, Rumania has not enough passenger coaches to take care of the throngs of people who want to travel. The Germans and Austrians confiscated most of the rolling stock. Passengers today are forced to ride on the roofs, bumpers, running boards and even on the under-trucks of the coaches. Fist fights and altercations, to say nothing of accidents, fatal and otherwise, are of frequent occurrence.

Biliousness and Constipation

"For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, helping the system to do its work naturally," writes Mrs. Rosa Petts, Birmingham, Ala.

NO BANKING HERE ON ELECTION DAY

The local banks will be closed Saturday, election day being a bank holiday. Parties desiring banking accommodations should govern themselves accordingly.

The Only First-Class Confectionery Stand in Ballinger.

N. Passur "Watch Me Grow"

Daily Ledger Want Ads

FOUND—Lady's hat on Ballinger-Ofen road. Owner can get same at Ledger office. 19-1td-1tw

LOST—One hound pup, 13 months old, black and white with little red. Any information appreciated. Clifford Parker, Phone 4903. 19-1d&w*

FOUND—Curtain rod of Dodge car. Owner get same at Ledger office. 19-1td&w

FOR SALE—Nice upright Folding Bed with springs and large mirror. It can be had at a bargain. Phone 27 or 190. 12-dtf*

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

"THE BRONZE BELL" BIG ORIENTAL PICTURE

Oriental pomp and ceremony, in all its garish, bizarre splendor, has never been more spectacularly portrayed than in the impressive royal palace scenes which are one of the many features of "The Bronze Bell," the big Thomas H. Ince-Louis Joseph Vance special production for Paramount which comes to the Maero Theatre Friday.

An extravagantly jeweled throne platform, rich ivory ornaments, elegant silken tapestries, and rare Oriental carpets are evident in the beautiful throne room scenes in which Earl Dyal Rutton, a powerful prince of India, renounces his right to rule because of his reluctance to lead a rebellion against English rule.

The retinue of native princes, soldiery and veiled dancing girls are attired in gorgeous silks and satins, with jewels and precious gold ornaments comparable only to the furnishings of the spacious hall. The proper dress for this ceremonial was ascertained only after extensive research in the most authoritative works on Indian costumes, and all of the robes and other garments were especially made by the Ince wardrobe department.

Doris May and Courtenay Foote assume the leading roles, the additional members of the cast including Claire DuBrey, John Davidson, Otto Hoffman, Noble Johnson, Gerald Prince, and others.

One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he can not be too careful about unnecessary expenses. Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars.

Mrs. Chandler, of Eldorado, left for Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon. She stopped off here for a visit with her granddaughter, Mrs. W. L. Brown, last week.

Public Notice of Dissolution

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between A. L. Spann and I. G. David, of Ballinger, County of Runnels, and State of Texas, under the firm name of Spann & Co., was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1922. All demands on the said partnership are to be presented to the said A. L. Spann for payment. The firm name will remain the same as heretofore.

A. L. SPANN, I. G. DAVID, d-20-27 aug. 3

VACATION TIME

Why spend your vacation in torment when you can have all the pleasure due you. New shoes are always taking the joy out of life. We can repair your old shoes and make them look good as new and you can enjoy foot comfort. Not only will you enjoy comfort in having your old shoes repaired but we can save you about 50 per cent on your shoe bill. Have your shoes repaired before going on your vacation this summer.

COY DRENNAN, w-s-d & wk.

OTHER OILS ARE REDUCED

By Associated Press
PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 19.—A cut of twenty-five cents per barrel in price of Pennsylvania crude and other grades of oil quoted here were announced today. The new price on Pennsylvania is \$3.00; Cabell, \$1.85; Somerset, \$1.65; Somerset light, \$1.90; Ragland, \$1.00.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Sam Behringer, of San Angelo, was in Ballinger Tuesday on business and visiting friends.

Henry Knox and daughter of Talpa, were in Ballinger Wednesday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Penn and baby are home from Jermyn where they visited Mr. Penn's sister, Mrs. J. Harold Tucker.

This Pure Cream Stops Head Colds

Apply in Nostrils—It Opens Air Passages Instantly.

Colds and catarrh yield like magic to soothing, healing, anti-septic cream that penetrates through every air passage and relieves swollen, inflamed membranes of nose and throat. Your clogged nostrils open right up and you can breathe freely. Hawking and snuffling stop. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist. Apply a little in the nostrils and get instant relief. Millions endorse this remedy known for more than fifty years.

TOURISTS RETURN FROM CORPUS CHRISTI TRIP

Four Ballinger families, composing a tourist party, returned from Corpus Christi about seven o'clock Tuesday evening, stopping at the South Ballinger school house for the last camp meal together. Jas. E. Brewer and family, E. Sheppard and family, Asa Cordill and family, and C. P. Sheppard and family composed the party. They were gone from Ballinger two weeks, and report a pleasant vacation, stopping at San Antonio for a day or two.

A Splendid Medicine for the Stomach and Liver

Chamberlain's Tablets for the stomach and liver are splendid. I never tire of telling my friends and neighbors of their qualities," writes Mrs. William Vollmer, Eastwood, N. Y. When bilious, constipated or troubled with indigestion, give them a trial. They will do you good.

ATTENDS FUNERAL OF MOTHER AT WINTERS

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Collins were called to Winters Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Collins' mother, Mrs. Tomlinson, who died at that place Monday night. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pilleher and Mrs. B. J. Tyson and several others. Mrs. Tomlinson had been living at Winters for quite a number of years, and was well known in the county.

WHERE DID THE GUARDS GET THE PICTURES?

By Associated Press

BERLIN, July 19.—A theft of valuable paintings which occurred four years ago has been announced by the Frankfurt police issuing a proclamation to the effect that "a collection of pictures was stolen from a railway carriage of the Second Guards division en route from Brussels to Germany, November 8, 1918. Included were a portrait of the Spanish Infante by Valesquez, two works of Rubens, a Van Dyck and other old masters. A reward of 1,000,000 marks is offered for their recovery."

No explanation is given as to why the pictures were on the way from Brussels to Germany or to whom they belonged.

WOMAN PACIFIST MAY GIVE IMPERIAL SECRETS

By Associated Press

VIENNA, July 19.—Countess Hetta Trauberg, the German pacifist who was interned by the Germans during the late war because she condemned submarine warfare, the deportation of Belgian and French women and children, and the treatment of allied prisoners, has been expelled from Germany because she still persists in her peace propaganda.

She is at present in Vienna, where she is compiling a book, deriving much of her material from the archives of Vienna. She is said to have secured war letters exchanged between the Czar of Russia, Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany, and the Austrian Emperor Francis Joseph.

Use Ledger Classifieds

Read Ledger "wants" column.

RYZON BAKING POWDER

Not merely baking powder but increased leavening power. The special process of manufacture is the reason.

RYZON is an improvement over old-fashioned powders. It has more raising power, is a slow, steady raiser. It retains its full strength to the last spoonful.

Order a can today. Have rich, brown, fragrant RYZON biscuits for every meal.

ANNOUNCING
the arrival of new woollens and fabrics

Fall and Winter 1922-23

Fine imported suiting fabrics, all new patterns, wonderful colors in plaids, checks, mixtures and chalk line effects. Rich fleecy overcoatings, the finest you ever saw.

E. J. Price & Co.
"The Nation's Leading Tailors"

has sent us some interesting style ideas, too. You'll like the three and four button long line coats. They're very dressy. See this display of fashions and fabrics now. Come in early—get first choice.

South Side Tailoring Co.
CLEANERS AND PRESSERS
Only complete cleaning plant in Runnels County
Work called for and delivered promptly
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How did your neighbor's last bargain tire turn out

NO tax charged on this 30x3 1/2 USCO

PROBABLY you know at least one car-owner who is always on the look-out for the cheapest tires he can find. He likes to get them by mail or at a sale or at some place where they have big red bargain signs over the door.

It would be fine if he could get "the edge" in every tire trade.

But the dealer can't afford to let him have it.

Even if a man saw any slight percentage in tire shopping at all—it disappeared when the "USCO" brought the price down.

A standard product—and the dealer sells it with pride.

A good tire. The dealer has no desire to trade you into a larger profit for himself.

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F. M. Smith—Miles, Texas.
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SHOWING THE PICK O' THE PICTURES
When Better Pictures are Made the Maeroy will Show Them.

William Fox presents
Shirley Mason in
"Jackie"

Also Fox News

Admission - - - 10c and 25c

FRIDAY

Thos. H. Ince Production
"The Bronze Bell"
A Paramount Picture.