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## COAL MINERS STRIKE NEARING END

### Brotherhood Chiefs Tell Men to Stay Away When in Danger

(By Associated Press)  
CLEVELAND, Aug. 9.—The chief executives of the Big Four transportation brotherhoods, in taking action regarding the endangering of lives of the brotherhood members thru alleged actions of armed guards in connection with the shopmen's strike, today telegraphed their members to remain away from company property if their lives become endangered on account of armed troops being on the scene.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 9.—Clerks, freight handlers, station men, who are not striking were today ordered by the union heads to "stay away from their usual place of employment whenever their lives became endangered either by armed guards, or defective railroad equipment."

The heads of the brotherhoods of railway and steamship clerks, freight handlers, station and express employees, sent out notices today warning the employees not

to take chances by working where guards were on duty.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—25,000 railroad shop crafts workers, through David Williams, secretary of the Eastern strike committee, today sent a telegram to B. M. Jewell at Washington, putting themselves on record as refusing to accept President Harding's proposal for submitting the seniority question to the United States Railroad Labor Board.

JOLIETT, Ill., Aug. 9.—Approximately thirteen hundred engineers, firemen, conductors and brakemen, of the Big Four railroad brotherhoods, on the Elgin, Joliett & Eastern Line, walked out here at midnight last night as a protest against the government stationing troops around the "J" yards. The strike took place without any disorder, and all is quiet with the exception of confusion incident to tying up traffic on account of the walk-out.

The strike of the brotherhoods here is exclusively local action, and was ordered by Chairman O'Day of the Joliett division of the Elgin, Joliett & Eastern Line. No walk-outs have been reported at other division points, and the unions here acted as a protest against troops being placed on duty here on account of the shopmen's strike trouble.

### 14 TO DIE FOR HIGH TREASON

(By Associated Press)  
MOSCOW, Aug. 9.—Fourteen of the thirty-four revolutionists accused of high treason against the Russian soviet government, have been sentenced to death by the revolutionary tribunal. Among the condemned are several foreigners.

Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Bugg left for Miles Wednesday morning, where they went to take Miss Bugg, Prof. Bugg's niece, and his sister, Mrs. McKinley. Miss Bugg had been visiting here from Big Spring and Mrs. McKinley from New Mexico, and they were returning home, stopping for a visit at Miles and also at Sterling City.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bruce and son, Robert, are on the Llano river for a camping and fishing outing. They left Wednesday morning.

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### W. H. Atwell is G. O. P. Candidate for Governor

(By Associated Press)  
FT. WORTH, Aug. 9.—Dr. E. P. Wilnot, of Austin, has been agreed upon by the Republican nominating committee for the senate position, according to a statement given out by members of the committee today prior to making a report to the convention. W. H. Atwell, of Dallas, has been nominated for governor on the Republican ticket.

The convention voted unanimously in adopting a platform which condemns the Ku Klux Klan and for putting a full ticket to oppose the Democratic party in November. It is said that it is the first time in the party's history in Texas that a full ticket will be put in the field. Action on both the platform and slate came unexpected-

ly harmonious. That portion of the platform dealing with the Ku Klux Klan, was approved with loud and prolonged demonstration.

"We condemn the Ku Klux Klan, or any similar organization whose purpose is to restrain by force, threats, intimidation, or otherwise, the conduct of our citizens in the full exercise of freedom, whether in matters of politics, religion, or that which discriminates between 'loyal Americans' on the ground of their religious belief, or nationality, says the resolutions.

The platform adopted charges that the Democratic party is under the control of the Ku Klux Klan in Texas, and the Republicans will launch a move to break it down and gain control of the Texas government.

### HEARSCALLAWAY BLAST BLANTON

Plunging immediately into an attack on the political and personal record of Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, after being introduced by Judge T. T. Crosson to an audience of about one hundred men and a half dozen ladies here Tuesday afternoon, Oscar Callaway vigorously assailed Blanton's record in congress. Speaking for an hour and a half Mr. Callaway devoted practically the entire time to reviewing Mr. Blanton's record in congress, and ridiculed the idea that Mr. Blanton could stop graft by his "point of order" methods.

The speaker reviewed the fights which were made in congress against Blanton and which the readers of this paper are familiar with. He read numerous paragraphs from the Congressional Record, recalling how members of congress, had branded Blanton as a "liar," and also referred to the attack made on Blanton in congress for speeches Blanton made in Texas in which Blanton told the people of Texas that members of congress purchased whiskey flasks and manure sets with money appropriated for their stationery accounts. Mr. Callaway used the Congressional Record to show that members of congress named Blanton a liar for making such

statements, "and he sneaked out of the House and would not stay to face his accusers," said Mr. Callaway. "He reminded me of a whipped dog which tucks his tail and runs under the house when guilty."

Taking up the various disturbances in the House in which Mr. Blanton figured on account of his attack on graft, Mr. Callaway contended that in every instance Mr. Blanton played to the galleries and tried to elevate himself in the opinion of the public, and charged that when he came back to Texas the first of this year and made his petty graft speeches over the state he was doing so with a view of running for the Senate.

The speaker declared that Blanton had been telling it over the district that economy in public expenditures had been the watch word in congress since he went there to represent this district, and the speaker said that exactly the reverse was true, and he read from the Congressional Record to show how congress had been spending money.

Callaway defended his war record, and denied the report which he said Blanton had circulated to the effect that Callaway tried to block the draft, or in any way interfered. He read from the Comanche Chief, of which Mr. Callaway is owner, where Callaway had said that the draft law was the law of the land and should be obeyed, and that he did not know of any way and

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(By Associated Press)

CLEVELAND, Aug. 9.—A virtual decision was reached today by the union leaders to conclude negotiations and bring about settlement of the soft coal miners' strike with the operators who gathered here for a joint peace conference. The operators also expect an agreement to be reached affecting practically all mines in Ohio, and others in Illinois, Indiana and Pennsylvania.

A final decision on settlement of the strike rests with the union policy committee, whose members have been informed that President Lewis had the assurances of the operators outside of the four states above mentioned of their willingness to the agreement based on the one negotiated at the conference here.

### REFUSES PERMIT ROAD MONOPOLY

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Because the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico Railroad proposed to pay \$925,000 for \$25,000 in par value stock which constitutes a controlling interest in the Dayton Goose Creek Railway in Texas, the Interstate Commerce Commission today refused to authorize the transaction and forbid the deal going through.

The price which the larger road proposed to pay for the Dayton-Goose Creek line is greatly in excess of the physical value of its properties, the commission stated, and the larger road was buying the smaller line because it expected to gain traffic advantages, and the commission held that the deal would be disadvantageous to the general transportation interests.

### GOOD RAIN IN STORM DISTRICT

Chas. Ferguson reports that from three-quarters to an inch of rain fell at his farm Southwest of Ballinger, and that the crops were greatly benefitted. Mr. Ferguson suffered the loss of two farm houses in the storm last April, when a cyclone swept a strip through that community, killing a number of people. The area which suffered by the storm last spring received a good rain Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Jones and two daughters, Misses Aileen and Mildred, are here from Rule, visiting Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Erwin.

### TOO MANY ROCKS FOR NEW CHURCH

The Baptist Church will be forced to haul rock away from the building site on Eighth Street, instead of having to haul rock with which to build the new structure. In making the excavation for the basement the workmen are removing more stone from the ground than will be needed. The crest of the hill is a veritable rock quarry, and it is no trouble to dig from the basement more stones than are needed to complete the building. Some of the rock being dug from the basement will be used in making improvements on the High School campus.

### C. E. SOCIETIES IN A SOCIAL MEETING

The Junior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor Societies enjoyed a social meeting at the First Christian Church on Broadway Tuesday night. The members spent the evening very pleasantly in a social way, and the work of the societies discussed with plans outlined for carrying on the work.

Read Ledger "wants" column

HARRISBURG, Ill., Aug. 9.—Every coal mine in this section is steaming up and mules are being lowered into the shafts today in preparation for resuming coal mining.

Preparations are being made by practically all mine operators in Williamson county to resume mining, and it is the belief of both miners and operators in this region that the backbone of the strike has given away, and that the coal strike throughout the nation will be called off within forty-eight hours.

### JUVENILE PRISONER MAKES HIS ESCAPE

John Philpott, who pleaded guilty in the juvenile court here last week on the charge of stealing a watch, and who was scheduled to leave Ballinger Tuesday morning, accompanied by the sheriff for Gatesville, to begin a five year term in the reform school, decided to leave Sunday and left alone, and his whereabouts are unknown to the officers.

When sentenced to five years in the juvenile school, the boy was permitted to return to his home in custody of his father, and was given the privilege of remaining at home with his parents until he could be carried to Gatesville. Sunday he was seen coming towards Ballinger on his bicycle, and he has not been seen here since. The sheriff was notified Monday that the boy was gone, and the trip to Gatesville was called off.

### NEGRO PLEADS GUILTY TO STEALING WOOD

A negro plead guilty to stealing wood from the A. & S. Railroad Monday, and was punished by a fine and a short time in jail. It was charged that the negro hauled off cross ties, belonging to the railroad. He admitted to getting the ties and squared the charge with the court. He resisted arrest and talked impudently to the officer, and Patrolman Pilcher brought his "billie" into play.

### JOINT DEBATE AT OXLEN AUGUST 18

Roy Clayton was in the city Tuesday from the Oxien country, and reported that the Self Help Club was arranging for a political rally at Oxien on Friday night, August 18th, at which time there would be a joint debate between a Ferguson and a Mayfield speaker. The debate is being well advertised and each side will have supporters. The names of the speakers could not be definitely given.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Jones are here for a visit with their son, Henry, having moved away from California, where they had been living for several years. Mr. Jones is under treatment for his eyes, and will probably not locate until his eyes improve.

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When a man starts out to get rich quick he generally gets caught quick.

The reason we call summer the silly season is because so many people get out in the open and act that way.

Fashion says low heels cause flat feet, while common sense says high heels are due to flat heads. Take your choice.

Well, as the campaign is about over, the bonus bill has been placed on cold storage for future bait.

Be game, write your wife's kin folks to come to see you during the fair.

If someone could be prevailed upon to do the judging, a baby show would be a drawing card at the fair. The stork has been a busy bird here this year.

More than 110 county fairs will be staged in Texas this year, according to a list of dates received by The Ledger. Such enterprises will boost Texas and prove feeders to the big Texas state fair.

We do not believe that God intended, after Adam and Eve spoiled the picnic, than any man should loaf on the job and let some other fellow make his living for him. Our industrial system will never be perfect until every man is on the job and there is a job for every man. There are entirely too many loafers for the good of the country.

There were 10,254 strikes during the six years from 1916 to 1922. The workers won 4,112; 3,515 were won by the employers and 3,627 were settled by compromise. Conditions were not made

better by any of the strikes, and in every case both the workers, the employers and the public lost. In a fit of anger people sometimes fight, but when they deliberately go into a fight knowing what the results will be, they play the part of the fool.

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**WINS PRIZE FOR WINDOW DISPLAY**

C. D. Richards of Higginbotham Bros. & Co.'s store, this city, received word today that he had been awarded a valuable prize for the window trim which he designed for the store during Dr. Scholl's Foot Comfort Week, June 17th to 24th.

Thousands of window trimmers, all over the United States and Canada, entered into a contest during this week to see who could produce the most striking display illustrating the modern service that progressive shoe stores are now rendering, in relieving foot ailments of all kinds.

Anyone who saw the display exhibited by the local store could not help but be impressed by its artistic conception.

Mrs. A. P. Luckett is here from Miles spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rasbury.

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

**200 ENGINEERS AT AUSTIN MEET**

Over 200 engineers attended the irrigation meeting in Austin Monday. The meeting was called by Gov. Neff to discuss state-wide problems arising out of drouth and flood conditions in this state, and is said to be the largest meeting of engineers ever held in Texas. City, county and state engineers were present, as well as representatives from the various federal departments interested in irrigation and reclamation. The Colorado Valley irrigation district was represented by U. Stephens, Runnels County engineer; and C. S. Guin. The meeting was presided over by Dean T. U. Taylor, of the University of Texas.

The engineers urged sufficient appropriations by the legislature to make accurate topographical and hydrographical surveys of the several streams of the state to the end that sufficient data might be placed in the hands of state agencies to guide them in making provisions for the impounding of water for reclaiming thousands of acres of semi-arid land, and to prevent overflow on millions of acres of swamp and river bottom land.

An advisory council of six of the leading water engineers of the state were appointed by the governor to assist the state agencies, in working out the tremendous problem of water control. The advisory committee decided upon the plan of dividing the state according to its streams and their watersheds, and a chairman was appointed for each watershed.

According to the Ballinger representatives at the meeting, the interest in water conservation in Texas is reaching the highest point in the history of the state, and the engineers present at the meeting were unanimous in their opinion that the problem of water control is one of the greatest confronting Texas today.

Special emphasis was laid at this meeting on the statewide irrigation and reclamation meeting to be held in Waco on August 16th. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce and allied organizations are trying to make this the greatest gathering of irrigation enthusiasts ever held in the Southwest, and expect out of the

meeting to secure action from the state legislative bodies and departmental agencies that will give great impetus to the project, now under way in Texas.

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GALVESTON — The annual conference of presidents and secretaries of Texas Rotary Clubs will be held here September 6th and 7th. Elaborate plans are being made by local members for the conference.

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W. H. Rodgers and F. G. Chapman, of Winters, were in Ballinger on business, Tuesday. Mr. Chapman came in from a trip to the East, and Mr. Rodgers met him here. Mr. Chapman says he saw no good crops, except in one or two localities.

Ed Glober is here from Austin visiting his mother, Mrs. August Glober and family. He came in Thursday night.

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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 TRIMMER
- For Sheriff: J. P. FLYNT
- For County Superintendent of Public Instruction: JOHN J. BUGG
- For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: E. F. BATTS

Sim Middlebrook left for Childress Tuesday. He was accompanied as far as Jayton by his niece, Miss Oline Green, who will visit her aunt for a few weeks.

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News was received in Ballinger this week of the marriage of Miss Alda Mae Powell to C. P. Herschfelt at Oak Cliff, Dallas, last Sunday afternoon. The ceremony was performed at the home

of the bride's cousin, Mrs. Ed English, and immediately following the ceremony the bride and groom left for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where they will make their home. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Powell, of this city. Until a short time ago she had been deputy clerk under

County Clerk Forgey, and before resigning to go to Dallas and meet the man of her choice, she issued her own marriage license, and by pre-arranged plan, met Mr. Herschfelt in Oak Cliff where the ceremony was performed.

Mr. Herschfelt formerly lived in Ballinger and was engaged in auto top repairing. He is engaged in the same business at Tulsa, where the happy couple will make their home. Their Ballinger friends extend best wishes for a happy married life.

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**HEARS CALLAWAY BLAST BLANTON**

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did not suggest any way whereby it might be evaded.

Mr. Callaway attacked Blanton's vote on the Esch-Cummings bill, declaring that he voted on it twice, once for it and once against it, and that such votes were cast on purpose to deceive both sides.

Following the speaking a move was started to organize a Callaway Club, and J. C. Cook was elected chairman. It is the purpose of the organization to appoint a committeeman in every precinct in the county and carry on a campaign for Mr. Callaway.

After speaking here, Mr. Callaway left in an automobile for Novice, where he was billed to speak Tuesday night. He declared that if he was elected he would use his best efforts to bring respect to the district and at all times serve the people. He predicted that he would get a majority in the second primary.

A. E. Zeverly, who has been here looking after the opening of the local cotton exchange, visited Brady Monday and Tuesday.

Dr. Guy M. Bingham, noted educator, traveler and lecturer, will be here with a high-power lecture on "The Durable Things of Life." Ulysses G. Lacy, one of the best known platform men of today is coming with a couple of lectures that will grip everyone that hears him. There are a bunch of other

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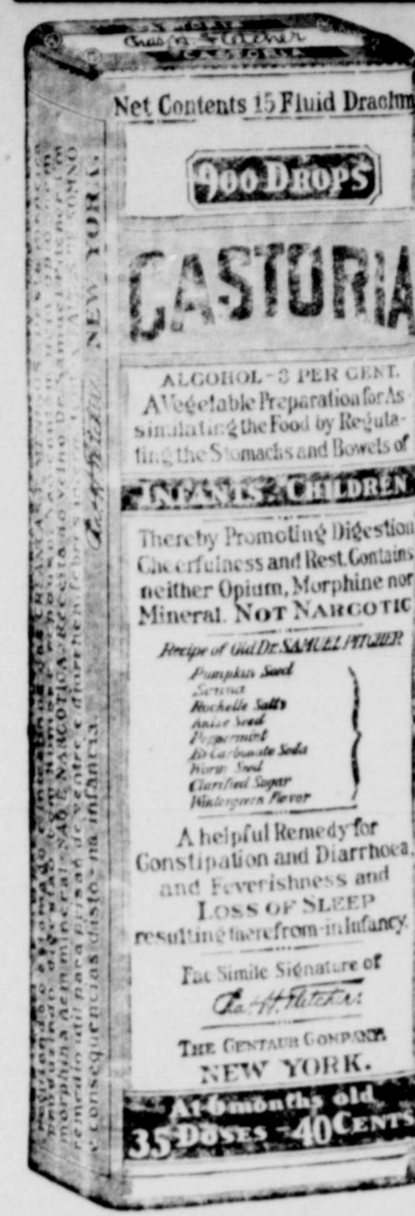
It's time to get ready for the Chautauqua! That's the way we feel about it, and that's the way you want to feel about it. It's a mighty fine thing to have a chautauqua come to the town once a year. During the twelve months the most of us get so busy we lose touch with the rest of us. We get absorbed in our churches and lodges and busines, and become narrow and bigoted and censorious and then, frequently suspicious and cranky. We youngsters get to thinking we oldsters are a bunch of fogies, and we oldsters imagine, because we youngsters wear short skirts and fried hats and yell lustily, that we are going to the bow-wows on the first train.

Wars often start just that way. When conditions get that way, we aren't a community at all—we're a com-mutiny. We need to take out the Mutiny and put in Unity. Every Com-Unity is composed of two people—Com and Unity, that is, we and the rest of us. Standing apart they can do nothing, but put them together and they will accomplish a great deal.

So we need to get together once in awhile, you and I, we and the rest of us, Com and Unity. That's what meetings and entertainments and discussions and visits and handshakes and chautauquas are good for.

Ballinger is planning for a great chautauqua this month. She is going to have some of the best talent America affords. Our enterprising citizens have seen to that, and they want the rest of us to come and enjoy it. Don't cost much; but you get a lot of information, inspiration, education and jollification. Arthur Plumstead, one of the world's greatest humorists will be here. He's so funny you can't help but laugh just to look at him.

The Boston Joy-Makers, with Walter Eccles and Al Pearsall will be here, and they are worth the whole price of a season ticket. Kirk Frederick, a violinist of international reputation, will be here with his company of musicians. Dr. Guy M. Bingham, noted educator, traveler and lecturer, will be here with a high-power lecture on "The Durable Things of Life." Ulysses G. Lacy, one of the best known platform men of today is coming with a couple of lectures that will grip everyone that hears him. There are a bunch of other



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**SAN MARCOS**—Miss Adalee Bowden, of San Marcos, has been appointed a missionary and teacher to the Girls' Mission college, at Havana, Cuba, by the Board of Missions of the Meth-

odist Episcopal Church, South. Miss Bowden has been doing missionary work in Mexico during the past year.

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The men of eighty-five and ninety years of age are not the rotund, well-fed, but thin, spare men, who live on a slender diet. Be as careful as he will, however, a man past middle age will occasionally eat too much or of some article of food not suited to his constitution, causing indigestion or constipation and will need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets to move his bowels and invigorate his stomach. When this is done, there is no reason why the average man should not live to a ripe old age.

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**Citation by Publication**

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Rannels County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summons S. F. Nicholson by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Rannels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, on the Fourth Monday in August, A. D., 1922, the same being the 28th day of August, A. D., 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 25th day of July, A. D., 1922, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 3033, wherein Mrs. Lizzie Nicholson is plaintiff and S. F. Nicholson is defendant, and said petition alleging as follows:

Now comes Mrs. Lizzie Nicholson who resides in Rannels County, Texas, called plaintiff, complaining of S. F. Nicholson a transient person having no permanent home or place of abode known to this plaintiff herein after called defendant.

And for cause of action, plaintiff represents to the court that she is and has been for a period of more than twelve months prior to the filing of this petition an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in the said Rannels County for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit.

That on or about Sept. 2, 1920, in Rannels County, Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to the defendant, then a single woman by the name of Lizzie Mitchell, that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about June 1922, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

Plaintiff alleges that during the time she and defendant lived together as aforesaid, she was kind and affectionate toward defendant fulfilling the duties and obligation of a wife.

Plaintiff alleges that in the spring season of 1921 her health failed her and for several months she was confined to her bed and room that defendant called in a woman to help nurse and care for her during said illness; that when she recovered from said illness she requested that said nurse be no longer retained; that defendant refused to permit said nurse to leave their said home and openly showed his love and affections for said nurse, finally when this plaintiff could stand it no longer she drove said nurse from her home refusing to let her return, whereupon defendant left her home and he and said nurse left this city and together they lived as husband and wife in different cities and places in this State, living in a state of adultery.

Plaintiff alleges that early in 1921 she being possessed of a home of the probable value of \$1,000 in which home she and defendant lived, this defendant persuaded and induced her to make a will and will to him said property all of which she did at his request, and he took possession of said written will and still has possession of same.

Plaintiff alleges that since she drove off said nurse from her said home defendant stated to her that he married her for the purpose of obtaining the ownership of her said home property and that he did not expect her to live so long.

Plaintiff alleges that defendant left her for five or six months at a time leaving her without money or means of support, that she was compelled to call on relatives and friends for money substance on which to live, he failing to provide for her in whole or part.

Plaintiff alleges that her name was Lizzie Mitchell before her marriage to this defendant and asks the court to restore her to her said name Lizzie Mitchell by order and decree of this court.

Plaintiff alleges that defendant's action and conduct towards her generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable, the premises considered.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and for judgement dissolving said marriage relations, for restoration of her name Lizzie Mitchell

and for such other and further relief special and general in law and in equity that she may be justly entitled to.

J. W. POWELL, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas this 25th day of July A. D., 1922.

(Seal): GEORGIA SINGLETARY, Clerk, District Court, Rannels County, Texas. d26-2-9-16

**NIGHT SCENES OF RARE BEAUTY IN PICTURE**

Night scenes of surpassing beauty are a feature of the new Thomas, H. Ince production for Paramount, "Beau Revel," which comes to the Maeroy Theatre on Friday next.

One of the "punch" scenes of the picture is an auto smash, showing two autos, with headlights flashing, rushing down a road in the moonlight and swerving into each other in front of the camera. No slight ingenuity on the part of the director and cameramen was required to put this sensational crash across.

Different lighting effects were used for each character in the picture. The cast of which includes such players as Lewis S. Stone, Florence Vidor, Lloyd Hughes, William Conklin, Kathleen Kirkham, Harlan Tucker, and others. Each player was treated individually from a lighting angle, an innovation in photography. "Beau Revel" was directed by John G. Wray, under the personal supervision of Thomas H. Ince.

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Harry Scott, a former Ballinger citizen, passed thru Ballinger Tuesday en route to Brownwood on business.

**BALLINGER COTTON EXCHANGE REPORT**

**Cotton Letter**

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 9.—The Liverpool market showed strength today, prices ranging from 24 to 32 points over the day's low figures, and closing at the highest levels of the session. Sales 5,000 American 2500, middling 12.17.

Our market opened 3 points under yesterday's close but quickly rallied 42 points on short covering and replacing of long contracts by those who believed yesterday's decline had gone far enough for the present.

Weather conditions in Texas continue unfavorable for the most part, especially in the West where the drought has not been appreciably relieved. The weekly crop bulletin issued by the United States Department of Agriculture was considered bullish, reporting but fair to poor progress in the crop both East and West of the River during the week. Complaints of shedding come from Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, Louisiana, and Texas. Weevil damage reports from Louisiana and parts of Texas, and considerable damage reported by army worm in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi. The map showed no rain in Texas for the past 24 hours except scattered showers, and the forecast for that state is fair tonight and Thursday. We advocate purchases on all set-backs believing that prices have touched bottom, at least for the time being. A the close the market showed a net gain of 8 to 15 points.

The State Department of Agriculture estimates the Texas crop at 2,509,000 to 3,300,000 bales.

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New Orleans			
	Opg.	High	Low
Oct.	19.65	20.10	20.60
Jan.	19.65	20.06	19.64
Mar.	19.63	19.98	19.53
Dec.	19.65	20.10	19.61

New York			
	Opg.	High	Low
Oct.	20.10	20.46	20.18-20
Jan.	20.03	20.42	19.98
Mar.	20.05	20.42	20.12-15
Dec.	20.15	20.52	20.05

Liverpool—Spots steady, mid. 12.17, sales 5,000.

**Spots**

New Orleans—quiet, 20.52.
New York—quiet, 20.45.
Galveston—quiet, 19.75.
Houston—steady, 20.35.
Galveston—steady, 20.75.

See Ledger Classifieds.

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FORT WORTH—Wm. James, former tackle on the Centre College "wonder eleven" of 1920, will be head football coach at

the senior high school of Fort Worth, Superintendent M. H. Moore, has announced. James lived at Wautauga, near here, when a boy and was graduated from the North Side high school here. He coached a high school team at Birmingham, Ala. last year.

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