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Cotton Market Tops Season

The cotton market reached the highest point of the season Tuesday when New York December was quoted at 23.03, the market closing at that point for the day. All markets made an advance of from fifty to sixty points, Galveston spots closing at 22.50 and cotton selling as high as 22 cents on the Ballinger market, the basis being around 21.75.

With the exception of a considerable decline Monday and a little fluctuation Saturday, the market has been gradually gaining for several days, and Tuesday brought the highest quotations for the season.

New York—			
Open	Close	Y'st'dy	
Dec.	22.60	23.03	22.42
Jan.	22.42	22.88	22.27

New Orleans—			
Open	Close	Y'st'dy	
Dec.	22.00	22.36	21.88
Jan.	21.90	22.42	21.84

Spots—			
	Today	Yesterday	
New Orleans	22.25	21.75	
New York	23.00	22.45	
Houston	22.40	21.80	
Galveston	22.50	22.00	

MEXIA—Lee Gayle has been delegated to take the census of Mexia. Efforts are being made to secure a new federal building for Mexia, and application will be made in a few weeks for a new charter permitted only in cities of over 5,000. City Attorney Machen says he is convinced the sworn records of the official enumeration will show more than 10,000 here, for, altho the work is but half completed, more than 5,000 names have been certified already.

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CROP TO CROWD 40,000 BALES

According to figures compiled by Oscar Pearson, manager of the Ballinger cotton oil mill, 31,231 bales of cotton had been ginned in Runnels county up to Saturday night, Oct. 14th, with most of the gins still hitting in high.

These figures bear out the prediction made by The Ledger two weeks ago that the total production this year would be in the neighborhood of 40,000 bales. Mr. Pearson, who has kept tab on the ginning and crop conditions, says that his original guess was for a crop of between 35,000 and 40,000 bales and that his guess still holds good.

24,000 bales in round numbers were ginned in the county last year, and most of the crop sold for less money than cotton is bringing during the present season. The crop this year is bringing around \$100 per bale, which with a forty thousand bale crop equals to more than four million dollars, including the seed money, which is not so bad for a drouth stricken country.

Winters holds the center of the largest production of any area in the county, due to the better crop in that part of the county and the heavy acreage. The big cotton receipts at that place have swelled bank accounts and trade business unusually good.

By sections the gins in the county up to Saturday night made the following report:

Winters	12,890
Ballinger	4,457
Miles	3,876
Rowena	3,528
All other gins	6,480
Total	31,231

UNIVERSITY TESTS ROAD MATERIALS

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Oct. 16.—The Bureau of Economic Geology and Technology of the University of Texas has tested 544 samples of road materials since the first of the year, according to statistics compiled by H. R. Thomas, testing engineer of the department. The tests that have been made included a variety of material sent to the department from almost every section of the state. Many of the tests conducted by the university department are made for the State Highway Department, altho tests also are made for engineers and contractors over the state.

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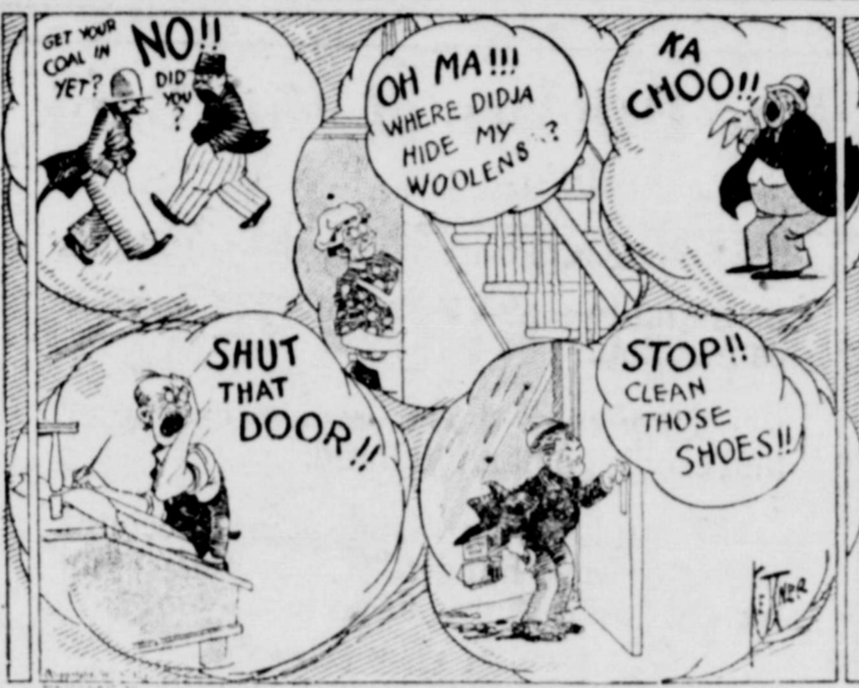
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WINE AND BEER AND KLAN ISSUES BEFORE LEGION CONVENTION

HOLD HEARING ON NEW RATES

(By Associated Press) GALVESTON, Oct. 17.—Efforts will be made at a meeting of the Texas rate experts and Texas Railroad Commission officials at Austin tomorrow to arrange for united opposition to Oklahoma's complaint set for Oklahoma City on November first.

This case, the Interstate Commerce Commission says, is parallel to the famous Shreveport rate, and Oklahoma in its petition attacks the rates on practically all classes of commodities applying locally between points in Texas as discriminatory against the Oklahoma shippers.

AUSTIN, Oct. 17.—The transportation committee of the Texas Chamber of Commerce, the state Railroad Commission and representatives of traffic interests in Texas will meet here Thursday, October 19th, to outline plans for action in what is said to be a case surpassing that of the famous Shreveport freight rate case.

The conference here was called by F. A. Leffingwell, of Dallas, secretary of the chamber of commerce committee, following notice that the application of the Oklahoma Corporation Commission for a readjustment of intrastate and interstate freight rates in the Southwestern territory had been set down for hearing in Oklahoma City, November 1.

The Oklahoma case takes issue directly with Texas interstate freight rates on more than 300 commodities comprising freight tariffs on all intrastate shipments except cotton, oil and other minor products, according to the traffic officials. Similar rates in Kansas, Missouri, South of the Missouri River, Arkansas and Louisiana West of the Mississippi River, are attacked.

J. S. Neely, of the Winters section, was a business visitor in Ballinger Monday and Tuesday, disposing of some of his surplus tomato crop to local merchants.

Read Ledger "wants" column

(By Associated Press) NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 17.—The American Legion in national convention here today heard Samuel Gompers, head of the American Federation of Labor, tell of labor's aims and aspirations, and what it believed that its rights and duties are. Mr. Gompers and Judge Kengaw Mountain Landis, supreme commissioner of professional baseball, received a noisy welcome when they appeared in the convention hall.

The light wine and beer question and the Ku Klux Klan question are threatening to bob up in the convention. The resolutions committee is expected to table the light wine and beer issue, and also any reference to the Ku Klux coming before the committee will be tabled. However, friends of beer and wine vigorously assert that an open fight will be made before the convention in an effort to get an expression and if possible an endorsement of light wines and beer. Persistent rumors are that the Klan will also be made an issue in open session of the convention, should the resolutions committee refuse to report out resolutions concerning this question.

The national colors were presented to the delegates in an impressive ceremony. John Barton Payne, national head of the American Red Cross, spoke on that organization's policy. Commissioner John J. Tigert, of the United States Board of Education, endorsed the Legion's rehabilitation and hospitalization programs.

San Francisco was awarded the 1923 convention by acclamation.

MORE MEN THAN WOMEN HAVE APPENDICITIS

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(Associated Press Dispatch) SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 17.—Lieut. Walter A. Ball, age twenty-seven, was crushed to death this morning when his airplane fell. Lieut. Ball was flying over the city when he lost control of his machine and it crashed to the ground killing him almost instantly. Ball was stationed at Kelly Field.

NO LIMIT TO ARGUMENT IN POLITICAL CASE

(By Associated Press) DALLAS, Oct. 17.—Unlimited time was granted the attorneys for argument in the appeal from the temporary injunction in the district court at Corsicana, which prevented the certification of the name of Earle B. Mayfield as democratic senatorial candidate, when the court of appeals took up the case here today.

The attorneys for appellants argued that the Corsicana court did not have jurisdiction and that the statute govern quo warranto proceedings were not observed in filing the original suit, and contend that the proceedings are delaying the entire election machinery of the state.

Counsel for the plaintiffs are replying to the appellants' arguments this afternoon and decision of the court will probably be rendered late today or tomorrow.

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 17.—Most of the county clerks in Texas are delaying the printing of the official election ballots until the controversy over the candidacy of Earle B. Mayfield, Democratic nominee for U. S. Senator and George E. B. Peddy, Republican nominee for senator, is settled, reports from a number of county officers received by Secretary of State S. L. Staples indicate.

When the official ballots were certified to county clerks on Oct. 6, Secretary Staples requested in his letter of transmittal that the county officers delay the printing until the settlement of the Mayfield suit or "as long as can safely be done and still insure a supply of ballots at the voting boxes in time for use at the election." Only one instance of where a county clerk was planning to proceed with the printing had come to the state office, Staples said.

Most county clerks are planning on holding the ballots until from five to ten days before the election date, November 7th, reports received here show. This, it is said, will still give time to certify both or either of the senatorial candidates' names if court action now pending is settled.

Mr. Staples expressed the opinion that most of the county officers would co-operate in carrying out his request and expediting the preparation of ballots.

Commissioners Considering Bids on City Street Paving

The city commission convened in the district court room at ten o'clock Tuesday morning to open bids on street paving. Six bids were received and read before the commission and quite a number of citizens who were present. After hearing the bids the commission passed an order referring the various proposals to Engineer Pirie for checking and comparison and adjourned until two o'clock when it was expected that the contract would be awarded.

Bids were submitted on several different characters of pavement, but it was indicated that preference was given to brick paving, and it is probable that this mater-

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 17.—Six persons were injured today when the army dirigible C-2 fell at Brooks Field and burned. The injured are:

Major John Thompson, of Ft. Sam Houston
Major H. H. Strauss, commander of the C-2
Sergeants August D. Albrecht and Harry Biles, ships' crew
Ben Haines, a San Antonio newspaper man.

The dirigible was being taken from its hangar for a flight over the city early this morning, when the ship caught in the framework of the hangar and the bag split. When the bag split the gas became ignited and the ship was completely destroyed. Passengers were thrown from the dirigible to the concrete floor.

Starting from Langley Field, Newport News, Virginia, at 12:25 o'clock on the morning of September 14th, the C-2 made an air history record by flying from Ross Field, Arcadia, California, with but six stops en route, arriving at Ross Field at 6:58 on the evening of September 23rd.

A late report from Brooks Field said that Captain Nelson Walker was also injured when the C-2 burned. The report stated that a "norther" which struck here this morning, blew the ship against the hangar and was the primary cause of the accident.

WETS CONTEST BOOZE RULING

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—The wet and dry forces faced each other here today before Federal Judge Hand in the first battle over the validity of Attorney General Daugherty's liquor ruling regarding liquor on steamships entering American ports.

The government forces are prepared to present arguments to show why they should not be permanently enjoined from putting into effect the provisions of Attorney General Daugherty's ruling prohibiting ships within the three mile limit from carrying intoxicants. Attorneys for the steamship companies are prepared for a bitter fight, and will contest the validity of the ruling which holds that it is a violation of the 18th amendment for vessels to transport liquor in American waters.

While only six bids were submitted there were fifteen or twenty men present representing contractors, material companies and bonding agents. If the contract is awarded Tuesday afternoon other preliminaries will be speedily pushed out of the way and actual street work should begin within the next month or six weeks, by which time the busy rush incident to the crop movement will be out of the way and the work can be carried on with no little inconvenience.

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Better prepare for war in time of peace and put up your stove now.

The first touch of winter caught most people napping Monday night. It came at four a. m.

If you want to talk to the people of Runnels county, do it thru the weekly Ledger. Ninety-nine per cent of the country people will hear you.

The attorney general says there is no man made law to keep voters from violating the pledge he assumed when he voted in the democratic primary. That releases some people—those who have no respect for their moral obligation.

This country needs more women who had rather tickle a baby under the chin than tie a ribbon on a poodle pup. A childless home is not complete when there are so many parentless children in the world.

A Remarkable Record
 Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a remarkable record. It has been in use for colds, croup and whooping cough for almost half a century and has constantly grown in favor and popularity as its good qualities became better known. It is the standard and main reliance for these diseases in thousands of homes. The facts that it can always be depended upon and is safe and pleasant to take are greatly in its favor when it is wanted for children.

It is claimed that Argentine beef can be placed on the American market at twelve cents per pound and still give the dealer a good profit. Cows bring two dollars in American money in the Argentine and sheep go for one dollar. Cattle are being slaughtered for the hides. At this rate American cattlemen cannot compete with Argentinians. Land in the good old United States is taxed too high to raise cattle on, and the time is fast coming when big ranches will be few and far between.

People who appreciate good roads are living a decade or two too early. Within the next half score of years it will be possible to motor almost any direction across the continent of America and never strike a bump, or need a mud chain. Good roads are just as important as railroads, and in time the people who travel will pay the bill and be glad of the opportunity. With the exception of about one hundred miles there is now a paved highway from Los Angeles, California to Portland, Oregon, a distance of 1200 miles.

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RUSSELL SPUDS IN A NEW WELL

The Russell Production Company spudded in their second well Monday, which makes the fifth well for the Russell field, three wells having been drilled by the Gulf Production Company before the Russell Production Company took over the development.

The new well will go down South of the two wells which made such good showing, and which are still supplying gas in large quantities and oil in considerable quantity, but not sufficient to pay at so great a distance from a railroad.

H. Giesecke, president of the Russell Production Company, stated Tuesday that his company had sufficient money to sink the well just spudded in, and barring accidents the well would determine the value of the Russell field within the next sixty or ninety days.

The Russell field has been the most promising since development started in this county. Russell No. 1 was the first well drilled in this county and came with a gush which attracted many speculators here, and for a time it appeared that this county would break into a real oil boom. The high capers cut by the well, however, soon simmered down, and since then further drilling has failed to bring in a well which justifies development on as large scale as will follow should a good well be brought in.

Safety First on the Allen land three miles West of Ballinger is down about 3100 feet, which completes the contract, and an effort is being made to finance the well to a depth of 3500 or probably 4000 feet. Those who have put their money in the hole declare that to abandon the well in its present shape would be to lose, while investing a little more money might develop an oil field. The hole is in good shape and is said to be free of water. Both cash and acreage is being subscribed towards financing this well to a greater depth.

PRESIDENT HARDING NAMES COTTON PALACE PRINCESS

Waco, Texas.—The Texas Cotton Palace has again received recognition at the hands of the chief executive of the United States. In a letter received from the White House by President W. V. Crawford of the Cotton Palace Association, he is notified that President and Mrs. Harding have named Miss Eleanor Wheeler of Washington as princess to represent the District of Columbia at the coronation exercises and queen's ball in a letter from Miss Wheeler she states that she gladly accepts the appointment and will be accompanied to the Cotton Palace by her mother. Last year President and Mrs. Harding designated one of the popular social favorites as District of Columbia princess, and ex-President and Mrs. Wilson did likewise before they retired from the White House.

With the naming of the District of Columbia representative, fourteen state princesses have been selected. The governors of thirteen states have chosen their princess and all have notified Cotton Palace officials of their acceptance.

The coronation exercises at the Cotton Palace, in connection with the queen's ball, have long been noted as the most brilliant social event in the Southwest, increasing in popularity from year to year. In addition to the out of state princess, duchess representing many towns and cities of Texas, have been appointed to represent Texas in this brilliant social event.

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MOTOR RECORDS SHOW INCREASE

Autos are rapidly increasing in Texas, according to the motor records of the state highway department at Austin. Dallas county has the greatest number of cars of any county in Texas, 36,773 autos having been registered in that county this year which is an increase of about 2,000 over last year. Harris county occupies second place with 32,572 cars, an increase of 3,990 over 1921. Bexar county holds third place with 29,360, an increase of 3,084 over last year, and Tarrant county is fourth with 22,948, an increase of 1942 over last year.

Runnels county has 47 more autos than were registered last year, with two months to go. Following are the registrations for Runnels and a few of her neighboring counties:

County—	1921	1922
Runnels	2,334	2,381
Brown	2,787	2,876
Callahan	1,420	1,531
Coleman	2,013	1,995
Comanche	2,274	2,031
Concho	731	651
Lampasas	1,081	1,207
McCulloch	1,427	1,340
Mills	980	975

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ASS'N. CONDEMNS CARNIVAL SHOWS

Ever watchful of the moral and social interests of Ballinger, the ministers of the local Pastor's Association have voiced their disapproval of certain forms of entertainment coming at intervals to our little city. On this particular occasion they rise up to condemn the carnival show recently advertised to come here from San Angelo.

The ministers make the point that the highest community development is one of a symmetrical nature, and that no one interest should be developed at the expense of another. In this respect they declare that the revenue received from carnivals and other shows of a similar nature, is of small consequence when offset by the moral blight which invariably accompanies such exhibitions. The resolution, signed by all members of the pastors association is as follows:

"We, the members of the Ballinger Pastors' Conference, and pastors of churches in Ballinger, desire to express in this united way our deepest concern for the social and moral welfare of our community, for which welfare we feel in large measure responsible.

"We deplore the fact that there has been and is coming to our community a number of carnivals, shows, etc., which unfailingly leave a trail of wickedness in their path. It is our understanding that these things generally come under the auspices of some local organization, and yet it is well known that they have gambling

devices, immoral exhibitions, unsanitary practices in touch with our people, and usually occasion the presence of immoral women who follow in their wake. These institutions are no asset to our community in any sense, as ought to be plainly seen, but on the contrary lower the average moral standard of our people every time they come. The money which they turn into the treasury of some local organization which fosters them, or to the commercial public in general, is so little it is not worth considering; and even if it were, it is a dear price our community pays for it. "Woe to him that buildeth a town with blood and establisheth a city by iniquity." (Hab. 2:12). We regret that any local forces whatever encourage such things; and we declare it as our conviction that any local person, persons, or organization of any kind that fosters or encourages in any way the coming of these things commits an inexcusable blunder against the moral and social life of our people.

"We speak our hearty commendation of those officers of the law who have recently declared their best; and we hope they will employ such methods of procedure as will not be circumvented, as is often done, but will be effective as far as their authority can reach.

"As servants of the people in the realm of good morals we must here record our united hostility to the coming of anything that puts a stumbling block in the path of upright citizenship, it matters not under whose auspices they come; while on the other hand we pledge our sympathy and full co-operation with every person or organization whose aim and efforts are for the moral bet-

terment of our people.
"Signed:
"ALVIN SWINDELL
"JESSE MITCHELL
"ALFRED CRAGER
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"PLEASANT J. TAYLOR
"C. E. SIMPSON."

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"CANAAN" AS PICTURE IS A DECIDED SUCCESS

Booth Tarkington's delightful novel, "The Conquest of Canaan," pictured by Paramount as a starring vehicle for the ever popular Thomas Meighan, achieved a decided success on its presentation at the Maeroy Theatre last night. The picture will be shown again at this house tonight.

It is doubtful if Mr. Meighan ever has done a more difficult characterization on the screen than Joe Louden, the uncouth and eminently unrespectable denizen of Beaver Beach, who later studies law, wins the love of Ariel Tabor, and finally becomes mayor of Canaan.

Doris Kenyon as Ariel, the tomboy, and Diana Allen as Mamie, were most artistic. In every respect the picture is one of the best

of the Meighan repertoire this season.
Charles Ray in "The Midnight Bell," a comedy-drama proffered by First National, will be the feature attraction at the Maeroy on Wednesday and Thursday.

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Mrs. J. H. Goss, of Abilene, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Troy Simpson.

Chas. Castor is in receipt of a postal card from Rev. Frigon, who was stationed at Ballinger as priest of the Catholic church several years ago. Rev. Frigon writes from Rome, and sends his regards to his Ballinger friends.

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DEATHS

J. E. McAden

J. E. McAden died suddenly at his home South of Ballinger at three-thirty Tuesday morning, following an illness of only a few hours. Mr. McAden was stricken with heart trouble between seven and eight o'clock Monday evening, and death came six or seven hours later.

Mr. McAden had been a citizen of this county for quite a number of years, and the sudden death robs the county of one of its best citizens. He was sixty-six years old on the fourth day of last May. A wife and a large family of children survive.

Funeral arrangements could not be definitely completed Tuesday, but it was announced that the remains would be laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery some time Wednesday, the hour of the funeral depending on the arrival of relatives.

The sympathy of the many friends of the family is extended to them in this sudden bereavement.

How Better Than Pills?

The question has been asked—In what way are Chamberlain's Tablets superior to the ordinary cathartic and liver pills? Our answer is, they are easier and more pleasant to take and their effect is so gentle that one hardly realizes that it is produced by a medicine. Then, they not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

For Sale Stamps—The Ballinger Printing Co.

Theme Paper, 10c per package, get it at the Ballinger Printing Co. 15-tfd.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For Rep. 22nd District: CLAUDE E. CARTER
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: R. J. DEENS
- 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

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from the factory

It takes time—and lots of it—to cure tobacco properly.

Nothing can hurry it, but once aged, blended and packed, the sooner you smoke it the better it is

For Your Protection

Every tin of fresh TUXEDO is banded—"FRESH FROM THE FACTORY—FRESH WHEREVER YOU GET IT." This band insures your receiving fresh Tuxedo.

Fresh Tuxedo is delivered to the dealer in small lots—even a carton of one dozen tins, if necessary, so the dealer receives fresh shipments frequently—almost daily.

Attached to each tin of Fresh Tuxedo for those who "roll their own" is a supply of RIZ LA CROIX cigarette papers—imported from France, the strongest, finest papers in the world.

Buy a tin—try a pipeful—roll one cigarette—and see how good fresh tobacco really is.

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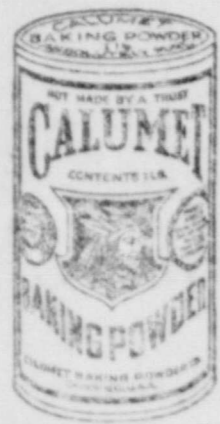
If they are the "big can and cheap" kind because they may mean baking failures.

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Don't let a BIG CAN or a very low price mislead you.

Experimenting with an uncertain brand is expensive—because it wastes time and money



2 ARRESTED FOR DRY VIOLATION

Sheriff Bob Miller, of Concho county, placed two men in the Ballinger jail Monday night and is holding them on a liquor charge until they can make proper adjustment with the law.

The two men were arrested in Paint Rock Monday afternoon when the officer discovered that they were imbibing freely of fire water. An investigation disclosed a quantity of intoxicants in the possession of the two men, and a complaint was lodged against them and they were put in confinement here, Concho county having no jail.

The Concho county sheriff was

Daily Ledger Want Ads

FOR RENT—Five room modern, conveniently equipped house, with storm house, garage, etc, two blocks from court house. Inquire at City Market. 17-3d-1w

FOR RENT—My home place, eight rooms, modern conveniences, close in on Eighth Street. Phone 148. Mrs. Emma Nash. 17-3td

FOR SALE—One four room house on 60x140 foot lot. Located on Sixth Street. Big bargain if you want a place. See A. L. Dunn. 17-6td

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, furnished. Phone 179. 16-tfd.*

FOR SALE—Splendid seven room residence, one hundred foot front, corner lot, priced right, in Ballinger, Texas. Write owner, Mrs. Rosa Scott, Box 562, Abilene, Texas. 14-3d-1w

FOR RENT—Good furnished bed rooms in two blocks of town. Phone 179. 11-tfd.*

FOR SALE—Overland 6 in good condition at a bargain. Phone 179 if interested. 11-tfd.*

FOR SALE—Two hundred Ram-bouillet Bucks—registered and pure-bred. W. O. Shultz, Paint Rock, Texas. 1-45td

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 605. 16-3td

LOST—One black sow pig, strayed from home 1602 Twelfth Street in Ballinger. Finder notify me. Mrs. S. M. Jonas. 16-3td

FOR SALE—Good Jersey Cow. Phone 83. 16-tfd.*

DELEGATES HERE FOR ASSEMBLY

The Assembly of the Church of the Nazarene will open at nine o'clock Wednesday morning in the auditorium of the Methodist Church, the Nazarenes having accepted the use of the Methodist church on account of its large seating capacity.

The formal opening of the assembly will include an address of welcome by Judge A. K. Doss on behalf of the citizens; C. S. Guin on behalf of the Y. M. B. L., and Rev. Alfred Crager on behalf of the churches of the city. The public is invited to attend the opening exercises, as well as any and all sessions of the assembly.

Notwithstanding the bad weather quite a number of delegates arrived for the convention Tuesday, some coming in autos, and others are expected to arrive tonight. The assembly will be in session throughout Wednesday and Thursday, and special programs have been arranged for the evening hours when some visiting ministers will preach. The delegates coming to attend the assembly are assigned homes in the city by the entertainment committee.

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FIRST WINTER STRIKES HERE

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 17.—The first real cold wave of the season appeared last night. The thermometer registered forty-nine degrees here this morning. A half inch rain fell during the night and a slow rain is falling this morning.

The first touch of winter struck Ballinger about four o'clock Tuesday morning when a pretty stiff wind swooped down upon the city following a slow rain throughout most of the night. The wind did not blow but an hour or two, but the drop in temperature brought the mercury down to about fifty degrees. The ice man begins to enjoy a rest and the stove and fuel man appears on the scene as the busiest beings of the day.

GLASS OF SALTS CLEANS KIDNEYS

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

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

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus often ending bladder weakness.

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



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The republicans and Ferguson followers are using the Ku Klux Klan as a booger-boo to drive many democrats into the republican party. Earle Mayfield was nominated for United States senator on the democratic ticket by a large majority, in a democratic primary held according to law, and the republicans came into the democratic party adopted a would-be democrat as their senatorial candidate and are resorting to every means to split the democratic party. If Paddy should be elected it would be heralded throughout the nation as a republican victory, and not an anti-Ku Klux Klan victory. Regardless of whose name is on the ticket, it is up to the democratic men and women of Texas to go to the polls on Nov. 7th and put down this conglomeration of Ferguson-re-

publican-bolters. Perhaps one more defeat this year will satisfy this bunch of political disgruntles.



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