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DIDN'T SHOOT AT DOCTOR; PLAYED POKER

(By Associated Press)
BASTROP, La., Jan. 22.—The alleged attempt to assassinate Dr. B. M. McKoin, former mayor of Mer Rouge, is believed to have prompted the kidnaping and killing of Watt Daniel and Thomas Richards, according to evidence brought out in the open hearing of the murder here today.

C. Wagsdale testified that he was in a poker game with Daniel, Richards and others on the night that Dr. McKoin is said to have been fired on. He said that he heard two shots while he was on his way home from a restaurant after the poker game.

TRAIN MURDER STILL A MYSTERY

(By Associated Press)
EL PASO, Jan. 22.—Peace officers in Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona, are today trying to determine if the man, who is believed to be Wm. Sprague, of Paris, Missouri, had a motive for shooting to death Harry Turner, of Tieson, Arizona; Herbert Brown of Indianola, Oklahoma; and P. O. Cochran, of Joplin, Missouri; Saturday, or whether it was the act of an insane man.

The man was a passenger on a train with the victims when the shooting occurred near Lanark, New Mexico. A bag found in the seat which the man occupied contained a package bearing the name Sprague, is the only clue the officers have to the man's identity. He killed three men and escaped to the desert.

Sprague was overtaken by a posse on the desert near La Mesa, New Mexico, Saturday night, and shot to death. The man was practically nude having torn all his outer garments away and discarded his shoes in his flight from the train, where he killed three fellow passengers.

The man was shot after a fight with the posse. After being shot down he plead for a drink of water as he lay in the sand. He said that he would not tell why he killed the three men until the officers brought him a drink of water. Members of the posse went for water, but Sprague died before they returned with the water, dying without making a statement or giving any reason for the triple murder. The body was buried at Las Cruces today after the coroner had held an investigation.

According to telegrams from Paris, Missouri, Sprague was a

TEXT BOOK AND OTHER BILLS AIRED

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—The House committee on commerce and manufacturing unanimously reported favorably today the Winfree resolution asking for an investigation into the Standard Oil Company interests in Texas, and the methods of fixing the price of oil and gasoline in the state.

Whether the text book commission acted within scope of its power, and whether the governor should be a member of the text-book commission are among the questions submitted to the legislature for their consideration by Governor Neff in a message today. Governor Neff made specific recommendations and expressed his confidence in the present commission.

Other questions included were: How should the members of the commission be selected? Should the text books ever be changed? Should gradual introduction be adopted? Should the commission meet every two years? Is the state purchasing too many books? Should length of contract be limited?

The House later adopted an amendment to the Laird resolution providing for eight members, three from the Senate and five from the House, to investigate the recent award of text books by the commission. The question was deferred for further consideration in the near future.

The House passed a bill declaring cotton gins public utilities and placed them under control of the railroad commission. The bill provides for licensing ginners and assessing a tax of one cent per bale.

Representative Marshall introduced a bill holding officers responsible for all liquors seized. A resolution was introduced proposing an investigation of the state reform and eleemosynary institutions.

The committee on banking and insurance for the Senate reported favorably the proposal to establish separate commissions of insurance and banking.

The Senate passed a bill regulating the disposal of the estates of minors. The resolution for submission of constitutional amendments reducing the membership, introduced by Senator Baugh, was tabled. The bill prohibiting court reversals on minor points was passed to engrossment.

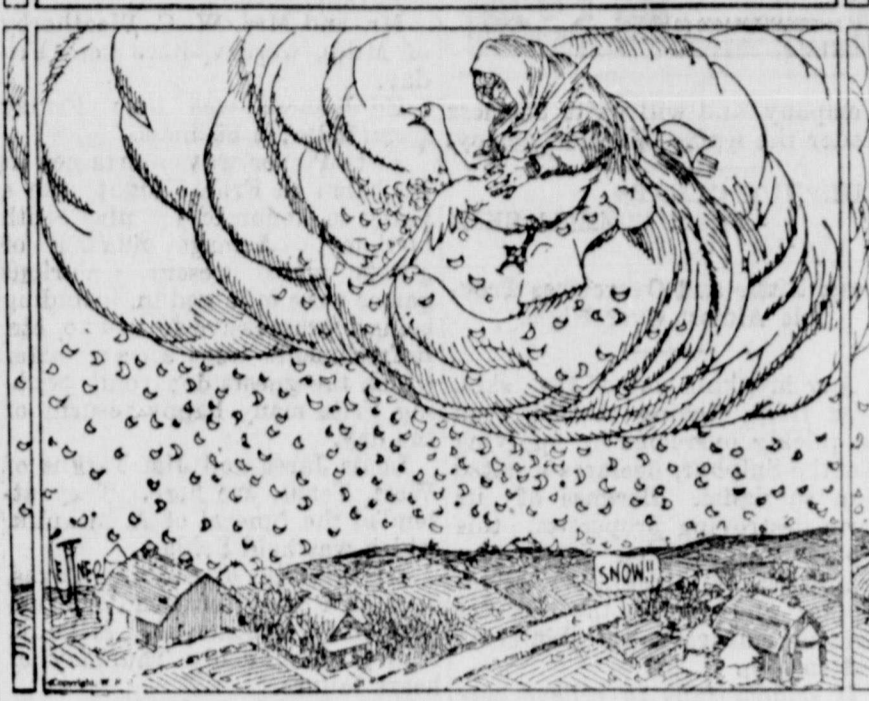
farmer. He had been out of work all the winter and was despondent. He leaves a wife and seven children at Paris. He was en route to Los Angeles, when he killed the three men. Officers say that although they believe the man was crazed, that he showed signs of intelligence at times after the shooting, and after he escaped from the train.

GERMANY CUTS OFF ARBITRATION

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Jan. 22.—The German government has formally ceased its participation of the Franco-Prussian arbitration tribunal because of the present political circumstances. Such notice was served as the hearing was about to open in the banking case which is being handled by a French and American legal firm.

Miss Elizabeth Alexander returned to her school work at the state university Saturday afternoon. She came home to be with her father during his serious illness.

Picking the Geese



Ballinger at Top in Good Rain Which Covers Texas

The Weather—Tonight partly cloudy; Tuesday fair, rising temperature.

The heaviest snowfall witnessed in Ballinger in perhaps several years flickered down throughout a great part of the day Monday. The water soaked and warm ground consumed the snow as fast as it fell, however. No estimate of the snowfall could be made, but sufficient to convert the world into a beautiful white carpet had temperature been at the stage to hold it together in its crystal flakes.

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Jan. 22.—Virtually the whole state of Texas received a soaking rain Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, according to weather reports received here.

The rain started in the Eastern portion of the state and gradually extended Southward reaching the Gulf and North and Westward into Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Long dry spells have been broken in many sections of the Southwest by the rain, which promises to be the best January season in many years. Many places reported rain falling Monday, after an all-day rain Sunday.

More than an inch of rain, mixed with a sprinkling of snow, marks the first 1923 rain record at Ballinger, and drives away a dry grouch which some people were permitting to creep in.

The rain began falling early Sunday morning, and a slow rain, broken only by showers throughout the day, continued Sunday, Sunday night and the moisture was still falling at noon Monday with no signs of a let up.

The rain report compiled by the West Texas Telephone Company

indicates that the Ballinger territory was in the middle of the best rain. The precipitation was reported lighted West of Ballinger, San Angelo reporting less than a half inch.

The precipitation is above the January average—and the good rain comes as a big boost to the agricultural interests in this section of the state, benefiting small grain, and sinking deep into the large acreage of land which has been plowed and made ready for spring planting.

Following shows the rainfall at Ballinger and neighboring towns:

Abilene	.66
Ballinger	1 inch
Benoit	1 inch
Blackwell	1-8 in., still raining
Bradshaw	.25
Brady	.60
Bronte	5-8
Brownwood	1.28
Coleman	1 inch
Coneho	.75
Eden	1.25
Ft. Chadbourne	light
Hatchel	.75
Lindsay	.75
Mayerick	.50
Menard	.40
Miles	.50
Millersview	1 inch
Norton	.50
Offen	1 inch
Ovalo	light
Paint Rock	.75
Pony	.50
Rowena	1 inch
San Angelo	.44
Santa Anna	1 inch
Stacy	1 inch
Talpa	1 inch
Wingate	light
Winters	.50

Mrs. Raymond Taylor returned to her home at San Angelo Monday at noon. She came down and spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Smiekle

MAN AND WOMAN HELD FOR DOUBLE MURDER

(By Associated Press)
WACO, Jan. 22.—One white man is in the custody of the officers in connection with the murder Friday night of W. E. Holt and Mrs. Ethel Deneecamp.

Holt, age 45, and Mrs. Deneecamp, age 21, were shot to death five miles East of here, and the bodies hidden in the weeds on the Mexia and Waco road. The murder was discovered following the finding of a blood stained auto on the highway, and the two bodies were discovered in the weeds several hours later. The man's head was practically blown off with a charge from a shotgun, and the woman was shot through the head, a bullet penetrating her eye.

The man under arrest is alleged to have expressed enmity toward

Holt, accusing him of being instrumental in breaking up his home, according to the officers who made the arrest. Officers say that blood-stained clothing was found on the man when arrested. A young woman is also under detention, and is being held for investigation as being a suspect in connection with the crime.

SCHOOL TO GIVE PIE SUPPER

Under the auspices of the Mothers' Club of the South Ward school a pie supper will be given at the South Ballinger school building next Friday night. The proceeds will go towards school improvement. Everyone is cordially invited to come and share in the fun and help in the good cause.

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The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also to local news published herein.

This would be a better world if we had more unbroken laws and not quite so many unwritten laws.

The plumber and fuel man still have plenty of time to get in on the prosperity wave.

The French are trying to discredit the old saying, "You can't squeeze blood out of a turnip."

West Texas seems to be determined to have an A. & M. College, or a state capitol.

The flu is no respecter of persons. President Harding is a victim.

Abilene has established a zoo. A hog ranch would be more profitable, and cost less.

That Broadway parkway is going to be a thing of beauty and joy forever—if properly cared for.

The average rainfall for January for the past quarter of a century at Ballinger figures .69 of an inch. Think of that and join in the rejoicing over the good rain for the present January.

About the only chance for any relief from high taxes, is for the legislature to break up in a row over the Ku Klux Klan and go home.

Gov. Neff's fifty dollar plank for every school child is going a little strong. A lecture on economy in our educational department might help the cause some.

Autos stuck in the mud in the heart of the business district of

Ballinger Monday, but why worry about that? The country needs more rain so we can buy more autos to joy ride on the paved streets after the bricks have covered the mud spots.

Up in Fisher county the commissioners' court has issued a warning that all delinquent poll taxers will have to work it out on the public roads. Now it will be up to some women to pay their husband's poll tax.

Even if the legislature does pass the chicken law making it a felony to steal chickens, a man can plead self defense when he catches a bunch of the fowls in his garden.

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PYBURN GOES BACK BEHIND DRUG COUNTER

J. M. Pyburn, one of the organizers and members of the Van Pelt-Pyburn Co., has severed his active connections with that company, and has accepted a position with the Weeks drug store. His friends found him behind the counter in his new position Monday morning. Mr. Pyburn was with the Weeks drug store when the call came for soldiers to go to Europe, and he gave up his work and entered the Medical Corps. He is not a new man in the drug business, but is only returning to his first love.

Charley Branch, who has been with Weeks for some time, has accepted a contract with the American Central Life Insurance

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Mrs. B. W. Claunch came up from Coleman Monday at noon, and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. VanPelt.

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PERSONAL NOTES FROM ROWENA

County Agent D. F. Eaton and family of Ballinger, were here Friday morning.

Mrs. J. D. Harn and Mrs. John Zentner were Ballinger visitors entner were Ballinger visitors Thursday afternoon.

Jack Cook is in Temple this week, where he underwent an operation.

Rudolph Malish was in Miles Friday on business.

Herman Feist was in Ballinger Saturday on business.

Miss Thrasa Schovapa of Miles, is visiting her sister, Miss Carrie Schovapa, here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weatherby of Miles, were visitors here Friday.

Ed Jenness was here Friday from Miles on business.

Fritz Pieper was entertained at his home on Friday night with a party in honor of his nineteenth birthday. A large number of guests were present. Various games were indulged in, including bridge, progressive forty-two, etc. Refreshments were served after which the guests departed, wishing Fritz many happy returns of the day.

Louis Jares and Jim Fajkus of West, Texas, are here. They attended the funeral of A. Mikulik, which was held Friday.

Joe Mikulik, of Shiner, Texas, came in Friday to attend the funeral of his brother, A. Mikulik, who died suddenly Thursday of heart failure.

Tom Boykin, of Miles, was here Friday on business.

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Douglas Fairbanks' early training with the fencing foils stood him in good stead during the filming of "The Three Musketeers," his latest United Artists feature, showing at the Fo-to-sho Theatre on Jan. 31st and Feb. 1st.

As a boy the electrifying Doug put in five years learning the now almost lost art of swordsmanship, and he is said to be one of the best fencers in the world. Prof. H. J. Uyttenhove, former world's champion fencer who

schooled the cast for "The Three Musketeers" in the art of blade wielding, declared that Fairbanks could enter any fencing tournament and emerge with highest honors.

Doug studied fencing in Denver under private tutors as a part of the course laid down for him by his mother who prescribed the kind of education that would prepare him for the stage.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Boyd, of Sidney, spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. A. F. Brock, on Ninth Street.

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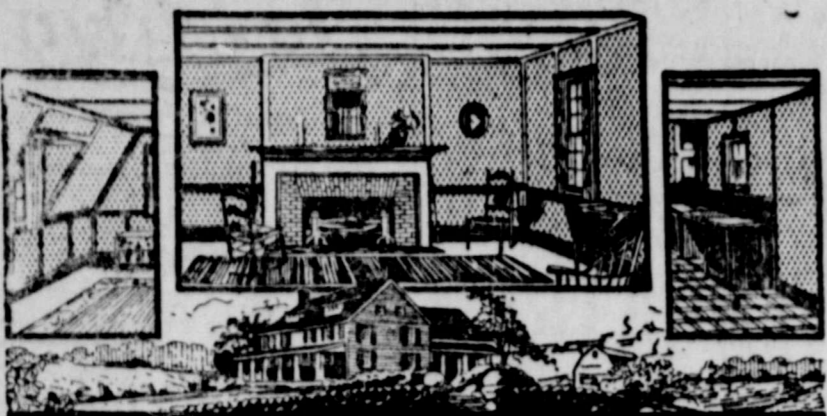
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You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published for a period of not less than one year in said Rannels County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To all persons interested in the Estate of Chas. Miller, Deceased.

Know ye, that J. M. Simmons, administrator of the estate of Chas. Miller, having on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1923, filed in the County Court of Rannels County, Texas, his application to sell the following described land belonging to said estate:

FIRST TRACT: Being 167 acres of land out of the John Jacob Taylor Survey No. 541, patented to Middleton T. Johnson by Patent No. 80, Volume 7, situated in Rannels County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Survey No. 541. Thence South 15 East with W. B. line 688 varas to corner, Thence North 75 East 1346 varas to corner in W. B. line of public road. Thence North 15 West 688 varas with said road to corner in N. B. line of said survey. Thence South 75 West 1346 varas to the place of beginning.

SECOND TRACT: Being 19.9-10 acres of land, all of Blocks Six (6) and Seven (7) of the California Fruit Land Addition to the town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, as the same appears upon the map of the plan of said addition now on file and of record in the County Clerk's Office of said Rannels County, Texas.

THIRD TRACT: Being 10 acres of land, all of Block Seventeen (17) of the California Fruit Land Addition to the town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, as the same appears on the map of the plan of said addition of record in the County Clerk's Office of said Rannels County, Texas.

FOURTH TRACT: Being all of Block Five (5) of the California Fruit Land Addition to the town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, according to the map of the plan of said addition of record in the office of the County Clerk of said Rannels County, Texas.

FIFTH TRACT: Being 70 acres of land situated in Rannels County, Texas, and being 10 acres out of the F. Mancha Survey No. 12, Abstract No. 901, and 60 acres out of the E. F. Mitchison Survey No. 365 3-4, Abstract No. 382, located about one mile North of the Court House, and being described in deed of trust recorded in Volume 17, page 306 of the Deed of Trust Records of said Rannels County, Texas, to which reference is made.

SIXTH TRACT: Being all of Lots Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), and Twenty-three (23) in Block Thirty-three (33) of the town of Hatchel, Rannels County, Texas, according to the map of said town of record in the County Clerk's Office of said county.

SEVENTH TRACT: (a) Being 12 1-2 acres of land out of a

50 acre tract known as Block 5 in the subdivision of the Martin Demmer Survey No. 420 and Carl Daniel Survey No. 421, said tract being entirely out of said Carl Daniel Survey and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Block 5, as described in deed recorded in Volume 57, pages 626 and 627 of the Deed Records of said Rannels County, Texas. Thence North 30 East 228 varas to stake set for Southeast corner of a certain 12 1-2 acre tract deeded by Bair and Conn to Avent, out of the Northeast corner of said Block 5. Thence North 60 West with said Avent's S. B. line 310 varas to stake set for Southwest corner of said Avent tract. Thence South 30 West 228 varas to S. B. line of said Block 5. Thence South 60 West with said S. B. line 310 varas to place of beginning. (b.) Lot No. One (1) in Block No. Twenty-two (22) of the original town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, according to map of said addition of record in the County Clerk's Office of said county. (c.) Being all of Block Twenty-two (22) in West End addition to the town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, according to map of said addition of record in the County Clerk's Office of said county, said block containing two acres of land.

EIGHTH TRACT: (a.) Being 44 1-2 acres of land out of the South part of H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey No. 25, Abstract 283, Certificate 3-483, originally granted to said H. & G. N. Ry. Co., described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the original Southeast corner of said Survey No. 25. Thence North 210 varas to a stake in South line of road. Thence West 1,000 varas. Thence South 152 varas to stake for corner. Thence West 435 varas to stake for Northwest corner. Thence South 58 varas. Thence East 1,454 varas to the place of beginning.

(b.) Being 105 1-2 acres of land off the North side of H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey No. 41, originally granted to H. & G. N. R. R. Co. by virtue of Certificate 3-492, Abstract 282, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the original Northeast corner of Survey 41. Thence South 417 varas to stake. Thence West 1461 varas to stake. Thence North 417 varas to Northwest corner of said Survey No. 41. Thence East 1461 varas to the place of beginning.

NINTH TRACT: Being Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), and one-half of Five (5); and Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block Five (5); and Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5) and Six (6) in Block Six (6); and Lots One (1), Two (2), Four (4), Five (5), Eight (8), Nine (9) and Ten (10), in Block Seven (7); all in College Heights Addition to the town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas.

TENTH TRACT: Being all of Blocks 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1-2, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 26 1-2, 32, 36, 37, 43, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50 in the town of Hatchel according to the map of said town. Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 in Block 7. Lots 1 to 10 inclusive in Block 13. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, and 12 in

Block 20. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 17, 18, 19, 24 in Block 33. Lots 2, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, in Block 34. Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 in Block 40. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 17, 18, 19, and 20, in Block 41. Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, in Block 42. All of said above mentioned lots and blocks being situated in the town of Hatchel, Rannels County, Texas, according to the map of said town of record in the County Clerk's Office of said County, and intended to cover all lots and blocks owned by the said C. S. Miller in said townsite at the time of his death.

ELEVENTH TRACT: Being 1 acre of land out of the J. P. Mills 640 acre survey, known as Mound League, situated in Brazoria County, Texas, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Begin at Northwest corner of a 20 acre tract conveyed to J. C. Walker and B. B. Cain. Thence South 45 East 432.4 feet to corner in West line of said Walker and Cain tract. Thence South 45 West 100.6 feet to corner. Thence North 45 West at right angles with last named line and parallel with first line 432.4 feet to corner. Thence North 45 East with said line 100.6 feet to the place of beginning, which said 1 acre is known as Lot 5 in the subdivision of said land.

TWELFTH TRACT: Being 8 acres out of Block 11 in the South Ballinger Addition to the town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a rock set in ground in the East line of Block 11, 333 varas North 30 degrees East of the Southeast corner of said Block 11. Thence North 30 degrees East with East line of said Block 11, 163 3-5 varas to rock set in ground for the Northeast of this 8 acre tract. The same being the Southeast corner of Hugh Jackson 5 acre tract. Thence North 30 degrees West 260 varas to rock in ground in East line of G. C. & S. F. right of way for the Northwest corner of this tract. The same being the Southwest corner of Hugh Jackson 5 acre tract. Thence South 41 degrees West with East line of said right of way 166 varas to rock in ground for Southwest corner of this tract. Thence South 60 degrees East 294 varas to the place of beginning.

THIRTEENTH TRACT: Being 16 3-4 acres of land and being all of the Hugo Addition to the town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, according to map of said addition of record in the County Clerk's Office of Rannels County, Texas. Now also lots 12, 13, 14, 15, in Block 5, of the original town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, according to map of said town of record in the County Clerk's Office of Rannels County, Texas.

FOURTEENTH TRACT: Being 1 acre of land out of Block 10, South Ballinger Addition to the town of Ballinger, Rannels County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning in the North line of said Block 10, 300 varas Northwest from the Northeast corner of said Block 10. Thence North 60 West with North line of Block 10 210 feet. Thence South 30 East 210 feet. Thence South 60 East 210 feet. Thence North 30 East 210 feet to the place of beginning.

The said administrator asks that each said tracts of land above described be sold for the purpose of paying the liens thereon and specifically set out in said application which liens have been duly established by judgments of the Probate Court of Rannels County, Texas, and for the purpose of paying the costs of administration and the claims and charges against said estate.

Now, therefore, these are to notify all persons interested in said Estate, to be and personally appear at the next regular term of the honorable County Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Ballinger, on the first Monday in February, A. D. 1923, the same being the 5th day of said month, and then and there to show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 15th day of January A. D. 1923.

(Seal) W. A. FORGEY, Clerk, County Court, Rannels County, Texas.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original citation now in my hands.

J. P. FLYNT, Sheriff. 15-22-29-d

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THINKS STATE SHOULD SUPPORT ENTOMOLOGIST

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, Jan. 22.—More adequate support should be given by the state legislature to the office of the State Entomologist in his investigation looking to control of the cotton boll weevil, according to John T. Orr, former president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

"The legislature, also, should make more adequate provisions for the state entomologist to make an intensive study of the pink boll worm situation," Mr. Orr said. "Although we are at the very door of the menace our state has no entomologist at work on the pink boll worm situation." "The advantage of the State Entomologist being well informed is obvious since Texas produces one-fourth of the cotton crop of the United States."

Bilious Headache

When you have a severe headache, a disordered stomach and constipation, take three of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will correct the disorders of the liver and bowels, effectually curing the headache.

MANY LOANS HANDLED BY LIVESTOCK CORP.

(By Associated Press)

FT. WORTH, Jan. 22.—The Agricultural Livestock Finance Corporation here, formed a little more than a year ago, at the suggestion of Eugene Meyer Jr., director of the War Finance Corporation; during its period of existence has handled loans totalling \$11,000,000, it was announced in a report made public by John N. Sparks, general manager.

"Loans now in force total \$6,400,000 and the others have been liquidated," Mr. Sparks reported. "A dividend of eight per cent has been declared."

CAZARRIAL DEAFNESS

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 of Eustachian Tube 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.

REAL INDIANS USED IN HISTORIC PLAY

Photoplay fans will have a chance to see many real live Indians in Maurice Tourneur's production "The Last of the Mohicans," by J. Fenimore Cooper, which comes to the Maeroy Theatre on Jan. 29th and 30th. When Tourneur made it, he insisted upon using as many real Redskins as possible. He sent out for Indians, and his studio was nearly swamped.

Many descendants of the original Americans act at the California studios as French, Egyptian, Mexican, Italian, Syrian, Turkish, Chinese and Japanese characters, and one old chief said he had appeared as an Eskimo.

"SAVING SOLES"

We make a specialty of saving Soles—Bring your old Shoes to Smith, the real shoe doctor—We make 'em good as new. A trial is convincing. 5-24d Smith's Shoe Shop.

Dr. Allen, of Roby, came in last week to be at the bedside of his sister-in-law, Miss Eunice Lilly, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at Winters.

Mrs. E. L. Hilliard and baby returned to their home at Rosebud, Saturday afternoon, after a visit to Mrs. Hilliard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothall O'Kelly left for their home at Corpus Christi, Saturday afternoon, after spending a week or two here visiting home folks.

EL PASO—After experimenting with convict labor for six months, El Paso county has abandoned it. County commissioners say that convict labor, because of the overhead expense incurred in guarding the prisoners, is too expensive. Work is accomplished faster, cheaper and better with "free" labor, they said.

EL PASO—El Paso's herd of seven buffaloes has been moved to a pen containing ten times as much space as the former enclosure. Veterinarians said the animals were threatened with tuberculosis and suggested that they be moved.

ANOTHER PRIZE WINNING TURKEY STORY

(San Angelo Standard)

C. F. Braden of Turkey Lane, Eola, Texas, is the king of turkey raisers in this section of West Texas, according to a report by Dor Brown.

Mr. Braden last year started with nine hens and two toms of the giant bronze variety and from that number of birds realized \$994, says Mr. Brown. Outside of that Mr. Braden saved five toms and twenty hens for breeding purposes this year, indicating that he intends to go into the business rather extensively.

Mr. Braden has just received a fine tom from Bird Brothers, nationally known breeders, for which he paid \$100. All of the birds Mr. Braden raised were sold for breeding stock, some commanding rather fancy prices.

GRAY HAIR BECOMES DARK AND BEAUTIFUL

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients, at very little cost. Everybody uses this preparation now, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger.

Chas. Ferguson is at home from a month's stay on the Plains country. He says that it was raining on the Plains when he left and the rain followed him to Ballinger. "I have been traveling in Texas twenty-eight years," said Mr. Ferguson, "and I never saw a time when the farmers had their land in as good shape and were as well up with their work as they are at present."

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TAYLOR COUNTY HAS BAD COURT RECORD

Announcing that it was only taking a recess and would reconvene again this week, the grand jury at Abilene turned in thirty-one indictments last week. The cases ranged from theft, bootlegging and other minor offenses, to murder. Several cases were disposed of by the district court, one negro drawing two years for selling booze.

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Priced so that it occupies a commanding position, Hupmobile is today outselling many other cars lower in price.

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FOR SALE—320 acres of land on Oak Creek near Norton, most of it in cultivation. Address 411 Koberlin Street, San Angelo, Texas. 19-13td

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TAKE OUR ADVICE—USE **CALUMET** The Economy BAKING POWDER

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Many Bills in Senate in Week Ending Jan. 20

AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—Some of the most important measures to come before the present legislature have been placed before the Senate during the week ending January 20th. Eighty-three new measures were introduced during the week.

The Senate started off the week with a proposal by Senator Baugh of Rannels, that the membership of the legislature be decreased, from 150 to 75 in the House, and 31 to 25 in the Senate. He also proposed a twelve-month session every two years. On Monday the Senate accepted the election of A. J. Wirtz, from the 21st district. Senator Burkett's "hooded mob" resolution drew attention on Monday with a favorable report from the committee. Governor Neff's law enforcement message was sent up on Monday.

The inauguration of Gov. Neff and Lieutenant Governor Davidson featured Tuesday's sessions. The Senate went on record as opposing "hooded mobs and masked political organizations" when it adopted Senator Burkett's resolution, 18 to 8. Senator Dudley's resolution on the Orient railroad was adopted on Tuesday.

A favorable report on the Bledsoe bill proposing the establishment of a West Texas state college was the only action of importance Wednesday.

Gov. Neff on Thursday sent his message dealing with educational problems to the legislature. Recommendation for an extensive survey of the entire educational system was the outstanding feature of the message. Former Senator H. D. McDonald, of Paris, addressing the Senate on Thursday, characterized the presence of masked headgear in Texas as a fad and declared that it will pass away within a short time. Opposition to the "fifty-fifty" plan of federal aid was voiced in a resolution adopted Thursday.

On Friday, the Senate spent considerable time debating the "anti-technicalities" bill, introduced by Senator Witt. Senator Beldsoe of Galveston charged that secret organizations are enabled to conduct much of their work because of the present laws which permit reversal of court decisions in criminal cases on technicalities. Extension of the highway commission was proposed in a measure introduced by Ridgeway of Bexar county. Governor Neff on Friday sent a message to both branches dealing with tax recommendations. He recommended an income tax, and revision of inheritance, gross receipts and severance tax laws. The upper house was not in session on Saturday.

Constipation

Constipation of the bowels is a stoppage of the sewerage system that removes waste matter from the body. It is as necessary that your bowels move regularly once each day, to carry off this waste, as it is that the waste pipes of your home be kept open and carry off the waste from the house. If you would enjoy good health, keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed.

MRS. KENNEDY DIES NEAR WILMETH

The remains of Mrs. J. L. Kennedy were carried from her home near Wilmeth to Talpa Sunday afternoon and laid to rest in the Talpa cemetery. Mrs. Kennedy died Saturday. She was seventy-five years old. Deceased is survived by a number of relatives, among whom is a son, J. L. Kennedy, who is well known in Ballinger and throughout the Northern part of the county.

Spill Bros. of Winters, had charge of the funeral.

CASTORIA

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Miss Eunice Lilly, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, following the flu, at Winters, is reported to be improving. She passed the crisis Saturday night. Miss Eunice has been teaching in the Winters school.

Big Bargain

A six cylinder Buick in good shape. Can be seen at W. A. Nance Garage. Also one four-cylinder Maxwell. See Young P. Parrish at Central Hotel. 22-3td

TEN INDICTED BY TOM GREEN GRAND JURY

The grand jury concluded its work at San Angelo last Saturday, and turned in ten indictments for the term. The bills included two for murder. The others were for theft, forgery, false swearing, and swindling. N. S. Rives was placed under \$500 bond on a swindling charge. No bootlegging

bills were docketed.

NOTICE TO WOODMEN CIRCLE MEMBERS

There will be a meeting Tuesday night, January 23rd at seven o'clock to elect a clerk. All members are urged to be present. MRS. W. H. SCHLEYER, Clerk Pro Tem

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