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## LAST SURVIVOR ANDREW JACKSON FAMILY DEAD

(By Associated Press)

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 3.—Mrs. Rachael Jackson Lawrence, the daughter of former President Andrew Jackson, died here at seven o'clock this morning, at Birdsong, her country home, at 90 years of age. She was the last surviving member of the hermitage household of "Old Hickory's" line. Deceased had been confined to her bed for more than a year.

DALLAS.—Bacteriology as a profession for women is receiving recognition at Southern Methodist University, where courses in the subject are largely patronized by the students. Seven out of the nine who specialized in the work were girls.

## COUNTRY CLUB NAMES OFFICERS

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Ballinger Country Club, officers for the first year were elected. F. M. Pearce was elected president; M. McGregor, vice-president; A. J. Thorp, secretary and treasurer. The board is composed of F. M. Pearce, M. McGregor, R. L. Harwell, Roy Reeder, A. J. Thorp, A. K. Doss, and C. L. Baker.

Friday afternoon, the officers of the club, accompanied by Engineer Pirie went out and made a preliminary survey of the proposed site of the club, and looked over the land with a view of closing a deal for same, and proceeding with improvements.

The charter will be drawn immediately and a deal closed for the land and a program of improvements carried on as rapidly as the work can be done. The construction of the dam will be the first work put on foot. The other improvements, such as construction of a club house, bath houses, etc., will probably be ready for the coming season, and by the time the dam is completed and the lake of water created.

The artificial lake will be created on Los Arroyo, three miles west of Ballinger, and at point where nature has provided a place for the construction of a dam which it is claimed will create a lake of water about thirty acres in area.

The club membership will be limited to seventy-five. These were soon obtained, many of them coming in voluntarily, and there are several others who have filed applications which will be acted upon in case of vacancies.

## TRYING TO STOP FOREIGN BOOZE

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Resolutions calling on the state and treasury departments for reports of the amount of liquors imported by the various embassies and legations into Washington since prohibition went into effect, was introduced in congress today by Representative Cranston, republican, of Michigan.

## ADMITS ATTEMPT TO ROB GRAVE

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—William H. Williams, special agent of the treasury department, admitted today that an attempt had been made to rob the grave of James Jones, an American seaman, at Brooklyn. Crown jewels of Russia are reported to have been smuggled into the country in Jones' coffin.

## MERCURY ON DOWNWARD RUN

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, Feb. 3.—The cold wave which struck Texas last night is today moving East and South from the Rocky Mountains. The blizzard brought the temperature down to from zero to forty below zero at points in the North.

Rain and sleet is reported at Greenville, snow at Sherman and Amarillo. The temperature at Amarillo this morning was four degrees above zero, twenty above at Abilene, twenty-six above at Wichita Falls. The forecast reports that it will be freezing to the Gulf coast within thirty-six hours.

Tonight colder, temperature sixteen degrees. Sunday fair, rising temperature.

After lingering around the Springtime point for almost a Winter's season, the temperature took a tumble early Saturday morning and registered twenty-five at noon Saturday as compared to seventy for the same hour Friday.

The cold wave struck here about midnight in a mild form and increased intensity until the freezing point was soon reached. The drop in temperature was accompanied by a light Spring rain and sleet, and considerable electrical display.

The frigid weather had its effect on business, and cut the Saturday crowd here to the smallest in many months, but it is what the country needs to pave the way for a good agricultural year. The forecast for tonight indicates that the temperature will drop much lower, probably sufficient to kill insects.

## RANGER PROBING ANGELO ROBBERY

Special to The Ledger:

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 3.—A ranger appeared here this week from Austin to investigate the robbery of the armory last Thursday night, when someone entered the hall and stole guns and equipment. The burglary was not discovered until the National Guard company met for regular drill. It was reported to the officers and later to the military authorities, and a ranger has been sent here to assist in the investigation.

Mrs. Andy Gustavus left Friday afternoon for Belton, where she will be for a month acting as hostess for Baylor College, and it is probable that she will accept the place permanently.

## Melancholy Days Are Here



## Technological College Would Be Greatest Educational Institution In Southwest Says Its Sponsor

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—Texas will have an opportunity to establish one of the greatest educational institutions in the Southwest if plans for the state college of technology are carried out as set forth in the bill passed this week by the state legislature, according to Lewis T. Carpenter, author of the technology bill and member of the lower house of the legislature.

Representative Carpenter introduced the first measure in the House on such a proposal and after the bill had been reported favorably, he consented to substitute the bill for the proposed West

Texas state college measure, which had been introduced by Senator Bledsoe and Representative Chittwood. As passed, the measure provides for the establishment of a college of technology somewhere in West Texas, and appropriates a million dollars for establishing the school.

"I have no objection to establishing the college in West Texas," Carpenter said today. "The technological field is the most neglected field of education in this section and it has probably the greatest opportunities of any educational field. Such a school is greatly needed in this state in view of the large production of various crops and products."

## TWENTY HURT IN STORM IN MISS. HAMMON WIDOW IS PENNILESS

(By Associated Press)

TUNICA, Miss., Feb. 3.—Flood waters from the Coldwater River covered the village of Savage, in Tate county, today and added greatly to the suffering caused by the terrific wind and rainstorm which swept that region last night. The storm caused extensive property damage and injured more than a score of people.

Mrs. W. L. Brown returned home Friday afternoon from El Dorado, where she had been visiting her parents.

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—A decree, granting Mrs. Georgia Hamon Rohrer, widow of Jake Hamon a divorce from William L. Rohrer, was set aside today. Mrs. Hamon declared she is penniless and applied to the court for an alimony decree, and the former divorce decree was set aside to allow her to reopen the case and seek support from her husband.

Attorneys for Rohrer told the court that Mrs. Rohrer was receiving \$200 per month from the Jake Hamon estate.

## REFUSES LISTEN GERMAN EXCUSES

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Feb. 3.—The council of the League of Nations today declined to put the reparations or the Ruhr occupation questions on the program. This means for the present that there is no possibility of the League taking any initiative toward mediation between France and Germany.

The threat of war and menace of a blockade were unexpected features of the meeting. The Lithuanian minister to Germany declared that the Lithuanians would not accept the decision of the League to allow the Poles to occupy part of the neutral zone between the two countries, and said that the Lithuanians would use force to prevent it. M. Viviani, of France, said that in such case action would involve imposition of a blockade.

COBLENZ, Feb. 3.—French troops threatened with bayonets and used the butt ends of their guns at noon today to break up a crowd of 3,000 persons who were noisily protesting against the deportation of officials.

PARIS, Feb. 3.—The reparations commission today adopted a resolution sustaining its own action on January 6th in refusing to Germany moratorium privileges. The resolution was adopted as a reply to yesterday's protest note from Germany, in which the German government asked the commission to re-examine the German government's capacity to pay the reparations.

## STATE PAYS FIRST PER CAPITA PAYMENT

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—The state board of education made the first payment of two dollars on the per capita apportionment of ten dollars due the public schools for the 1922-23 term.

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Phones 12 and 13

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Cut off the water and beat the plumber.

The ground hog seems to be a reliable little pig.

The weather wizards say that the thunder Friday night was only the echo in advance of snow in April.

The man who dares to do should remember to begin with that the knocker is against him.

The duck season closed on January 31st, but duck weather did not really open until three days later.

The stage is full of actors, but the fellow who can make the world believe he has the coin, when in reality he can't pay his poll tax, is the star performer.

Dallas and some of the other large cities throughout the state are holding mass meetings to protest against tax increases. When expenses amount to more than the business the business must be increased or the expenses decreased. Politically speaking we see no hope for better business, and it is high time to do a little pruning on the expense account.

**A Good Thing—Don't Miss It.**  
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**THE CHICKEN LAW**  
 If the chicken thief bill now pending in the legislature is enacted and made a law, Texas will have the most stringent chicken thief statute of any state in the union. Other states have laws on the subject, but all make the crime punishable by imprisonment when chickens valued at more than a certain amount are stolen. The Texas law is designed to break up commercialized chicken thievery, but it makes the theft of one chicken punishable by imprisonment for not less than six months, or more than two years.

The law may appear a little tight to some, but there is no excuse for a man stealing chickens any more than stealing a horse, and while the property involved may vary in value, theft is theft, and should be treated as such. Several cases of chicken stealing have been tried in the Runnels county court, and others would no doubt have been tried had the law been stricter.

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**A "BONANZA"**  
 The Abilene city commission made a contract with a citizen to furnish him water to irrigate 30 acres of land for \$5 per acre. It is certainly true that some people are born lucky.—Ballinger Ledger.

That contract has caused considerable talk around here, and there are some people who get pretty excited over it. The fact of the matter is that the contract is merely an experiment; the man who made the contract doesn't know whether he will get any water or not, but he's willing to take the chance. Clip & Comment sees no reason why the water from Lake Abilene should not be furnished to the farmers of the county in order to help them in their crops. And if there is plenty of water in the big lake

during July and August, then C. & C. says turn it loose and let the farmers save their crops, in case the months preceding are hot and dry as they usually are. In other words, if it is possible to aid production in this county by means of irrigation from Lake Abilene, then let there be irrigation and lots of it.—Clip & Comment, in Abilene Reporter.

The farmers who can get water for irrigating his land at a cost of \$5.00 per acre is lucky. It has been proven that irrigation pays in this country. Water applied at the proper time will produce from one to two bales of cotton per acre; while without rain the same land would not produce anything. The farmer who can spend \$5 per acre for water to put on his land and make it produce from \$100 to \$200 worth of farm products, whereas it would not produce anything perhaps without the water, was born lucky.

The Colorado river irrigation project would do for the farmers within the proposed district just what the Abilene water works is about to do for the Abilene farmer, and the cost would not be as much as the Abilene farmer has contracted to pay.

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**MUSIC PUPILS GET ON HONOR ROLL**

Beginning with January and continuing until school is out, each month, pupils of Miss Barkley who get an average of nine hours practice per week will be placed on the honor roll. The following received the amount for January: Eugenia Jackson, Hattie Mae Dunlap, Mammie Rae Preston, Mary Ella Bradley, Mabel Brewer, Willwood Beidwell, Evelyn Shepherd, Carmen Demmer, Stephens Demmer, Annie DeWitt (age 7, average of 11 hours per week), Laura Mae Bradshaw, Frances Holman, Mary Edna Daugherty, Gladys Swindell.

**DIFFER IN VIEWS OF LIFE**

Oriental Look at Existence in a Manner Radically Different From the Westerners.  
 We feel that the things others desire from life must be the same that we desire. Yet, in fact, the races of Asia and Africa—beyond the primitive jolly-need—make quite different claims on life from ours. Most of us desire, among other things and above them, comfort and security; but Asia and Africa take little account of comfort and still less of security. They want the joy of living and a chance to do their own living for themselves; a life not so much protected, but with color and excitement in it, with the zest of creation and accomplishment in it—a life in which a heavy-handed man would have a chance, and anybody could come to the top. The life of the Arabian Nights—the real Nights—is still the ideal of the Moslem East. For Orientalists these stories are not tales from fairy, but such reckonings with the wonders of the world and of science as Mr. Wells need to give us before he became didactic. Or, to put the same point a little differently, the Orientals today are like our ancestors in the age of Chaucer, with an unknown world around them, in which anything may any time happen—a world full of adventure and romance.—Exchange.

**MARSHALL**—A modern Sunday school building will be started here soon it was announced by the board of stewards and trustees of the First Methodist Church. The structure will be 50x80 feet and will have the latest conveniences of the modern Sunday school. The building will cost about \$40,000, it is said.

**THE MOVIE THEATRES**

**THINKS PINERO OUT SATIRIZES SHAW**

May McAvoy, who plays the part of the unsuspecting wife in "The Truth About Husbands," which will be seen at the Maeroy Theatre next Monday and Tuesday, says she thinks Arthur Wing Pinero, the playwright, is even more satirical in his lines than Bernard Shaw in "Man and Superman." Will the Shaw cult please write Miss McAvoy.

**PEARL WHITE ENJOYS RETURN TO SERIAL THRILLS**

After a season's triumph in Paris, in which Pearl White was not only starred in a revue, but was also selected to appear as Jeanne d'Arc in the annual pageant held in Paris, the famous American screen star returned to her native heath to star in her first love—a Pathe serial thriller, entitled "Plunder." This serial will be shown at the Fo-to-sho Theatre commencing next Monday and Tuesday, when no admission will be charged for the opening chapter.

"Am I glad to get back?" smiled Pearl. "I'll say I am. But what I'm most interested in now is 'Plunder.' There's nothing so exhilarating as a fast-moving serial thriller, chock full of excitement. I could hardly wait to get up to the studio and start work—and what a reception awaited me!"

"I can honestly say that I have had more fun working in this new chapter play than any other I have appeared in. In my first serial photoplay I can remember that I was new to the game and a trifle nervous. In my other serials, the stunts I did were good, but they seemed to be very much along the same lines—they were stunts with thrills to them, but they did not appeal to my imagination."

**MARY PICKFORD COMING IN DUAL-ROLE PICTURE**

For the first time in the history

of her career as a motion picture actress, Mary Pickford is appearing in practically every scene in the picture to be presented soon at the Fo-to-sho Theatre. This feature is a cinematization of "Little Lord Fauntleroy," which will be shown at the Fo-to-sho on Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 14-15.

In this production Little Mary plays a dual role, appearing as the little lord and also as his mother, and if it so happens that she is not in the scene as Fauntleroy, then she is there as Dearest, his mother.

"I am sure I never worked so hard in my life," said "America's Sweetheart," "but the novelty of playing two parts in one picture keeps the work from becoming a task."

**CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS FOR INDIGESTION AND CONSTIPATION**

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Melard F. Craig, Middle Grove, N. Y. They work like a charm and do not gripe or leave any unpleasant effect.

**OUIDA FAMED PLAY IS COMING TO MAEROY**

The color of old Algiers, its massive but dilapidated barracks, its quaint alleys and its queer characters, are incorporated in the immortal story of Cigarette, "Under Two Flags," written by Ouida several decades ago, and seen on the stage or read by most of the world since then. The final perfect translation of "Under Two Flags," will be on the screen at the Maeroy Theatre at an early date, as a super-special attraction starring the "Dean of emotionalists," Priscilla Dean has the support of famous artists of filmland in this, the most pretentious vehicle of her career. Brilliant past performances gave assurance of the quality of James Kirkwood's, Jno. Davidson's, Ethel Gray Terry's,

and Stuart Holmes', portrayals. Fred Cravens, Bobby Mack, W. H. Bainbridge and Burton Law have other roles.

To insure success at the start, if it could be doubted with such a star and story, the man who guided Miss Dean in "The Virgin of Stamboul" was assigned to direct her again. Tod Browning has been considered one of the master directors since the phenomenal reign of "The Virgin of Stamboul."

**FO-TO-SHO PROGRAM FOR THE NEXT WEEK**

Monday and Tuesday—Pearl White in "Plunder," a Pathe serial; Max Linder in "Be My Wife" a Goldwyn picture; and a Universal comedy. No admission will be charged on these two days for any performance, just to introduce Miss White in "Plunder."

Wednesday and Thursday—Zane Grey's "Golden Dreams," and a Universal comedy.

Friday—Conway Tearle in "After Midnight," a Selznick picture; Mutt & Jeff comedy and Selznick News.

Saturday—Gladys Walton in "The Girl Who Was Wild," a Universal picture; Johnny Fox in "Ginger Face," a Century comedy.

**MAEROY ANNOUNCES NEXT WEEK'S FILMS**

Monday and Tuesday—"The Truth About Husbands," a First National attraction; a Harold age.

Lloyd comedy; and "Movie Chats."

Wednesday and Thursday—John Gilbert in "The Yellow Stain," a Wm. Fox production; also two-reel Mack Sennett farce comedy; and Fox News.

Friday—"Moral Fibre," a special offering; and a Pathe comedy. Saturday—Regular short subjects, including serial, comedies and Western.

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## MARKETING EGGS BY DOZEN OR POUND

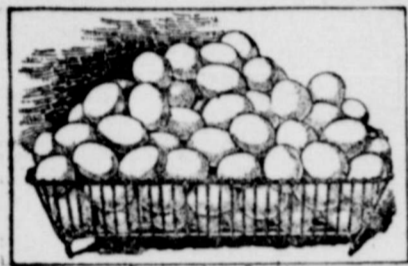
Advantages of Selling by Weight Grow out of Fall and Winter Prices.

(By SETH W. SHOEMAKER) Director, School of Agriculture, International Correspondence Schools, Scranton, Pa.

The sellings of eggs by weight is a matter which has been advocated by dealers and consumers in some of the larger cities for some time and is a practice that is quite generally followed in several European countries.

Discussion of this matter is often influenced by the price of eggs. When eggs are low priced, no one seems to bother about the weight but when eggs are high priced as in the fall and winter, discussion of this matter is often revived.

When eggs are high priced it may be an injustice to both dealer and consumer when they are sold by the dozen. The producer who sells large eggs at the same price that the near-by producer gets for his smaller eggs is not getting as much for his product because it is a well known fact that the hens laying larger eggs do not, as a rule, lay as many as those laying smaller eggs. Some breeders hatch chicks only from their producers of the largest and best eggs in order to produce a strain of fowls that will lay eggs of good size and when selling by the dozen they get



practically no credit for the size except that perhaps their eggs may be a little more in demand by a local trade.

**By Dozen or by Pound**  
On the other hand, the customer of eggs who will pay 50 cents to one dollar a dozen during the winter for eggs will find a great difference in the food value received for the money in eggs of different weight. On the basis of food value, some eggs at a dollar a dozen may be cheaper than others at 80 cents a dozen.

Perhaps the chief reason why eggs have almost always been sold by the dozen is because this seems to be the most handy method. Eggs must be carefully handled and cannot be thrown on the scales like potatoes, etc. Also if eggs were sold by the pound, hotel and restaurant keepers might show a preference for small eggs as these would give them more individual orders for their money.

To substantiate this idea some breeders have made the statement that they would consider Bantam fowls the most profitable breed if eggs were to be sold by the pound. The argument for this is that certain buyers like the hotel and restaurant trade would want eggs that made up the largest number in the pound.

## FOR CONSTIPATION

Black-Draught Recommended by an Arkansas Farmer Who Has Used It, When Needed, for 25 Years.

Flatfield, Ark.—Mr. G. W. Parsons, a well-known farmer on Route 1, this place, says: "I keep Black-Draught in my home all the time. It is the best all-around medicine I have ever found for the liver and for constipation. We began using it 25 or more years ago and have used it whenever needed since. I have never found any other medicine as good for constipation, and that was what I suffered with till I began using Black-Draught. Black-Draught corrected this condition, and now we use it for the liver and for indigestion—a tight and sluggish feeling after meals, for bad taste in the mouth and sour stomach.

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As an argument against selling by the pound, many poultry producers argue that this would not make much difference because their pullet eggs are small and eggs from mature fowls are somewhat larger and what is lost by selling larger eggs by the dozen is gained by selling the smaller ones by the dozen.

**Best Weight is Two Ounces**  
Marketable eggs should weigh not less than two ounces each. At this rate, a crate of thirty dozen eggs will weigh forty-five pounds, exclusive of the crate. In markets where quality is carefully considered such eggs will be in better demand and will often sell for somewhat better prices than eggs of smaller size.

Eggs that are much larger than two ounces each are not profitable to sell because they bring very little if any higher prices in the general market and hens do not lay many more. In special markets it is possible to get a premium on eggs that average about two and a half ounces.

The weight of eggs depends to a large extent upon the breed of fowls that lay them and also on the peculiarities of individual fowls. The following, however, gives the average weight of fowls' eggs:

Eggs	Ounces
8 Hen's eggs average	16
11 Guinea eggs average	16
1 Duck egg	3
1 Turkey egg	4
1 Goose egg	6 or 7

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At the evening hour, 7:15, the subject will be, "Knocking Patiently Knocking," an evangelistic type sermon.  
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ALFRED CRAGER, Minister.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
Sunday school promptly 9:45 a. m. G. R. Ransbarger, supt.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.  
Y. P. S. 6:00 p. m.  
W. M. S. Monday 3:00 p. m. at parsonage.  
Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.  
You are invited to come to church tomorrow.  
E. D. MESSER, Pastor.

**8th Street Presbyterian Church**  
At the Eighth Street Presbyterian church Sunday morning the minister will speak upon the theme, "Keeping Warm." At the night service his subject will be, "Entertaining Evening Company."  
You are invited.  
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Sunday school 9:45 o'clock a. m. L. L. Williams, supt.  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Communion following the morning sermon.  
Senior Epworth League 6:15 p. m.  
Women's Missionary Society Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:15 p. m.  
Monthly meeting of the stewards Thursday evening, 7:30.  
E. W. BRIDGES, Pastor.

**Baptist Church**  
(Worshiping in Carnegie Library.)  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching by the pastor morning and evening. At 11:00 a. m. the subject will be "Glorious in the Cross." At 7:15 p. m. the pastor will begin a series of Sunday evening sermons on young people of the Bible. The first one will be "The Most Attractive Young Man in the Old Testament." Can you guess who it is? Other meetings throughout the day.  
ALVIN SWINDELL, Pastor.

**PASTORS' CONFERENCE**  
Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock will be the regular time for the meeting of the Pastors' Conference. Every member requested to be present without fail. Meeting place—Eighth Street Presbyterian Church.  
ALFRED CRAGER, Pres.  
E. D. MESSER, Secy.

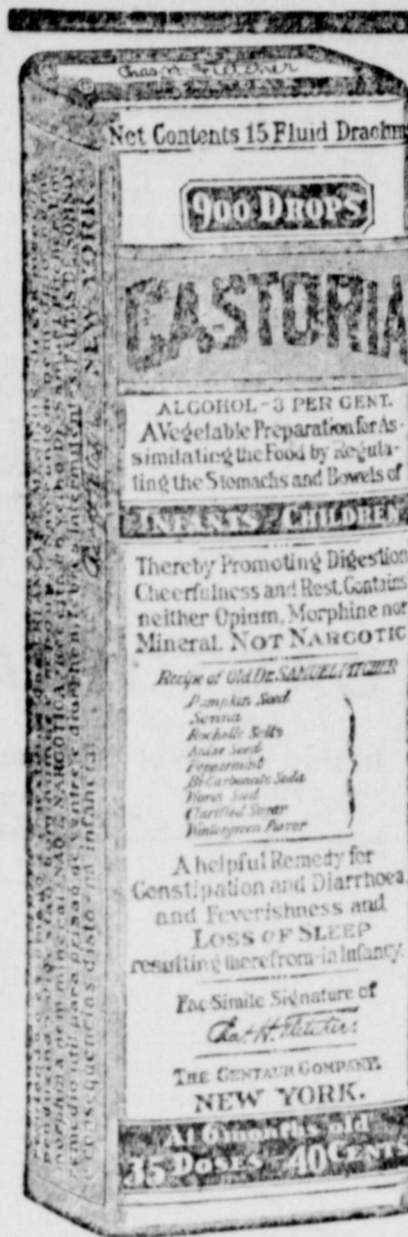
**JUNIOR FIDELIS CLASS MEETING**  
The Junior Fidelis Class of the Ballinger Baptist Church, met Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. King on Tenth Street.  
Each officer made a good report of the past month's work. The main item to be considered was a play the class will stage in the near future. All the preliminary steps have been taken and the rehearsing will start next week.  
Dainty refreshments of cream and cake were served to the following members: Misses Grace King, Ruth King, Blanche Yeager, Julia Jones, Mildred Butler, Josephine Burris, Hortense Holt, Jessie Lee Golden, Zella Stroble, Violet Golden and Mr. and Mrs. King.

LUFKIN, Tex.—Street lights for the entire city have just been installed here. Every block in the city is to have lights.

**MAN ARRESTED FOR PASSING BAD CHECK**  
Special to The Ledger:  
COLEMAN, Feb. 3.—Thierry Stone has been arrested at Sonora charged with passing a bad check here. The man had been employed on road work and Monday he cashed a check at local bank for \$64.00. The check was drawn on a Mexia bank and endorsed by the contractors here for whom the man had been working. The check came back with the statement that the man had no account with the Mexia bank.

Stone left Coleman in an old Ford car, accompanied by a woman who was alleged to be his aunt, and who had been cooking at the road camp. Officers throughout the country were notified and the man was caught at Sonora. Reports received here from Mexia say that the man is wanted on felony charges and for jumping \$1,000 bond at Groesbeck.

Long-haired cats are said to be the best, but a girl tells us many a famous cat has bobbed hair.



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**DERIVED FROM ROMAN NAME**

Term "Scandinavian" Frequently is Incorrectly Used, According to This Newspaper Writer.

The name "Scandinavia" is derived from one the Romans gave to the region now forming the southern part of Sweden. Gradually it was applied also to Norway on the western part of the same peninsula, and then the Dunes, who occupy an entirely separate peninsula, came to be included in the term "Scandinavian" because of their racial relationship to the two countries to which the term was applicable geographically. As the people of Iceland are descended from Norwegian colonists they, too, may be counted as Scandinavians, and the same holds true of some Finns of Swedish descent, though the general population of Finland is ethnologically no more Scandinavian than are Magyars.

The point is made by those interested in clarifying the terms "Scandinavian" and "Scandinavia" that one should refrain from unqualified use of the former unless the first four at least, of the nationalities mentioned, are being referred to collectively, and the latter term should be used only to indicate the entire region occupied by these nations.—Detroit News.

**Pockets of Marbles in Lava**

If prehistoric lava did not enjoy the regular spring game of "marbles" it was not for want of glass marbles. Pockets of marbles, formed by the molten lava, have recently been found on the west slopes of Mount Adams, Washington, and indications point to an Eldorado of them. The substrata, under a thin layer of earth and leaf mould, contains an unlimited number of the spheroidal bits of stone. Many of them are perfect in shape and just about the right size for childhood's old-time game. The theory advanced as to their origin is that the molten lava sprayed high into the air, was cooled by a cold air current and in falling the rounded drops solidified in the same manner as bullets are formed while the hot lead drops from the shot tower.

**Another German Prodigy.**

Germany has another memory prodigy in a twenty-one-year-old girl, who has mastered the art of brain control over muscle most completely. She sings a German song, writes an English sentence with her right hand, and a French sentence with her left hand at the same time. Also writes a sentence in one language backwards, and another in a different language in the regular way. She can calculate with one hand and write dictation backwards with the other. She can also begin a sentence at both ends and complete it in the middle, using both hands. She does several other things which really seem beyond the limit of credulity.—Scientific American.

**BRECKENRIDGE**—Plans for the erection of a \$50,000 Methodist church here have been announced by the board of stewards. Washington's Birthday will be celebrated by the Methodist people of Breckenridge by breaking ground for the building of their new church.

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**WOULD PROMULGATE NEW RICE STANDARDS**

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—State marketing officials of Louisiana and Arkansas and of the federal department of agriculture, have accepted the proposal of Charles E. Baughman, state marketing and warehouse commissioner, to hold a joint hearing to promulgate rice standards for the three states and the federal department, according to a statement by Commissioner Baughman today.

An attempt to hold a hearing of Texas rice growers to establish state standards was held at Fort Worth recently but the plan was abandoned because of lack of interest. The plan of an interstate hearing was then proposed by Baughman and the neighboring states have signified their willingness to enter into the plan, it was stated. The date for the joint hearing has not been set but will probably be held in the near future, Commissioner Baughman said.

Already Texas has established standards for several crops including alfalfa and sorghum grains through similar hearings. It is planned to hold conferences and hearings on other crops, also in the future, according to officials.

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R. H. Crockett, of the Norton country, was in the city Friday. Mr. Crockett was just recovering from influenza, which handled him pretty rough, keeping him down for about a month.

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**ANOTHER BALLINGER GIRL RECEIVES HONORS**

"Baylor College, Belton, Tex. Feb. 1, 1923.

"To the Ballinger paper: "Perhaps it will be of interest to the Ballinger people to know that a Ballinger girl, Miss Lois Wootton, received a second place on the Baylor College honor roll for the Fall term, out of the fifteen hundred students enrolled. The honor roll is made up of a certain number of points received for literary achievement and college activities.

"The highest number of points given on the honor roll was 43, received by a senior, Miss Wootton was given 42 points. This is her second year as a student of Baylor and she will be classed a junior in March. Her name has appeared on the honor roll every term since her entrance into the college and she is a member of the Scholarship Society, which is one of the highest honors Baylor offers."

TERRELL.—Citizens of the territory between Terrell and Tyler are arranging to make a preliminary survey for an electric inter-urban line between the two cities. A committee is acting for the citizens.

**BUYS INTEREST IN CITY MEAT MARKET**

Ed Farley, who has been with the Stroble Market, has purchased the interest of C. M. Fuleher in the City Market, and the proprietors of the City Market now are Seldon and Farley. J. S. Seldon remains with the City Market as a member of the firm. Mr. Fuleher has retired and will engage in some other line of work.

Mr. Farley is an experienced market man, even though he is a young fellow. He began as delivery boy, and has learned meat cutting and familiarized himself with the ins and outs of the business, and is deserving of a share of the patronage of the meat consumers of this city.

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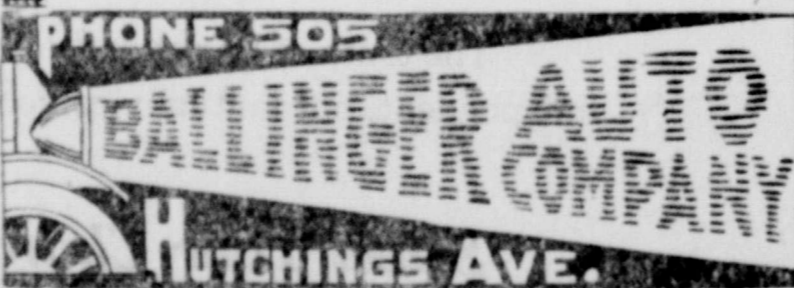
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