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13 KNOWN DEAD IN BIG OIL WELL FIRE

(By Associated Press)
CORNICANA, May 10.—Thirteen are known to be dead and possibly two more lost their lives as the result of fire at the J. K. Hughes Developing Company oil well on the McKee lease late yesterday.

The list of dead and missing varied slightly on account of confusion and inability to get reliable information as to how many men were working near the derrick at the time the fire broke out, and how many made their escape.

A recheck today showed seven bodies in the morgues, and six others who are known to have been near the well at the time the flash occurred, are missing. Four charred skeletons can be seen near the well, which continues to burn. The severe heat from the flames prevents the removal of the bodies. The fire continues to burn fiercely.

The B. B. Simmons Company, owners of the well, estimates that it will take two days to set boilers and successfully extinguish the flames. Twenty boilers will be placed near the scene of the fire and steam turned on the burning well to extinguish the flames.

The oil and debris surrounding the well for a distance of several hundred feet have all been burned and the flames are now being fed only by the stream of oil and gas flowing from the well.

The fire is presumed to have started from a spark from a friction hammer control valve which was being changed. The spark ignited the gas flowing from the well and set the oil on fire.

CIVIL CASE UP IN COURT HERE

Having disposed of the criminal docket for the term the court called a civil case for trial Thursday morning. The case is that of the Miles State Bank vs. Reasonover, in which the bank is seeking to recover on a \$4,500 note by foreclosure on lands valued at about \$15,000. The case will be tried before a jury and the work of selecting a jury began Thursday afternoon.

THREE NURSES GRADUATE HERE

Three trained nurses will graduate from the Ballinger Training School for Nurses this year. The commencement exercises will be held at the Carnegie Library next Tuesday evening, beginning at 8:15, and an interesting program has been arranged for the occasion.

The local nurses training school has been opened to a select and limited number of nurses for several years, and quite a number of graduates have gone out of the school and are today filling places of usefulness in some of the most prominent hospitals of the country, as well as filling places as private nurses. Those who receive diplomas from the school this year are: Miss Lena Cooper, of Waco; Miss Mary Louise Burk, of Abilene; and Miss Maud Caffey, of Eden.

The public is most cordially invited to attend the exercises at the Library Tuesday evening of next week, at which time the following program will be rendered in connection with the closing of the 1922-23 term of the school:

Invocation, Dr. Alvin Swindell Selection, Saxophone Octet
Address, "The Nobility of Service," Mrs. S. A. Penix
Violin solo, "On the Wings of Song," (Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy), Mrs. H. O'Bannon, Mrs. A. A. DeBerry
Presentation of diplomas and pins, Judge A. K. Doss
Male Quartet, A. R. Jones, R. R. Rosemond, T. P. Simpson, and R. W. Earnshaw
Benediction, Rev. Alfred Crager.

BANDITS SET CAPTIVES FREE

(By Associated Press)
SHANGHAI, China, May 10.—All foreigners held captive by the Suchow bandits, are well, and "are having a wonderful time," according to a message received from four of them by relief workers near Linching, China. The message added that it was expected that the bandits would set free all the captives soon.

SHANGHAI, May 10.—All foreign captives held by the Shantung bandits are being released, except Chevalier Masso, an Italian attorney, according to a message from Tsao Chwang, signed by the relief agent. The message reporting the release of the captives was addressed to the Asia Development Company.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The attack by the Chinese troops on the bandits who captured Americans and other foreigners and wrecked the Shantung-Peking express train in Shantung, has been ordered stopped by the Peking government.

The outlaws sent word to the troops commander that unless pursuit was stopped "flesh ticks" would be sent back. This meant that the bandits would torture the captives and send back to the troops parts of the bodies of the captives.

BAPTISMAL SERVICE POSTPONED

The special service of prayer and baptism, which was to have been held tonight by the Baptist church, has been postponed till next week. Several candidates are to be baptized, and the service is deferred in the hope that all may be ready at the same time.

Read Ledger "wants" column.

WOMEN DECLINE BOOST HARDING

(By Associated Press)
ATLANTA, Ga., May 10.—Declaring that she would not stand for the Federation endorsing President Harding's proposal for the participation of America in the World Court of International Justice, Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, president of the Federation of Women's Clubs, said that the resolution dealing with this subject and agreed upon by the resolutions committee, would probably be modified. It is expected that the resolution will make clear the principles which the federation endorses, but will not endorse any specific proposal.

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On the Concrete



Two to Die for Murdering Oklahoma Family of Five

(By Associated Press)
IDABEL, Okla., May 10.—John Pope, charged with killing his wife, her mother, father and two children; and Aaron "Red" Harvey, confessed accomplice to the brutal murder, were sentenced to death in district court here today.

Jack Pope, son of the doomed man, and who admitted that he accompanied his father and Harvey to the scene of the killing, was sentenced to life imprisonment. The three men were brought here today from the jail at Paris, Texas, where they have been secretly held since the preliminary hearing to prevent mob violence.

John Pope and his wife were separated at the time of the wholesale killing. Pope confessed to the charge of murdering the family, going to the home of his wife's father, where she was staying, and murdering the family while they were in bed.

DELEGATION IS OFF TO DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The district conference of the Brownwood District, Methodist Church, convened at Drasco Thursday. Presiding Elder Barcus of Brownwood, will be in charge of the conference, and a large delegation is due to attend from Ballinger, and other Methodist churches in the district.

Among those to attend from Ballinger are: Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Bridges, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. L. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Middleton, Mrs. A. B. Legate, Mrs. M. B. Sharp, Mrs. Ed. O'Kelly, and U. E. Hartman. Others from here will probably attend one or more of the sessions.

The Star-Telegram by mail, both Daily and Sunday, 7 months for \$4.50. Underwood News Co. Ltd.

"LISTEN BILL"

Did you get that touch of Spring in the air yesterday? Kinda made you want to step on the starter and get out on the creek, didn't it Bill? Kinda made you feel like lookin' over your fishin' tackle, eh, gosh, it must be pretty fine to be able to step on her when all outdoors calls as it does right now, but I gotta stick right here. Somehow or other your trip interests me. Kindo feel like I'm responsible for part of it, anyway. Can't see you plan a trip without giving you a shot about my tire service. You can't have a good time with tire trouble on your mind. Slip those troubles to us and you'll never have to worry again.

That's just it, Bill, we're here to give you just as much tire service as you need. Come in again, today.

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ANOTHER CALL SESSION IS BEING THREATENED

SHOT TO DEATH IN SAN ANTONIO

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, May 10.—Charles Ricker was shot to death in the residential district here today. W. O. Davis, soft drink stand proprietor, has been arrested and is being held in jail.

FRAUD ORDER STOPS HIS MAIL

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 10.—The fraud order designed to curtail oil stock promotion activities of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, of North Pole fame, has been issued by the postoffice department. The order is the third of its kind authorized in the department's war on wildcat oil projects in the Southwest. The order directs that all mail addressed to Dr. Cook as official of any oil company which he is interested in, be returned to the sender, and not delivered to Dr. Cook.

Be Wise and Advertise—

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, May 10.—The legislature will be called in another special session next Wednesday morning, the day after the close of the present session, Senator A. E. Wood, chairman of the Senate finance committee, declared today. Senator Wood said that it would be impossible to complete consideration of the appropriation measures, and this if nothing else would require another session.

Representative J. E. Quaid, chairman of the House appropriations committee, said that there was a possibility that the House would complete its work, but said that it would require record time, and no delays if another session was avoided.

Governor Neff has not made known his attitude toward another session.

AUSTIN, May 10.—The Irwin House bill, making it an offense to drive an automobile on the public highways while intoxicated, passed the Senate today. The Carpenter bill, extending certain oil permits, was also passed by the Senate.

The Fairchild bill, creating the state insurance board separate from the state banking department, was passed by the Senate on a viva voce vote. The Fairchild bill increasing the salaries of state railroad commissioners to \$5,000 per year was also passed in the Senate.

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CONCERT CARNEGIE LIBRARY TONIGHT 8:30 P. M.

Saxophone Octet

and

Texas Syncopaters

(Orchestra)

Rendering the same program that will be broadcast from the Ft. Worth Star-Telegram radio station on next Monday night. This program is given to raise money for the expense of the trip to Ft. Worth. The Radio Concert will advertise Ballinger over the entire United States and your spirit of loyalty should compel you to be on hand to help with this advertising move.

Admission

25c and 50c



CLEAN UP and PAINT UP YOUR CAR With MURPHY DA COTE

Imagine the dingy surface of your old car completely hidden—the rust gone—the unsightly checks and cracks totally obliterated; imagine the old bus in a beautiful new dress—smooth and radiant with sunshine.

This is what happens when you paint it at home with Murphy Da-Cote. Flow it on in an afternoon and over night your car is new again.

WEEKS

Phones 12 and 13

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BROWNWOOD WANTS BRICK PAVEMENT

The city of Ballinger is laying fourteen blocks of brick pavement in its business section, at a cost of approximately \$112,000. The pavement is one of the several types known as 'permanent,' and will give service for a generation. Ballinger's business streets are exceptionally wide, so that paving fourteen blocks there is equivalent to paving about twenty blocks of narrow streets such as are to be found in the Brownwood business district. Is Brownwood going to wait until every small city in the state has its streets paved with some kind of approved pavement before she begins to invest in permanent paving?—Brownwood Bulletin.

Lumbago

This is a rheumatism of the muscles of the back. It comes on suddenly and is quite painful. Go to bed, keep quiet and have Chamberlain's Liniment applied and a quick recovery may be expected. Mrs. F. J. Dann, Brookport, N. Y., writes: "I can honestly say that Chamberlain's Liniment cured me of lumbago a year ago last summer. When I began using it, I was flat on my back in bed and could not turn to the left or right. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment in the house and this was applied to my back. It promptly drove away the pains and aches."

BIG PROGRAM FOR NEXT WEEK

Next week will be a busy week in Ballinger. The program for the week covers almost every night, and is as follows:
 Monday night: Recital by Miss Barkley's class and radio concert.
 Tuesday night: Nurses Training School commencement.
 Wednesday night: Prayer meeting.
 Thursday night: Senior Class play.
 Friday night: High school commencement exercises.
 Saturday night: Nothing special announced so far.
 Every night: Picture show.

Ballinger Steam Laundry will help you clean up. Phone 73. 7-6td

Members of Ballinger and A. Giesecke of San Antonio attended a convention in San Angelo Monday, making headquarters at the St. Angelus. Herman Giesecke is in charge of the drilling of a deep test for oil on the R. E. Russell ranch eighteen miles Southeast of Ballinger.—San Angelo Standard.

CHANGE OF LIFE LOSES TERRORS

For Women Who Rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Greenville, Pa.—"I took your medicine through the Change of Life and it did wonders for me. I was down in bed when I started to take it and weighed 95 pounds. I had hot flashes and was so nervous and weak that everything would get black and I could not see. I would sit and cry and did not know what I was crying for. Since I have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel younger than I did ten years ago, and my friends all tell me I look younger, and I owe it all to the Vegetable Compound. I do all my housework for a family of seven now. I will be glad to answer any woman who writes me in regard to my case."—Mrs. JOHN MYERS, 55 Union St., Greenville, Pa.
 Many letters similar to this have been published testifying to the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. They are sincere expressions from women who describe as best they can their feelings before and after taking this well-known medicine.
 Many times they state in their letters their willingness to answer women who write them. It is an offer dictated by gratitude and a desire to help others.



CONCERT AT LIBRARY TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT

The Saxophone Octet and the Texas Syncopaters will give a concert at the Carnegie Library tonight for the purpose of getting money to make the trip to Fort Worth, where they will broadcast a Ballinger program from the Star-Telegram station Monday night from 9:30 to 10:30. This is considered one of the best pieces of advertising Ballinger has ever put over and you should be on hand tonight for the concert and help the boys with the financial end of the move.

The party of musicians will leave here early Sunday morning in cars and will let the public between this city and Fort Worth know about Ballinger. Below is the program to be rendered tonight:

- "Under the Double Eagle," by Saxophone Octet.
- "You Got to See Your Mama Every Night," Texas Syncopaters
- "A Night in June," Saxophones
- "Toot Toot Tootsie," Texas Syncopaters
- "Pullman Porter Blues," Saxophones
- "Runnin' Wild," Texas Syncopaters
- Medley of popular tunes, Saxophones
- "Aggravatin' Papa," Saxophones
- "Pack up Your Sins," Texas Syncopaters
- "Comedy Tom," Saxophones.

CASTORIA

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

DEATHS

Mrs. U. L. Kevil
 At the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. Gentry, 709 Ninth Street, Mrs. U. L. Kevil passed away at ten-forty-five Thursday morning. Mrs. Kevil was brought to Ballinger for treatment last Friday. She died at the age of 74 years, six months and twenty-one days. Funeral arrangements were announced Thursday afternoon. The funeral will be conducted by Dr. Alvin Swindell and Rev. Alfred Crager Friday afternoon, the funeral party leaving the residence on Ninth Street at one-thirty, and interment will be made in the Norton cemetery at three o'clock.

DON'T make the mistake of thinking that Goodyear quality is beyond your reach. Goodyear Cord Tire prices are remarkably low, as the following list of representative sizes shows:
 30 x 3 1/2 Clincher \$17.55
 32 x 4 Straight Side 36.10
 33 x 4 Straight Side 37.30
 33 x 5 Straight Side 53.20
 As Goodyear Service Station Dealers we sell and recommend the new Goodyear Cords with the beveled All-Weather Tread and back them up with standard Goodyear Service
 Ballinger Auto Co.
GOODYEAR

Deceased had been residing in the Norton and Marie communities, and is survived by her husband, several children, grandchildren and other relatives. Among the surviving children are Miss Nan Kevil, of Ballinger; Mrs. R. Gentry, of Ballinger; Mrs. George Holliday, of Hatchel; and E. J. Kevil, of the Norton country. These have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of a good mother.

HOW'S THIS?
 HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.
 HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves the catarrhal inflammation, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus assisting to restore normal conditions.
 Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
 F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Judge and Mrs. J. W. Powell returned home Thursday at noon from a visit to their daughter, Mrs. James Wear at Coolidge.

Whether the Filipino is capable of self government will depend wholly upon the extent of his oil fields.—Baltimore Sun.

PUTS ON JITNEY TO DELIVER PAPERS

The Fort Worth Record has established a jitney delivery service between Brownwood and Ballinger for the purpose of serving the towns along the route with the latest edition of the paper. It is possible to deliver here. The Record reaches Brownwood about six o'clock, coming over the Frisco. By using a jitney to deliver the paper to points West on the Santa Fe, that paper is circulated two hours ahead of the train schedule.

The jitney line operating between Ballinger and Abilene occasionally brings a few copies of the Ft. Worth Star-Telegram, and in this way the editions of the Ft. Worth papers which have been arriving here on the noon train, are beating the time by about two hours, and the news is being received here earlier than at any time in the history of modern journalism.

The next step will be the airplane route, which will place the morning papers published in the larger cities here before breakfast—but for the latest news, nothing can beat the radio and telegraph report which The Ledger will serve to its readers, giving the news while it is really news.

Chamberlain's Tablets Are Mild and Gentle in Effect

The laxative effect of Chamberlain's Tablets is so mild and gentle that you can hardly realize that it has been produced by a medicine.

NOTICE
 When wanting screen windows, window frames, cabinets, screen porches, or any kind of special mill work call and see me at my shop across Broadway from the Wm. Cameron Lumber Co.
 Will also figure on all kinds of home building contracts.
 All kinds of Cabinet work done. Phone 143.
 J. H. PRICE,
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Public Stenographer
 Mimeographing, Addressing, Letter Writing.
 Office with Robert F. Lane Insurance Agency.
E. D. MESSER
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 For Infants and Children.
Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria
 Always Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*
In Use For Over Thirty Years
CASTORIA
 Net Contents 15 Fluid Drachms
 900-DROPS
 ALCOHOL 3 PER CENT.
 Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food by Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of Infants and Children.
 Thereby Promoting Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.
 Recipe of DR. J. C. WELLS, 1879
 Chamberlain's Tablets
 A helpful Remedy for Constipation and Diarrhoea, and Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP resulting therefrom in Infancy.
 Fac-Simile Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*
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Full of Flavor
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WOODSTOCK

Represents the latest achievement in typewriter construction, gives the greatest measure of satisfactory service and a quality of work that is unsurpassed.

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Our cleaning process has worked wonders with clothes that has become stained, faded, or lost its original lustre in any way.

One trial of our work will prove to you that your soiled clothes are worth saving.

South Side Tailoring Co.
 CLEANERS AND PRESSERS
 Only complete cleaning plant in Runnels County
 Work called for and delivered promptly
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Look at this mirror-like
Pee Gee Re-nu-lac finish!

THAT'S what you'll say, too, after using Pee Gee Re-Nu-Lac, not only on your floors, but on all other woodwork, furniture and fixtures as well.

You'll be pleasantly surprised with the splendid results, and last but not least, the expense is trifling.



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Color Card

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stains and varnishes in one application. It requires no experience and little effort to make everything around your home bright and beautiful—it's a real pleasure.

Pee Gee Re-Nu-Lac comes in 20 natural wood and enamel colors. White, Gold and silver and in sizes from 30c up. Try it!

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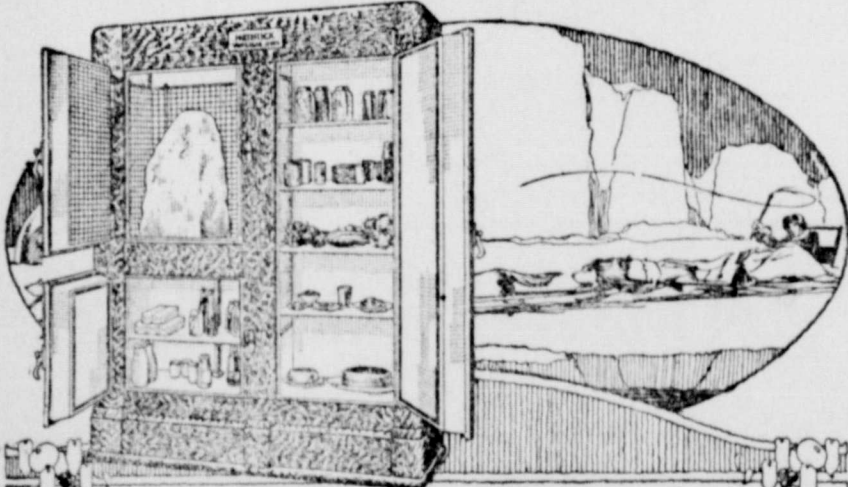


**MORE MEN THAN WOMEN
HAVE APPENDICITIS**

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FT. WORTH—James L. Warner was sentenced to 42 years in the pen for forgery and 25 years in the pen for murder in the district court here Monday. Warner plead guilty to fourteen charges of forgery and was given three years in each case. He was given 25 years for killing A. G. Humphreys, a store keeper.

FT. WORTH—Mrs. John F. Lyons has been elected president of the Fort Worth Harmony Club a musical organization, for the twentieth consecutive year. Mrs. Lyons also is president of the National Federation of Music Clubs.



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The Herrick Refrigerator has won its many prizes partly because of its Five-Point Mineral Wool Insulation noted for these features:
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Don't say "Ice Box", say
HERRICK REFRIGERATOR
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**HONORS FOR
SENIOR CLASS**

At nine o'clock Thursday morning, Superintendent J. M. Skinner announced the honors for the Senior Class, Ballinger High School. It was pretty well known who would carry off the high scores for the class, and Mr. Skinner's announcement put at rest any doubt as to who would be who on graduation night.

Paul Jeanes was awarded first place and is valedictorian for the largest class in the history of the schools of this city. Miss Katherine Penn is salutatorian, and a close contestant for the first place, there being only .048 difference between her grade for the four years high school work and the grade of Paul Jeanes.

Miss Jewell Burris is right up at the top also, being only .619 below the grade of Miss Penn, and Miss Marguerite Fowler comes next with a high grade. The grades of the four highest pupils in the class are as follows:

- Paul Jeanes, 92.952
 - Miss Katherine Penn, 92.904
 - Miss Jewell Burris, 92.285
 - Miss Marguerite Fowler, 90.439
- The stage is all set for the closing of the successful year's work in the high school. The commencement exercises will be held in the Methodist church on Friday evening, May 18th, at 8:30 o'clock. The program will be announced at an early date.
- Next Sunday evening Rev. E. W. Bridges will preach the baccalaureate sermon in a union service to be held at the Methodist church, when the class will attend in a body and occupy reserved seats. Following are the names of the class for 1923-24:

Alma Koenig
Robert Justice
Burnice Bedford
Thelma Spann
Eva Barbee

Emma Mae Smith
Grace Thompson
Paul Jeanes
Randall Campbell

- Linton Clark
- Imogene Francis
- Nellie Embry
- Lena Sharps
- Maggie Herring
- Durward Hill
- Daisy Killam
- Ralph Killam
- Inez Esmond
- Lillian Jonas
- Ernest Lee Moody
- Mary Bane Edwards
- Ray Newby
- Jewell Burris
- Sarilda McMillan
- Ola Lee Daugherty
- Tauline Butler
- Truman Beard
- Garrett L. Daugherty
- Beulah Young
- Myrtle Tate
- Jessie Trail
- Ira Jones
- Louis Smith
- Bessie Brown
- Marcus Barker
- Marguerite Fowler
- Lillian Neas
- Cicero Smith
- Anne Hardin
- Herbert Preston
- Sidney Fay Armstrong
- Edna May Lowry
- Lillian Knowles
- Tama Key Coulter
- Ivan Seabrough
- Maurice Gressett
- Naomi McWilliams
- Margaret Kirk
- Herbert Sledge
- Katherine Penn
- Marguerite Dooze

Capital

The capital you must depend on mostly
—is the Capital "I."

With backbone, gumption and determination to succeed, you need not worry about other capital. It will seek you out.

Lay the foundation with a good banking connection. Establish your credit.

Come in and talk it over. We want to help real men and women.

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Today, Friday and Saturday

Your
1c

What is a One Cent Sale? It is a sale where you buy an item at the regular price—then another item of the same kind for 1c. As an illustration: The standard price of Jonteel Combination Cream is 50c. You buy a jar at this price, and by paying 1c more, or 51c, you get two jars. Every article in this sale is a high-class standard piece of merchandise, just the same as we sell you every day at regular prices and have sold you for years.

A New Way of Advertising This sale was developed by the United Drug Co., as an advertising plan. Rather than spend large sums of money in other ways to convince you of the merit of these goods, they are spending it on this sale in permitting us to sell you a full-size package of high standard merchandise for 1c. It costs money to get customers. The loss taken on this sale will be well spent if the goods please you.

Is
Worth
89c

Stationery

65c
Lord Baltimore
Stationery
2 for 66c

50c Cascade Linen Pound Paper, 2 for 51c
10c Writing Tablet, 45 sheets, note size, 2 for 11c
40c box Cascade Envelopes 2 for 11c
\$1.00 Symphony Charnie 2 for \$1.01

Flash Lights

\$1.50 Flash Light, nickel case, 2 for \$1.51
\$1.25 Flash Light 2 for \$1.36
40c Batteries, now 2 for 41c

Toilet Goods

50c Harmony Rolling Massage Cream, now 2 for 51c
50c Jonteel Cold Cream 2 for 51c
50c Jonteel Combination Cream 2 for 51c

Old Time Remedies

15c Boric Acid 2 for 16c
15c Borax 2 for 16c
35c Cream of Tartar 2 for 36c
10c Epsom Salts (4 ounce) 2 for 11c
25c Epsom Salts (16 ounce) 2 for 26c
25c Zinc Sterate 2 for 26c
25c Aromatic Cascara 2 for 26c
25c Castor Oil 2 for 26c
25c Spirits of Camphor 2 for 26c
35c Iodine 2 for 36c

House Hold Remedies

25c Cedar Chest Compound 2 for 25c
\$1.00 Revall Hair Tonic 2 for \$1.01
50c Analgesic Balm 2 for 51c
25c Baby Laxative 2 for 36c
25c Black Berry Compound 2 for 26c
25c Cathartic Pills 2 for 26c
25c Charcoal Tablets 2 for 26c
25c Corn Solvent 2 for 26c
25c Eye Wash 2 for 26c
25c Foot Powder 2 for 26c
50c Penetrating Liniment 2 for 51c
\$1.00 Sarsaparilla Tonic 2 for \$1.01
25c Tooth-Ache Stopper 2 for 26c
\$1.00 Mineral Oil 2 for \$1.01
25c Klenzo Mouth Wash 2 for 26c
50c Klenzo Dental Cream 2 for 51c
35c Zinc Oxide Ointment (Tubes) 2 for 36c
50c Zinc Oxide Ointment (Tubes) 2 for 51c

Toilet Goods

40c Shaving Lotion 2 for 61c
50c Bouquet Ramee Tale Powder 2 for 51c
50c Cocoa Butter Cold Cream 2 for 51c
\$1.00 Harmony Lilac Vegetal 2 for \$1.01
\$1.00 Bouquet Ramee Face Powder 2 for \$1.01
\$1.00 Toilet Water (5 odors) 2 for \$1.01
50c Coconut Oil Shampoo 2 for 51c
15c Toilet Soap 2 for 16c
25c Georgia Rose Talcum 2 for 26c

Olive Oil

98c (12 1-2 ounce) 2 for 99c

The Rexall Store

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Phone 38

Rubber Goods

Monogram Fountain Syringes, guaranteed for one year, standard price \$2.00, this sale 2 for \$2.01

Brushes and Sundries

\$1.25 Daintiest, pound package, 2 for \$1.26
\$1.00 Dutch Delights, pound package, 2 for \$1.01
60c Dutch Delights, 1-2 pound package, 2 for 61c
5c Mints 2 for 61c

**50c Rexall Milk
of Magnesia
2 for 51c**

Old Time Remedies

60c Aspirin (100's) 2 for 70c
25c Hinkle Pills 2 for 26c
35c Cream of Tartar and Sulphur Tablets 2 for 36c
15c Cream of Tartar and Sulphur Tablets 2 for 16c

Sudden Service Shoe Shop

MAKING SURVEY FOR NEW ROAD

The Ballinger end of the Abilene-Ballinger highway will be put on the highway map as soon as the work can be done, according to Engineer Pirie, who said The Ledger's criticism of the road Wednesday was "misput," as work of making the preliminary survey had already started.

Commissioner Deens and County Judge Trimmer have authorized Mr. Pirie to proceed with the work of making the survey for the proposed new route, and if the survey shows the route to be feasible the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

The project will be aided by \$20,000 from the state highway department with the county spending a like amount, and with the \$40,000 Mr. Pirie says that it will be possible to build a good road and high water bridges over the route connecting with the Winters end of the link North of Hatched.

The proposed route will lead out from either North Broadway, or North Eighth Street, intersecting the Pumphrey road and leading out by the old Runnels cemetery will intersect the old road near Runnels. This is a more direct route than the present Elm Creek route, and eliminates the high cost of bridge building at the Elm Creek crossing.

The program calls for high water bridges over Turkey Creek and Coyote Creek, and concrete drainage over the entire route, with hard surface for the section where there is mud to contend with in wet weather. The new way for a good part of the distance covers a hard chalky formation which makes a natural road, and the road can be constructed at a much lower cost than over the old route.

Federal Engineer Porter and Commissioner Deens accompanied Mr. Pirie over the new proposed route, and they expressed themselves as being well pleased with the route and there is no doubt but that it is the most feasible one.

This does not mean that the present road will be abolished. On the other hand, by taking some of the travel off the old road it will be possible to keep the road in better condition for the travel on the East side of Elm Creek.

Evils of Constipation

Perhaps the most serious of the diseases caused by constipation is appendicitis. If you would avoid this dangerous disease, keep your bowels regular. For this purpose Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent, easy to take and mild and gentle in effect.

VALDOSTA, Tex.—Earl Wallace, 13, was hit by a bolt of lightning while engaged in studying in a school room here recently. The school building was struck and the same bolt struck Wallace rendering him unconscious.

Daily Ledger Want Ads

WANT ADS 25c up to 12 words, over that 2c per word first insertion. 1c per word each additional insertion. All want ads are cash.

FOR SALE—Furniture cheap; also room to rent. 3001 Strong Avenue. 10-3td.*

LOST—Saw between Catholic church and my shop. Finder please return to me. J. H. Price. 10-1td.*

WANTED—Position in Ballinger as table waitress or as chambermaid in hotel. Address Box 780, San Angelo, Texas. 9-6td

FOUND—Purse containing money and valuables. Owner can get same by calling on Chief of Police Pilcher and paying for this notice. 9-2d

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 342. 7-tfd

FOR SALE—The Clarence Richards residence on 8th Street—cheap for cash, or terms. R. T. Williams. 9-3d-1w

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping room after Saturday, May 5. Also several South bed rooms. Phone 179. 2-tfd.*

MOTHER! MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS

"California Fig Syrup" is Child's Best Laxative



Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little stomach is upset, tongue coated, or if your child is cross, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation poison, sour bile and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives you a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

Mrs. Frank Lewin, Mrs. Allison, and Miss Meadows, of Miles, were shopping in Ballinger Thursday.

COLLEGE STATION—A large future market for American and particularly Texas stock in Mexico is predicted by C. M. Evans, livestock specialist of the A. & M. college here. Evans has just returned from Mexico City where he assisted representatives of different American breed associations in staging a livestock exposition.

Try My Hamburgers

Best in the West.
N. Passur
"Watch Me Grow"

U.B. Thrifty says—



There are roads to riches—but most of us travel in the wrong direction.

It's an uphill problem—this business of getting rich. So many different pitfalls bob up that the road is hard to travel.

There is one thing sure however, that is, if we

WORK AND SAVE

we will get ahead of the fellow who spends it all.

We welcome your account and pay 4% to savers.

Farmers & Merchants State Bank

Ballinger, Texas.
A Guaranty Fund Bank

DOESN'T WANT TECH IN RUNNELS COUNTY

WINTERS, Tex., May 8—The Sunday school contest between Ballinger and Winters Methodist Sunday schools closed Sunday, with Winters a few points ahead. Points counted were: present, new pupils, prepared lessons and staying for church.

The Winters school won by 50 points only.

Winters people enjoyed a musical treat Sunday. Prof. Wiley and his smiling, congenial bunch of band boys spent the day at Winters, playing at the tabernacle at the ten o'clock Sunday school hour, then at 2:30 they gave a concert that was thoroughly enjoyed by one of the largest audiences to get together for some time at Winters.

W. A. Stevenson made a short, but appropriate talk, giving an outline of what Simmons College had and what it stood for.

Winters will entertain a very friendly feeling for Simmons Col-

lege and its splendid band, in fact we feel that Abilene is fortunate in having so many good schools located there, and here is Winters' heart and hand, hoping that she gets the West Texas branch of the A. & M. Tech.

The above appeared in the Abilene Reporter, presumably sent in by the Winters correspondent. We do not know who the Winters correspondent is, but whoever he is, it seems that he is opposed to the Tech College being located in his home county.

District Attorney Early and Court Stenographer Chilton left for their homes at Brownwood and Coleman, respectively, Wednesday afternoon, having completed their work in district court here for the term.

Mrs. F. A. Saunders came in from Sonora Wednesday afternoon on a visit to relatives.

Read Ledger "wants" column

Ask for **RUMFORD** THE WHOLESOME BAKING POWDER

Use Rumford—then you can be sure that your baked foods will always be raised just right—even in texture, delicious, digestible, and highly nourishing with Rumford's vitalizing phosphates. Baking success with Rumford is the rule with the inexperienced, as well as with the expert.

For BEST RESULTS Use RUMFORD

The Graduation Gift

Nothing is more appropriate or more appreciated than a gift of the New Creations in Jewelry. We have a Complete Stock of

Hamilton, Illinois, Elgin and Waltham Watches in all new styles. Bracelet Watches in all new designs. Diamond Rings, Diamond Bar Pins, Pearl Necklaces, Onyx Rings, Rainbow Mesh Bags, Pens and Pencils.

Let us show you our many useful articles of "Gifts that Last."

BREWER JEWELRY COMPANY

L. R. TIGNER, PROP.

New and Second Hand Furniture

A new firm from Abilene has moved to Ballinger and will open a new furniture store in the near future. We will buy and sell new and second-hand furniture, stoves, refrigerators, etc.

If you have something to sell or buy—

Phone 150

John Hallum

FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

"Where the Best Pictures are Shown"

TODAY

GLADYS WALTON

in

"The Town Scandal"

In the colorful scintillating romance of a beautiful follies chorus girl.

A Universal Attraction.

Lloyd Hamilton in

"Robinson Crusoe Ltd."

A Mermaid Comedy

Admission 10c and 25c

Whooping Cough

This is a very dangerous disease, particularly to children under five years of age, but when no paregoric, codeine or other opiate is given, is easily cured by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Most people believe that it must run its course, not knowing that the time is very much shortened, and that there is little danger from the disease when this remedy is given. It has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, with pronounced success. It is safe and pleasant to take.

Rev. C. Q. Smith and Rev. J. H. Baldrige, pastors of the Brownwood Methodist churches, have gone to Drasco, in Runnels county, to attend the session of the Brownwood district conference. They expect to return Saturday.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Mrs. G. O. Timmin and little daughter went to Coleman Wednesday afternoon to visit friends a few days.

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

Mrs. R. B. Hamilton left for Mullin Wednesday afternoon, where she will spend a few days visiting friends.

Service

is what counts in the Business World, and we try to meet this requirement all the time.

We appreciate our many new customers and are grateful for the loyalty of our old ones.

If you have not visited us do so. We both win if you patronize us.

The Tech Shop

J. A. Freeman, Proprietor

Next door to Ballinger Auto Co.

NOTICE

We have a few thousand to loan on Good City Realty. See us.

Guaranty Title Co.

Real Estate, Insurance, Abstracts, Loans.

Fresh Chocolates

We have in stock about 20 days supply of the freshest and most appetizing Chocolates ever shipped to this town.

THE ALCOVE

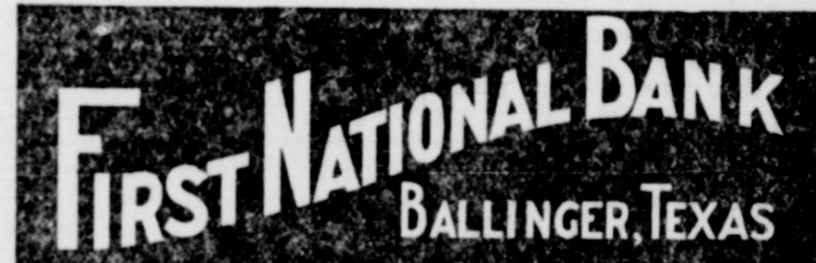
Eats Drinks Smokes

The Real Test of a Bank

A Bank's usefulness to the Community is its ability to serve. There is no other reason or justification for its existence.

The unwavering purpose of The First National Bank is to develop this important function—THE SERVICE OF BANKING—to the highest degree of usefulness to the public.

For over thirty-six years it has steadily progressed toward this ideal.



Since 1886

THE OLD RELIABLE

TODAY MAEROY THEATRE TODAY

SHOWING THE PICK O' THE PICTURES

When Better Pictures are Made the Maeroy will Show Them.

William Fox

presents

William Russell

in

"The Crusader"

The stirring story of a true he-man—as sterling as the silver he sought was the love she gave him.

Also Harold Lloyd in

"Off the Trolley"

Admission - - - 10c and 25c

FRIDAY

"The Child Thou Gavest Me"

First National Attraction