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TEXAS MELON ACREAGE LARGE

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, April 22.-In watermelon production, Texas will be second only to Georgia this year, if favorable weather attends present plantings in the South, according to a report of aereage to truck and fruit crops released by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics thru the co-operative state-federal market news service at this point. Plantings of 30,400 acres are listed for this state compared with 40,700 acres for Georgia, 28,830 for Florida, 10,-080 for South Carolina, 8,340 for Alabama, 4.490 for North Carolina and 3,800 for the Imperial Valley of California.

Last year's Texas watermelon crop was one of the most successful on record, according to the service, which advises that prior to October 13th some 5,383 cars ears, Sasdia with 287 cars, Stock- an opportunity of hearing him. dale with 245 cars, Hempstead with 234 cars, Cat Springs with Seguin with 179 cars.

Of the erop of 1923, the service hundreds of rattlesnakes daily. states, 1,059 cars were billed to markets of Texas, a total of 505 being sent to Fort Worth for both The state of Kansas was forward-Michigan 31, Illinois 599, Wisconsin eight, Mississippi one, New DISARMING MEET Mexico 17, and South Dakota 8

Besides the estimated waterrelease of April 18th anticipated ident Coolidge announced in his Daugherty took office. He said screams and broke a window try- had not been excited because of

REHABILITATION COM-

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, April 22.—Creation of rehabilitation committees in hope that private American cap-erations, Thompson said. each of the 88 sub-district offices ital would be willing to partici- John H. Kirby, of Houston, of the United States Veterans pate in an immediate loan to Ger- Texas has been at the head of the Bureau has been announced by many for her pressing needs and lumber association it was de of the bureau, according to word the experts committee plan. received by the branch office in

ing away with "one-man" de- be preserved. cisions, according to the director.

Each committee will be comchiefs of the 14 districts.

training is to be terminated. Such broadcast by radio. cases are to be examined at least 60 days before termination of training. The committees will either order additional training or make plans for finding employment.

MEXICAN REVOLT HAS BEEN ENDED

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, April 22. -The Mexican embassy announced the receipt of advices from Mexice lity this morning saying that with the occupation of the Southeastern states, the rebellion which started last December has

ended. The authority of the government has been re-established over the whole republic, the advices stated.

Join the Y. M. B. L. and help

WILL SPEAK AT BAPTIST CHURCH THURSDAY NIGHT



Dr. W. D. Powell

Dr. W. D. Powell, of Kentucky were listed as moving to market will speak Thursday night, April compared with 4,131 the preced-24th, at the Baptist church in ing season and 4,298 in 1921. Ballinger in the interest of the Weatherford headed the list last Spring Pay-up Drive of the Bapyear in the shipping of this com- tist "75 Million" campaign. He modity with a season's total of is an able speaker and the Bap-804 cars followed by Bellville tists of this territory, as well as with 347 ears, Peters with 343 the public in general, will have

221 ears, Sealy with 209 cars and tween Yakima and Ellensburg, before the Daugherty investigat-

diversion and local consumption. COOLIDGE WOULD rado 267, Nebraska 195, Minnesota 182, Iowa 66, Missouri 1,034, Mighigan 21 III

(By Associated Press)

this state would have a product address at the annual luncheon that the suit against the Southern ing to rescue the inhabitants, but Gray's speech, but only nervous tion of 1,862,000 quarts of straw- here today of the Associated Pine Association was instituted was driven back by the flames. because of the danger of losing berries, compared with 22,762,000 Press that with a firm establish- in the closing days of the Wilson An investigation as to the cause the jury if certain records were quarts for Louisiana, 6,089,000 ment of the settlement of the administration, but he declared it of the fire was ordered by the introduced for Alabama, 5,348,000 for Flor- German reparations question he remained at status quo ever since city authorities. ida and 1,535,000 for Mississippi, would favor steps that would and now rests in the United look toward the calling of an- States district court at Kansas other world conference to con- City. A proposal from the ac MITTEES ANNOUNCED sider further limitation of arma- partment of justice to let a conments and modification of the international laws.

These committees will control hearers that "our first duty is to records a speech by Kirby made the rehabilitation program of the ourselves," and that American in New Orleans last month, de-

NEW YORK, April 22.-Presposed of an expert in the rehabil- ident Coolidge arrived here with will not work more than four itation policies of the bureau, a Mrs. Coolidge and a small party hours a day a hundred years from training expert and an expert in of friends at 5:52 this morning. employment. They will be ap- The president and party went to pointed by the rehabilitation the Waldorf-Astoria for breakfast. The chief executive will Probably the most difficult task address an executive meeting of before the committees will be the the Associated Press this afterconsideration of all cases where noon, and the speech will be

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SAYS DAUGHERTY TWO BURN IN **AIDED IN LUMBER HOUSTON FIRE** PRICE BOOSTING

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, April 22. -Chairman Thompson of the Fed- that of Mrs. Ethel Rabo, a nurse. May 2nd, he will speak at Win-A road construction crew be- eral Trade Commission today laid

The results were laid before the have failed.

sent of decree be entered was refused, thereby letting the South-The president expressed the ern Pine Association continue op-

General Frank T. Hines, director financing a bank as proposed by clared by Thompson. Senator Wheeler, chairman of the inves-Mr. Coolidge reminded his tigating committee, read into the bureau in their own localities, do- standards and institutions must fending Daugherty and Albert Fall, former secretary of interior.

> Steinmetz, the late electrical wizard, prophesied that people

> A "carat" is the seed of the Abyssynian coral tree, uniform in size and originally used in weighing precious stones.

Read Ledger "wants" column

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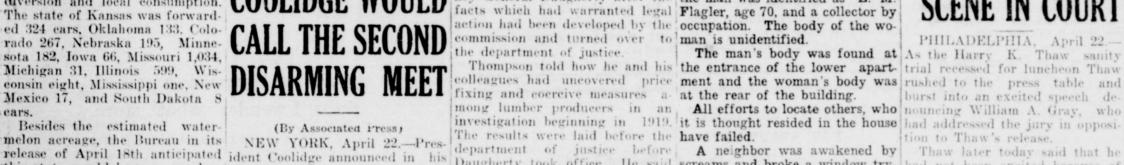
So we say that the best is none too good, especially when the difference in cost is so small that it need not be considered.

Cameron-Cape GARAGE

Frank Cameron Chester Cape

(By Associated Press) HOUSTON, April 22 .- The wo- in the race for governor. He man's body which burned early speaks at Coleman at 8:00 p. m., today in a residence fire in this May 1st, and after speaking at city was later today identified as Ballinger on the afternoon of

HOUSTON, April 22.- A man Washington, has been killing ing committee further evidence and a woman were burned to to support the testimony that death here early today when the anti-trust eases had not been flames destroyed a two-story properly prosecuted under Attor- duplex residence. The body of ney General Daugherty after the the man was identified as E. M. facts which had warranted legal Flagler, age 70, and a collector by action had been developed by the occupation. The body of the wo-



Sen. Joe Burkett

Joe Burkett, candidate for

ceived by The Ledger. Mr. Bur-

among the first candidates to get

ters at night of the same day.

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR SOLDIER BONUS BEING DEBATED

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, April 22. -

Senator Morris Sheppard, of Texas, opening the debate on the soldier bonus bill today assailed the insurance measure as a "shadow bonus," and declared that it constituted "another chapter to the perfidious drama enacted by the Republican Party on this subject," and said that he would support the bill only under

There is a possibility that there will be a vote on the bonus measure this afternoon, and the Senate committee investigating the Texas land fraud charges has postponed its sessions until tomorrow.

A new species of spider with governor, will speak at Ballinger eight long legs, pink and striped at 2:30 p. m., on May 2nd, ac- with black has made its appearcording to announcement re- ance in Colorado.

kett has been serving in the Join the Y. M. B. L. and help Texas legislature as senator from build Ballinger. the Eastland district. He was

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Press reports indicate that accidents in the mad rush for pleasure on Easter Sunday claimed a big toll of life. Sabbath desecration often leads to disaster.

Coolidge will go into the republican convention with a sufficient number of votes pledged to nominate him. The democrats have no objection to that, because it is pretty well conceded that he is the man they will have to beat. The logical thing for the democrats to do is to send an unpledged delegation to the democratic national convnetion in order that they may select a man to pit against Mr. Coolidge who has not been aligned in any way with any interest which has been grafting on the national government. The democrats should put out a man who they will not have to offer any apologies for.

MEMORIAL DAY

No public holiday so stirs the emotional life of the people as does Memorial Day. Originally conceived as a day on which the graves of soldiers and sailors of the Civil War were decorated, it is now a day when we honor, with floral tributes, the final resting Nation's wars, and also the civilian dead.

In the cities and towns the schools generally co-operate with the patriotic societies in the observance of the day. School children contribute readings. pageants, and various other dramatic exercises to the community programs. High school bands frequently lead the parades of veterans and patriotic organizations on their marches to the conversation led to subjects of family, cemeteries, and school children health and so on My friend asked how youth in these exercises awakens the highest ideals of patriotism. the heroie dead, but inspires them their country's welfare. In the and bunched together, address the lesson of the day is my son was, and accidentally I told consecration of the living to the him the truth unfinished work of the dead. The individual who, as a child, gets said: "You're a cheerful llar, John, this meaning of Memorial Day can not but prove a worthy cit izen of the Republic



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Per Commissioner Prec. No. 3: J. D. SMITH

First Umbrella Shocked Residents of Windsor

When we trip forth on a rainy day neath a wide-spreading umbrella, se cure in the feeling that our best bonnet will not be ruined by errant raindrops, we do not think we are doing anything eccentric or modern. To be sure, an umbrella is neither modern nor eccentric, so far as the present-day meanings of the words are concerned But the umbrella is, nevertheless, comparatively modern, when we consider that it is less than 200 years old.

Among old Colonial records in New England there is an indignant account of the atrocious actions of a society belle of Windsor, Conn. It seems that the fair damsel wakked forth upon a rainy day, bearing above her haughty Some men are sittin' pretty behend an umbrella that had been brought to her from the West Indies. The good townspeople, shocked and dismayed at such frivolity, thronged about her, open-mouthed, and, to show their disapproval, hoisted their large sieves for on iong spoon handles, and followed

her with ridiculous, mincing steps, In 1797 there was but one umbrella in Cambridge, Mass., and the owner of it made many a good penny renting it out by the hour to cautious persons who happened to be caught out in the rain. The reason why umbrellas were so slow to become generally adopted probably was because people of means did not travel on foot, so had not great need of umbrellas, and those without means did not possess clothing so fine that it must be protected from the rain.

Women carried umbrellas long before was considered effeminate and rather SUNKEN TREASURE below the dignity of the hardy man to go about under the shelter of a flimsy

Stone Rots When Sick

of freestones soon suffer if removed ing the war, and the salvage ship children, of Shep, Tease, spent pleting the number. Following purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegto another climate or to cities. Pains Racer will shortly endeavor to the work and with Mr. and was a covered wagon, then covered the control of the work and with Mr. and was a covered wagon, then covered the control of the war, and the salvage ship children, of Shep, Tease, spent pleting the number. Following challenges to show the control of the war, and the salvage ship children, of Shep, Tease, spent pleting the number. wick stone, for instance, beautiful and durable on the Cotswolds of England. C. C. Damant in the course of a Mr. W. W. Jackson and Miss became sick and sorry looking when introduced into the fabric of Westminster Abbey.

Other varieties of stone are sensibrought to the surface in winter or it the grain it will not wear.

Got His Dates Mixed

A friend from out of town called at my office and invited me to lunch, The WIIS. "Well," he replied, "you look about

forty-two. Each of us knew the other was ly-

My friend wanted to know how old

He studied for a moment, and then and the youngest father I've ever known. You must have been about

Sir John Mandeville's Story

Sir John Mandeville, whose advenirst Englishman to visit the Far East e English banguage.

unknown lands sounds very uch like Baron Munchausen, for be ured into his credulous ear.

For two centuries after his death Mandeville's work was recognized as an authority on all questions of Oriental geography.-Detroit News.

Relics in Old House

Workmen in tearing down the Seth Gay house which was built at Gardi ner, Me., 140 years ago, found boards 26 inches to 3 feet in width, handforged natis, lock-jointed timbers, door frames and door easings with moldings each made from one piece of lumber

says the New York World. Walls were planked, lathed and plasfered, a.d in the bottom story they were brick fined and plastered and each room contained its fireplace. An old newspaper dated 101 years ago was found in a portion of the wall

Experienced

A victim of chronic bronchitts called on a doctor to be examined. The doctor, after careful questioning, assured the patient that the ailment would respond readily to treatment. "I suppose you must have had a great deal of experience with this disease?" said the sufferer.

The doctor smilled wisely, and replied: "Why, my dear sir, I've had bronchitis myself for over fifteen years."-St. Louis Christian Evan-

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TO BE SALVAGED

(By Associated Press) LONDON, April 22.-There are Sound through the years in their \$1,200,000 on the wreck of the Miles visitors Sunday. recover this, said Commander G. L. C. Curry.

chanical Engineers.

Four boxes of gold weighing Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Jones and tive to change, also. Bath stone has 140 pounds each were recovered daughter, of Ballinger, spent the been used for centuries for building in such a short time when the week-end with relatives here. places of the heroes of all of our in England, but Bath stone is delicate, work started that it seemed as if Mr. Mrs. F. F. Dixon spent the and falls a victim to disease in bad operations would be finished in a week-end with their daughter, air. It is obtained more or less like week. A fierce gale sprang up, Mrs. Carl Kincaid of San Angelo. coal from underground galleries rather however, and the wreck collapsed Miss Allene Ellis, of Ballinger, than from quarries, and it must not be making salvage work very diffi- spent the week-end with her par-

will not weather hard. It must be cult. Of the 3,211 bars which ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ellis. nursed and matured before it is used, went down with the ship, 3,057 Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Adams and and unless it is set the right way of have been recovered during oper-daughter and Mr. and Mrs. John mers at a cost of two and one-half Sunday per cent.

Special to The Ledger: MILES, April 20.-The Miles was a Miles visitor Sunday

MILES NEWS NOTES

Mixers defeated the Eldorado Misses Lounell Ward and Floy Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tigner rebaseball boys by a score of 13 to Elser, of San Angelo, were the turned home Monday night from 4 Saturday afternoon on the local guests of Miss Ruth Kornegay their honeymoon trip, visiting diamond.

John Strokos, of Rowena, atmorning.

Misses Lois and Wilma West and Jack West of Idalou, are here ing. visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. W. P. Clower and little Saturday. daughter, Virginia, of San Angelo, spent the week-end with Mr. berta Stewart were married Satand Mrs. Nease Young here.

San Angelo, were guests of the ter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Stewart, former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. and the groom the son of Mr. and A. Tyler Sunday.

Jack Cook, of Corsicana, was a make their home here. visitor here Friday afternoon.

son, Austin, of Rowena, attended auditorium, was quite a success. the show here Friday evening. The proceeds, \$38, will be used day for her home at Whitewright | High school students displayed after a nine months stay with her an interesting parade Saturday

Oscar Brown was a Mereta vis- cinto Day. The parade was led itor here Saturday evening.

Mrs. Thomas.

and son, of Winters, spent Sun-tendant and Walter Lynn Reasday with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. onover acted as chaffeur. Then Robinson Sr.

to another climate or to cities. Pains Racer will shortly endeavor to the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. was a covered wagon; then cow-

lecture at the Institution of Me-Corinne Baker were Ballinger visitors Sunday.

ations extending over six sum- Scott were San Angelo visitors

D. White, of San Angelo, was a

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visitor here Saturday.

* Walter Meseeke of Harriett, Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. Johnston was a Miles visitor Sunday.

Howard Frank, of Ballinger, visitors Sunday.

Mr. Nicholas, State Superintended to business here Saturday tendent of the Children's Home Society, spoke at the Baptist and Methodist churches Sunday even-

> Miss Lois Revell, of Sterling City, was visiting friends in Miles

J. D. Thornton and Miss Alurday evening by Rev. Scott W Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tyler, of Hickey. The bride is the daugh-

The Wall W. O. W. Negro Min-Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cook and strel, staged at the Miles High

Mrs. Lum Thornton. They will

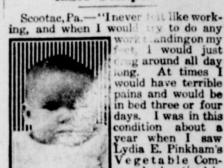
Miss Mabel Mayes left Satur- for the benefit of the Wall school. Come in and let us make our sister, Mrs. H. B. Sewell, here. afternoon in memory of San Jaby a beautifully decorated car in Miss Sarah Thomas returned which the queen, Frances Thiele, unday from Comanche, where was throned amid a heart of purthought it would help me as it had Sunday from Comanche, where was throned amid a heart of purshe visited her parents, Dr. and ple and white wisteria, and was guarded by two beautiful little Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Robinson cupids. Eldera Baugh was atfollowed the float, with "Texas" Daymond Hicks and Miss as the center of attraction, with now only 154 bars of gold worth Gladys Kincaid of Harriett, were Columbia and Liberty to the front, then Uncle Sam, Sam via Lockhaven, Pa. own country air, many different kinds Laurentic, which was sunk dur- Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cates and Houston, Austin and Travis com-

boys and last a comie car loaded

with students singing "Texas." and children were San Angelo-

Dallas and other places.

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in bed three or four days. I was in this condition about a year when I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in

helped her. So I took the Vegetable Compound and it brought things right, and I was in good shape before I became a mother again. I believe it helps at birth, too, as with both my other babies I suffered a great deal more than with this one. I thank you a thousand times for the good your medicine has done me. It has surely made our home a happy one."-Mrs. ROBERT PRICE, Scootac,

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Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger.

EX BALLINGER MAN

News was received in Ballinger this mixture, though, at home, is he won a loving cup valued at mussy and troublesome. At \$300 given by a multi-millionaire "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from all parts of the country. a sponge or soft brush with it tion at Gainesville and with his and draw this through your hair, latest win he will be recognized taking one small strand at a nationally. The news was re-

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FIRST WOMAN TO RECEIVE LEGAL POSITION IN INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

Miss Julia Banks of the Interior Department, who is the first the effect that the Avery Commerchant.

woman to be appointed to a legal position in that department.

Miss Dany of Peoria, Ill., is in financial Jackie Coogan plays the stellar difficulty. Due to the confusion Banks has just been made an Assistant United States Attorney.

Standardized Layettes Assure Modern Baby Correct Wardrobe: Health Agency Gives Patterns



TANDARDIZED layettes as- is to assist mothers during the sure the baby of 1924 that trying prenatal period, not only by he will be as well, and as looking after their physical needs. comfortably dressed on the day he but by advice and encouragement makes his advent into the world, regarding preparations for the new as he will at 21, when tailors and baby. The making of layettes is haberdashers cater to his sartorial an example of this feature of the needs. Health authorities agree service. Patterns for baby clothes that the modern infant's ward-may be had on request.

robe is an important feature of the This help is especially apprecaplans made for his arrival. Con-sequently, it is no surprise to learn that many visiting nurses in-ern welfare programs carried out clude a full course of sewing in-structions in their program of pre-natal service.

by public health nurses, are grad-ually eliminating the dread with which mothers formerly viewed

Among other health agencies, the advent of a new baby. the Metropolitan Life Insurance The Metropolitan nursing ser-Company is carrying on an intenvice was maintained during 1923 sive campaign of education for the at a cost of \$1,789,151. The comexpectant mother. Visiting nurs-pany has 1,403 nursing centers, es in 4,028 cities and towns in this 379 being in the New England country and Canada are giving States.

prenatal and post-natal care. The During the coming year, in cocompany's nursing service handled operation with other health orover 100,000 maternity cases last ganizations, and with the full ap-

proval of the medical fraternity, French Canada was foremost the Metropolitan will increase its among the territories having a efforts to reduce the maternal large percentage of maternal death rate in this country. In cases last year, 60 per cent. of the the past the average has been nursing visits being of that kind. 20,000 deaths a year. Visiting nurs-Nurses, working directly for the es will see the expectant mother company, or under arrangements once a month from the time a case with local nursing associations, ex-pect to develop the prenatal work Following the birth of a child, on even broader lines during the both mother and baby will be car-coming year than has been pos-ed for daily for eight days. If able in the past.

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which might arise from the sim- First National picture. nection financial or otherwise, be- atre tonight, tween the above concern and B. Toby, however, doesn't stop at F. Avery & Sons, of Louisville, the peanut selling stage. He goes

their dealers and signed by B. F. eireus. Avery & Sons of Louisville, Ky., "Circus Days" is said to be the will put at rest any report that best Jackie Coogan picture yet the big implement manufacturers turned out. are in any way connected with the defunct concern by a similar name at Peoria, Ill. Van Pelt, Kirk & Mack of Ballinger handle the well known Avery line.

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lear want ads pay

Fo-to-sho Tonight

The following review of "Down at the Fo-to-sho Theatre tonight murder, the brother being away is taken from Reeland Reviews, a on his ranch. Neighbors had been motion picture journal of high staying with Mrs. Bedingfield standing:

that is away from the ordinary failed to find her in the house, run of 'movie' stuff, this is it started a search and found her For itself, it will answer the far body at the barn. Nothing in the ery for the different and for the home had been molested and the unusual. There is a simple tale of murderer or murderers who the Quaker folk of New England killed the woman did not rob her running through it, into which of a large diamond broach has been woven a sufficient share cohbery was not the motive for of melodrama and thrills. But it robbery was not the motive for is not upon this that the picture the crime. Circumstances indimakes its bid for fame. It is the cated that Mrs. Bedingfield was bigness that the director has been at the barn looking after the able to gather, as it were, through chickens when she was murthe lens of the camera, the undered. usual settings of reality, the atmosphere of the sea, and the tre- MRS. WILLIAMS IS mendously interesting and at times marvelous scenes of whale fishing taken at the whaling Dr. A. S. Love returned Tues-At other times one sees man-eat- where he had been with Mrs. J. ing sharks darting through the A. Williams to be operated upon. waters, and then dolphins and im- Dr. Ott. of Fort Worth, perrushing through the waves.

His Own in Film at Maeroy Ever hear of a boy who didn't

Well, whether you did or not,

and we don't think you did, Toby

first circus that came along. pointment when "the greatest dance show on earth" came to town The ones who have nothing to and his mean old Uncle Eben re- worry them about the way they fused to even let him earn the look are so much more noticeable

The following announcement got up a circus of his own. This to mingle in the fun because they has been received by Van Pelt, resulted in disaster and disgrace know how unattractive they must Kirk & Mack, local representation him, but rather than submit look on account of their pimply, to a whipping, Toby ran away -"An Associated Press item of from the farm and joined the this date contains information to circus as a peanut and lemonade

difficulty. Due to the confusion role of Toby Tyler in his new arity of names we beg to in- Days," which closes its two-day form you that there is no con- engagement at the Macroy The

right on up the ladder of fame, The announcement sent out to becoming the star clown of the

SISTER OF NOTED JURIST MURDERED

Mrs. Mollie Bedingfield, age 66 years, who was found murdered at the home of her brother, Jess R. Jenkins, at Dalhart, Sunday night, was a sister of Judge C. H. Jenkins, for many years a citizen of Brownwood and until recently a member of the Third Court of Civil Appeals when he resigned to accept appointment

as member of the codifying com-

Mrs. Bedingfield was murdered by being struck on the head with a heavy iron pipe while at the barn of her brother, Jess R. Jen-Special Feature Closes at the kins, at Dalhart. She had been making her home with her brother for several years, and was at to Sea in Ships," which will close home alone at the time of the and when they went to spend the "If there ever was a picture night with her Sunday night and

OPERATED UPON

grounds, far out upon the ocean, day at noon from Ft. Worth, size. All dealers have it. mense blackfish in whole schools formed the operation and Dr. Love thought that Mrs. Williams "Big, clean, wholesome enter- was doing as well as could be Moines, lows, and receive in return a tainment that contains some of expected. Many friends in Bal- trial package containing Chamberlain's the most unusual scenes ever seen linger will be glad to know that on the screen." Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, she stood the operation and is doing so well. Mr. Williams re-Jackie Coogan Starts Circus of mained with his wife at Fort bles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd

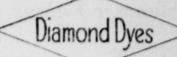
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You can usually tell when a Tyler wasn't that kind of a boy. girl or boy is looking forward to He'd walk ten miles in his bare an evening of real fun, or wheth feet, if necessary, to get to the er they feel that they have simply been invited to "fill in," as they Imagine, then, Toby's disap- get ready to go to a party or

by the shrinking and backward Toby, however, immediately ness of the ones who are afraid

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"Fifty-two," said another lad. Jack called out: "Seventy-seven. Now parties eaught trespassing will be He called for another number and see if you can change that."

Plane in Lighthouse Work

The United States lighthouse service has just found the sirplane a present help in time of trouble. It was recently decided that, in the cause of better navigation, a beacon should be placed on Kaulu rock, the top of an old crater, which juts out Patsig, 403 Sixth Street. of the ocean about (wenty miles from 22-2td the island of Nilhau, Hawaii, The that nobody could land on it to locate A. Jarrett. the best place for the light. Naval aviators in a scaplane, however, flew which will enable the lighthouse ex-

New Alloy for Tool Steel It was during the war that there was discovered in England a new alloy for tool steel. The shortage of

the tools to the dimensions that he let desires. The alloy comes in blanking. drawing and forming dies, hot and cold trimmers for forge work, milling cutters, counter sinkers, slotting saws 21-5td and bending rolls.

Traces Ship's Course

American destroyer squadron on the Pacific coast recently will be made impossible, it is asserted, by a new course tracer, called the nautigraph, invented by Lieut. Alfred Baule, of the French

The instrument is said to indicate lation, the position of the ship on the particulars Phone 83. chart, the possible error not exceed-

ing one-lifteen hundredth of a degree. Lieutenant Baule has also invented n device which records the ship's speed, much as a speedometer does Dishman, 511 Strong Avenue. on an automobile. This has been adopted by the French navy.

What Mississippi Carries

Mississippi elver of the gulf in one time. J. W. Powell. year were placed on one square mile it would be seen the 270 feet bligh.

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LEAGUE CALLS MASS MEEING

The directors of the Young Men's Business League met in regular session Tuesday morning and transacted all business on the books of that organization.

A report from the committee on the proposed trip to Brownwood during the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention was heard by the board and after discussion it was decided to are not getting the genuine call a mass meeting of the business men of Ballinger for 5:00 a clock Tuesday (today) afternoon, at the Macroy Theatre.

The Junior Band will play in front of the theatre commencing about 4:30 to draw the crowd, and committees from the League were instructed to canvass the town and get as many present as possible. The proposition to close the town on Wednesday, May 14, for the convention will be discussed at the mass meeting this The report is being audited and is straightened out in the end. afternoon, and if approved com- will be approved by the finance of procedure immediately follow- within the next few days. ing the public meeting.

ed the band budget to the League special committees. directorate and asked for a contribution. The League voted to supplement the musical budget to the amount of \$12.50 monthly.

The secretary was instructed to publish a financial statement for the first three months of Y. M. B. L. work, same to be published in HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE con The Ledger as soon as possible.

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SENIOR PLAY ON

day in order that the program other says his field is full of Friday night when the play will e presented with a musical program at the Carnegie Library.

The chorus is also working overtime on its part of the entertainment. There are twenty boys and girls in the chorus. The musical feature is a modified "Virginia Reel," and Miss Lois White Bayer Aspirin proved safe by who is coaching the production promises a real treat in this num-

The play east is composed of the following: Misses Edna Earle Schwartz, Dorothy Penn, and Thelma Parrish; and Clint Little, Gordon Thomson, Robert Lowe, Robert Lee Maddox and Oscar

The story of the play entangles the entire cast in a terrible muddle and then, happily, the tangle.

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Other items of minor interest Matinee prices for children will

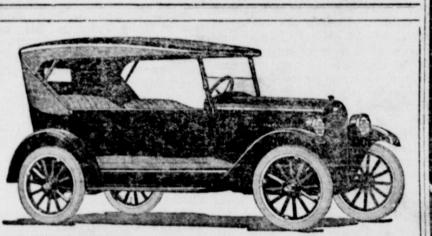
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