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36 BODIES RECOVERED FROM MINE

(By Associated Press)
WHEELING, W. Va., April 29.—The burned and crushed bodies of thirty-six victims of yesterday's explosion and fire in Ben Wood mine of the Wheeling Steel Corporation had been found up to this morning. Search for the other seventy-five miners who were entombed and are known to have perished, continues. Only three of the bodies recovered have been identified.

HELD FOR SHOOTING AT SAN ANGELO

Dick Toland was in the Tom Green county jail Monday, pending investigation into a shooting at 3:00 o'clock Sunday morning at the home of C. S. Vanfelt, corner of East Fifth and Magdalen streets. That there were no casualties was attributed by John Tollett, city scavenger, to the act of Bill Roberts in knocking upwards the barrel of a shotgun just as the weapon pointed in his direction was discharged.

Mr. Toland, with gun still in hand surrendered at the jail and was locked up by George Satahite, who later accompanied Policeman Sam Haynes and Elmer Brown to the scene of the shooting. Mr. Toland intimated to him that family trouble had caused the difficulty, Mr. Satahite said.—San Angelo Standard.

DELINQUENTS WILL RECEIVE TAX NOTICES

Tax Collector Brown is preparing to notify all tax delinquents as the first step towards forcing collection of delinquent taxes. Under the new law the delinquent tax list is not published, but the delinquents are notified, and if taxes are not paid within thirty days after the notices are sent out it is the duty of the Commissioners' Court to order suits filed against delinquents.

TWO KILLED IN LABOR FIGHT

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, April 29.—Two men are dead and seven wounded as the result of a mysterious shooting at the Labor Union Hall last night. It is believed by the police that the shooting was caused by a factional controversy.

The dead are Samuel S. Bills, business agent of the ice cream wagon drivers' union, who was killed outright, and Robert Devers, who was fatally wounded dying a short time after.

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TO HELP PUNISH MAL DAUGHERTY

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, April 29.—Attorney General Stone agreed today to have the department of justice aid the Senate investigating committee in the litigation arising from the attempt to punish Mal S. Daugherty, brother of the former attorney general, for his refusal to testify before the committee investigating Harry Daugherty. The committee recently took steps to prosecute Mal Daugherty for refusing to testify before the committee and for refusing to turn over to the committee records in the case.

GETS REQUEST FOR CERTIFIED SENATE VOTE

County Clerk Forgy received a request from the elections committee of the United States Senate Tuesday for a certified copy of the election returns from this county in the senatorial election last November. The official count of the vote cast for Mayfield and Peddy in Rannels county gave Mayfield 1174 and Peddy 844 a certified copy of which has been forwarded to Washington. The name of Mayfield was printed on the ballots in this county while Peddy's name was written in by the voter and no irregularities can be charged in this respect.

CUBAN SOLDIERS START REVOLT

(By Associated Press)
HAVANA, April 29.—Dissatisfaction of long standing and which has been smoldering in Santa Clara province came to a head today when a detachment of rural guards revolted and fled from the post near Santa Clara City.

Dispatches published by the Heraldo de Cuba said that the troops marched out of the post shouting "down with Seayans, down with re-election." The dispatches were confirmed at the offices of the secretary of interior, where it was said that it is feared that similar movements may break out in other parts of the province.

Receipt of the news was followed by intense activity at the palace and at the offices of secretary of the interior and secretary of war and navy.

MAIL ROUTE OUT OF TALPA EXTENDED

Rural mail route No. 2 out of Talpa has been extended so as to serve about seventy new patrons of the Crews country. Some time ago the Crews postoffice was abolished and the patrons of that community served on rural routes out of Winters, and from other points. Those who were not within reach of the rural routes maintained boxes at Crews and the mail carrier brought the mail to that point and the patrons had to go several miles to get their mail from the boxes. Under the new routing the carrier on route No. 2 out of Talpa goes to Crews and in making the route takes in about seventy patrons who have not been on a route. It is a big improvement in the mail service of the Northern corner of the county.

OPERATION FOR SEN. COUZENS

(By Associated Press)
BALTIMORE, April 29.—Senator Couzens, of Michigan, went under the surgeon's knife at Johns Hopkins Hospital today for removal of affliction of the gall bladder. After the operation the hospital authorities declared that Couzens was "in very good shape."



SPONSOR NAMED COMMENCEMENT FOR CONVENTION PROGRAM MADE

Miss Anna Raby and Miss Beatrice Nance will represent Ballinger in the pageant to be staged in connection with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Brownwood. This was determined Tuesday when a committee selected Miss Raby as "Duchess," and Miss Nance as the maid of honor.

The matter of naming "Miss Ballinger" was turned over to the American Legion by the Young Men's Business League. J. M. Simmons, post commander of the Ballinger post, appointed a committee of five to select a couple of young ladies to represent this city and the committee appointed Misses Raby and Nance.

The committee stated that there were quite a number of young ladies mentioned for the place and many who would have done honor to the city in the ceremonies to be put on in connection with the convention and it was no easy matter to make a choice. Miss Raby is attending college at Brownwood and will be present to attend the rehearsals in preparing for the pageant, while Miss Nance is leaving in a few days for a visit to friends at Brownwood and other places and can be with Miss Raby in the rehearsals. The young ladies have accepted the honor and an auto will be decorated for "Miss Ballinger" and her maid of honor in the parade.

Girl Stabs Boy in Heart With Hat Pin; Dies

(By Associated Press)
OMAHA, Neb., April 29.—Jabbing neighborhood girls with a pin-tipped stick cost the life of Robert Effenberger, age 14, last night when Aileen Ralph, a 13-year-old girl, plunged a hat pin into the lad's chest. The boy died in ten minutes after being stabbed with the hat pin.

The girl who stabbed the boy with the hat pin told the officers that the boy had been sticking the girls with a pin fixed on the end of a stick. The juvenile authorities are holding the girl on a charge of murder.

FIVE CHILDREN ARE BORN AT ONE BIRTH
GENTHIN, Pomerania, April 29.—Five children were born recently to the wife of a tradesman in this city. They were alive, but all died within a few hours. German gynecologists say this is the first quintet of children born in Germany in many decades.

Our Mistake

for "Grandma's Boy" in the Fo-to-sho Theatre ad Monday the prices read 10c and 25c and they should have been 10c and 35c.

COMMITTEE DECLINES TO QUESTION MRS. HAMON

N. Y. ORGANIZES FOR AL SMITH

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, April 29.—A state committee will be organized to promote the candidacy and movement for Alfred Smith, governor of New York, for the presidential nomination, it was announced today. Heretofore there has been no organized effort to push the interest of Smith, altho it has been tacitly understood that the late Charles Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, was handling the reins of the Smith following and intended to make an effort to land the nomination for Smith.

U. Stephens who came in with Mrs. Stephens and baby Monday, left Tuesday afternoon for Waco, where his company is supervising some engineering work. Mrs. Stephens and baby will remain in Ballinger for some time and later they will move to San Antonio, Mr. Stephens having completed his work at Beaumont.

M'LEAN CALLED IN FILM CASE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, April 29.—Edward B. McLean, a Washington publisher, and who has figured conspicuously in the oil hearings in the United States Senate, was served with a subpoena today directing him to appear tomorrow before the Newark, New Jersey grand jury which is investigating the transportation of film contrary to law, and which former Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty was charged with having a part in.

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Visiting Nurses Carry On Intensive Health Campaigns To Save Coming Generation



EFFORTS to reduce the excessive death rate from maternal mortality in the United States will continue during the coming year, according to a report read by Haley Fiske, president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, at the annual convention. During 1922 170,000 maternity cases among Metropolitan policyholders received the care of public health nurses, either working directly for the company or under arrangement with local health associations.

The report revealed the fact that each year from causes incidental to childbirth. In order to reduce this rate, the company is carrying on an intensive prenatal service. Visiting nurses see the expectant mother once a month from the time a case is reported until confinement. Following the birth of a child, both mother and baby are cared for daily for eight days. If complications develop, the nurse is privileged to make closer observations of the case. An important feature of the work is the education given moth-

ers regarding their own health and the health of infants. They are instructed to keep in close touch with a physician during pregnancy and to make ample provision for good obstetrical service at confinement. New York City leads the country in low mortality due to child bearing. The average in that city is five deaths for each thousand and another while the general rate is eight for each thousand. Nursing associations and other agencies throughout the country are co-operating with the company in its campaign.

Cities Join In Health Crusade Through Clean-up Activities



"Brighten the corner where you are!" This is the message being broadcast by cities and towns in the United States and Canada, in an effort to have dirt attacked as a community problem to promote health.

Sanitarians declare a city is only as clean as its homes and that mothers should remember that the immaculateness of their nurseries may be made dangerous for their babies by vagrant dirt from unclean places. It is pointed out that diseases bred in dirt are no respectors of persons.

Revival of the venerable, but slightly obsolete, custom of spring house-cleaning, and the extension of the ancient rite outside the walls of the house to back alleys and vacant lots, until there is a vast succession of Spotless Towns, is no mean undertaking.

Municipalities, women's clubs, civic and industrial organizations everywhere are preparing for clean-up activities. The Mayor of St. Louis once summarized the lasting benefits of such efforts by saying: "Paint a neglected back yard or vacant lot with the green of grass or shubbery or a thrift garden or publicly commit to any other useful purpose and it will not revert to its former disorderliness. Otherwise it inevitably and speedily will do so."

In urging every municipality to proclaim its annual Clean-up week, the Welfare Division of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company is instructing its twenty-thousand agents and its visiting nurses in 3555 cities and towns to lend a hand. It is educating its policyholders which comprise one-seventh of the combined populations of the United States and Canada just how they can help to

make their home towns a safer place to live in and a healthier place for their children.

If the suggestions are followed, the rats will find that many happy homesites under the rubbish heaps will be unavailable. The malarial mosquitoes will wander far from their erstwhile habitations to find an undrained puddle in which to breed. The house-flies will find many manure heaps missing when they come to lay their eggs and there will be far less danger of disastrous contagions starting in the waste and refuse heaped in the forgotten corners.

Here are the eight outstanding things suggested by the Metropolitan as a foundation for a clean-up crusade:

1. Have all rubbish removed from your cellar, back-yard and arroyway, and placed in barrels or boxes for removal. Arrange to have it taken away.
2. Clean hallways of all obstructions. Ventilate damp cellars and closets.
3. Beat all carpets and hangings. Scrub floors and wash all wood-work.
4. Clean all windows and keep them open to fresh air and sunlight.
5. Ask your landlord to repair leaky roofs and plumbing, broken walls and ceilings.
6. Report stagnant pools, refuse and other nearby nuisances to the Health Department.
7. Do what you can to see that vacant lots are cleaned of all refuse, tin cans, boxes and other litter.
8. Compliance with these suggestions and with efforts of the Health Department will make your city a healthy and pleasant place for your children to grow up in.

SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS

Mrs. Branch's mother and sister, and Ed Harbor, of Brownwood, visited Mrs. Branch last week.

Mary West and Mrs. W. S. Davis and little son were among those who went to Concho Sunday to attend church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reese made a short trip to Paint Rock Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carroll and son went to Coleman Sunday to take Mrs. Carroll's mother to her

son's for a visit.

Charlie Branch, of Brownwood, came up Friday to be with his brother Stell, who was operated on for appendicitis. We are glad to report Stell is getting along fine.

Melvin Caughron, of Eastland, came down Saturday evening to bring Miss Nettie Harwell for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Lon Munsey.

Miss Effie Parker spent several days with her sister at Blanton, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cook, of near Rowena, and Mr. and Mrs.

Graves, of near San Angelo, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook Sunday at T. P. Brown's.

Raymond McMillan has returned to his home in East Texas.

Miss Nettie Harwell and sister, Mrs. Lon Munsey went to San Angelo on a short trip Tuesday.

South Ballinger and Bethel played baseball Thursday afternoon, South Ballinger winning.

Bethel and South Ballinger will play another game at Bethel Friday afternoon.

Literary Society will meet Friday night, May 2nd. You are invited to attend.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

"BLUE BONNET."

W. H. Rodgers, of Winters, and one of the pioneer citizens of this county, was a visitor to Ballinger Monday. Mr. Rodgers says things could not be more promising for the farmers than they are this spring, and the farmers in the Winters country are well up with their work and cotton and maize are coming up nicely.

Movies

Harold Lloyd in "Grandma's Closes at Fo-to-sho Tonight

If there has been any doubt as to just where Harold Lloyd stands on the ladder of fame, it is dispelled with "Grandma's Boy," his five-part Associated Exhibitors comedy, which places him at the top. Yesterday's audiences at the Fo-to-sho Theatre were filled with pathos, sympathy and thrills, the while they laughed as only those who have forgotten all personal troubles can abandon themselves to mirth.

"Grandma's Boy" is almost the perfect comedy. It contains a real story—a story with such a serious theme as cowardice, and the power of mind over matter. This serious undertone is probably why the comedy is so funny.

Lloyd is seen as a young man striving to be brave and failing at every turn, always in a humorous way, of course. Finally Grandma tells him of how his Grandfather overcame cowardice with a good luck charm. She gives the charm to the boy, who goes out, and with the confidence born of possessing the charm, licks his small world to a frazzle. He finds that self-confidence is the secret of courage, and he wins his final and greatest battle—the heart of the girl—in a manner that leaves the audience laughing hysterically long after "the end" is flashed on the screen. It's a laughter wallop with a knockout punch.

Wesley Barry Good as Ever in New Film at Maeroy

All the boyish tricks and pranks that we love so much to see in our own boys are admirably portrayed by Wesley Barry, the young freckle-faced star, in his new picture, "The Printer's Devil," which opened for a two-day run yesterday at the Maeroy Theatre.

With an admirable supporting cast, including Harry Myers, who played the wealthy young city man thrown upon his own resources; Katherine McGuire, as the beautiful young daughter of a small-town banker; George Pierce, her father; and Louis King, Ray Cannon, Mary Halter and Harry Rottenberg, the story reveals how a simple, fun-loving boy working as a printer's devil on the village newspaper, brings about the happy conclusion to a story of petty cheating and intrigue on one side, and honest, open-hearted dealing and love on the other.

It is not too often these days that we have the opportunity of seeing a picture and leaving the playhouse just brimful of good feeling and satisfaction. But "The Printer's Devil" is just that kind of picture, with just

the kind of cast, and with the unobtrusive but very tangible signs of the excellent direction of Wm. Beaudine, to make one feel young again and think of the days when one went to school and had never a care in the world.

The story was especially written for Wesley Barry by Julien Josephson. It is a Warner Brothers' classic of the screen.

\$15 NETTED IN TOOTHBRUSH SALE

The Athletic Council of the local high school netted about \$15 in the Dr. West toothbrush campaign here last Saturday. The campaign was a salesmanship contest which is being put on in schools throughout the country.

The Sophomore Class won the picnic offered to the class which sold the most brushes per capita. Miss Bessie Leach, Sophomore, won the fountain pen for the individual girl selling the

highest number and Hesterwood Clayton, Junior, won a fountain pen for the best boy salesman.

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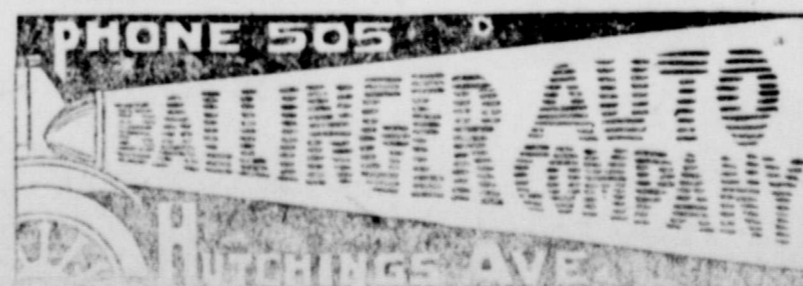
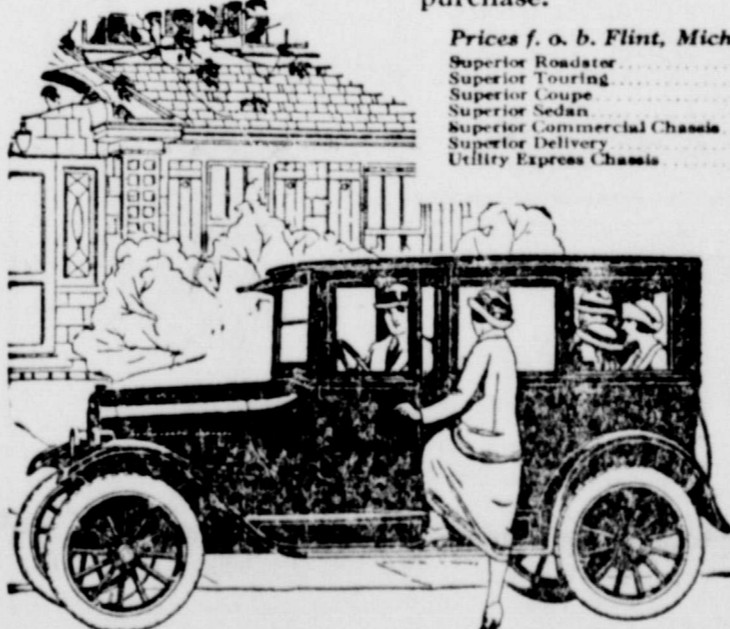
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Starting Motors in Arctic Calls for Drastic Measures
(By Associated Press)

LONDON, April 29.—After testing British aircraft within the Arctic circle, Frank Courtney has returned and related his experiences. He says the cold was intense and difficulties were experienced in starting the engines. Oil had to be brought up to the boiling point before being put into the engine. The air-cooled engines start fairly easy, but steam had to be blown thru the water-jackets of others to bring them up to a reasonable temperature for starting.

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Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain's Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

AUTO LICENSES SET NEW RECORD

3700 autos and trucks have been registered in Runnels county for the first four months of 1924 as compared with 3600 for all of 1923, and 2600 in 1922. With eight months in which to add new cars, and with a good crop promised the total registration for the present year will no doubt exceed 4,000.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Baskin and children returned home Monday night from Hamlin, where they spent several days visiting friends.

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Those who are in a "run down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health. This fact proves that while Catarrh is a local disease, it is greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which quickly relieves by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which is essential in improving the General Health. Sold by Druggists for over 25 Years. J. J. Chamberlain & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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FOR RENT—Good seven room house on Fifth Street. For full particulars Phone 83. 17-tfd.*

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FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms furnished. Phone 179. 20-4td.*

ODD FELLOWS IN DISTRICT MEET

The I. O. O. F. District Association No. 129 met last night with the Ballinger lodge. A large delegation was present from all of the lodges of Runnels County, and a number of visitors, some from out of the state.

The feature of interest to all was a series of contests. Some time back the Miles and Ballinger lodges competed in conferring the Third Degree for the "King's Throne"—a beautiful and expensive hand-made chair, exhibiting all of emblems of the subordinate lodge, as well as the king's crown. The contest resulted in a tie—each team made the same number of errors in putting on the work, which was done without the rituals.

These two lodges met again last night and contested in conferring the "initiator degree" without the rituals. Both teams had a full suit of officers present, and the work was said to have been the best ever seen in a lodge room. So nearly perfect were the two teams that the winning team had but one lone point to the good—making one fewer errors than the other team. The thrill of victory was felt by all, but particularly by the Ballinger team—for they won. Hence the Ballinger lodge keeps the "King's Throne."

There were two other contests. One was between the Past Grands in delivering the Past Grand's charge in the initiatory degree.

There were four who entered this contest, and the award was bestowed upon a member of the Ballinger lodge, R. W. Smith, whose work was almost free from error. The other was a contest between the chaplains whose long part in the initiatory degree was used as the basis of the contest. The chaplain making the fewest errors was Rev. R. B. Twitty, the chaplain of the Ballinger lodge, whose work was declared by the judges to have been almost perfect in every detail—but one slight error being chalked up against him. The prizes awarded in these latter contests were a pair of gold cuff buttons with the "three links" engraved upon them.

Following the contest and the transaction of business the Ballinger boys provided a sumptuous spread and for over an hour a good time of feasting and fun was enjoyed by about one hundred. The next association meeting will be with the Miles lodge, the time to be announced later by the executive committee. At the next meeting the degree teams will compete in the first degree and an elaborate altar will be awarded to the team that wins.

GRAY HAIR IS QUICKLY MADE DARK, GLOSSY

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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.

SAYS JUSTICE OF PEACE JOB IS AN EMPTY HONOR

Judge C. H. Willingham, justice of the peace of the Ballinger precinct, reports that business of his office has reached the point where the office is an empty honor. Only two criminal cases have been docketed in the local justice court this year, and not a single case has been filed since March. Heretofore it has been the rule of the county to work prisoners on the court house lawn, and M. C. Falls, who has charge of the park, needs help, and he is eager for the officers to bring in a few crap shooters, or other violators to give him a lift.

SAFETY FIRST SHOP SOLD BY HAMILTON

L. H. Hamilton has sold the Safety First Barber Shop located on the South side of Hutchings Avenue, to F. C. Jenkins, of Bronte. Mr. Hamilton purchased the shop from J. A. Freeman last fall, and has had a man in charge of the business. Mr. Jenkins will move his family from Bronte and become a citizen of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams and little daughter left for Comanche and Granbury Tuesday, and will spend a few days at Glen Rose recuperating. They left in their car.

Read Ledger "wants" column

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TO VISIT HOME OF HONEYMOON DAYS

Rev. and Mrs. Cumbie and daughter, Mrs. Dick Collins, of Bronte, passed thru Ballinger Monday afternoon en route to Van Zandt county, where they go for a visit. Rev. and Mrs. Cumbie were married in Van Zandt county 53 years ago, and they are returning to the old home where they spent their honeymoon. The pioneer preacher and his wife came to this country 34 years ago and located in Coke county near old Fort Chadbourne, and while Rev. Cumbie has preached at different points in this section of the state and blazed the way for religious homes and many churches he has made his home in and around Bronte since coming West.

dredging will be resumed in a few days, it was said. This plant is now filling a large order for the Abilene & Southern Railroad.

Joe Ward, of Abilene, was here on business Tuesday. Mr. Ward was leader of bands in Ballinger before moving to Abilene two or three years ago.

Star Parasite Remover

given Chickens in drinking water will rid them of Lice, Mites, Fleas, Chiggers, Blue Bugs and all other blood-sucking Parasites, and save many young chicks that insects kill. Also is a good tonic and blood purifier; keeps fowls healthy and increases Egg Production or money refunded.

Jeanes Company

IN **San Antonio Gunter Hotel**

GRAVEL PLANT IS BEING REBUILT

The gravel extracting plant operated by Brinkley & Sons on the Colorado River South of town was washed away by the rise in the river last week. The platform and chute were carried away by the flood waters and the dredge bucket was carried down stream. Monday the rebuilding of the plant was almost completed and

Five Hundred

To advertise Miller Cold Patch better and to show you that it is the very best, the Miller Rubber Co., has sent us 500 cans to put out at 20c or two for 35c. This is the regular 50c can and will be sold at 50c after we sell this allotment.

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