

# BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

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## PEACE OFFICERS HERE TODAY IN CONVENTION

About 100 sheriffs, deputies and policemen were present when dinner was announced ready on the court house lawn here Friday at noon. The Chamber of Commerce, assisted by some 20 men, had prepared the dinner and tables under the shade trees and all table space was taken, with several officers having to stand to eat.

Rev. E. W. McLaurin was called upon for the invocation, after which barbecue, stew, pickles, watermelon, ice cream, pickles, coffee and tea was served to about 125 people.

J. D. Motley acted as toastmaster and presented Sheriff Bob Miller, president of the West Texas Sheriffs Association, and sheriff of Concho county. After a few remarks by Mr. Miller, Judge A. K. Doss delivered the address of welcome in behalf of the citizens of Ballinger and told the association that they were always welcome to Ballinger and commended them highly in the work they were doing to uphold the laws of the country.

Sheriffs from Brady, Coleman, Eldorado, San Angelo and Sweetwater responded to calls from the toastmaster.

A short concert was played by the Ballinger Band while the officers were eating, and a string orchestra also rendered several numbers after dinner while the visitors and officers mingled.

At 7:00 o'clock the officers met in business session in the district court room of the court house, being called to order by President Miller.

Never laugh at a man because he is broke and deeply in debt. He may be supporting an auto.

The fellow with cold feet usually claims it is a cool head.

There's safety in numbers, but not in a number of enemies.

Our only regret is that we have but one vacation to spend in our country.

Hate to be a joy killer, but we doubt if a fly ever got out while the screen door was open.

## FRENCH MINISTER URGES ECONOMY

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, June 12.—Finance Minister Joseph Caillaux today urged a policy of strict economy at a meeting of the French cabinet today, and the members promised that they would trim expenses to the utmost.

M. Caillaux said that France must live within her income and must get that income from taxation alone if she expected the world to have confidence in French finances.

## COKE GIRL IS SHOT BY BROTHER

News reaching Ballinger Friday from Robert Lee brings word of a sad tragedy at that place, when Norma Grace McKinney, age 12, was accidentally killed. Her brother, Cliff McKinney, age 16, and her older sister, Hazel, were playing "desperado," when the boy threatened to arrest Norma Grace. She resisted and he pointed a gun at her thinking it was not loaded and pulled the trigger. The load hit the little girl in the left temple, causing instant death.

Cliff and Hazel McKinney ran two miles to a neighbor's house to give the alarm and the boy fell exhausted just as he reached the house.

The boy told Sheriff Hawley Allen, of Coke county, that he did not know the gun was loaded when the officers made an investigation. A verdict of accidental death was returned after the inquest.

The bird who pushes himself forward finally comes out behind.

The bathing suits are with us again. We went down to the beach and our head started swimming.

## BAND MEETING SAT. MORNING

All boys interested in joining the new junior band which is being organized are requested to meet at the Carnegie Library Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock. So far ten boys have applied for places in the new organization and it is hoped by those in charge of the forming of this new musical body to have at least twenty for the start. Most all instruments are needed, but clarinets and other reed instruments are especially wanted by the director, H. H. Carsey, and these instruments will be pushed as fast as possible as they are needed in the older band.

It will only require a short time to get instruments and if enough boys want to begin the order for instruments can be made Saturday afternoon. Parents who are interested are requested to attend the meeting with their children Saturday morning and talk to Director Carsey about any matter pertaining to band work.



## MISSING WITNESS HAS RETURNED FOR TRIAL

## TWO KILLED IN CAR WRECK

(By Associated Press) TEXARKANA, June 12.—Mrs. Maggie Hughes, age 26, and her two-year-old baby are dead, and three other members of the family of Ruby Hughes were injured as the result of the wrecking of their car near here early today.

The car was driven by Ruby Hughes, who has only one arm. The automobile skidded in loose gravel as it was rounding a curve and plunged down a twelve-foot embankment.

Edwin Swindell, Herbert Preston, and Robert Lee Maddox returned home Friday at noon from Waco, where they have been attending Baylor University.

From the way congress is criticized you would think the majority of the voters are in the minority.

## FRIENDLY WITH MEXICAN GOV.

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, June 12.—The administration will support the government in Mexico only so long as it protects American lives and rights and complies with its international engagement of obligations, Secretary Kellogg declared today in a formal statement. Our relations with the Calles government are friendly, but nevertheless conditions are not entirely satisfactory, the secretary's statement said. The statement was issued after a conference with Ambassador Sheffield, who is stationed at Mexico City.

## PREPARATION AGAINST WAR

(By Associated Press) WEST POINT, June 12.—The American army is operated on the policy of "preparation against war and not preparation for war," Dwight Davis, assistant secretary of war, said today in addressing the West Point graduation class. "In my close and intimate contact with army officers," Davis said, "I have never heard one make a remark which could be construed as militaristic. Men who have to fight do not want wars—they are strongly for peace to the very limit that peace can be maintained with honor."

## BAIRD MAN KILLS WIFE; TURNS GUN ON HIMSELF

## TWO KILLED BY FLEEING YEGGMEN

(By Associated Press) SULPHUR SPRINGS, Texas, June 12.—Two men of a posse were shot during a gun fight today with two of the five bank robbers who yesterday robbed a Sulphur Springs bank. The battle occurred near town. The robbery was committed late yesterday afternoon and all of the bandits escaped at the time.

(By Associated Press) LEULA, Sweden, June 12.—A census taken this spring in Sweden's northernmost department disclosed that the nomadic Lapps possess 183,625 reindeer. The animals have increased 57 per cent since 1921, when the last census showed 116,979. The present reindeer population is greater than is consistent with the amount of pasturage available.

Rev. Alvin Swindell and Rev. H. H. Stephens of Winters, left Ballinger Friday morning for Brownwood, where they go to attend a meeting in the interest of Howard Payne College.

## MUCH WOOL IS BEING STORED

Runnels county wool growers as a whole are very fortunate this year in selling their wool on contracts for around 50 cents per pound. Practically all the big producers in the county sold their wool on contract and only a few small clips are for sale now. Some of these small clips have been sold, the price ranging as low as 20 cents and up to 30 cents per pound.

There are only a few bags of wool stored here at present and only a few small clips to be brought in yet that have not been sheared.

There are more than 1,000,000 pounds of wool still remaining in warehouses at Mertzog, being held for a better price than is offered on today's market. Sheepmen at many other points are storing nearly all their wool, to be held for a better market.

(By Associated Press) ABILENE, June 12.—Bill Roten and his estranged wife, Mrs. Gladys Roten, are dead at Baird, ten miles East of here, as the result of a shooting on the streets at that place last night. Mrs. Roten died instantly after being shot four times, and Roten died early today. Roten is said to have fired the shots.

## JOHN SMITH, NEGRO, DENIED NEW HEARING

(Brownwood Bulletin) John Smith, 23 years of age, negro, convicted and sentenced to die in the electric chair, was this afternoon refused a new trial in the Thirty-Fifth District Court by Judge J. O. Woodward following the hearing of an amended motion presented by B. L. Palmer of Houston, attorney for the negro. Smith was returned to Brownwood Tuesday afternoon at 2:45 from Ft. Worth where he had been in the Tarrant county jail. Attorney Palmer will send the case to the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin for the final decision, he said today.

Only ten of the twelve jurors in the case were examined this afternoon, two being out of the city. Affidavits were made by the ten jurors present in District Attorney Walter Early's office this morning, and presented in court this afternoon. Smith will probably be removed to some nearby county jail for safekeeping until the appeals court passes on the case.

Attention, Royal Arch Masons Regular meeting tonight at 8:30 p. m. Election of officers for the ensuing year. Every member urgently requested to be present. By order of High Priest: Wm. DOOSE, Jr., H. P. Attest: JACK MCGREGOR, Sec.

## POPE MAY CALL WORLD COUNCIL

(By Associated Press) ROME, June 12.—The newspaper La Sereno today said that it is reported in well informed circles that the Pope intends to convoke a ecumenical council in Rome during the latter part of the present holy year. All bishops of the Catholic world would attend such a council. The last ecumenical council was held in 1869.

## TOWN DESTROYED BY BIG TORNADO

(By Associated Press) MASON CITY, Iowa, June 12.—A crew on a Chicago & Great Western train brought in a report here today that Alexander, a little town in Franklin county, had been virtually wiped out by a tornado late yesterday and scores of persons are said to have been injured.

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Better watch your step today,  
boys. Seventy-five sheriffs are  
too many to dodge.

There seems to be no closed  
season on crime. Winter or sum-  
mer crime stories of every variety  
continue to occupy the front  
pages of all newspapers.

Capt. McCarver announces that  
there will be room for a few re-  
cruits to the encampment of the  
Texas National Guard. This is  
mighty good training for boys  
and will be a vacation worth  
while with the program that has  
been outlined for the two weeks.  
Now is the time to enlist if you  
want to go.

Coleman county will soon have  
the best road system of any  
county in West Texas. Already  
having having hard surfaced  
roads leaving the city of Coleman  
in four directions, these roads will  
be given a coat of asphalt, making  
them as good as a pike. Ballinger  
can do nothing better than to keep  
lending every effort possible to  
get better roads in the county.

Speaking of celebrations we  
almost overlooked the celebration  
here on June 19th. The darktown  
population has distributed adver-  
tising matter all over West Texas  
for the affair in Ballinger, and  
plans are being made to take care  
of the high browns from all the  
neighboring towns.

All Films received by 9-00 a. m.  
will be finished by 5:30 p. m. at  
Partlett's Studio 26-1d

**EVANGELIST CRIMM  
TO HOLD MEETING  
IN BALLINGER**

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Evangelist B. B. Crimm to hold a  
revival meeting in Ballinger be-  
ginning on the fourth Sunday in  
August. A tabernacle will be  
erected somewhere in the com-  
munity for the accomodation of  
all who attend. And if the evan-  
gelist gets the hearing in Ballinger  
that he gets in other places  
there will be several thousand  
present each night. Mr. Crimm  
preaches in a way that is all his  
own, and never fails to draw the  
people to the services. His meet-  
ings are invariably successful,  
especially in reaching men, oft-  
times fifty or more being con-  
verted at a single service. Along  
with the preacher there will be  
Mr. Armstrong, song leader, and  
Mrs. Armstrong, organizer and  
worker in the meeting, besides  
Mr. Christiansen, who is one of  
the most remarkable pianists in  
the whole country.

Rev. Alvin Swindell, the local  
pastor, states that the church is  
bringing the Crimm party here in  
the hope that not only Ballinger  
but the entire county will have a  
religious awakening such as it  
has never had before. It is hoped  
therefore, that the people of all  
the churches will give their co-  
operation in the meeting in every  
way possible.

Mr. Crimm himself once lived in  
this county, and began his min-  
istry here, and is counting on the  
Ballinger meeting as one of the  
banner meetings of his career.

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**Workings of New Bogus  
Check Law Made Plain**

The Ledger for the past month  
has had so many inquiries regard-  
ing the new bogus check law that  
we are carrying a copy of the  
new law below. The bill was  
passed by the legislature and  
signed by Governor Ferguson on  
Monday, February 23rd.

**Bogus Check Law**

An Act to amend Paragraph No.  
4, of Article 1422, Title 17, Chap-  
ter 18, of the Penal Code of Texas  
(1911) as amended by the Thirty-  
third Legislature, regular term  
(1913) page 184 of the Acts of the  
Thirty-third Legislature, relating  
to swindling making certain facts  
prima facie evidence of fraud-  
ulent intent.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature  
of the State of Texas:

That Article 1422, Title 17,  
Chapter 18, Penal Code of Texas  
(1911) as amended by the Acts of  
the Thirty-third Legislature of  
Texas, relating to swindling be  
amended so as hereafter to read  
as follows:

Article 1422. Certain Wrongful  
Acts Included. Within the mean-  
ing of the term "swindling" are  
included the following wrongful  
acts:

1. The exchange of property  
upon the false pretense that the  
party is the owner or has the  
right to dispose of the property  
in exchange.
2. The purchase of property  
upon the faith and credit of some  
other person upon the false pre-  
tense that such other has given  
the accused the right to use his  
name in making the acquisition.
3. The obtaining by false pre-  
tense the possession of any instru-

ment of writing, certificate, field  
notes or other paper relating to  
lands, the property of another,  
with the intent that thereby the  
property owner shall be defeated  
of a valuable right in such lands.

4. The obtaining by any person  
of any money or other thing of  
value with intent to defraud by  
the giving or drawing of any  
check, draft or order upon any  
bank, person, firm or corporation  
with which or with whom such  
person giving or drawing said  
check, draft or order has not at  
the time of the giving or drawing  
said check, draft or order, or at  
any time when in the ordinary  
course of business such check,  
draft or order would be presented  
to the drawee for payment, suffi-  
cient funds to pay same, and no  
good reason to believe that such  
check, draft or order will be paid;  
provided, that if said check, draft  
or order is not paid within  
fifteen days after the same is re-  
turned unpaid, it shall be prima  
facie evidence of the fraud-  
ulent intent of said person draw-  
ing or giving said check; and pro-  
viding further, that if such check,  
draft or order is not paid within  
fifteen days after the same is re-  
turned unpaid, it shall be prima  
facie evidence that no good reason  
existed for believing that said  
check, draft or order would be  
paid, and it shall also be prima  
facie evidence of intent to defraud  
and knowledge of insufficient  
funds with the drawee.
5. The special enumeration of  
cases of swindling above set forth  
shall not be understood to exclude  
any case which by fair construc-  
tion of language comes within the

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meaning of the preceding article.  
6. This Act shall be cumulative  
of all other laws on this subject  
and should any section or provis-  
ion be declared unconstitutional  
such decision shall not effect any  
of the remaining provisions of this  
Act.

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## PINK BOLL WORM FIGHT NARROWS

(By Associated Press)  
HOUSTON, June 11.—The battle against the pink boll worm has narrowed down to three districts in Texas from the 11 which existed when the fight was started in 1917, a report by Dr. W. D. Hunt, of the federal horticultural board, shows. The three districts where the battle still is being waged are the Big Bend, the Pecos valley and the El Paso valley districts. Sixty-two fields in the Big Bend district are infested, while 15 in the Pecos valley and one in the El Paso valley have the pest, making a total of 78 fields, all in extreme West Texas. The pest is said to have originated with a shipment of cotton seed from Carlsbad, New Mexico, the seed having been grown in

that vicinity. The seed was shipped to many Texas counties and to nearby states. Forty-eight cars were sent into Dallas county and 20 into El Paso county, but all of it was crushed and none planted, while 27 cars were shipped into Ellis county, only a part of which was crushed. Kaufman county received 13 cars, practically all for seed; Reeves, five; Scurry, two; Grayson and Karnes one each, while quantities going into other counties ranged from 41,270 pounds in Nolan to 31 pounds in Hall and 36 in Guadalupe. Inspectors are still scouting in various districts in this and neighboring states to determine the presence of the pest. In the Trinity Bay district 156 fields were found infested in 1917 and none the next year, but they rose to 51 in 1918, fell to 28 in 1920, was reduced to one in 1921, and has since been free. In the Big Bend district, the infestation began in 1918 with 21

fields, became almost negligible the following two years, grew from 12 in 1921 to 24 in 1922 and rose from 36 in 1923 to 62 in 1924. In the Pecos valley the infestation began with nine in 1918, grew to 15 in 1920, 21 in 1921, fell to none the next year, rose to five in 1923, and mounted to 15 in 1924. In the El Paso valley 14 fields were found infested in 1920 and fell to nine, four and one in the following four years, where it remains today. Closest attention is being centered on counties which received shipments of the Carlsbad seed, which originally embraced Garland in Arkansas, Cleveland and Pottawatomie in Oklahoma and 48 counties in Texas. The search, however, has narrowed to about 15 counties in Texas, including Cameron, Collin, Dallas, Ellis, El Paso, Grayson, Hidalgo, Hill, Hindspeith, Kaufman, Nueces, Tarrant, Pecos, Reeves, and Ward. No infestations have been discovered in the Hearn district in more than seven years; in Trinity Bay, Ennis and Marilee districts in approximately three years; in the Cameron and Shreveport, Louisiana districts in five and four years respectively; in the Mesilla valley, New Mexico and in the Carlsbad districts in two and three years respectively.

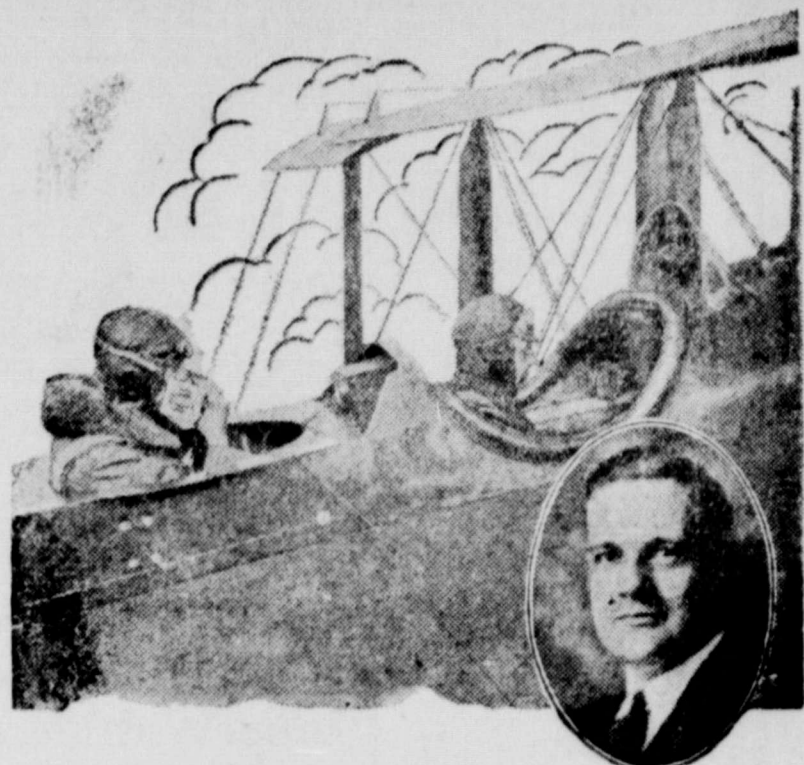
### Radio Telephone System May Emerge from Mexico

(By Associated Press)  
MEXICO CITY, June 12.—General Gustavo Salinas, chief of the army aviation department, with the aid of departmental experts, is putting the finishing touches to an invention which he believes will revolutionize radio communication. Starting with the idea of developing a method to place airplanes in radio communication with their landing fields, he has developed his system enough to warrant the belief that telephone users in any city possessing a broadcasting station, can communicate with any person in any city of the republic enjoying equal telephone and broadcasting facilities. A dance will be given Saturday night, June 13th in the O. D. H. S. Hall, Rowena. Committee. 11-1td-1tw

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## WARPLANE TALKS 110 MILES



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## The Climax of Value Giving Saturday

—AT—

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GROUP NO. 3	GROUP NO. 4
10 lbs. Dried Apples Regular price .....\$1.50	25 lb. sack Salt Regular price .....40c
8 lbs. Compound Regular price .....\$1.50	1-2 dozen cans No. 3 Peaches Regular price .....\$2.40
No. 3 Can Coffee Regular price .....\$1.60	1-2 dozen cans No. 3 Kraut Regular price .....\$1.05
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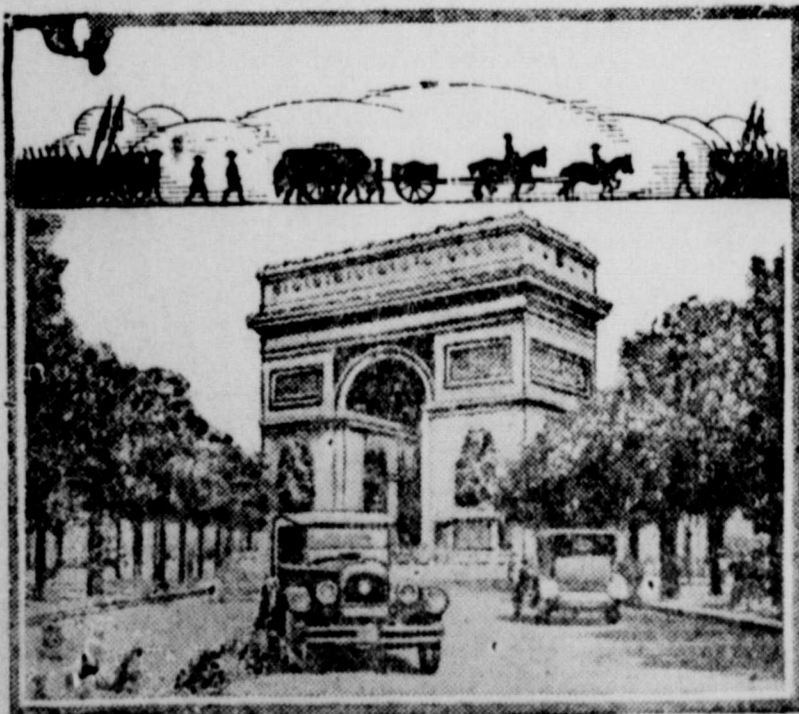


Photo Courtesy Maxwell and Chrysler Motor Corporations

It is beneath this arch that France buried the body of her Unknown Soldier

NEXT to the Eiffel Tower the famous Arc de Triomphe de l'Étoile in Paris is best known to those who have never had the good fortune to visit the wonder city of France. This is the largest triumphal arch in existence and was begun by Napoleon I in memory of his victories in 1805-6, and completed by Louis Philippe in 1836. The arch itself is 96 feet high and 48 feet wide. The structure as a whole is 162 feet high. The picture above was taken on the Champs-Élysées, showing the famous trees on either side.

Food imports of France are now greater than before the world war.

### Most Italians Travel Third Class

(By Associated Press)  
ROME, June 12.—One hundred million passengers rode on the Italian state railways during last year, according to statistics recently issued. They paid an aggregate fare of 1,400,000,000 lire. Eighty-six per cent of the passengers travelled third class, 12

# TIRES MUST GO UP!



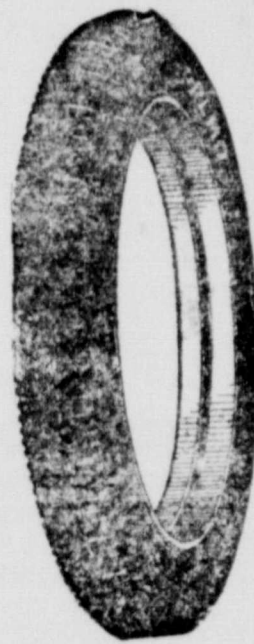
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32x3 1-2 Red Stripe Dayton	16.50
31x4 Red Stripe Dayton	18.55
32x4 Red Stripe Dayton	21.50
33x4 Red Stripe Dayton	22.50
34x4 Red Stripe Dayton	\$23.25
32x4 1-2 Red Stripe Dayton	27.50
33x4 1-2 Red Stripe Dayton	28.50
34x4 1-2 Red Stripe Dayton	29.25
33x5 Red Stripe Dayton	\$35.50

You can't buy better tires than DAYTONS. After thorough tests of all makes of tires, you'll find DAYTONS the best friends your car ever had.

### Double Diamond Fabric

30x3	\$ 6.75
30x3 1-2	7.75
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30x3 1-2	\$10.95
32x3 1-2	13.75
31x4 CL	13.00
31x4 SS	15.00
32x4	16.25
33x4	16.75
34x4	17.25
33x4 1-2	24.50
34x4 1-2	25.50
35x5	29.50

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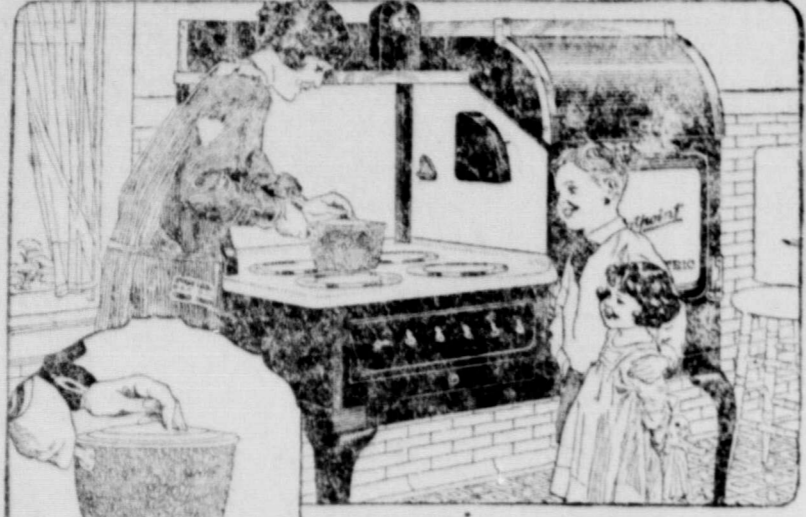
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THE six-inch, 1,000 watt, Hotpoint "Speed Units" fit four out of every five utensils in the average home, giving speed and economy.

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HAVE you ever thought seriously of the freedom from hot-kitchen drudgery, the saving in time, and the economies in food and fuel which the Hotpoint Electric Range with its automatic operation and its perfect scientific cookery will bring to you?

You are spared endless scouring and polishing of pots and pans. Electric heat creates no dirt, soot, nor smoke to stain utensils and dirty up your kitchen.

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If you will come in we will gladly demonstrate these advantages to you and show you a style of range particularly adapted to your needs.

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Company

Citation by Publication  
THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of  
Runnels County—Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to summon Joe Warren by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the Third Monday in September, A. D. 1925, the same being the 21st day of September, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of May, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3236, wherein The Guaranty State Bank, is Plaintiff, and Joe Warren, is Defendant, and said petition alleging:

1. Now comes The Guaranty State Bank, a banking corporation, duly incorporated under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Texas, and having its domicile in Miles, Runnels County, Texas, and having as its cashier, A. O. Danneley, hereinafter called Plaintiff, and complaining of Joe Warren, whose residence to this plaintiff is unknown, although diligent search has been made to ascertain same, hereinafter styled Defendant, and for cause of action plaintiff represents to the court that heretofore, to-wit, on or about the 15th day of August, A. D. 1921, the defendant, Joe Warren, made, executed and delivered to the Miles National Bank his eight several promissory notes, each for the principal sum of \$187.50, each bearing date on the day and year aforesaid, and due respectively on January 1, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, and 1930, each respectively payable to the order of the said The Miles National Bank, in Miles,

Runnels county, Texas, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date until paid, and stipulating for 10 per cent additional on the amount of principal and interest then due as attorney's fee, in case suit is brought on same or it is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, and further providing that all past due interest on these said notes will bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum after the annual maturity thereof, and with the further proviso that failure to pay any one of these notes when due or any installment of interest thereon when due shall, at the option of the holder of said notes or any one of them, mature all of said notes and they shall become at once due and payable and the Vendor's Lien mentioned therein shall become subject to foreclosure proceedings as the holder or holders thereof may elect, whereby the defendants became liable and bound to pay and promised the said The Miles National Bank to pay it the several sums of money in said notes stipulated, together with all interest and attorney's fee due thereon according to the tenor and effect thereof.

2. Plaintiff alleges that at the time of the making, execution and delivery of the aforesaid eight notes by the defendant to the said The Miles National Bank that it was operating under a national charter and under the name of the Miles National Bank, and that thereafter, to-wit, on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1921, the said The Miles National Bank was converted into a state bank and adopted the name The Guaranty State Bank, which is this Plaintiff, and all the assets, among which were and are these eight notes, passed unto the new state bank, to-wit, The Guaranty State Bank, this Plaintiff, and that plaintiff, The Guaranty State Bank, is now the legal owner and holder of said notes as aforesaid.

3. That said notes were given for a part of the purchase money of the following described real estate and premises situated in the County of Coke and State of Texas, to-wit:

Being 100 acres of land, being the South one-half of the 200 acre tract conveyed to The Miles National Bank by deed dated November 16, 1916, and of record in Book 26, page 532, Record of Deeds for Coke County, Texas, which said 200 acres of land is described as follows: Being 120 acres of land out of the South part of the Northwest one-fourth, and 80 acres being the North one-half of the Southwest one-fourth of Survey No. 4, Abstract No. 2045, located by virtue of certificate No. 582, H. E. & W. T. Ry. Co. land patented to E. D. Cox, assignee of J. S. Cox, by Patent No. 228, Volume 53, dated July 16, 1917, in which said 200 acres is described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a stake 475 varas North of the Southwest corner of said Survey No. 4; Thence 10 North with East line of Survey No. 7, 1188 varas; Thence East 950 varas; Thence South 1188 varas; Thence West 950 varas to the place of beginning.

4. That said property was heretofore, to-wit, on the 15th day of August, 1921, conveyed by the said The Miles National Bank by its deed of writing of that date, in consideration, among other things, of the eight notes herein described and that in said deed of conveyance a Lien was reserved thereon to secure the payment of said eight notes; that nothing has been paid on any of said notes and that notes Nos. 1, 2 and 3 are past due and unpaid, and that by reason of the provision in said notes the Plaintiff here and now elects to mature all of said notes and does mature all of said notes as provided therein; that the Defendant has often been requested to pay said notes but has wholly failed and refused to do so, and as aforesaid nothing has been paid thereon.

5. That said eight notes have been placed in the hands of C. P. Shepherd, an attorney, for collection, and Plaintiff has contracted to pay him 10 per cent attorney's fee stipulated therein, the same being a reasonable and the usual and customary fee.

Wherefore Plaintiff prays the court that the Defendant be cited

by publication as the law in such cases provides, to appear and answer this petition and that it have judgment for its debt, principal, interest and attorney's fee, and all costs of suit and for the foreclosure of its Lien on the above described land and premises, and that the same be decreed to be sold according to law, and that the sheriff or other officer executing said order shall place the purchaser of said property, so sold under said order for sale, in possession thereof within thirty days after the day of sale, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that it may be justly entitled to and which it will ever pray.

C. P. SHEPHERD,  
Attorney for Plaintiff, The Guaranty State Bank.  
Herein fail not, but have before said Court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Georgia Singletary, Clerk of the District Court of Runnels County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, this 28th day of May, A. D. 1925.  
(Seal):  
GEORGIA SINGLETARY,  
Clerk, District Court, Runnels County.  
d-5-12-19-26

Sheriff's Notice of Sale  
Delinquent Taxes  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Runnels:

Whereas, on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1925, in a certain cause, numbered 1622 on the docket of the District Court of said county, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and W. D. Jennings is defendant, the said State of Texas recovered judgment in the amount of Fifty-Eight and 88-100 dollars for taxes, penalties and costs with interest computed thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, together with the foreclosure of plaintiff's delinquent tax lien upon the property hereinafter described as the property of the defendant, because of the non-payment of the

taxes due thereon;  
And whereas, on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1925, by virtue of the said judgment and the mandates thereof, the Clerk of the District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale, commanding me as Sheriff of said County to seize, levy upon and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property as the property of the above defendant, to satisfy the said judgment.

Wherefore, by virtue of the said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof, I did on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1925, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant, the following property, to-wit:

Lots 1 to 7 in Block No. 2, Fairview Addition to the town of Miles; Lots 4-5 in Block No. 8, Fairview Addition to the town of Miles; Lots 1-2 in Block No. 12, Fairview Addition to the town of Miles. All of said lots situated in Runnels County, Texas, as shown by the map or plat of said town now on file in the office of the County Clerk of said county.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of July, A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of said month, proceed to sell said property at the Court House door of said county, in the town of Ballinger, between the hours of 2:00 o'clock p. m. and 4:00 o'clock p. m., to the highest bidder for cash all

the right, title and interest of the above defendant, in and to the above described property; subject however, to the rights of the defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided for by law, and subject to the further rights of the defendant to have said property divide and sold in less divisions than the whole. And in event there are no bidders, said property will at said sale be bid off to the State.

R. E. McWILLIAMS,  
Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas,  
Ballinger, Texas, June 4, A. D. 1925.  
d-5-12-19-26

Saturday Special  
Nice Fresh Texas  
Tomatoes, per lb. **10c**  
J. G. Dickinson  
Phone 106

The United States has 4,000,000 acres planted to potatoes.

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Phone 482 Ballinger, Texas

# Movies

## North Meets West in Carey Film Queen Today-Tomorrow

It is sheer inadequacy to describe "Silent Sanderson," Hunt Stromberg's latest Harry Carey starring vehicle, playing at the Queen Theatre today and Saturday, as a "Western." Only half of it is "Western"—the other fifty per cent is a "Northern." This is only one of the details which contribute novelty to the production.

Usually, a so-called "out-door" picture implies that much shooting and a little drama will take place in Western desert land or against the snows of Alaska. Mr. Stromberg, as usual, varies the ordinary by evolving much powerful drama and very little shooting against both backgrounds in one vehicle.

The production does not run short on thrills, however. There is for example, a wolf fight, that is guaranteed to produce more spine tingles and suspense per foot of film than all the old Blaney melodramas put together. But the physical action grows out of tense dramatic situations and is psychologically motivated. It is not thrown in just because a producer suddenly decided to make another "Western." Mr. Stromberg never suddenly decides to make a "Western." He plans his Carey productions months ahead. That's why they're miles ahead of most out-door pictures. "Silent Sanderson," with its skilfully developed story, its lavishly executed and its deft portrayals, is conclusive proof of this.

## Powerful Mystery Movie at the Fo-to-sho Theatre

Edmund Lowe's appearance at the Fo-to-sho Theatre today and Saturday in the powerful Fox

film "Champion of Lost Causes," has added to the fame of this brilliant star. The supporting cast is a magnificent one—worthy of the star and the producer.

Walter McGrail, a player of splendid ability in unusual characterizations has the astonishing task of impersonating a dignified cold mannered, white bearded gambler, and a handsome young man, seemingly not more than half as old. So well does he do the task that it is not until the startling revelation in the very last moment that the mystery is cleared away, and the villain unmasked.

Those who love a powerful mystery theme, set in a most unusual manner, will welcome the enjoyment offered by this film, which opened this afternoon at the Fo-to-sho.

**Saturday Special**  
Nice Fresh Texas  
Tomatoes, per lb **10c**  
J. G. Dickinson  
Phone 106

## ITALIAN CRITICS PRAISE AMERICAN COMIC FILMS

(By Associated Press)

ROME, June 12—The work of American moving picture comedians is creating a new comic tradition comparable in excellence only with that launched by the famous Venetian art theatre of the 18th century, according to Italian cinematograph critics.

An underlying similarity, the critics say, is that each moving picture comedian maintains his particular personality and stage business in all of his pictures, instead of adapting himself to the stories which are being filmed. Thus Charlie Chaplin is always Charlie Chaplin whether he be

tramp or millionaire.

Just as the centuries have multiplied the Colombines, Pierrots and Harlequins of the Venetian theatre, so they will multiply the Chaplins, the Harold Lloyds and the Larry Semons who eventually will evolve into constant types.

It is pointed out that the American comic films, far from being contemptible from the point of view of art, have much in common with the great works of the humorous masters from Aristophanes until our day, particularly in their use of the grotesque and of formalized plots. The one outstanding difference, it is said, is that the American movies insist upon pointing a moral and upon

having happy endings.

One critic rhapsodizes that the American films have created types which symbolize marvellously certain grotesque and humorous aspects of humanity.

## Hall's Catarrh Medicine

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 assists in improving the General Health. Sold by Druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Tides are 54 minutes later each day.

# MAEROY THEATRE

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HOBART BOSWORTH

## 'The Man Alone'

ALSO

The First Chapter of that Thrilling Western Serial

## "Riders of the Plains"

Starring JACK PERRIN and MARILYN MILLS. With the Wonder Horses, "Star" and "Beverly."

AND—

"THE FAMILY ENTRANCE"

A Pathe Comedy

ADMISSION **10c and 25c**

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At 1:00 p. m. Tomorrow

First 100 Children under 12 years old will be admitted Free to see—

"RIDERS OF THE PLAINS"

## PARAMOUNT TWO DAYS Beginning Today

Pete Morrison in—"THE HIDDEN BADGE"  
A Universal Western

Bonomo in—"THE GREAT CIRCUS MYSTERY"

Fox Comedy—"Nobody Works But Father"

Also FOX NEWS

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Not Occasionally, but Always a Good Show!

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TODAY AND SATURDAY  
HARRY CAREY

## "SILENT SANDERS"

A Mighty Actor in His Mightiest Role

He had purchased her for so much gold—without ever having seen her—she was his, in every sense of the word. Then he discovered that she was the woman whom he had worshipped in his youth.

—ADMISSION—

Adults **30c** Children **10c** Adults **20c**  
Lower Floor Balcony

## Baseball Tournament Here On June 26th, 27th, 29th

A baseball tournament of three games has been announced by the local American Legion post for June 26, 27 and 29. The winner of the tournament will receive a prize of \$100.00 and a second prize will go to the loser of the championship game.

Eden and Bronte will be the first two teams to meet and will open the contest here on Friday, June 26th at 3:30 p. m. in Fair Park. Saturday, June 27th, Miles and Norton will contest and the winner of each of these first two games will meet at the big celebration of Ballinger's birthday on Monday, June 29th, to determine the champions and the winner of the pot.

The championship baseball game will only be one of the big features of entertainment for the celebration. Rabbit races, as has already been announced, will immediately follow the games. Doc Holland, the popular entertainer at the Runnels County Fair last year, will be on the job all day to fill up all the idle moments with entertainment and will present a big, free, patriotic fireworks display at night.

Georgettes, beautiful new patterns. Just in. Higginbotham Bros. & Co. 11-3rd

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## "Skeeter" Dope

The fisherman's friend and friend of all who desire freedom from mosquitoes.

Simply anoint exposed skin and "skeeters" stay clear.

Not disagreeably odored or sneary.

Per bottle—  
**30c**

Free Delivery

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2 Days Beginning Today



WILLIAM FOX presents  
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**CHAMPION OF LOST CAUSES**

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Stan Laurel Comedy

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Our bank is more than merely a financial institution. It renders a distinct service to the public aside from its functions as a modern BANK.

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Of Ballinger  
SINCE 1886

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TEXAS QUALIFIED  
DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

Legally  
Registered  
Pharmacist

"The druggist is first a professional man. He is also a merchant because the business of filling prescription is not of large volume and does not provide a living. The druggist is entitled to your patronage on all the merchandise he carries as he is at your service professionally 24 hours a day."

## Weeks Drug Store

Phones 12 and 13

MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

Read the League's Message in Farm and Ranch and Holland's Magazine.

# PIGGLY WIGGLY

SATURDAY SPECIALS

## Free Ice Tea

Come in and enjoy a glass of that good Folger's Ice Tea and feel refreshed. If you care to buy a can the price will be right.

## LARD

8 lb. Swift's Jewel Compound **\$1.23**

We have a few buckets of Soap left at 99c.



## Farm Bureau to Meet Here On August 6-7

The Rannels County Farm Bureau and all surrounding counties will meet in Ballinger in a district meeting for two days on August 6th and 7th. Farmers from all over West Texas will be here to attend the gathering and according to an official of the local Farm Bureau they expect to have a crowd as large as those who attended the Rannels County Fair. Farmers from Coleman, Brown, Concho, Tom Green, Taylor, Mc Cullough, Jones, and Rannels counties will gather here to hear some of the biggest speakers in the state and nation. The gathering will be held in Fair Park and accommodations will be built to take care of a place for the orators to speak to large crowds. The committee in charge of the gathering is working now on the other features of the program and it will not all be work, but some entertainment features will be added to amuse the visitors. Five such meetings are being held in the state of Texas, and it is hoped to make this the largest one. One of these meetings has already been held at Beeville and it was attended by farmers from all that section of the country and this district will have to have almost a 100 per cent turnout to beat the Beeville district. Announcement will be made concerning the remainder of the program at an early date.



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FOR RENT—Four housekeeping rooms. Mrs. Sheffy. 9-3td

FOR RENT—Desirable front room furnished. 401 Seventh Street, or phone 387. 5-tfd

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Why Europe Calls America the Land of Untold Gold  
SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., June 12.—Reports circulated here that the American state department has put its foot down on extravagant tipping by its representatives, have brought out tales of the largesse of some American millionaires when they leave the vessels that have carried them in safety across the Atlantic. It is related among steamship stewards that on one trip recently an American millionaire gave \$10 to every member of the crew of the ship on which he was travelling, and \$25 to each of the officers. His tips, it was estimated by the stewards, cost this individual \$10,000. Another passenger not long ago surprised a steward by presenting him with \$400 after a six day passage from New York to Southampton.

## WALSH TO JOIN CALLES HELPING RESERVE BANK MEXICO PULL OUT

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, June 12.—C. C. Walsh, of San Angelo, was today appointed Class C Director of the Dallas Reserve Bank and Federal Reserve Agent at Dallas to fill out the unexpired term of Lynn Talley, who has been made Governor of the bank.

Col. C. C. Walsh, of San Angelo, is well known in Ballinger and has a host of friends here who will be glad to hear of his promotion. He is president of the Central National Bank of San Angelo and has been connected with banking institutions of West Texas for many years. He has just finished serving as president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, having been elected at the meeting held in Brownwood in 1924. The appointment came as a surprise to Col. Walsh. He had endorsed Warren T. Andrews, a Dallas banker for the post, and when word came for him to come to Washington to confer with the governor of the Federal Reserve Board at the expense of the government, he thought that as he was familiar with the conditions in West Texas he was to be consulted as to who would be the best man for the place.

There were many applicants for the place, but Col. Walsh received the appointment without having solicited it himself or without even any of his friends knowing that he was being considered for the place. It is understood here that the position carries with it a salary of \$25,000 annually. Col. Walsh will join his wife at Boston, Mass., where they will visit their daughter before returning home.

High grade enlargements made from your choice kodak negatives. Bartlett Studio, W. P. Martin, Prop. 28-tfd

(By Associated Press)  
AUSTIN, June 12.—Although business in Mexico is at a virtual standstill, the Southern republic is not in a bad condition, Roberto Heberman, of Mexico City, told an Associated Press representative while on a mission to the Texas capital recently. President Calles is a courageous man and has accomplished much and accumulated the largest financial reserve Mexico has had in many years, he said.

Senor Heberman is in the Department of Commerce, Labor and Industry of the Mexican government and is in a position to give authoritative information on financial and business conditions in his country. The Mexican treasury has \$45,000,000 in reserve now and that much money taken out of circulation in Mexico means much more to the business concerns in Mexico, than it would in America, he said. Calles is courageous to follow such stringent economy and to hoard so much of the monetary wealth of the nation in the capital, Senor Heberman continued.

"We are not in the habit of handling such gigantic deals in money as American do and when \$45,000,000 is not in use in our country, it naturally has a tendency to stifle business and merchants hold off doing business," he said.

When asked what he thought of Calles as president, he said, "He is a good and brave man and has the courage of his convictions. He believes strictly in enforcing economy in his administration and has ousted, as you say, many of the government grafters." Senor Heberman expressed himself as believing the country is in a stable condition and is on an era of progress.

Ledger want ads pay.

English Expert Forecasts Radio Control of Raiders (By Associated Press)  
MANCHESTER, Eng., June 12.—Dr. L. L. S. Palmer, chief of the applied physics department of the College of Technology, Manchester, told the Manchester Missionary and Philosophical Society recently that in the next war that which was accomplished by the British in the Zeebrugge raid in 1918, could all be done by wireless.

A soldier in a dugout in England could send out a fleet of boats, said Dr. Palmer, guide the vessels by radio to a certain point, make them discharge bombs and then bring them back without airplane observation. The course of

the ships would have to be plotted upon a map, but with airplane observation a raid could be made against the enemy with great precision. The speaker explained that in controlling a torpedo aimed, for example, at a submarine, the torpedo could be seen all the time, and if it went the wrong way a tap of a key would alter its course and send it in the direction of the target.

Typewriter Ribbons 75c, all the same—think it over. Ballinger Printing Co.

A house will stay painted a few years, but a daughter won't.

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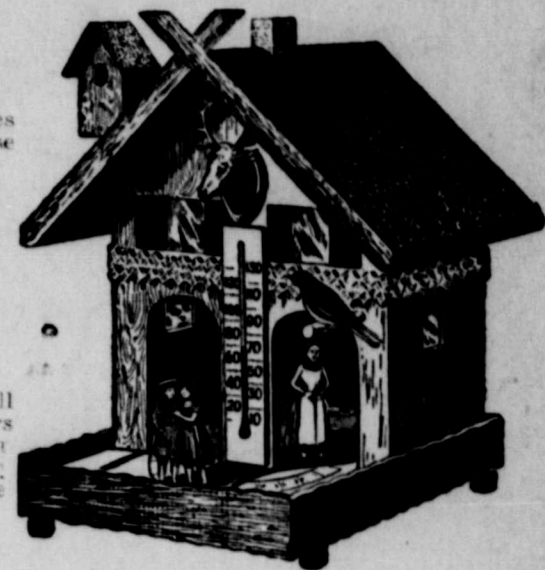
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So fast have the sales and orders for these reliable little

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come, that you will have to get yours pretty quick if you want one—and ever, home should have one. They cost only

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Made in America—Guaranteed

A quaint Hand-made Swiss Cottage Hygrometer that will warn you to take an umbrella, or when not to hang out wash.

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Good for a WEATHER PROPHET

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When the weather is fine the two children will be out, and when stormy weather is approaching, the witch will come out from 8 to 24 hours ahead of the rain or snow. An excellent gift.

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Please send to me without cost or obligation your folder explaining "A New Way to Buy a Chevrolet."

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