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LONG CARCADES WILL BRING FARMERS HERE

According to reports received here from a number of counties, carcaades consisting of from twenty to 100 automobiles, will bring visitors to the Farm Bureau Convention Thursday and Friday, the big delegations coming in a body from the respective counties nearby, while they will come in single file, in pairs and larger numbers from the more distant counties.

G. Y. Lee, secretary of the Concho County Farm Bureau, declared Tuesday that "Concho county will attend the convention strong, and we will make a strong effort to get many non-members to attend also."

Mills county announces that a train of twenty automobiles has been formed already, and it is estimated that 100 will be the minimum from that county. Two dollars per car has been set aside by the Mills County Farm Bureau to help pay for the gasoline.

Brown county is coming strong, according to reports from the Farm Bureau of that county. Coleman will perhaps compete with Taylor county for first place in point of attendance at the convention. It is expected that from 500 to 700 members from each of these counties will register at the convention.

"We are going to need all the parking and camping space we can get," said Lynn Stokes, county chairman, and Mr. Stokes qualified his statement by saying, "if it doesn't rain." The recent rains throughout the West have put the pep and spirit in the farmers and they are eager to get together and talk over plans for selling what promises to be a big cotton crop to the best advantage.

OVALO GIN IS BURNED; \$500 REWARD OFFERED

Fire destroyed the S. P. Ross gin at Ovalo about midnight Sunday night. The gin was the only one in Ovalo and was a large plant and well equipped.

It is believed that someone set the gin on fire, and a reward of \$500 has been offered for the arrest and conviction of the guilty party. Mr. Ross, owner of the gin, is not at home, and the loss could not be ascertained, but it was said the gin was one of the largest and best equipped in West Texas, being the only gin in the center of a rich farming community.

This is the second fire for Ovalo recently, most of the business houses of the town having been destroyed last May.

SAYS KLAN NOW OUT OF POLITICS

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Aug. 4.—Dr. Hiram W. Evans, Imperial Wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, today said here that the Klan question would not be an issue in the next governor's race.

Evans gave out a statement in which he said that the Klan would not put out a candidate, or take any stock in the campaign.

SAYS RATES ON STEEL TOO HIGH

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, August 4.—Freight rate reductions on iron and steel from Birmingham to the Texas Gulf ports have been held as being unreasonable by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The commission held that rates on all iron and steel were unreasonable, except the rates on ties and buckles.

GIVES BRAINS TO DOCTOR TO BENEFIT WOMAN

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, August 4.—Mrs. Helen H. Gardner, civil service commissioner, who died recently, willed her brain to Cornell University because she felt that scientists had failed to properly value of the mentality of women. Mrs. Gardner inferred that the doctors had taken the brains of a woman of low mental calibre and compared them with the best masculine brains possible to obtain.

Safety First an All Year Topic

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 4.—All year round safety work among more than 100,000 school children of Los Angeles has become an established part of accident prevention here. Formerly the teaching of safety work at public schools terminated with the starting vacation periods.

FLOOD ON RIO GRANDE SERIOUS

(By Associated Press)
EL PASO, Aug. 4.—The flood danger which has been steadily increasing for the last thirty-six hours, reached its worst aspect early today in the cotton producing valley below here. Two hundred soldiers from Fort Bliss and 1,000 workers are fighting to protect the dykes menaced by the rising waters of the Rio Grande.

Veterans of 20 Years Organize

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—Corporal H. W. Roberts Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has a condition of membership that is probably unique. No veteran is eligible unless he has served at least 20 years in the army, navy or marine corps. He must, of course, have put in part of that time in foreign territory to comply with the general requirement of the V. F. W.

THE WEATHER—

Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy.

EVOLUTION WAR GAINS STRENGTH

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Aug. 4.—The proposed fight by the Seventh Day Adventists against teaching evolution in tax supported schools of the United States is receiving the support of the fundamentalists throughout the country.

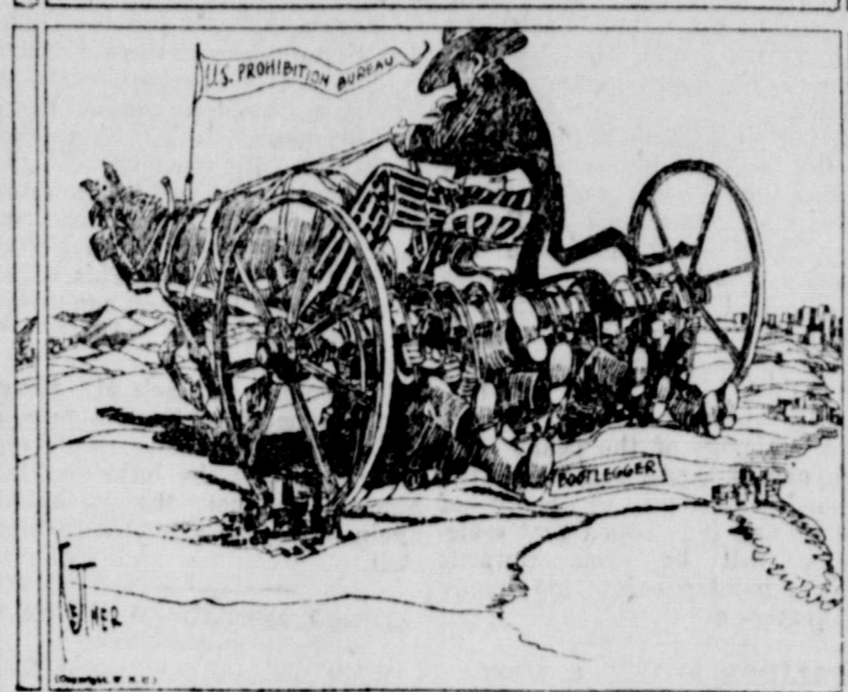
Leaders of the Adventists conference in session here declared that many messages commending their stand had been received.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MAN KILLS WIFE

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Two hours after Charles W. Clark, famous baritone, died in a theatre last night, Mrs. Clark collapsed and followed her husband in death. Both were apparently in good health.

Miss Edith Mims, of Orient, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ellis.

Raking Them In



MOVE TO REOPEN SCOTT'S MOTHER SCOPES TRIAL IS A WITNESS

(By Associated Press)
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Aug. 4.—The second attempt to remove the Scopes evolution trial to the United States courts was launched today when Dr. John R. Neal, defense attorney, filed a petition in the circuit court seeking to restrain the state's authorities from further prosecution of the case.

The petition filed today contends that the law impairs John Scopes' usefulness as a school teacher. In a statement given out by the defense attorneys the latest move enables a continuance of the fight against the law on constitutional grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Routh and daughters, Misses Evelyn and Edna, will leave Wednesday morning for an auto trip in the West. They will visit their daughter and sister at Artesia, New Mexico, and from there will go up in the mountains for a few days stay.

G. A. R. LEADER WAR BREWING ON WAVES RED FLAG GREEK FRONTIER

(By Associated Press)
UNIONTOWN, Pa., Aug. 4.—L. F. Arnsberg, national commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, telegraphed Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York today, protesting against the governor participating in the drive for the Stone Mountain Memorial.

The telegram said, "We protest against any governor approving the actions of the traitors to our government."

Jim Swift, one of the first settlers of Runnels county, is here from Eastland county for the Cow-Punchers Reunion. Mr. Swift lived at Old Runnels several years before Ballinger was placed on the map.

Misses Fannie Wilmeth, Mary-ette Smith and Edna Routh went to San Angelo Tuesday morning, where they were the guests of Miss Dunn for the day.

Making Effort to Bring Mexican Military Band Here for Celebration Sept. 14

An effort is being made to bring a seventy-two piece Mexican military band to Ballinger for the independence celebration of the Mexican citizens which will be staged here on September 14th. That date is to Mexico what July the Fourth is to the United States.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce is backing the proposition, and acting for Pablo Cadena a telegram was sent to Mexico City Tuesday requesting the band, and it is probable that a favorable reply will be forthcoming. It is expected that the appearance of the magnificent Mexican military band would bring 10,000 persons to Ballinger. The proposition would be financed by an admission charge, and the concerts would be an unusual musical feature for this city.

NORTH POLE SEEKERS SEND RADIO MESSAGE

FARM LOBOR UNION MEETING HERE ON 10-11

The Farm Labor Union of Texas will hold a two days rally and convention in Ballinger next week. The union will open its convention here August 10th and hold over the 11th.

This organization is in no way affiliated with the Farm Bureau which will hold a two-day convention here this week, but the Farm Labor Union is said to have a strong following in some sections of the state and those in charge expect a large attendance.

The local county fair board granted the Farm Labor Union permission to hold its sessions in Fair Park, and to also utilize the tourist park as camp grounds. The program for the meeting has not been announced, but it is expected that some prominent Union speakers, and leaders of the organization will be on the program.

BIG PATROL TO KEEP OUT RUM

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, August 4.—The immediate organization of a force sufficient to patrol 100 miles of boundary from the Lower Detroit River to Port Hudson, to prevent Canadian liquor and alien smuggling, was authorized today by Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews.

Gasoline Tax in Washington Builds Good Roads for State

(By Associated Press)
TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 3.—The highways of Washington have received \$6,175,300 from the state gasoline tax since Aug. 31, 1921. The tax now is two cents a gallon, having been raised from the original one cent levy. At present the yield from the tax is close to \$250,000 monthly, a sum sufficient to pave 10 miles of highway that already has been graded.

All money from the gasoline tax is used to build roads. This fund and the license fees from automobile drivers have been largely responsible for the improved highway system in the state.

W. H. Brock, of Birmingham, Alabama, is here visiting his brother, A. F. Brock. Mr. Brock says that crop conditions are pretty good in Alabama.

Mrs. Herbert Jones, of Roscoe, is here visiting relatives.

(By Associated Press)
ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, Ill., August 4.—For the first time in the history of successful transmission of radio messages to and from the Arctic region was recorded today when the McMillan expedition answered questions of newspaper men broadcast.

The expedition is located at Etah, 3700 miles North of Chicago, and within fifteen minutes sent replies to the questions, and the local station picked up the return messages distinctly. Another test will be made Wednesday night.

SEEKS RIGHT TO BUILD NEW LINE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, August 4.—The San Antonio & Aransas Pass Railroad has asked the Interstate Commerce Commission or authority to build a new railroad from Edinburg to Harlingen, Texas a distance of thirty miles. The application stated that such a line was needed to serve this section with ample shipping facilities.

Dr. H. E. Stout, president of the Texas Womans College, of Fort Worth, was the guest of Rev. E. W. Bridges, while here Monday looking after the interests of his school.

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RENEWS PLAN TO AID FARMERS

(By Associated Press)
SWAMPSCOTT, August 4.—President Coolidge will recall his agricultural conference for the purpose of mapping out a farm aid program. Congress last year presented a program to congress recommending co-operative marketing aid.

Mr. Coolidge has again determined to leave the farm problems to this body, headed by Robert D. Gary, of Wyoming.

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TEXAS IN CRYING NEED OF FEED

Because of the dry spell last planting season, most farmers in this district, and perhaps a goodly percentage of those throughout the entire state, did not plant the usual acreage of feed crops. As a result, this part of Texas will, according to authorities, scarcely produce 50 per cent of its feed requirements, unless drastic steps are taken right away to make up this deficiency.

The drastic steps necessary are to take advantage of local rains in order to plant every available acre of feed for livestock. For instance, many quickly maturing sorghums can be planted at this time. And doing so will not only save the farmer money in that he will not have to buy his feed, but it may enable him to make a profit selling feed to other farmers of the state who will be short.

The alternative, of course, is to depend solely upon cotton money to buy feed with. But that is hardly good farming because such a course of procedure is unnecessary, and besides the cotton crop itself this year is speculative.

The wise farmer never buys what he can raise himself. And it is still possible for the energetic, resourceful farmer to raise all the feed he requires by fall, or at least to cut down greatly on the amount he would otherwise have to buy.

Then, too, it is by no means certain that Texas will have a large cotton crop this year. To be sure the pessimism of last spring has mostly been converted into optimism by long overdue rains, but even so it is doubtful if there is sufficient sub-soil

BILIOUS ATTACKS

From Which Kentucky Man Suffered Two or Three Times a Month, Relieved by Black-Draught.

Lawrenceburg, Ky.—Mr. J. P. Nevins, a local coal dealer and farmer, about two years ago learned of the value of Theford's Black-Draught liver medicine, and now he says:

"Until then I suffered with severe bilious attacks that came on two or three times each month. I would get nauseated, I would have dizziness and couldn't work. I would take pills until I was worn-out with them. I didn't seem to get relief. After taking the pills my bowels would act a couple or three times, then I would be very constipated.

"A neighbor told me of Black-Draught and I began its use. I never have found so much relief as it gave me. I would not be without it for anything.

"It seemed to cleanse my whole system and make me feel like new. I would take a few doses—get rid of the bile and have my usual clear head, feel full of pep and could do twice the work."

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moisture to produce a large yield. While the crop in some sections will probably be better than normal and while prices for cotton should be good, present conditions indicate that other sections will not produce half a normal crop.

So the salvation of this district, as well as that of most of Texas, lies in producing as much feed as possible by fall to allay the threatened shortage and to make it unnecessary for a majority of Texas' farmers to buy feed elsewhere with their cotton money.

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GREED

Most of us want the world and a fence around it, and many of us are continually kicking because we can't get it.

It is a little difficult to speculate on just what would happen if the rain would fall just as we want it to fall, and every acre of cotton would produce a full crop, feed crops produce a bumper yield, and we didn't have any crop pests to contend with.

In short, what would the world come to, how would the people amuse themselves, if they had full control of their income and could draw on an unlimited bank account? Would there be as much contentment in the world as there is under our present method of making and spending?

Man may have originated from a lower animal, but if so he is a long way from the origin. Most animals are contented with their normal surroundings. Give them plenty to eat and drink and they are contented. Man is a restless being, and the more you give him the more discontented he becomes.

All Films received by 9:00 a. m. will be finished by 5:00 p. m. at Bartlett's Studio. 26-tdf

FOURTEEN PEACHES WEIGH TEN POUNDS

(By Associated Press)
PORT ARTHUR, Tex., Aug. 3.—Fourteen peaches weighing an aggregate of 10 pounds from a single tree is the picking made by Sam Weinstein, business man of this city. Diameter of the peaches ranged from two to five inches, with circumferential measurement varying from 9 to 11 inches.

Residents of Utah Object to Nicknaming of its Peaks

(By Associated Press)
SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 4.—Utah residents are aroused over chance and possibly inappropriate names bestowed upon many of the peaks and canyons in the South Utah region, which includes Zion National Park, Cedar Breaks state park and Bryce Canyon National Monument. Suggestion has been made that a commission be appointed to take up the matter with the National Geographic Board of the United States.

Report from Zion National Park is that a woman tourist while riding thru a rock creag recently remarked "This must be Purgatory Pass,"—and the name has stuck. Another instance which has created disapproval is the calling of the majestic triplet-peaks of the Three Patriarchs in Zion Park by the name of a nationally known concern.

A majority of the peaks and canyons in South region are unnamed—there are so many of them—and it is hoped that something will be done towards proper naming before too many nicknames are given.

COOLIDGE PLANS A NEW LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

(By Associated Press)
SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., Aug. 3.—President Coolidge continues his vacation by busying himself with the legislative program. Mr. Coolidge will be at Swampscott for another month or more, and quietly planning his legislative program expects to hold many conferences with party leaders.

WINTERS COUPLE WEDS IN BALLINGER

Carl Parks and Miss Emily Bailey, of Winters, were married in Ballinger Monday night. The ceremony was performed at the Methodist parsonage at 11:00 by Rev. E. W. Bridges. The lateness of the wedding hour was due to Rev. Bridges' absence from home. The Winters couple drove to the parsonage about 8:00 o'clock and found the minister gone from home. They came down and took in the carnival before completing their mission to Ballinger.

Canada in Year Increases Butter Production 13,000 Tons

(By Associated Press)
OTTAWA, Aug. 3.—Steady increase in butter production in Canada has taken place in recent years, a report of the bureau of statistics showing that 81,000 tons were manufactured in 1924, against 73,000 tons in 1923 and 68,000 tons in 1922. To this, an average of 45,000 tons a year may be added for butter made on the farms and in the homes. Imports of butter have aver-

aged 1,500 tons annually, the report says, and exports 8,500 tons, while there has been a steady increase in stocks.

Creamery butter production last year amounted to 182,161,347 pounds, an increase of 11.2 per cent over 1923.

London and Paris Orchestras Honor American Conductor

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Aug. 3.—The Pasedeloup Orchestra of Paris and the London Symphony Orchestra have paid a distinct compliment to Vladimir Shavitch, conductor of the Syracuse, N. Y., Symphony Orchestra. He was one of the guest conductors of the London orchestra this year and has been invited to conduct the orchestra again April 12, 1926. This is the first time an American conductor has been invited to repeat his visit.

Last month in Paris Mr. Shavitch conducted with great success the Lamoureux and Pasedeloup orchestras and the latter invited him to conduct the orchestra again next year after his London visit.

Tree Preservative Kills Bees

(By Associated Press)
WERDER, Germany, Aug. 3.—Millions of bees in the Werder district have been killed supposedly from chemicals sprinkled upon fruit trees. Only the insects that were near the orchards died.

See Leslie Holman for Ice Cold Watermelons. 4-3rd

Education Pays, Says Chapline



CHICAGO.—"Education is the greatest wealth producer," declared President Jesse Grant Chapline of LaSalle Extension University, in an address here. "Higher business education brought salary increases in six months totaling \$1,339,000 to 1,200 LaSalle students an average of \$1,116. The university now has 100,000 home study students. Business must have trained minds. Production of wealth is doubled in the states having the best educational systems."

French River Grows in Popularity Since Erection of the Bungalow Camps in the Highlands of Ontario



Two years ago three fine bungalow camps were built in three of the best fishing districts of Ontario. One at French River, another at Nipigon north of Lake Superior, and the third at the head of Devil's Gap, a channel of Lake of the Woods, near Kenora in western Ontario.

French River is easily accessible and has been the objective of hosts of American fishermen for many years, who braved the roughest of conditions on lack of accom-



SAMUEL W. FRANKLIN AND HIS 'SOUL-B' MUSKIE

dinner menus proves them delicious food. Pickerel, called dore in some parts of Canada, grow big in these waters, although not esteemed like the fighting bass that inhabit the swift waters of French River.

The ambitious dream of every sportsman who visits French River camp, is to land a record "musky." Many big muskellunge are caught in these waters annually. One of the biggest caught during the 1924 season, went to Samuel W. Franklin, Southern

modations, and brought back almost unbelievable tales of the exceptional fishing to be enjoyed in the maze of lakes and waterways near Georgian Bay, south of Sudbury and less than a day's journey from Toronto.

French River Bungalow Camp is situated on a 75-foot high granite eminence where the Canadian Pacific Railway crosses the French River, and just above the French River station. The river forms a bay at this point, that serves ad-

mirably as a harbor for canoe rowboats and launches. The river continues west for 16 miles and empties into Georgian Bay. In this stretch are the famous but dangerous, Recollett Falls, which must be portaged. West of the bridge stretches many miles of rapids and waterfalls, pools and little lakes, all rich in fish. Bass is the premier attraction and when the anglers come paddling in a sunset, many have 4 to 6 pounders on their strings. The

Sales Manager, Claffins Inc., New York. This big one weighed 38 1/2 lbs and was caught in two-mile bay after a fight a more than 1 1/2 hours, with a light line and tackle. A near-gale was blowing, Mr. Musky was a fighter, but human strategy won. Mr. Franklin paid out about 170 feet of line and the guide carefully beached the canoe; then Mr. Franklin began reeling in with infinite care. The guide struck the fish with a paddle and the battle was over.

HAS TIMEPIECE 200 YEARS OLD

(By Associated Press)
NOCONA, Tex., Aug. 3.—R. H. Price of Nocona, is in possession of a watch 200 years old, which was made by Smitton & Hutton in London. This ancient timepiece has been passed down in his family for generations. Although somewhat large, wound by a key and of the "chain drive" variety, it keeps good time. The watch has been on exhibition at two world fairs and will be exhibited at the Old Soldiers' Reunion here August 6, 7 and 8.

NEW PECAN BULLETIN ISSUED BY THE STATE

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Aug. 3.—George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture, has issued a new pecan bulletin, which he said is the most complete and comprehensive bulletin ever published on the subject. The bulletin was prepared by J. H. Burkett, chief of the horticultural division of the department of agriculture.

E. D. Walker, cashier of the Ballinger State Bank, is able to be in his office, after ailing for a week or ten days.

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Evaporated Milk Health Food for Babies in Hot Term, Says Expert



MRS. LEONORA Z. MEDER

CHICAGO—Mrs. Leonora Z. Meder, former head of Chicago's municipal welfare department in an address here urged settlement workers to educate the poor on the merits of evaporated milk for babies during the hot summer period.

"Much suffering results among the babies of destitute families because of lack of ice and the souring of milk," said Mrs. Meder, who is one of the leading social workers of Chicago and is well known for her "back to the land" for women" campaigns.

Specialists are unable to buy ice with which to preserve their babies' food. Others are able to buy but a little. The ice melts rapidly. Sickness and death follow for the infants.

"Tests have established the value of evaporated milk as a wholesome diet for babies. This milk which is merely market milk with 60 percent of the water removed, is sealed in sterilized cans and remains pure and fresh in the hottest weather.

"Evaporated milk aids materially in solving the hot weather problem of the poor. Its use decreases sickness and lowers the infant mortality rate."

WORK SOON ON FAIR BUILDINGS

Preliminary work to the extension program of the Runnels County Fair buildings is underway, and as soon as the Farm Bureau convention and the Farm Labor Union convention are over a crew of carpenters will begin work building new buildings which will double the capacity of the fair for staging the big annual fall show.

Work of building the causeway across the big ravine dividing the fair park proper from the new grounds acquired for the carnival and carnival concessions is already underway. Some other preliminary work is also being done and which will put the fair park in good shape for the farmers' conventions.

The building program mapped out, and which will be put under way and rushed to completion following the farmers' conventions, include the building of a sheep shed. The new shed is to be used exclusively for sheep. The doubling of the grandstand will be done, building a West wing the same size as the North wing. The duplicating of the agricultural exhibit hall. These buildings will practically double the capacity of the exhibit space for the fair. The improvements will cost between \$5,000 and \$7,000. It will be remembered that all the profits of the last fair are going back into improvements and the association has already increased its land holdings, enlarging the grounds by acquiring additional space across the ditch for carnival and show grounds.

Everybody is already talking fair, and everybody seems to be imbued with the spirit of lending a helping hand and making the fair the greatest county fair in all the country. Prospects are very flattering for the 1925 exhibition and fall fair. The entertainment program committee has been a busy body and has a good line of attractions booked and exhibitors are storing away their fruits and field products and preparing to take the blue ribbons.

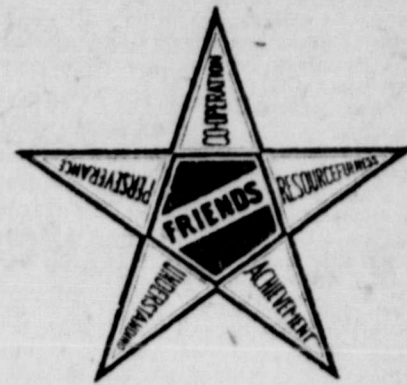
Buy your cold melons from Leslie Holman at the Ice Plant, 4-3td

County Attorney C. P. Shepherd, who is chaperoning a party of tourists through Colorado and over the Rocky Mountains, sends The Ledger a picture post card with the information that the Ballinger party is faring well. The postal bears the picture of the Broadmoor Hotel, Colorado Springs, and penciled in the space for correspondence Mr. Shepherd says, "Not stopping here—just picking my teeth in the lobby. Arrived here Friday; lost two half days on account of the rain. Cold here. Dr. Douglass is wearing overcoat. Was in earthquake at Dallart." Mr. Shepherd and family left Ballinger for Colorado on July 28th. According to the card they reached Colorado Springs on July 31st, making the trip in four days with loss of two half days.

Dr. F. M. Hale is able to hop down town on his crutches, but it will be some time before he can run in high gear again. Dr. Hale was stricken ill while on his vacation and spent seven weeks in a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hazlett, of the Weeks Drug Store, left Tuesday morning for their vacation. They will visit at different points in the state, but Mr. Hazlett says he cannot venture over the Rio

Grande on account of having the Mrs. with him.



What is Thrift?

The true definition of Thrift is to spend a little less than you earn; to live simply, work diligently, spend judiciously; save consistently.

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WOMAN'S FIGHT FOR YOUTH, FILM THEME

A woman's fight for youth and for the love of a young man many years her junior is the basic theme of "One Way Street," an emotion-stirring photoplay which has been booked for showing at the Queen Theatre Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

The picture is an adaptation of Peale Davis' sensational novel, which topped the lists of best sellers for a considerable time. Produced by First National and directed by John Francis Dillon, who guided the destinies of "Flaming Youth," the picture is a co-featuring vehicle for Anna Q. Nilsson and Ben Lyon.

Lyon, who rose to film fame in Colleen Moore's "Flaming Youth," will be seen in the part of an American youth who becomes a pawn in the hands of an English noblewoman.

Miss Nilsson enacts the role of Lady Sylvia Hutton, who, in her quest for youth, almost wrecks the business and social career of the young man she chooses to share her daring adventures.

The supporting cast includes Marjorie Daw, Lumsden Hare,

Mona Kingsley, Thomas Holding and Dorothy Cumming.

Hale Hamilton in Cast of "The Manicure Girl" at Potosho Enter a new movie "villain" in the form of Hale Hamilton. Hale plays the role of a rich married man, who falls in love with Bebe Daniels in her latest picture. "The Manicure Girl," the Paramount picture, which closes a two-day run at the Potosho Theatre tonight.

This villain is different in that he does not chase her around his bachelor apartment with a wild look in his eye or the key to the door in his pocket. On the contrary, he really believes himself in love with her until she proves his wife still holds first place in his heart.

Dorothy Cumming and Mary Foy also have important roles in the cast of "The Manicure Girl." The story is an original for the screen. Frank Tuttle directed.

"Pampered Youth" Shows American Life, at Queen

"Pampered Youth," which closes at the Queen Theatre tonight, is a clean American picture depicting the life of a youth who has been catered to and spoiled. He goes on unscathed until he brings his family to poverty. The action includes a spectacular fire sequence, a thrilling horse race and a sensational runaway.

The cast includes Alice Calhoun, Cullen Landis, Allan Forrest, Wallace MacDonald, Ben Alexander, Charlotte Merriam.

The story is an adaptation of Booth Tarkington's Pulitzer prize novel, "The Magnificent Ambersons."

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Undertaker Jennings of Higginbotham Bros. & Co., was called to Crews Sunday to bury the remains of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jeffries. The baby died Saturday at the Jeffries home in the Crews community, and was buried in the Crews cemetery Sunday.

Mrs. George Wilkins, of Dallas, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Weeks.

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Don't take calomel! It can not be trusted any more than a leopard or a wild cat. Take Doan's Liver Tonic which straightens you right up and makes you feel fine. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not salivate.

MILES PERSONALS

Special to The Ledger:
MILES, Aug. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. George Wood and baby of Cleburne, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Beaver.

B. C. McGregor and son, Adrian, returned Saturday from Killeen, where they had been with relatives since the death of Mrs. McGregor.

Mrs. Elbert Natt and children returned Saturday from Spur, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Graves and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graves returned Thursday from points in Louisiana, where they visited relatives.

Miss Norene Beaver returned Saturday from San Angelo where she visited Miss Fay Mae.

B. J. Hudson has returned to his home at San Angelo after spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Graves.

Miss Lillian Morgan of Brown county, and Mrs. John Ramsel and baby, Nomis, of Ballinger, visited friends in Miles Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pfleger and two daughters, of Rowena, were visitors in Miles Monday.

The Baptist revival closed Sunday night, after a two weeks run. Rev. A. H. Clark, of Cuero, had charge of the preaching and W. D. Jennings directed the choir.

Aspirants for membership were baptized at 10:30 Monday morning in the Concho River near the Will Voss farm.

Rev. Clark left Monday morning for his home.

Sweden to Expedite Mail to Foreign Nations
GOTHENBURG, Aug. 1.—The recent opening of Gothenburg's new postoffice will enable American mail for Sweden and other Northern European points to be handled more expeditiously. The new building is regarded as one of the best for its purpose in Europe. It is five stories high and cost \$2,274,000.

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LEAF WORMS IN COTTON FIELDS

County Agent C. W. Lehman reports that considerable complaint is reaching his office about the leaf worm attacking cotton in this county. Especially is this true where the best cotton is growing, and where the greatest amount of rainfall has been reported, the agent states. Farmers report that leaf worms are showing up in some fields in a threatening way. Mr. Lehman advises the farmers to use precaution and be prepared, and he issued the following statement Tuesday, together with a remedy for fighting the leaf worm pest: "The leaf worm is here and the fight is on. We feel that a word of timely warning, in urging the farmers to make a thorough investigation of their fields and to get ready to fight the worms in the early stage of the game may mean a great deal towards saving a good cotton crop."

"When the worms appear in destructive numbers, dusting with the proper arsenicals will control them."

"The following arsenicals for dry dusting are recommended by the Department of Agriculture:

No. 1. Calcium Arsenate (undiluted) 5 pounds to the acre.
No. 2. Dry arsenate of lead, 3 pounds; hydrated lime, 3 pounds.

No. 3. Paris green, 1 1/2 lbs.; hydrated lime, 4 pounds. Paris green applied in dust form is effective but is apt to burn the foliage and should be used with great caution. London purple is of the same nature, and if used at all, should be used in the same proportion as Paris green. It also has a tendency to burn the plants. White arsenic is very unsafe to use on account of the danger of burning.

Liquid Sprays
Where spraying is preferred the following arsenicals should be used:

Lead arsenate, 2 pounds; hydrated lime, 2 pounds; water, 50 gallons

or—
Calcium arsenate (undiluted), 2 pounds; water 50 gallons

or—
Paris green, 1 1/2 pounds; hydrated lime, 2 pounds; water, 50 gallons.

"Inasmuch as there are from three to seven generations of the leaf worm annually farmers should make every effort to destroy the first brood. If this is done the following generations can much more easily be controlled."

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Mr. and Mrs. George McCulley who had been here visiting Mrs. McCulley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skinner, left for Brownwood Tuesday morning.

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15TH ROUND-UP EX-COW BOYS

Ballinger presented the scene of a home-coming of the pioneer cow-punchers Tuesday afternoon, when the old timers began to gather here to go to the camp ground in the L. P. Wood pasture, East of Old Runnels, for the annual round-up of the Ex-Open Range Cow Punchers Association.

Tuesday night will be spent around the camp, where the pioneer cow men will stage a regular old time gathering of cowboys, minus some of the pre-Volstead refreshments. The members will live over the days when this country was open range and when buffaloes roamed the

prairies like cattle. Wednesday the early settlers and their families will meet for a barbecue in the Wood pasture, and the business session will be held, at which time officers will be elected and business of the association transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Graf left in their auto Tuesday morning for Shawnee, Oklahoma, in response to a message announcing the death of the wife of Mr. Graf's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison and grandson, of Lampasas, are visiting Mrs. W. S. Anderson and other relatives.

Joe Huffman has purchased a lot on Broadway, South of the Nicholson home and is perfecting plans for the construction of a new home at an early date.

Miss Allie, Ada and Hattie Love, of Florence, Texas, arrived Tuesday and are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Love.

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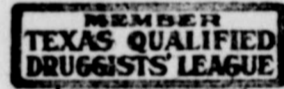
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