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COL. MITCHELL WILL TESTIFY

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The special board appointed by President Coolidge to inquire into the aircraft situation, met and perfected its organization today. Dwight Morrow, financier of New York, was chosen as chairman of the board, and the work of taking testimony will begin at once.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—Col. William Mitchell, the stormy petrel of the air controversy, probably will be the chief witness before the naval court which is to investigate the wrecking of the naval airship Shenandoah.

It will be the purpose of the court to ask him to substantiate his published charges that the accident was the direct result of incompetency, criminal negligence and almost treasonable administration of the national defense by the navy and war departments.

NEW GROCERY STORE TO OPEN OCT. FIRST

S. H. Daugherty, George Kerley and Walter Bigby have leased the Fo-to-sho Theatre building on Eighth Street, and will begin at once to put in fixtures and lay in a stock of groceries. They expect to be ready to open for business by October 1st.

H. T. Hodge recently purchased this building from S. A. B. Hamilton, and the picture show which has been operating in it has been discontinued. Mr. Hodge will move the picture show fixtures out at once.

Daugherty & Kerley are both experienced grocery men, both having been engaged in that line of business in Ballinger for many years. Until a few months ago Mr. Daugherty's last activities in the grocery line were with the Jeanes Co. He sold his stock in that company, and has been taking a rest and prospecting. Mr. Kerley has been associated with different grocery firms in Ballinger since a boy. He was manager of the grocery department of Higginbotham Bros. & Co. up to a few months ago when that firm retired from the grocery business. Mr. Bigby is a Runnels county boy, being the son of John Bigby. He has been with the Walker-Smith Co. for some time.

BIG ENROLLMENT AT A.&M. COLLEGE

(By Associated Press)
COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Sept. 17.—A new high enrollment record at A. & M. College for its 50th annual session was indicated by the matriculation yesterday and today. Yesterday 625 new students registered, and all last year students were registering today.

FATHER KILLED; SON SURRENDERS

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Sept. 17.—James Bond, charged with murder in connection with the shooting of his father, A. C. Bond, age 56, at his home near here yesterday, was bound over to await the action of the Travis county grand jury on a \$300 bond today. The shooting came as the result of an alleged attack by the elder Bond on his son Robert, age 14, and threats against his wife. James Bond appeared at the court house here a few minutes after the shooting, accompanied by his mother, and told the officers, "Arrest me—I had to shoot my father."

CONVENTION TO RESUME WORK

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 17.—Chester Johnson, state fire marshal of Alabama, was elected president of the Fire Marshalls' Association of North America, to replace Stacy Wade, of North Carolina, at the semi-final session of the organization's convention today.

J. J. Timmins, state fire marshal of Texas, was elected vice-president.

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 17.—Returning today from a trip to the Rio Grande valley and Matamoros, Mexico, the delegates to the Insurance Commissioners and Fire Marshalls convention went again to their formal sessions of programs and addresses which will be completed today.

The presentation of recommendations and election of officers is scheduled for tomorrow.

IMPROVES BARBER SHOP

M. D. Buster, of Llano; and Ray Bldsoe, of Winters; have accepted positions with the Thomas Barber Shop and are now on the job. Mr. Thomas recently had his entire shop worked over and added another chair, making it a four-chair shop. Both the two new men are experienced barbers and will be glad to meet the people of Ballinger.

LAUNCHES WAR ON PEDDLERS

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce is distributing cards in Ballinger, the cards being designed for hanging on the front door, or posting on the front porch, and says, "Notice to Peddlers: Agents and order takers for merchandise not desired. We don't need your goods. Ballinger merchants carry complete stocks and we trade at home."

On the reverse side of the card is a letter to Mrs. Housewife, which says: "Dear Madam: We want to courteously bring to your attention the fact that we are all interested in building Ballinger. In presenting you with this card we do not wish to leave the impression that we are running your affairs."

"Every dollar sent out of this city for merchandise (not garden or farm products) thru peddlers—to firms not interested here—cuts down the ability of our merchants to pay their rent, to advertise Ballinger, to bring conventions here, to support our charitable institutions, our schools, our churches and our homes."

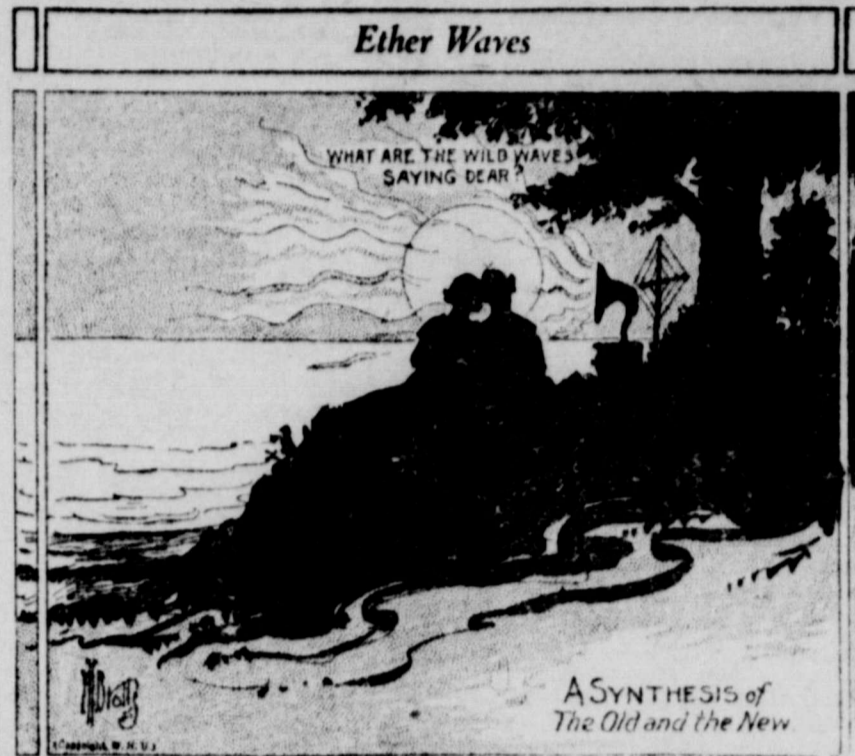
"Tests have demonstrated that a dollar circulates twenty times within a community during a year. The dollar sent away moves once and never returns."

"Let us consider the matter calmly and sanely. Your merchant can get you the goods you want if he does not have them in stock. His prices and quality meet those of other places. In fairness to your city and yourself we earnestly ask that you use him."

"Welcome the salesman from an established Ballinger concern."

The letter is signed by the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, which is constantly working for the best interests of Ballinger.

Often women complain that peddlers are a nuisance to them, calling at all hours of the day, and there have been cases where peddlers were insulting in their insistence and efforts to show their goods and present the proposition which they represented. If the women of the city are sincere in their complaints about peddlers, one of the cards being issued by the Chamber of Commerce will aid in warning the peddler that he is not wanted.



ARABS BURN MANY AMERICAN CHURCHES

DEATH SENTENCE FOR HI-JACKERS

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Joseph Holmes and Jack Woods, who a few weeks ago, invaded the Drake Hotel and staged a pistol battle in an attempted hold-up, were convicted today by a jury on charges of murdering Frank Brodkey, the hotel cashier. The two men were given the death penalty.

MEXICAN SLAYS CITY DETECTIVE

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Sept. 17.—E. C. Chevez, Mexican city detective here, was fatally wounded today in a fight with another Mexican against whom charges of murder were filed.

Only two more weeks to get your chance for the free Rocking Chair at the Necessity Shop. 17-31d

MANY NEW FACES IN LOCAL SCHOOL

A test in the Ballinger high school Thursday morning disclosed the fact that there are many new faces in the local schools.

All those in the high school who are enrolled in the Ballinger schools for the first time were asked to stand, and forty-four students stood up.

This test was only made in the high school department, and no doubt the other departments will show many new faces in the school.

The new pupils enrolled in the high school represent members of new families in Ballinger, or are students from rural districts and neighboring towns who have come to Ballinger for the benefit of the schools, and are spending the school term here.

With the big improvement in accommodations here by the construction of the new building and the adding of a number of subjects, the enrollment within another year will no doubt show a still larger increase.

The rural graded schools throughout the country are turning out hundreds of children who are eager to finish the high school course in order to make their way to college, and the towns which maintain the best high schools will attract many pupils from the rural districts from year to year.

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—A holy war has been declared by the Druses and Arabs against the French government, and has resulted in the destruction of American schools and churches in Hauren and Syria, says a dispatch from Jerusalem which was received at the headquarters of the Near East Relief.

BAGDAD, Iraq, Sept. 17.—Advices to the Exchange Telegraph Company's correspondent here, say that eighty more Christian refugees have arrived at Seakho from the Foyan district. Most all of those arriving are in a destitute condition. It is estimated that 8,000 Goyan Christians have been forcibly turned out of their homes by the Turks.

PRIVATE SCHOOL—Anyone interested in sending their child to private primary school, phone Mrs. Harry Lynn or Mrs. R. T. Williams. 17d

Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Swindell returned home Wednesday afternoon from Fort Worth, where they had been to attend an executive meeting of the Baptist Church workers.

Be wise and advertise.

250 PUPILS TO STUDY BIBLE

More than 200 children reported at the various churches of the city Wednesday morning to be enrolled in the Bible study classes, and it was indicated that more than 250 would be enrolled at the next class period which is next Wednesday morning at 8:45.

The time Wednesday morning was taken up in organization, outlining of course of study, etc. Practically all the churches have organized a faculty for handling the work, and those which have not perfected plans will do so by the next class period. On account of the absence of the pastor, Dr. Alvin Swindell, the class at the Baptist church was not organized, but about fifty children reported, and the class will be organized by next Wednesday.

The children are showing a keen interest in the new course of study, and it is believed that it will prove very successful. The success of the work now depends on the ability of the churches to furnish the teachers, and provide the course of study. The churches launched the movement, and can not afford to fail to make the best use of it. Properly carried out the Bible study class should prove beneficial to the life of the Sunday schools and churches, as well as assist the pupils in their educational work.

BOARD FIRES DR. THOMPSON

(By Associated Press)
NEWARK, Sept. 17.—Dr. John Thompson, a physician at the Overbrook Hospital, was discharged today by the Essex county board of free holders, who had held him responsible for the escape of Harrison Noel, self-confessed murderer and kidnapper. Thompson has refused to resign and had threatened a suit in connection with the board's finding.

BAPTISMAL SERVICE

Rev. Alvin Swindell announces that he will have a baptismal service Saturday at 4:30 p. m. at the Coneho River, for a few of the new members recently received in the Baptist revival who prefer to be baptized in the river. The service will be held at Sims' dam, about three miles above the Paint Rock bridge. The pastor states that any of the new members may be baptized at that time if they so desire. All the others will be baptized at the Baptist church Sunday night. About ninety persons have been approved for baptism.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger.

LISTENING IN
Calls for new batteries.
A dark room dreams of pretty lighting fixtures.
Dirty clothes cry for a Mola washing machine.
Wrinkled garments beg for a Simplex iron.
They're down at—
EVERITT ELECTRIC CO.
115 S. 8th St. Phone 197

CLOSES GATES AGAINST TEXAS

(By Associated Press)
BATON ROUGE, La., Sept. 17.—A quarantine against all products originating in Texas and designed for shipment, except cotton and cottonseed raised in the non-infected foot and mouth disease area, was established today by Dr. E. P. Flower, executive officer of the Louisiana Live-stock Sanitary Board.

ROLLS READY, TAXES PAYABLE OCTOBER 1

The commissioners court has approved the 1925 tax rolls and turned them over to Tax Collector Brown, but Mr. Brown will not be ready to issue tax receipts until October 1st. The law provides that taxes for the current year cannot be paid until October 1st.

Headquarters for All School
Boys and Girls
**Ready For
School**
Make sure your child can keep pace with the rest by giving him the advantage of the proper—
School Supplies
Fountain Pens \$1.00 and up.
Erasers, Pencils, Tablets,
**J. Y. Pearce
Drug Co.**
Rulers, Laboratory Books
and Fillers

SPECIAL SPECIAL
Beginning Monday, September 21st there will be an expert Permanent Waver
AT THE IDEAL BARBER SHOP
giving permanent waves at \$15.00
All work will be absolutely guaranteed by the Russell Beauty Shop of San Angelo, Texas.
MISS HELEN PITTMAN, Operator
Make appointments now for Monday and all next week by Telephoning 134.
Over 300 permanent waves in and around San Angelo.

RADIO
It is with pride we announce that we have been selected as the authorized dealer for the following Nationally known and advertised radio sets:
**ATWATER KENT
CHAS. FRESHMAN
DAY-FAN**
We also carry a complete line of RADIOLA SETS, as well as all equipment for any make of set.
We are one of the oldest RADIO DEALERS in West Texas and are thoroughly qualified to discuss your RADIO problems with you.
See us before you buy as we have a most interesting proposition.
**EVERYTHING FOR THE RADIO
BALLINGER ELECTRIC CO.**
NEXT DOOR TO HALL HARDWARE CO.

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Some of these folks who distribute litter on the streets of Ballinger seem to be making themselves thoroughly at home.

If some of the students would get up on their toes in their school work like they do in dancing, better grades would show up on the score cards.

Formerly the boys assured the safety of the girls by seeing them home, but in many cases now, the girls would be safer to go home alone.

The morality of this country cannot be what it should be as long as the law prohibits teaching of the Bible in public schools and permits the distribution of immoral literature through the mails.

San Angelo citizens have been asked to put up a bonus of \$25,000 for a new hotel. The day of bonus giving, even for railroads, is a thing of the past. A private project that does not promise returns to investors should not be encouraged.

The most dangerous violation of the traffic law is speeding, and it is the one most commonly abused and least enforced. Arrests are made for running without lights, without license numbers, or with cut-outs open, while speeders go unarrested.

CONSTITUTION DAY

One hundred and thirty-eight years ago today, Thursday, September 17, the constitution upon which the government of this country is founded was adopted, and in keeping with the importance of that event the day has been set apart as Constitution Day.

The day is being fittingly observed in some cities and communities throughout the country, and well it should, for there is a growing lack of respect, due somewhat to ignorance and perhaps more largely to common cussedness on the part of the bolshevik foreign element which has been grasping at the throat of our society for several years. It will be recalled that at the time of the death of William Jennings Bryan a convention of I. W. W. followers was in session in California. The delegates assembled in that convention cheered when it was announced in the convention hall that Mr. Bryan was dead.

More recently the attorney for the I. W. W., in an address, stood up on his hind legs and stated that a demand would be made that the murderers who shot down American Legion men in a demonstration be released from prison, and a sum of money was immediately raised to bring about their release.

With such organizations at work in fair America it is high time that a day be set apart in observance of the event when the constitution of the greatest country in the world was adopted. Every school in the land should pause for a time, and

the teachers should require the children to read the constitution, and its preambles and bill of rights discussed before the coming generation.

YOU MUST QUIT YOUR JAY WALKING

For the benefit of the public and for the safety of human life, the city has marked off safety zones for pedestrians at the intersections of the principal streets in the business district, and will put an end to jay-walking in Ballinger.

It should not be necessary to pass a law to force people to do for themselves what is best for them, but if the public does not comply with the rule and quit jay-walking in Ballinger, an ordinance will be passed and those crossing the streets will be forced to cross at the proper place.

Walk within the lines marked off from corner to corner, and then if you are run over by an auto you will at least have a right to kick, if you are not past kicking. But if you are run over while jay-walking, don't blame anyone but yourself.

Cut out your jay-walking at home and then when you visit a city where the law is enforced you will not act like you are from the country.

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating the admission of Shows known as Street Carnivals into the city of Ballinger and regulating the giving of medicine and other shows, and fixing penalties for violation thereof.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger:

SECTION I

It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person or persons to show or exhibit within the corporate limits of the city of Ballinger, Texas, any show or aggregation of shows, commonly known and called a Carnival or Street Carnival, with the exception that any such show or aggregation of shows known as a Carnival or Street Carnival may exhibit within the inclosed area in the county Fair Grounds, which has been set apart and designated by the Runnels County Fair Association for that purpose, and then only with the permission and under the auspices of the said Runnels County Fair Association.

It shall hereafter be unlawful for any Medicine Show, sleight of hand, Punch and Judy, curios, peep shows, animal or reptile exhibitions to be shown or exhibited on any public street, alley, or by-way within the corporate limits of the city of Ballinger, Texas. Provided, however, that nothing in this Ordinance shall effect or apply to Stock Companies playing in repertoire, which may, upon paying all legal license fees, exhibit any such show upon private grounds within the city limits but in no event shall any such show or any other show, exhibition, attraction, musical, animal or reptile exhibition, circus, or other like exhibition be allowed to use the public streets within the corporate limits of this city.

SECTION II

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

SECTION III

Any person or persons or any officer, agent, servant, or employee of any corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

The fact that our streets are now congested with traffic which is increasing from day to day, and that the exhibitions and shows above denounced are as a general rule detrimental to public morals and public health and safety of the citizens of this city, creates an imperative necessity, and all rules requiring the reading of an Ordinance more than one time before final passage are hereby expressly suspended, and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval, and publication.

Passed and approved this 8th day of September, 1925.

(Seal)
S. B. RABY, Mayor.
Attest:
J. R. LUSK,
City Secretary.

d-10-17-24

Ledger want ads pay.

WELL ONE DAY IN BED THREE

That Was the Life of Mrs. Hollister Until she Began Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Wyandotte, Michigan. — "After my baby was born I did not do my own work for six months and could hardly take care of my own baby. I always had a pain in my right side and it was so bad I was getting round shoulders. I would feel well one day and then feel so bad for three or four days that I would be in bed. One Sunday my mother came to see how I was, and she said a friend told her to tell me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. So the next day I got a bottle and before it was half taken I got relief. After I was well again I went to the doctor and he asked me how I was getting along. I told him I was taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and he said it did not hurt any one to take it. I am always recommending the Vegetable Compound to others and I always have a bottle of it on hand." — Mrs. HENRY HOLLISTER, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 7, Wyandotte, Mich.

SOMEBODY IS OVER-LOOKING A GOOD BET

Earl Morley, manager of the West Texas Utilities Company, says that some lady in Ballinger is overlooking a good bet, and \$25 in cash is waiting for some Ballinger lady at the office of the utilities company.

The utilities company recently put up a cash prize of \$25 to the lady who would write the best ten reasons why a Thor Washing Machine should be in the home. So far only two ladies have sent in reasons. The time limit for sending in your reasons expires on October 1st.

Many good reasons could be offered why an electric washing machine should be installed in the home to do the family washing. The West Texas Utilities Co. will furnish the ladies with

advertising matter about the Thor machine, if they will call at the office of the company on Eighth Street.

With only two answers so far filed, it will be easy for some lady to win the \$25 cash. Get your reasons together and send them in before the first

BETHEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jones and family, of Sweetwater, spent the week-end with Mr. Jones' brother, W. M. Jones, and family.

Miss Vera Shelburn left Saturday in response to a message from her sister, Mrs. Lillie Mae Allison, of Eastland, saying the children were ill. Miss Shelburn left at once to be with them.

Miss Veda Greenhill is spending a few days with Mrs. Campbell of Hatchel.

Miss Edna Simmons spent the week-end with Misses Nellie and Thelma Bigby of Ballinger.

Rev. C. A. Easkin filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Saturday night and Sunday.

Everybody is invited to attend the singing school at Bethel under the direction of Prof. U. S. Daniel. The school begins Monday night, Sept. 14th, and will continue through the week.

Lewie White, who had been visiting friends and relatives for some time, returned to his home at Paducah, Texas, Sunday.

The B. Y. P. U. met Sunday afternoon and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Lee White, president; R. D. Goodwin, vice-president and chorister; Miss Annie Shelburn, secretary; Lewie Seales, treasurer; Mrs. Lee White, pianist; Albert Koenig and Miss Irene Seales, captains; George Killam, quiz leader. The Bethel folks aim to put the B. Y. P. U. "over the top." Everyone invited to meet with them at 7:00 o'clock Sunday

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While in San Angelo Stop at the Tourist Inn.
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THE FUNCTION
that the funeral director performs is a delicate one — a service hard to render, yet absolutely necessary. He must be thoughtful and considerate, systematic and thorough — a silent but competent manager. We offer reasonable rates, and are able to render the best service that modern equipment and professional experience can furnish. We make an especial feature of service to clubs, churches, and similar institutions.

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You Get Both When You Come to Us.

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Insure Your Cotton
under blanket policy that will take care of your needs during the season.

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SINCE 1911

MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

Legally Registered Pharmacist

With the coming of cooler weather comes the desire for candy. We are agents for Johnston's Candies. This candy is always fresh because we receive shipments twice a week or oftener.

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.

FOR THE BEST
CLEANING and PRESSING
ONE DAY SERVICE
Phone 146
WE WILL APPRECIATE A SHARE
OF YOUR PATRONAGE
THE CITY TAILORS
D. R. Hill J. L. Clark



FOOTBALL TICKET \$1.75 FOR SEASON

The football team of the Ballinger high school will stage a season ticket sale and every fan and everybody else who is interested in football should secure as many tickets as they will need. The price for the season ticket will only be \$1.75, with a guarantee of at least five home games with possibly six or seven. This guarantee of five home games includes the Armistice Day game with Sweetwater and the Thanksgiving game with Winters. This is a very low price for five games and it is very likely that six games will be played here for which the season ticket will be good.

The following games have already been scheduled for the local highs to be played here:

- Eden vs. Ballinger, Sept. 19
- Clyde vs. Ballinger, October 2
- Santa Anna vs. Ballinger, October 16

Sweetwater vs. Ballinger, November 11 (Armistice Day)

Winters vs. Ballinger, November 26 (Thanksgiving)

The following games will be played away from home:

- Ballinger vs. Sonora, Sept. 25
- Ballinger vs. Merkel, Oct. 23
- Ballinger vs. Menard, Oct. 30

A game will be played with Coleman, but at present the place has not been decided. The game will be played either in Coleman or Ballinger on November 6th. November 20th is still open and a game will probably be arranged for that date.

Eden will be here Saturday afternoon for the first game of the season. The local team has been doing some hard and intensive training for the past three weeks and will be in excellent condition for an early game. Everybody is urged to attend this first game and it will do much to increase the enthusiasm of the local school athletics. Get a season ticket for yourself and family and don't miss a game.

Married Woman Eats Only Bread and Milk

"I could eat only bread and milk, everything else soured and formed gas. Since taking Adlerika I can eat anything without causing gas," (signed) Mrs. J. B. Manning. ONE spoonful Adlerika removes GAS and often brings astonishing relief to the stomach. Stops that full, bloated feeling. Excellent for obstinate constipation, often removing surprising amounts of old waste-matter you never thought was in your system. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

L. Overman, of Winters, was looking after business in Ballinger Wednesday.

Ledger want ads pay

QUEEN Theatre

LAST DAY TO SEE—

The star says it's her greatest part.



with JACK PICKFORD and a notable cast.



ALSO COMEDY

WILL GOOD DIES AT BRONTE WEDNESDAY

Undertaker Jennings, of Higginbotham Bros. & Company, was called to Bronte Wednesday to prepare for burial the body of Will Good, who died at that place at 7:00 a. m. Wednesday morning. Mr. Good had been in bad health for some time.

The deceased was 53 years of age, and had been living in West Texas most of his life. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, and that order conducted the funeral services which was held at Bronte at 3:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Good had many friends, especially among the early settlers of this country, who will be grieved to hear of his death.

HAY FEVER VICKS VAPORUB

If you can't "get away," ease the attacks with VICKS VAPORUB

Overs 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

CITY PROVIDING A MARKETING SQUARE

The city is graveling the street between Seventh and Eighth streets on Strong Avenue in front of the City Wagon Yard, and putting it in shape to be used as a market square. This street is not travelled much, and for several years has been the center of attraction on horse trading day. As soon as the street is gravelled, the mud holes filled in, and everything put in shape, cotton wagons, watermelon wagons, and in fact all peddling wagons will be prohibited within the zone covered by the law recently passed. The law as applying to produce wagons will not be enforced until the market square is put in shape.

Heal Those Sore Gums. If you suffer from Sore Gums, Bleeding Gums, Loose Teeth, Foul Breath, or from Pyorrhea in even its worst form, we will sell you a bottle of Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy and guarantee it to please you or return money. This is different from any other treatment, and results are certain.

Sold by Strain Drug Co.



We Fit All

Tall Men, Short Men, Stout Men, Thin Men, all can be suited and satisfied in Clothes Tailored to Measure by M. Born & Company.

That's why BORN makes more clothes to measure than any other tailoring organization in the world.

PATRONIZE YOUR LOCAL DEALER

JUST ARRIVING

New fall and winter samples and goods are arriving daily. You will find our stock of high-class men's furnishings complete in every detail for your fall and winter needs.

Thorp & Cohen

SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS

Curtis Reese left Monday for Lubbock, where he will attend Texas Tech.

Miss May Boyer, of Abilene, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Caswell Tuckey, of near Crews, visited Mrs. Tuckey and other relatives Sunday, at the home of Mrs. Hettie Gadberrry.

Miss Wynis Greer will teach school at South Ward until Mrs. Henry Leach is able to teach.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leach visited Mrs. Leach's parents at Eldorado the last of the week. Mrs. Leach became ill and was unable to return home for a few days. We hope Mrs. Leach will be able to return home soon.

Miss Eula Key wishes to announce that the South Ballinger Club will not meet next Tuesday, Sept. 22nd, because Miss Key will have to be in Abilene on that date. The club will meet next time at the regular meeting date.

"BLUE BONNET"

FOR OVER 40 YEARS

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh. It consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus reducing the inflammation. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE as a Blood Purifier gives wonderful results. All drug stores.

Rev. R. B. Twitty returned from Brownwood Wednesday, where he went to attend public meetings held in that city.

V. B. LEONARD Violinist

Ballinger Studio Opens Sept 7 Address Box 292 San Angelo

SCHOOL STARTS SOON

GET THE CHILDREN A

FOUNTAIN PEN



Free Delivery 234 - Telephone - 234

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DR. F. M. HALE, M. D. General Practice Special Attention Given to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses Properly Fitted. Office F. & M. Bank Bldg.



ARTISTIC AND SIMPLE BOBBING

Bobbing is indeed an art these days—it must be done right. And the correct kind of hair-dressing can only be performed by experienced hands—such as we employ.

Our skilled hobs are simple enough to bring out the beautiful contours of your head—yet they are cut in so artistic a manner that the latest styles of head dress are carried out in extravagant form.

THOMAS' BARBER SHOP

8th Street

NEW TOP ON COURT HOUSE

As a part of the repair work being made on the court house, a new roof is being placed on the building. Painters and carpenters have been at work making new the interior of the building and making important changes. The bar has been set back, making more room for the attorneys, and the building repainted throughout. New seats are being installed, and the court room will present a new appearance when district court convenes here next week.

NEVER BE WITHOUT IT for it immediately eases sudden, severe, colicky pains and cramps in stomach and bowels, deadly nausea and weakening diarrhoea. For children and grown-up use

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC and DIARRHOEA REMEDY

A very necessary home remedy.

Attention, School Children—have you seen the Cedar Chest in the window at the Necessity Shop? 17-3rd

Be wise and advertise.

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Theatres

Nazimova Starred in First National Picture "My Son"

The Nazimova of "War Brides" and "Revelation" flames again before the cameras in Edwin Carewe's production of "My Son," the first National picture which opened yesterday at the Queen Theatre, where it closes tonight.

The Russian actress transcends even her fine work in "Madonna of the Streets," and gives a performance that for sheer artistry and perfection of technique stands alone in the cinema field. Besides Nazimova, "My Son" boasts of the presence of Jack Pickford, Hobart Bosworth, Constance Bennett, Mary Akin, Ian Keith, Charley Murray and Dot Farley, all of whom give splendid performances.

The settings, by John D. Schulze, furnish picturesque atmosphere.

Mrs. J. W. Black returned from a visit to her sister at Fort Stockton Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Black went to San Angelo to meet her.

BILIOUSNESS

Retired Minister Tells How He Keeps in Good Form With the Assistance of Black-Draught.

West Graham, Va.—The Rev. Lewis Evans, a well-known retired minister, now past 80, living here, has a high opinion of Black-Draught, which he says he has taken when needed, for 25 years. "For years I had been suffering with my liver," he says. "Sometimes the pain would be very intense and my back would hurt all the time. Black-Draught was the first thing I found that would give me any relief."

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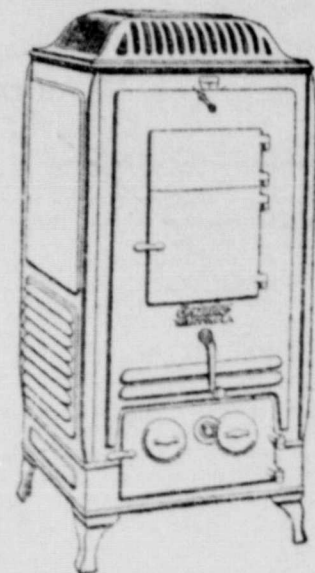
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STYLE SHOW TO BE FAIR FEATURE

At a meeting of the program committee of the Runnels County Fair Association and representatives of a number of Ballinger firms Wednesday afternoon plans were formed for staging a big style show and pageant on the third night of the Runnels County Fair. There will be nearly 100 living models in this big event, displaying the very latest in men's, ladies' and children's clothes. Entertainment features will be included during the show and a beautiful pageant formed for the finish of the night. It will be the biggest and most beautiful event yet presented at a county fair and is expected to draw the largest crowd ever assembled in Fair Park.

The show and pageant will take place in front of the grandstand on the third night of the 1925 fair. An illuminated parade will open the night program on this date when the Queen of the Fair and all models taking part in the exhibition will pass through the streets in decorated cars. Lights

will be turned off during this parade and nothing but red flare sticks will be used for illumination. Immediately following the parade the style show will begin in front of the grandstand and it is expected by those in charge that more than 100 living models will pass in review. The style show, vaudeville acts, the pageant and fireworks will all be worked into one big attraction for this night.

Any firm in Runnels county is eligible to make one entry in each of the following: lady's coat, lady's street dress, afternoon dress, evening gown; gentleman's overcoat, gentleman's suit, and two children between 3 and 12 years modelling anything. This will allow as many as eight models to a firm wishing to model everything in the show, however, any part can be entered.

A set of rules is being prepared and will be mailed to every firm in Runnels county within the next few days. The rules will govern questions that will concern the different firms and the committee will strictly adhere to them.

Enough have already pledged their stores for entrance in this feature to assure the success of

this, the biggest event during the fair.

Posted

My place on both sides of Elm Creek between the two dams is posted. Fair warning to keep out. 15-10td J. H. WILKE

Royal Neighbors to Meet Friday Evening

The Royal Neighbors will meet at 8:00 o'clock Friday evening. Important business is on the program and all members are urged to be present.

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DETROIT CONFERENCE FAVORS UNIFICATION

(By Associated Press) FLINT, Mich., Sept. 17.—The Detroit conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church today voted 229 to 2 for unification with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Notice Students

Miss Pauline Jones announces the opening of the Speech Arts Studio in the High School. For further information call 29. 16-3rd.*

Big Dance at Rowena

A dance will be given Saturday night, Sept. 19th in the O. D. H. S. Hall, Rowena. 17-2td 1tw Committee.

Neil Byers has accepted a position with the Underwood News Co., and will assist D. C. Underwood in handling the state daily papers and magazines.



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