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BRITISH STRIKE ABOUT SETTLED; MEN AT WORK

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, May 14.—The British industrial crisis began to clear here rapidly today when the railway men who had remained out, notwithstanding the official termination of the general strike, signed an agreement with the companies.

Traffic will be resumed as speedily as possible.

Premier Stanley Baldwin told the House of Commons he had framed proposals for the settlement of the coal miners' strike and that these would be placed immediately in the hands of the men and the employers, where indications for an agreement are promising.

SANTA FE SAFE AT BROWNWOOD BLOWN

The safe at the Santa Fe passenger office was blown last night and about \$250 in cash and checks secured by the yeags. The sheriff's department believe they have a clue in a car which was seen leaving the vicinity about 2:00 a. m. today. The local officers chased the car but were outdistanced on the road to Cisco. A country-wide comb was inaugurated and it is thought the yeags will be apprehended.—Brownwood Bulletin.

182 Students in Presbyterian Schools

(By Associated Press)

CHATTANOOGA, May 14.—One hundred and eighty-one students enrolled in the training school for lay workers of the Presbyterian church in the United States during the 1925-26 school year, according to the annual report of the board of trustees of the institution, made public for presentation at the general assembly of the church in Pensacola, Fla., May 20.

The various students enrolled at the school, which is in Richmond, Va., were listed: Seniors, 52; Juniors, 75; Electives, 77; Summer school, 18. They came from 27 states and countries, the countries being Africa, Brazil, Canada, China, Japan, Korea, Mexico and Porto Rico.

"There is a growing demand for our graduates," says the report. "There is an especial demand for those who have personality, a good educational background, and real promises of usefulness as Christian workers."

Dance at the O. D. H. S. Hall
A dance will be given Saturday night, May 15th. Music will be furnished by the Rainbow Dance Orchestra.

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APOPLEXY KILLS RICH R. R. MAN

(By Associated Press)

SHREVEPORT, La., May 14.—William Edenborn, 78 years of age, a capitalist, and owner of the Louisiana Railway & Navigation Company, died here today after a week's illness following a stroke of apoplexy.

Edenborn was born in Westphalia, Prussia, on March 20, 1848. He came to the United States in 1867.

He was the inventor of a machine for manufacturing nails and barbed wire, which formed the basis for his fortune.

TWO FROM HERE ON HONOR ROLL

Special to The Ledger:

AUSTIN, May 14.—Dean H. Y. Benedict, of the College of Arts and Sciences of the University of Texas has just made public a list of 439 students out of 3,243 registered in the College of Arts and Sciences deserving to be classed on the honor roll for exceptional scholastic averages during the winter term of the present session. The object of the honor list is to commend officially members of the student body whose grades during the term rank them scholastically above the average. The list has been divided into five groups, according to the scholastic rank of the students mentioned.

In constructing the honor roll, account is taken both of the grades made and the number of courses passed; that is, account is taken of both the quantity and quality of work accomplished by the student as evidenced by the reports of the instructors. Emphasis, however, is placed on quality by counting A as 12 points, a B as 9, a C as 6, a D as 3 in computing the average of the student.

From Ballinger the honor roll contains the names of Louise Kirk and Mae Garlington.

CHRISTIANS TO CLOSE MEETING

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, May 14.—The next president of the Texas Christian Convention will be Mike Thomas, of Dallas, according to recommendations of the nominating committee which reported today. The convention has been in session here since Wednesday. It will continue through Sunday.

Miss Zeda Kincaid, of Ozona, is visiting Mrs. M. H. Watson.

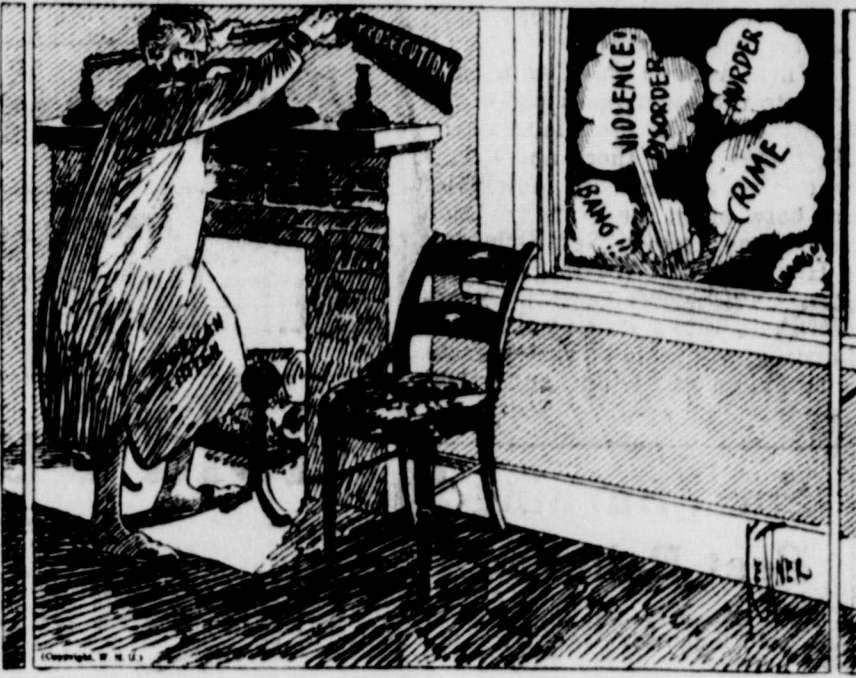
COMMISSIONERS MEET MONDAY

The Commissioners Court of Rumsel county will meet in regular session here Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to transact regular routine business of the court, County Judge Paul Trimmier said Friday morning.

Judge Trimmier also stated that the court would go over the tax renditions and set a date for the purpose of holding a hearing in which the court will sit as an equalization board.

Judge Trimmier said that he knew of no other important business but it is expected that several minor matters will be taken up.

Aroused



Modern Credit Problems to Be Discussed at Meeting

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, May 14.—The delicate art of refusing a customer credit while trying to keep his good will and the less delicate pastime of swatting the peddler and the itinerant merchant are to be demonstrated at the Texas Retail Merchants' association convention here May 17-19.

Officials of the association state that their two main problems seem to be credit and peddlers, with the installment buying and chain stores giving a share of worry to the average merchant.

In the case of the installment buying the question is: "To be or not to be," because the association has not officially formulated any policy on this matter. The question of whether the association should be for or against installment buying, which is now represented in millions, will be discussed.

Several credit experts will discuss their work under the topic: "How to decline an Account and Keep the Customer's Good Will." C. C. Witthell, of San Antonio, W. E. Brock of Fort Worth, and John L. Cottingham, of Dallas, will throw light on this question.

The increase of installment buying and its effect on retail business will be aired by L. L. Meyer of Houston, vice-president of the Retail Credit Men's National Association. Robert Stern will lead an open forum discussion on this subject following Mr. Meyer's address.

J. R. Denny of Port Arthur will tell the merchants how to overcome the peddler and the itinerant merchant.

A minister of the gospel will tell the merchants something of the gospel of good will from the customer's standpoint. He is the Rev. Elton T. Jones of Corsicana. There will be a 20 minute discussion on "Why Tolerate Premium Schemes and Untruthful Advertising?"

There will be considerable discussion on credit and how to educate the public to pay bills. The force of the radio in this educational campaign will be detailed by N. H. King of San Antonio.

The Associated Retail Credit Men, and the organization of secretaries of local merchants' association will hold separate group meetings.

E. O. Dean of Orange, president of the Association, who will preside at the general session, will report a favorable growth in the organization, which has branches in 180 cities and towns.

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METHODISTSTALK OF CHURCH LAWS

(By Associated Press)

MEMPHIS, May 14.—Consideration of a constitution for governing the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was probably the most serious subject confronting the general conference of the church taken up for discussion here today.

A special committee of twenty-five, appointed by the bishops, worked all day Thursday preparing its report. Several drafts of the constitution were in the hands of the committee, one of which contained the limit for the office of bishop. Another proposed to include all articles of faith.

The delegates forecast at least two days debate and then, probably, a defeat of all plans.

Mrs. E. M. Watson, of El Centro, California, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. S. Yeager.

NEGRO DIES FOR MURDER OF PAL

(By Associated Press)

HUNTSVILLE, May 14.—Sam Phillips, age 32 years, negro, died in the electric chair at the state penitentiary here early this morning after having been convicted for the murder of Jesse Davis, another negro, two years ago at the Imperial state prison farm, where both were trustees.

450 DEAD IN STREET FIGHTING AT WARSAW

(By Associated Press)

BERLIN, May 14.—The government air force is reported to have bombed the revolutionary headquarters of Marshal Pilsudski in Warsaw, today.

It is estimated that 450 persons have been killed in street fighting thus far.

Foreigners are fleeing the country.

LONDON, May 14.—The Polish legation here has received a telegram from Warsaw saying that peace and order had been restored and that the government and insurgents had opened negotiations.

ONLY FOUR CIVIL SUITS FILED SINCE MARCH 20

Ballinger will not be the scene of a district court gathering until October 25, the fall of this year when District Judge J. O. Woodward and his force comes back for another term.

The last term was closed in March. Since March 20, only four suits have been filed with the district clerk, Miss Georgia Singletary said Friday. There is one suit for divorce, an injunction suit, a suit for debt, and a wife's petition to convey separately.

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Norge Lost In North

(By Associated Press)

SEATTLE, Wash., May 14.—The dawning of the third day since the dirigible Norge left Kingsbay, Spitzbergen, to fly across the North Pole to Nome, Alaska, saw the world anxiously awaiting word from her.

The naval radio station at Hinchbrook Island, near Cordova, reported to the Associated Press this afternoon, that it had picked up a mysterious message which said the Norge had passed Point Barrow early yesterday. This is the latest word from the dirigible.

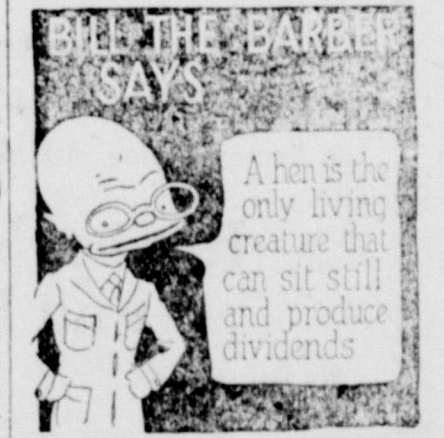
COTTON CONSUMPTION REPORT ANNOUNCED

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Cotton consumed during April of this year totalled 575,799 bales of lint and 61,952 bales of linters as compared with 596,541 bales of lint and 59,253 bales of linters of April, 1925, the Bureau of Census announced today.

REGISTERS 5,094 CARS

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FOR BETTER HOMES

It is certain that every citizen in Ballinger is more or less interested in prettier homes, cleaner, prettier and better kept yards. The Better Homes Committee has extended their Better Kept Yard Contest to June 15, in order that more might have the opportunity to better arrange their yards and enter the contest which will close on the date mentioned above.

Any interest taken will not only be evidence of your appreciation of the efforts being put forth by the local committee, but will be evidence of your local civic pride and your willingness to cooperate in making a more beautiful Ballinger.

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LODGE MEETING IN SESSION HERE

About fifty delegates from Coleman, Tom Green, Brown, Runnels and San Saba counties are here today and Saturday for the district meeting of the Royal Neighbors of America.

The meeting opened this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock with J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, delivering the address of welcome. It was followed by a brief response from Mrs. John McKay, of the local camp.

Mrs. Mary E. Holly, of Fort Worth, State Supervising Deputy, and Mrs. Annie Stubblefield, District Deputy, were other principal speakers this afternoon.

The meeting was delayed a few hours in opening on account of the late arrival of delegates from San Angelo and Brownwood. The Brownwood delegation was scheduled to reach Ballinger this afternoon.

A drill will be held on the streets this afternoon by the Brownwood team in the event the delegates arrive in time. The Turkey in the Straw Band will furnish the music.

A question box and addresses by Mrs. Stubblefield and Mrs. Holly; a school of instruction by Mrs. Holly, and degree work were all given this afternoon.

Tonight's program and the program for Saturday follow:

Friday Evening

7:30 o'clock—Drill by Brownwood team on street in front of L. O. O. F. Hall. Music by Ballinger Band.

8:30 o'clock—Awarding of pins by District Deputy, Mrs. Stubblefield.

9:30 o'clock—Initiation of candidates by Ballinger team.

10:30 o'clock—Refreshments. Adjournment.

Saturday Morning

(Juvenile Day)

10:00 o'clock—House called to order by Mrs. Holly.

Ritualistic work exemplified by local Juveniles.

12 o'clock—Lunch

1:00 o'clock—House called to order by Mrs. Stubblefield. Short talks by Royal Neighbor delegates.

1:30 to 3:00 o'clock—Plays, yells, readings and songs; local Juveniles.

Hurdy Gurdy Goes Way of

Chimney Sweep in Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—The hurdy gurdy is following the chimney sweep into limbo. With the high hats of the chimney sweeps seldom seen on the streets of New Orleans, the notes of the street organs are becoming fainter and fainter.

When Adelina Patti as a child sang to the accompaniment of the hurdy gurdy in the Vieux Carre, they were here, there and everywhere. Now they are few and far between in the French section as well as uptown New Orleans.

Hundreds of street organs are stored here where a few years ago there was a waiting line. The hurdy gurdy scale of rent is from a minimum of \$1 up and they

can be kept from 10 a. m. until 10 p. m. In the heyday of the street organ's popularity a comfortable living could be realized for the musician and his monkey, who

collected the coins. Now the monkey is rarely seen for the few hurdy gurdies left are pushed about the streets by negroes, who have no "time" for monkeys.

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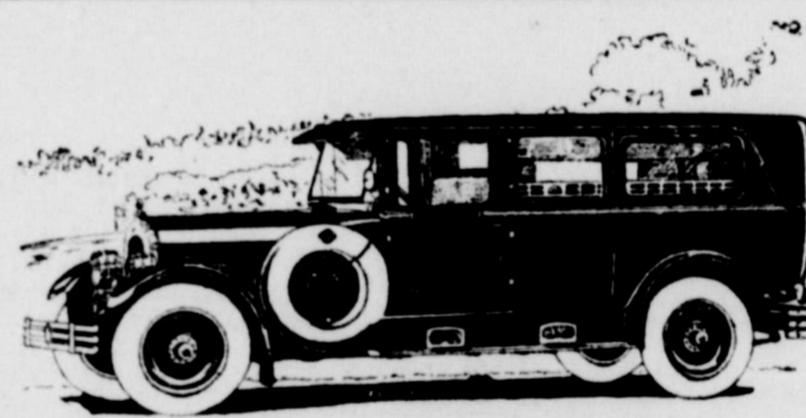
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- For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMER
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- W. T. NICHOLS
- J. D. COULTER
- O. R. JONAS
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**RD ELECTS
W TEACHERS**

ew teachers were elected night by the board of of the Ballinger Inde- School District, A. F. ary of the board an- Friday morning. teachers were: Mr. and C. Spencer, Waco; Miss hadwick, Carthage; Miss t, Maverick; Miss Ana Brownwood; and Miss ss. Spencer was elected as r of the manual training nt, while Mrs. Spencer an instructor in the lepartment. hadwick will be an in- in the commercial de- of the high school. a Todd was elected to the Mexican school. pps will be a teacher in r high school. The sup- nt will appoint her to a this school. ree vacancies are left in ty of the Ballinger r or the next year. A for the Junior high, a omics instructor and a or the negro school. the trustees were present eting. ation was passed by ard to the effect that t whose tuition was not ould be promoted or e to graduate. This action y the board following ble discussion of the

nderstood that several of nts attending the Ballin- ds have not paid their or this year. But now, to graduate or to be pro- m one grade to another, nts must be paid in full. ard also discussed a change in the amount of n for transfers.

**WOOD BAND PASSES
N ROUTE TO ANGELO**

1 Gray Mare Colt's Band wood, passed thru Bal- ly Friday morning en San Angelo where they for entertainments of as frontier celebration being held in that city hree days of this week. ration opened Thursday nd, under the direction Rex Gaither of Brown- l play for a greater part ebration. ere about thirty-five of the band on this trip. return home Sunday.

The Most housewife in Ballinger go to Harber's Grocery et when you want the e deliver. 1w-1fd

iter Paper \$1.00 per allinger Printing Co.

**GUY CUDE MAY ENTER
CONTEST FOR DIST. CLERK**

Efforts to induce Guy Cude, secretary of the electrical firm of Graham & Collins, to become a candidate for the office of district clerk of Bexar county to succeed the late Osceola Archer, are being made by his friends and supporters, it became known Wednesday.

Although Cude is known to have received many urgent requests to enter the race he has so far declined to discuss the matter. The unexpired term of the late Osceola Archer is being filled by his widow.

Cude has never been a candidate for any political office in Bexar county, but is being urged to make the race for district clerk on account of his long experience as an office manager and accountant. He has been in his present position 15 years.—San Antonio Evening News.

Mr. Cude is a former citizen of Ballinger, having lived here for a number of years prior to moving to San Antonio. He has many friends here who will wish him good fortune in any political venture. Mr. Cude visited Ballinger with his sister, Mrs. Tim Ward, following the tragic death several years ago of Ernie Ward, who was killed in an airplane accident in California. Cude was young Ward's uncle.

**Buenos Aires Showmen Import
American Chorus Steppers**

(By Associated Press) BUENOS AIRES, May 14.—American show girls have been imported again this season by one of the local theatres for a new revue which opened twenty-four hours after the newcomers had completed a 5,000 mile sea voyage. Described by the native press as "beauties from Broadway" they have won much applause, notably for their interpretations of the Charleston.

**Urges School of Tropical
Agriculture For Southland**

(By Associated Press) NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—Roy Taseo Davis, American minister of Costa Rica, stopped in New Orleans long enough on his way to visit his Columbia, Mo., home to say that a school of tropical

agriculture should be established in the South.

"The future of the Caribbean countries lies in agriculture," said Mr. Davis. "There are hundreds of thousands of acres of undeveloped lands there as rich as the Garden of Eden, but there are no schools to teach scientific

culture of the soil. Numbers of Costa Ricans have asked for information about colleges of agriculture of the soil. Numbers of their sons for learning that would profit them in the tropics.

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Movies

Valentino Coming in His First Italian Role in "Cobra"

Although Rudolph Valentino was born under the romantic Italian skies, he plays an Italian for the first time since he became a star in "Cobra," which will be shown at the Queen Theatre, two days, beginning Monday of next week.

He has interpreted nearly every other nationality. In "The Four Horsemen" he was an Argentinian. In "The Sheik" he was an Arab. In "Blood and Sand" he was a Spaniard. In "Monsieur Beaucaire" he was a Frenchman.

In "Cobra" Valentino plays an Italian count with a weakness for the ladies. His appeal to women leads him, against his own will, into an affair with the wife of his best friend. This has a tragic and dramatic climax—one of the strongest situations in which the star has ever appeared.

"Cobra" was adapted from Martin Brown's successful Broadway drama by Anthony Coldewey and directed by Joseph Henabery. It was produced by the star personally under the Ritz-Carlton banner. The title means the lure of a fascinating, unscrupulous woman—the charm which the cobra exercises over its victims.

Nita Naldi, who has reduced



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her weight to 123 pounds, plays the cobra woman. Gertrude Olmsted, blonde and wholesome, has the sympathetic feminine role. Casson Ferguson returns to the screen as the best friend.

The action starts in Italy, but most of it takes place in New York. It is a modern drama and has been produced on a lavish scale.

Florence Vidor Opposite Jack Holt in Paramount Film

Versatility, thy name is Florence Vidor!

In "The Enchanted Hill," Paramount's vivid picturization of the rugged story of the same name by Peter B. Kyne, showing today at Saturday at the Queen Theatre, this charming, stately actress, whom someone has aptly termed "the patrician of the screen," plays the role of a resourceful ranch owner in the great open spaces of the Southwest.

This characterization marks a radical departure for Miss Vidor.

who has heretofore been identified on the screen with queens, princesses, and haughty, reserved society royalty. However, we hasten to assure all her admirers that she looks just as lovely in the prosaic costumes of the out-of-doors as she did in royal raiment or formal ball room gowns. And her performance is as distinctive and compelling as any she has previously given.

None other than the perennially popular Jack Holt has the leading male part opposite Miss Vidor, and the supporting cast includes such featured players as Noah Beery and Mary Brian.

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A thunderbolt thriller.

Also William Desmond in Chapter 4 of

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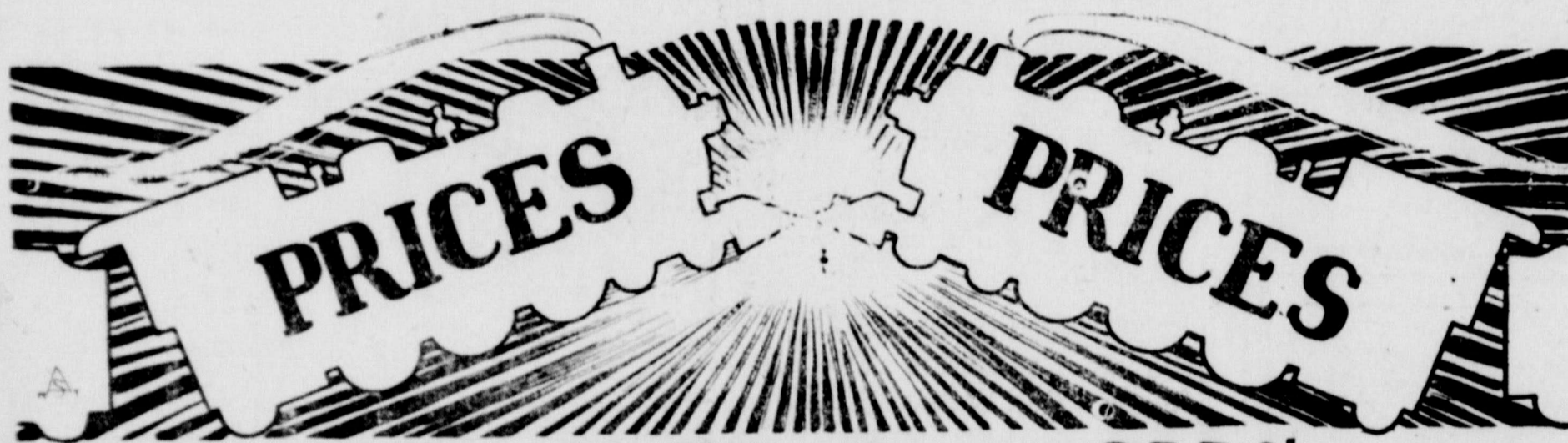


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BATHING REVUE OPENS SATURDAY

(By Associated Press)

GALVESTON, May 14.—Galveston's first international pageant of pulchritude and 7th annual Bathing Girl Revue opens Saturday, May 15 for three days with beauties from the northern climes of Canada and the southern climes of Mexico and Cuba on parade with American venues. It has assumed an international aspect, W. L. Roe, manager of the Galveston Beach association, which is sponsoring the event, declared.

From Mexico comes the report that "Miss Mexico" was selected from 28 beauties from various Mexican states and Central American countries. "Miss Canada" was selected from candidates sent by admirers from every province from Hudson Bay to the Great Lakes, and from Vancouver to the land of Evangeline. Special trains will bring these two candidates. Special trains also will bring "Miss Nebraska" and "Miss Palestine" and Miss New Orleans.

Ned Wayburn, famous dancing instructor and theatrical producer, will head the board of eight, who will select the "Beauty Queen of the Universe." Names of the other seven members will not be made public until after the contest. The winner will receive \$2,000 in gold and a beautiful silver plaque.

Beauty of face, grace, figure and personal charm will be equally considered in picking the winner.

The program begins Saturday. Numerous bands will provide music. Judging will be done at Menard Park Sunday night and Monday night the winners will be announced and presented. Awards then will be made.

Fresh Berries

Will begin to ripen about the 15th of this month. Have your jars and buckets ready. Will sell at the patch or deliver in town in one or more gallons. First come first served. Phone 523.

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REGENTS VISIT SUL ROSS COL.

Special to The Ledger:

ALPINE, May 14.—"We want to do all we can to further the interests of Sul Ross. We are here to study the needs of the school and not recommend its removal."

Such was the cheering message brought to Alpine Friday by A. B. Mayhew, of Uvalde; and Henry Paulus, of Yoakum, of the board of regents. Both spoke at a chapel exercise of the normal here Friday. Mr. Paulus adding to the remarks of Mr. Mayhew that "on serving on the board we know no North Texas, East Texas or West Texas. It all looks alike to us and we ask that each be treated with justice by the legislature. We are interested in Sul Ross and its welfare, and if I remain a member of the board of regents I may be with you each year and hope to see you grow and prosper."

W. B. Walthall, of the state board of control, arrived Friday for a conference for the purpose of studying the needs of Sul Ross college in order that appropriations may be made accordingly.

Alpine citizens are erecting nine new cottages and with every Alpine home thrown open, it is expected that accommodations may be secured for the increased number of students expected here this summer. Indications are that

the enrollment will surpass that of any previous year.

The Most
exacting housewife in Ballinger will say go to Harber's Grocery and Market when you want the Best. We deliver. 1w-tfd

ton-Oakland-Motor Company, delivered two new Pontiacs Friday morning to new customers of the concern.

L. H. Fry, of Ballinger, received a Pontiac coach, and Paul Bratcher, of Paint Rock, drove a new coupe home.

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George Dankworth, of the Clay-



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No 10 Pure Cane Syrup 75c

P & G Soap 10 Bars 39c
Limit 10 Bars to a Customer

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Bring Us Your Cream, Chickens and Eggs

The "M" System Store

METHODISTS CHANGE MORNING WORSHIP HOURS

A rather new and unusual arrangement for the Sunday morning services has been announced by the Methodist church. The services are being held at the old skating rink or what is now known as "the Methodist tabernacle." This building gets rather warm about noon so the pastor and Sunday school superintendent have planned to begin Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and the preaching service promptly at 10:30. The preliminaries for the preaching hour are to be eliminated and the pastor promises to let the congregation out not later than 11:30. There is to be no special music at the morning hour but special attention will be given to the musical program at the evening hour. This program for the morning worship is rather different from the usual order of services but it should work well

during the summer months when all like to get home from church before the hottest part of the day.

The pastor, Rev. S. E. Culwell, says he tried this plan out last summer in his church at Waco and found it worked well and helped to prevent the usual slump in church attendance during the summer months.

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COUNTY BISCUIT CONTEST OPENS

Miss Eula Key, county home demonstration agent, has inaugurated a "Biscuit Making Contest" for this year, it was announced Thursday at the office of the home agent.

This contest is to teach the women how to make biscuits, in less time, to save energy and materials, to make them better and to teach women to judge the quality of biscuits. Miss Key will from time to time give demonstrations to the many members of the Runnels county rural clubs at their regular meeting places.

No one is eligible in this contest unless they are members of rural women's clubs.

Both baking powder and sour milk biscuits will be made by the contestants.

Those who are in the county contest are also eligible for entrance in the state contest. Those who wish to enter the state-wide contest may do so by sending

their names to Miss Lola Blair, Food Specialist, A. & M. College, before July 1.

The winner of the county contest will receive a free trip to the short course at College Station next August.

Following is the score card announced by the state committee and sent to Miss Key:

Points
1. General Appearance
a. Shape
b. Size and uniformity
c. Color
2. Lightness
3. Crust
a. Quality—tenderness
b. Depth
4. Crumb—color
5. Texture
a. Grain size and uniformity of cells
b. Tenderness (not too moist)
c. Flakiness or crumbliness
6. Flavor
a. Taste
b. Odor

TOTAL Working Score

Perfect Score

1. Appearance of contestant 40

2. Procedure

(1) Neatness

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Fresh Vegetables

Fresh Black-eyed Peas snapped or shell, lb.	10c
Fresh String Beans the lb.	12 1/2c
Texas Tomatoes, right off the vine, lb.	20c
White Squash the lb.	8 1/3c
Long Green Cucumbers the lb.	10c
Nice large Roastingears per dozen	60c
White Okra the lb.	25c
Fresh Spinach the bunch	10c
Fresh Beets the bunch	10c
Turnips and Tops the bunch	10c
Texas Strawberries the box	25c

L. B. STUBBS

Phones 93 and 94

Real Estate Transfers

Mrs. Florence Gentry to E. E. Woodson, lot 2 of block No. 5 of Bowden addition to the city of Ballinger, May 12, for the sum of \$500.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Julian Ramirez and Miss Christine Rablez
T. A. Williams and Miss Lillian Ramage.

Irish Woman Doctor Wins Over Male Contestants

(By Associated Press)

DUBLIN, May 14.—Miss Alice Lemass has beaten all the men contestants for the position of resident medical officer of the Dublin Poor Law Union, which cares for more than 3,000 old folks. This office heretofore has been administered by men. Dublin was the first city in the British Isles to confer full university degrees upon women, and as a consequence nearly all professions now contain women competing on even terms with men.

All Indian Cavalry Unit Representing 26 Tribes

(By Associated Press)

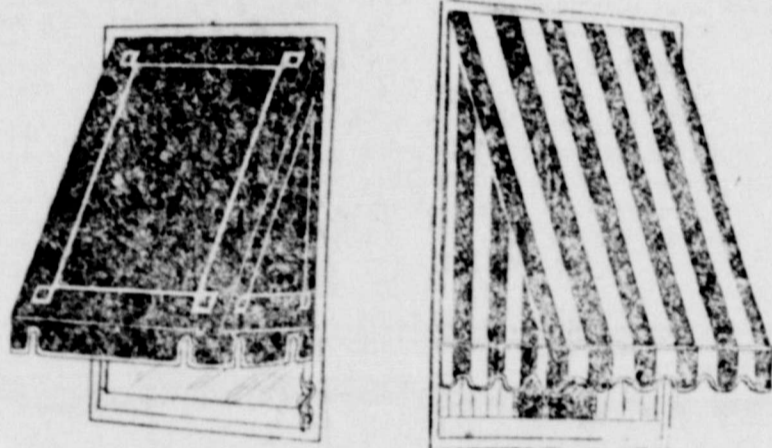
LAWRENCE, Kans., May 14.—Troop C, 114th Cavalry, Kansas National Guard, is composed entirely of Indians attending Haskell Institute. The eighty-five enlisted men represent twenty-six tribes in twenty-two states. Troop C is famous for its silent drill of twelve minutes, during which the men dismount.

a. Arrangement of material and utensils	40
b. Manipulation and method of handling	40
(2) Economy of Material	80
3. Subject matter	
(1) General knowledge of bread making	100
(2) Ability to judge biscuits	100
Total	400

Final scores at the state contest will be determined by multiplying the judges' score of the biscuits by four, adding this to the working score and dividing by eight.

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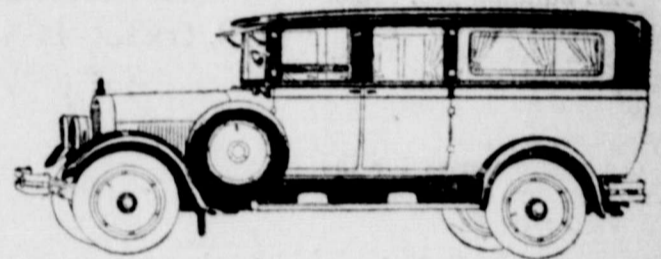
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FOR SALE—Good Jersey cow, fresh. See me at 400 Eleventh Street. Mrs. Green. 14-2td*

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HEMSTITCHING — I have moved my hemstitching machine to the Ladwig Bros. store. All further work will be cash. Mrs. L. L. Stroble. 13-3td

FOR SALE—Snap dragon plants. Mrs. Meaders. 13-1fd

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BRITISH STRIKE ABOUT SETTLED; MEN AT WORK

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, May 14.—The British industrial crisis began to clear here rapidly today when the railway men who had remained out, notwithstanding the official termination of the general strike, signed an agreement with the companies.

Traffic will be resumed as speedily as possible. Premier Stanley Baldwin told the House of Commons he had framed proposals for the settlement of the coal miners' strike and that these would be placed immediately in the hands of the men and the employers, where indications for an agreement are promising.

SANTA FE SAFE AT BROWNWOOD BLOWN

The safe at the Santa Fe passenger office was blown last night and about \$250 in cash and checks secured by the yeggs. The sheriff's department believe they have a clue in a car which was seen leaving the vicinity about 2:00 a. m. today. The local officers chased the car but were outdistanced on the road to Cisco. A country-wide comb was inaugurated and it is thought the yeggs will be apprehended.—Brownwood Bulletin.

182 Students in Presbyterian Schools

(By Associated Press)
CHATTANOOGA, May 14.—One hundred and eighty-one students enrolled in the training school for lay workers of the Presbyterian church in the United States during the 1925-26 school year, according to the annual report of the board of trustees of the institution, made public for presentation at the general assembly of the church in Pensacola, Fla., May 20.

The various students enrolled at the school, which is in Richmond, Va., were listed: Seniors, 52; Juniors, 75; Electives, 77; summer school, 18. They came from 27 states and countries, the countries being Africa, Brazil, Canada, China, Japan, Korea, Mexico and Porto Rico.

There is a growing demand for our graduates," says the report. "There is an especial demand for those who have personality, a good educational background, and real promises of usefulness as Christian workers."

Dance at the O. D. H. S. Hall
A dance will be given Saturday night, May 15th. Music will be furnished by the Rainbow Dance Orchestra.

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APOPLEXY KILLS RICH R. R. MAN

(By Associated Press)
SHREVEPORT, La., May 14.—William Edenborn, 78 years of age, a capitalist, and owner of the Louisiana Railway & Navigation Company, died here today after a week's illness following a stroke of apoplexy.

Edenborn was born in Westphalia, Prussia, on March 20, 1848. He came to the United States in 1867.

He was the inventor of a machine for manufacturing nails and barbed wire, which formed the basis for his fortune.

TWO FROM HERE ON HONOR ROLL

Special to The Ledger:
AUSTIN, May 14.—Dean H. Y. Benedict, of the College of Arts and Sciences of the University of Texas has just made public a list of 439 students out of 3,243 registered in the College of Arts and Sciences deserving to be classed on the honor roll for exceptional scholastic averages during the winter term of the present session. The object of the honor list is to commend officially members of the student body whose grades during the term rank them scholastically above the average. The list has been divided into five groups, according to the scholastic rank of the students mentioned.

In constructing the honor roll, account is taken both of the grades made and the number of courses passed; that is, account is taken of both the quantity and quality of work accomplished by the student as evidenced by the reports of the instructors. Emphasis, however, is placed on quality by counting A as 12 points, a B as 9, a C as 6, a D as 3 in computing the average of the student.

From Ballinger the honor roll contains the names of Louise Kirk and Mae Garlington.

CHRISTIANS TO CLOSE MEETING

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, May 14.—The next president of the Texas Christian Convention will be Mike Thomas, of Dallas, according to recommendations of the nominating committee which reported today. The convention has been in session here since Wednesday. It will continue through Sunday.

Miss Zeda Kincaid, of Ozona, is visiting Mrs. M. H. Watson.

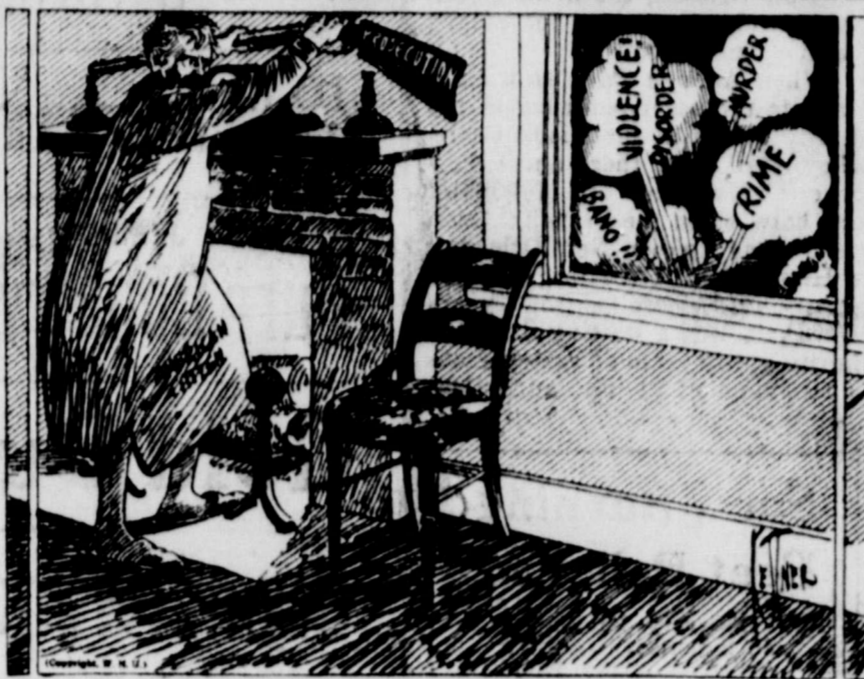
COMMISSIONERS MEET MONDAY

The Commissioners Court of Runnels county will meet in regular session here Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to transact regular routine business of the court, County Judge Paul Trimmer said Friday morning.

Judge Trimmer also stated that the court would go over the tax renditions and set a date for the purpose of holding a hearing in which the court will sit as an equalization board.

Judge Trimmer said that he knew of no other important business but it is expected that several minor matters will be taken up.

Aroused



Modern Credit Problems to Be Discussed at Meeting

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, May 14.—The delicate art of refusing a customer credit while trying to keep his good will and the less delicate pastime of swatting the peddler and the itinerant merchant are to be demonstrated at the Texas Retail Merchants' association convention here May 17-19.

Officials of the association state that their two main problems seem to be credit and peddlers, with the installment buying and the chain stores giving a share of worry to the average merchant.

In the case of the installment buying the question is: "To be or not to be," because the association has not officially formulated any policy on this matter. The question of whether the association should be for or against installment buying, which is now represented in millions, will be discussed.

Several credit experts will discuss their work under the topic: "How to decline an Account and Keep the Customer's Good Will." C. C. Witchell, of San Antonio, W. E. Brock of Fort Worth, and John L. Cottingham, of Dallas, will throw light on this question. The increase of installment buying and its effect on retail business will be aired by L. L. Meyer of Houston, vice-president of the Retail Credit Men's National Association. Robert Stern will lead an open forum discussion on this subject following Mr. Meyer's address.

BAPTISTS SELECT METHODIST STALK OF CHURCH LAWS

(By Associated Press)

HOUSTON, May 14.—Louisville, Kentucky, today was selected by the Southern Baptist Convention as the next convention city. The sessions will begin, the committee an place and time reported on May 4.

Dr. Wallace Bassett, of Dallas, was chosen as the convention preacher, with Dr. J. R. Jester, of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, as alternate.

HOUSTON, May 14.—Adoption of the relief and annuity board's report by the Southern Baptist Convention here today paved the way for an enlarged program for caring for Southern Baptist superannuated ministers, their widows and children.

NAME HEAD OF C. OF C. MEET NEGRO DIES FOR MURDER OF PAL

(By Associated Press)

AMARILLO, May 14.—W. A. Flenniken, Amarillo, has been named general chairman of all arrangements for staging the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention here on June 21, it was learned today.

Be wise and advertise.

(By Associated Press)

HUNTSVILLE, May 14.—Sam Phillips, age 32 years, negro, died in the electric chair at the state penitentiary here early this morning after having been convicted for the murder of Jesse Davis, another negro, two years ago at the Imperial state prison farm, where both were trustees.

450 DEAD IN STREET FIGHTING AT WARSAW

(By Associated Press)

BERLIN, May 14.—The government air force is reported to have bombed the revolutionary headquarters of Marshal Pilsudski in Warsaw, today.

It is estimated that 450 persons have been killed in street fighting thus far.

Foreigners are fleeing the country.

LONDON, May 14.—The Polish legation here has received a telegram from Warsaw saying that peace and order had been restored and that the government and insurgents had opened negotiations.

Norge Lost In North

(By Associated Press)

SEATTLE, Wash., May 14.—The dawning of the third day since the dirigible Norge left Kingsbay, Spitzbergen, to fly across the North Pole to Nome, Alaska, saw the world anxiously awaiting word from her.

The naval radio station at Hinchinbrook Island, near Cordova, reported to the Associated Press this afternoon, that it had picked up a mysterious message which said the Norge had passed Point Barrow early yesterday. This is the latest word from the dirigible.

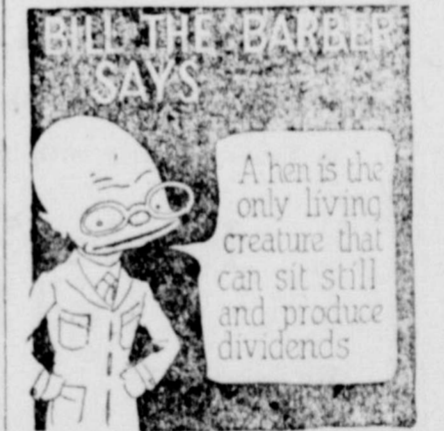
COTTON CONSUMPTION REPORT ANNOUNCED

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Cotton consumed during April of this year totalled 575,799 bales of lint and 61,952 bales of linters as compared with 596,541 bales of lint and 59,253 bales of linters of April, 1925, the Bureau of Census announced today.

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Ballinger will not be the scene of a district court gathering until October 25, the fall of this year when District Judge J. O. Woodward and his force comes back for another term.

The last term was closed in March.

Since March 20, only four suits have been filed with the district clerk, Miss Georgia Singletary said Friday. There is one suit for divorce, an injunction suit, a suit for debt, and a wife's petition to convey separately.

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The Better Homes Committee has
extended their Better Kept Yard
Contest to June 15, in order that
more might have the opportunity
to better arrange their yards and
enter the contest which will close
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Any interest taken will not only
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**LODGE MEETING
IN SESSION HERE**

About fifty delegates from
Coleman, Tom Green, Brown,
Runnels and San Saba counties
are here today and Saturday for
the district meeting of the Royal
Neighbors of America.

The meeting opened this after-
noon at 2:00 o'clock with J. D.
Motley, secretary of the Ballinger
Chamber of Commerce, delivering
the address of welcome. It was
followed by a brief response from
Mrs. John McKay, of the local
camp.

Mrs. Mary E. Holly, of Fort
Worth, State Supervising Dep-
uty, and Mrs. Annie Stubblefield,
District Deputy, were other prin-
cipal speakers this afternoon.

The meeting was delayed a few
hours in opening on account of
the late arrival of delegates from
San Angelo and Brownwood. The
Brownwood delegation was sched-
uled to reach Ballinger this
afternoon.

A drill will be held on the
streets this afternoon by the
Brownwood team in the event the
delegates arrive in time. The
Turkey in the Straw Band will
furnish the music.

A question box and addresses
by Mrs. Stubblefield and Mrs.
Holly; a school of instruction by
Mrs. Holly, and degree work
were all given this afternoon.

Tonight's program and the
program for Saturday follow:

Friday Evening

7:30 o'clock—Drill by Brown-
wood team on street in front of
L. O. O. F. Hall. Music by Ballinger
Band.

8:30 o'clock—Awarding of
pins by District Deputy, Mrs.
Stubblefield.

9:30 o'clock—Initiation of can-
didates by Ballinger team.

10:30 o'clock—Refreshments.
Adjournment.

Saturday Morning

(Juvenile Day)

10:00 o'clock—House called to
order by Mrs. Holly.

Ritualistic work exemplified by
local Juveniles.

12 o'clock—Lunch

1:00 o'clock—House called to
order by Mrs. Stubblefield.
Short talks by Royal Neighbor
delegates.

1:30 to 3:00 o'clock—Plays,
yells, readings and songs; local
Juveniles.

**Hurdy Gurdy Goes Way of
Chimney Sweep in Orleans**

NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—
The hurdy gurdy is following the
chimney sweep into limbo. With
the high hats of the chimney
sweeps seldom seen on the streets
of New Orleans, the notes of the
street organs are becoming
fainter and fainter.

When Adelina Patti as a child
sang to the accompaniment of the
hurdy gurdy in the Vieux Carre,
they were here, there and every-
where. Now they are few and
far between in the French section
as well as uptown New Orleans.

Hundreds of street organs are
stored here where a few years
ago there was a waiting line. The
hurdy gurdy scale of rent is from
a minimum of \$1 up and they

can be kept from 10 a. m. until 10
p. m. In the heyday of the street
organ's popularity a comfortable
living could be realized for the
musician and his monkey, who

collected the coins. Now the
monkey is rarely seen for the few
hurdy gurdies left are pushed
about the streets by negroes, who
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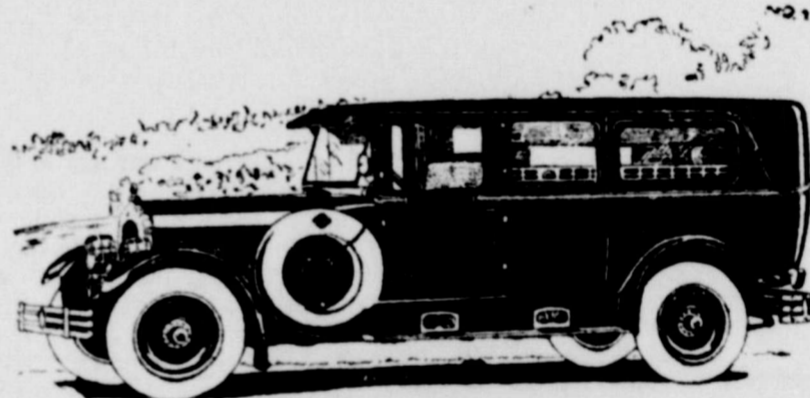
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**RD ELECTS
W TEACHERS**

Teachers were elected last night by the board of the Ballinger Independent School District, A. F. Secretary of the board on Friday morning.

Teachers were: Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, Waco; Miss Hadwick, Carthage; Miss I. Maverick; Miss Ana Brownwood; and Miss ...

Spencer was elected as ... of the manual training ... while Mrs. Spencer ... an instructor in the ... department.

Hadwick will be an ... in the commercial de ... of the high school.

Todd was elected to ... the Mexican school.

... will be a teacher in ... high school. The su ... will appoint her to a ... this school.

... three vacancies are left in ... of the Ballinger ... or the next year. A ... for the Junior high, a ... monics instructor and a ... or the negro school.

... the trustees were present ... setting.

... action was passed by the ... board to the effect that ... it whose tuition was not ... could be promoted or be ... to graduate. This action ... by the board following ... ble discussion of the ...

**GUY CUDE MAY ENTER
CONTEST FOR DIST. CLERK**

Efforts to induce Guy Cude, secretary of the electrical firm of Graham & Collins, to become a candidate for the office of district clerk of Bexar county to succeed the late Osceola Archer, are being made by his friends and supporters, it became known Wednesday.

Although Cude is known to have received many urgent requests to enter the race he has so far declined to discuss the matter. The unexpired term of the late Osceola Archer is being filled by his widow.

Cude has never been a candidate for any political office in Bexar county, but is being urged to make the race for district clerk on account of his long experience as an office manager and accountant. He has been in his present position 15 years.—San Antonio Evening News.

Mr. Cude is a former citizen of Ballinger, having lived here for a number of years prior to moving to San Antonio. He has many friends here who will wish him good fortune in any political venture. Mr. Cude visited Ballinger with his sister, Mrs. Tim Ward, following the tragic death several years ago of Ernie Ward, who was killed in an airplane accident in California. Cude was young Ward's uncle.

**Buenos Aires Showmen Import
American Chorus Steppers**

(By Associated Press)
BUENOS AIRES, May 14.—American show girls have been imported again this season by one of the local theatres for a new revue which opened twenty-four hours after the newcomers had completed a 5,000 mile sea voyage. Described by the native press as "beauties from Broadway" they have won much applause, notably for their interpretations of the Charleston.

**Urges School of Tropical
Agriculture For Southland**

(By Associated Press)
NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—Roy Tasco Davis, American minister of Costa Rica, stopped in New Orleans long enough on his way to visit his Columbia, Mo., home to say that a school of tropical

agriculture should be established in the South.

"The future of the Caribbean countries lies in agriculture," said Mr. Davis. "There are hundreds of thousands of acres of undeveloped lands there as rich as the Garden of Eden, but there are no schools to teach scientific

culture of the soil. Numbers of Costa Ricans have asked for information about colleges of agriculture of the soil. Numbers of their sons for learning that would profit them in the tropics.

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could be increased, good roads built and the country developed more in Central America, the people there would have more money to buy from the states."

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Understood that several of the students attending the Ballinger schools have not paid their tuition for this year. But now, to graduate or to be promoted one grade to another, tuition must be paid in full, and also discussed a change in the amount of tuition for transfers.

**WOOD BAND PASSES
ON ROUTE TO ANGELO**

The Gray Mare Colt's Band, Wood, passed thru Ballinger Friday morning en route to San Angelo where they are for entertainments of as frontier celebration being held in that city three days of this week. The band opened Thursday

and, under the direction of Rex Gaither of Brownwood, will play for a greater part of the celebration.

There were about thirty-five members of the band on this trip. They will return home Sunday.

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32x3 1/2 S. S.\$21.75	31x4 Southern\$13.55
31x4 S. S.\$24.50	32x4 Southern\$14.95
32x4 Red Stripe \$26.50	33x4 Southern\$15.90
32x4 1/2 Red Stripe \$36.50	34x4 Southern\$16.10
33x4 1/2 Red Stripe \$37.50	32x4 1/2 Southern\$22.55
30x5 Red Stripe \$43.50	33x4 1/2 Southern\$23.50
33x5 Red Stripe \$45.00	34x4 1/2 Southern\$24.45
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Movies

Valentino Coming in His First Italian Role in "Cobra"

Although Rudolph Valentino was born under the romantic Italian skies, he plays an Italian for the first time since he became a star in "Cobra," which will be shown at the Queen Theatre, two days, beginning Monday of next week.

He has interpreted nearly every other nationality. In "The Four Horsemen" he was an Argentinian. In "The Sheik" he was an Arab. In "Blood and Sand" he was a Spaniard. In "Monsieur Beaucaire" he was a Frenchman.

In "Cobra" Valentino plays an Italian count with a weakness for the ladies. His appeal to women leads him, against his own will, into an affair with the wife of his best friend. This has a tragic and dramatic climax—one of the strongest situations in which the star has ever appeared.

"Cobra" was adapted from Martin Brown's successful Broadway drama by Anthony Coldevey and directed by Joseph Henabery. It was produced by the star personally under the Ritz-Carlton banner. The title means the lure of a fascinating, unscrupulous woman—the charm which the cobra exercises over its victims.

Nita Naldi, who has reduced

her weight to 123 pounds, plays the cobra woman. Gertrude Olsted, blonde and wholesome, has the sympathetic feminine role. Casson Ferguson returns to the screen as the best friend.

The action starts in Italy, but most of it takes place in New York. It is a modern drama and has been produced on a lavish scale.

Florence Vidor Opposite Jack Holt in Paramount Film

Versatility, thy name is Florence Vidor!

In "The Enchanted Hill," Paramount's vivid picturization of the rugged story of the same name by Peter B. Kyne, showing today at Saturday at the Queen Theatre, this charming, stately actress, whom someone has aptly termed "the patriotin of the screen," plays the role of a resourceful ranch owner in the great open spaces of the Southwest.

This characterization marks a radical departure for Miss Vidor.

who has heretofore been identified on the screen with queens, princesses, and haughty, reserved society royalty. However, we hasten to assure all her admirers that she looks just as lovely in the prosaic costumes of the out-of-doors as she did in royal raiment or formal ball room gowns. And her performance is as distinctive and compelling as any she has previously given.

None other than the perennially popular Jack Holt has the leading male part opposite Miss Vidor, and the supporting cast includes such featured players as Noah Beery and Mary Brian.

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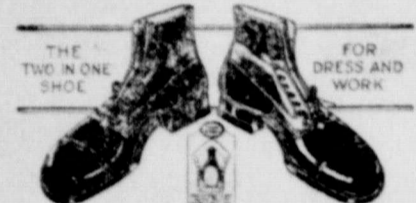
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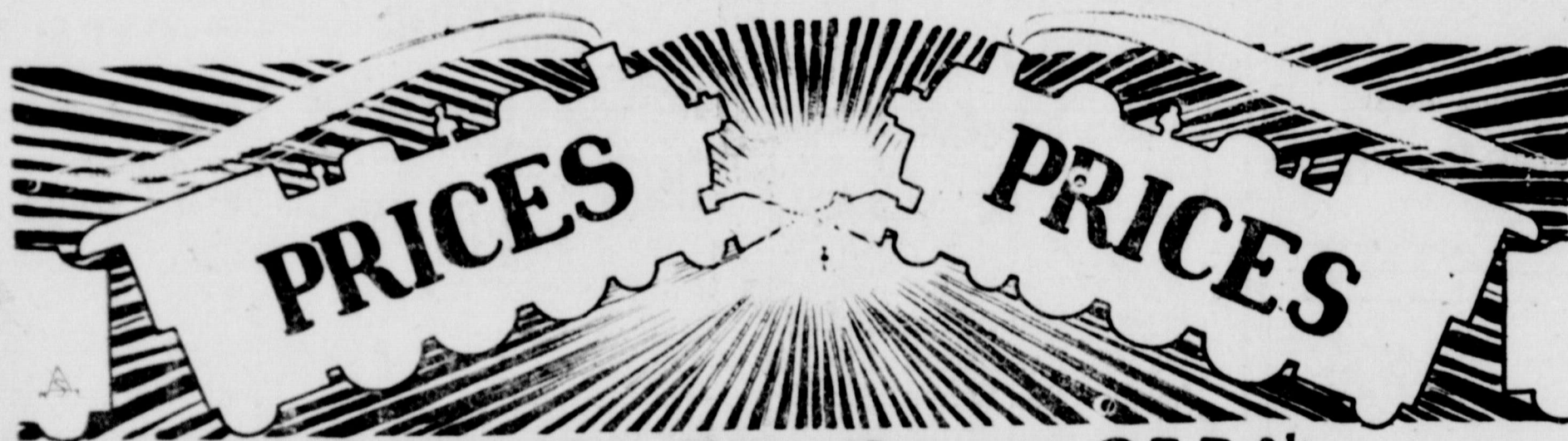
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BATHING REVUE OPENS SATURDAY

(By Associated Press)

GALVESTON, May 14.—Galveston's first international pageant of pulchritude and 7th annual Bathing Girl Revue opens Saturday, May 15 for three days with beauties from the northern clime of Canada and the southern climes of Mexico and Cuba on parade with American venuses. It has assumed an international aspect, W. L. Roe, manager of the Galveston Beach association, which is sponsoring the event, declared.

From Mexico comes the report that "Miss Mexico" was selected from 28 beauties from various Mexican states and Central American countries. "Miss Canada" was selected from candidates sent by admirers from every province from Hudson Bay to the Great Lakes, and from Vancouver to the land of Evangeline. Special trains will bring these two candidates. Special trains also will bring "Miss Nebraska" and "Miss Palestine," and Miss New Orleans.

Ned Wayburn, famous dancing instructor and theatrical producer, will head the board of eight, who will select the "Beauty Queen of the Universe." Names of the other seven members will not be made public until after the contest. The winner will receive \$2,000 in gold and a beautiful silver plaque.

REGENTS VISIT SUL ROSS COL.

Special to The Ledger:

ALPINE, May 14.—"We want to do all we can to further the interests of Sul Ross. We are here to study the needs of the school and not recommend its removal."

Such was the cheering message brought to Alpine Friday by A. B. Mayhew, of Uvalde; and Henry Paulus, of Youkum, of the board of regents. Both spoke at a chapel exercise of the normal here Friday. Mr. Paulus adding to the remarks of Mr. Mayhew that "on serving on the board we know no North Texas, East Texas or West Texas. It all looks alike to us and we ask that each be treated with justice by the legislature. We are interested in Sul Ross and its welfare, and if I remain a member of the board of regents I may be with you each year and hope to see you grow and prosper."

W. B. Waithall, of the state board of control, arrived Friday for a conference for the purpose of studying the needs of Sul Ross college in order that appropriations may be made accordingly.

Alpine citizens are erecting nine new cottages and with every Alpine home thrown open, it is expected that accommodations may be secured for the increased number of students expected here this summer. Indications are that

the enrollment will surpass that of any previous year.

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METHODISTS CHANGE MORNING WORSHIP HOURS

A rather new and unusual arrangement for the Sunday morning services has been announced by the Methodist church. The services are being held at the old skating rink or what is now known as "the Methodist tabernacle." This building gets rather warm about noon so the pastor and Sunday school superintendent have planned to begin Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and the preaching service promptly at 10:30. The preliminaries for the preaching hour are to be eliminated and the pastor promises to let the congregation out not later than 11:30. There is to be no special music at the morning hour but special attention will be given to the musical program at the evening hour. This program for the morning worship is rather different from the usual order of services but it should work well

during the summer months when all like to get home from church before the hottest part of the day.

The pastor, Rev. S. E. Culwell, says he tried this plan out last summer in his church at Waco and found it worked well and helped to prevent the usual slump in church attendance during the summer months.

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Irish Woman Doctor Wins Over Male Contestants

(By Associated Press)

DUBLIN, May 14.—Miss Alice Lemass has beaten all the men contestants for the position of resident medical officer of the Dublin Poor Law Union, which cares for more than 3,000 old folks. This office heretofore has been administered by men.

Dublin was the first city in the British Isles to confer full university degrees upon women, and as a consequence nearly all professions now contain women competing on even terms with men.

All Indian Cavalry Unit Representing 26 Tribes

(By Associated Press)

LAWRENCE, Kans., May 14.—Troop C, 114th Cavalry, Kansas National Guard, is composed entirely of Indians attending Haskell Institute. The eighty-five enlisted men represent twenty-six tribes in twenty-two states.

Troop C is famous for its silent drill of twelve minutes, during which the men dismount.

a. Arrangement of material and utensils	40
b. Manipulation and method of handling	40
(2) Economy of Material	80
3. Subject matter	
(1) General knowledge of bread making	100
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Total	400

Final scores at the state contest will be determined by multiplying the judges' score of the biscuits by four, adding this to the working score and dividing by eight.

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COUNTY BISCUIT CONTEST OPENS

Miss Eula Key, county home demonstration agent, has inaugurated a "Biscuit Making Contest" for this year, it was announced Thursday at the office of the home agent.

This contest is to teach the women how to make biscuit, in less time, to save energy and materials, to make them better and to teach women to judge the quality of biscuits. Miss Key will from time to time give demonstrations to the many members of the Runnels county rural clubs at their regular meeting places.

No one is eligible in this contest unless they are members of rural women's clubs.

Both baking powder and sour milk biscuits will be made by the contestants.

Those who are in the county contest are also eligible for entrance in the state contest. Those who wish to enter the state-wide contest may do so by sending

their names to Miss Lola Blair, Food Specialist, A. & M. College, before July 1.

The winner of the county contest will receive a free trip to the short course at College Station next August.

Following is the score card as announced by the state committee and sent to Miss Key:

Points	
1. General Appearance	5
a. Shape	5
b. Size and uniformity	5
c. Color	5
2. Lightness	10
3. Crust	5
a. Quality—tenderness	5
b. Depth	5
4. Crumb—color	5
5. Texture	5
a. Grain size and uniformity of cells	5
b. Tenderness (not too moist)	5
c. Flakiness or crumbliness	10
6. Flavor	20
a. Taste	20
b. Odor	20
TOTAL	100

Working Score Perfect Score

1. Appearance of contestant	40
2. Procedure	
(1) Neatness	

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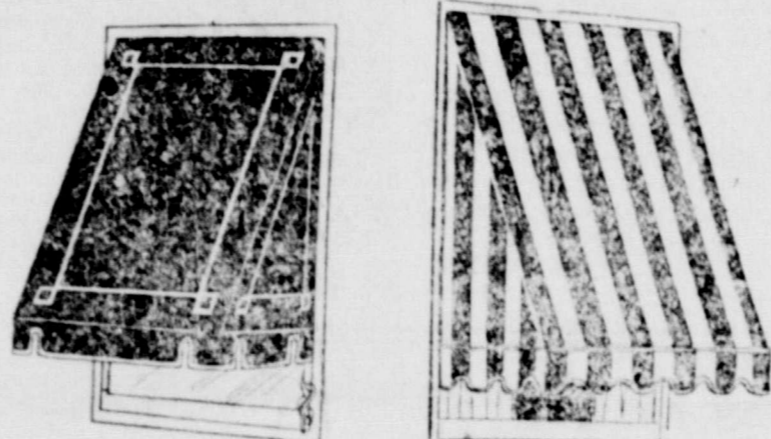
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Texas Tomatoes, right off the vine, lb.	20c
White Squash the lb.	8 1/3c
Long Green Cucumbers the lb.	10c
Nice large Roastingears per dozen	60c
White Okra the lb.	25c
Fresh Spinach the bunch	10c
Fresh Beets the bunch	10c
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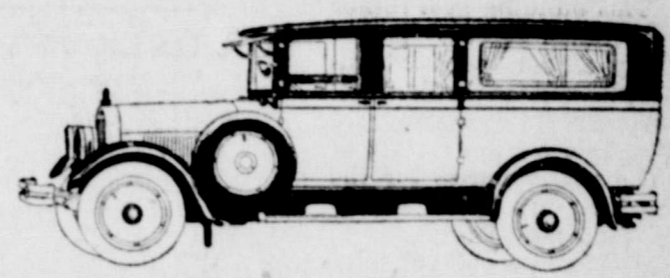
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