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COTTON CROP ESTIMATE SHOWS MORE INCREASE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—The production of 17,918,000 bales of cotton this year was based on the condition of the crop up to November 1st, it was announced today by the Department of Agriculture. This is 464,000 bales more than was forecast a fortnight ago.

This is also 1,814,321 bales more than last year's total production, the report stated. Around 5,550,000 bales was forecast for Texas. The Census Bureau announced today that 11,259,638 bales of this year's crop had been ginned prior to November 1st, of which amount Texas had ginned 3,565,451 bales.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Cotton prices held about steady here today, despite the government's report of a large crop forecast.

DELEGATES FROM BALLINGER ARE AT LEGION MEET

James V. Alfred, district attorney, of Wichita Falls, was the principal speaker at the 17th district convention of the American Legion held Sunday in Stamford. Mr. Alfred's address was delivered at the morning session of the meeting.

Business was transacted at the afternoon session with delegates from a large number of posts present.

Henry C. Fuller, city editor of the Brownwood Bulletin, was appointed State Publicity Chairman by State Commander R. C. Winters at this meeting.

Abilene won the attendance cup at this meeting. Had Ballinger had one more member of the Pat Williams Post present, this city would have captured the cup. Eight men and ten women attended the convention from the Pat Williams Post.

Those going from here were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Forson, Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Northington, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Williams; Misses Rama Guin, Louis Orgain, Anna Jean Sharp and Nell Alexander; Mrs. Garland Parks, Roy Reeder, L. Cohen and M. C. Atkins.

The place of the next district convention was not decided on as no post present invited the convention to meet in their city, but it was stated here that Sweetwater would likely entertain the next convention.

Mrs. Will Aycock is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. Emma Nash.

D. W. Yeager, commissioner of precinct No. 2, of Winters, was here Monday attending commissioners court.

Attorney A. O. Strother, of Winters, was here Monday attending district court.

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WOMAN'S BODY FOUND IN RIVER

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 8.—The body of a woman believed to be that of Mrs. Gertrude Mueller, wife of Col. C. H. Mueller, of Fort Sam Houston, was found in the Comal River today near Braunfels.

A coat, hat, calling cards and jewelry that belonged to Mrs. Mueller, who disappeared Saturday, were found near the place where the body was recovered.

A. & M. STUDENTS ISSUE STATEMENT

(By Associated Press)
COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Nov. 8.—Disposition of the question of continued athletic relations between A. & M. College and Baylor University, is in the hands of the authorities of the college, according to a statement from a committee of students issued today.

The statement was issued in connection with the students' fight at the football game in Waco on Saturday, October 30th, in which Cadet Lieutenant Chas. M. Sessums, of Dallas, was fatally injured.

ENTERS SECOND WEEK OF TRIAL

(By Associated Press)
SOMERVILLE, N. J., Nov. 8.—The second week of the Hall-Mills murder trial opened here this afternoon with Russell Gildersleeve, a member of the slain pastor's church as the first witness.

Gildersleeve testified that he saw Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall, the slain pastor, and Mrs. Eleanor Mills, the slain choir singer, in New York, in the summer of 1921. This was some months before the couple were found slain.

Robert Ehrling, the second witness, said he saw Mrs. Jane Gibson, two automobiles, and a man who wore a moustache, in De-Russsey's lane on the night of the killing.

HOUSE COM'ITTEE CONTINUES PROBE

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Nov. 8.—The House committee today resumed its investigation of state department.

E. E. Houchins, Hallettsville, told the committee that Lake Robinson of LaGrange, paid him \$5,270 to maintain the Lavaca county highways and that Robinson reserved \$8,100 from the State Highway Department for maintenance.

Houchins said that as a subcontractor, he cleared approximately \$2,500.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. King, Misses Hortense Holt and Jack Smith went to Abilene Sunday to meet E. E. Holt Jr., of Altus, Okla., who comes here to visit his father, E. E. Holt Sr., Mrs. E. E. King and W. A. Holt.

Mrs. J. G. Douglass left Monday afternoon for Fort Worth, where she will attend a meeting of an Eastern Star committee.

MRS. HATCHER'S FUNERAL TODAY

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Nov. 8.—Funeral services for Mrs. Ellen Hatcher, wife of the state treasurer, W. Gregory Hatcher, who died Saturday from pneumonia, will be held here this afternoon.

Burial will be made at Oakwood Cemetery.

E. A. Shepperd, of Winters, was in Ballinger Monday looking after business.

Along the Concrete



Bearcats Tie Coleman In Unfinished Game

Ballinger and Coleman played to a 7-7 tie here Saturday afternoon until Coach Frank Stringer came into the game during the last four minutes of play and held up the game so it could not be finished. The unfinished game was the result of a squabble between the coaches and officials, Coach Stringer, Head Linesman Doughty and Referee Seruggs.

Ballinger had just made a touchdown and in the try for extra point Pete McKenzie failed to cross the goal line in an end run but the Coleman center, McHorse, captain of the Blue Cat squad, was called offside by Empire Penn and the point was at first given by Referee Seruggs. When the Coleman coach rushed out on the field, he asked the head linesman if he saw the offside, and he said that he had not. Then Coach Stringer started protesting and the referee withdrew his decision and would not continue with the game until the teams had agreed. The coaches, Felton Wright of the Bearcats, and Frank Stringer of the Blue Cats, could not agree and the game was not finished. Elsewhere in this issue appears the statement that was sent in by Coaches Wright, Stringer, and Referee Seruggs, and the one sent in by Supt. H. C. Lyon, Principal J. B. Pace Jr., and Coach Wright.

It is understood that Coach Stringer is also to send in a report of the game. Just what ruling Roy Henderson, athletic director of the Interscholastic League, will make, is not known, however it is expected that he will call the result no game and order another played.

Dourland, quarter, kicker, passes and chief ball totter of the Blue Cat squad, was the only offensive player on the Coleman team. He was the only man who could do any good against Ballinger. It was he who would make the touchdowns, then kick for the extra point, and he also made most of the first downs.

Pete Marecek, substitute half, and Pete McKenzie, half, were responsible for the Ballinger score. Marecek plowed the line four times in the last quarter for as many first downs, then it was McKenzie who took the ball over. Pete McKenzie made several broken field runs for good dis-

Statement by Officials

Nov. 8, 1926
"Mr. Roy B. Henderson,
Athletic Director
Univ. Interscholastic League,
Austin, Texas.
"Dear Sir:
"According to schedule and contract too, the football team of the Coleman high school came to Ballinger last Saturday, November 6th, for the purpose of play-

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D. CHIPPS SUES FRANK NORRIS FOR \$150,000

FREEZE DUE HERE TONIGHT

(By Associated Press)
FT. WORTH, Nov. 8.—Rev. J. Frank Norris, "fundamentalist" Baptist preacher, was sued in the district court here today for \$150,000 damages by Dougherty Chipps, son of D. E. Chipps, whom the preacher shot and killed here recently.

In his petition, the boy of 14 years, says his father's life was taken without any just cause, without legal excuse, and without regard, which entitles the petitioner to a judgment of \$50,000 actual damages and \$100,000 exemplary damages.

WILLIAMS AND DAVENPORT TO GARDEN CITY FOR TRIAL

"Reg" Williams and "Choc" Davenport, charged with burglary by grand jury indictment at Garden City, left Monday for that place in the custody of Sheriff W. J. Lemons, sheriff of Glasscock county.

ASKS FOR CHANGE IN LEAHY'S CASE

(By Associated Press)
GEORGE WEST, Nov. 8.—The opening of what is expected to prove a bitter fight for a change of venue in the trial of Harry J. Leahy for the slaying of Dr. J. A. Ramsey, the defense today won a short delay in order to prepare a motion for a change of venue on the grounds that publicity given the trial precluded a fair hearing in the case.

Tom Penn, who is attending Howard Payne College at Brownwood, was at home to spend the week-end with relatives.

Miss Opal Bowden has returned to Simmons University in Abilene after spending the week-end here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Lilly.

H. B. Poe, of the Wingate community, and his father, W. W. Poe, were in Ballinger Monday looking after business. H. B. Poe was recently elected commissioner of precinct No. 3.

JAMES HACKETT DIES IN PARIS

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Nov. 8.—James K. Hackett, noted American actor, who for many years had resided in France, died here today.

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BROWNWOOD DEFEATS BRADY HIGHS 26 TO 0

The Brownwood Lions defeated the Brady high school eleven in Brady, Saturday, 26 to 0.

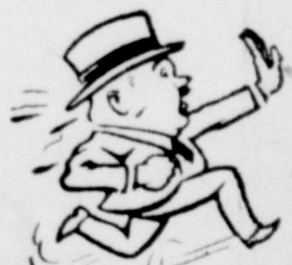
Next Thursday the Bearcats go to Brady and play there.

Brownwood and Ballinger tied 6-6 in the first home game here this season.

TYPHOON KILLS MANY IN P. I.

(By Associated Press)
MANILA, P. I., Nov. 8.—The estimated number of dead in Southern Luzon as the result of Saturday's typhoon and tidal wave reached 300 today.

Incomplete reports indicate that property damage will run into millions of dollars.



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When the farmers are made to realize that the world is consuming twice as much food and wearing half as many clothes as a few years ago, they will get on the right track for solving the low price cotton problem.

Jack Frost has been very kind to us this fall, but we are bordering on the danger period, and if you have anything you want to protect from his majesty's blight you had better get busy.

Chas. Evans left for Aspermont on business Saturday night.

LOCAL TEACHERS TO ATTEND MEET

FT. WORTH, Nov. 8.—H. C. Lyon, superintendent of the Ballinger schools, has enrolled the teachers of that city 100 per cent in the Texas State Teachers Association. He expects many of them to attend the annual convention of the organization, which will be held in El Paso, November 25, 26 and 27. Railroad rates to the convention are the lowest in the history of the association.

Teachers in the Ballinger schools are, besides Supt. Lyon: John Adams, Miss Ruby Baker, Mrs. J. C. Bloxom, Miss Helen Brewer, Mrs. W. A. Bridwell, Mrs. A. F. Broek, Miss Tennie Brookshire, Miss Gladys Chadwick, Miss Lucille Copass, Miss Josephine Francis, Miss Wynis Greer, Mrs. Velma Hale, Miss Helen Hays, Miss Audrey Hester, Mrs. Oscar Holliday, Miss Leora McShan, Miss Pauline Keller, R. B. Lee, Mrs. Bessie Lowe, Mrs. H. C. Lyon, Miss Minnie Lee Melton, Miss Ullis Newton, J. B. Pace Jr., Miss Patricia Reynolds, Miss Anna Mae Sheffield, Mrs. E. H.

Smith, Miss Marryatte Smith, H. C. Spencer, Mrs. H. C. Spencer, Miss Myron Steward, Miss Zemina Street, J. C. Taylor, Miss Irene Trousdale, Miss Ellaone Walker, M. J. Weaver and Geo. N. White.

'FEW CLOES' IS HELD ON FORGERY CHARGE

C. W. Wyatt, negro, known here as "Few Cloes," is being held in the county jail without bond on a forgery charge. He was arrested Sunday afternoon while playing a domino game with cronies in the "flat" by Sheriff R. E. McWilliams.

"Few" gave Leslie White, manager of the Red Front store here, a check for \$8.35, it is alleged, with the name of E. W. White signed to the check. E. W. White cannot be found and no account is carried with any of the local banks for a man of such a name.

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When George M. Cohan wrote and produce that great sentimental comedy, "The Song and Dance Man," his object was merely to present and portray sympathetically a distinctive theatrical type—the typical, small-time vaudeville trouper. However, Paul Schofield, who adapted this stage success to the screen, and Herbert Brenon, who directed it, have broadened the scope of the story considerably.

The film version, showing at the Palace Theatre today and Tuesday, not only mirrors the trials and tribulations of the song and dance man, but faithfully reproduces the whole colorful life of the theatre, even to the actual back-stage operations during a performance.

A more competent and experienced personnel could hardly have been gathered together than that which Mr. Brenon has selected. Tom Moore is happily cast in the title role, which Mr. Cohan portrayed in the stage ver-

sion. Bessie Love is the ideal choice for the ambitious little actress who achieves musical comedy stardom on Broadway, and Harrison Ford does the best work of his career in the part of the wealthy artist. Norman Trevor, "Bobby" Watson, William B. Mack and Josephine Drake are some of the popular stage favorites who round out the strong line-up.

Director Brenon, who in his early years was a vaudeville performer, knows the theatre from the inside and has pictured it on the screen in all its picturesque phases—the cheap, honky-tonk theatres as well as the magnificent New York palaces of amusement; the hopeless struggles of the "ham" actors and the success of the glorified stars; the pathetic boarding-house atmosphere and the glamor and bright lights of Broadway.

The story concerns itself with the romance, laughter and sacrifices that make up the life of "Happy" Farrell, a happy-go-lucky vaudeville trouper, whose lack of ability precludes the possibility of his ever being anything but a small-time actor, but who, in his blind self-confidence, believes himself to be the greatest song and dance man in the world.

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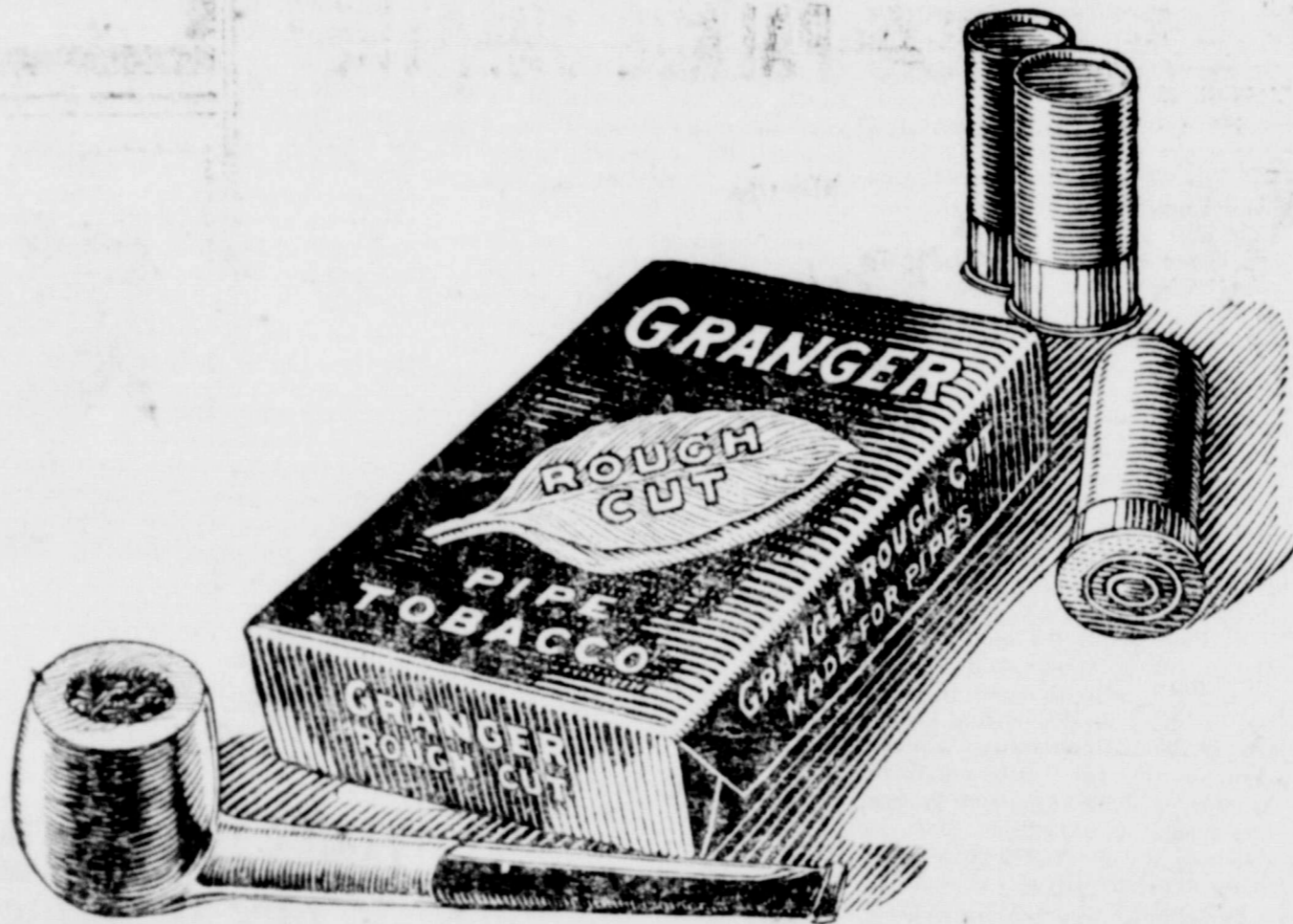
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After Every Meal

Bearcats Tie Coleman In Unfinished Game

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ing a game of football with the Ballinger high school.

"A referee for this game had been secured out of the Abilene Christian College of Abilene, by the name of G. A. Scruggs. A head linesman by the name of Doughty was agreed upon by the coaches of the respective teams just prior to the beginning of the game. Mr. Doughty lives in Coleman. An umpire by the name of Penn was agreed upon by the respective coaches just prior to the game. Mr. Penn lives in Ballinger.

"In the beginning of the game the referee instructed the umpire that he too was to watch for off-sides as the game was expected to be a hard fought one. During the game the umpire called penalties on both teams for offside which were accepted by the referee the same as when called by the head linesman. No field judge was selected to officiate in this game, as is the usual practice in high school games.

"The referee in this game instructed the head linesman to not blow his whistle for off-sides until the play had been completed.

"During the first half of the game the Coleman team made a touchdown and kicked goal, making the score seven to nothing at the end of the first half in favor of Coleman.

"In the last quarter of the second half the Ballinger team scored a touchdown and on the try for point after touchdown the team elected to carry the ball over the goal line instead of attempting to kick goal. When this play was attempted the umpire blew his whistle and announced when the play was over, that the Coleman center was offside. The referee raised his hands as a signal that the point was given to Ballinger by reason of this off-side of Coleman, the Ballinger team having failed to carry the ball over the goal line. The teams started back to the center of the field at which time the coach of the Coleman team rushed on the field without permission, as he had done before during the game, and protested the decision of the referee and asked the head linesman as to the offside mentioned above. The head linesman said that if there had been an offside that he failed to see it, and gave an official statement to the referee, shortly after, that the Coleman man was not offside.

"After the final statement of the head linesman was made the referee reversed his decision as to the point in question and stated that it was impossible for him to make a decision as there was a complete conflict in the report of the two officials who were calling off-sides. All of these incidents happened some three or four minutes before the end of the game.

"The referee persisted in his opinion that he could not or should not render an absolute decision under the circumstances and insisted that the coaches and representatives of the respective teams and schools should reach an agreement before proceeding with the game. Much time was consumed by these representatives in parley, trying to come to

some agreement but without any success whatsoever. Night finally came on and the referee announced to the waiting crowd that there would be no more playing in this game. After the referee had gone, some minutes, the teams left the field together.

"The Coleman coach proposed during the parleys that Ballinger be allowed to try for the point again or that a coin be tossed for the decision. Ballinger considering this a case of heads I win tails you lose refused these offers.

"During the parleys also the Ballinger representative proposed that the referee make an arbitrary decision, proceed with the game and let the losing school appeal if it so desired, or that the referee make no decision at all, proceed with the game, and submit the disputed point at your office for decision upon the statement of the referee only. All of these propositions were rejected by the Coleman coach. Just prior to both teams leaving the field an offer was made by Ballinger representatives that the game be played over on neutral territory, which offer was also declined by the coach of the Coleman team.

"We have submitted the foregoing facts according to our understanding of same and respectfully ask that you give us information of direction as to how to proceed to get this matter settled. It being our first time to see a game of football automatically stopped because of the failure of the referee to make a decision, we are unable to tell the official result of this game. We shall cheerfully abide the decision of your office even though we feel that it was an incomplete game and that the ruling of the referee was correct before he withdrew it. We can furnish ample evidence from spectators as to whether or not there really was an offside as claimed by Mr. Penn the umpire.

"Ballinger has a game next Thursday with Brady, at Brady. On Nov. 19 Ballinger is to play Winters and if it should be the decision of your office that this game is to be played over then we respectfully ask that you make it at such time as will not jeopardize our interests in the games mentioned.

"Ballinger's contention in this instance is that the score was tied

in an incomplete game and we ask that you give us instructions that we may go forward in our efforts for the district championship.

"Yours truly,
 H. C. LYON, Supt. Schools
 J. B. PACE, Prin. H. S.
 F. T. WRIGHT, Coach"

Statement of Two Coaches and Referee

"I, G. A. Scruggs, referee of the Ballinger vs. Coleman football game, do declare this to be true:

"In said game I asked the umpire to assist the head linesman as both teams were anxious. At the last of the game, Ballinger made a touchdown and in the try for point, the head linesman did not blow his whistle, thus automatically declaring all was well. The umpire was offside and later the head linesman said verbally that the defense was not offside. The point was made only by off-side penalty of the defense.

"Both coaches are willing to send in separate statements.

"Signed:
 FRANK STRINGER,
 Coach of the Coleman high school team
 FELTON WRIGHT,
 Coach of the Ballinger high school team
 G. A. SCRUGGS,
 Referee of the game, Asst. Coach at A. C. C., Abilene."

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Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lankford, of Abilene, visited Mrs. Lankford's parents in Ballinger over Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Holt has returned from Afton, Oklahoma, and other points in the Seconer State, where she had been visiting.

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BATES TO SERVE WILL HAVE OLD 'LIVE AT HOME' DINNER TUES. SONG FESTIVAL

R. L. Bates, farmer, residing between Novice and Crews in this county, is treating a few of his friends of Ballinger to a dinner at his home Tuesday. Mr. Bates raises almost everything that can be raised on a farm in the Southwest and Tuesday he is serving something of everything that he raises at home and nothing else.

Mr. Bates has been the heaviest individual exhibitor at the Runnels County Fair here, and last year he won many prizes with his display, which was more complete than many of the community booths in the agricultural building.

"It is a 'live at home' dinner," Mr. Bates explained to a reporter for The Ledger. "There will not be anything on the table that day that was not raised on my farm. It will be a truly 'live at home' dinner."

Mrs. Bates and a daughter will prepare the dinner for this occasion.

Those from Ballinger who will attend are: R. W. Bruce, C. W. Lehman, J. D. Motley, C. A. Doose, Fred Kiechle, John Currie, B. C. Kirk, E. D. Walker, R. G. Erwin, and probably four or five others.

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Real Estate Transfers

Warranty Deeds

C. C. Benson and wife to Nance Brown Motor Company, lot No. 7 of block No. 1 of Tinkle's addition to Winters, September 18, for the sum of \$1,400.

W. M. Glaze and wife to C. M. Meeks, 113 acres of the East end of block No. 19 of the Henry L. Bays survey No. 444, November 1, for the sum of \$5,367.50.

J. C. Loveless and wife to Addie Looks, lot 1 of block No. 24 of the original town plat of Miles, November 6, for the sum of \$1,200.

Oil Leases

E. Henderson and wife to the Sun-Loek Petroleum Company, 200 acres of the W. E. Pritchard survey No. 122, June 19, for the sum of \$10.

Royalty Contracts

L. Anna Jeanes to Eugene Mays 1-32 undivided interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals produced on 166.5 acres of the Summerabeon survey No. 435, October 22, for the sum of \$10.

Yearly Forecast: Birds Indicate Cold Winter

LIVINGSTON, Mont., Nov. 6.—If birds and animals know anything about the weather, it's going to be a long winter, predicts M. P. Skinner, field naturalist for Yellowstone Park.

"Ground squirrels began to hibernate 10 days earlier than usual," says Mr. Skinner. "Wood chucks went into seclusion two weeks before their ordinary winter bedtime and red pine squirrels started to gather pine cones much sooner than customary. Such nests of hibernating animals as I have opened are a good deal deeper this fall, indicating they are digging to get away from the frost."

"Birds from the North are coming in greater numbers and considerably in advance of the expected time."

Frank Holliday, of Cross Plains, was in Ballinger over the week-end visiting friends.

Be wise and advertise.

An old-fashioned "sing-song" will be held at the First Christian Church on Tuesday and Friday nights, it was announced Monday by Rev. Leslie G. Smyth, pastor of the church, who declared that these services are to be community-wide events, and every man, woman and child in Runnels county is invited to attend.

Tuesday night A. R. Jones will be director of the song services, while on Friday night, Troy Simpson will be the director. Mrs. Coy Drennan will be the pianist for each occasion.

"The services will be very much informal," Rev. Smyth stated. "Old melodies will be heard as well as old songs that were sung by the boys over there during the World War. Every man, woman and child in Runnels county is invited to attend these meetings, regardless of their church affiliations, their political views, vocation, avocation or profession."

This is a community-wide project but the First Christian Church is bearing the expenses. Large crowds are expected for both nights, Rev. Smyth said.

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Curtis Reese, who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, left for Lubbock Sunday.

Forrest Futeh is here from North Texas visiting his father, F. D. Futeh.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson and children of Dallas, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Yeager, Mrs. Hanson's parents.

Advices Ailing Women

"I was run down in health some years ago and was advised to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," said Mrs. Effie Carter of 2516 Rosewood St., Dallas, Texas, whose picture appears here. "It was recommended to me as the most reliable feminine tonic and I believe it is. It helped me in every way and I have heard a great many say that it did the same for them. I believe all who try the 'Favorite Prescription' will be greatly benefited."

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Says Noises of City Lower Life and Health

CHICAGO, Nov. 8.—If the rattle, bang and roar of the city could be eliminated, the average life of its residents would be prolonged about seven years, declares Chicago's commissioner of health, Dr. Herman N. Bundeson. Individual and community efficiency would at the same time be materially increased.

"Noise is always a tax on nerves," says the commissioner who has been attempting to lessen the street noises of Chicago. "It causes almost as much wear and tear as the exertion one puts forth in the performance of daily work."

"Although one can and does get accustomed to noises which are a part of one's daily life, yet unusual and unnecessary noise tends to upset the nerves and cause annoyance. Constant din may also affect the brain in such a way as to cause dizziness, giddiness and nausea in some persons."

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Harbor and family and R. J. Deens spent Sunday in Abilene visiting friends.

L. A. Curry, of Miles, commissioner of precinct No. 4, was in Ballinger Monday to attend the commissioners' court's monthly meeting.

R. A. Terry, of San Antonio, former county clerk of Runnels county, was in Ballinger Monday looking after business and shaking hands with friends.

J. D. Smith was down from the Winters country Monday, looking after business.

E. C. Chilton, court stenographer of Coleman, came up Monday morning to attend court.

Judge Walter Woodward, of Coleman, came to Ballinger Monday to attend court.

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Judge Walter U. Early, district attorney, of Brownwood, came up on the noon train Monday to attend court for the third week.

John Heck, commissioner of precinct No. 3, of Wilmett, was in Ballinger Monday to attend commissioners' court.

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An efficiency expert has come to the conclusion that the worst workers are widows and fat men, and that the most efficient are confirmed spinners and men who are either tall and wiry or of small stature.

Baby wasps wear little bibs to catch the drops of honey that drop down their chins. This discovery was made by the naturalist Fabre when he broke into a nursery of a nest to watch the nurses feed the young.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger

German City Erects Monument to a Pig; Source of its Wealth

BERLIN, Nov. 6.—The city of Lueneberg has erected a beautiful monument to a lean, scraggly pig. The memorial, a bronze reproduction of the now famous animal, was put up out of gratitude for the great increase in the city's wealth, growing out of a discovery made by the pig.

About five years ago the owner of the porker noticed its peculiar pranks in the grazing yard. He investigated and found it heaving a deposit of salt. The deposit has since been exploited and is one of the richest table salt mines in Germany.

Tommy Hall and Drew Dickson have returned from Georgetown,

where they spent the week-end with friends at Southwestern University.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Batts and family spent Sunday in Abilene visiting friends.

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