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## The White Store

...Our Great Clearing and Outlet Sale...

MULMINATING in the disposal of Summer Goods at less than Factory Prices. While the summer is yet long it is our policy to dispose of all goods so that we may be able to offer only the new patterns and designs of the pext season. Merchandise of all kinds has been advanced to an extent that few realize is possible, hence these offerings should be specially attractive. Every article that we list is a bargain at a price less than the manufacturer lists it today. All the goods we list are new and fresh of this season's purchase. If you want the best of goods at the lowest prices, come and see us.

Coronet Prints in dark blue only Columbia Prints, light and dark	4c	36 inch Fine White Lined 28 inch Fine Persian Lawn 31 inch Organdy, Pink, Blue
Garner Red Prints, Cardinal and Cerise Central Park Shirting Prints Columbia Grey and Dark Prints Short Lengths in Sea Island Domestic Soft Finish Bleached Domestic 36 inch Unbleached Dimity 30 inch Cross Barred Muslin Lily Lawns, small figures, white back grounds Batiste Lawns, Floral and Kimona designs 31 inch White Lawn, 20c grade 40 inch White Batiste, as sheer as you want, 25c grade 31 inch Striped Swiss, 20c quality 36 inch Striped White Waisting	5c 5c 6c 5c 7c 9c 7c 3-4c 5c 10c 15c 1-2c 15c	31 inch Organdy, Pink, Blue and Grand Grand Strong 36 inch Very fine Nainsook, Sr Soft and Strong 17x37 Bleached Honey Combels 18 inch Unbleached Crash 68 inch Bleached Damask 96 inch Red Table Linen, Colors Ladies Fine Ribbed and full ed Vests Ladies Embroidered Wash White Ladies Embroidered Hand chiefs, 20c kind Ladies White and Colored Handkerchiefs Ladies Long Gloves in Black
36 inch Colored Madras, for Shirt- waists 28 inch Book Fold Madras 31 inch Solid Color Ginghams 7 A. F. C. Ginghams, in all the	15c 10c 1-2c	White Ladies Lisle Gloves, Blace White Polka Dotted Duck Coin Spot Swiss, large or dot
36 inch Fine Brown Linen	20c	Misses and Childrens Fans

c	36 inch Fine White Lined	25c
	28 inch Fine Persian Lawn	15c
ic	31 inch Organdy, Pink, Blue, Red and Gan	10c
ic	36 inch Liette Suiting	15c
c	36 inch very fine Nainsook, Smooth Soft and Strong	15c
ic	17x37 Bleached Honey Comb Tow-	10-
	els	10c
c	18 inch Unbleached Crash	5c
c	68 inch Bleached Damask	29c
c	96 inch Red Table Linen, Fast	35c
c	Colors	350
	Ladies Fine Ribbed and full Tap- ed Vests	10c
c	Ladies Embroidered Wash Belts	100
ic	White	10c
c	Ladies Embroidered Handker-	100
-	chiefs, 20c kind	10c
c	Ladies White and Colored Hem	
c	Handkerchiefs	5c
c	Ladies Long Gloves in Black and	
	White	50c
c	Ladies Lisle Gloves, Black or	
c	White	25c
c	Polka Dotted Duck	7 1-2c
-	Coin Spot Swiss, large or small	12.1.2.
C	dot	12 1-2c

## R. A. RISSER &



BUBLES BURST AND "REDUCTION SALES" THAT ARE NOT GENUINE REDUCTION SALES DON'T LAST LONG. IF YOU HAVE NOTICED OUR FRONT DOOR YOU HAVE SEEN MANY PEOPLE GOING AWAY WITH BIG FAT BUNDLES UNDER THEIR THIS MEANS THAT THEY FIND THINGS IN OUR RETHEY WOULD RATHER HAVE THAN THEIR MONEY AND IT MEANS THAT THOSE WHO COME TO OUR STORE FIND THAT WE BACK UP WITH OUR GOODS WHAT WE SAY ON PAPER.

# Winkler Dry Goods Com'ny

# THE GRANDEST OCCASION

Feature of the Three Days Festivities a Everybody Happy and Success. Having a Good Time

### WITNESS PEOPLE

ever more successfully pulled of red. A large black team with than the Confederate and old red harness driven by Mrs. Kirk settler's Reunion and Midsum- who was also dressed in red, mer fair just closing in Ballinger. made one of the prettiest mem-Every feature of the festivities bers in the parade. Mrs. Geo was carried out to perfection; and Vaughn was awarded the prize we say "Hats off" to the Com- for the best decorated single rig, mercial club and all others who which presented a solid coating did their duty towards the end of white and green chrysanthe-

accomplished. the parade which was billed to the buggy of Mrs. Lee Maddox. Constable Pilcher and one Claytake place at 9:30. About the This rig represented much work brook. It seems that Mr Pilchhour set the Marshal of the in its decoration and was a cluster had rented Claybrook a house Parade. Jno. F. Maddox, mount- ter of the ever pretty morning and two weeks rent had been ed on his handsome bay horse and glory with a green back ground, paid in advance. Claybrook vahave done credit to any general, serves credit for the showing the time expired and wanted assisted by his deputies, lined up made. the various floats, rigs, etc., opposite the court house square, and led by the band the parade double gate of the City park, and which Mr. Pilcher was collect-5,000 people, at least, witnessed over 3000 people. Everything two passed and some other ugly this, the grandest thing of the had been arranged in perfect words, and a few blows when

the parade, even if we were auditorum.

on handsome horses.

Then Ballinger twenty years them. ago by a bunch of cow boys, and The largest number of camps Bulletinthe Ballinger up-to-date, by a were established on the grounds float handsomely decorated and than of any previous occasion, filled with a crowd of sweet little and every body seemed to get girls. Following these arrange more pleasure out of the three ments were the business floats days fun than on any previous and we mention those represent- occasion.

& Hathaway, Hall Hardware Co., union. Woodmen Circle.

little children and pony rig of suing term:

W. A. Norman. everything kept in a hardware day. store, and in the center was a large Majestic range presided Martin's fire show give three over by a colored cook and four successful exhibitions, and on orated with bright stars on each triate of Miss Maggie Holliday, conner of the wagon.

double rig to Mrs. B. C. Kirk. This rig represented the Moon Buggy. A new moon being the arrange-

No occasion in Ballinger was ments and the decorations all in

### AT THE GROUNDS.

where the business men are so grounds sprinkled to keep down near evenly matched. alive and interested in those the dust, and the different at-

equal to the task. If you did not! The band made music to a Baker College this year again see them it is your misfortune. crowd of over 3500 people and and will have charge of the The three ages of Ballinger the program carried out without coaching of the football were represented in the parade, a hitch. The Commercial Club team. The Daniel Baker boys Ballinger forty years ago by a served free barbecue, bread, cof- expect to put out a winning team bunch of Red skins, dressed in fee, etc., to the old soldiers and this season and with their experfect Indian style and mounted their families and every thing captain in the back field and else on the ground was free to coaching the team they have

The three days fun, frolic and Higginbotham-Currie Co, Bal- amusement closes this evening C. Hill which occured at Elida, linger Dry Goods Co., Citizens with a big open air concert by N. M. on August 16th. National Bank. Winkler Dry the band, and as far as we know Goods Co., VanPelt & Kirk, R. people returned to their respec-A. Risser & Co., R. L. Shaffer, tive homes happy and glad that Jones, Walton & Co., Lankford they attended the Ballinger re-

At the close of the second The single rigs in the parade days program the Old Soldiers were Mrs. Lee Maddox, Mrs. and Son's and Daughters held a Geo. Vaughn, Mrs. E. V. Bate- business meeting and elected man, Mrs. Jno. I. Guion and the the following officers for the en-

J. W. Ratchford, Pres; J. S. The Judges appointed to award. Moore, Vice Pres; H. D. Pearce, Hill died. the premiums tied the blue rib- Sec; W. A. McBeth, Treas; bon to the VanPelt & Kirk float. Henry Evans, Chaplain; Chas. which was fitted up with most F. Dickinson, Marshall of the

### THE FIRE SHOW

little girls dressed in black, dec- the third night put on the porwho received the largest vote as The Judges also awarded the being the most popular young prize for the best decorated lady, The show was good at Carhartts & Fincks Overalls and each performance.

THE BALL.

From all accounts the ball last

night was the most successful thing of the kind in the three days entertainment. The attendance was good the music fine, and everything passed off in the very best of order.

### Bob Millikin Dead.

News was received here this morning of the death of R. A. Millikin which occured at his home at Tohoka in Lynn county Thursday evening. Mr. Millikin had been sick some time with dropsy. Mr. Millikin sold out here and moved to Lynn county last fall. He was one of the early settlers in this county and has many friends here who will learn of his death with sorrow.

At the time of going to press we fail to learn what arrangements had been made for the funeral.

### Fight at Court House.

What might have been a bad scrape took place at the Court The first on the program was We make special mention of house last Saturday between with that dignified air that would Every one in the parade de- cated the house a week before Mr. Pilcher to refund him the rent for the unexpired time, and The parade ended at the big let the money apply on a fine started down Hutchins Ave. was followed to this point by ing from Claybrook. A lie or kind ever pulled off in Ballinger. readiness on the grounds for the by standers interfered. Clay-It was a parade that filled our convenience and comfort of the brook is a good deal larger man hearts with joy and satisfaction people. Big tanks of ice water than than the constable and the that we are citizens of a town provided, the streets and the Scrapyers were not any ways

things that work for the best tractions in the way of shows, Elmer Simpson of Ballinger arhobby horse, etc., arranged so as rived last night and will sing at Space forbids us to decribe in not to enterfere with the carry- the Majestic this week during detail each business are rigs in ing out of the program in the the absence of Miss Faye Bonds. Mr. Simpson will attend Daniel good prospects.-Brownwood

### J. C. Hill Dead.

J. F. Lusk, clerk of the Woodmen Lodge at Ballinger, received a notice from the clerk of the Woodmen Lodge at Roswell New Mexico, of the death of J.

Mr. Hill formerly lived at Ballinger and Miles, and was at one time proprietor of the old City Hotel which occupied the lot where the Ballinger State Bank

He was a member of the Ballinger Woodmen Lodge, having a \$2000 insurance policy in the order. Mrs. Hill has been keeping the dues paid up, and the policy was in force when Mr.

### An Extraordinary Bargain.

I have a nice little farm, 201 acres near Maverick, good 3 room house, about 50 acres in cultivation that I will sell at a BAR-GAIN if sold by 1st of Sept.

tf L. E. Bair, at Globe Store.

Heldman & Heldman High grade clothing.

The Globe.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County-Greeting:-

You are hereby commanded to summon William M. Baylor and the vious to the return day hereof, in to verify. some newspaper published in your nels County, to be holden at the he may be justly entitled to. Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the fourth Monday in September A. D. 1907, the same being 5th day of January, A. D., 1907, in have executed the same. a suit, numbered on the docket of Clark is plaintiff, and William M. Wm. M. Baylor, Walker K. Baylor, George W. Baylor, T. J. Baylor, John Baylor, Wm. Baylor, Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. Dodge, W. A. Highsmith, Josiah Baylor, J. W. Baylor, Mrs. J. Baylor, M. J. Baylor, and the unknown heirs of all of said parties, are Defendants, and said petition alleging .... THE STATE OF TELAS,

County of Runnels. In the District Court of Runnels

County, March Term, 1907. said County:-

the court: of December, 1906, plaintiff was law- being the 30th day of Sept., A. D. fully seized and possessed of the fol- 1907, then and there to answer lowing described land and premises, a petition filed in said Court situated in Runnels County, Texas, on the 5th day of January holding and claiming the same in fee A. D. 1907, in a suit, numbered simple to-wit: One Hundred and on the docket of said Court No. 844, Sixty-Nine and 80-100 acres of land wherein C. E. Seay is Plaintiff, and out of the S.E. corner of Wm. M. Bay- William M. Baylor and the unknown lor Surve; No. 279, Certificate No. heirs of Wm. M. Baylor, Walker K. 109, Abstract No. 27, Patent No. Baylor, George W. Baylor, T. J. Bay-615, Vol. No. 27, said 169 80-100 acre lor, John Baylor, Wm. Baylor, Annie tract being described by metes and E. Baylor, Annie E. Dodge, W. A. bounds as follows, to-wit:

279; thence S. 60 W. 1374 varas to parties are Defendants, and said pe-Center of Oak Creek; Thence up Oak tition alleging . . . Creek with its meanderings as fol- THE STATE OF TEXAS lows: N. 18 W. 328 varas, N. 13 E. 292 varas, N. 21 E. 86 varas, N. 30 E. 52 varas, N. 17 W. 80 varas, County, March term, 1907. varas, N. 35 W. 70 varas, N. 51 E. 100 varas, S. 75 E. 70 him the possession thereof, to his herein plaintiff represents to the damage \$5000; and that the reason- court: able annual rental value of said land and premises is \$500.

the true and lawful owner of the lowing described land and premises, above described tract of land, has situated in Runnels County, Texas, had and held under color of title holding and claiming the same in from and under the State of Texas, fee simple to-wit: One hundred and he is ready to verify.

whose estate he has, claiming the scribed by metes and bounds as fol- State of Texas, same under deeds duly registered, lows, to-wit: have had peaceable, continuous and Beginning at a stake in channel of nels. adverse possession of the above de- Oak Creek in North boundary line of To the Hon. District Court of said scribed land and tenements, culti- said survey No. 279; thence N. 60 County and State:vating, using and enjoying the same, E. crossing Oak Creek twice 615 Tad E. Richards, Robert Richard this the 22 day of July A. D. 1907. and paying all taxes due thereon, varrs to the N. E. corner of said surfor a period of more than five years vey No. 279; thence S. 30 E. 1097 her husband, H. D. McKown, and Dist Court, Runnels county.

next preceding said date of December 1, 1906, and this he is ready to East line of said survey; then verify.

unknown heirs of William M. Baylor, estate he has, claining to have good ning and that on the day and year walker K. Baylor, George W. Baylor, John Baylor, Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. Dodge, Heirs of John E. Garvin, deceased, by William Baylor, Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. Dodge, W. A. Highsmith, last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and last aforesaid defendants unlawfully en W. A. Highsmith, Josiah Baylor, same, and have had adverse posses-J. W. Baylor, Mrs. J. Baylor, M. J. sion thereof, cultivating, using and session thereof, to his 'amage 5000; Heirs of each of said parties, and John your County, if there be a newspaper Baylor, and the unknown heirs of all enjoying the same for a peof said parties, by making publica- riod of more than ten years tal value of said land and premises is John o. Moore, deceased, said parties Judicial District; but if there be no tion of this Citation once in each next preceding said date of De- \$500. week for eight successive weeks pre-cember 1, 1906, and this he is ready

Wherefore, plaintiff prays judg-County, if there be a newspaper pub- ment of the Court that defendants lished therein, but if not, then in be cited to appear and answer this any newspaper published in the petition, and that plaintiff have Thirty-fifth Judicial District; but if judgment for the title and possession there be no newspaper published in of said above described land and said Judicial District, then in a news- premises, and that writ of restitupaper published in the nearest Dis- tion issue, and for his rents, damtrict to said Thirty-fifth Judicial Dis- ages and costs of swit, and for such trict, to appear at the next regular other and further relief, general and term of the District Court of Run- special, in law and in equity, that

B. B. STONE, Attorney for Plaintiff, H. T. Clark. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have bethe thirtieth day of Septemger fore said Court, at its aforesaid next 1907, then and there to answer a regular term, this writ with your petition filed in said Court on the return thereon, showing how you

WITNESS, R. A. Terry, Clerk of said Court No. 843, wherein H. T. the District Court of Runnels County. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and Baylor, and the unknown heirs of the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, this, the 5th day of July, A. D., 1907.

R. A. TERRY, Clerk District Court, Runnels

### STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County-Greeting:

You are hereby commanded summon William M. Baylor and the unknown heirs of Wm. M. Baylor, To the Honorable District Court of Walker K. Baylor, George W. Baylor, T. J. Baylor, John Baylor, Wm. Now comes H. T. Clark, who re- Baylor, Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. sides in Runnels county, Tex., and is Dodge, W. A. Highsmith. Josiah hereinafter called plaintiff, com- Baylor, J. W. Baylor, Mrs. J. Baylor, plaining of Wm. M. Baylor and the M. J. Baylor and the unknown heirs unknown heirs of Wm. M. Baylor, of all of said parties, by making Walker K. Baylor, George W. Bay- publication of this Citation once in lor, T. J. Baylor, John Baylor, Wm. each week for eight successive weeks Baylor, Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. previous to the return day hereof, in Dodge, W. A. Highsmith, Josiah some newspaper published in your Baylor, J. W. Baylo Mrs. J. Bay- County, if there be a newspaper publor, M. J. Baylor, and the unknown lished therein, but if not, then in heirs of all of said parties, all of any newspaper published in the Thirsaid parties except plaintiff being ty-fifth Judicial District; but if there hereinafter called defendants, and be no newspaper published in said the name of those mentioned as un- Judicial District, then in a newspaper known heirs, and their places of resi- published in the nearest District to dence, and places of residence of the said Thirty-fifth Judicial District, to plaintiff unknown; and for cause of the District Court of Runnels County, A. D., 1907. action herein plaintiff represents to to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the 4th Mon-1. That on or about the first day day in Sept., A. D. 1907, the same Highsmith, Josiah Baylor, J. W. Bay-Beginning at the original S. E. lor, Mrs. J. Baylor, M. J. Baylor, corner of said Baylor Survey Nc. and the unknown heirs of all of said

County of Runnels.

In the District Court of Runnels

N. 78 W. 52 varas, S. 62 W. 127 To the Honorable District Court of

said County:-Now comes C. E. Seay, who resides varas, N. 65 E. 32 varas, and N. 12 in Runnels County, Texas, and is E. 37 varas to the S. W. corner of hereinafter called plaintiff, complainthe tract out of said survey sold by ing of William M. Baylor and the un-Odom-Luckett Land & Live Stock known heirs of Wm. M. Baylor, Wal-Company to J. C. Sumrall, Feb. 26, ker K. Baylor, George W. Baylor, T. 1891, by deed recorded on page 246 J. Baylor, John Baylor, Wm. Baylor, et seq. of volume No. 13 of the deed Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. Dodge, records of said Runnels County; W. A. Highsmith, Josiah Baylor, J Thence N. 60 E. with the South line W. Baylor, Mrs. J. Baylor, M. J. of said Sumrall tract 945 varas to Baylor, and the unknown heirs of all its S. E. corner on the east bound- of said parties, all of said parties exary line of said Baylor survey; cept plaintiff being hereinafter called Thence S. 30 E. 793 varas to the defendants, and the names of those place of beginning, and that on the mentioned as unknown heirs, and day and year last aforesaid defend- their places of residence, and the ant unlawfully entered upon said places of residence of the named depremises and ejected plaintiff there- fendants all being to the plaintiff from, and unlawfully withhold from unknown; and for cause of action

1. That on or about the first day of December, 1906, plaintiff was law-2. That plaintiff claiming to be fully seized and possessed of the fol-

varas to a stone mound for con

60 W. 985 varas to a stake in chan-4. That he, plaintiff, and those nel of Oak Creek; thence up channel lawfully withhold from him the pos- Baylor, M. J. Baylor, and the Unknown of in some newspaper published in and that the reasonable annual ren- O Moore, and the Unknown Heirs of any newspaper published in the 35th

the true and lawful owner of the above described tract of land, has had able, continuous and adverse posses- plaintiffs, represent: sion thereof for a period of more ready to verify.

3. That he, plaintiff, and those whose estate he has, claiming the same under deeds duly registered, have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of above described lands and tenements, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of more than five years next nels County, Texas: preceding said date of December 1, 1906, and this he is ready to verify.

4. That he, plaintiff, and those under whom he claims and whose estate he has, claiming to have good and perfect right and title to the above described land and premises, have had and held peaceably the same, and have had adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period and this he is ready to verify.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays judgment of the Court that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, and for his rents, damages and costs of suit, and for such other and further

B. B. STONE, Attorney for plaintiff, C. E. Seay. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your re-

WITNESS, R. A. Terry, Clerk of the District Court of Runnels County. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the seal of said Court, at office in Balnamed defendants all being to the appear at the next regular term of linger, this, the 5th day of July,

executed the same.

(SEAL) R. A. TERRY, Clerk. District Court, Runnels County

### Citation by Publication

County-Greeting: heirs of Wm. M. Baylor, deceased, and ing of this suit and that plaintiffs' said of this suit and that Plaintiffs' said T. J. Baylor, John Baylor, William perfected by the five years Statute of perfected by the five years Statute of Dodge, W. A. Highsmith, Josiah Bay- ed: lor, J. W. Baylor, Mrs. J. Baylor, Plaintiffs further allege that they, M. J. Baylor, and the un- and those under whom they claim, have known heirs of each of said parties, been in the actual, peaceable and sdand John O. Moore, and the unknown verse possession of said tracts of land, Heirs of John O. Moore deceased, by having the same inclosed by a good and making publication of this Citation lawful fence, cultivating, using and enonce in each week for eight successive joying the same for the period of more of, in some newspaper published in of this suit, and that plaintiffs' said published therein, but if not, then in perfected by the ten years Statute of any newspaper published the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the 5th Monday in September, A. D. 1907, the same being the 30th day of September, A. D. 1907, then and the.e to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 22nd day of July A. D. 1907 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 875, wherein I'ad E. Bichards, Robert Richards, Mrs. Nettie McKnown, joined herein by her husband, H. D. McKnown, and John Richards, a minor, who sues herein by his next friend Tad E. Richards are Plaintiffs, and Wm. M. Baylor, and the unknown heirs of Wm. M. Baylor, deceased, and Walker K. Baylor, George W. Baylor, T. J. Baylor, John Baylor, William Baylor, Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. Dodge, W. A. Highsmith, peaceable, continuous and adverse Nineteen and 2-10 acres of land, Josiah Baylor, J. W. Baylor, Mrs. J. possession thereof for a period of more or less, out of the N. E. Corner Baylor, M. J. Baylor, and the unknown more than three years next preceding of Wm. M. Baylor Survey No. 279, heirs of each of said parties, and John said date of December 1, 1906, which | Certificate No. 109, Abstract No. 27, | O. | Moore, and the unknown Patent No. 615, Volume No. 27, said Heirs of John O. Moore, deceased—are lar term, this writ with your return lar term, this writ with your return 3. That he, plaintiff, and those 119 2-10 acre tract of land being dedefendants—and said petition alleging. thereon, showing how you have execut-In District Court Sep-County of Run- tember Term, 1907.

s next friend Tad E. Richards. herein styled Plaintiffs, and who reside THE STATE OF TEXAS: To the in the County and Stase aforesaid, com- Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels plaining of Wm. M. Baylor, and the Un- County-Greeting: estate he has, claiming to have good ning and that on the day and year ed, and Walker K. Baylor, George W. mon John E. Garvin and the unknown

as, a minor, who sues here-

herein complained of are hereinafter newspaper published in said Judicial 2. That plaintiff claiming to be styled defendants; that their place or District, then in a newspaper published places of residence are unknown to in the nearest District to said 35th plaintiffs and that the names of the Judicial District, to appear at the next

than three years next preceding said the first day of July, 1907, plaintiffs 1907, the same being the 30th day of date of Dec. 1, 1906, which he is were then and are now lawfully seized September A. D. 1907, then and there

> of land, to wit:as the John O. Moore Survey No. 467, R. Richards, J, R. Richards, Mrs. Certificate No. 1360, Abstract No. 385, Nettie McKown-and her husband, H.

Abstract No. 27, Certificate No. 109, deceased are Defendants, and said pepatented to said Wm. M. Baylor by tition alleging Patent No. 615, Vol. 27, situated in the The State of Texas, | In District Court County and State aforesaid adjoining and lying East of the said John O. place of beginning:

That Plaintiffs, and those under represent: actual, peaceable and adverse posses- were then and are now lawfully seized sion thereof under title and color of and possessed, holding the same by fee

Plaintiffs further allege that they,

weeks previous to the return day here- that ten years next preceding the filing your County, if there be a newspaper title to said lands has long since been in of Limitations herein pleaded and as-

said peaceable possession thereto, to age: their great damage:

behalf expended and for general relief. for general relief.

J. W. Powell & M. C, Smith Attys. for Plaintiffs HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regu- said Court, at its aforesaid next regued the same.

Witness, R. A. Terry, Clerk of the District Court of Runnels County. Given under my hand and the Seal R. A. Terry, Clerk

Citation by Publication.

and held under color of title from aforesaid unknown heirs of the afore- regular term of the District Court of and under the State of Texas, peace- said named defendants are unknown to Runnels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on That heretofore, to wit, on or about the 5th Monday in September A. D. and possessed, holding the same by fee to answer a petition filed in said Corrt simple title, as hereinafter shown, the on the 18th day of July A. D. 1907. following described tracts and parcels in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 874, wherein T. J. Rich-First Tract-640 Acres of land, known ards, R. L. Richards, T. E. Richards, patented to John O. Moore by Patent D. McKown, and John W. Richards, a No. 1003, Vol. No. 6. situated in Run- minor, represented herein by T. E. Richards as Guardian and next friend Second Tract-351 Acres of land out are Plaintiffs, and John E. Garvin and of the Wm. M. Baylor Survey No. 279, the unknown Heirs of John E. Garvin,

County of Runnels 1907.

Moore Survey, the said 351 Acres being To the Hon. Distict Court of Runnels all of the said Wm. M. Baylor Survey, County, Texas:-T. J. Richards, R. L. on the West side of Oak Creek, and T. E. Richards, R. Richards, J. R. described by metes and bounds as fol- Richards, Mrs. Nettie McKown and of more than ten years next preced- lows; -Beginning at the N. W. corner her husband, H. D. McKown, and John ing said date of December 1, 1906 of the said Wm. M. Baylor Survey, No. W. Richaads, a minor represented here-279-Thence N. 600 E. to the middle in by the said T. E. Richards as guarof the channel of Oak Creek-Thence dian and next friend of the said John down said creek with its meanderings W. Richards, hereinafter styled Plainto a point 526 varas N. 600 E. from the tiffs, who reside in said County and S. W. corner of this Survey. Thence State, complaining of John E. Garvin. S. 600 W. with the S. line of said Sur- and of the Unknown Heirs of John E. vey, 526 varas to its S. W. corner- Garvin, deceased, whose names and Thence N. 300 W. 1900 Varas to the place of residence are unknown to Plaintiffs, herein styled defendants,

relief, general and special, in law whom they claim, have been so seized That heretofore, towit, on or about and in equity, that he may be justly and possessed of said tracts of land, in the 1st day of July, 1907, Plaintiffs title by a regular chain of transfers simple title, as hereinafter shown, the from and under the soverignty of the following described tract of land, to soil, through mesne conveyances down wit: Three Hundred and Ninety-six to them for a period more than three Acres of land originally granted to turn thereon, showing how you have years next preceding the filing of this John E, Garvin by virtue of Certificate suit and that plaintiffs' said title to No. 100 and patented to John E. Carsaid tracts of land has long since been vin on the 18th day of February, 1875, perfected by the three years Statute of by Patent No. 540 Vol No. 20, being Limitations herein pleaded and assert- Survey No. 402 Abstract No. 196 situated in Runnels County. Texas:

That Plaintiffs, and those under and those under whom they claim, have whom they claim, have been so seized been so seized and possessed of said and possessed of said land under deeds tracts of land under Deeds duly record- duly recorded in the Deeds Records of d in the Deed Records of Runnels Runnels County, Texas, and paying all County, Texas, having paid all taxes taxes due upon said land up to the due upon said lands up to the date of date of the filing of this suit and have filling of this suit, and in actuai, peace- been in actual, peaceable and adverse THE STATE OF TEXAS: To the able and adverse possession of same, possession of said tract of land, having Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels having the same inclosed by a good and lawful jawful fence, cultivating, using and en- fence, cultivating, using and enjoying You are hereby commanded to sum- joying the same for the period of more | the same for the period of more than mon Wm. M. Baylor, and the unknown than five years next preceding the fil- five years next preceding the filing of Walker K. Baylor, George W. Baylor. title to said lands has long since been title to said land has long since been Baylor, Annie E. Baylor, Annie E. Limitations herein pleaded and assert- Limitations herein pleaded and assert-

> Plantiffs further allege that they, and those under whom they claim and whose title they hold, have been in the actual, peaceable and adverse possession of said tract of land, having the same inclosed by good and lawful ferrce, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for the period of more than ten years next preceding the filing of this suit, and that Plaintiffs' said Title to said land has long since been perfected by the ten years Statute of Limitations herein pleaded and asserted:

That on or sbout the said first day of That on or about the first day of July, 1907, while Plaintiffs were so law-July, 1907, while plaintiffs were so fully seized and possessed of said land, lawfully seized and possessed of said holding the same under the Title herelands, holding the same under the title inbefore pleaded the defendants herein hereinbefore pleaded, the aforesaid asserted and are now asserting some defendants asserted and are now as- pretended claim of Title in and to said serting some peetended claim of title land, the exact nature of which is unin and to said lands, exact nature of known to Plaintiffs, which has cast a which is unknown to plaintiffs which cloud upon Plaintiffs Title to said land has cast a cloud upon plaintiffs' said and disturbed their said peaceable title to said lands and disturbed their possession thereto, to their great dam-

Wherefore premises considered, Wherefore, premises considered, Plaintiffs pray that Defendants be plaintiffs pray that defendants be cited cited by publication, in manner and by publication, in manner and form as form as required by law in such case required by law in such case made and made and provided, to answer herein. provided, to answer herein and that on and that on final hearing hereof they final hearing hereof they have judg- have judgment agaidst said defendants ment against the defendants for the for the recovery of the Title to said recovery of title to said lands and that land, and that said cloud so cast theresaid cloud so cast thereon be removed, on be removed, and that they be quietand that they be quieted in their pos- ed in their possession thereto, and for session thereto, and for all costs in this all costs in this behalf expended and

J. W. Powell and M. C. Smith Atty., for Plaintiffs. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have before cuted the same.

Witness, R. A. Terry, Clerk of the District Court of Runnels County. Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger of said Court, at office in Ballinger this the 19th day. of July A. D. 1907. R. A. Terry, Clerk, (Seal)

Dist Court, Runnels County.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS:-To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County-Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to summon Samuel Herring and the unknown Heirs of Samuel Herring, deceased, and W. L. Herring and the unnkown Heirs of W. L. Herring, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but f there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the 5th Monday in September A. D. 1907, the same being the 30th day of September A. D. 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 25th day of July A. THE STATE OF TEXAS: To the D. 1907, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 876, wherein R. K. Wylie, Mrs. Mollie Modena Wylie and Cicero Smith, are Plaintiffs, and Samuel Herring and the unknown Heirs of Samuel Herring, deceased, and W. L. Herring and the unknown Heirs of W. L. Herring, deceased are Defendants, and said petition alleging. County of Runnels.

Court of Runnels County, Texas, at its Sept. Term A. D. 1907. To the Hon. District Court of Runnels

County:-Now comes R. K. Wylie, Mrs. Mollie Modenia Wylie, and Cicero Smith who reside in Palo Pinto County, Texas. and who are hereinafter styled plaintiffs, complaining of Samuel Herring, and the unknown heirs of Samuel Herring, deceased, and W. L. Herring and the unknown heirs of W. L. Herring, deceased, who are hereinafter styled defendants, the place or places or residence of the said defendants and of all of them are unknown to these plaintiffs, and for cause of action plaintiffs represent and show to the court:-That on the first day of January A. D. 1907 these plaintiffs were lawfully ossessed of the following described tract of land lying and being The State of Texas, situated in the county of Runnels, State of Texas, and described as fol- County of Runnels. lows, towit:-Twelve Hundred and Eighty acres of land, on the water of the Colorado River about 26 miles N. To the Hon. District Court of Runnels 70 W. of the Junction of the Colorado County:and the Concho Rivers, known as sur- Now comes R. K. Wylie, Mrs. Mollie vey No. 93 1-2, Abstract No. 244 locat- Modenia Wylie, and Cicero Smith, who ed by virtue of Headright certificate reside in Palo Pinto county, Texas, and No. 105 issued to the estate of said who are hereinafter styled plaintiffs, Samuel Herring, and patented to the complaining of Samuel Blair, and the 27th day of January A. D. 1875 by pat- deceased, who are hereinafter styled ent No. 8. Bounded as follows, towit; - defendants, the place or places of the N. O. R. R. Co., survey No. 93. - ing unknown to the plaintiffs. Thence North 3800 varas to a stake in And for cause of action these plainthe prairie for the N. W. corner of this tiffs represent and show to this court;survey. Thence East 1900 varas to a That on or about the first day of Janstake for the N. E. corner of this sur- urary A. D. 1907, these plaintiffs, and vey. Thence South 3800 varas to the each of them were seized and possessed N. E. corner of T. & N. O. R. R. Co. of the following described tract or parsurvey No 93. Thence West 1900 varas cel of land lying and being situated in to the place of beginning. And that the county of Runnels and State of Texon the day and year last above written, as, towit: One-Sixth of a league of defendants and each of them unlaw- 738 acres of land on the North Bank of fully enter upon the said land and prem. the Colorado River, about 18 miles S. ises, and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, 22. E. of Fort Chadbourne known as The State of Texas, In the District to, etc. and now unlawfully with-holds from survey No. 340, abstract No. 16, locat- county of Runnels. them the possession thereof, to their ed by virtue of Bounty warrant certi-

true and lawful owners and holders of said Samuel Blair, by patent No 84, county, Texas:the above and foregoing described Vol. 13, described by metes and bounds tract of land, have had and held under as follows:- Beginning at a stake set title and color of title from and under for the lower corner of survey No. 339 the State of Texas, peaceable, con- on the North Bank of the Colorado hereinafter called plaintiffs, complaining District Court of Runnels County. tinous and adverse possession thereof River from which an Elm 12 inches in of Alexander J. Loverly, and the unfor a period of more than three years diameter bears S. 22 W. 3 varas, and known heirs of said Alexander J. Lover- of said Court, at office in Ballinger this ing to verify, etc. next preceding the filing of this suit a mesquite 8 inches in diameter bears ly deceased, and A. J. Lyerly and the the 27th day of July A. D. 1907. and the said 1st day of January A. D. S. 22 E. 12 varas. Thence N. 30 E. unknown heirs of said A. J. Lyerly 1907, which they are ready and willing 3877 varas to stake and mound. Thence deceased, all of said parties, except District Court, Runnels County.

damage in the sum of \$5000.00.

to verify, etc.

estate they have, and under whom they North Bank of the River from dence of all of said defendants being to claim, claiming the same under deeds which an Elm 12 inches in diameter the plaintiffs unknown, And for cause duly registered in Runnels county Tex- bears S. 77 W. 8 varas, another Elm 10 of action plaintiffs represent to the as, have had peaceable, continuous and inches in diameter bears N. 53 E. 18 court:-That on or about the First day scribed tract or parcel of land and prem- meanderings to place of beginning. ises, cultivating, using and enjoying for a period of more than Five years them, unlawfully entered upon the said nels, State of Texas, and described as THE STATE OF TEXAS: To the

That these plaintiffs, and those un- \$5000.00. said first day of January A. D. 1907, ready to verify, etc. verify, etc.

premises, and that writ of restitution for a period of more than Five years 12 inches in diameter bears S. 22 E. wherein R. K. Wylie, Mollie Modenia Co. Call and see 113.

lief, general and special, in law and 1907, which they are read to verify, etc. 2nd. Tract:-Being One-Sixth of a Heirs of Johann Meinecke, deceased equity, that they may be entitled to,

C. H. Willingham,

Attorney for Plaintiffs. Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

District Court of Runnels County. Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger this the 27th day of July A. D. 1907.

R. A. Terry, Clerk. District Court, Runnels County. By J. Shields, Peputy. I hereby certify that the above foretation now in my hands.

> R. P- Kirk, Sheriff Runnels County Texas.

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Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County-Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to summon Samuel Blair and the uuknown in each week for eight successive weeks cuted the same. previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your District Court of Runnels County, The State of Texas, In the District County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial Dis- District Court, Runnels County. trict, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next true copy of the original citation now of this suit, and the said 1st day of regular term of the District Court of in my hands. Runnels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the 5th Monday in September A. D. 1907, the same being the 30th day of September A. D. 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court THE STATE OF TEXAS:-To the as, have had peaceable, continuous, adon the 25th day of July A. D, 1907, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 878, wherein R. K. Wylie, Mollie Modenia Wylie and Cicero Smith, are Plaintiff, and Samuel Blair and the unknown heirs of Samuel Blair deceased, are Defendants, and said petition al-

> In the District Court of Runnels County, Texas,

> at its Sept. Term A. D. 1907.

heir of said Samuel Herring on the unknown heirs of said Samuel Blair, Beginning at the N. W. Corner of T. & residence of all of said defendants be-

ficate No. 650 issued to said Samuel The plaintiffs; claiming to be the Blair and patented to the said heirs of To the Hon. District court of Runnels S. 60 E. 950 varas to stake and mound

the same, paying all taxes due thereon, above written, defendants, and each of being situated in the county of Runnext preceding the filing of this suit, land and premises, and ejected plain- follows, towit:and the said first day of January A. D. tiffs therefrom, and now unlawfully 1st, Tract:-Six Hundred and Forty 1907, which they are read; to verify, with-holds from them the possession acres in said Runnels County, on the

issue, and for their damages, costs of next preceding the filing of this suit, 12 varas. Thence up the river with its Wylie and Cicero Smith are Plaintiffs. suit, and for such other and further re- and the said 1st day of January A. D. meanderings to the place of beginning. and Johann Meinecke, and the unknown

der whom they claim, and whose es- said Runnels county, Texas, located on leging. tate they have, claiming to have good the North Bank of the colorado River The State of Texas, and perfect, right, title and claim in about 22 miles S. 26 E. of Fort chadand to the above described tract or bourne known as Survey No. 349 Absparcel of land and premises, have h.d, tract No. 343, located by virtue of and continuously held peaceably the Headright certificate No. 62 issued to same, and have had adverse possession said Alexander J. Loverly and patentof said land and premises, cultivating, ed to the said Heirs of said Alexander Witness, R. A. Terry, Clerk of the using and enjoying the same for a per- J. Loverly by patent No. 415 Vol. 17. iod of more than ten years next pre- dated July 1st. A. D. 1867. Described ceding the filing of this suit, and the by metes and bounds as follows, towit: said 1st day of January A. D. 1907, Beginning at a stake set on the North which they are ready and willing to Bank of the colorado River at the lowverify, etc.

be cited in terms of the law, to appear | Thence N. 30 E. 4255 varas to a stake going is a true copy of the original ci- and answer this suit, and that upon and mound. Thence S. 60 E. 950 varas have judgement of this court for the W. 1845 varas, to a stake on the North title and possession of the above de- Bank of the River, from which an Elm scribed land and premises, and that bears N. 27 W. 13 varas, and another a writ of restitution issue, and fur Elm bears N. 14 E. 23 varas. Thence their damages and costs of suit and for up the River with its meanderings to such other and further relief, general the place of beginning. And that on and special, in law and equity, that the day and year last aforesaid, defenthey may be entitled to etc. etc.

heirs of Samuel Blair deceased, by lar term, this writ with your return now unlawfully with-holds from them making publication of this Citation once thereon, showing how you have exe-

Witness, R. A. Terry, Clerk of the Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger this the 27th day or July A. D. 1907.

R. A. Terry Clerk By J. Shields Deputy.

I hereby certify that the above is

R. P. Kirk, Sheriff Runnels Co Texas.

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citation once in each week for eight to verify, etc. day hereof, in some newspaper publish- whom they claim, and whose estate they paper published therein, but if not, right, title and claim to the above dethe fifth monday in September A. D. to verify, etc. 1907, the same being the 30th day of Wherefore, premises considered, to answer a petition filed in said court court, and that defendants be cited, in on the 25th day of July A. D. 1907 in a terms of the law, to appear and ansuit, numbered on the docket of said swer this suit, and that upon final hear-Smith, are Plaintiffs, and Alexander J. of the above described land and premand said petition alleging.

court of Runnels county, Texas, at its Sept. Term A. D. 1907.

Modenia Wylie and Cicero Smith who re- ed the same. side in Palo Pinto County, Texas, and is plaintiffs, being hereinafter styled de-That these plaintiffs, and those whose Thence S. 30 W. to stake on the fendants, the place or places of resiadverse possession of said above de- varas. Thence up the River with its of January A. D. 1907, these plaintiffs were seized and possessed of the follow-And that on the day and year last ing tracts or parcels of land lying and

That these plaintiffs, and those un- League or 738 acres of land situated in are Defendants, and said petition aler corner of Survey No. 348 from which Wherefore, premises considered, an Elm bears S. 82 E. 13 varas, and Plaintiffs pray that the said defendants another Elm bears N. 14 E. 23 varas.

final hearing hereof, that plaintiffs to a stake and mound. Thence S. 30 dants, and each of them, unlawfully HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have before entered upon the said land and premissaid Court, at its aforesaid next regu- es, and ejected Plaintiff therefrom, and the possession thereof to their damage

> That plaintiffs, claiming to be the true and lawful owners and holders of the above and foregoing described two tracts or parcels of land, have had and held, under title, and color of title, from and under the State of Texas, peaceable, continuous, adverse possession thereof for a period of more than three years next preceding the filing January A. D., 1907, which they are ready to verify etc.

That the plaintiffs and those whose estate they have, and under whom they claim, claiming the same, under deeds duly registered, in Runnels county Tex-Sheriff or any constable of Runnels verse possession of said above described two tracts of land and tenements, You are Hereby commanded to sum cultivating, using and enjoying the mon Alexander J. Loverly and the un- same, paying all taxes due thereon, known heirs of said Alexander J. Lov- for a period of more than Five years erly deceased, and A. J. Lyerly, and next preceding the filing of this suit, the unknown heirs of A. J. Lyerly, de- and the said 1st day of January A. D. ceased by making publication of this 1907, which they are ready and willing

successive weeks previous to the return | That these plaintiffs, and those under ed in your county, if there be a news- have, claiming to have good and perfect then in any newspaper published in the scribed two tracts or parcels of land and 35th Judicial District; but if there be parcels of land and premises, have had no newspaper published in said Judicial and continuously held peaceably the District, then in a newspaper publish- same, and have had adverse possession ed in the nearest District to said 35th thereof, cultivating, using and enjoy-Judicial District, to appear at the next ing the same for a period of more than regular term of the District court of ten years next preceding the filing of etc. Runnels county, to be holden at the this suit, and the said 1st day of Jancourt House thereof, in Ballinger, on uary A. D. 1907, which they are ready

September A. D. 1907, then and there these plaintiffs pray judgement of this Mrs. Molfie Modenia Wylie and cicero ment for the title and the possession Loverly, and the unknown heirs of said ises, and that a writ of restitution is-A. J. Lyerly deceased, are Defendants, lief, general and special, in law and verify etc.

Attorney for the plaintiffs.

R. A. Terry, Clerk,

By J. Shields Deputy.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of the original citation now in my hands.

R. P. Kirk, Sheriff Runnels County Texas.

### Citation by Publication.

Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County-Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to sum- lar term, this writ with your return thereof to their damage in the sum of North bank of the colorado River, mon Johann Meinecke and the Un- thereon, showing how you have executabout Seventeen miles S. 20. E. of known heirs of John Meinecke, de- ed the same. der whom they claim, and whose es- That the plaintiffs, claiming to be the Fort chadbourne, known as Survey No. ceased, by making publication of this Witness, R. A. Terry, Clerk of the tate they have, claiming to have good true and lawfull owners and holders of 339, Abstract No. 360, located by vir- Citation once in each week for Eight District Court of Runnels County. and perfect right, title and claim to the above and foregoing tract of land, tue of certificate (Bounty Warrant) successive weeks previous to the re- Given Under My Hand and the Seal of and lose all interest when help is the above described tract and parcel of have had, and held under title and color No. 848, issued to said A. J. Loverly, turn day hereof, in some newspaper said court, at office in Ballinger this land and premises have had and held of title, from and under the State of and patented to said Heirs of said Alex- published in your County, if there be a the 29th day of July A. D. 1907. peaceable, continuous andverse pos- Texas, peaceable continuous, adverse ander J. Loverly on the 27th. day of newspaper published therein, but if session thereof, cultivating, using and possession thereof for a period of more August, A. D. 1873 by patent No. 425, not then in any newspaper published District court, Runnels county. enjoying the fruits of the same for a than three years next preceding the Vol. 14. Described by metes and bounds in the 35th Judicial District; but if I hereby certify that the above foreperiod of more than ten year next pre- filing of this suit, and the said first day as follows, towit:- Beginning at a there be no newspaper published in going is a true copy of the original citceding the filing of this suit and the of Janruary A. D. 1907, which they are stake set on the North bank of the col- said Judicial District, then in a news- ation now in my hands. orado River for the lower corner of paper published in the nearest District which they are ready and willing to That the plaintiffs, and those whose Survey No. 338 from which an Elm 8 to 35th Judiclal District, to appear at estate they have, and under whom inches in diameter bears N. 55 W. 3 the next regular term of the District Wherefore premises considered, these they claim, claiming the same, under varas, and an Elm 14 inches in diame- Court of Runnels County, to be holden plaintiffs pray that the dafendants be deeds duly registered, in Runnels Co- ter bears N. 42. E. 20 varas. Thence at the Court House thereof in the same cited in terms of the law, to appear unty; Texas, have had peaceable, con- N. 30 E. 3232 varas to a stake and being the 30th day of September A. D. and answer this suit, and that upon tinuous, adverse possession of said mound. Thence S. 60 E. 950 varas to 1907, and there to answer a petition final hearing hereof, that plaintiffs above described tract of land and tene- a stake and mound. Thence S. 30 W. filed in said Court on the 29th day of have judgement for the title and pos- ments, cultivating, using and enjoying 4370 varas to a stake on the North July A. D. 1907 in a suit, numbered on session of the above described land and the same, paying all taxes due thereon, Bank of the River from which an Elm the docket of said Court No. 879, hand all the time at Miller Mer.

In the District County of Runnels.

Court of Runnels County, Texas at its Sept. Term A. D. 1907. To the Hon. District Court of Runnels county:-

Now comes R. K. Wylie, Mollie Modenia Wylie and Cicero Smith, who are hereinafter styled plaintiffs, and all of whom reside in Palo Pinto county Texas, and complaining of Johann Meinecke, and the unknown heirs of Johann Meinecke deceased, who are hereinafter styled defendants, and whose places of residence are to these plaintiffs unknown. And for cause of action herein plaintiffs represent and show to the court: That on or about the first day of January A. D. 1907 these plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the county of Runnels and state of Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, towit: Six hundred and forty acres of land known as Survey No. 411, abstract No. 380, located by virtue of certificate No. 309 issued to Johann Meinecke, and patented to said Johann Meinecke by patent No. 732, Vol. 13 dated Dec. 1st. 1856. Said 640 acres being described by metes and bounds as follows, towit:-

Beginning at a stake set for the lower corner of Survey No. 410 on the South Bank of the Colorado River from which a willow 15 inches in diameter bears N. 26. E. 8 varas, anothe: willow 9 inches in diameter bears N. 68. 10 varas. Thence S. 30 W. 4285 vara to a stake and mound. Thence S. 60 E. 950 varas Dairy Prices For New Silver Moca Dairy. to a stake and mound. Thence N. 30 E. 3315 varas to a stake on the Bank of the river from which a mesquite 6 inches in diameter bears S. 45. E. 18 varas, another mesquite 12 inches in diameter bears S. 67 E. 19 varas. Thence up the river with meanderings to place of beginning. And that upon the day and year last aforesaid the aforesaid defendants entered upon said premises, land and tenements and unlawfully ejected these plaintiffs therefrom, and now unlawfully with-holds them from the possession thereof to their damage in the sum of \$5000.00

That plaintiffs, claiming to be the true and lawful owners of the above described tract and parcel of land.

That these plaintiffs and those under whom they claim, and whose estate they have, claiming the same under deeds duly registered in Runnels county, Texas, have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the above described land, premises and tenements, cultivating, using and encourt No. 877, wherein R. K. Wylie, ing hereof, that plaintiffs have judge- joying the same for a period of more than five years next preceding the filing of this suit and the first day of January A. D. 1907, and paying all taxes Alexander J. Loverly, deceased, and sue, and for their damages and costs of due thereon during said five years, A. J. Lyerly and the unknown heirs of suit, and for such other and further re- which they are ready and willing to

equity, that they may be justly entitled | That these plaintiffs and those under whom they claim, and whose estate C. H. Willingham, they have, claiming to have good and to try to kiss me right here whar perfect right and title to the above de-Herein Fail Not, but have before scribed land and premises, have had said Court, at its aforesaid next regu- and held the same peaceably, continular term, this writ with your return ous and adversely to all the world cul-Now comes R. K. Wylie, Mrs. Mollie thereon, showing how you have execut- tivating, using and enjoying the same Witness, R. A. Terry, Clerk of the next proceding the filing of this suit instantly, and it wuz a race to a and to the said 1st. day of January A. finish twixt us three fer the bot-Given Under My Hand and the Seal D. 1907, which they are ready and will-

Wherefore plaintiffs pray judgement of this court, that the said defendants above describe land and premises, that damages and all cost of suit, and such Free Press. other and further relief, general and special, in law and equity, as they may be entitled, etc.

C. H. Willingham Atty. for Plaintiffs. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have before last the langest. Oils, varnishes said Court, at its aforesaid next regu- enamels. We save you money

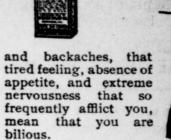
R. A. Terry clerk.

R. P. Kirk, Sheriff Runnels co. Texas.

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### Editor Reeves Abroad.

We fell asleep in a chair at have had and held under title and color Grand Junction last Wednesday of title from and under the State of night on our way home from Texas, peaceable, continuous and ad- Memphis in our usual soaked converse possession thereof for a period dition and let our train leave us. of more than three years next preced- The hotel clerk told us to go uping the filing of this suit and the said stairs and take the room on the 1st. day of January A. D. 1907. which right side of the hall with a lamp they are ready and willing to verify, turned low. He sed he wuz crowded and we wud hev to double up with a man. We went up and pulled off our things and went to bed without waking our bedfeller, who was sleeping sound with a sheet over his head to keep off muskeeters. Before we fell into the arms of morphine we seen a young lady and a young gent come in and set down by the winder.

At first they talked so low we could not hear what they sed. Finally we heard the little miss say: "Wallie ain't you shamed we air a sittin' up with a dead person?" We felt owful cureous. We slowly re-e-eched over and touched the noze uv the man we for a period of more than ten years wuz dead all right. We riz up tom of the steps: It is useless to say we wuz first to pass the post by two lengths. We didn't be cited to appear and answer this pe- skeer that couple any wurse than tition, and that upon final hearing here- thet corpse skeered us We of that these plaintiffs have judgement walked through the country to for the title and possesion of the said Bolivar, and wired for our clothes writ of restitution issue, and for their by express. - Hardeman. (Ky.)

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### Don't Be Blue

within reach. Herbine will make that liver perform its duties properly. J. B. Vaughn Elba, Ala. writes: "Being a conscent sufferer from constinution and a disordered hver. I have found Herbine to be the best medicine for these troubles, on the market. I have used it constantly. believe it to be the best medicine soap 25 cents at M. D. Chastains, of its kind, and I wish all sufferers from these . mubles to know what the good Herbice has done for me. For sale by J. Y. Pearce

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If you have visitors or if you know any item which would be of interest to necessary we will send our reporter of Banner-Leader office. get data.

### Exchange Notes.

Ballew" on the program.

Abilene with a twenty five thousand club, Brownwood with a fifty thousand club and Texas with a five million club. Surely Texas is growing. What's the matter with Angelo; Ballinger has fixed her figures for ten thousand by 1910.

The Miles-Paint Rock railroad Compady: committee met at Paint Rock rail-road.

Robert Lee, a little country town fifty miles from the railroad, has put up to the time of \$75,000 for a railrod. Those people live where there is nothing to spend their money for, and have got the coin to buy roads

Over a mile of the Orient track is completed out of San Angelo and the work is progressing nicely. Kansas city via San will read some day.

the proper attention.

James Glenn died at his home near Winters last Friday and was buried Saturday. Mr. Glenn was hurt by a runaway team Glenn is well known over this give the very best attention. country, and his death is sad 49-2t Mrs. M. T. Carpenter. news to his acquaintances.

### Bailey and Roosevelt.

and healthful West Texas climate the reunion many more will go is here to look after the com- et before they can get aboard. -all these things are in Throck- tomorrow. Those who left this pany's interests, and will make morton County. Give me your morning were: J. T. Ragan, J. Hamilton his home. He is a than forty tickets to Ballinger name and address and I will send P. Messick, W. H. Dudley, and stirring business man and will you full description.

R. B. Humphrey, Att'y-at-Law. Throckmorton Texas.

### Letter to R. P. Kirk

Ballinger, Texas

D. G. Smith, Madison, Fla., had his mother's house painted Devoe 11 years ago, and the house looks better, today than other houses painted with other paint 3 or 4 years ago.

They are full of good will for Devoe. Yours truly F. W. Devoe & Co.

P. S. Ballinger Lumber Co., sell our paint.

The Miller Merc., Co., have It extracts all pains and poisors, for Sale New Prairie hay, John- plucks the sting and heals the lame. son grass and Alfalfa.

### Mail The Booklet to Your Friend.

### Railroad Committees Meet.

On last Wednesday Mess. Rob Brownood and San Angelo are inson and Farmer, representing debating the mesquitos. The the Miles railroad committee, little buzzers are working over came over to Paint Rock to contime and no remedy seems to ef- sult with the committee at this fect them. We haven't heard place. There have been several of a single Mesquito in Ballin- propositions and counter propositiods made by and with the Milam County is in the midst promoters of the proposed new of a prohibition campaign, and railroad and encouraging progfloods of literature and piles of ress has been made, and we think money is being used to place it is only a matter of a short that county in the wet column. time before all parties We notice the name of "Billie will come together, and then it is only a matter of a short time before all parties will come together, and then look out for

### Standard Must Go.

torney-general Davidson as say- Commissioner of Agriculture npon the property until the end ing in regard to the Standard Oil shall send to each ginner blanks of time. Yet Busch and Hinkle

last week. The papers failed to Oil from the state if every home make their reports between the They are hardly consistent. say what the committee did, and within its borders has to burn 1st and 3rd of each month. On it seems that the road has pass- candles for light. The Standard the eigth of each month the Com- Jas. E. Brewer gives you a ed away in its incipiency. Paint as it does business in Texas un- missioner of Agriculture shall cordial invitation to visit him in Rock will be able to connect with der the Waters-Pierce Oil Co., is open and compile these reports his new building across the Ballinger by steel some day, and a violation of the Texas anti-trust in the presence of three witness. street from Miller Mercantile Co. that is her best chances for a law. It is a monopoly and as es, appointed by the Governor such it must go.

> rigid, and the anti-trust law is o'clock a. m. on the ninth of eggs as chickens and butter. one which is on the statue books each month. The law places a of many states. In Texas we severe penalty upon all ginners propose to enforce it. Texas has who fail to comply with its proenough oil wells inside its own visions. borders to supply every bit of the oil needed in the state."

### Killed Near Eastland.

land dated July 23rd, says: was soundly berating the hus-Angelo is the way our tickets While returning from the Con- band on account of the size of \* A little innocent babe was de- rance's nine year old boy while wound up by declaring that serted and left in the depot at hanging behind a wagon, got his henceforth these bills had to be Comanche, last week, by a cou- feet tangled in the wheels and reduced and expenses cut down. ple who become parents four was so badly mangied that he When she had finished her firery months after marriage. The died within a few hours. Phy- lecture the patient hubby coolly couple were arrested at Brown-sicians were making preparations replied: "Well, dear, the only wood, and will no doubt receive to amputate his legs when the way I know by which to cut off child died,

### Private School.

about two weeks ago, and blood at my residedce Monday morn- San Angelo Standard. poison was the cause of his ing, Sept. 2nd. I wish to thank death. The physicians amputat- all those who have sent their ed his leg, but he did not recov- children to me in the past, and er from the operation. Mr. solicit them for this term. I will

Stonewall Jackson Camp went to and also general manager of the has invited to go with him on a tf. Cheap, rich lands, pure water Ballinger this morning to attend Hamilton Building and Loan Co. journey must buy a regular tick-H. I. Marks. - Brownwood Bulle- prove a valuable acquisition to the big reunien which is in pro-

ing to a few live, energetic men places this week in Texas at 13 return tomorrow evening.-Brown an unusual opportunity to make cts and over. money introducing an entirely new article never before on the Dear Sir: Why do people send us market. No experience or capi-

The Plain Plucker

If a burn or a braise afficts you rub it on, and it on. Then before you scarcely know it all the trouble will be gone.

Hunt's Lightning Oil does it.

For an aching joint or muscle do the

### Cotton Ginners, Attention,

"Prosperous Ballinger and The Thirtieth Legislature pass- We have decided to cut our Runnels County," a handsome ed a law creating a Bureau of farm 5 miles east of Ballinger souvenir booklet of Ballinger and Cotton Statistics in the Depart- into blocks from 100 acres up to Runnels county, is ready to ment of Agriculture. The object suit purchasers. Small cash paymail out to your friends, or kin of this Bureau is directly to ben- ment balance easy terms. See folks. The booklet contains efit the cotton grower by furn- us now if you want a bargain. nearly one hundred cuts made ishing accurate information in Bair & Conn at the Globe store. from photographs of people and regard to the condition of the scenes made in and around Ball- Texas cotton crop during the inger, and gives a complete period when this crop is actually write up of the town and county. being marketed. The fact that They are something that will be Texas produces one-third of the appreciated and are put up in entire cotton crop of the United envelopes ready to mail out. For States will at once show the our readers, please phone us and if sale at the drug stores and the need of such a Bureau and the importance to the cotton grower of the information to be furnished by it. This information is to be based upon actual figures whose accuracy is sworn to, There is to be no guess work or estimating about any part of tillers, believe in other folks

> tion of these statistics is as fol- "dry" towns in high esteem lows: Before engaging in the whdn it comes to choosing an enbusiness of public ginners, each vironment for their own families ginner shall obtain from the Mr. Busch, just before his re-County Clerk of the county in cent sickness, chose Pasadena. which gin is located a certificate California, as the place to build (free of cost) showing that he a magnificent residence. This has taken the oath prescribed by beautiful town has not for years, this law. The oath provides that if ever, allowed the sale of liquor the ginner shall make correct re- within its limits. Mr. Hinkle ports to the Commissioner of has laid out a beautiful Union Agriculture. The County Clerks Park in the Midway district, at are to send to the Commissioner St. Paul, Minnesota, and proof Ariculture the certificate num- poses to build a model town, and ber, name and postoffice address has inserted in every deed a A recent dispatch quotes At- of each ginner that qualifies. The prohibition of the sale of lipuor and envelopes for the official cot- spend thousands of dollars in "Tevas will drive the Standard ton report. The ginners shall Texas fighting prohi bition. for this particular purpose. The

### To Cut Down Expenses.

A Standard scribe overheard a family tempest in a teapot yes-A press dispatch from East- terday, in which the good wife Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea federate reunion H. C. Low- grocery bill and other items, and these expenitures is to go to jail! And then there was a slam of the door that cracked the sidewalk and then the scribe had I will open a primary school business that "lay a-rollin."

> Dr. Royse, a dentist of Sherman was bitten by a spider last forts of physicians.

Several veterans from the Ballinger, secretary-treasurer private car his friends whom he our town, -Hamilton Herald.

### Notice.

ness to be transacted.

D. L. Tucker,

craft Shoes is at The Globe.

### A Rare Bargain.

It seems that Adolphus Busch, the great brewer, and Mr. Hinkle, the head of the whisky disliving in "wet" towns, but not The plan devised for the collec- themselves, as they seem to hold

We still want all the country "The Texas laws are not too result shall be published at eleven products you can bring us such J. B. Alvis & Bro.

> The place to buy jewelry is Jas. E. Brewer's, the old jeweler in the new building next to old P. O. Buildg.

### A Faithful Friend.

"I have used Chamberlain's Remedy since it was first introduced to the public in 1872, and have never found one instance never cry as do children who are where a cure was not speedily effected by its use. I have been a commercial traveler for eigh-

Even stockholders are prohibited from riding free on the trains of the roads in which they own stock, and must buy tickets Saturday and died before night at the window just like the rest despite the attendance and ef- of us, under the provisions of Jackson. Visits Ballinger once the new anti-pass law. When a month. Mr. Lewis E. Alexander. of the superintendent takes out his

SALESMEN:-We are offer- Cotton is selling at several went to that place today and will wood Bulletin.

Runnels County Union No. 46 when your child has a severe few doses of Chamberlain's Rand, McNally & Co., Chicago, will meet with Armenia Local cold. You need not fear pneu- Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. six miles east of Winters Sept. monia or other pulmonary dis- J. H. Seitz, of Detroit, Mich., Mayerick 4th and 5th next and all Locals eases. Keep supplied with Bal- says: "They restored my appeare requested to have full repre- lard's Horehound Syrup-a pos- tite when impaired, relieved me sentation as there is much busi- tive cure for Colds, Coughs, of a bloated feeling and caused County Secretary writes "I have used your won-cents. Samples free. At The The only place in Ballinger to rup, on my children for five get Walkover-Ralston & Fellow- years. Its results have been

### Notice to Music Pupils.

I have an opening for a few more music pupils, and would like to perfect my class before the opening of the public school. Call or

Olga H. Schawe.

sale by Walker Drug Co.

The Santa Fe has sold more during the past two days due to gress there. A large crowd

### Why Fret and Worry

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The Marlin Firearms Co.

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Veterinary Surgeon.

Brownwood, Tex, Aug. 13, 1907 The Banner-Leader;

Please say I will be in Ballinger on Aug. 21-22-23-24 during the reunion.

C. S. Jackson, V. S.

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suffering from hunger. Such is the cause of all baby's who cry and are treated for sickness, teen years, and never start out when they really are suffering on a trip without this, my faith- from hunger. This is caused ful friend," says H. S. Nichols of from their food not being assimi-Oakland, Ind. Ter. When a man lated but devoured by worms. A has used a remedy for thirty-five few doses of White's Cream Veryears he knows its value and is mifuge will cause them to cease competent to speak of it. For crying and begin to thrive at once. Give it a trial. For sale

> Those celebrated crystal lenses fitted by Jas. E. Brewer will will appreciate your ice make you see as when young tf. Horses examined free by Dr.

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hills in the long ago and it will cure you now. It has been tested by time and its merits have been proven. We guarantee one bottle to cure any one case of Chills. If it fails your money s cheerfully refunded-and its name is Cheatham's Chills Tonic.

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## SERIOUS DIFFICULTY

### AT CREWS

### A Fight Results in Three Parties Being Seriously Injured. Innocent Lady Struck by Stray Bullet.

A phone message from Crews ian Church. Tuesday morning told of a serious difficulty that occured there early in the day, and called for chartered Gaston Hardgraves all officers will be present. auto and made double quick time in reaching the scene of the terian church, Rev. A. L. Barr trouble.

following: Monday night the next Sunday. Text in the morntrouble that led to the wound- ing will be: What shall I do to ing of three people started at be saved and in evening; What is kept busy treating them. church between some boys. The takes place in Salvation. Public boys renewed the trouble on the cordially invited to come and streets Tuesday morning when take part in the services. Constable Miller, whose boys were interested in the fight, the other boy being the son of E. C. Boone, tried to quell the trouble, 5 o, clock p. m. Aug. 25, 1907. Miller made his boys leave the scene and ordered young Boone remedies. It cures promptly any itch- cure, without avail," writes John to go to his father's shop where ing trouble known. No matter the H. Zirkle of Philippi, W. Va. he belonged, after some words God requires. Ps. 24:3:5 Eph. name or place. One application re- "He saw Chamberlains Colic, young Boone and Constable 4:20-2S. Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Miller had a few rounds, and advertised in the Philippi Repub- young Boone went to the blacklican and decided to try it. The smith shop and soon returned Still have a few of those good result is, one bottle cured him and the trouble between him and Taylor. shot guns at the old price \$4.25. and he has not suffered with the constable Miler renewed, Miller Next will be higher, The Globe. disease for eighteen months. striking young Boone over the Before taking this remedy he head with a six shooter by this was a constant sufferer. He is time the older Boone appeared now sound and well, and although on the scene and the fight was sixty years old, can do as much renewed between Boone and Dr. Love. work as a young man. Sold by Constabe Miler. It seems that Miller tried to use his gun in the fight, while Boone used a pocket knife. Boone clinched Miller's gun and prevented it from being Mayor Hoffer's court was in used and in the fight Boone cut session Monday, and the case of Miller across the head and face the city of Ballinger vs W. R. and got in a good swipe at his daughters, Misses Jennie and wearing the last year's bird nest Helfer, wherein Helfer was neck severing the wind pipe par- Emma, returned from Lampasas, in orderthat the money thus savcharged with cursing and abus- tially in to. In the tussle Boone

case was called and defendant After bystanders had separat- the Leader. pleaded "not guilty," and an- ed the parties and started them nounced ready for trial. The de- towards their respective homes, fendant acted as his own counsel Miller went to his home which was near by and secured his 30-The Jury was impounded and 30 winchester rifle loaded with the witnesses examined in short steel bullets, went cut and shot order' and the Jury retired to at Boone, who by this time was the jury room and brought in a about two hundred yards distance verdict of "guilty" and fixed the from Miller. Miller shot three times. One ball struck a mesquite sapling, one went about three hundred yards, and went through two walls and struck Mrs. W. P. Vaughn who was at her home and about her house and work, and the third struck Boonein the hips passing through With the third shot Boone fell and Miller guit shooting.

Dr. Love assisted the local physician in dressing the woundhowever, Mrs. Vaughn,s condi- Guion, Jack McGregor and J. tion was more serious than the two fighters, as the bullet lodg- Postmaster, H. A. Cady reed in her body some where and turned from a business trip to of the Society. had not been located. The ball Fort Worth, Tuesday night. struck her in the hip, and it was thought ranged upwards.

At last accounts Miller and Boone were doing very well, but Mrs. Vaughn's condition was

### Ballinger Real Estate In Demand.

C. C. F. Blanchard, now of Amarillo, was here this week to their nephew, Hugh Stinson, for all itching diseases of the and subdivided his six acre block, of the Wingate country. They on "College Heights," between Broadway and Seventh Street, we judge from the way they into blocks, lots, streets and al- talk Hill county will lose a couleys, a plot of which is now on file in County Clerk's office, and on same day sold to Mrs. M. C. 300 feet on Broadway, 160 feet of that city were united in the athy of many friends and sincere on Harris Street, 150 feet on holy bonds of matrimony last wish that in the Sweet-by-bye Snapp Street and running back Wednesday and came on a they shall meet again where from Broadway 150 feet to alley. wedding tour to Ballinger and sorrow never comes. Consideration \$2,500.00. This is the choicest residence property here. in the city and until recently Mr. Blanchard has refused to put it town Tuesday and subscribed for you money here. in the market.

### Pulpit and Pew

### Methodist Church.

Dr. T, A. Rape will preach at the morning hour. No services at night on account of union services at 8th Street Presbyter-

### Fourh Quarterly Conference.

The Fourth Quarterly Conferthe officers and a doctor to come ence will be held at the Methodat once. Sheriff Kirk, County ist church next Friday evening bitten by maddogs. Perhaps Attorney Griggs and Dr. Love at 8:30 Aug 30. It is hoped that the extraordinary hot weather

Services at 8th street Presbyof San Angelo will fill the pulpit We learn from Mr. Kirk the at 8th street Presbyterian church

### B. Y. P. U. Program.

Ninth Street Baptist Church diction. Opening Song.

Prayer Subject. The Holiness that

Leader-Rev. C. S. Pierce. Song.

Reading from Service—James

Recitation-Ruth Grundy. Scripture Readings: Vain Ceremony—Isa 1:10-15. -Mrs. W. G. Bair.

Right Actions-Isa 1: 16-20-Talk-L. E. Bair

Song-By little girls. Benediction.

ing his nearest neighbor, Mrs. got his arm broke, and was Miss Nora Fletcher, the trained cause. Mrs. E. P. Williams read nurse, has a card in this issue of a paper on the work of the Dea-

> was here first of the week. Mr. Sears owns some fine land in the Pumphrey country and was out

looking after his interests. County, arrived first of the week, much loved honoree, who had

ness at Brownwood, Monday. Mrs. Newton, of Waco, is here the guest of Mrs. Dr. J. G.

Douglas. She came in from San Angelo Wednesday.

of Paint Rock, passed through for not only one but more than Monday enroute to market to fifty had known of and been buy goods. Misses Mary and Nelle Lewis love for Miss Zadie for two weeks

ed parties, and reported to us returned to their home at San that they were all seriously in- Saba, Monday, after a visit to jured, but none necessary fatal; the families of Judge Jno I,

Albert Wilcox, formerly of San Angelo, is here this week, participating in the gun club shoot.

still causing the doctors uneasi- Monday's train for Dallas, where she will be joined by a party of school mates on a trip to the manent relief until I tried Hunt's Cure. Jamestown Exposition.

> Hill County, are here on a visit yond expression.' seem to like Runnels county and ple of citizens.

also attended the Reunion while

a friend living in the old Tar D. Reeder Lumber Co.,

Heel State. That is the way to let your friends learn of West Texas.

Austin's recent census show that there are about 200 Smiths residing in that city.

The State of Education on Aug. 20th declared an apportionment per capita of \$6 the largest that has ever been apportioned in the history of the state.

Nearly every daily paper has one or more accounts of persons has much to do with causing the dogs to go mad and it would be well to keep a sharp look out and take no chances of getting hydrophobia. Nearly every day a patient goes to Austin to take treatment and Dr. Worsham is

An astrologer of Beaumont has predicted the destruction of that city next Sunday by a cyclone. A good many people of that city are much worried over the pre-

### Woman's Home Mission Society Entertained.

The W. H. M. S. was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. Jno. Currie at her beautiful home in honor of Miss Zadie Royalty, who leaves in a few daysfor Kansas City to prepare herself for special work of the church.

Mrs. Currie was assisted in receiving by Miss Royalty, Mrs. E. L. Hagen and Mrs. Conda Wylie of San Angelo. Mrs. Jno. Guion Jr. presided at the punch bowl. A very interesting program was rendered consisting of music by Mesdames Halley and Guion. A story from our homes entitled "That Hat" was read by Mrs. J. M. Skinner, which appealed es-Mrs. J. E. Bennett and two pecially to many present who was ed might be applied to a better coness," the peroration of which was a most beautiful tribute to T. H, Sears, of Whitewright, Our deaconess, our own Miss Zadie; at the conclusion of which came the most interesting part of the program: A shower apparently from Heaven came Mrs. C. H. Farris, of Fayette pouring down on the head of the to visit J. H. Routh and family. been drawn unsuspectingly into Judge J. W. Powell had busi- an alcove beneath the stairway. The downpour consisted of every thing useful and beautiful in wearing apparel, and many dainty and useful articles for the adornment of a room.

Nevermore let it be said that S. Rach, A. L. Burk and wife, a woman cannot keep a secret: preparing for this expression of yet the recipient herself had been kept in complete ignorance of it all. After delicious refreshments had been served the the guests departed feeling that they attended one of the most delightful receptions yet given

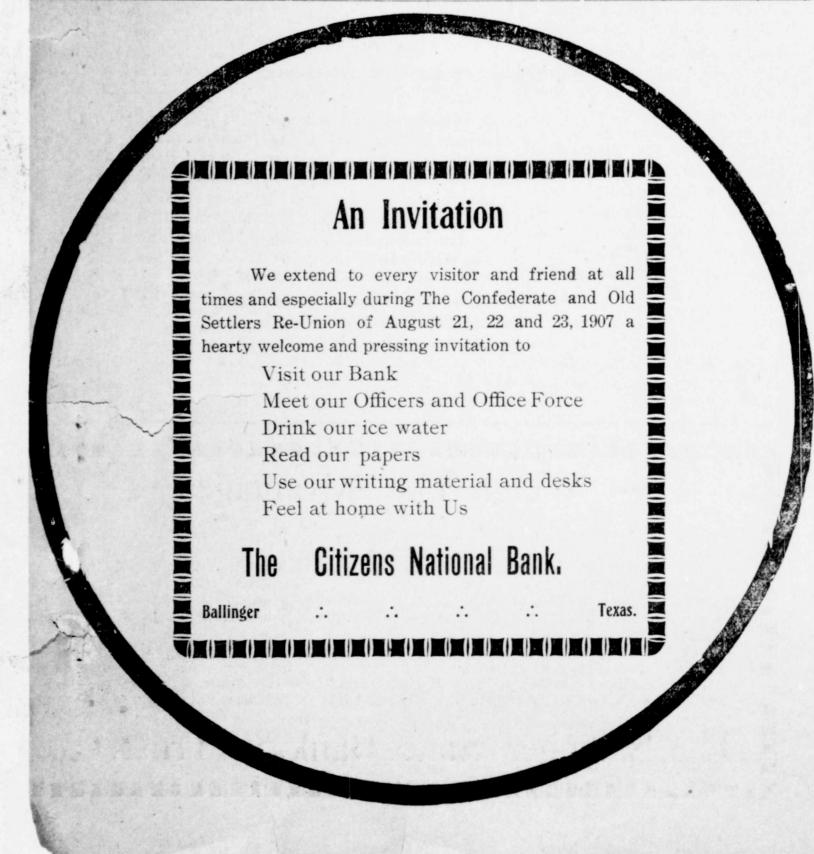
### Beyond Expression

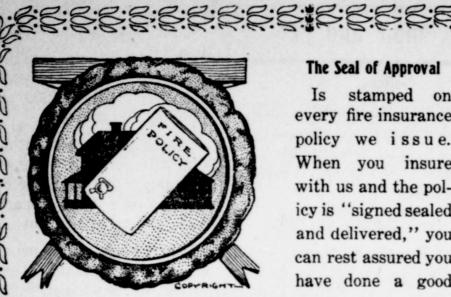
G. W. Farlowe, Eeast Florence, Ala.. writes: "For nearly seven years I was Miss Bertha Rasbury left on afflicted with a form of skin disease which caused an almost unbearable itching. I could neither work, rest or sleep in peace. Nothing gave me per-One application relieved me; one box L. E. and George Stinson, of I have stayed cured. I am grateful be-Hunt's Cure is a guaranteed remedy

### Died.

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Sirs: For the past year you have taken the liberty to quote me prices on your goods, and to prevent you any further trouble and expense, I will just state that I am not a dealer in such goods, nor never was. I have too high regard for the sacredness of home to have anything to do with the liquor business, only to use my influence and vote against it. In my humble judgement there is a gaping hell open for your business. And, thanks be to the name of God, Texas is organizing stronger and stronger as time passes on to wipe up the saloons in our fair commonwealth, and I pray God to speed the day for the delivery of all such poor unfortunates who are bound down to serve your white apron gang. W. W. M.

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### Little Baby Boy Dies.

After a short illness from bowel trouble the little infant of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Trail died at the ranch near town Sunday night at 10 o'clock, and was buried in the Paint Rock cemetery Monday afternoon, Rev. C. L. Ewing, of the Presbyterian church, conducting the burial services.

Thus over a happy home the shadow of a little grave has fallen; and, as another has said, it is wonderful how long a shadow a little grave can throw.

This beautiful baby life was so fraught with blessing to his parents that he seemed a flower of paradise permitted to bloom for a brief season by their side, then recalled to its nature skies, leaving the earth road for them dark and lonely indeed. - Paint Rock

### Strayed or Stolen.

From Frank Gengross ranch on Aug., 1st, one blue-grey mare about 14 hands high, 8 years old this spring, branded T Diamond, T above diamond on left hip, main clipped. \$5.00 reward if returned to me at Ballinger.

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### Pinkerton Died in Mid-Ocean.

New York, Aug. 17.-Robert when your joints ache and Pinkerton, head of the detective agency, died on board the steam-Mr. Edward E. Henry, with ship Bremen August 12 at sea. He was en route to Germany for by Florence Sullivan.

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### Mazeland Musings.

You hear complaints of dry weather to the West of us but the North end of the county.

Cotton is thigh high and loaded favorable from now on somebody very crops that they abandoned is going to get fooled about this promise to make a fair yield. years cotton crops in Runnels The man that stays, always county. Nearly every year we comes through in the long run have little streaks of country and the one that gets up and that the big rains miss, Maverick goes back because he is homesick streaks this year. Our jolly mail back his friends jolly him unmercontractor from Mazeland to cifully. Maverick, Joe W. Anderson, says it is because the women the men dont pay the preacher. economy now and then.

to stop, wipe off the sweat with bales a year. the back of their hands and light their pipes with a coal of fire.

go right into one of these dry owned it any length of time. streaks. I have been here long never strikes twice in the same place and these dry streaks are not confined to any particular part of the country. This very land that looks so sorry now is going to sell for \$40.00 the acre as sure as I am sitting here. Of course it takes a splendid nerve and backbone to "stay and rattle,' with it when it looks so gloomy, but the men who have stayed with their holdings are paid for and money in the bank. I see from a recent statement that there is over a million dollars on deposit in one of the three banks of Ballinger. A great deal of this money belongs to farmers.

at present prices and cotton lands written that we are on the ground are going to take another leap ment as being absolute correct. skyward as soon as this little dry spell breaks up. Watch my prediction. If I had a million dollars I would plank it down for land as quick as I would swap pocket knives. The man of a little money and plenty of nerve is going to get rich.

One of my neighbors came here five or six years ago with three hundred dollars and no more. He rented land and made money raising cotton and bought 246 acres of land. Today that man is worth six thousand Hats, The Globe. Over City Drug Store dollars and he made every cent of it raising cotton and on the rise in his land. I believe he Has many aches and pains caused by can get \$30. an acre for it in five minutes, but he wouldn't take a

gold monkey for it. A sunflower standing in my yard is a wonder in itself. It has never had a drop of water except what fell from the clouds. It

head measures 24 inches around. Some of my neighbors have miles to see and I have some invigorating tonic and strengthening ner-vine known to medical science. It is made of the glyceric extracts of native medicithings that I am proud to show. Taking the water, pure as the blue sky, the health, the clean condition of the land and all, this section is hard to beat.

And I am surprised to find that nearly all kinds of fruit can and mulched with straw or some thing to keep the sun and wind from drying the ground.

are raised here by watering a little from the windmills in the make a little more profit thereby. Your dryest times. There is good money in maize and hogs and al- insult to your intelligence for him to try so in grass land and young mules.

Those fellows who get scared ness to supply the article called for.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the and jump sideways the first cloud original "Little Liver Pills" first put up of dust that comes up the road by old Dr. Pierce over forty years ago, much imitated but never equaled. Little in the spring should not be invit- sugar-coated granules—easy to take as ed to come here. They do the candy.

country immeasurable harm. Some of them pick up and leave in the spring before the Summer things look good around Maze- rains set in and go back and tell land and in fact nearly all over dry tales of a crop failure even before planting time.

Some of these have been known with squares and blooms. It is to come back in the fall and pick late of course but has half grown cotton. Several left this neighbolls plenty and if conditions are borhood last spring and now the in this county is in one of these always looses out. When he gets

To justify himself he begins to tell hard tales on the West. One have to chop the stove wood and man went from here and told that this country made a crop of But we have to have a lesson in maize only in one year out of three while everybody who has Last year the Maverick and any respect for the truth knows Oak creek country made a bale that maize never did make a to the acre and bought fine mules failure all over the country. I and surrys, rubber tire buggies have made four good maize and sorgham crops in succession, We and some of the farmers thought have made forty five bales of of buying autos, now they have cotton in three years' fifteen

I am having no trouble to meet my payments on my land and I But these people will come again have heard of no one who has. and you needn't doubt it. If If a man should get in a squeeze they dont I'll swallow my breath. he can sell any minute for twice If I wanted to buy land I would as much as he gave if he has

There are plenty of men watchenough to know that lightening ing a chance to buy land for just a little bit less than it is worth. Land is like a bale of cotton or a young mule-It will sell any day

in the week. It will sell any hour in the 24 while newcomers and trancient people are hopping around you find those who are familiar with the country trying to get more NO land and the women folks who have been here long enough to get over the scare are singing: the ones who have fine homes "There is Sunshine in my Soul Today," and the men are singing: Sweet prospects, Sweet NA birds, and Sweet flowers."

Uncle Johnnie. P. S. The facts contained in this letter are familiar to most There is all kinds of money of the readers of this good paper of the readers of this good paper to be made raising cotton here and I repeat what I have before and ready to verify every state-

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### A Woman's Back

weaknesses and falling, or other displacement, of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness.

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This is attributed to the rapid growth of the county and the increasd value in real estate and other property.

The increase in the voting strength, or the polls assessed amounts to over 200.

We consider this a fine showing for the county' and despite the cry of hard times and tales of crop failures etc., that has gone out over the state, and which is untrue, we still have a few dollars in the county and 200 more voters than we had last year.

Benoit Items.

The protracted meeting at this place closed Friday night. It was a very very good meeting and much interest was manifested from the beginning. About twenty conversions and nearly that number were added to the church. We feel that our community has been greatly built up spiritually and lasting good accomplished. We have quite a number of splendid young people in this community anyway whom we believe will fill honorable places in the world.

Prayer meeting at Norwood school house each Wednesday night and our Sunday School will be renewed Sunday week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reece, Misses Ada and Ida Reece attended church at Old Runnels Sunday.

A number of our people attended the Methodist meeting in progress at Talpa this week.

We are sorry to report Mrs, Ida Brookshire on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Sam Reese has about re-

Misses Sammie and Hester Padgett visited friends here Saturday and Sunday. We always welcome a visit from Miss Sammie as she taught school in our community two terms and is highly esteemed by all who know her

Mrs. Dowe Duke of Winters is visiting Mrs. Tyson this week. She too is on the sick list.

Mrs. Sam Cook has a sister visiting her from San Angelo this week.

W. A. Tyson had business in Ballinger first of the week.

Several from Benoit attended the picnic at Pecan Springs and of course we're all going to the reunion this week.

We need rain badly in this section of the country,

Late feed is is burning up fast but cotton still looks well.

Most farmers now have leisure to enjoy themselves after a busy season.

Will close as there is no more news.

A Rare Bargain.

We have decided to cut our farm 5 miles east of Ballinger into blocks from 100 acres up to suit purchaser. Small cash payment balance easy terms. See us now if you want a bargain. Bair & Conn at the Globe Store.

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