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FT. WORTH POLICE WILL GUARD COLQUITT

But Little Attention is Paid to Threatening Letter Received by Colquitt

Fort Worth, Texas, June 3.—Following the receipt of a letter in which it is alleged that threats are made against Gov. O. B. Colquitt's life, if he attends the anti-prohibition rally here Monday, the Chief of Police, Renfro, announced today that a personal body-guard would be offered the governor on his arrival in this city.—Ft. Worth Record.

The above report was sent out broadcast over Texas last week just previous to the Anti-State-wide meeting at Ft. Worth.

It is too contemptible to receive the notice of a decent man, and we will bet our earthly holdings that it originated in some dirty dive or the Breweries.

By innuendo the liquor interests want to leave the impression that our Governor would have been in danger in the city of Ft. Worth of being assassinated by some prohibitionist.

Anarchists don't belong in the ranks of the prohibitionists of Texas and Mr. Colquitt will be in no danger of being assassinated anywhere he may want to go in this Great State.

The prohibitionists of Texas are basing their position on the theory of trying to create a cleaner citizenship by eliminating one of the greatest producers of evil and crime in existence, and they never have nor will they ever resort to the methods of anarchy to accomplish their purpose, but will leave that for those who want to run rough shod over a majority.

A PLEASSED AUDIENCE

"High class, refined and entertaining," and "Wasn't it good," was the general expression coming from the small but appreciative audience at the Library Tuesday night when Miss Bess Marie McDavid appeared in "Merely Mary Ann." Those who were present were well pleased.

The Library Committee will put on a list of first class entertainments and every time you are given a chance to attend an entertainment at the Library you can rest assured that you will get value received for the price of your admission.

REUNION COMMITTEE TO MEET JUNE 16

The following letter received is self explanatory:

Concho, Texas, June 5, 1911
Dear Banner-Leader: Will you kindly state in your paper that I have called the Colorado-Concho Confederate Reunion Committee to meet at Ballinger, June 16 for the purpose of saying when and where we will hold the next Reunion.

Our Adjutant H. D. Pearce has suffered a paralytic stroke and cannot call the meeting. It is distressingly dry here. Thanking you in advance.

I remain, truly yours,
R. C. Tillery.

From the above it will be seen that this matter is soon to be determined, and it is up to Ballinger.

Your Business is none too small for us to handle. Once giving us a trial to serve you will cause you to come again. We fill prescriptions written by any doctor, none but competent Pharmacists handle them when brought to us.

Your Friends
The Walker Drug Co.
IN BUSINESS FOR YOUR HEALTH

SUMMER NORMAL

The Ballinger Summer Normal is rounding out its second week's work and the attendance has reached about 80 which is a good showing when one considers that there are Summer Normals at Abilene, Brady, Brownwood and Comanche.

Supt. Flemming has demonstrated his splendid ability as an organizer, and he with his able faculty are doing splendid work.

OFF FOR LOVING COUNTY

Mrs. A. M. Millar, daughter Miss Nell, and two sons Oscar and Eugene left this week for Loving County to spend the summer on Oscar's ranch of four sections.

Their P. O. address is Woody Texas, and the Banner-Leader will visit them weekly to keep them posted on home happenings.

We wish them a pleasant summer in their Ranch home and a safe return in September.

BELLE OF WICHITA FLOUR \$1.47 A SACK

Belle of Wichita Flour

Some one has said that few things were worth what they cost, which in a measure we believe to be true but we have the exception to the rule. We prove our statement by the fact that we sell

"Belle of Wichita" Flour for \$1.47 a Sack

May we send you one? If so phone 320.

The Globe Store
R. P. CONN, PROPRIETOR

BELLE OF WICHITA FLOUR \$1.47 A SACK

MERCHANTS WILL USE ONLY NEWS PAPER ADS

Gainesville, June 5.—The Retail Merchants' association which includes every merchant in Gainesville, has put the ban on every kind of advertising here except newspaper advertising, with a heavy fine on any member who may break such rule. Heretofore Gainesville merchants have liberally patronized every kind of advertising scheme, but hereafter even the local church ladies must print their programmes and tickets to entertainments without the ads of Gainesville merchants.—Ft. Worth Record.

The merchants have at last come to the conclusion that there is only one kind of advertising that pays. When they buy advertising space in directories, programs, etc. it is nothing more than a contribution towards defraying the expenses of issuing same. As an advertising medium it does not bring results. Then there is the fake advertising man, the grafter, who comes along and pulls the merchants for from five to ten dollars for worthless advertising to go on a hanger, a banner or a menu card in hotels. This is so much money thrown away, and the merchants realize that only one class of advertising goes before the trading public in a way that brings results, and that is a newsy neat ad in a live newsy paper.

BUSINESS LEAGUE HOLDS SESSION.

At the headquarters of the Business League held session Wednesday afternoon, and considered many matters of importance, among which was handling the Mountain Remnant Brigade which is to meet in Ballinger in August.

A. W. Sledge was elected secretary for three months with instructions to get busy and answer all correspondence and attend to any and all matters pertaining to the League.

Father Frigon, Catholic Priest came before the League with a proposition to establish a Catholic School, and the matter was discussed with him and a proposition is expected from them some time later with reference to the establishment of the School.

A committee was appointed to the Locating Board of the U. C. V.'s which meet in Ballinger the 16th to determine where the next Reunion will be held.

G. G. Odom and wife, Conda and Mrs. Wylie and "Babe" came in Saturday afternoon from their Ft. Chadbourne ranch and spent Sunday here with Ballinger relatives. They drove their big 50 horsepower Buick.

L. E. Bair returned home Friday night from an extended business trip to San Antonio and returned by the way of Ft. Worth.

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTS TEACHERS

The School Board met last Friday and elected J. M. Skinner for a term of two years as superintendent.

The following teachers were elected to teach the grades in the order of their names:

Miss Fannie Critz, Miss Eula Lockhart, Mrs. L. D. Terry, Mrs. Frank Keeney, Mrs. M. L. Dowell thus retaining three of the old faculty and electing three new teachers to supply the places of those who did not apply for re-election.—Bronte Enterprise.

PRIMITIVE BAPTISTS

The Primitive Baptists of Runnels County are much more numerous than is generally thought.

Rev. Dun who resides in the Puckett School House community near Wingate is a minister of that faith and order and he preaches four Sundays in each month as follows: 1st Sunday at Puckett School House, 2nd Sunday Blackwell, 3rd Sunday near Bronte, 4th Sunday Long Branch.

They meet on Saturday and take sacrament and attend the ordinance of foot-washing.

BOYS TRAINING SCHOOL

The Abilene Chamber of Commerce has just completed the raising of \$11,500 for the erection of a training school for boys in that city. The building is to be begun at once and will be ready for occupancy by Fall. The building grounds are to be under the care of a board of Directors selected from among the citizens of Abilene, the building and grounds are to be the property of the citizens of Abilene.—Abilene Reporter.

Oscar H. Cooper was formerly State Superintendent, President of Baylor College, and Simmons College will be at the head of this school and will beyond a doubt build up a great school and will be of great benefit to Abilene.

G. W. Wilson and son Max, of the river country, was transacting business in Ballinger Saturday and reports the recent rain light on their place but crops are not suffering as the ground is still moist.

ELMER SIMPSON BECOMES COACH

Takes All Year Contract with Local College and Will Return to Brownwood.

It is announced here that Elmer Simpson, who coached the only team for Howard Payne that ever defeated Daniel Baker at football, has accepted the place of athletic director at Howard Payne for the coming school term and within the next few months will return to Brownwood to make his home. Simpson is a real coach in football and baseball, and is not a stranger to track and field sports. He expects to have a good working foot ball squad out two weeks before the opening of the school and declares that his one aim will be to defeat Daniel Baker, the old rival of Howard Payne. Simpson started out with this purpose in view two years ago, and he made good his every claim.—Brownwood Bulletin.

MISS KATE SPENCER

Miss Kate Spencer who addressed the congregation at the Eight Street Presbyterian church Sunday night is well known to those who are informed as to the work done by the women of the Cumberland Presbyterian Board of Missions. She has been a missionary in Mexico for quite a while and is now in this country on a furlough. She is well acquainted with the conditions in that country and in the light of recent developments there and what she said was interesting and timely. She is the daughter of Rev. Benjamin Spencer, who for many years was one of the leading Cumberland Presbyterian preachers of the state and a very personal friend of Rev. Geo. W. Fender. Those who heard Miss Spencer were well repaid.

R. P. Taylor of Norton was in from Norton Saturday with two loads of oats which weighed out will for what he received 37 1/2 cents per bushel.

Mrs. Price Maddox, who had been spending the week with her parents, Col. D. P. Moser and family and Ballinger friends, left for her home near Hatchell Saturday.

THE VALUE OF A DOLLAR

The value of a dollar in your pocket is measured by the amount of anything you want that it will buy, and this value is DIMINISHED in proportion to its liability to loss.

Now it is just as easy to increase the value of a dollar as it is to diminish it. If you deposit it in the bank, it still has its full purchasing power and in addition thereto, it has the power of obtaining conveniences and accommodations for you—the accommodation of a loan, perhaps, and the convenience of safety and a Cheeking account. Realize more than the face value of your money by depositing it with us.

**Farmers & Merchants
State Bank**

Helpful Banking Service

At this bank you have absolute security for your money. Prompt attention to all banking needs—All loans and discounts warranted by your business and balance. Prompt collection of checks, drafts and notes, interest coupons and maturities securities. You can come to us with your business problems and have the benefit of our 25 years experience in banking. Whatever your banking needs may be you are invited to consult us. You will find us prompt, courteous and helpful—ready to do anything for you within the limits of sound banking practice. Your account will be welcome whether large or small.

The First National Bank

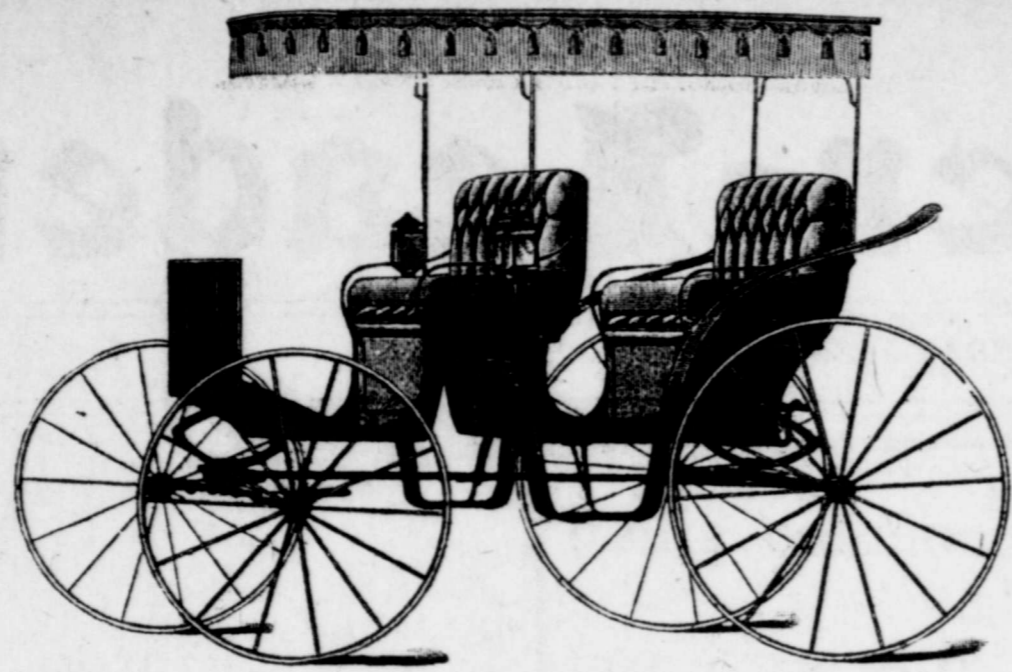
"THE BANK THAT DOES THINGS FOR YOU."

Established 1886

Ballinger, Texas.

Capital, Surplus and Shareholders Liability \$425,000.00.

Phaetons,
Surreys,
Traps,



Auto-Seats
Two-in-One
Open-Tops

TEN YEARS OF SATISFIED SELLING
IS OUR RECORD WITH
MOON BROTHERS BUGGIES

As the years go by our faith in the MOON grows stronger and stronger---and why should it not when each succeeding year adds many satisfied customers.

MOON BROTHERS make but one grade and that always the best.

It don't take an expert to buy MOONS, they are all made of the same material, the best.

We have just received another big car of these buggies.



Van Pelt,
Kirk
& Mack



A Short Crop

Calls for prices to correspond, and we deliver the goods (Groceries.)

Our stock of staple groceries and canned goods are always complete and we make prices that attract the buyer.

Grain, Hay and Feed of all kinds always in stock.

CHASTAIN & SIMPSON

Phone 40 712 Hutchings Ave. Ballinger, Texas

HENRY GLENN

Henry Glenn the second of Mr.

Wood and Coal

Always On Hand

Prompt delivery is our Motto. Give me a share of your business.

JOE HARDIN

112 9th St., Ballinger, Texas

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. In its, wounds, sprains, burns, rashes and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Price 25c, 50c and 1.00 per bottle. Sold by J. Y. Pearce.

WANTED

Wanted to trade a good lot for horse stock preferably mares and colts.

Mrs. C. F. Dickinson

Why God should call him home, yet it becomes us to bow to His will and accept the inevitable for: "Somewhere, sometime we'll understand."

Henry spent a large part of his boyhood days in Ballinger, where he has a host of friends to join with the family in mourning his sad demise and extend condolence and sympathy to them.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA.

If You Have It, Read This Letter. Miona is Guaranteed by The Walker Drug Co.

"I was taken last August with a severe stomach trouble. The doctor said it was nervous dyspepsia. I took his treatment four weeks, but did not feel any better. I took everything I heard of. The first day of December I got a box of MIONA. I took them that afternoon and the next day and haven't had one bit of pain in my stomach since the 2nd of December. Feel well now, and sleep good—Mrs. M. E. Maxfield, R. F. D. 2, Avoca, N. Y.

MIONA relieves after dinner distress, belching of gas, foul breath, heartburn and all stomach misery in five minutes. It is guaranteed to permanently cure indigestion acute or chronic, or any disease of the stomach, or money back. MIONA stomach tablets are sold by the Walker Drug Co. and leading druggists everywhere at 50c a large box.

Arno Schawe, a Ballinger raised boy, now a prominent business man of Bowie, came in last night on a visit to his father and mother. Arno is looking fine and says he is getting along nicely in his business.

Thomas Shepherd left Tuesday for Coleman to visit his son T. D. for a few days.

GIVING OUT.
The Struggle Dishorages Many A Citizen of Ballinger.

Around all day with an aching back. Can't rest at night; Enough to make any one "give out." Doan's Kidney Pills will give renewed life. They will strengthen the kidneys. Relieve kidney ills. Here is convincing proof that this is so:

Jas. J. Magee, 40 W. Harris Ave., San Angelo Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills benefited me greatly and in return I gladly recommend them. I had pains in the small of my back, especially acute when I stooped or lifted. My back also ached at night and was very lame in the morning. Other symptoms of kidney trouble existed, such as nervous and dizzy spells and a blurring of my sight. Too frequent passages of the kidney secretions were a source of annoyance, obliging me to get up at night. Doan's Kidney Pills soon relieved these difficulties and this convinced me of their great merits."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Miss Jennie Bennett returned Tuesday night from an extended visit to Dallas, Houston and other places.

REPORT OF THE WACO CONVENTION

The Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Society of Central Texas Conference was called at 8.30 o'clock May the 24th at Waco in the Fifth Street Church; was a success both in a spiritual and an educational way.

Judge A. N. Harris gave us a fine welcome address and pleading for us to do and go forward.

Mrs. E. H. Wynn then delivered the President's Message to the Home and Foreign Department. Miss Belle Bennett was then introduced to the audience. She made a most enjoyable talk, and spoke of the work done by the Missionary Council which recently convened in St. Louis, and of the union of the two Conferences.

Miss Bennett explained the unification of the Societies. Miss Bennett is President of the Woman's Council. There were five missionaries present, Miss Nutt from Mexico, Miss Manns China, Mrs. Campbell Korea, Miss Smith and Mrs. Henry. Under the union the officers were, President, 1st Vice-Pres. Childrens work, 2nd Vice-Pres. Young Peoples work, 3rd Vice-Pres. Christian Stewardship and Mission Study 4th Vice-Pres. Social Service and Local work, Home Treas. and Foreign Treas., Press Supt. and Agent for Missionary Voice.

Mrs. Barnum of Ft. Worth, Supt. of the Western division of the Board of Missions spoke a few words on unification. Mrs. H. C. Baird is 2nd Vice Pres. of the Home Department. Mrs. Bu-

chanan Supt. of Young Peoples Department gave her experience in being willing for her only child to be a Missionary.

Miss Furgerson of Corsicana goes to China as a Missionary this year.

Miss Alma Sullenberger of the Reading Course read a fine paper "Teach our people what the world needs," and "What does God require of us."

The officers for next year will be Mrs. J. W. Downs Pres. Mineral Wells; 1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. C. L. Cartright Stephenville; 2nd Vice-Pres. Mrs. J. B. Price, Weatherford; 3rd Vice-Pres. Miss Alma Sullenberger, Waco; 4th Vice-President Mrs. E. H. Wynne of Brownwood; Foreign Dept. Mrs. W. L. Perry Treas. Waco; Home Dept. Mrs. Mulkey of Corsicana Treas. for Foreign Dept. Mrs. W. H. Mathews; Mrs. J. J. Oliver Recording Secretary; Mrs. S. W. Ray Press Supt.; Mrs. L. H. Guthrie Conf. supplies; Mrs. Blair Dist. Sec. Brownwood, Mrs. Overall Dist Sec. Coleman.

The place of Meeting for next year will be Cleburne

Each Auxillary of the Woman's Missionary Council Home and Foreign is urged to raise during the present fiscal year the sum of \$200. for the endowment of Searrett Bible and Training School.

This amount must be forwarded through the Conference Treas. to Mrs. Ross, 810 Broadway, Nashville Tennessee.

Mrs. Ed O'Kelly, Delegate.

Patronize our advertisers.

NORTON NOTES

Farmers are very busy now, threshing grain.

Mrs. Bradford of Ballinger is visiting Mrs. Nora McCaughan this week.

The Christian Meeting which begun Wednesday night is being well attended. Rev. Wallace of Winters an able preacher is conducting the meeting.

Milton Wilson came in Sunday to spend a few days with home folks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hodges Wednesday a girl.

Miss Eva and Maggie Lilly visited Miss Sloan of Brandon, who is visiting her Aunt Mrs. C. W. Odom of Maverick last week.

Mrs. J. R. Holloway returned home from Ballinger Saturday, where she has been with Morris who is in the Sanitarium.

Mr. T. J. McCaughan made two trips to Ballinger Sunday in his auto.

"Queen of the Prairie"

FOR RENT!

A 30X120 rock building on Hutchings Ave.. For particulars see or write

M. D. CHASTAIN, Ballinger, Texas.

Dizziness, vertigo, (blind staggers) sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. HERBINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Price 50c. Sold by J. Y. Pearce.

L. B. Harris returned Monday from Lancaster Dallas County where he has been visiting his wife's people.

FEED—FEED—FEED—FEED

I am now ready to supply your wants, in the feed line. I have feed of all kinds. Chops, Bran, Mixed Feed, Grain, Hay and Ear Corn. See me at Chastain & Simpson's Grocery Store.

M. D. CHASTAIN, Ballinger, Texas.

Rev. Geo. Kornegay and wife were here Saturday from Talpa, where George is stationed as pastor of the Talpa circuit, and is making good too.

Barbed wire cuts, ragged wounds and harness galls heal up quickly when BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT is applied. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by J. Y. Pearce.

Mrs. Lawrence Harris is visiting home folks in Lancaster this week and Lawrence stands around on the street now looking like a "Lost Sheep of Israel."

FARMERS, ATTENTION!

I will buy all your fat stuff, cattle, hogs and sheep. 34-4f. JOHN G. KEY, Manager City Meat Market.

County Surveyor J. E. Powell, left Wednesday afternoon for the Winters country where he will do some surveying.

PUBLIC SALE

TO THE PUBLIC

We intend to dispose of our entire \$22,500.00 stock within 16 days, we have advertised the stock at Public Sale at here quoted prices. Every statement and price here quoted, being absolutely true and not exaggerated in the minimum, we shall expect a crowd numbering thousands of people every day of this sale to supply their wants. Proper preparations are being made to accommodate these masses and to wait upon one and all with rapid dispatch. To get your share come early, for at these prices the stock will last but a short while.

Stock Must Be Liquidated

\$22,500.00

Worth of Merchandise for Men, Women and Children thrown on the market regardless, irrespective of former cost or value, NECESSITY KNOWS NO LAW. Having decided to completely liquidate our Stock of Dry Goods, Shoes, Furnishings, Etc., we offer this entire Staple and Up-to-date Stock at retail—at PUBLIC SALE. Every article must be liquidated and disposed of within 16 days, Sale taking place at our premises on Postoffice Street, Winters, Texas.

Thursday, June 8th to Monday, June 26th

Explaining Things in Brief: A few lines of explanation are here necessary so the people will know how and appreciate the importance of this sale. Conditions compel us to dispose of our stock of Dry Goods, etc., in the quickest possible time, and we fully realize that only the most drastic reductions, such as have never been presented to the public, can accomplish this for us. The people well know of the high class of merchandise handled by us. We shall liquidate same at Retail Public Sale within 16 days. We have never inaugurated a sale, never made any assertions with-

STOP AND CONSIDER

No man or woman can afford to miss this golden opportunity. The cleanest, choicest Dry Goods stock in Winters to be sold at Public Sale at these quoted prices, at prices lower than one-half its value. To save dollars upon dollars, read this circular carefully and remember no matter how ridiculously low the prices quoted, they are not exaggerated. They are true and backed by the fairest guarantee. Merchants wishing to buy portions of this stock at the same retail prices listed here will be waited on only between the hours of 8 and 9 every morning.

Stock Must Be Liquidated

out strictly stating the truth, the truth in the deepest sense of the word, and during this sale we will, as heretofore, zealously live up to this reputation: for our reputation is at stake. Our Stock consists of the very highest grade of merchandise, standard goods only—comprising complete lines of Furnishings, Hats, Dry Goods, Etc., in fact all articles usually found in a first-class store. Time is limited and it cannot be our concern of how much the merchandise will realize; the task before us means the utter disposal of this Mammoth \$22,500.00 stock. There is but one avenue to success—**"LET THE GOODS GO FOR WHAT THEY WILL BRING" at this Public Sale.**

Mail Orders

Promptly filled. Send in your mail orders, giving exact description of article, size and color. Enclose money order for full amount.

Express Charges Prepaid.

Money refunded or purchases exchanged if unsatisfactory.

W. M. SMILEY & COMPANY
WINTERS TEXAS

News of Vital Importance

The stock will be marked in plain figures, the auditing being closed, commencing Monday June 5, until Thursday June 8 at 9 a. m., to enable us to mark and arrange the stock. We shall so adjust our campaign that we can promise a sufficient supply for all. We have recruited a force of efficient and trained sales-people to wait on the people with rapid and proper dispatch. Don't forget the date, Thursday June 8 at 9 a. m. sharp, the doors will be thrown open to the public. We do not wish to leave a few skeptical ones behind and therefore whatever purchases you make, should you be dissatisfied in any way, **WE WILL EXCHANGE, TAKE BACK OR REFUND YOUR MONEY IMMEDIATELY.** We guarantee every garment, every price, every word and every statement here made and advise you to save and bring this with you, so you will get exactly the goods mentioned. Remember—**NO POSTPONE-MENT:** Come here expecting to find absolutely the best values you ever saw. You will not be disappointed—your expectations

will be far exceeded in every instance. We guarantee you that the prices are lower and the values such as you could only picture in your most exalted moments of imagination. Were we to use the most emphatic language we could not sufficiently impress upon you the importance of these bargains. Why language is simply too faint to convey to you even an idea of the extraordinary values to be found. Bear in mind the following items are merely representative and we can only give you a glimpse of what you can save by quoting prices on a small portion of this stock, for if we should dare to quote prices on all these goods it would require the space of a 24-page newspaper. And now then in offering these bargains, we make no reservations, and include and place at your disposal every article, every garment contained in this stock. To fully realize and to properly appreciate the marvelous values to be found here, you must visit the store yourself.

Free R. R. Fare

Railroad fare reimbursed to all out-of-town purchasers buying \$20.00 worth of merchandise or over. Every article of this stock will be placed on sale—Nothing excepted.

W. M. SMILEY & COMPANY
WINTERS TEXAS

W. M. Smiley & Company, Winters, Texas

7c Standard Quality, fancy or plain colored CALICO Pretty styles, Public Sale Price . . . 4c
Stock Must Be Liquidated

50 cent quality Men's fine DRESS SHIRTS. All sizes, Public Sale Price 29c
Stock Must Be Liquidated

75c values in Boys Spring and Summer KNEE PANTS. All sizes, Public Sale Price 35c
Stock Must Be Liquidated

50c Balbriggan Standard Quality Men's UNDERWEAR Shirts or Drawers. Public Sale Price . . 22c
Stock Must Be Liquidated

\$1.50 Values in best imitation LEATHER SUIT CASES. All Sizes. Public Sale Price \$98c
Stock Must Be Liquidated

10c Standard quality SEAMLESS HOSE for men. Public Sale Price 4c
Stock Must Be Liquidated

5c Quality white HANDKERCHIEFS Linen finish. Public Sale Price 2c
Stock Must Be Liquidated

75c Values in BELTS all sizes and Styles. Public Sale Price . . . 29c
Stock Must Be Liquidated

\$1.50 Values in MEN'S SUITS Public Sale Price \$9.97
Stock Must Be Liquidated

LADIES HANDKERCHIEFS
Ladies handkerchiefs, linen finish, sold regularly at 5c. Public Sale Price 2c
Ladies beautiful trimmed handkerchiefs, embroidered or lace trimmed, worth 10c. Public Sale Price 4c

WASH AND STAPLE GOODS
Lawns, remnants, 20c values. Public Sale Price 5c
Full 32 in wide Percale, 10c value fast colors, pretty styles Public Sale Price 6 1/2c
American Printing Co.'s Standard 7c Calico in all shades and colors. Public Sale Price 4c
Apron Checks Gingham, in all colors, that are positively worth 10 cents Public Sale Price . . . 5c
Yard wide unbleached Domestic 12c value. Public Sale Price . . 6c
Dress Gingham in all colors and patterns, worth 12 1/2c. Public Sale Price 9c
Heavy Shirting in various colors, worth 12 1/2c Public Sale Price 5c
Turkish Towels bleached that are worth 15c. Public Sale 7c
Stevens all Linen Crash Toweling worth 9c. Public Sale Price 4 1/2c

LADIES UNDERWEAR
Ladies Ribbed Vests, 10c values. Public Sale Price 4c
Ladies Cumfy Cut Cests our 75c values. Public Sale Price . . . 48c

LADIES SHOES
Ladies \$2.50 work shoes. Public Sale Price 98c
Ladies Calf and Cici Kid Shoes C. S. and Cuban heels, selected from lines where there are only a few left—latest styles and well worth \$3.00. Public Sale Price . . . \$1.39
Ladies Patent and Vici Kid Lace Shoes, French and Cuban heels, all sizes and styles, suitable for both dress and street wear; genuine \$3.50 values. Public Sale Price \$2.49

MEN'S FURNISHINGS
In this sale this entire stock must be sold. Space will not allow quoting prices on the thousands of articles in furnishings to be had. Furnishings sold at prices never before heard of. It will pay you to make a memorandum of these needfuls and make your purchases for the season. You now have a chance to supply yourself with these high grade furnishings at such ridiculously low prices as are quoted in this advertisement. These goods could not be manufactured for the prices they are marked to be sold at during this sale.

Men's neatly hemstitched handkerchiefs, in plain white, a standard 10c seller. Public Sale Price 3c
10c Bandanas. Public Sale Price 4c
Men's 50 underwear. Public Sale Price 22c
Men's 50c dress shirts all patterns and colors. Public Sale price 29c
Men's \$1.00 dress shirts in fancy white and colors. Public Sale Price 47c
Men's soft shirts, collars, attached, all colors, 50c values. Public Sale Price 35c
Men's suspenders, worth 15c, dark and light patterns. Public Sale Price 9c
Men's 10c grey mixed hose. Public Sale Price 4c
Men's fancy 22c hose. Public Sale Price 8 1-3c

HAT AND CAP DEPARTMENT
Fedora and staple shape hats in black and drab, an excellent \$1.50 value come in all sizes and styles. Public Sale Price 98c
Men's hats of all shapes, selected from lots where there were only one or two left and combined, making a total of 250 hats, worth up to \$3.00 Public Sale Price \$1.39
Jno. B. Stetson and Knox shape hats, in all colors and styles including the latest styles, \$4 values. Public Sale Price \$1.69

CORSETS
Summer Corsets' cleverly designed model, adapted for medium figure, medium bust very long over hips and back; this model is a favorite, substantially made, exceptional value. Public Sale Price 32c

LADIES AND CHILDREN'S HOSE
Ladies Plain black hose, seamless, all sizes, guaranteed to be a 12c value. Public Sale Price 6c
Ladies black and tan hose worth 20c. Public Sale Price . . . 8 1-3c
Ladies black hose worth 35c. Public Sale Price 19c
Ladies hose in exceedingly pretty patterns, worth 75c, in all sizes. Public Sale Price 39c

EMBROIDERY AND LACES
All Embroideries ranging from 10 to 20c. Public Sale Price . . . 5c
Laces ranging from 10 to 5c. Public Sale Price 4c

DAILY NECESSITIES
Pins Per paper. Public Sale Price 1c
Safety Pins, per dozen. Public Sale Price 2c
Hair pins, Public Sale Price . . 1c
10c Pearl Buttons, Public Sale Price 3 doz. 10c
Hooks and Eyes, in black and white. Public Sale Price . . . 4c
10c finishing braid, in white and colors. Public Sale Price . . . 4c
25c and 50c Ladies hose supporters. Public Sale Price 19c

FANCY DRESS GOODS
One lot of fine dress goods, 65c values, all shades, Public sale Price 35c
One lot of this season's up-to-date suitings, never sold for less than 75c per yard Public Sale Price 43c

MEN'S SHOES
Men's work shoes, double sole good leather. They are worth \$2.50 but will go in this Public Sale Price \$1.15
Men's Kangaroo Calf Shoes, blucher cut, lace and Creedmore tip or plain toe, a \$3.00 Public Sale Price \$1.69
Men's fine Dress Shoes, black and tan, made from selected box calf and vici kid, best workmanship and finish; every pair guaranteed worth \$4.00. Public Sale . . . \$2.19
Men's work shoes made from selected kid and colts, finest of workmanship, latest styles, every pair guaranteed to be worth \$3.50. Public Sale Price \$2.38

OVERALLS
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Arm and Hammer Soda worth 10c per package. Public Sale Price 4 packages 25c
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Sample Heaps Frail Women

So many women are dragging out weary lives just because their digestive organs are weak. The result is poor circulation, nervousness and the verge of invalidism. It is often very unnecessary and the woman's own fault.

The first thing to do is to look to the welfare of your bowels. There the trouble usually lies. All physicians know that a large percentage of women are habitually constipated, and from this result indigestion, piles, weariness, etc., that women constantly complain of. But there is no use taking "female remedies" and things of that kind until you have started your bowels to moving. You will find that when the bowels move regularly once or twice a day all your petty ills will disappear. Take a good, mild laxative tonic like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for awhile and you will find yourself rapidly getting better and stronger, your bowels will regulate themselves and work at stated times, and then your headaches and dizziness will disappear. Don't take strong cathartic pills or salts, but just such a mild and pleasant-tasting remedy as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

You can obtain a bottle of your druggist for fifty cents or one dollar, and either size may be enough to permanently cure you. Thousands of women keep it regularly in the house and will no longer be without it, as it cured them and can be used with safety by every member of the family, down to the youngest child, but if you have never used it take the advice of Mrs. Earl S. Cox, 409 Twenty-fifth street, Moline, Ill., and Mrs. Ellen Dungan, Muncie, Ind., and send to Dr. Caldwell for a free trial bottle, as they did, and learn for yourself what it will do in your own case. That it will cure you, as it did them, there is no doubt.

Dr. Caldwell personally will be pleased to give you any medical advice you may desire for yourself or family pertaining to the stomach, liver or bowels absolutely free of charge. Explain your case in a letter and he will reply to you in detail. For the free sample simply send your name and address on a postcard or otherwise. For either request the doctor's address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, R. 500 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.



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J. O. Mixon & Sons.

H. E. Dickinson, Frank LaMotte and Judge Jno. D. Hutchinson left Monday afternoon for Reagan county to take up ranch life again after a brief visit with Runnels county friends.

Little Clarence Smith has been on the sick list much to the regret of his many friends who trust to see him alright in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Massey have gone to the Massey ranch to reside for the future. They remained in town after their trip from Ireland until their home could be put in order.

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EASTERN STAR

The Alamo Chapter O. E. S. installed officers Monday night for the next term.

Mrs. Pauline Winkler, Past Worthy Pres. was the installing officer and installed the following:

Miss Clara Malone, W. M.; Mrs. W. B. Halley, W. P.; Mrs. Anna Pearce, A. W. P.; Miss Olga Schawe, Conductress; Miss Ada Allen, A. Conductress; Mrs. Emma Mullins, Secy.; J. Whit Patterson, Treas.; Mrs. Emma Bragan, Warden; W. A. Talley, Sentinel; Mrs. Mary A. Stephens, Pianist; Miss Zanette Willingham, Ada; Mrs. Clara Ransome, Ruth; Mrs. Bettie Arledge, Esther; Mrs. Emma Ray, Martha; Mrs. J. Willie Bundick, Electra.

Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed and cannot be obtained when on board the cars or steamships. For sale by all dealers.

FARMERS

Bear in mind that we are in the market for Runnels County's wheat and oats, and in position to handle every bushel raised. It is to your interest to see us before selling.

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DR. T. F. HOGAN.

Dr. T. F. Hogan, the expert optician, will be in Ballinger June 26th, and will remain till Friday, June 30th. He will be at the Walker Drug Co. and will be pleased to meet any and all who are in need of an optician. He will be prepared to fit glasses, adjust defects of vision and do any and all work in the line of an optician.

Mrs. A. J. Hicks and daughter of Lubbock passed through the city Monday enroute to San Antonio for a visit with friends.

L. P. Woods sold and delivered 150 head of one and two year old steers to Godfrey Massey last week.

Mesdames J. J. Erwin, Adda Ward, G. P. Holman and Miss Katie Ray Ward left Tuesday for California to spend the summer. They will be joined by Mrs. Joe A. Jones of Summerville Texas. The party will visit San Francisco, Los Angeles, Oakland and other points before returning.

Mrs. Jno. A. Weeks and daughter Maurine spent several days this week in Coleman visiting relatives and friends.

BUNCO PARTY.

One of the most unique social affairs of the season was the Bunco party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Buster, on 7th Street on last Tuesday evening, by Mesdames Buster and Morgan Jones, in honor of Miss Tate of Weatherford, and Miss Keenan of Seymour, sister and cousin respectively of the above mentioned ladies.

Tables were placed in the house and on the brilliantly lighted lawn, and judging from the vim and enthusiasm with which the participants entered into the games they were thoroughly enjoyed.

There were ten tables and equally as many games played.

A delicious lunch was served which was a compliment to the culinary art of the hostesses. It consisted of pressed chicken in timbals, gelatin salad, with dressing, olives, sandwiches and grape ice.

The guests were profuse in thanks to the clever hostesses and attractive honorees for this delightful evening.

Those present were: Misses Winnie Trail, Kathleen Francis, Bettie Miller, Edith Winkler, Bertha Van Pelt, Natalie Lawrence, Lucile Reeder, Evans, Ann Elizabeth Tate, Mable Fowler, Manning, Katie Bell Gregory, Nannie Gregory, Jones, Mary Glaseock, Eddie Storm, Bertie Davis, Martha Keenan, Olga Schawe, Ada Allen, Estell Underwood, Verna Moser, Annie McCollum, Messrs. Ramond Davis, Ivan Hamilton, Scott Mangrum, Walter Oliver, Tom Fowler, Edward Schuhard, Marchal Northington, Henry Jones, Buck Child, Isom Wade, John Thurman, Jim Morgan, Dr. Mangrum and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Currie.

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Remember we want all the wheat and oats you have to sell. We can pay the top price at all times. Write us, or telephone us. It is to your interest to see us before selling.

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Coy Drennan was among the business visitors in Ft. Worth this week having left for that point Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Johnson is in the city visiting her sister and brother Mrs. T. S. Lankford and Ebb Cathey and will go from here to her father's G. W. Cathey at Wingate.

Mrs. Percy Willis (nee Miss Willie Westbrook) who has been visiting her parents, B. B. Westbrook, south of town went to Brownwood Thursday to visit awhile.

REAL ESTATE DEALS

H. L. Josey purchased the Dr. Blasdel Cottage on 10th Street recently and is now occupying same.

Ed Globber purchased the Frank Maddox home this week, and this will make him a fine home.

MARRIED

Sunday afternoon saw the joining of hearts and hands of Mr. J. Willard Reese and Miss Mary Ingle of Benoit.

Mr. Reese is an industrious and worthy young man while his bride is a sweet and lovable girl of that community.

They will reside in that community where the groom is engaged in farming.

Miss Irene Scott, of Lancaster, Texas returned home Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. L. B. Harris and will visit in our city a few weeks.

Herbert Grant went to San Antonio Thursday.

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IRENE THELMA RHODES

Irene Thelma Rhodes the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Rhodes died Monday June 5th, aged 4 years 3 months and 27 days.

We speak of the days as being long, but to the parents of this dear little one it seems as though it was but yesterday that she budded into their lives and now like a faded flower she has gone.

Rev. W. Bion Adkins spoke tender words of consolation to the bereaved parents after which the little form was tenderly laid to rest Tuesday afternoon. The Banner-Leader joins the many friends of the family in sympathy for them in their sad bereavement.

Alex Saunders returned home Tuesday afternoon from the Devil's River country where he had been fishing and hunting the past few weeks. The other boys who went with him will remain down there a while longer.

Misses Carrie and Hazel Williams left Thursday for Somerville, Texas, where they will visit their father for some weeks.

Sheriff J. P. Flynt left Tuesday afternoon for San Antonio where he went to take Mrs. M. E. Cates, recently adjudged insane, to the asylum.

Ed McCarver, O. L. Parish, Pat Corbett and Ed Slaughter enjoyed a fishing trip down the Colorado Wednesday and returned home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright, of Comanche, who have been visiting their nephew, Jap N. Adams and family returned home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. K. Freeman of McDade came in at noon Wednesday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. O. Rhodes and family.

FOR SALE.

A brand new, up-to-date Divan. Same has never been used; is a neat one and not a blemish about it. Upholstering is of the best grade. Opens up and makes a neat good bed. A bargain if sold at once. Same can be seen at my home on 10th street, No. 802. Phone Nos. 27 or 357. T. B. O'Bryan, Banner-Leader Office.

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HON. W. R. SPENCER

Hon. W. R. Spencer was here last week and paid this office a pleasant call. The Judge informs us that our next term of District Court will be held under the new law and will convene on Monday, July 10th.

Judge Spencer is a veteran attorney and a gentleman of sterling integrity, and Governor Colquitt showed excellent judgment in giving him the appointment.—Post City Post.

The Judge Spencer mentioned above is an old Ballinger man who a few years ago decided to go West and grow up with the country.

And we rejoice over his growth and endorse every word the above paper says, and that he has come into his own is evidenced by the high honors given him.

Mrs. G. W. Holman of San Saba who had been visiting relatives and friends in Ballinger and this section for some time past left Sunday afternoon for her home.

Miss Alpha Caperton, one of the teachers in the Ballinger High School left Wednesday via the A. & S. for Abilene where she will visit her friend, Mrs. T. B. Gillispie, nee Miss Georgia Stubbs.

Mrs. C. H. Hamblen and little son Billie Hub, of Sweetwater and Miss Flossie Davis of Miles, came in Wednesday and are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Halley.

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We have been in the Retail Grocery business in Ballinger many years, and have built our reputation by the quality of the goods sold. The best groceries that we can buy is what we offer to sell you and at prices as reasonable as the character of the goods offered will permit.

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Hereafter when your time expires you will receive notice with an invitation to renew, but if you do not hear from you within reasonable time, we will take this silence as an evidence that you desire the paper no longer, and your name will be dropped. This arrangement, we are sure, will meet with the approval of all of our subscribers, as we have been asked to do this by a large number heretofore.

The Anti Statewide Convention did not prove such a howling success as was expected, and in fact "swunkup" from the estimates placed thereon by the leaders.

Sixty-five bushels of oats to the acre on a 35 acre field is not bad for Runnels County. That is what one man reports this week, and there are others just as good.

Numbers of business men are ready to testify and verify that the cash business was better since Runnels went dry than before, and that men who were "busted" all the time before now pay cash for their goods.

The back to the farm idea is growing and is only one of the results that follow hard times in the cities and towns. At this season of the year there is little to be made by the day laborer in town while the demand for help on the farm is great. It is to be hoped that the idea will continue to grow until every town is free of idlers and the farms are made to yield a bounteous harvest.

The San Angelo Chamber of Commerce is making an effort to increase its membership from 500 to 750, and we understand they are meeting with success. At Wichita Falls the monthly collections amount to \$1500. The Ballinger Business League recent

ly started out with a determination to do things, and every business man in Ballinger and property owners will have an opportunity to help push for a greater Ballinger.

The Star-Telegram is having a lady to visit Oklahoma and interview the "Leading" business men to prove that Prohibition is a failure in that state. The idea that is being conveyed is that Oklahoma is terribly dissatisfied with its present condition and if it just had a chance how quickly it would change its present condition from dry to wet. Now dear anti friend is it not a fact that Oklahoma tried prohibition something over ten years, then something like one year ago voted on the question again and carried it in the state by over 28,000 and is this not proof enough that they have had the chance to change things and the voice of the people said, nay, verily.

A man is poor when he has lost the confidence of friends, when people who are nearest to him do not believe him, when his character is honey-combed by deceit, punctured by dishonesty. He is poor when he is making money at the expense of his character, when principle does not stand clear out supreme in his ideas. When this is clouded he is in danger of the worst kind of poverty. To be in the poor house is not necessarily to be poor. If you have maintained your integrity, if your character stands four square to the world, if you have never bent the knee of principle to avarice, you are not poor—Killeen Herald.

Hon. Jonathan Lane of Houston takes a parting shot at the preachers in his Ft. Worth speech last Monday and this is just as we expected and he with other leaders did not halfway express their real feelings towards them, if it had not been determined by the leaders to use the soft pedal. We have never denied the right of any man to vote the Anti ticket and we would not read him out of the church for such, but it is a fact that if the Protestant church in Texas had to depend for support and maintenance on the Anti prohibitionists solely it would shrink to a considerable extent, and especially if it had to depend on some of the leaders of the cause of the whiskey interests. We believe in the largest freedom in all things, but we can not see where preachers should be "lambasted" for urging their people to vote the saloons out of Texas.

Dallas, Texas, June 7th.—Correspondents of the Texas Industrial Congress who are following its instructions in contesting for the \$10,000 cash prizes, for the best yields of corn and cotton, report excellent results from shallow cultivation of their crops and the maintenance of a dust mulch to prevent evaporation of the moisture in the ground. Shallow cultivation every four or five days, keeps down the weeds, and saves the fertilizing elements of the soil for the growing crop and at the same time keeps the ground from eroding. Many farmers who are practicing these simple but effective methods say their corn and cotton are fresh and green while their neighbors' crops are burning up, which emphasizes the fact that the dryer the weather conditions the greater is the necessity for continuous shallow cultivation.

Houston Texas, May 31, 1911. To Christian Ministers: In less than sixty days the people of Texas will determine by popular vote whether or not intoxicating liquors shall be sold in this State. Advice from nearly all sections

are encouraging and the only menace to our success in driving out the saloons from Texas is the possibility of prohibitionists in the various counties and precincts failing to realize that every vote counts. If all do their duty the result can only be in our favor.

While many prominent and able speakers are doing, and will do, splendid service in the field in the nature of things in a great state like Texas some parts of the vineyard will be neglected unless they receive attention by local workers. I urge upon you the necessity of getting in touch with the local organization in every county and local prohibitionists where no organization has been perfected, giving all the time you possibly can until election day to speaking and working yourself for the great cause of statewide prohibition and inducing the citizens locally in your community to also speak and zealously work for the cause. Everywhere there are good men who can intelligently and effectively present the issue and if the ministers and local speakers will see that every precinct is properly aroused to action victory will crown our efforts upon the 22nd of July.

The county chairmen have supplies of high class literature which have been sent them from headquarters for distribution in their respective counties and the Christian women in every locality can do effective work by personally handling these pamphlets to their Anti friends, requesting that they be read and urging them to vote with us. Write me. Very truly yours,
Thomas H. Ball,
State Chairman.

MONEY! To loan on Farms and Ranches. Long time. 33-1/2. Lee Maddox.

W. C. HENDERSON DEAD

W. C. Henderson of whom mention was made last week as being dangerously ill from ptomaine poisoning, grew worse until shortly after noon Tuesday when death came to his relief. He leaves a wife and six children, Mrs. Bettie Saunders of near Drasco, Mrs. Jennie Wilcox of this city, Mrs. Ruth Clark, Guy Henderson and Mrs. Vera Byers of the Pumphrey community, and Miss Laura who is still at home—Winters News.

Miss Maryatt Smith of Ballinger passed through the city this morning enroute home from Dallas where she finished in St. Mary's college. Miss Smith made such a creditable showing in school that she has been elected a member of the faculty for next year. She was met at the train here by her aunts, Mesdames W. Z. Morris and J. B. Latham, who enjoyed a few moments chat with her while the train was waiting for lunch.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Landa Breeding now of Lawake, but who formerly resided here and carried the mail out on R. R. No. 1 was here Sunday visiting friends.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Everyone invited.

H. M. BANDY, Minister.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by J. Y. Pearce.

Prof. Newton Key, of Maze-land was transacting business and shaking hands with Ballinger friends Saturday.

BAIL GRANTED

MRS. STREIGHT

Writ of Habeas Corpus Issued by Court of Criminal Appeals And Bond Fixed at \$10,000

Austin, Texas, June 1.—The Court of Criminal Appeals today granted bail to Mrs. Minnie Lee Streight, fixing the amount at \$10,000. A writ of habeas corpus was granted, returnable on June 14. Mrs. Streight was convicted on a charge of killing her husband. Recently the Court of Criminal Appeals reversed her case. The lower court had refused her bail, but the higher court allows it in the sum stated.

ANTI STATEWIDERS

HOLD MEETING

Nothing new developed practically the same crowd in attendance

Those who desire the maintenance and perpetuity of the open saloon in Texas held their big rally in Fort Worth Monday and while it was well attended, still their 100,000 dwindled down to something like 10,000 and practically the same politicians that have espoused the whiskey cause heretofore were manipulating things in this convention and practically the same "hash" was handed out as in former meetings.

Most of the speakers used the "soft pedal" as they had been instructed to do by their leader Jake Wolters, but some of them uncorked the vial of wrath among whom is Johnathan Lane of Houston. In his speech he paid his respects to preachers in the following language:

"Those of us who oppose prohibition regret the injury that is being wrought by the political preachers and their allies, many of whom—in fact most of them—are impracticable and visionary. Those fanatical people know less about what is good for the general welfare of the Government and the people than they do about anything else except the effect and good influence of a Christian spirit. The stock in trade of these itinerant loafers, producers of strife and constant agitation, is usually a long tail coat, a standing collar and white necktie, a simulated meek and humble expression and a ton of ignorance about the wants and necessities of the people. They are like the jack snipe. They have no permanent place of abode, you may find them anywhere, and yet you may find them any time intruding into any one's pond. When you flush them you do not know where they may go. Those people should be classed "jack snipe politicians."

So far as the report is given by the state papers they were only able to dig up two preachers Rev. E. E. Willis of Menard and Rev. W. H. Kittrell of Cisco, both claiming to be of the Christian Church, but it is denied by members of that denomination at least they are not recognized by the Christian Church, so we are informed by local members of that denomination of this city.

The language of Rev. Willis' prayer in opening the convention is rather interesting and we reproduce same as follows:

Like Solomon of old, we pray at this time for Divine wisdom. Give us men. Tall men, sun kissed, who are both able and willing and able to lift up their heads above the fogs of self-interest and the clouds of prejudice and ignorance, that our people may not perish by being badly led. We need seers, men who are willing with the simplicity and teachableness of childhood to say 'Show us the way, Oh Lord God Omnipotent,' and yet bold enough to walk in the right regardless of the consequences.

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A Self Filler which CANT LEAK

Come in and see it; you'll want it if you ever use a pen and ink.

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Fills itself from any inkwell. A slight twist corks it up tight. Another twist—and it's ready for a signature any time, anywhere.

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EVERYTHING in Guaranteed Hosiery for the entire family.

Four pairs in box \$1.00 (the better grades, three pairs). Though guaranteed to wear, yet their style and quality are equal to the most expensive kind of hosiery.

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Give us such men. We need men who consider and are not afraid to follow the torch of reason no matter where it leads, who weigh the issues in the scales that tell unerringly what is the greatest good for the greatest number. But we would not stop with asking for wisdom. To be wise is not enough, we need charity more than wisdom. Oh Thou who in the agony of a martyr's death could say, 'Father forgive them, do Thou teach us how to love one another. Reach down from the cross and with Thy blood stained hand write on each heart a love for our fellow man, that is in kind the same as Thy love for us. Bring us more and more together in a true unity of reciprocal interest. May we be knit together in confidence, and in a desire for things that shall benefit the whole state. Teach us to be kind and gentle toward others as Thou art kind and gentle toward us.

"We are today entering a great contest. The strife will be hard, relentless, terrible, still we would not have it one whit less, but we do pray that both sides may be saved from all ignoble views, which always brings men to lower levels, both morally and intellectually."

Take it as a whole the Convention did not develop as much "steam" as was anticipated by its promoters but was enough to show how the campaign is to be conducted.

Right in your busiest season when you have the least time to spare you are most likely to take diarrhoea and lose several days' time, unless you have Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand and take a dose on the first appearance of the disease. For sale by all dealers.

IT'S ALL IN THE GLASS you wear, whether your sight is improved or not. To supply exactly the right glasses is the object of our eye examinations, which, you know, are free.

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ACCIDENTALLY HURT

What came near being a most serious accident happened Monday morning when Alfred P. Luckett, of the Miles Hardware Company, was endeavoring to get a box of bolts from the shelving, and a one-gallon ice cream freezer accidentally toppled off the high shelving about 14 feet high, and struck him on the head cutting a gash over the left eye some 2 inches long, and cutting clear to depth of the skull. A surgeon was summoned quickly as possible, and dressed the wound. Mr. Luckett is up and able to attend to business duties at this writing.

Mrs. C. R. Stephens of Ballinger and Moter Mrs. Cato, of Hutto, visited J. O. Roots and wife last week.

Mrs. E. L. Hagan of Ballinger was a guest at the homes of J. O. Roots and F. G. Lewin and wife last week.

Miss Lula West and sister went to Ballinger for a short visit with relatives there.

Mrs. Willie Stephens visited her parents, J. N. Harris and wife at Ballinger last week.

Editor Harris of the Enterprise had business in Ballinger Saturday.—Miles Messenger.

Chas. Northington, a prominent young business man of Ballinger, is in the city on business.

Jack Green went over to Ballinger last night on business.—Sweetwater Reporter.

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1 lot Lawn Dresses, white, blue and pink, trimmed in laces and embroidery, values up to \$8.00, sale price - - - **\$3.95**

1 lot Lingerie Dresses, in blue and white, trimmed in laces and medalions, values up to \$10.00, go at - - - **\$4.95**

1 Lot Lingerie Dresses in white and tan, trimmed in laces, embroidery and medalions, values up to \$15.00, sale price - **\$5.95**

1 lot Lingerie Dresses in white and lavender, trimmed in laces and embroidery, values up to \$20.00, sale price : : : **\$7.95**

BIG REDUCTIONS ON SKIRTS

1 lot of about 25 Skirts, values \$7.50 to \$15.00, your choice of the lot for : **\$5.00**

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CUT PRICES ON LADIES WAISTS

CUT PRICES ON MILLINERY

25 per cent Discount on all Pattern and Trimmed Hats. This is a great opportunity to secure one of our Handsome, Stylish Hats.

Don't fail to see our 5c and 10c Embroidery Bargains. You'll miss something good if you fail to see them.

Big lot Velvet House Slippers for Men and Women at 25c pair.

Straw Hat Bargains: \$3.50 Hats at \$2.50; \$3.00 Hats at \$2.00; \$2.00 Hats at \$1.00. Come at once while we have your size.

JUST THE THING

For Hot Weather, just received by Express Men's Spanish Linen Suits, Cool and Comfortable, \$10 and \$12.50 values go at \$6.50. Come and see them, you'll be glad you did.

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Do you suffer from any of the pains peculiar to women? Take Cardui. It will help you. Ask your druggist.

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If your dear reader could spend an hour looking over a few of the thousands of testimonials we have on file, you would not go on suffering from catarrh, that disgusting disease that will surely sap your vitality and weaken your entire system if allowed to continue.

You would have just as much faith in HYOMEI as we have, and we have so much confidence in its wonderful curative virtue that it is sold the country over under a positive guarantee to cure catarrh, croup, sore throat, coughs and colds or money back.

No stomach dosing when you breathe HYOMEI. Just pour a few drops of the liquid into the inhaler, and breathe it in.

It is mighty pleasant to use; it opens up those stuffed-up nostrils in two minutes, and makes your head feel as clear as a bell in a short time.

Breathe HYOMEI and kill the catarrh germs. It's the only way to cure catarrh. It's the only way to get rid of that constant hawking, snuffling and spitting.

A complete HYOMEI outfit, which includes a bottle of HYOMEI and a hard rubber pocket inhaler, costs \$1.00 at druggists

everywhere at The Walker Drug Co. If you already own a Hyomei inhaler you can get an extra bottle of HYOMEI for 50c.

Judge C. O. Harris left Wednesday afternoon for Abilene on legal business.

FOR RENT—The Ernest Plummer residence now occupied by C. R. Wallis will be for rent May 1st. Five rooms, new and modern.

Dickinson Realty Co., Banner-Leader Office.

C. W. Miller of Winters was among the business visitors in Ballinger Wednesday.

FEED! FEED! FEED! FEED!

For all kinds of feed, including Chops, Bran, Mixed Feed, Grain, Hay and Ear Corn, see me at Chastain & Simpson's Grocery Store.

M. D. CHASTAIN, Ballinger, Texas.

Miss Annie McCollum, a teacher in the San Angelo schools, is here this week the guest of Mrs. R. W. Bruce.

The family of T. S. Lankford had quite a surprise this week when Mrs. Jim Johnson and baby of Tula Rosa New Mexico came in unannounced to pay them a visit. She is a sister to Mrs. Lankford and a daughter of G. W. Cathay of Wngate and has not visited here in seven years. She will be remembered by old timers as having lived here some 17 years ago.

Sallow complexion is due to a torpid liver. HERBINE purifies and strengthens the liver and bowels and restores the rosy bloom of health to the cheek. Price 50c. Sold by J. Y. Pearce.

Henry and Clarence Stewart of Pony Creek came in Tuesday and left that evening for Winters to visit a few days.

NOTICE!

The W. C. T. U. of the First Baptist church will discontinue their market for 3 months or until Sept. 1st.

Mrs. Ada Dillingham of Winters who had been visiting her father J. W. Clampitt and family returned home Tuesday afternoon.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT NO. 54.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County—Greeting: J. W. Murray, Guardian of the Estate of George P. Murray et al, Minors, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said George P. Murray et al Minors, together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship.

You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper regularly published in the County of Runnels, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the August Term, 1911, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the town of Ballinger on the 7th day of August A. D. 1911, when said Account and Application will be considered by said Court.

Witness O. L. Parish, Clerk of the County Court of Runnels Co. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Ballinger this 22nd day of May, A. D. 1911.

O. L. Parish, Clerk County Court, Runnels Co. A true copy, I certify: J. P. Flynt, Sheriff Runnels County.

FOR TRADE.

A house and lot in Sweetwater to trade for 10 to 60 acres of land near some railroad town. 33-4t L. F. Cummings, Ballinger, Texas.

PAGE AD

In this issue appears a page ad from W. M. Smiley & Co. of Winters in which they quote many attractive prices and it will pay our readers to turn to and read every line.

These people are bidding hard for your trade and will treat you right.

LIFE INSURANCE AT COST.

We have a few vacancies in the RUNNELS COUNTY FRIEND-IN-NEED SOCIETY NO. 1.

This is your opportunity to become a member of this society.

A. F. VOSS, Sec'y., Ballinger, Texas

Young man if you want to buy a lot to build a home, see me and capture a lot in Elm Heights on a small cash payment and long time on balance.

Mrs. C. F. Dickinson

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ANOTHER INJUNCTION ISSUED AT SWEETWATER

New Action Based on First Contract with Company—Railroad Had Commenced to Move.

Sweetwater, Tex., June 6.—Another injunction was issued by the District Court today restraining the Orient Railway from moving its shops and State Headquarters from this place. The decision of the court on the former injunction had not been made final, the railway company had commenced to move to San Angelo. The new injunction is brought by the minority stockholders and is based on the first contract mentioned in the opinion of the Supreme Court handed down June 1.

HOME MISSION SOCIETY ENTERTAINED

Mrs. E. L. Rasbury invited the members of the Home Mission Society to her home on last Thursday afternoon. An invitation from Mrs. Rasbury always signifies a treat in store.

And there was no disappointment for an excellent and instructive program was planned and rendered for the entertainment of the guests.

The program was opened by a piano solo by Mrs. Morgan Jones, and as is always true, Mrs. Jones proved herself an artist.

Following this Miss Keenan of Seymour sang a beautiful solo, with Mrs. Jones as accompanist, and received well merited applause.

Mrs. Ed O'Kelley, having just returned from Waco, where she was sent as delegate to the Annual Conference of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies, gave a complete report which imparted enthusiasm for more and better work in our own organization.

Mrs. E. V. Cox read a paper on Home Mission work which was replete with important data and helpful suggestions.

After a short while spent in pleasant conversation, the hostess assisted by Mesdames Bruce and Brewer, served a delicious ice with cake.

All present expressed thanks to the worthy President and hostess for so pleasant an afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends who were so kind in the last sickness and death of our dear Mother, we extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all and may God bless you all.

Mrs. C. W. Odum
Mrs. Cole
Mrs. Sloan

A. Levy is at home from an extended stay with his business at Sweetwater and while away he visited in the Panhandle country. He says his country is in good shape compared with other sections.

Mrs. W. C. Wright, of Ballinger, who had been visiting Mrs. H. A. Smith, returned home Monday.

Miss Lena Burford visited friends at Ballinger this week.—Santa Anna News.

We note among the prominent citizens, as given by the Ft. Worth Record, on the stage with Gov. O. B. Colquitt at the Anti Rally in Ft. Worth, the name of Jno. F. Maddox of Ballinger.

The Banner-Leader force turned out a big lot of work Saturday for the Winters Enterprise.

Dick Thorp, John Thurman, and T. J. Gardner accompanied by Mr. Nance the auto man spent Saturday in San Angelo, as this was legal holiday for these banker boys.

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Promptness, Safety and Reliability are my mottos.

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LANKFORD-GUIN

Last Tuesday afternoon, at three o'clock a beautiful wedding was solemnized at the attractive Lankford home on Bonnell Ave. At which time Miss Maude Lankford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lankford was married to Mr. Carl Guin of Brownwood.

The beauty of the handsome home was enhanced by decorations of carnations, pink and white roses, feathery ferns and tendrils of graceful vines, these formed three arches, and at this altar the impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. G. W. Fender, of the 8th St. Presbyterian Church.

The attendants were two little flower girls, Margaret Doose and Lucy Bell Taylor, and truly looked dainty and sweet enough to have been accomplices of Master Cupid.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white messalin with a gracefully draped veil, and carried an arm bouquet of carnations.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left on the 3:45 train for Brownwood their future home.

Miss Lankford is one of Ballinger's most popular young ladies, which was proven by the many beautiful and useful presents received.

Mr. Guin is a young man of merit and integrity.

The bride's going away gown was of pongee, neatly trimmed with accessories to match.

The departure was amid showers of congratulations and good wishes.

MARRIED AT ABILENE

Friends in Cleburne have received the news of the marriage in Abilene of Miss May McCullough to Mr. H. D. Murphy, of Ballinger, Texas. Miss McCullough lived in Cleburne at one time, her father being engaged in the hardware and furniture business here. She has visited here several times since and as numerous friends who will wish her a long and happy married life.—Cleburne Enterprise.

Mr. Murphy is a young man who was reared in Runnels County and has many friends who offer him their congratulations and wish the young couple much happiness.

Miss Willie Price daughter of J. H. Price, left Sunday for Waco to visit her aunt. She will visit Crawford, Moody and McGregor before returning.

Sam Jones of San Angelo visited in Ballinger Saturday.

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Of Pure Food Products? Do you appreciate wholesome and nutritious Groceries? Do you realize the many advantages you have at our Store? Our groceries are kept in clean surroundings, weighed by accurate methods, always in a fresh condition, promptly delivered and fully appreciated. Each bill you purchase from us is a trial order. You may try it at our risk, and we will return the full purchase price if you are not pleased. At our Store you get prompt service and Courteous treatment.

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UNUSUAL BUYING OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE ECONOMICAL SHOPPER DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE

Bargains!

19c
30 inch Persian Lawn, regular 25c value, yard

19c

25c
Extra good Bleached and Unbleached Bath Towels, 35c values, pair

25c

9c
25 pieces extra good values India Linon, values 12 1-2c, yard

9c

11c
Embroidery, in Swiss and Nainsook, 4 to 10 inches wide, worth up to 25c, yard

11c

95c
Ruffled and Lace Curtains, 3 yds long, \$1.25 values, pr

95c

\$1.95
Pure Linen Tailored Waists tucked and plain styles, \$2.-50 values

\$1.95

\$1.25
White Parasols, new arrivals, first showing Saturday, each

\$1.25

\$1.48
White Quilts, Scalloped and fringe, full size only

\$1.48

\$4.95
4 3-4 to 5 yd pieces White Baby Irish Flouncing, 27 inches wide beautiful patterns, worth \$2 yd or \$10 the pattern, a few patterns left of 5 yards, choice

\$4.95

Muslin Underwear and White Goods Were Never So Cheap

SPECIAL 95c
Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers and Drawers that formerly sold at \$1.19, \$1.25 and \$1.50, a special lot on table, priced in the reach of all

95c

SPECIAL 25c
Corset Covers and Drawers, extra values at 25c and up to 50c, table lot choice garment

25c

Lend Us Your Presence

SPECIAL 95c
20 dozen Lingerie Waists, high and Dutch neck, values up to \$2, choice

SPECIAL

50c Pure Irish Linen, 36 in. wide and Handkerchief Linen included, while it lasts, yard

39c

SPECIAL
35c, 40c and 50c Persian Lawn, this week only yard

29c

Big Values Here During June

A SALE OF MILLINERY Every Hat Reduced

Every Hat in this house reduced fully 25 to 50 per cent.

Ladies Hats worth up to \$5.00 SEE Table Display

choice - - - - - **\$2.95**

Hats that sold for \$6.50, \$7.-50 and \$8.50, while they last - - - - - **\$4.95**

Big line of Children's Hats at \$1.50, \$1.00 down to - 50c

REAL BARGAINS AWAIT YOUR COMING

Bargains!

25c
Sweater Style Bleached Undershirts, regular price 50c, while they last, garment

25c

25c
Boys' and Men's Straw Hats broken sizes, best styles, values 50c, 75c and \$1, choice

25c

98c
Men's heavy Overalls, best grade Denims, every size, here pair

98c

48c
Good elastic seam Bleached Drawers for men, every size Pepperell goods, pair

48c

\$1.50
Men's Big 4 Hats, Black and Nutra colors, worth \$2.00, every size only

\$1.50

50c
Boys' Hawk Overalls, extra well made with Bib, best denims ages 8 to 10 years, worth 75c, pair

50c

50c
Extra well made work Shirts, cream and colors, made of best grade cheviots, sizes 14 1/2 to 18,

50c

15c
Wash Collars in White and White and Black, sizes 14 to 17, for Men and Boys

15c

\$1.50
29 dozen Men's Work Pants, Kaki, Bedford Cord and Gray, wool material, values exceeding good at \$2.00, every size here for you

\$1.50

Another Week of Unusual Bargains in Dresses and Millinery

Not One, but over One hundred Pretty Foulard, Lingerie, Voile and Marquisette Dresses to select from. Beautiful Styles, low and high neck included. Dresses that are extremely good in style. You will agree that they are good values at \$15.00, \$18.50 and up to \$22.50, choice the garments - **\$9.95** Special House Dress Offer including Lingerie, Lawns and Gingham Dresses, values up to \$4 choice **\$1.95**

Real Shoe Bargains For Men, Women and Children

This season we have enjoyed an unusually good business in Shoe Line. As a result we have quite a good many broken sizes in Men's, Women's and Children's Slippers and Oxfords. These lines we must clean up. The one and sure way is to put a price on each and every pair that will move them quickly. Your size might be here. To say the least of it, it will pay you to come and see for yourself. SEE Counter Display.

LOT NO. 1

Ladies Slippers including Black and Tan, Oxford and Strap Styles, most all sizes, values \$2.50 and \$3.00 and a few pair at \$3.50, choice of the Lot **\$1.95**

LOT NO. 2

Misses and Children's Tan and Black Slippers, Strap and Oxford Styles, sizes 11 1/2 to 2, values \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00, choice of the Lot **98c**

LOT NO. 3

Men's High and Low Cut Shoes, Black and a few Tans included, sizes 6 to 11, only a few of a size, values \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00, choice of lot **\$1.98**

LOT NO. 4

Men's Low Cut Shoes, Patent and Vici Leathers, broken sizes, values \$3.50 and \$4.00 while the last, choice of the lot **\$2.95**

White Strap Slippers And Pumps - New Arrivals Today

Welted and Turn Soles, Pump and Strap styles, Cuban and French heels, very fetching. You'll need a pair for they are very stylish. Pair

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