THE BANNER-LEDGER

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Van Pell, Kirk and Mack

C. E. Witt and son H. R. Witt, of the Valley-Creek community, and E. H. Harding, of the Norton country, left Wednesday afternoon in response to a telegram that B. F. Curry had shot and killed two men near Snields, Coleman County.

Curry is a son-in-law of C. E Witt, and brother-in-law of H. R. Witt, and also brother-in-law of Mr. Harding; Mrs. Curry and Mrs. Harding being sisters. Cur phoned to the relatives this morn

ing telling them of his trouble, but stated that he would have no trouble in making bond, and that it was not necessary for them to Louis is suffering another flood, NATIONAL AND RESERVE men above named, decided to go to his assistance and be present at the examining trial which is ex-

In conversation with the editor of the Coleman Democrat Wednesday afternoon, and in talking with the gentlemen who left here for Coleman, the Ledger breaks have occurred in the Ark- LANT. learned something of the particulars of the killing, which are as

Some time ago Curry reported

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carbon removed.

Come and see it work.

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to property resulted.

In Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 23.—Report has been received here that Newport, Ark, has been flooded ansas river levee and property damages will exceed one million dollars and it is feared lives have been lost at different points along the Arkansas river valley.

AND CHAIRMAN HARDING OF time has been announced as to CONFERENCE CONSIDER IN G sume charge. THE COTTON SITUATION. NO ST. LOUIS, Aug. 23.—The re- STATEMENT HAS BEEN GIVport that twelve people were EN OUT FROM THE CONFERdrowned from flood in this city ENCE, BUT CURRENCY COMPhas been denied, but following TROLLER WILLIAMS TALKS the first flood the county of St. OPTIMISTIC AND SAYS THE and three thousand people have BANKS HAVE ENOUGH MONmade homeless and great damage EY TO CARRY THE ENTIRE COTTON CROP, ENTIRE TO-BACCO CROP AND ONE-HALF pected to be held tomorrow Six Dead; Mililon Dollar Damage THE WHEAT CROP AND TAKE CARE OF A BILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF EXPORTS UNTIL THE PURCHASERS PAY A FAIR PRICE FOR SAME AND and six people drowned Six THAT IN GOLD OR ITS EQUIV- lutionists.

#### WE ARE NEUTRAL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25 .-

Wednesday.

# MAN SHOT WHILE

We will save you one half the up-keep of your was shot in the fleshy part of the mored cruiser Tenessee with a thigh by Deputy Sheriff Paul battalion of 350 additional Crews as he was attempting to marines. . 27 1-2c make his get-away from the officers at the home of John Bailey north of this place yesterday af-

Jackson was arrested by Constable John Carter, of Concho county, who had been away from home for several days on business. M. Carter was returning home over the A. & S. and when the train reached Tuscola he learn ed that a man was wanted there for stealing a suit of clothes. With a description of the man he kept a watch out for the thief. train and intended to turn him der. over to the officers when he reach miles an hour, Jackson made a

break for his liberty and jumped off the train. Mr. Carter came on to Winters and joined by Mr. Crews the two officers returned to that the Methodists will begin a Bradshaw and soon had Jackson meeting at Valley Creek school located at the home of John Bail- house, Wednesday night, Septemey. When Jackson saw the offi- ber 1st. cers coming he tried to get away and was making for the creek preaching from Carbon, Texas. when Mr. Crews shot him, after the man declined to hault, and after he had gained a distance of

about sixty yards. When shot Jackson fell and surrendered to the officers. His wounds were dressed by a physician and he was later returned to Abilene where it developed that he was wanted for forgery on two different indictments returned

by the grand jury. The wound inflicted by the officer's gun is said not to be a serious wound, and the Taylor county officers held the Runnels county officer blameless for shooting the man, and stated that it seemed necessary, and they were glad to get the man in the Taylor county jail.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Sec retary Lansing today confirmed the report that the United States proposes to assume control of 56 P. M. PRESIDENT WILSON the Hatian Republic. No definite THE RESERVE BOARD ARE IN when the United States will as-

> WASHINGTON, Aug. 25 .-United States to approve a conthe American government would administer the finance and supervise the policing of the island re-

A draft of the proposal is before the Haytien congress, sitting BRINGS THIRD BALE at. Port au Prince, where American marines have been maintaining order since the recent killing

partment fixed no time limit upon on account of the unsettled condi- soon as they could be communiit is admitted that Charge Davis, cided not to sell at present. After came to the office of Justice Trim-WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.— who presented the treaty draft, a year the farmers are facing a mier where she filed complaints might have asked, as press discotton season that promises to be against Hunt that will lead to his neutrality with Turkey and Italy patches state, that approval be given by noon tomorrow. equally as bad as last fall for early arrest as soon as he can be apprecate the cotton selling. The future is headed. given by noon tomorrow.

department is preceeding with finitely. preparations for an extended stay of its marine on the island. Rear the forces now occupying not only the capital but most of the principal towns and strategic points, has the situation well in hand

with something over 2,000 marines WINTERS, Tex., Aug. 24.—A and blue jackets. He is to be reman by the name of J. D. Jackson inforced immediately by the ar-

# Orders to Be Very Strict

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.-The When the train reached Ovalo United States today received of-Carter saw a man suiting the des- ficial confirmation of the allies' cription of the man wanted for cotton contraband order. The stealing the clothes and he placed State Department says that the him under arrest and found the pending cotton note to the Britclothes. He placed the man on the ish contains objection to the or-

Reports are current that the ed this place and get them to hold British will make cotton shippers him until the Taylor county offi- prove that cotton consigned to cers could come for him, Tuscola, neutral nations is not intended for the place where the clothes were stolen being in that county. When protest bitterly against such a the train reached near Bradshaw, Plan and will contend for rights and while running about twenty of American shippers to ship cotton to neutral countries.

> VALLEY CREEK REVIVAL Please announce in your paper

Rev. W. T. Singley will do the Everybody invited to come, P. H. YATES, P. C.

Norton, Texas.

# DISPLAYS PISTOL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.-Re-Turbulent Hayti's new govern-meth has been asked by the cials today said "We are wait-The United States is actvention under which for ten years ing favorably upon the request disposes of pistol carrying chargmade by Germany that no action es filed against hin, and it is prob be taken in the matter until an able other charges will be filed. official report could be made by the Imperial German government.

Jim Knight, who farms south of of President Guillaume by revo- town, was here with a bale of cot- Hunt snatched from their posseston Saturday, it was the third sion the five-year-old Hunt boy. Officials here say the state de- bale for the present season, and The officers were notified as consideration of its request, but tion of the market Mr. Knight de- cated with and Mrs. Hunt later While the diplomatic branch of strictly speculative and no man According to the story told by

Ballinger Monday.

C. B. Hunt, who snatched from the possession of the mother, the little five-year-old Hunt boy, at the home of Clarence Jones, at the city Tuesday morning, after threatening to kill both Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Hunt, was arrested at Wingate about noon Tuesday by Deputy Sheriff Chas. Pruitt. Sher iff Perkins received notice of the arrest immediately, and left in an auto for Wingate where he will get the man and boy and bring them to Ballinger. The boy will be returned to his mother, and Hunt will be held until the court

The home of Clarence Jones, in this city, was the scene of considerable excitement Tuesday morning about ten o'clock when C. B. Hunt appeared at the home and overpowering Mrs. Jones and Mrs.

Sam Brookshire of the Benoit the United States government is can buy cotton with any degree Mrs. Hunt, the distressed mother country, and W. L. Williams of working out a plan for future of safety of getting his money of the little boy, who is now some the Norton country, were among peace in Hayti's domestic life back, without he is prepared to where with his father, headed for the business visitors in Ballinger and foreign relations, the navy store the cotton and hold it inder the home of the father which is un known to Mrs. Hunt, she was married to C. P. Hunt in Fort Worth L. M. Bales of the Hatchel coun six years ago. They resided in Admiral Caperton, in command of try, was transacting business in Sweetwater for two years and in (Continued on Last Page.)

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Here's a fact: The money you spend now is many times that money, because it is cheating yourself out of the profit that money would earn for you some day.

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Ballinger, Texas

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your engine and it can be done in ten minutes.

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"In time of health prepare for sickness" is modern way of "saving up for a rainy day." The healthier a man is the more money he can make, while sickness or ill health decreases his earning ability. The only thing to do then is to prepare for sickness by saving while you're well.

With money in the bank you can meet the doctor's bill. No use to make yourself sick agoin by slaving to pay off your debts. Save a little every week so when the week of illiness comes you can meet it without dread. With us your money is safe-you can always get it-its payable on demann. DO IT NOW-TO WAIT MAY MEAN TOO LATE.

> ...The... Winters State Bank

Winters, Texas

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

Faulks, Docia Lee, Robert Lee, last aforesaid. Katy Whittley, Bryan Whittley, A. B. Faulks, Geo. W. Faulks, Jr., Faulks, Minnie Faust, Daniel to-wit, on or about December 18th, Faust, Mary Teague, F. M. Teague Ethel Gibson, Walter Gibson, Lon Nancy Field, Pedro Field, J. W. Reynolds, Mamie Reynolds, Sam in writing, for a valuable consider- said, the defendants still unlaw-Epperson, Herff Epperson, Earl ation the said last seven mentioned fully and forcibly with-hold the Epperson, Lois Epperson. Albert notes, being numbers 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, same from him to his great dam Epperson, Clarence Epperson, Clarence Epperson, With all his right and title in and hundredth dollars. Epperson, the last seven named to said block No. 77, containing defendants being minors are THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Runnels. In District Court, March term, To the Honorable District Court

of Runnels County, Texas:

J. E. Humble, who resides in Williamson County, Texas, hereinafter styled plaintiff, complianing of Mrs. C. C. Faulks, a feme sole, J. Webb Faulks, E. D. Faulks, Docia Lee, and her husband, Robert Lee, Katy Whittley and her husband, Bryan Whittley, who resides in Runnels County, Texas, and of A. B. Faulks, Geo. W. Faulks, Jr., Nancy Field and her husband, Pedro Field, who reside in Jones County, Texas, and of J. Will Faulks, Minnie Faust and her husband, Daniel Faust, who reside in Taylor County, Texas, and of Mary Teague and her hubsand, able according to their legal tenor defendants, herewith tendering F. M. Teague, who reside in San and effect, and that the said G. Saha County Texas and of Ethel W. Faulks wholly failed and re-Saba County, Texas, and of Ethel Gibson, and her husband, Walter Gibson, who reside at Randlett, State of Oklahoma and of Lon Rey nolds, and Mamie Reynolds, daugh ter of the said Lon Reynolds, and tract and wholly failed to perform Mattie Reynolds, deceased, who reside at Fowlerton, La Salle Coun and consideration thereof as herety, Texas, and of Sam Epperson, thereof plaintiff elected to rescind and that on final hearing hereof son, Lois Epperson, Albert Epper- said contract of sale and to recov- the plaintiff have judgment and Herff Epperson, Earl Epperson, Clarence Epperson, Gladdis er title and possession of said last against all the defendants for a Eperson and Catherine Epperson, the last seven named defendants being children of said Sam Epper-

owned and possessed, holding the of the said Mary Teague, formerly came by fee simple title, that cer- Mary Faulks, and except the said nels County, Texas, and described of the said Nancy Field, formeras follows: Being all of block No. ly Nancy Faulks, and except 77 of 1506 acres of land, a sub-Bryan Whittley, husband of the inally granted to R. B. Craft by Katy Faulks and except the devirtue of certificate No. 2077, fendant Lon Reynolds, surviving block No. 77 being the same as nolds, deceased, formerly Mattie shown upon the plat of said sub-Faulks. division of survey No. 370, now on file in the Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, to which re- twelve months have elapsed since ference is here made for a more the death of the said G. W. Faulks particular description of said and that no administration has sale were as follows: the said C. could be had-A. Doose then and there made, executed and delivered to the said | Plaintiff alleges that on and af-G. W. Faulks his certain deed of ter the breach of the said conconveyance in writing to said tract of sale on the part of the block No. 77, of 150.6 acres of said G. W. Faulks, and after he land in consideration of \$300.00 had wholly failed and refused to cash in hand paid, and eight cer- perform the terms and conditions

on all past due interest, said notes due and payable on or before January 1st, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, the facts hereinbefore alleged, the consecutive weeks immediately prelocal part of the facts hereinbefore alleged, the consecutive weeks immediately preconsecutive weeks immediately preconsecutive weeks immediately pre-You are hereby commanded to pectively, after date, each of said last aforesaid, unlawfully and summon Mamie Reynolds by mak- notes providing that failure to forcibly entered upon said premising publication of this citation pay either of said notes or any in- es, described last aforesaid, and August 1915. once in each week for four conse- stallment of interest thereon when ejected plaintiff therefrom and cutive weeks previous to the re- due shall at the election of the now unlawfully and forcibly withturn day hereof, in some newspaholder of them, or any of them, hold from plaintiff the possession per published in your county, if mature all of said notes; that said of said premises to which he is there be a newspaper published first not herin before men-lawfully entitled, by reason of therein, but if not, then in any tioned has been paid off in full, the facts hereinbefore alleged, and newspaper published in the 35th and that each of the remaining un-Judicial District; to appear at the paid seven notes, have credits in and for the cancellation and annext regular term of the District thereon as follows: November 18th nulment of the aforesaid deed of Court of Runnels County, Texas, 1912, \$38.15; December 20th, 1913, conveyance so made by the said against the appropriation of \$600 to be held at the court house \$28.57; that all interest on each C. A. Doose to the said G. W. thereof, in Ballinger, Texas, on of said seven notes was paid to Faulks. the 2nd Monday on October, A. D. January 1st, 1909. That in said 1915, the same being the 11th day deed of conveyance and in each of of October, A. D. 1915, then and said notes, the Vendor's lien was there to answer petition filed in expressly retained to secure the said court on the 26th day of Dec- payment of said notes, by reason ember, A. D., 1915, in a suit numb of which the superior title to said ered on the docket of said court, block No. 77, containing 150.6 No. 1666, wherein J. E. Humble is plaintiff and Mrs. C. C. Faulks, a feme sole, J. Webb Faulks, E. D. holding under him, the premises are larger to pay plaintiff for said premises, under said contract of sale, or any portion thereof, and that

> Plaintiff alleges that heretofore, 150.6 acres of land, as aforesaid, to plaintiff without recourse on him, the said C. A. Doose; that the defendants have had actual plaintiff then and there became possession of the said premises the legal owner and holder of said since August 15th, 1907, and that seven notes, together with the superior title in and to the premises premises by the said G. W. Faulks last mentioned and described and and the defendants, if any, are of that he is now the legal owner and little value, and that the value of holder of the same; that no pay- the use and occupancy of the said ment has been made on either of premises by the said G. W. Faulks. the said seven notes, either prin- and the defendants, during the cipal, or interest, except as here- period of time as aforesaid, is far in before stated, and that the said in excess of the sums of money so G. W. Faulks wholly made default paid on said premises, as aforein the payment of the annual in- said and the improvements made terest on all of said notes falling thereon, if any, as aforesaid, and due after January 1st, 1909, and that plaintiff is therefore entitled wholly made default in the prin- to a rescission of the said concipal of said notes falling due tract of sale and the cancellation 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, and 1914, of the said deed, so executed by and that plantiff, the owner of the said C. A. Doose, and for the said notes, duly declared the whole of said notes due and payfused to pay the same or any part thereof, either principal or interest, except as hereinbefore stated and thereby violated his said conthe same according to the terms

Plaintiff alleges that the said G son, deceased, who reside in Scur W. Faulks departed his life on or ry County, Texas, the said named about December 27th, 1913, in children, last aforesaid being Runnels County. Texas, in in minors, and the above named de- testate, leaving surviving him his fendant Mamie Reynolds, being said widow, Mrs. C. C. Faulks also a minor, all of whom hereinand the other named defendants after styled defendants, repre- herein, his children and grandchildren and sole heirs at law and being children and grand chil That heretofore, to-wit, on or dren of the said defendant, Mrs about October 19th, 1907, C. A. C. Faulks, except the said de-Doose, of Rannels County, Texas | fendant, F. M. Teague, husband tain tract of land situated in Run- defendant Pedro Field, husband division of survey No. 370, orig- said Katy Whittley, formerly known as abstract No. 91, said husband of the said Mattie Rey-

Plaintiff alleges that more than block No. 77. That on the date been had upon his estate, and last aforesaid the said C. A. Doose that there is no necessity for such entered an executory contract for administration as he owed no sale of said block No. 77 with G. debts, except the debts involved W. Faulks, husband of the defend in the contract for the purchase dant, Mrs. C. C. Faulks; that the of the last above described preterms and conditions and consid- mises, and that he has no estate eration of the said contract of upon which an administration

ney's fees of ten per cent, and by fee simple title of said premises virtue of said levy and said pluries providing for ten per cent interest as hereinbefore alleged, and then 1913, 1914, 1915, and 1916, res- defendants on or about said ate,

> Plaintiff alleges that neither the said G. W. Faulks nor the defendants herein have ever made any payment on said land, except as hereinbefore stated, and that the defendants are not now offering any portion thereof, and that plaintiff, by reason of the premises, has declared and do hereby declare said contract of sale rescinded; that notwithstanding plaintiff is entitled to the possession of the said property as afore-

Plaintiff alleges that the said G. W. Faulks, now deceased, and the improvements made upon said recovery of the title and possession of the said premises from said into open court the aforesaid seven notes for cancellation.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer herein. and that a Guardian Ad Litem be appointed by the court to represent the aforesaid defendants, who escission of the said executory contract of sale and for the cancellation of the said deed of conveyance, so made and executed by the said C. A. Doose, and for the recovery of title and posses sion of said premises, and for writ f restitution therefor, and for is said damage, and all costs in this behalf expended and for general relief.

CHARLES ROGAN & M. C SMITH, attorneys for plain-

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term therof, this writ with your return theron, showing Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Ballinger, of testimonials Texas, this 4th day of August, A

MARY PHILLIPS, (Seal) Clerk District Court Runnels County, Texas. 20-27-Sept 3-10

SEHRIFF'S SALE. THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Runnels.

By virtue of a certain pluries execution issued out of the Honorable District court of the 61st District, Harris county, on the 10th day of August, 1915, by O. M. Duclos Clerk of said court against A. B. Pickett and Man (W. J.) Carrier for the sum of eighteen hundred, ninety-three, and 46-100. (W. J.) Carrier for the sum of eighteen hundred, ninety-three and 46-100 (\$1893.40) dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 56,442 in said court styled Chas L. Michael, A. B. Pickett, et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, J. D. Perkins as sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did, on the 12th day of August, 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Runnels County, described as follows, to-wit: All of lots Nos. one (1), two (2), and the one-third (1-3) of lot No. three (3) adjoining said lot No. two (2), in block No. fifteen (15) of the original town of Ballinger as same appears upon the map of the plan of said town now on file and of record in the office of the cash in hand paid, and eight certain promissory notes of even date with said deed, which said eight notes were in the sums of money each, and payable to the order of the said C. A. Doose, in Ballinger, Texas, of \$301.35 each, and bearing interest from August 15th, 1907, at the rate of eight per cent per annum, together with attor-

xecution.

And in compliance with law, I give ceding said day of sale, in the Banner-Ledger a newspaper published in Runnels County.
(Witness my hand, this 12th day of

I. D. PERKINS,

Sheriff Runnels County, Texas.

#### ROWENA REVIEW TALKS UP FOR McLELLAND.

In its session last Friday the Commissioners Court voted for the demonstration work which has been so successful under Geo. P. McLelland and has made Runnels County one of the most talked of counties in the state because of its successful diversified tarm-GDBGGGGGGGGGG

Mr. McLelland has encouraged many farmers to take more interest in dairying, poultry and small grain that has caused them to do this and profit by doing so, besides preaching dry farming methods etc.

While there are some farmers in the county that opposed the demonstration work, the United States has faith in it and is will to put up \$600 if the county puts up the other 800. The taxes are not increased by this reason.

It seems that Ballinger business men as well as farmers regret the action of the commissioners court and it is thought that if the court will not reconsider the proposition a list will be circulated and the proper amount raised by donation to keep the demonstrator in the county-Rowena Review.

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WINTERS SCHOOL OPENS SEPTEMBER 6TH

The school board of the Winters school has announced that the school at that place will open September 6th. The faculty is composed of ten teachers including the superintendent and the term promises to be a very successful one.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer now you have executed the same. One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list

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TRUITT BOY IN SANITARIUM

Truitt Billups, the 12-year-old son of J. T. Billups of the Truitt country, was brought here Wednesday and underwent an operation in the Halley & Love Sanitarium for appendicitis. The boy was in a serious condition when brought here, but we are glad to report he is getting along nicely.

Despondency Due to Indigestion. "About three months ago when I was suffering from indigestion which caused headache and dizzy spells and made me feel tired and despondent, I began taking Cham berlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. Geo. Hon, Macedon, N. Y. "This medicine proved to be the very thing I needed, as one day's treatment relieved me greatly. I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they rid me of this trouble." Obtainable everywhere.

Miss Edie Voelkel returned home Monday at noon from a visit to her friend, Miss Zelma Lewis of the Crews country the

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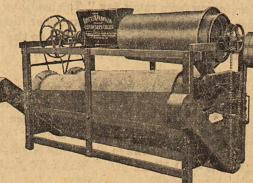
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I have installed a cottou seed culler for the benefit of the farmers who wish to cull out the faultier seed and plant nothing but pure-well developed seed. Well developed seed will produce more than a faultier seed. By planting the best seed the plants are more vigorous and fruit ful and will stand drouths and produce more. This machine will be in operation at the Ballinger Wagon Yard on Eighth Street. Drop in and see me about it' and take advantage of the benefit offered you for culling your seed. The price amounts to little.

T. S. LANKFORD

## REFUGEES FROM GULF REACH BALLINGER

rived from Galveston Monday at his son is a trap drummer. noon and joined their son, J. L. Jordon, who is train dispatcher for Santa Fe at this place.

Mr. Jordon is a barber by trade, and was operating a shop in Galveston when the storm last Monday and Tuesday night destroyed his shop, putting him out of busirusty. He comes to Ballinger to able to find something to do or make his home in Ballinger. Mr. musicians, and Mr. Jordan stated



Located in building formely occupied by Jeanes Produce Company. Our workmen are experienced. Our service is as good as you can get in Ballinger.

Our Prices are 25c for Hair Gut and 15c for a Shave

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to do was to line up with the local band, and of course Band Director Ward was on hand to show them what a good place Ballinger is to locate and he got busy and is trying to locate a home for them. Mr. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jordan ar- Jordan plays a melophone while

These people left Galveston Sun day afternoon at three o'clock, coming by boat to Texas City where they caught the first train out for Ballinger. Mr. Jordan are much worse than the outside world realizes. The city is still ness. Mr. Jordon stated that without gas, light and fresh wathere was not a splinter of his shop ter. The big mains leading to the left, and where his shop stood he water supply at Alta Loma, which only found one razor and it was were reported to be intact were found to be broken and about 200 make his home, and hopes to be feet of the mains leading across the bay gone. It will require some some line of business he can en- time to replace these and get wagage in. Another son, W. J. Jor- ter into the city. The causeway don, will also join his parents and will not be in shape for trains to ing so far discovered that will Galveston within less than ten equal the action of Tanlac. Jordan and his son W. J. are both days or two weeks. "Conditions in the city are bad," said Mr. Jorthat the first thing they expected dan, "but a large force of men are working trying to clean up may appertain to our health, our nection with the plot and remove all decaying matter and keep down pestilance.'

list was greater than reported, as people lost on boats were not acbig freight boats lying on dry properly tested. land a half miles from the bay city with which the wind swept lac is well placed.

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Dallas, Texas:-"If I have been successful with Tanlac," says Mr. L. T. Cooper, "it is because the preparation contains real merit.

'Tanlac is the result of many years of ardous study by my prin velopment from the beginning of horses were mortally wounded. the experimental tests to its present high state of efficiency.

"In cases of catarrhal affections of the mucous membrane, stomach, liver and kidney complaints, dizziness, dull headaches, lack of get up, coated tongues, bad taste in the mouth, lack of vitality, nervourness, and indigestion pains, I believe there is noth-

"Ever and anon, someone suggests something that may tend to business or our socialogical state. It has, therefore, been my pleasure Mr. Jordan stated that death to offer to the world this time, Tanlac.

"When I came to Texas, I statcounted for in the death list, and ed that the success of the medihe stated that he knew of about cine would be as great here as it 40 people who went down on a was elsewhere. I offered Tanlac boat near the city which were not upon its merit, knowing full well included in the death list. Two that it would prove satisfactory if

"The success the preparation gives an idea of how high the wa- has achieved here is ample eviter reached, and the great velo- dence that my confidence in Tan-

"A large percentage of your best people are now using the premedicine of exceptional value in instances of catarrh, stomach, liv- 200. The vote was light, and the er and kidney derangements, ner- interest confined to the cattlemen. vous debility, and in cases where a superior tonic is required.

Tanlac has been large, but no either by dipping or spraying larger than I had expected. Tex- The advocates of the eradication as is only awakening to an appre- law claim that thousands of dolciation of the full value of such a lars will be saved annually to the preparation. Tanlac's success in stockmen of Tom Green County. your city will be even greater. Tanlac will be explained in Bal- for Runnels County and same linger at The Walker Drug Company's Store.

Don't feed a horse when you PIONEER NEWSan ride in a 9 cent Jitney. P. P. 26-3d-1w

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—In a onference today between Secretary Lansing and Ambassador von Bernstorff Germany assures the United States that Germany will hereafter limit her submarine activities, and practically pledges that no more Americans will be harmed under any circumstances It is reliably reported that this is the substance of a message given ESSANAY BUYS TURKEY Lansing by Bernstorff.

Mrs. A. F. McFarland and child en returned home Tuesday from n Coke County. They visited at

Mrs. Irwin and boy of Potales, N. M., who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Daugherty, left Wednesday for Brownwood, to visit relatives before going on home.

C. C. and E. W. Gray of the Ballinger Thursday en route to Post City and Gaines County to look after land business a few

Mrs. W. W. McKinley of Miles, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Ballinger, left for home Thursday at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cain of the Rowena country, passed through Ballinger Thursday en route home from a visit to relatives near Win-

Miss Rachael Rogers of Winters passed thru Ballinger Thursday at noon to visit friends at Miles a few days.

Mrs. Bertha Gill and baby of the Hatchel country, passed thru Ballinger Wednesday en route to Milam County to visit relatives. | route to San Angelo.

By United Press

BROWNSVILLE Aug. 26 .-For two hours the Mexicans and American soldiers exchanged cipal chemist. In fact, the two of shots across the river near Santa says that conditions in Galveston us have carefully watched its de- Maria. Two American cavalry

Practically all the Carranza troops formerly stationed at Monterey are now entrenched near the river at Matamoros.

By United Press

EL PASO, Aug. 26.—The United States authorities at this place discovered a plot last night for creating an uprising with Huerta, Orozco and Carranza adherents to be followed by a rush to the Texas side and an attempt to rescue Huerat from jail. Several arrests better our conditions, whether it are expected to be made in con-

Orders have been issued to stop all Mexicans from entering Texas from: Jaurez, and as a result several fights between American guards and Mexican soldiers have occured at the international

## TOM GREEN VOTES ON FEVER TICK

An election held in Tom Green County yesterday (Wednesday) paration, and they are daily testin for the purpose of eradicating ying to its excellent worth as a cattle ticks from that county car-

The adoption of the tick eradication law will require all cattle "Tis true that the demand for in the county to be freed of ticks An election has been ordered

will be held on October 9th.

# PAPER MAN DEAD

CLEBURNE, Tex., Aug., 26.-Col. F. B. Baillio died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. He was buried at Grandview 11 a. m.

came to Texas in 1867, buying the Alvarado Bulletin in 1892.

Later he bought the Jhonson County Review at Cleburne.

Martha Criner became his bride at Grandview in 1870. She died last year. Three children survive the union Colonel Baillio had been a res-

dent of Johnson County twentyyears he had been a traveling salesman for the Western Newspaper Union.

## IT WALKS LIKE CHAPLIN

Where did Chaplin get his turkey trot? Did he steal it from a a visit to V. A. Silman and family turkey, or did the turkey imitate Chaplin? This is a mooted quesboth Robert Lee and Bronte while tion, but Essanay has a turkey that walks just like Chaplin. It of Essanay purchased it and sent storm. it on to the Chicago studios. The turkey has been shipped to Los Angeles as a present to Chaplin, and will appear later in the Chaplin comedies, released on the reg-Pony creek country, passed thru ular General program, as one of morning, at 6:30 o'clock, from comics.

> Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander, and daughter, Miss Lizzie, of the Miles country, came in to Ballin- W. Newman conducting the funger Wednesday in their auto en eral services. route to Pilot Point and on actination, and Mr. Alexander re- mourn his death. turned home.

Wood & Wright, the stockmen, shopping phone 320 for a 9 cent tion were returning to their home at Aubrey, Texas. acting business in Ballinger Wed-

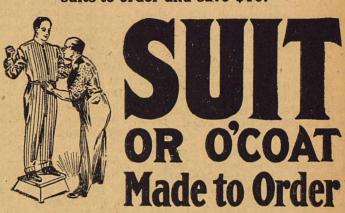
Horace McKinley passed thru Ballinger Thursday en route nome from Hatchel.

W. H. Mullin of Winters, passed thru Ballinger Thursday en

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## LOSES RELATIVES

## IN GULF STORM

The first storm news received Riggs and son Roy had been lost the best of itin the storm.

father and mother and two chil- place, and moved the floor last Avoyelles Parish, Louisana, and dren, a boy and girl. Mrs. Riggs week. The rat den under the floor and the little girl were away from eighty-one rats, and of this numhome on a visit at the time of ber Mr. Hoffman killed seventythe storm. Mr. Riggs and the six, only five making their escape. son, fourteen years old, were both Reports from the country say

husband and son, Dr. Blasdell has with a view to keeping out the the sympathy of his many friends rates, and ground floors will be in Ballinger.

was discovered strutting about a people have relatives in the storm place. sidewalk in front of one of the district, but it is not believed that markets of New York. A friend any others were killed in the COTTON MASS MEETING

DIED.

the Colorado river, Thursday find a market for the staple. the comedian's side partners in consumption. He was 58 years of age at the time of his death and the remains will be interred in the Ballinger cemetery, Friday morning at 11 o'clock, Elder G.

The Ledger joins a host of count of the rains the ladies left friends in condolence and symon the evening train for their des- pathy for the sad relatives left to Valley creek country, were in Bal-

## FARMER CHAMPION AT KILLING RATS

John Hoffman, of the Benoit by the Ledger Wednesday stated country, walks off with the best that quite a number of lives had rat story so far reported to the been lost at Morgan's Point. Dr. Ledger. Mr. Hoffman is not com-J. W. Blasdell had a sister living peting with the boys in the rat at this place, and the first news killing contest, but the rats bereceived from his sister came Fri- came so bad around is place he deday morning when he was noti- cided to wage a little war, and as fied that his brother-in-law Tom usual, he says the Germans got

The rats had taken possession The Riggs family consisted of of a feed house on Mr. Hoffman's

that the rats are doing great dam-Dr. Blasdell became uneasy age to feed, as well as destroying when the news of the storm reach chickens during the poultry raised Ballinger, as Morgan's Point ing season. J. M. Schneider, who is a dangerous place in time of resides down the Colorado river such a storm as that which swept | below Ballinger, was here Saturfive years. For the last several the coast at this time. Failure to day stocking up on rat traps. Mr. hear from his sister caused him Schneider carried out a supply of great anxiety, and the sad news traps and will wage war on the confirmed the fear that they had rat tribe on his place. Until recently the country people were Dr. Blasdell did not know that not troubled with rats. They are his sister was away from home. greatly on the increase, and a cam-The fact that they were not at paign should be waged for their home no doubt accounts for their extermination. In the future escape. In the loss of his sister's farmers will build their graineries considered as inducements for the Quite a number of Ballinger rats to take up abode on a man's

AT ROWENA

To be held Saturday, Aug. 28th T. M. Patten died at his home 1915, at Rowena at 2 o'clock p. m. in the Pony Creek country, near to get a better way to gather and Everybody invited to come.

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The "unfriendly" act as been Sam do?

Fall crops, including the turnip patch, have been given another boost by the refreshing showers.

The man who lays aside his petty ideas, and discards the diffellowtownsman, is the one who is worth something to the town.

With contraband cotton we can't see where the market has been injured. The American buyers are going to buy it as cheap as they can get it any way.

Teddy Roosevelt says that it is time for action and that Uncle for his own good. There was no use for Teddy to say that, for ev-

"The United States will invite Germany to explain," says Washington dispatches. Germany it seems always waits for the invita- every time they want to meet in tion and then takes plenty time in the park for the dispensing of a which to accept the invitation. little music. A nice band stand, a mail order house, but you can't doubt be satisfactory.

cause him to commit suicide.

THE BANNER-LEDGER supply Santa Claus for many

The pastors of the local churches are not loafing on their job this-summer. The regular pastors of all the churches in the revivals in the country during the summer, and reports from the recommitted. What will Uncle vivals held, are good ones, and the people served are apprecialocal preachers. The local pastors are also making trips to near by school houses on Sunday afternoon, from time to time, and are supplying the people where there are no preachers to do the ferences between himself and his preaching. Such spirit of co-operation on the part of the church people is certain to lead to better communities and better citizen-

The local band announce that concerts will be given regularly on Sunday afternoon. The city has an ideal place for such a gathering, but the band boys have hinted that a band stand Sam has already talked too much would add greatly to the convenience of their work as well as being an ornament to the city park. erybody knows that he is a fight- Here is a chance for some good philanthropist to get in their work and supply the needed "furniture." Under the present arrangements the boys have to have chairs hauled back and forth

Some men-land owners, can | ALL GRAIN CROP DANGER-

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ery issue that leaves our office, the war is. and will strive at all times to give When I was a boy we said pa world to American cotton.

own opinion about the storm. to time we have crop failures in the nation, and after all the peo- much money a bit amounted to ing and the holes were all filled this county. Grain crop failures ple are the power behind the of- and what the Republican president the nation, and after all the peo- much money a bit amounted to ing and the holes were all filled this county. Grain crop failures who never expect to return to that city, have come more often in the past ficials at Washington who do not dent had to do with the price of fited.

## ILL BE A MARKET FOR COTTON REGARDLESS WAR

be dropped from our mailing list. third bale of cotton in Monday's

"The future is strictly specula-

ity of our readers will approve of this system. It will put and end to "duns" and prevent us from sending the paper to you when is buying cotton he buys. My firm is buying cotton he buys. My firm the notice of Jim Knight's third the notice of Jim Knight's third the notice of Runnels County was you don't want it and will not our banker will tell you if you will bale, appears an editorial headed good, but the average farmer We appreciate every subscribtors. With the exception of a hod," and in which we issued a ence than does a whole bunch of er on our mailing list, and wish to few months last fall there has been mild warning against the elimin- Demonstrators." I don't believe thank all those who have been so as far back as I can remember a ation of cotton production in this the Messenger would make such

you value received for your dol- and ma, a few years later chil- We agree with Mr. Ray in his other county in Texas. dren said papa and mama. Now statement that there will always they say dad and mother. Well be a market for cotton, at some makes this assertion, without fear And the explanation will no attractively painted is what we buy goods cheaper. How many been to sell cotton and I heard ma not have to buy gasoline and re-business like the average farmer mail order houses did you ever ask him how much he got for it repairs for his auto, and there was of Runnels County or any other and he said "I didn't get but a a little difference in what we call county in the South, he would go bit and as long as we have a Re- the high cost of living. not see any good in the home town and spend the revenue derived from their lard with mail order for their lard with mail order for the first and spend the will cut out there was more need for real them.

There has never been a time in publican president it will never be would be closed up by the sheriff within six months. The average for real there was more need for the need houses. Take the home town cotton entirely next year, and statesmanship. Never a time price of cotton being so low I re W. H. Wilde was in from his hit or miss, fashion. And the away and the man's land would plant his farm in grain. A mo- when the masses need to keep member that he said that we home South of Ballinger Tues- United States Government knowtake a tumble in price that would ment reflection will warn any calm and do more thinking and would have to quit raising it and day. He reported the arrival of ing this offers to give \$600 tofarmer against such famring methods. The one crop idea is a what you say amounts to little, was staring the South in the face. Thursday. Mr. Wilde said that strator to try and keep the boys There is quite a diversity of dangerous one, be it one crop of but you are wrong, the sentiment Being a sober kind of kid it seems his section of the country re- from getting in this same rut, stories coming out of Galveston cotton, one crop of oats or one and the reader is left to form his crop of any other line. From time much in moulding the thinking of night trying to figure out how about three inches of water fall-

I am sure you meant well, but lows Contraband Announcement" readily understand why the Com-

ask him that we are not specula- "All Grain Crop Dangerous Met- knows more from actual experiprompt to renew since adopting fixed market every day for cotton production in this editorial we retain this system on July 1st. We expect to keep the paper up to that you will see a market every cotton that is sure to follow the this statement, the Messenger where we can feel proud of ev- day this fall no matter how bad closing of the war, or with the shows very plainly that it knows

one night when I was a very lit- price, but we must remind him of contradiction: That if the mertle boy pa came in from town, that when his pa was selling cot- chant, doctor, lawyer, or even twenty miles away, where he had ton at five cents per pound he did the editor homself will run their.

## DOES NOT APPROVE **ACTION OF COURT**

Editor Banner-Ledger:

Not until I read an editorial in farmer who holds against this the Miles Messenger, did I untor. The farmer is a natural bull failed to keep our County Demonstrator. We expect them to advocate every thing towards placing of cotton under contra-band, and notices issued, "Cotton through better farming. Knowing caught four miles off the Texas the editors to be deep thoughtful allies," and "Fall in Futures Fol- out County Demonstrator, we can We are sure the great major-ity of our readers will approve of There is no use now or ever has ket strictly a speculative one.

etc., is calculated to make the mar ket strictly a speculative one.

missioners abolished the office ket strictly a speculative one. opening of the markets of the very little of the farmers and their conditions, in this or any

> bankrupt, and thier business were not and never would be

## The Danger Is Great. Mr. Farmer, it is dangerous to store your grain without protecting it with Fire Insurance. We can Gover Your Barn and Its Gontents With the Best Policy Written.

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while others are eager to return and speak as though the recent like to pass through it again.

L. B. James, one of the most successful farmers in Runnels county, says the farm demonstrator has been worth a great deal to him. Mr. James has succeeded be cause he studied his business, and was ready to receive all the help and good suggestions he do likewise.

day in their autos.

Some farmers opposing the de- with nothing to sell. monstration work, say that ex-ter years of experiment the Uni- |\* ted States government is spend- | \* \* \* ing thousands of dollars trying to give the farmers the benefit of and are placing practical men in has decreased 50 per cent in three heart. In a speech Tuesday night that it would be worth nothing days. the demonstrator's salary.

ty have brushed away the dust of Talk to your merchant about it- the rope around Frank's neck and during the disturbed conditions a summer's settlings and are Brenham Banner. year, and the change left over will You can buy cheaper goods from a few hours Monday.

experience was a joke and would the disturbed condition of the porter. cotton market. With cotton selltheir own use.

could get. Others who are not so cotton today is remarkably high a successful one. prejudiced in their ways might when we stop to consider that it can not be delivered to the nations fied farming and plants all grain, caust features - Waco Tribune. will face a good cotton market

A rural carrier at Temple, Tex., have the same condition in our Brownwood Bulletin. town, and we are going to have Mayor Woodward is just as thing that will inspire the people noon for her home. A number of gins in this count the same condition in our town. guilty as the assasan that tied to see the better side of things

ready for the rush that is sure to The people of Texas, as well as utterances of Woodward places It is strictly contrary to nature in Ballinger Monday and while will make their home in San Ancome with favorable cotton picking weather. The cotton is a Some will tell you they buy from be erased by erasing the man that simist, and we deny the charge inhere ordered the Banner-Ledger to gelo.—San Angelo Standard.
R. L. Woodward is well known as the charge inhis address. muchly abuse crop, but even mail order houses because they made them. Gov. Harris of Geo-ferred in reading between the when a drug on the market it is can buy goods cheaper. They gia has offered a reward of \$1500 lines in Mr. Ray's communication. responsible for keeping millions make this statement in face of each for the conviction of the lyn- We must contend that the future been in Ballinger on business the a building which occupied the of laborers employed and supplies the facts that the mail order chers of Frank, and he should is strictly speculative, and a man past day or two, left for points corner where the Ballinger State the wherewith for the comforts houses are declaring enormous order the arrest of Woodward who buys cotton on "his own East Wednesday morning. of winter living. The crop in dividends while the local mer- as a starter. Runnels County will go a long chants are struggling for exisway towards paying bills that tence and many of them going to N. K. Freeman, the Rowena it until tomorrow. The same ap- Wingate country, were looking afhave been contracted during the the wall. The argument is rotten, banker had business in Ballinger plies to the farmer. Spot cotton ter business affairs in Ballinger his coming wedding to his friends

\* \* \* \* \* his soul. He committed suicide.

the field for the benefit of the months. There is something sig- he commended the unspeakable and no market for it. farmers. It's the younger gener- nificant about it. It means simply action of the mob which lynched ation that is profiting by the that half of the people in Temple Leo Frank, and warned former work and we are in favor of keep- who ased to buy away from home Governor Slaton not to return to Mr. Ray's letter is timely and her nephew, E. Graves, and sis- Rev. E. F. Lyon, pastor of the ing it up, and will help to pay are now buying at home. We can Georgia "for a year-if ever." to the point. What we need, no ter, of the Hatchel country, left First Baptist church, in the pres-

should be dealt with as such. The that exist at present.

han cotton crop failures.

This condition has resulted from the great condition has resulted from trolling element.—Abilene Rewas like your, just didn't know REPORTS \$23,000 what he was talking about.

There has never been a time My pa went on planting cotton ing for 12 cents today grain when the opportunities were until I was a grown man and we would be made the secondary greater for politicians to become sold lots of it as low as five cents crop, and only a few farmers statesmen if such a thing is per pound. He and my mother would plant grain enough for possible. The eyes of the world are both living and have children are directed towards the United and grand children scattered all made last week by C. A. Doose Demand for cotton at the close States. The American nation is over the South, if any of them & Co.: of the present war bids fair to looked up to as the nation to con-create a market that will again trol the destiny of the world, and haven't heard of it. Five years of Wylie Ranch on Valley Creek to Sufficient to say he has done a make cotton king. The price of we predict that the job will be the nine I have lived in Runnels M. F. and R. T. Watson, at \$27.50 great work and will be missed by county we all know were so dry per acre. that we hate to think of them, and 105 acres of land out of Hough- nels County. When the grass-Temple looms up with another still I can truthfully say that they ton & Robinson Ranch, near Mav- hoppers are eating our crop, we that need it. With the commerce sensation, that of a white girl have been the happiest nine years erick, to H. E. Petty, at \$28.00 can not run to him for advice. Runnels county's pioneer cow- of the seas closed to cotton ship- only eleven years old, who is be- of my life. I hope when I am call per acre. punchers are in session today, ping the farmer is fortunate in lieved to be the youngest mother ed from this beautiful world I will and they are no doubt reflecting being able to sell cotton at any in America. The name of this be living in or near Ballinger, Wylie Rancr on Valley Creek to for a remedy. When we wish a back to the time when this was an price. But this condition will not victim is Ethel Grant and the where I think the best people on S. D. Pinkerton at \$30.00 per County Fair we shall not have open range and grass was as free exist always, or even for any great as water. The change have been great and most of the old cow essity, and the world must have it, Tribune. We have not heard any punchers went to the reunion to- and the farmer who quits diversi- hint of a lynching bee with holo- cans and Democrats for the price of Ballinger, to J. E. Davidson, at sioners' Court, yet without knowof cotton, raise more pigs, chick- \$28.50 per acre. You didn't read the whole ens mule colts and Jersey cows to 120 acres of land out of the ers of Runnels County a great story; there was a lynching al- eat the surplus feed we are mak Houghton & Robinson Ranch to wrong. right. The father of the child- ing and in time things will ad- M. L. G. James at \$25.00 per the brute who debauched the in- just themselves and the people acre. farming. That's correct, and af- \* JUST FOR ARGUMENT'S \* nocent girl, was lynched in jail that look up and think of the fuby the demons that preyed upon ture in a more optimistic way will for G. W. White, located near be happier now and all the way Talpa, at \$21.00 per acre. through life than the pessimist, They also have other deals County Clerk Keating last Mon-Mayor S. G. Woodward of At who is really disappointed if cot- pending, which they expect to day afternoon to R. L. Woodward the experiments they have made, says that his parcel post business lanta, Georgia, is a savage at ton sell high after he predicted close up within the next few late of Corpus Christi, and Mrs.

> Yours very truly, W. B. RAY.

hook" today has no assurance that he can beak even by holding is worth eight cents today, and the Monday.

# IN LAND SALES

Following are sales of land room for more progressive men-

doubt, is more optimism and some from this point Tuesday after- ence of a number of friends of

country, was among the trustees country, and he and his wife

ors you could produce. They are 'sot' in their ways and all the mules and traction engines could not pull them out. The only thing you can do to this class is to let them alone till they die and give

The work that Mr. McLelland has done for this county is too the progressive farmers of Run-When our hogs are dying with . 126 acres of land out of H. C. some disease we can not go to him ing it, they have done the farm-

J. J. POPE.

License to wed was issued by Emma Collins, 239 Pecan street.

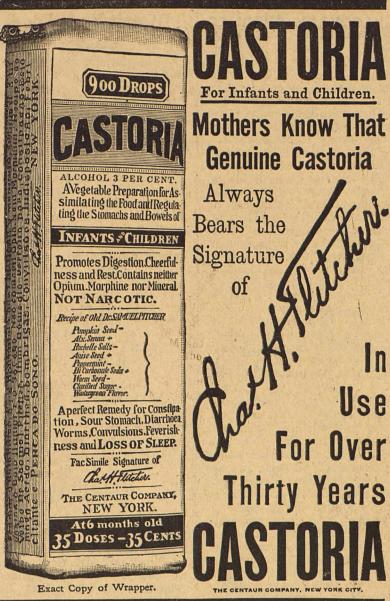
The wedding ceremony was per Mrs. Billie Evans of Jewett, formed at the bride's residence at Texas, after a pleasant visit to 8 o'clck Monday evening by the the contracting parties.

The groom is a stockman who J. P. Whittington, of the Tokeen owns a ranch in the Concho

R. L. Woodward is well known in Ballinger. Many years ago he J. T. Billups of Truit, who had was proprietor of the City Hotel, Bank now stands. Mr. Woodward was a visitor to Ballin-T. W. and C. D. Hanes, of the ger only three or four days ago. He did not break the news of

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#### SOCIALIST MEET LODGES MAY BUILD ADJOURNS FRIDAY

The local Socialist convention Ballinger lodges I. O. O. F. and which adjourned last night (Fri- W. O. W. are seriously contemplat day) transacting business yester- ing the erection of a two-story day afternoon, and ended the meet lodge hall in the near future. The ing for the state gathering.

Ballinger local was organized the Harper brick livery stable, with 35 charter members; Crews and in this way one wall will be local was organized with 22 char- utilized free, making the building ter members; Winters local was cost in the neighborhood of \$4, organized with 14 charter mem- 000.

Mr. T. L. Huggins of Winters, been decided on the matter is bewas elected County Secretary. T. ing pushed, and it is hoped by the A. Hickey was the speaker of the Fromoters to soon have a new morning with a theme "Evolution of Industry." The evening speaker was Covington Hall, taking as his subject "Might is Right."

please phone or see me. Phone etc., holding memberships in the investment and enterprise? 449. 1101 Hutchings Ave. Miss lodges, it is thought that the struc 23-3td1tw ture could be put up at nominal Maurice Truly.

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building will be put up next to

It has been learned that the lot

on which the building is to be

located is owned by the I. O. O. F.

that lodge having bought the lot

Rave You?

Saddle, Bridle, and Spurs at H

L. Wendorf's, the Busy Shop!

Got your Free chance on the

Prof. A. W. Cherry, principal of

favor of retaining the farm dem-

Editor Kubela and little daugh-

ter of Rowena, were among the

visitors in Ballinger Monday be-

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

keeping him in the county.

the trip on the noon train.

ICE CREAM SUPPER.

only cost.

tween trains.

ger Monday.

Ballinger now has absolutely no able rates. connection with that section of Certainly some recognition is

A. W. Sledge, Editor, Daily Ledger.

Ballinger, Texas.

Mr. Suggs. Something over a not afford to consider Mr. Suggs' proposition at all. He then cut our line out of his switchboard. the telephone utility For a month our line was terminated in a business house at Win- honestly believe that if a few repgate. At the end of that period, resentatives of the Ballinger busi-Mr. Eason, who operates the Rural ness men will visit the Wingate NEW MODERN HALL Mr. Eason, who operates the Rural ness men will visit the Wingate Company, came to us, stating that community, and recommend to he would like to make contract the folks there that they merge with us, and have our line. The their telephone interests; a vast contract was made, and at the amount of expense and trouble to same rate that Mr. Suggs was pay the business men of Ballinger, ing prior to the time he discon-nected from us. Mr. Eason and will be permanently shelved. his patrons realized that connection with our system was of some value to their system, and they are getting a reliable and good ser

"Mr: Suggs voluntarily cut our line out of his exchange ,thereby While nothing definite has depriving the entire community served by him of our service, and especially of Ballinger service. Mr. Eason there upon made a contract with us upon which he has made an investment at Wingate and procured a large list of subor office for most any business. It Telephone Company be doing jus-E. R. Meitzen of Halletsville, was stated by one man belonging editor of the Rebel, winded up the meeting last night with the last be reduced by the members giving away, and deprive Mr. Eason of part of their time to the con- the advantage he has in procuring I will teach violin here again struction work. With several con subscribers on account of having this year. Pupils wishing to study tractors, stone-masons, carpenters that connection, and thus ruin his

> "However, the West Texas Tel- BREAKING LAND EASY WORK ephone Company is ready and will ing, and has heretofore offered. to give its connection to Mr. Suggs if Mr. Eason will consent.

The real trouble is the duplication at Wingate and vicinity. For for a consideration of \$1,000. This this, we are not responsible. The makes the building proposed the wise thing for Ballinger business men to do would be to procure the elimination of this duplica-

"Mr. Suggs has begun to realize that he needs something else besides a local connection, hence this agitation, and what he is trying to do is to force a duplicate the Norton school says he is in telephone system on Ballinger while the big tractor is doing the Something that every town in heavy work in breaking the land. onstrator for Runnels county and Texas now so burdened is trying Mr. Elkins says he broke 20 acres if necessary will pay towards to get rid of. Certainly the business men of Ballinger are going to investigate this proposition before entering into it and burdening themselves with a nuisance from which only expense and no benefit will result. I think if the business men of Ballinger will ask themselves the following ques Your druggist will refund money if PAZO tions, the matter of having a dual OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching. Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. telephone service at Ballinger, can The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c. | not receive much encouragement The questions are: Why should Mr. and Mrs. R. Gotschalk of Ballinger business men spend the Valley creek country, near thousands of dollars in duplicat-Norton were shopping in Ballin ing the system they now have, when it would take only a few hundred to eliminate the duplica-Holt Smith was called to San tion at Wingate, and thus elimin-Angelo Sunday morning by a mes ate the nuisance in that communsage saying his sister's child had ity? Again, why should Ballinger suddenly died. Mr. Smith made business men be the cause of extending the duplication of "this utility in this day and time, when every other community so burden ed is doing its utmost to elimin-The Ladies Aid Society of the ate?

Bethel neighborhood report the "The West Texas Telephone ce cream supper at Bethel last Company has done its best for Friday night a grand success and Ballinger. It has spent many they wish to thank all who so lib- thousands of dollars to install a erally patronized the supper and plant that is modern in every res-

Bronwwood, Tex., 8-20-1915. | most to give its patrons the benefit of a universal service, the telephone in the blamess of-

fice and residence wall reach every "Dear Sir :- I have noticed citizen of your community and several items in your paper dur- adjoining communities. With this ing the last week or ten days, con- object in view, it does not build cerning the telephone situation in for today or tomorrow, or next the northwestern portion of Run-nels County. All of the articles in ahead and with a degree of peryour paper would, if not careful-ly analyzed, seem to indicate that the best possible service at reason

the county, while as a matter of due our institution from the citifact, ninety per cent of the peo- zens of Ballinger, and we ask that ple in that part of the country this recognition be only to the exhave direct connection with Bal- tent that the citizens and business men of Ballinger should assist in "I believe if the business men building up and not in tearing of Ballinger will carefully go into down, and any community or this matter, they will find that body of business men endorsing this agitation is eminating from the duplication of the telephone Wingate, where there are two utitlity does not build up, but telephone systems, neither of tears down. Why? Because which, because of the very nature there is not room in any comof the business, can be very suc- munity for two telephon compancessful, because it takes all of the lies, and wherever two telephone business in one community to ade- companies exist, neither company quately support a telephone com- gets sufficient revenue to properpany, and permit that company to ly maintain its plant. Furthergive first-class service more, neither company can give complete service. Therefore, the Company at one time had connec- business men, professional men, tion with the system operated by and others who require complete telephone service, must pay douyear ago Mr. Suggs wrote a let- ble the price they are now reer to the Brownwood office to the quired to pay. All this is evieffect that unless he was given denced by the fact that during the free connection with Winters he last year or two more than a did not want our line. We could score of cities and towns in Texas have eliminated, or are preparing to eliminate, the duplication of

"In conclusion I want to say I

Yours truly F. W. GREBER, "General Manager.

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One-fourth to one teaspoonful f Dr. King's New Discovery, taken as needed, will soothe and heck Coughs, Colds, and the more dangerous Bronchial and Lung Ailments. You can't afford to take the risk of serious illness, when so cheap and simple a rem-King's New Discovery, start the of the Ballinger band. treatment at once. You will be

J. L. Elkins was in from his farm north of Ballinger Saturday. Mr. Elkins is one of the progressive farmers of Runnels county. and that mean he is a successful one. He rides in an auto and burns gasoline in breaking his land. He recently installed a Bull traction engine for use in breaking land and doing other work around the farm where power is needed. His horses and mules are getting fat on good grass and their strength is being preserved for cultivating the crop later, in one day and night and found it easy work. He averages an acre an hour and the oil used costs him twelve cents an hour.

Breaking the land and getting it ready for planting is what makes farming come hard some times, and kills the farmer's plow teams. With the coming of the gasoline plow, a different day is lawning, and the man who has for musicians with whom Mr much land to break will find it a saving to break his land by gaso- whom he knows to not only be line power.

Form Co-partnership. Drs. F. M. Hale and C. A Watson have formed a co-partnership for the practice of medicine, with offices over the Zappe

building in Ballinger. 19-2d-2w

Alfred Luckett, the Miles hardware man, motored over Sunday afternoon to spend a few hours band, is directing this play, and with relatives.

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New York was treated to an interesting sight the other day when Sperry, in his stabilized flying boat, swooped across the bay and circled around a big harbor dredge.

To our people in the windows of our New York office, this performance had an interest aside from the spectacular. Sperry was using Texaco Motor Oil; the dredge was using Texaco Crater Compound-and to complete the circle, the very building in which our offices are situated gave another instance of Texaco service.

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In each case we were able to meet the condition with a lubricant exactly suited to the purpose. We can do the same for you in engine room, mill, or machine shop, on tractor, or in harvester-wherever oil is needed. There is a Texas Company agent near you. Let him tell you which oil you need.

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### NEW MEMBERS COMING BANK INSTALLS POSTING MACHINE FOR BALLINGER BAND

Ned Robinson, of McGregor, has gratified for the relief and cure accepted a position and will come to Ballinger at once. Mr. Robinson is a professional musician and spect this new, dependable and plays a tenor saxaphone, and is said to be one of the best in the will have this system at work any

B. K. Franklin, an experienced to locate and give the band the bandboys are very anxious to get He has met with the band boys and demonstrated what he can do-

Bevy DeMoville has purchased a saxaphone and his lined up a full quartette of saxaphones in Ballinger Monday. which adds greatly to the music. Clarence Smith has purchased a trombone, and is taking lessons regularly, and will, soon be filling a place in the band.

These are a few of the recent improvements in the band and others are contemplated.

Director Ward is lining up the best bunch of musicians in Ballinger that was ever brought together in any city, and the band prom ises to be a great boost for Ballinger. By securing positions here Ward has worked before, and good musicians but good men for the places they hold, he now has a band of 28 pieces, a majority of whom are professional musicians.

The band boys are now arranging to put on a play for the benefit of the band. The money to be derived from this play will go to a fund to be used in buying uniforms for the band. Mr. Franklin, a new man in the he has put it on with great success at other places. With special scenery and electrical effects the play offers an evening of splendid chill Tonic is equally valuable as a entertainment. You should watch General Tonic because it contains the for the dates on this and make arto thank Messrs. E. Koenig and Coran Russell for their kind assistance on this occasion.

Figure 1 on because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUINME and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

The individual work at the Fred Melbourne, of Colorado Winters State Bank is now being edy as Dr. King's New Discovery et a bottle of Dr. dity, a professional cornet play er has secured a position in Ballinger, and will become a member the new system has just been put in operation, and, as its installation will result in benefit to the public as well as the bank, you are invited and requested to inalmost superhuman machine when afternoon from 1:00 o'clock until 3:30 o'clock, and the pleasure will grocery man, is here and desires be his for an opportunity to show to locate and give the band the benefit of his services. Mr. Frank lin is a baritone player, and the band the band to good for its customers and Runnels County' is the slogan that promted so great him a position and keep him here. an expenditure, said Jno. Q. Mc-Adams, cashier of the above nam-

> W. A. Glenn the Marie ginman, with the band. The band now has was among the business visitors

ed bank.

### "Gets-It" for Corns, SURE as Sunrise!

Any Corn, With "Gets-It" on It, Isan Absolute "Goner!"

Yes, it's the simplest thing in the world to get rid of a corn,—when you use "Gets-It," the world's greatest corn-ridder. Really, it's almost a pleasure to have corns just to see



"Gets-It" Puts Your Feet in Clover.

"Gets-It" Puts Your Feet in Clover.

them come off with "Gets-It." It just loosens the corn from the true flesh, easily, and then makes it come "clean off." 48 hours ends corns for keeps. It makes the use of tape, corn-squeezing bandages, irritating salves, knives, scissors, and razors really look ridiculous. Get rid of those corns quickly, surely, painlessly,—just easily,—with "Gets-It." For warts and bunions, too. It's the 20th century way.

"Gets-It" is sold by all druggists, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Ballunger and recommended as

Sold in Ballinger and recommended as the world's best corn cure by Walker Drug Co.. J. Y. Pearce and City Drug

## UGH! CALOMEL IS HORRIBLE! IT SHOCKS YOUR LIVER, IF BILIOUS

Calomel sickens! Don't lose a day's work! Clean your Liver and Bowels with "Dodson's Liver Tone."

into contact with sour bile crash- you sick.

Ugh! Calomel makes you sick. a spoonful and if it doesn't straigh It's horrible! Take a dose of the ten you right up and make you effort to relieve the condition and tion that troubles your mind is, dangerous drug tonight and toto go heak to the store and got assist in the solution of their prob will it pay; is the return of the dangerous drug tonight and to-to go back to the store and get morrow you may lose a day's your money. Dodson's Liver and third, the attitude of the wolf, sure; is it safe? Should not this Calomel is mercury or quick- omel because it is real liver med- looks only upon the individual or the farming business? Are you silver which causes necrosis of the icine; entirely vegetable, there-upon the masses of individuals as asking the farmers of your own bones. Calomel when it comes fore it can not salivate or make

when you feel that awful nausea Dodson's Liver Tone will put your race. Without it the world would banking business? I might go and cramping. If you are slug-sluggish liver to work and clean perish. Were nature to lock up further and ask, are you contribe. gish and "all knocked out," if your bowels of that sour bile and her stores and refuse to produce, ting to the making of that busiyour liver is torpid and bowels constipated waste which is clog- or the farmers of the world refuse ness of farming unsafe? Where constipated or you have headache, ging your system and making you to work for a single year, anarchy agriculture is the best and the redizziness, coated tongue, if breath feel miserable. I guarantee that and chaos exceeding all powers of turns for the labor of the husis bad or stomach sour, just try a a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone imagination would follow. And bandman are the surest, we have spoonful of h armless Dodson's will keep your entire family feel yet there are cities and city peo- the geratest agricultural prospering fine for months. Give it to like who regard the surrounding ity and the lowest rates of inter-Here's my guarantee—Go to your children. It is harmless: agricultural territory as a mere est, and yet I venture to say if

### URGES RURAL TEACH-BUSINESS IS GOOD IN BUILDING LINES ERS TO ASSIST PUPILS

A small spurt in building operations is going the rounds in addition to the usual painting and paper-hanging at this season. Lumber yards and carpenters say the direct relation between home business is good, with plenty of before. No houses other than Northern States' contains a plan and additions and new homes follow as a matter of course.

a new warehouse, same to be used with the instruction in agricul-

added to his home on north 12th and turned in to the teacher at

chell Moore is erecting a fiveroom modern bungalow.

Ed Eubank, of South Ballinger, is having a sleeping house, sep-

built for his father. creek section, closed the contract meaning absolutely clear. In the house will be a three-room struc- from cow testing may be used as which surrounds it, but it is an- trouble.'

Wanted.

and other additions.

Will pay best possible price for from any given dairy herd. all good dry head maize. See E.

#### ATTENDIN GTRUSTEES MEETING

Ballinger Monday attending the thern states. meeting of the County School Trustees we noticed, T. J. Ford of the Valley creek country, E. H. Harding and Dr. Mitchell of Nor- all good dry head maize. See E. city what is there? ton, J. D. Moreland, of the Millar L. RASBURY. before you sell neighborhood, W. F. McShann of 23-2td ffw the Pony creek country, B. J. Clay ton of the Benoit country, H. G. Hays, of the Walthall neighborthe Winters country.

W. F. Atnip of the Valley creek | their home on Valley creek. country, was in Ballinger Monday and says he certainly appreciated the assistance rendered him while here, when his wagon wheel ran borhood, came in Tuesday to acoff and a crowd of the clever citizens raised the loaded wagon in order for him to put it on without unloading his wagon.

Wanted.

Will pay best possible price for all good dry head maize. See E. visit relatives and to look after ing you to think about the res-

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—A leading his or her pupils to see E. J. Henley of the Norton coun- this plan each pupil if encouraged try is building another big barn, to undertake some home project hauling lumber out Monday, from that is to say, some work at home which will extend through a Dr. W. A. Gustavus is building whole season, will be connected in connection with the Fair build-ing. ture which the pupil receives at school, and a record of the results M. Osteen is having a room of which will be faithfully kept the conclusion of the project. At Next door to Mr. Osteen, Mit-school the pupil's exercises in arithmetic, spelling, English, geography, etc., are so directed that G. L. Harper had his residence the value of these subjects in praccovered with a fall suit of paint tical life is made clear. For example, in the language lessons, the pupil may be asked to write out the method which he used in arate from the main residence, testing milk with a Babcock test er special emphasis being placed L. E. H. Barnett of the Valley upon the need for making the same way the records obtained ture, with plenty of gallery room, exercises in aritmetic and the

In the supplement of the bulle RASBURY. before you sell tin is contained a number of sample score cards designed to assist the teacher in rating agricultura exhibits which the pupils should be encouraged to make. The new pulletin is designed especially for Among the number who were in rural school teachers in the nor

Will pay best possible price for

G. W. Vanlandingham and son. Vernon, to be at the bedside of a and prosperous basis? relative who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Winkle of

#### YOUR SPECFICATIONS.

designate the kind of lumber, ut the quality is left to you. And quality counts most of all. Our stock is all seelcted clear, straight grained and kiln dried. It is the kind of lumber you shuold use. Let us estimate with you and show you how to save money and still get the best.

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### Diversified Farming and Relation of the Banker and the Farmer

es toward the individual or to- carious, something is wrong. ward groups of masses of people: profitable, I mean profitable to First, a sympathetic understand- When you, or the bank, are making of the individual or the mass- ing an investment or a loan, the es and a kindsly and constructive principal and all important ques-Tone is destroying the sale of calthe cynic, the plunderer, who be the criterion for engaging in possible objects of legitimate prey community to pursue an unsafe Agriculture is the great primary system of farming while you dees into it, breaking it up. This is I guarantee that one spoonful of business or persuit of the human sire to pursue an absolutely safe any drug store and get a 50c bot- doesn't gripe and they like its waste which support the city, you will inspect the statistics you which ministers to the wants of will find the banks of those secthe city, and which is entitled to tions prosperous in the extreme.

a contributor from all other in-terest lowest, the farmers the dividuals and lines of business, or most prosperous, and the banking is it a part of a broad system of business safe and secure. This number of suggestions to help the distribution made necessary by means only that where the system rural public school teacher in our complex civilization and ren- of agriculture is the best we have dering a service to the inhabitants certainty of results, low rates of the direct relation between home life and their school studies are a reasonable compensation? Is and sure banking; and conversely work for all, even the nail "knock contained in a new publication of the bank a primary business, or is where these things are not true Barns and graineries are the Department of Agriculture it an institution created because we have uncertain results, high being built to store an enormous This bulletin, No. 281, entitled of our complex civilization, have rates of interest, unprofitable agrigrain crop, and rural people are "Correlating Agriculture with ing certain well known functions. insisting on better homes than the Public School Subjects in the and rendering certain services to the population, for which services shacks are vacant in Ballinger, of work extending from Septem. it is permitted to charge a reason ber through the fall, winter and able compensation? Upon the at spring to the end of June. Under titude of mind of person, and the answer to these questions, wil depend our point of view of the subjects I am going to discuss.

If the City is the all important thing, and the country and its agriculture are simply tolerated ecause the Almighty made uwith stomachs and we have to eat, legitimate prey

rounding them, without making genuine. the slightest constructive contribution toward the solution of any 16th Street, Ballinger says: of thevexing problems confront-

its business to prosper and live in back and the kidney secretions affluence by seeing just how passed irregularly. Doan's Kidmuch it can drain out of the coun- ney Pills, procured from the other thing for the city to prosrupil asked to compute the total per because it has reached forth a yield of butter fat, its money helping hand to serve the country value, and the estimated profit and make it prosper with the city.

factory, and selfish condition. The second is a permanent, a safe an enlightened and a highly satisfactory condition for civilized people to lie in. You have paved streets, elegant business buildings.

amusements.

Have you ever inquired? Are there poor schools, bad roads, market about the 10th of Sepslough grass, poverty, miserable tember at a season when the Mr. and Mrs. A. Snowden and homes, long hours of toil, and lit- melon crop at other places is a two children, who had been visit-tle compensation? Oh, but you thing of the past, and the dehood, A. Hasse, J. P. Wessell, of ing his father T. M. Curbo and say, there are great undeveloped mand for the famous Ballinger family of Mills county, returned resources around about every city melon far in excess of the supply to Ballinger Monday, en route to and I answer you, yes, there are, The late melnos grown here are but why are they undeveloped? shipped in large quantities by What contribution, what construct express, and they bring one cent tive effort, has been put forth by per pound on the local market. Forrest, of the Spring Hill neigh- the city and town, by the merchant, the banker and the business company Mrs. G. A. Zachery and man, to help place the agriculture daughter, Miss Kate who left for of the country upon a safe, sound

> Profit and Safety Test of Best Agriculture.

Millersview came in Saturday to marks for the sole purpose of caus future home in that country. RASBURY. before you sell business affairs in Ballinger a ponsibility the men and the busitrue, or is it prosperous, and why? her home. If it is not prosperous, what is the matter? Is the trouble with the best agriculture is the agriculture understand it. that is the most profitable, considering duration or permanency as one of the factors of profit. By neighborhood, was transacting

There can be but three attitud- a district is unprofitable or preto return of service from the Go to the great agricultural secity or business enterprises within tion of the northwest, where the development of has been the Does the store exit as a pri- highest and best in the country, nary business, asking, as a right, and you will find the rates of in-

#### WHY IS BALLINGER FIRM?

cultue and insecure banking.
GEO. P. McLELLAND.

#### Because Its Citizens Have Learn. ed The Truth.

After reading this generous and encouraging report from Mr. Street, those who have the misfortune to suffer, as he did, will naturally long to get similar re-lief. But to get the same good as then the city is going to regard Mr. Street had, you should get the country and country man as the same remedy. There are of course, other kidney pills but There are cities today whose there are no other kidney pills the business system are draining the same as Doan's. That is why very life blood of the country sur-Ballinger people demand the

W. F. Street, stock dealer, 1001 "About a year ago, I had an at ing the country and its people. | tack of kidney complaint. I had It is one thing for the city and dull pains in the small of my

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don' simply ask for a kidney remedy -get Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that Mr. Street had. Fos-The first is unstable, unsatis-ter-Milburn Co., Props, Buffalo,

#### LATE MELON CROP THRIFTY

marble counters, heating plants, the last melon crop for the pres-school. hot and cold water, bath rooms, ent year will be equal to any in electric light, gas, sewage dispos- the history of the melon indusal, fine schools, parks, lawns, try in this county. The crop is in splendid condition with the about half grown.

The late crop will come on the

ternoon, and was accompanied by Guy Taylor, of the Valley I have injected these few re- Creek country, who will make his who had been visiting her sister,

ness undertakings of the city owe who had been visiting her ternoon. to the country and the solution of grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N the countrys problem. What kind Harrie of Miles, came in Tuesof agriculture have you in the day afternoon and will be the country surrounding your city or guests of her aunt, Mrs. R. A. your town-a prosperous agricul- Nicholson before returning to

Gus Nunn, of the Old Runnels land, with the climate, with the neighborhood, was transacting bus kind of agriculture pursued, or is iness in Ballinger Monday. Mr. the trouble with the whole econ- Nunn is an advocate for the cattle omic system? I think you will trick evadication and thinks the agree with me in saying that the election will carry if the people

S. B. Baggett of the Jamieson the farmer. If the agriculture of business in Ballinger Wednesday.

## COUNTY BOARD WILL BUY SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Over a hundred county rural trustees met in the county court room of the court house. Monday, to confer with the County Board of Trustees on co-operative buying for the county school districts.

In the future all supplies such as desks, stoves, black-boards, chalk, books, etc., will be bought entirely by the county board, thus lessening expense by buying in wholesale quantities, and eliminating traveling agents commissions and salaries. This, it is thought by the trustees, will mean a great leal toward raising standards of the rural schools, and providing a nucleus around which other country high schools may be built in the future. At present it has been determined that the standards of Runnels County rural schools are too low, and they must be, and are being, raised by constructive meth

Taking the county schools by

separate order, number one first, and so on down the list of over fifty rural districts, each was classified and their record for the past term read. The question was asked by the inquisitory body whether the district would like to raise their requirements; hire better teacher, have longer term, and equip their school more extensivestated "that the men present night. might not realize that the time The bull that caused the death

schools for protection, and one in-surance man stated that he had Barkham leaves a wife and promises of over half of that busi- two small children, a baby boy ness. As the time for the opening two years old and a baby girl of practically all the country less than one year old old. Other schools is on November 8th, it was relatives reside in Louisana and necessary that much time be taken Michigan. in making all necessary preparations, and transacting all business thoroughly. A night session was held Monday night with the five and a dozen really cheap ones. trustees of the County Board, J. en, secretary present; one member three times over. only absent; and some few of the iness will probably be wound up today.

This meeting as one member their means are opposite. 'Cheap' present stated was the business of costs double. Cheap is Devoe. parents first, the local trustees second, and the county board last. This in that the children will be DOLLAR BILLS MAK-Reports from the fruit belt aided to go to school, shown how South of the city, indicate that to go to school, and made to go to

#### Wanted.

all good dry head maize. See E. tend to show how far a dollar has But beyond the border of your vines well fruited with melons L. RASBURY. before you sell to travel in helping to pay com-

> Raby Padgett, after disposing Mr. Sharp on Thursday morning bunch of horses.

Raby Padgett, who had been attending the county meeting of them preference over other monvisiting his parents and selling a trustees. Mr. Eubanks was among ey. bunch of fine horses, left for his those who made the Ledger office home in Wyoming, Tuesday af- a pleasant visit while in the city, on being traced, has been figured

Mrs. Lovejoy, of Pearl, Texas, length of a year. Mrs. H. N. Beckwith and family of West End, the past several ducting a meeting at Hatchel, was Miss May Henson of Cooper, weeks, returned home Monday af- in Ballinger on business between

## Help the Stomach Digest Your Food

When the stomach fails to digest and distribute that which is eaten, the bowels become clogged with a mass of waste and refuse that ferments and generates poisons that are gradually forced into the blood, causing distress and often serious illness.

Most people naturally object to the drastic cathartic and purgative agents that shock the system. A mild, gentle laxative, positive in its effect and that will quickly relieve constipation is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, sold by druggists at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle. It does not gripe or cramp, but acts easily and pleasantly and is therefore the most satisfactory remedy for children, women and elderly persons. For a free trial bottle write to Dr. Caldwell, 452 Washington St., Monticello, Ills.

## MAN GORED BY MAD BULL DIES

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 24.—Geo. ly. Thus if a school were classed M. Barkham, who was attacked as second grade school, they were by a Jersey bull last Wednesday, asked if they intended raising to died Sunday. Barkham repeateda first. In some instances the dis- ly stated to his family that he trict trustees answered in the neg- would recover, and plead with ative, but later in a caucus chang- them not to worry about his coned their vote to read for the up- dition, but he lost consciousness lift. One man in the audience shortly after midnight Sunday

was coming when the standards of of Barkham had no horns, and the county school was coming, but aws kept in a breeding stable in the city. It was while Barkham Texas is slow in adopting new was passing through the pen methods, but when they do turn where the bull was that he was in that direction they do not wait attacked by the mad bull. The man was butted down and in-Nearly 40 steam-heating plants juries inflicted that were considwill be put in the country county ered serious at the time, but the schools this year, and over a thou- physicians announced that he sand singel-seat desks will be add would recover unless complicaed. Insurance agents were prestions developed. Internal injurent at the meeting to sign up the les caused pneumonia to develop,

#### CHEAP PAINT.

There are 1000 "cheap" paints affluence by seeing just how passed irregularly. Doan's Kidnuch it can drain out of the country and out of the agriculture will walker Drug Co., relieved all this clayton, ... Lacy, W. W. Wooth agriculture will be agriculture with the cause of wasting more money than good paint costs, two or

Cheap paint is good paint; ural district trustees. Other bust there is no other; no other is cheap.

The two words sound alike but BALLINGER LUMBER CO.

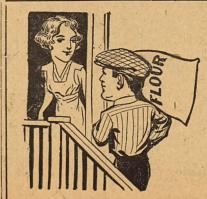
## ING THE ROUNDS

Roy Sharp, advertising manager of the Higginbotham, Currie, Williams Co., store in Ballinger Will pay best possible price for has evolved a scheme that will mon ordinary debts in the "old home town.

of his bunch of horses, to E. L. took ten dollar-bills from the cash Rasbury, will return home to drawer in their store, and fasten-Moorcraft, Wyoming, Wednesday. ed a slip of paper on each with his Mr. Padgett will be in Ballinger signature attached, and further again next month with a second described the proceedings with a note, that every handler of the bill please sign his name thereto. T. L. Eubanks, one of the school Roy asks all people receiving one trustees from the northern part of the bills to use the money as of the county, was here Monday they ordinarily do and not to give

After three days of toil, one bill to have paid 500 bills in time

Elder W. D. Black, who is contrains Monday.



#### THE SACK OF OUR GOOD FLOUR

which you ordered means the commencement of better bread more delicious rolls, cakes and pastry. You will be more than surprised with the good results obtained. Our flour costs no more than does the ordinary

Missouri Milling Co.



Rexall Violet Talcum



A High Grade Talcum

Delight ful violet oder

An ideal talcum for baby's use. Contains finest grade of Talc, Rice Powder, Boric Acid.





This is not a cut price sale—it is simply another way of advertising. We are willing to lose money to get you acquainted with these high standard goods.

## Rexall Toilet Soap

Our High-Grade Soap is Made in France for Us.



Daintily Perfumed One 250 Two 260 Cakes 260

# Friday, Saturday and Monday One Cent Will

25c or 50c can of talcum, 25c tube tooth paste, 50c box face powder, 25c or 35c tooth brush, 65c box writing paper, \$1.50 water bottle, \$2.00 fountain syringe, 50c jar vanishing cream, 50c cold cream, \$1.00 bottle syrup hypophosphites, 50c bottle rubbing oil and many other items that you will need during the summer months. We will sell you any item mentioned in this ad. regardless of its retail value, for 1 cent, provided you will buy a second item of the same kind at our regular retail price.

Check This List Over Carefully—Mark the Items You Wish to Purchase and Bring This Ad With You

#### HOUSEHOLD NEEDS AND REMEDIES

50c Rexall Blood Tablets 2 for 51c 25c Rexall Cathartic Pills2 for 26c \$1 Kodol Nerve Tonic 2 for \$1.01 50c Bottle Rexall Rubbing Oil .. ...... 2 for 51c 25c Tube Elkay's Rat and Roach Paste . . . . 2 for 26c 25c Bottle Rexall Skeeter Skoot \$1.00 Microline Kidney Remedy. 2 for \$1.01 25c Rexall Liver Pills. 2 for 26c 25c Saline Laxative . . . . 2 for 26c 25c Caster Oil Aramatic 2 for 26c 25c Box Rexall Headache Powder ..2 for 26c 50c Bottle Rexall Kidney Pills... 2 for 51c 25c Jar Rexall Mentholine Balm. 2 for 26c
25c Rexall Eye Wash. 2 for 26c
25c Simmon's Liver Regulator.
2 for 26c 25c Rexall Bunion Ease. 2 for 26c 10c Bottle Rexall Toothache Stop-Compound ...... 2 for \$1.01 10c Roll Toilet Paper . 2 for 11c 25c Bottle Rexall Blackberry 2 for 26c 25c Box Rexall Charcoal Tablets 2 for 26c 25c Can Rexall Foot Powder...

\$1.00 Peptol, a flesh builder... ...... 2 for \$1.01 25c Heptol Pleasant Laxative . 25c Rexall Corn Solvent 2 for 26c 25c Rexall Diarrhoea Remedy . . 25c Rexall Diarrhoea Remedy ... 2 for 26c 25c Box Magic Washing-Sticks . 2 for 26c RUBBER GOODS

15c Nursing Bottles ... 2 for 16c 5c Kantchoke Nipples .. 2 for 6c 5c Medicine Droppers.. 2 for 6c 75c Rubber Bath Sponge 2 for 76c 10c Cherub Pacifier . . . 2 for 11c BRUSHES

35c Hair Brushes ..... 2 for 36c 25c Hand Brush .....2 for 26c 15c Hand Brush ..... 2 for 16c 10c Hand Brush ..... 2 for 11c 25c Lather Brush ..... 2 for 26c SHAVING SUPPLIES.

25c Rexall Shaving Stick 2 for 26c ...... for 26c 10c Colgates Shaving Soap .... 2 for 11c 25c Bottle Witch Hazel Shaving 



## Rexall **Tooth Paste**

A Perfect Dentifrice. Antiseptic and Deodorant. Prevents decay; whitens the teeth Perfumes breath; pleasant taste.

One Tube 250

Stork Nipples

Each one packed in a sanitary cartoon.

Red, White, or black Rubber.

Each 5c 6 Nipples 30c

2 for 6c 12 Nipples 31c

Cascade Writing Paper

One full pound, 90 sheets, high-grade fa-

Cascade Linen Envelopes

2 Packages 250 4 Packages 260 Envelopes 260

Two 260

### Violet Dulce Complexion Powder

This powder contains no injurious ingredients, is extremely fine, and is so delicately tinted that it blends perfectly with the complexion. Scented with the refreshing sweet Violet odor. White, Flesh, and Brunette Tints.

One Box 50c

Two Boxes 51c



#### Lord Baltimore Linen Writing Paper

A high-grade white, fabric finish writing paper. 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes to the package.

Pack- 25c 2 Pack-26c

bric finish writing paper.

## Harmony GLYCERINE SOAP

Our high-grade, daintily perfumed toilet soap. 8 ounce cake. Rose, Violet

Two Pounds 36c

One Cake 15c

One Pound 35c

Two 16c

# Violet Dulc Vanishing

Is quickly absorbed. An excellent cream for use under powder

Cream

Two 51c



## Bouquet Jeanice Talcum Powder

A talcum of extreme fineness and delicate fragrance. Large size can.

One 50C

Two 51c

## Moneyback Fountain Syringe

A guaranteed, all rubber, chocolate color, twoquart size

One Syringe \$1.50

Ballinger,

Two Syringes \$1.51

## Maximum Red Rubber Sponge

A perfect bath sponge made from pure rubber. Just the right shape to fit the hand.

One Sponge 750

Sponges 760



'Phones 12 and 13

## TOILET NEEDS

FOR THE SUMMER MONTHS 35c Rexall Cream of Almonds... 50c Velvetina Skin Cream ... . 2 for 51c 25c San Anco Tooth Paste ... ....2 for 26c 25c Pearl Tooth Powder 2 for 26c 15c Jergens Cold Cream 2 for 16c 50c Bottle Violet Dulce Liquid Complexion Powder ....2 for 51c 50c Massage Cream ....2 for 51c 25c Heliotrope Talcum Powder... 2 for 26c 50c Box Alma Zada Face Pow-25c Can Rexall Violet Talcum... .. 2 for 26c 50c Arbutus Vanishing Cream. 25c Dentaline Tooth Powder...

2 for 51c 2 for 26c \$1.00 Nylotis Toilet Water. 2 for \$1.01 10c Collapsible Drinking Cup... .2 for 11c 40 New England Perfume (1-2 oz., bottle, assorted odors 2 for 41c 75c New England Perfume, 1 oz. bottle, assorted odors .. 2 for 76c 60c Box New England Soap-Lily of the Valley.... 2 for 61c 60c Box New England Soap-60c Box New England Soap odors . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 for 51c 25c Nadinola Taleum . . 2 for 26c 25c, Peroxigen Tooth Powder... 50c Honey Dew Cream 2 for 51c

25c Cake Harmony Imported Soap—Bruyere . . . 2 for 26c 25c Cake Harmony Imported Soap—Heliotrope..... 2 for 26c 25c Cake Harmony Imported 25c Zodenta Tooth Paste 2 for 26c 50c Wilson's Freckle Cream... 25c Peroxide Cream ...2 for 26c

### STATIONERY

65c Box Illuminated Crest Initial Stationery ..... 2 for 66c 35e Box Stationery, 60 Sheets, 50 envelopes note size .... 2 for 36c 25c Box Writing Paper 2 for 26c 25c Initial Writing Tablets... 5c Ink Tablets, smooth finish ... ...... 2 for 6c 10c Ink Tablets, fabric finish.... 5c High Grade Lead Pencils... 10c Dozen Steel Pens . . 2 doz. 11c 10c Desk Rule ...... 2 for 11c 5c Bottle Ink ...... 2 for 6c 25c Bottle Library Paste 2 for 26c 10c Roll Crepe Paper ... 2 for IIc

# The Walker DrugCo.

The Rexall Store



## ABILENE PLANS BEST REV. SMITH'S WIDOW FAIR IN HISTORY

ABILENE, Aug. 23. —Central J. L. Chastain, secretary of the West Texas are preparing to hold Modern Woodmen Lodge of Bal. ers that Mr. McLelland had made the biggest Fair and Exposition in linger, has a check calling for \$1,- good and that the county had their history and are sending out 000 payable to Mrs. L. A. Smith, profited greatly by the demoninvitations as broad as the borders whose husband Rev. Smith died stration work. of the state for the people of all recently near Hatchel Rev. The motion "cinching" Mr. Mc sections to meet them in Abilene Smith was a member of the Mod-Lelland for another year came October 12/to 16, inclusive, for the ern Woodmen, but had only been when a motion made by Jack Mc-5-day Central West Texas Fair a member for a little over two Gregor and carried by a unaniand Fat Stock Show.

pected for the opening day, and This is quick action on this fully 50,000 are expected to visit claim, due to the action of the Di-

tributed in the racing events—the made out for \$1,000.00. only race meet of any importance in the state for 1915.

Texas having the largest and best gaining on absolute meritdisplay of farm products, a cash prize of \$100 will be given. The second prize in the same division will be \$50, third \$35 and fourth \$15, making a total of \$200 in this division. Farmers of any Cental Western county are eligible to enter any of the other competitions for farm exhibits, in which \$700 in cash will be awarded the winners. Any farmer in the Central West can enter the horse, mule, cattle, swine, sheep, goat or poultry competitions and try for the more than \$1,000 in prizes to be given away. The amusement feature of the Fiar will be unusually attractive. The Great Patterson Shows, considered one of the best aggregations of high-class attractions ever gathered under one management, will furnish main amusement features. Besides the races in which the fastest horses in the Southwest will compete, there will be free attractions each day.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure. The worst cases, no matter of how long standing. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Hep's at the same time. 25c. 50c. \$1.00

Richard Turner of the Norton country, was looking after business affairs and visiting his son,

ever receive the proper balance of food to sufficiently nourish both body and brain during the growing period when nature's demands are greater than in mature life. This is shown in so many pale faces, lean bodies, frequent colds, and lack of ambition.

For all such children we say with unmistakable earnestness: They need Scott's Emulsion, and need it now. It possesses in concentrated form the very food elements to enrich their blood. It changes weakness to strength; it makes them sturdy and strong. No alcohol. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

# GETS \$1,000 CHECK

months, and had paid into the mous vote of the meeting, placing Fifteen thousand people are ex- camp as benefit dues only \$15.60.

Fair Park during the five days. | rector General of the national or-Upwards of \$2,500 will be award ganization, S. S. Tanner, who Mr. ed as cash prizes in agricultural, Chastain says keeps a close tab livestock, poultry, needlework, on all claims rendered. The paydomestic science, educational, art, ment made was in full for the entextile and other exhibits, while tire amount, and there were no purses totaling \$3,000 will be dis-strings attached, the check being

Mr. Chastain stated that his lodge was making rapid strides in that the work could be carried on To the county in Central West development, and that they were



COTTON CROP BETTER THAN LAST YEAR

That there will be more cotton properly should be handled. produced in Runnels county this year than in 1914, was a state- does not mean that Mr. McLelment made by R. A. Hall, manager land's work will be changed in latter part of the week from a farm demonstrator, and any one business trip to Ballinger and Win in the county desiring his servic- much less time than is usually reters. The company owning the es can get same. He will con- quired. Obtainable everywhere San Angelo mill also operates tinue to be Runnels county' gelo Standard.

While the acreage in cotton for the present crop is at least twen- pay ty-five per cent short of last year, ter. The past thirty days has been most favorable cotton producing for the county. Every phase of weather and from every section Mr. McLelland's work was discomes the report that the crop is cussed at the meeting held Friday in splendid condition. This, however, only applies to certain counties, and fortunately Runnels Joe Turner and family in the city county is included in that certain enteen different cases, developing country. The crop in some secpecially in the storm swept section of South Texas has the crop whole, and appreciating the inbeen badly damaged.

> H. Giesecke and little daughter left Monday morning to meet Mrs. Giesecke and children, who are en route home from Denver, Colo. Mrs. Giesecke also visited at the Panama Exposition and other waste of the past two years campoints on the Pacific coast while away during the summer. Edward who accompanied his mother also the commissioners court will glad remember the location. Mrs. W. A. returned at noon.

# **RUNNELS COUNTY'S FARM** DEMONSTRATOR TO STAY ON JOB, IS GOOD NEWS

ness men and farmers held Fri-Business League, it was unanitor of this county.

This action followed a discusion of more than an hour in which every man to speak for himself favoring both the containing of Mr. McLelland, if ar- work continued in this county. rangements could be made to that end. Among those to address the meeting, and who favored the proposition were Judge C. H. Willingham, Jack McGregor, C. A. Doose, E. D. Walker, C. R. Stephens, W. B. Woods, E. V. Bateman, Judge A. K. Doss and Prof. E. L. Hagan.

Mr. McLelland was not present at the meeting, but was called in as he was arranging to make a trip to the country and without rubbing. the proposition as to whether the government would make an appropriation, or continue its appropriation, against one put up by the citizens or Business League and asked as to whether a contract could be made with him to stay on the job under such an arrangement. He answered both question in the affirmative, and expressed a great desire to see the work continue in this county, regardless of whether he remained on the job, or whether some one else was employed.

There was not a single man present who did not endorse the work that Mr. McLelland has been doing in this county for the past two years. There was no doubt in the minds of the speak-

the matter of making a contract with the demonstrator in the hands of the Business League directors, which is composed of five business men and five farmers. The directors were empowered to guaranteed to Mr. McLelland the amount heretofore appropriated by the county to make up his To Drive Out Malaria salary with the appropriation of upon such a basis

ment to Mr. McGregor's motion was adopted providing for the circulation of petitions throughout the county, which will be presented to the commissioners' court asking that body to recon-

The arrangements as outlined of the San Angelo Cotton Oil Mill | the least. He will continue to

> the demonstration work has done ous condition. morning. It developed that Mr. McLelland aided in stamping out hog cholera in this county, sevin different sections of the coungreat benefit to the county as a terest shown by the government in making for the county the larg est appropriation of any county in the state, the business men of Ballinger are determine that the work shall not stop at this time. They realize that it will be a paign in this line of work.

It is the opinion of many that ly reconsider the matter and Breedlove.

At a meeting of citizens, busi-manke the appropriation, if the ess men and farmers held Fri-people of the county want the day morning in the rooms of the work to continue, and in order to ascertain this the people will mously decided to retain Geo. P. be called on to express themsel-McLelland as farm demonstra- ves through a petition to the court, which is the only available way of getting an expression at this time.

However, if the court can not see its way clear to carry on the tinuation of the demonstration work, the other plan will be carwork in this ciunty and the main ried out and the demonstration

Neuralgia Pains Stopped.

You don't need to suffer those agonizing nerve pains in the face head, arm, shoulder, chest and back. Just apply a few drops of soothing Sloan's Liniment; lie quietly a few minutes. You will get such relief and comfort! Life and the world will look brighter. Get a bottle today. 3-ounces for 25c., at all druggists. Penetrates

## THREE MORE AID **DEMONSTRATION LIST**

the Ledger Friday afternoon and volunteered to donate towards pass the "Tick Eradication Law," of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera keeping the local farm demonstra- the people who are directly con- and Diarrhoea Remedy, and said tor on the job. Mr. Erwin also said cerned must know some of the vi- to him, 'if this does not cure you Mrs. Fannie Johnson would put tal facts of the issue. The Uni- I will not charge you a cent for her name to a donation for the ted States Government through it.' So he took it home and came work and the present demonstra- experiments in different depart- back in a day or two and said he tion agent, McLelland. The Post-ments, is able to spend more mon-was cured," writes J. H. Berry & master turned in these two names ey and get at the bottom of the Co., Salt Creek, Va. Obtainable to the list of contributors and at matter more quickly than the in- everywherethe same time stated that he dividual. The results of their exwould see Mrs. R. A. Smith, as-periments are published in bulleserting confidence that the lady tins, which may be secured for the among those attending the socialwould also come in.

Erwin phoned Mrs. Smith from ticks: the Ledger office and placed the question before her. Mrs. Smith responded at once with the declaration that she would go down on the guarantee list for \$1.00 per month. These three pioneer citizens are always ready to support home industry and to aid anything that is for the good of the town and county, and they saw at once that it would not do to lose this great work.

And Build Up The System the United States government, Take the Old Standard GROVE'S and Mr. McLelland's endorsement TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know pon such a basis.

At the same time an amendThe Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

#### LAND DEALS.

While at Norton last Saturday we learned of the following land deals: G. M. Vaughn sold to E. sider the matter and make the M. Setser 80 acres of unimproved appropriation for the demonstra land near Mr. Setser's place at ion work. If the court will do Norton at \$15 per acre. Also this the matter will be taken out John Morgan sold his 80 acre of the hands of the Business Lea- tract of improved land near Norgue and placed back where it ton to Bob Crockett at \$25 per acre.

For a Sprained Ankle.

If you will get a bottle of Cham

mills in those towns.—San An- farm demonstrator, although Bal Lon McGill, a pioneer Runnels linger will put up the money county stockman, was greeting that the county should justly Ballinger friends Saturday. Mr. McGill has not visited Runnels The business men of Ballinger county for the last sixteen years, many share in the opinion with have interested themselves in this but stated that he was glad to Mr. Hall that the yield will be bet work because they realize what see everything in such a prosper-

#### TRESSPASS NOTICE

You are hereby warned not to trasspass on my ranch on the Con cho in wise contrary to law, in the way of fishing hunting, cutting tions of the state have suffered ty. This alone was worth a great wood, or gathering pecans, etc almost total destruction. Es- deal to the county. Realizing the You will take due notice or will be prosecuted as the law directs GODFREY MASSEY,

Concho county, Tex

Mrs. G. A. Jarrett and three children left Monday for Stacy to visit Mr. Jarrett's relatives.

TO MY FRIEND AND PATRONS. I will have my millinery department at The Hub the coming season. Please 10-5tdwtf

## It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Cardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds and now I do all my housework. gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework,

as well as run a big water mill.

I wish every suffering woman would give

The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."

Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

Get a Bottle Today!

## GOVERNMENT WILL GIVE FREE ADVICE

A circular issued out of the Department of Animal Industry of and sent to the Ledger, bears on my clerks, have you anything Postmaster J. J. Erwin came to the cattle-tick problem with auth- that will cure diarrhoea?- and my asking. Following is an extract ist encampment in Ballinger Fri-Acting on the moment, Mr. from one of the bulletins on cattle day.

A prue-bred bull imported into a tick region will not live. The country, was looking after busitick gets its blood and the bull ness affairs in Ballinger Saturdies of Texas fever. You can't day. grade up your herd without the use of pure-bred bulls. Ticky catthe mean scrub cattle.

The cattle tick not only attacks left Friday for home. the unacclimated pure-bred stock; but often poisons the native cattle, which had been considered im- W. W. Poe of the Wingate-Windreaded Texas fever,

With the land free from ticks, pure-bred bulls can be used with Recommends Chamberlain's Colic of such plan, and the assurance what you are taking, as the formula is native cows to grade up the herd. printed on every label, showing it is There is more money in grade cat-Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. the than in scrubs. Drive out the There is more money in grade catdairy or beef stock, are the most able everywhere. proiftable from every stondpoint, on either farm or ranch

partment of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. Jay for the free county, came in Monday to look 26-page circular, "Effects of Tick after business affairs in Ballinger Eradication on the Cattle Indus- before going on home. try of the South." It contains acberlain's Liniment and observe tual statements by many cattle Co., when he returned home the serve the entire county as a the directions given therewith raisers, dairymen, farmers, and Hardware Co., of Llano and W. county officials in the South, who B. Haynie, assistant cashier of the say that dipping that tick meant | Home National Bank of that place profits to them and their neigh- came in Saturday to visit John

Such statements as these from county officials: "By virtue of being a free territory, the farmers realize from \$6 to \$10 a head above what they did when we were under quarantine." From another county: "When the work was begun the cattle from this county sold for about 3 cents a pound gross weight. Now they bring from 4 to 5 cents per

ound.

tle in the South.

Send also for Farmers' Bulletin 580, "Beef Production in the South." Don't let the rural carrier pass today without your pos-

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#### The Clerk Guaranteed It.

"A customer came into my store the United States Government, the other day and said to one of

R. B. Griffith of Winters, was

H. E. Browder of the Miles

S. G. Cain of Marietta, Okla., who had been spending some weeks past for the benefit of his,

Prof. Lee Little of Maverick and mune, causing death from the ters country, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Monday.

Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

"I never hesitate to recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and tick and the scrub will go too. A Diarrhoea Remedy", writes. Sol calf from a pure-bred bull and a Williams, merchant, Jesse, Tenn. native cow will weigh from 450 to "I sell more of it than of any 600 pounds and is estimated to be other preparations of like characworth \$10 to \$23 more, when a ter. I have used it myself and year old, than a calf from scrub found it gave me more relief than stock. It is known beyond doubt anything else I have ever tried that well-bred cattle, whether for the same purpose." Obtain-

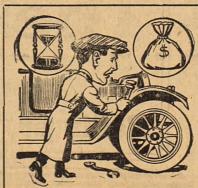
R. L. Woodward, of Corpus Write a postal card to the De- Christi, who had been looking af-

> J. F. Bullen, president of Llano Weeks and family.

### CASTORIA For Infants and Children

In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears Signature of her Witcher

Charlie Snell of Wichita Falls, The circular also contains many came in Monday at noon to visit pages of valuable practical infor- his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zak mation on raising and breeding cat Snell and Ballinger friends awhile.



#### SAVE TIME, TROUBLE AND MONEY

by sending your car here when ever repairs are needed. Don't tinker with it yourself. You are likely to do more harm than good. Besides, you have neither the facilities or the experience. We have both.

Leach Auto Works

## List of lands and lots delinquent on March 31st, 1914. COUNTRY PEOPLE

For the taxes of 1914 only, in Runnels County reported under the provisions of section 10, chapter 103, laws of 1897

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Runnels.
I, W. T. Padgett Tax Collector of said Runnels County, do hereby certify that the within lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of said county for the year 1914, are delinquent for taxes of 1914 only, and that I am entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

(Seal)

W. T. PADGETT. Tax Collector.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of April, 1915.

O. L. PARISH, County Clerk, Runnels County.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS COURT STATE OF TEXAS County of Runnels.

IN COMMISSIONERS COURT We certify that we have examined the within report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Runnels County, for the year 1914, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1914 only, and find the same correct and

はいいという	State Revenue TaxState School TaxState Poll Tax		\$223.74 356.86 89.29 24.00
	Total State Taxas		\$693.89
	County Ad Valorem Tax County Special Tax County Poll Tax District School Tax		\$267.90 392.93 4.00 166.01
	Total County Taxes		\$830.84
	Givenin open court this 29th day of	f April, 1915.	
	(SEAL)	M. KLEBERG, County Judge FEB. McWILLIAMS,	
	Attest.	W D MEADOWS	

are delinquent for the taxes of 1914 only, and find the same correct and that W. T. Padgett, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon, as follows, to-wit:						M. KLEBERG, County Judge. FEB. McWILLIAMS, W. D. MEADOWS, O. L. PARISH, County Clerk. J. D. SMITH, County Commissioners.											
	LAND TO				TOWN	OR CITY LOT		ST	ATE	TAXE	s		COUNTY TAX				
Name of Owner	Abstract	Survey No.	Original Grantee	No. Acres. Delinquent	City or Town	Lot	Outlot	Block	Revenut	School	Pension	1,011	Peralty Ad Valorem	Poll Vo District	School District	Penalty	Fotal Taxes
Avent, J. K Behringer, Sam	835	18	M. J. Parramore	80	Ballinger	3 3		Miller	.85	.100	37	1	.26 2.52 .19 1.85	3 <sup>2</sup>	4] 1.36	.19 4	1.11
Avent, J. K. Behringer, Sam Bridwell, W. A. Burkhalter, M. E. Burrell, A. B. Chastain, M. D. Chastain, M. D.	195	492	M. Fitzpatrick	1/2	Ballinger Ballinger	20 acres	10	S. B.	.13 .10 2.23 15.16	3.56	.05  .04  .89 1. 6.07	50	.04	25 E	3	.04	.66
Cooper, Mrs. E	121	420	Martin Demmer	9	Miles	W½ of 1		Cullw'	2.10	3.36	.84	-  -	63 6.22 33 1.78	<u>-</u>	[	4.49 99 .62 13 .20 5	3.77
Critz, C. S Dickinson, K. R Dickinson, K. R Dickinson K. R	357 357	366 300	Thos Largent	18 42x140					1000	2.36	.59		44 4.37	4	.32	.47 10	
Dickinson, Mrs. C. F  Dickinson, Mrs. C. F  Dunn, Mrs. E. V	1119	54 1-2	J. A. Davenport	160	Ballinger Ballinger	3 to 6	3 1	Elm h' Elm h' Elm h' W. E.			1.55	_ ]_	17 11.51	4 		1.27 26	
Fletcher W. F.					Miles	80x210 ft of NI	26	Orig F & P	.38	1.50 1.40 .60 3.10	.15 1.5	0 .	20 2.59 26 1.11 73 5.74 25	25 M		.26 5	.74
Fortson, W. T Fortson, W. T Graham, W. H Hamilton, S. A. B Hanz, Chas				Carlo De San	Ballinger	4. ½ of 5	57	W. E. College	2.63	.04 4.20 3.60	.01 1.05 .90		01 .07 79 7.77 68 6.66	B   B   50		.01 .78 17 .99 18	.17
Hanz, Chas Hardin, Jo Jennings & B&igler Knight, T. A	893	I	J. P. Freeman	54 15-100	Miles	10 acres	17	Orig S. B.	2.00 .50 2.05	3.20 .80 3.28	.80 .20 .82	1:	60 5.92 15 1.48 62 6.07	B M	2.46	.59 13 .15 3 .85 16	.11
Knox, J. D Lawhon, L. S Lawhon & Townsend Mathis G. W					Ballinger Miles Miles	S. W. 1/8 of N1/2 of 4 6, 7, 8	GB	lacks'n	.63 .05 .04	.08	.02		19 1.85	B M		.19 4	.11
Oliver, Mrs. J. E Oliver, Mrs. J. E Oliver, Mrs. J. S	312 1098	101	H. & T. C. Ry Co H. & T. C. Ry. Co	480	Winters	3, 13, 14 1 to 5	19	Grant Col'ge	13.51	1.44 21.62	5.41	4.05	40.00	1	13.17 5	32 103.	08
Pfeffer, Thos Powell, J. E  Powell, J. E	121 514	420 425	M. Demmer J. G. Wagner	10 65 1-3	Miles	E½of 13	41 1	Robi'n	.75	1,20	.30	0	23 2.22 54 3.85	M	.15	.22 4	.92
Powell, J. E Presbyterian Parsonage Pruitt, J. W Roark, W. H					Ballinger   Truitt	I to 10	34 -		2.30	3.60	.90	0 .	68 6.66 84 6.80	B 25 29	3.68	1.07 21	.04
Smith, T. J Strom, B. Est Whitley, J. D	871	136	C. H. Willingham		Ballinger Ballinger	I, 2	5	Orig Wilke Guion	2.04		.37 1.5 .81 1.5 .35  .25 1.5	0 .	43   2.78   2 76   6.03   2 26   2.59   34   1.85   2	25 M B			
Williams, S. D Wilson, Mrs. Docia Wilson, Mrs. Docia	457 756	310 24	F. Brandt	111		17, 18		2/	1	4.28	1.07	-	80 7.92			I.44 24	
Wilson, W. H Andrews, V Babb, J. W Baker, P. W	193	518	D. F. Floyd	1/2	Ballinger Winters Miles			C.V.H.	.25 .04 1.00 .38	.06	.10 01 .40 .15	1.0	08 .74 01 .11 80 2.06 11 1.11	W W M		.30 6	.24
Behringer, F. G Clary Pearl & wife Cockran, E. G	963	520	H, Kegans	691/	Winters Miles	7 S1/2 of N 1/2 of	18	Cen'rl	3.75 .40	6.00	1.50 .16 .25	1.1	13 11.10 12 1.19 19 1.85	W 3 M		.11 2 1.11 24 .18 3 .19 4	.59
Cunningham, J. M Duncan, T. H. P Gardner, S. D Harris, J. N	193	518	D. Floyd	1-3	Winters Ballinger			Bowdn	.63	.40	2.50	1:	88 18.50 19 1.85 08 .74	W B W		1.85 40 .19 4 .07 1	.11
Hopkins, J. E Jernigan, J. G Jernigan, J. G.					Miles Ballinger Winters Winters	60x140 ft i	ock 17	Co'g H	.50	.20	.05	1:	15   1.48   04   .37   07   .70	M   B   W		.15 3 .04 .07 1	.83
Jernigan, J. G Jernigan, J. G Jernigan, J. G					Winters Winters Winters	6 to 10 5, 7, 8, 9, 10 3	29 0 34 0 15	Co'g H Co'g H Dale w				-		- W			
Liles, J. E Loftin, E. W Martin, E. G Messer, W. A	476	85			Ballinger Winters Winters Miles	5 17 1 to 6	17	Guion C.V.H.  Cog H  Rob'n 1	.01 .09 1.25 1.38	.14 2.00	.01	1:	01 .04 03 .26 38 3.70 41 4.07	B   W   M	<i>i</i>	37 8	.09 58 3.20
Moffett, T. J McNamara Bros., Phillips, T. W					Miles Winters Miles	E¼of 14 6	41 1 5 5	Rob. 1 C.V.H. Knox	.88		.01	1:	41   4.07 26   2.59 01   .08 01   .07	M W M		.26 5	.02 .74 .17 .17
Riley, Z. W Robinson, T. R Shepperd, C. D Smart, Jno. R	782 357 357	366		60x157	Miles	25x111 ft of 2	11	Orig	1.88 .50 .50	.8o .8o	.75	1:	56 5.55 15 1.48 15 1.48	M M B		.56 12 .15 3 .15 3	2.30 3.28 3.28
Smith, M. M Smith, S. P Smith, J. E	1206		C. Sandell		Winters Miles	34x111 ft of 7,8	1 (	S. S. Orig F.&P.	1.25 .56 1.88 .19	2.00 .90 3.00 .30	.50 .23 .75 07		38 3.70 17 1.67 56 5.55 06 .56	B  41  M  M	.30	.20 4 .56 12	3.20 1.03 2.30
Swift, J. C. Swift, J. C. Tillery, W. A	618		W. Holmes	_  20	Ballinger	10, 11, 12	5	s. s.	.40	.64	.03	-	12 1.18	- B	3	.18 3	.58
Walker, M. B Warmock, R. S Wells, Miss Stella Wood, W	782	86	E. J. Fields		Winters Miles Miles		AF	B. & B. F. & G. Rob. 1		1.56 10.00 1.60 .80	2.50 2.50 .40	1.8	29   2.89   38   18.50   30   2.96   15   1.48	M  W  M  M		1.85 40	0.40 0.98 0.56 0.28
York, J. D Unknown Unknown	782 130 193	86 449 518	E. I. Fields Jno. Early D. Floyd	176x210 36x130 2					.13 .88 .29	.20	.05	1	04 .37 26 2.59 09 .85	M 12	3.50	.04	.83
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Unknown Sawyer, Mrs. C. F Unknown	232 227 253	490 496 390	Thos. Green Thos. Green H. Henke	50x268 162½					.10 .16 1.63 .88	.26 2.60 1.40	.04	1:	03 .30 05 .48 49 4.81 26 2.59	W   W   27   38	2.60	.05 I .74 I3	.66
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# INVITED TO CONCERT

The Ballinger band is planning the most elaborate Sunday afternoon concert for next Sunday ever given in this city. They announce that the members of the band will appear on this occasion, and a program carried out that will make the old timers stand up and take notice.

The concerts are held each Sunday afternoon in the court house park, and the music rendered is in keeping with the day. The concert last Sunday was responsible ing by Rev. J. N. Key at Barnett for many compliments for the music makers, and the attendance was good. Large crowd gathered last Friday night, to continue early and occupied seats on the beautiful lawn in the shade of gram had been rendered.

band boys announce that they are particular anxious to have with attend. them the people from the country, and a special invitation is hereby extended to the country people to place having several conversions drive in and enjoy the music and and more who appeared to be mix with the people in town. The concert starts at four-thirty and continues for about one hour and will pray for the salvation of a half. The music promises to be the best you ever heard in Ballinger and the social hand of the city will extend to all a welcome.

Notice to the Farmers

We have purchased the Farmer's gin, and now have it in good repair. We have had 23 years experience in the ginning business, 8 years at Norton, and 15 years in Guadaloupe County. We will begin ginning Sept 1st., and will certainly appreciate some of your ginning.
HOLLOWAY GIN CO.

aug. 27-w-tf.

## STATE APPORTIONMENT IS EXPECTED SOON

The school board of the Ballinger Independent District will fix the dates for the opening of the Ballinger schools as soon as the state apportionment is made. In order that they may plan wisely and make definite announcements the board is waiting to get the state apportionment so they may know how much money the school will have for the coming

It will be remembered that the last year was unusually large, but considerable of the amount has not been paid, and the apportioning the state E. E. Smith of the Winters country, returned home Wednesday night from an extended auto trip for the present year.

While the school board has made no announcement it is probable that school will open about the usual time, and the grades to the historic dam. heretofore taught in the central building will be housed in the library and some of the churches until the new building is complet- R. P. CONN. ed. This will work a hardship on some and especially on the faculty, but to wait the completion of about a month late and will make noon. the closing come late in the spring which is not satisfactory to most

of those concerned. The Ledger hopes to be able to make some definite announcement soon.

If you want a Ford car, day or night, phone 305 or 165 and the 9 cent Jitney will come quick. R. P. 26-3d-1w

from the Ballinger mill, for which he had traded small grain. He has plenty of corn for home use, cotton crop is good, which will be wrote: a surplus crop. This is living at home and boarding at the same for stomach trouble and considcessful farmer.

J. B. Soloman of Cleburne, who edy to all stomach sufferers. en route home.

public school this fall.

#### GET RID OF HUMORS AND AVOID SICKNESS

Humors in the blood cause internal derangements that affect the whole system, as well as pimples, boils and other eruptions, and are responsible for the readiness with which many people contract disease.

For forty years Hood's Sarsaparilla has been more successful than any other medicine in expelling numors and removing their inward and outward effects. Get Hood's. Vo other medicine acts like it.

#### VIEWS FROM VALLEY VIEW.

Sunday school was postponed last Sunday on account of preach-School House. Rev. Miles of Abilene began a meeting at that place through this week.

Rev. Gates, the Methodist pasthe trees, and the crowd lingered tor of this place, expects to begin until the last number of the pro- a revival meeting here Wednesday night, September 1. He ha. For the coming Sunday the written elsewhere for help and everyone is cordially invited to

The Baptists have just closed a very successful meeting at this under conviction. We hope that every Christian who reads this souls for the sake of our Maker, who knoweth all things and who watches over us and keeps us from

Miss Grace Taylor has returned home from Talpa.

Mrs. Jim Williams and children of Pine Bluff, Ark., who have been visiting W. A. Esmond of Winters, are visiting i. B. Elliott and family this week.

Guy Taylor left . Tuesday for Wyoming, in company with Raby Padgett.

Jim Davidson, who lived in this community several years ago, intends to return for the coming year. We understand that he has bought the place where Joe Thom-

We had a nice shower Tuesday morning, which was very refresh-

We, of this community, are waging a war on rats. S. A. Gaston reports that they are keeping his tomatoes gathered nicely. We think these rats have emigrated from the warring-regions of Mex-

I. B. Elliott had his sile almost filled Wednesday afternoon.

### RETURNED FROM THE WEST

H. O. Rhodes of the City Barber apportionment from the state Shop, and G. A. Buchanan and ment will probably be a low one to points South and West and while gone visited the great Midena Irrigation Dam, near El Paso. Mr. Rhodes was delighted with the visit and especially the jaunt

> We meet all trains day or night with 9c Jitney. Phone 305 or 165.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Oliver of the Valley Creek country, were shopthe building will throw the school ping in Ballinger Tuesday after-

### ALVARADO MAN RESTORED BY WONDERFUL REMEDY

Gets Appetite and Comfort Back After Taking First Dose.

T. A. Hensley of Alvarado, Texas, suffered for a long time J. H. Hadley, one of the suc- from derangements of the digescessful farmers of the Dry Ridge tive tract. He had colic attacks neighborhood, was in Ballinger and indigestion. His liver was in-Wednesday to get some flour active and he was in pain after

and to fatten his hogs, and his dose it brought swift results. He

place. Mr. Hadley is truly a suc- er it a Godsend to suffering humanity. I have been suffering from stomach troubles for a long Max Zechang and W. S. Wil- time, such as colic attacks, bloatmeth, who live east of Ballinger, ing after eating, sick spells, indipassed through the city Monday gestion, constipation and inacen route home from a business trip to points west.

The points west.

The passed through the enty Monday tive liver and gall stones. Now F do not feel like the same man. I can cheerfully commend this rem-

had been visiting his daughter, Mayr's Wonderful Remedy giv-Mrs. Bob. Gannaway and family es permanent results for stomach of Winters, the past several weeks, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat passed through Ballinger Monday as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pres sure of gas in the stomach and H. J. Stephens of Maverick, around the heart. Get one bottle was in Ballinger Tuesday to look of your druggist now and try it for a residence and will move on an absolute guarantee-if not here to take advantage of our satisfactory money will be returned.

#### RATES FOR

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FOR TRADE-My good bicycle for horse feed either oats or maize. See me or leave word with my papa at the Ledger office. Albert Sledge. 13-3tw

FOR SALE-One Durock Jersey hog, 18 months old. See or phone W. G. Chapman. 1tdwpd

#### WANTED

WANTED-Will pay best possible price for all good dry head maize. See E. L. Rasbury before von sell.

COTTON PICKERS-White family with bale a day force, want house and place to pick. Drop note to B. N. Northam, Ballinger, and I will hunt you up. 20-4w-pd.

#### FOUND

FOUND-A piece of money, owner can get the same by describing it and paying for this notice. Henry Walters.

## COURT TO DETERMINE CUSTODY OF CHILD

Sheriff Perkins returned late Tuesday evening with C. B. Hunt, who was arrested on a warrant, charging him with carrying a pistol, which he displayed while taking from the custody of its mother, the five year old Hunt child; an account of which appeared in this paper Tuesday.

Hunt was arrested at Wingate and held until Sheriff Perkins mission based its findings in the could go for him. When Mr. Per- case. The physicians stated that kins reached Wingate he found the woman had threatened rethat the deputy sheriff who arres- peatedly to do her family bodily ted Hunt had allowed friends to harm, and there was no doubt in take the little boy to their home their minds . "t what she was inat Hylton, and Mr. Perkins had sane. to make the trip to Hylton to get the child.

Hunt was placed in jail where he was held until Wednesday morning and the little boy was returned to his mother for the night. Wednesday morning Hunt made bond and was released, and the child was returned to him, SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS there being no authority for the sheriff taking the child away from him after he gained possession of it. Hunt chartered an Wednesday, after a pleasant visit suto and left for Wingate, where with Mrs. Tampleton, and Mrs. he left the car he was using when Gus DeLoach. he came to Ballinger and kidneped the child and in which he Worth, is visiting her sister, Mrs. was traveling when arrested. He went from Wingate to Sweetwater, where he is making his home

Mrs. Hunt, the mother of the child, employed Doss & Baugh to bring suit for the recovery of the child, and by a writ of habeas corpus proceedings the case will be placed in court and the court will determine after hearing the evidence who should have the child. The case will probably be set for trial within the next ten days or two weeks.

a hard job to take the little boy School. away from his mother when it came time to return him to his that it broke the mother's heart nesday between trains. to give the child up.

country, was among the number and look after business afffairs supplying in Ballinger Monday.

## C'LELLAND GOES TO JOURDANTON

It is impossible to keep Geo. P McLelland on the job as farm demonstrator of Runnels County All the appropriations the commissioners' court or the Business League might make can not keep him here now. He has a boss, and that boss is Uncle Sam. Uncle Sam has given him orders to move his headquarters to Jourdanton, and take up the demonstration work in Atascosa County which has been in progress for several years and which is successful. Mr. McLelland will leave on the first of September.

He stated that he regretted to See D. REEDER, Ballinger 4tw leave this county, and he was anx-BUY OR SELL-Second hand lous to see the Business League furniture and clothing at Hub- carry out its plan of keeping the bard building, 7th street, next to work he had started going. He Moore's blacksmith shop. L. H. said there was little doubt but Wamilton. 27-w4t what the government would continue its appropriation for this county, and a good man could be secured to take the job, "and," said Mr. McLelland, "you can get a better man than I am for the work, and if there is anything I can do to help the cause I will gladly do it.'

While the rollers have been laced under the demonstration work in this county by the action of the commissioners' court, st least until the Business League can renew the plans with Uncie Sam, there are many people in this county who will regret to see Mr McLelland leave here.

The Business League will meet Thusrday afternoon at two o'clock to discuss the work and devise plans for the employing of another man, through the agricultural department of the United States, which is heading this work and making appropriation to car-

## 23-2tdtfw ANOTHER WOMAN SENT TO ASYLUM

Mrs. L. C. Ladell was brought to Ballinger Tuesday in company with her brother and a physician and placed in a local hotel under guard to await the action of the county in passing on her mental condition and determining whether she should be placed in the asylum.

Wednesday afternoon before a commission selected for the purpose, the case was tried and the commission pronounced the woman insane and recommended that she be placed in an asylum for treatment. Sheriff Perkins will leave Thursday for Austin, where he will place the lady in the asylum.

Drs. Tinkle and Middleton were here from Winters to appear before the commission and the evidence furnished by them were the grounds upon which the com-

The insane woman is about twenty-five years old. She has been living with her husband near Winters for several years, and has three children, the oldest about six and the youngest about ONE CENT SALE

Mrs. Roberts and sister, Miss Gotcher of Terrell, returned home

Mrs. G. E. Furgason of Fort J. W. Black, this week.

er's, O. M. Hood.

Belton, visited Mr. and Mrs. J W. Black Sunday.

Winters this week. Mr. and Mrs. Springfield of

Mrs. Lewis Hinde. Rev. T. C. Jester preached for the people in South Ballinger, Mr. Perkins staed that it was Sunday evening, after Sunday

Mr. Lasse, the Rowena banker, father Wednesday morning and had business in Ballinger Wed-

in this section a few days.

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# BIG TRADE EVENT

this city is going one better and sale and profit by saving. Joe Hood and family of Men- is inuagurating the "One Cent" ardville, are visitors at his fath- Sale that promises to be the trade event of the season for this store. Mr. and Mrs. George Cole of The Walker Drug Co. is a mem- route home from a business trip these powders is salicylic acid, ber of the great Rexall chain of to points East. stores, and is one of the seven Mrs. Pink Brown visited in thousand Rexall stores in the Pony creek country, passed thru quently leads to derangement of Sale they are featuring Rexall from a visit to his sister, Mrs. E. from other departments of the phrey country.

Walker Drug Co. store. A page ad appears in this issue of the Ledger announcing the One Cent Sale. By observing the Ballinger Tuesday. prices it will be seen that the customer can buy the second article listed in the big page ad at \$1, H. E. Dickinson of Reagan the second article will be sold for Drug Co. store will have on its linger a few hours.

sunday clothes. The store will be decorated and displays made in ULU WAY UANNING every department that is bound to attract attention and make the sale a success for both the company and the people who patronize it, taking advantage of the Dollar Sales are popular with bargains offered on goods they local merchants and have proven need. The sale will be in progress

through Ballinger at noon en principal ingredient in many of

United States. In this One Cent Ballinger Monday en route home the digestion.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.-With the season of preserving will keep perfectly. Therefore, great trade pullers with those for three days, Friday and Satur- and canning fruit at hand, many there is no excues for running who got in the game and took day of the present week, and housewives who like to put up any risk by using preserving advantage of the publicity given Monday of next week. The trad-their own fruit are urged to use powders. The Department of y the Daily and Weekly Ledger. ing public will do well to check some preserving or canning com- Agriculture has issued many bul-But The Walker Dug Co., of the items they need listed in this pound. The argument is that letins and pamphlets showing this makes the work much easier how to put up fruits and vegeand insures the keeping quality tables and these it will be glad O. Sims of Paint Rock, passed of the food. As it happens, the to supply without cost. which is well known as a poison-Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gray, of the ous substance and which fre-

diseases salicylic acid is useful as ternoon for their home. a medicine when properly admin-G. H. Dierske of the Olfin coun istered but may be a dangerous | Aug. Voglesang, one of the suctry, was transacting business in ingredient in food. Other pow- cessful farmers of the Spring Hill It's better and cheaper than quently sold uder fanciful names while here ordered the Daily Ledof any listed in the sale for one walking if you phone 320 for a 9 at prices much in advance of ger to continue to his address. cent. For instance an article cent Jitney R P. CONN. 26d3w1 their real value. The worst feature about these powders is that, Gus Glass of Rowena, motored while they may prevent the de-W. H. Boozer of the Marie County, came in Tuesday to visit one cent, or the two for \$1.01. over Wednesday afternoon to cay of the fruit or vegetable, they day en route to Coleman to visit For this occasion the Walker look after business affairs in Bal- also encourage uncleanly or care- her brother and family a few less work. In addition, if they days.

are eaten with food in excessive quantities they may very well have a bad effect upon the health The housewife who takes pride in her work, will realize that heat, sugar, and cleanliness are all that she needs to put up excellent fruits and vegetables that

Phone 320, 305, or 165 for Conn's 9 cent Jitney. 26-1d-3w.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hilliard of Rogers, who had been visiting In cases of acute articular their son and family of Winters, Winters, visited their daughter, goods, together with bargains M. Davis and family of the Pum- rheumatism and certain other left from this point Monday af-

> ders and preserving compounds nieghborhood, was transacting bus contain boric acid and are fre- iness in Ballinger Monday and

> > Mrs. H. K. Reid of Winters. passed through Ballinger Tues-

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## COW PUNCHERS IN ANNUAL ROUND-UP

August the 19th found the members of the Ex-Open Cow Punchers' Association of Runnels and adjoining counties in joyful assembly on the banks of the Coyote near the home of Luce Woods, where all joined in rehearsing the many experiences and adventures that went to make up the thrilling and interesting lives of the cow punchers.

The association was organized in 1910, this being the sixth time to come together for one grand

At the business meeting Friday afternoon you would have found the one brotherhood of ex-cow punchers assembled around the cot of W. L. McAuley, who in the long ago began his part as one of the pioneer developers of the great and glorious West Texas; but to day finds him spending the even-0000000000000 ing of life on his cot never too feeble to mingle his voice with those of the other big hearted cow boys. It was here that the choice of president of the association fell upon J. M. Johnson, Sr., of Winters and that C. A. Doose of Ballinger remained their faithful and efficient secretary. All were prompt in the payment of their dues, W. L. McAuley being among the first to respond.

Next meeting will be held at the same favorite spot on Tuesday and Wednesday before the full moon in August, 1916.

Before the evening was gone Thursday, the 19th, a large camp was present ready to render a full program. To hear the "Hello, Bill," "Hello, John," and many of the old familiar names it was an inspiring scene under those stately elms on the bank of this little stream, where the lunar rays came stealing in upon them the same as in days gone by.

About sundown Geo. Millican hollowered, "supper" and it surely was a feast for the Gods, filled with "son of a gun," hot with fire and red hot with pepper And coffee that would float an iron wedge. Barbecue, oh, my! The delicious of which can be accounted for through the ever to be relied upon Ben Smith and Geo. Millican. Including all accessories to make the supper complete in every detail.

The familiar voice of Bill Mathews hollowered, "Get your fiddles," and all enjoyed fully Kemp. dancing the old time dances, but

present with many visitors.

casion was not to be surpassed ters, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. P. Eason ternoon. light bead, pickles, onions, hot Laderwood, Misses Gladys Collins early days' regime call the 'Old there was spread an abundance of Fert Stockton, Stella Bateman ued Mr. Girvin, "was attended by About three o'clock all indulged Dutch John. in a grand old Runnels County watermelon cutting, after which good-byes were said and partings with good wishes and hopes of see ing you again next year for this ever delightful meet.

Members present: Col. J. Parramore, Abilene; Ame Flache, Howard county; Lee Richards, Coke county; Rome Shields, Tom Green; Clint Johnson, Felix Stray horn, Bob Hewett, Lon McGill and family, of Tom Green; Bert Brewer of Taylor county; Will Goode, Bronte; Bill Mathews and family of Coleman county; Willard Moser of Pecos county; and of Runnels county: Ben Parker, Roy Bates, Tad Richards and fam ily, John Clampitt and family, W L. McAuley, J. M. Johnson, Sr. and wife, J. M. Johnsan, Jr., and family, Lee Johnson, Mrs. H. Vanfamily Lee Johnson, Mrs. H. Vandervanter, Henry Vandervanter, and family, Billie Mullins and pleasant to take. Effective and family of Control Color and family of Color and family of Color and pleasant to take. Effective potential Color and family of Color and family of Color and family of Color and family of Color and Positive in results. Chear of Color and family of Color and famil W. W. Scott and wife, D. A. Cameron, Bedford Caperton, W. E. Allen, Joachin Keidel, Alpha and family, W. R. Nunn and family, Mrs. Jo B. Johnson and son, Jo. B., Jr., Price Maddox and family'; Ben Smith and wife, C



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to cap the climax, Tad Richards, Waco, formerly of Ballinger; Ike the inimitable, cutting the "pigeon Hoenig, Mrs. Geo. Mathis, J. H. wing" along with Bill Gee and Routh and family; J. T. Brown Feb McWilliams to the tune "Salor of Winters; Jo Hardin and fam-Besides the delicious barbecue, and children of Winters, D. C.

Special mention that Mr Geo. "We who attended from San much as anybody present.

ed the cow punchers' reunion last ved. week and whose names were overma Eason.

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> points for two months before re- general repairing our specialty. turning home.

# Visitors were: "Dad" Norris of EX-COW PUNCHER

Feb McWilliams to the tune "Sally Johnson" which was beautifully; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Miller "Memories of the 'old days' in ly rendered by the superb artists of Winters; Mrs. Will Benge of Mr. Turner and son of Norton and Jewell Cunningham, of Ballinger.

Feb McWilliams to the tune "Sallog of Winters; Jo Hardin and rainly ly for the will be seen the second Memories of the 'old days' in West Texas were revived at 'Old Runnels,' five miles north of Ballinger. Friday at the 'Old, Cowstern of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for October of the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election for the will be second Monday in each month and ordered an election Mrs. E. C. Moor; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Girvin to a Standard repre-Friday found the families all Jno. Currie; Herman Giesecke, senative soon after he returned Mrs. W. T. Padgett and daughter, with Rome Shield, W. Clint John-The dinner spread for this oc- Miss Hester; Mr. Curry, of Winson and Jenks Blocker Friday af-

coffee, iced tea, and lemonade, Nellie Kipp, Venita Boyd, Odom Cowpuncehrs' Reunion, '"continwomen in the throng.

P. McLelland, the farm demonstra Angelo met up with many of the Passed favorably on \$1,000 W. L. Brown, county treasurer. tor was present for it is an evi- older set of cowmen and their worth of bonds for school district dent fact that he demonstrated wives. A great barbecue dinner No. 38. to the crowd that he could eat as was spread and iced tea and black coffee-black coofee of the kind

> "We made the trip in the new driver and we enjoyed the ride." -San Angelo Standard.

Frank Pearce and Will Gross election held on July 24, 1915. now supplied in well-corked glass returned home last Friday from Allowed respective sums to com with a glass of water before re- terest along the northern Pacific county court. Victoria and Vanco ver.

GO TO-Ballinger Saddlery Young, Uncle Nat Guest, Frank left Sunday afternoon to visit rela ford for Saddles, Harness, etc of court house bonds No. 1, and Stewart and family, Nath Allen tives at Lampasas and will also Complete line of Saddlery goods. visit at Fort Worth' and other and accessories. Shoe work and No. 2, also interest on above E. J. CATHEY, Mgr.

A. Doose and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hinds of Winters; Green Nixon and wife; Mrs. Issae Vancil anl Mr. and Mrs. B. F.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gregory, of Kentucky, came in a few days ago and will visit their daughter, Mrs. J. Authorized issuance of D. Coulter and family.

## COMMISIONERS COURT MAKES AUTO SPEED FINISHES RECENT TERM

hereafter, instead of once each quarter as before. All regular business will be transacted at the monthly meetings except road bus iness wihch will be looked after as before, every three months. Among the business transacted at the last meeting were:

Rented 4428 acres of Runnels of a variety of cakes, Dies and ley and Frank Hawthorn, Mr. and salads that had been prepared by ley and Frank Hawthorn, Mr. and was very noticeable that there of Upton county, situated in Percentage of Upt the ladies to complete the eats. Mrs. Davis of Hatchel, Jap Adams, was very noticeatre that there was County, Texas, for a consideration of \$177.12 per annum and

Ordered by the court that elec- Monday morning from a business tion precinct No. 23, known as trip to points west-Among the number who attend- we used to make in camp, was ser- Pony voting box, be held at Pat

Accepted and approved tax looked in the write up of that oc- car of Rome Shields, and I want rolls for Runnels County as precasion were: Col. D. P. Moser to tell you he is some driver. We pared by Tax Assessor M. C. and wife, H. C. Fletcher, R. W. made the trip from San Angelo to Boyd, for 1915, and directed Tax Gilliam and wife and son Roy Gil- Ballinger in a fraction more than Collector W. T. Padgett to issue liam and J. W. Bigby and Grand- an hour. Rome Shield is a good as Tax Assessor his receipt for same.

> Warrants issued and paid for election clerks, and judges for

bottles, containing 36 sugar coat- an extended trip to the Pacific missioners in the lunacy trial of ed white pills, for 25c. One pill coast. They visited points of in- George Ray, which was held in the

They Allowed warrants for lunacy

missioners, counsel for state and deefnse, and judge. Ordered County Treasurer W. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McWhirter Mfg. Co., successors to T. S. Lank L. Brown to redeem \$1,000 worth \$1,000.00 worth of bridge bonds

> bonds. Approved quarterly report of county depository at Farmers and Merchants State Bank, for quar-

Authorized issuance of \$1,000 worth of bonds in Common School

District No. 38 of Runnels Coun-

Established and created with consent of Coleman County commissioners' Court a "common county line" school district No. 1

er 9, 1915, to be held in this

Allowed Tax Collector W. T. Padgett \$421.80 for compiling the delinquent tax record for Runnels County.

Ordered County Treasurer W. L. Brown to transfer the sum of County school land to I. G. Yates \$4500.00 from special fund to Let contract for coal to Arctic

Ice and Fuel Co., for Sugarite coal, at \$7.35 per ton. Approved quarterly report of

C. B. Armstrong returned home



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TWO MEN KILLED IN COLE-MAN LAST NIGHT

(Continued from First Page.)

to the officers the names of a number of parties who he caught gambling. In the party reported were several brothers by the name of Dillingham. The Dillinghams swore vengeance against Curry and threatened his life. oped into a feud between the Curry family and the Dillingham thowing the boiling liquid over family, and resulted in a shooting the face and body of the negro-Tuesday night in which Curry shot and instantly killed Abe Dillingham, fatally wounding Everatt Dillingham and seriously parts of the body dressed. While wounding of the third Dillingham brother, Curry using an auto- fatal. matic pistol.

Curry went to Coleman and su rendered to the officers. The gentlemen who went to Curry's aid from here Wednesday afterneon stated that Curry was not considered a quarrelsome man and stood well in his community, and they felt sure that the trouble had been forced upon him. Relatives from this county recently visited the Curry home, and on their return they brought the news that Curry's life had been serious difficulty.

The relatives of Curry in this county are numbered among the best people in the county and they have the sympathy of their been brought about by this trag-

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## NEGRO WOMAN IS

PAINFULLY BURNED

Lucille, a negro woman, was badly scalded while at work in the kitchen at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Douglass Monday at noon. The woman was about her This lead to bad feeling and devel- work around the stove when a boil er containing a sauce exploded

Fortunately Dr. Douglass was at home and the negro was given prompt attention, and the scalded the burns are bad ones, it is not thought the accident will prove

RASBURY. before you sell

PASSED THROUGH

returned last Friday from a visit Hunt pulled a pistol and threatento their old home in the pine ed to kill the women. The women ered the sterm that swept the Gulf pounds, the women could not over coast. Mr. Greenwell stated that come the man and he released trees were blown across the track himself from their grapple and and the trains were delayed un- grabbing the little boy made his til the wreckage could be cleared get away with the child. friends in the trouble that has away. As souvenirs Mr. Greenwell brought back same large pine burs of the long leaf pine grown

John Landers, of the Wingate country, passed through Ballin-man and to arrest him, and it is ger Sunday en route to Temple, probable the man will be appre-Misses Ila Hurley and Syble where he will join his uncle D. V. Mosely returned to Ballinger Mon Severe, of Alabama and after a day from Cisco and other points short visit over the state, they will napped by Hunt this morning in the state where they had been return to Runnels County, where there is a girl baby one-year-old assisting in meetings the past two Mr. Severe will visit for some Hunt made no attempt to take

DISPLAYS PISTOL IN KID-NAPING LITTLE BOY.

(Continued from first page.)

Abilene for four years, and were separated last June, the relation - In a collision with a bicycle y decided to come to Runnels his place of business. county and make her home with a y, and since coming here had

GULF STORM. The women protested, and made well as could be expected. an effort to resist the attempt of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Greenwell Hunt to take the child, when

Hunt came to Ballinger alone, traveling in a runabout auto. After securing the child he depart in Louisana and along the Texas ed towards Sweetwater. Sheriff Perkins got busy and phoned to his deputies over the county, notihended before this is in print.

Besides the boy who was kidthe girl, and seemed to only want the boy. The boy was sick when taken from the Jones home by Hunt, the mother stating that she had the doctor with the child Sunda ynight.

Take Notice.

My mare is for sale and throw in the buggy and harness, etc. Her breeding and condition can not be surpassed in this country. Don't delay if you want a chanve. GEO. P. McLELLAND, Agt. 25-d3t-w1t.

a very pleasant one.

## STRUCK BY BICYCLE SERIOUSLY INJURED

between them becoming such that about nine o'clock Monday monthey could not get along together. ing E. A. Jeanes suffered painful Mrs. Hunt went to the home of her injuries and it will probably be mother in Galveston. She recent-several days before he can be at ton to confer with President Wil-

brother who resides in this coun- Jeanes was going from his store to Carrick is a great booster for Balhis home for the purpose of get- linger, and points out Ballinger as been stopping with her sister Mrs.
Jones.

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The purpose of getting his auto to make a trip to the country. He was going up the sidewalk in front of the home of Dr. Carrick visited the best of Dr. Carrick visited the best of the purpose of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the purpose of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the purpose of getting his auto to make a trip to the one of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the most progressive and prettiest little eities in Texas, and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the most progressive and Dr. Carrick visited the best of the most progressive and Dr. Carrick visited the most progressive and Dr. Carrick after Mrs. Hunt left that city, he F. C. Miller's when Collis Doose them during his work of conductnot being aware that she had left coming to town on a bicycle ran ing the clean town campaign in there. He made threats against into him. Both parties turned the this state. the family of Mrs Hunt, according same way and coming down hill to the account of the trouble as at a pretty rapid speed made it related to the officers by Mrs. impossible for the young man on Will pay best possible price for Hunt. Tuesday morning he ap- the wheel to stop his bicycle in SHARP'S WINDOW all good dry head maize. See E. peared at the Jones home in this time to avoid the collision. Mr. city in a two-passenger Buick Jeanes was picked up and carried auto. He entered the home and informed Mrs. Jones and Mrs. tention of a physician and this af-Hunt that he came after his boy ternoon he is reported resting as

#### PROSPEROUS FARMER.

his grainery, he also sold 1600 ing and an accompanying descripbushels of wheat and his maize tion of the award in a letter. his farm count each year.

Wanted.

all good dry head maize. See E. were guided by no bias or pre-23-2td tfw

SAY SCROPS SHORTER THAN LAST YEAR.

John McNeil, who owns one of the cotton crop as a whole in this points. L. L. Walker of the Spring Hill county is as good as it was last neighborhood, passed through Bal year, and the maize crop is not as linger Monday at noon en route heavy as last year, while the acrehome from a visit to relatives at age planted in maize is greater. Brenham and Wolfe City. Mr. However the crops are so good the Walker met a brother he had not people are well satisfied, and the seen in 30 years and his visit was country is in better shape than it has been in a long time.

U. P. Melton who returned from market Monday, where he bought goods for his store, says that he found a real live Ballinger booster while on the trip, Mr. Melton met up with Dr. Carrick of clean town fame, while on the train. Dr. Carrick was en route to Washing-The accident occurred when Mr. ters. Mr. Melton states that Dr. son concerning some sanitary mat-

# WINS 4TH PLACE

Welch's Grape Juice Co., may have suffered a temporary set back by the recent order of Sec-Mr. and Mrs. R. Gotschalk, of the Bryan-endorsed drink, but noon. ipating trouble, but was in hope that it would be settle without the visited at different points, and take it from Hunt, but being a shopping in Ballinger Monday pany's big window decorating and Mr. Cett different points, and take it from Hunt, but being a shopping in Ballinger Monday pany's big window decorating and Mr. Cett different points, and take it from Hunt, but being a shopping in Ballinger Monday pany's big window decorating and Mr. Cett different points, and take it from Hunt, but being a shopping in Ballinger Monday pany's big window decorating and Mr. Cett different points, and take it from Hunt, but being a shopping in Ballinger Monday pany's big window decorating and Mr. Cett different points. delighted with the results of his sand windows entered in the cansmall grain crops and feed stuff Paign, a window designed by Roy and his cotton crop is still good, Sharp of the Higginbotnam-Currie though beginning to need rain Aliams Co., ct the place won again. He sold 2,000 bushels of fourth prize. Mr. Sharp received oats and still has 3,000 bushels in a check for his win Monday morn-

> will turn out 50 to 60 bushels to Covering the whole United the acre and his corn 30 bushels States with an enormous contest, to the acre. He had just paid off the Welch company received many his last land note and still has striking and artistic photographs, money in the bank. This is a and Mr. Sharp is very fortunate pretty good showing for a small to win even fourth prize. N. W. farmer, but Mr. Gotschalk is a Ayer & Son, who judged the conrustler and makes every acre on test are reputed the leading advertising and sales experts of the world, with thousands of inches of advertising in American newspa-Will pay best possible price for pers and periodicals. These judges RASBURY. before you sell judice, and awarded their findngs on merit only.

> > Mr. Sharp has won many such contests but never one of so far reaching and beneficial results.

Tom Grace of Dallas, came in the best farms in Runnels County, Sunday to join his wife here on a located on Valley creek west of visit to relatives and friends and Winters, was here Monday attend- will visit a few days here and ing the county school trustee meet look after business for his coming. Mr. McNeil does not think pany before going to other

> Howard Witt, of the Norton country, was transacting business in Ballinger Tuesday.

Prof. Wells and party of friends of Miles, were among the visitors in Ballinger Monday.

## LINGER BOOSTER FEDERATED SOCIETY MEET NEXT MONDAY

The program committee for the Federated Church Societies of Bal linger have announced the program for the regular meeting to be held Monday, Aug. 30th. This is a society of all the different societies of the various churches in Ballinger and the meeting is held at the Eighth Street Presbyterian church, and will be called to order at four o'clock.

Following is the pogram: Hymn No. 305. Devotional Exercise.

Business Meeting. Instrumental solo-Mrs. H. H. Life of Fanny J. Crossby-Mrs

Crosby Hymn,

Six Famous Hymns-Mrs. B. C. Solo-Mrs. H. H. Thomson.

Mrs. Lon McGill and baby, of San Angelo, who had been visiting Ballinger friends the past week, retary Lansing in changing from returned home Wednesday at



What Are They Saying?

What would you say if you had received such a chest of

For the most clever answer in fifty words or less, to this question we offer a chest of



snown in our window today. See there, also, conditions of the contest which closes October 30th.

The winner will be chosen by the Alvin Mfg. Co. Come, look and try.

Jas. E. Brewer Jeweler and Optometrist.

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