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CHIEF M'MILLAN IS SHOT BY WOMAN

Chief of Police W. L. McMillan, 39, with a severed spinal cord at the back of his neck, was fighting bravely for life this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock although he had lapsed into unconsciousness with the end near, physicians believed.

Mr. McMillan was wounded early Tuesday morning at a house in the western part of the city by Mrs. L. P. Payne, 31, wife of an employee in a local cafe. The officer has been unconscious at various times since he was wounded and it was thought Tuesday afternoon that he would not survive through the night.

Physicians expressed doubt as to whether he would live through Wednesday night.

Mr. McMillan has a wife, five daughters and one son. They have been at his bedside since early Tuesday morning.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. McMillan, live in Ballinger. Mr. McMillan has three sisters: Mrs. C. B. Mannings, of Abilene, who is here; Mrs. T. D. Commander, San Angelo; Mrs. Frank Willaey, Waggoner, Okla.; and four brothers, Claud, of Houston; Eddie, of Cleburne, who is here; Ray, of Franklin; and Roy, of DeKalb.

Grand Jury to Probe Case
County Attorney C. P. Shepherd said Wednesday afternoon that the testimony that he, District Attorney Walter U. Early and Sheriff R. E. McWilliams took Tuesday would be presented to the grand jury and that Mrs. Payne would also be asked to appear before that body. It was not known then, however, just when this investigation would be started.

The officers also have a statement made by Chief McMillan Tuesday morning in the hospital but will not make it public until after the grand jury investigation.

Mrs. Payne's Story
"I knew who I was shooting and I intended to kill him," Mrs. L. P. Payne, 31, wife of L. P. Payne, an employee in a local cafe, told a reporter for The Ledger Tuesday evening in an interview granted at a home where she was staying after the shooting here early Tuesday morning of Chief of Police W. L. McMillan.

"I told him about two weeks ago that if he ever came back I would kill him. I would not have fired the shots if I had not made that statement," Mrs. Payne was calm and composed as she talked.

Commencing with details of Monday morning when she came to town in response to a telephone message from her husband, who was at work, Mrs. Payne told of the happenings of the day.

"I was called over to Mrs. D. A. Cameron's, my neighbor, to talk with my husband. He wanted me to come to the cafe and bring a money order that we were to send off and also to come by Mr. Halloburton's, a man who had been picking cotton for us, and tell him that we would gather some more cotton Tuesday.

"I went down Eighth Street, direct from my home with a neighbor's boy and then down Hutchings Avenue to the cafe. I did not even see Mr. McMillan at anytime during Monday. The first thing I knew of his visit was when he answered, 'It is Willard,' when I asked who it was coming to my house from the back at 12:45 o'clock. He stopped at the window and after a few words, I fired through the screen and then pushed the screen open and fired again. I do not know which of the two shots struck him in the neck.

"I then went to Mr. Cameron's and called my husband and told him that I had just shot a man. He said, 'My God! Who?' I replied 'McMillan.'

"Mr. Payne came out in a few minutes with Mr. Arthur Doose. He (Mr. Doose) then went after

Sheriff McWilliams and in a few minutes several of the neighboring people came up where we were standing in front of the house. We never went around to where Mr. McMillan was until the officers arrived. Mitchell Moore arrived and went after Dr. F. M. Hale, who was the first physician there. Then the ambulance came and took Mr. McMillan to the hospital.

"We have lived here only two years and on the McMillan farm about 4 1/2 miles up the Country Club road. Mr. McMillan never made any advances toward me until after we moved to the city on September 16, this year. The reason we moved was because the crop was short and I was almost broken down in my health working in the field since we came to this country. We wanted the two little girls to go to school and we could not very well send them from such a distance in the country. Mr. Payne also could make more money working here in town than he could at the farm.

"The second trip Mr. McMillan made to our house was about 10 o'clock at night some two weeks ago, after my husband had gone to work. Mr. Payne was then working from 9 o'clock until in the morning. He (McMillan) told me that he liked me and that if I would be good to him he would make it easy for my husband. I told him that he should not say that, because he had a sweet wife and I loved her. He then told me that my husband had been untrue to me and that his wife had been untrue to him. That was his last trip until last night. I told him at that time if he ever came back I would kill him.

"I never have had a conversation over the telephone with Mr. McMillan, except only when I would call to talk with Mrs. McMillan and he would answer the telephone. He would call for his wife to come to the phone then. We never had any conversation over the phone. It has been more than two months since he answered the phone when I would call his wife to talk with her.

"I have been living with Mr. Payne for almost 12 years and we have never had any trouble. I have had the utmost confidence in him and I still believe he has been true to me.

"Mr. Payne and Mr. McMillan have never had any serious arguments. They disagreed on several things while Mr. Payne farmed the McMillan place on the halves but they never amounted to anything."

Mrs. Payne declared that neither she nor her husband had ever been in any kind of trouble before. They were born and raised in Bell county where they were married several years ago, and moved to Runnels county from Temple only two years ago. Mr. Payne said he had known Mr. McMillan for 24 years and that they courted girls together in Bell county when N. W. McMillan, Chief McMillan's father, and the boys lived there. Mrs. Payne has known the family only two years, she said.

"I started to tell Mrs. McMil-

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TWO NEW WELLS TO BE STARTED SOON

Announcement was made here Tuesday that the Empire Oil & Gas Company and Bert H. Collins were moving onto their location four miles north of Ballinger, in preparing to spud a test well on a 1,200-acre block, obtained through the efforts of Thos. C. Hall, of Temple, who owns a farm just north of Ballinger, and who placed quite a bit of his acreage in the block.

This location is on the E. T. R. R. Co. survey, section No. 147, the C. C. Gray farm, in the south central portion. Drilling is expected to be started within the next few days.

Gibson & Johnson, Abilene operators, also are preparing to spud on the Elisha Mather survey, north of the Farnsworth, Kennedy et al Tally No. 1, which was reported to have a fishing job at about 725 feet.

Gibson & Johnson have made a location but the name of the farm on which this well is to be drilled was not learned here.

Sillix Well Holds Up
The Sillix et al McMillan No. 1 continues to flow from 125 to 135 barrels daily from 2,545 feet, and oil shipments are being made regularly from Benoit, six miles east of Ballinger.

No new contracts or locations have been made in the immediate vicinity of this well.

May Well at 525 Feet
The May-Schneider No. 1, three miles east of Ballinger, is drilling in blue shale at 525 feet. No trouble has been encountered in the new hole.

The Miles Oil Co. Lawhon & Sons No. 1, 2 3/4 miles northwest of Miles is drilling past 1,800 feet. No trouble has been encountered in this well recently.

Noble et al Simms No. 1, ten miles south of Ballinger, is underreaming 400 feet from 2,370 to 2,770. The hole was reported to be full of black water and the well was closed down for several days.

The Alworth-Swensendale No.

1 Werner, near Benoit, is past the 800-foot mark and drilling.

WOODWARD ILL; RETURNS HOME

District Judge J. O. Woodward returned to his home at Coleman Wednesday morning after spending two days here holding court. Judge Woodward complained of being ill Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning decided that he would return to his home until he recovered. While not dangerously ill the judge will remain at his home until he becomes able to transact regular court business again.

District Judge J. F. Sutton, of San Angelo, was called to Ballinger and was to take charge of the court either Wednesday afternoon or Thursday morning, and continue the civil jury case commenced by Judge Woodward Tuesday afternoon.

This case, Mrs. M. E. Mitchell vs. G. W. Ash et al, was started Tuesday. A jury was selected and some testimony was taken in the case. Mrs. Mitchell is asking for damages from Ash and others in some transactions involving property in the northern part of the county.

Crager & Dickey, of Ballinger, are attorneys for Mrs. Mitchell, while Critz & Woodward, of Coleman, are representing the defendants.

Four divorcees have been granted to date since the opening of court here Monday.

The grand jury empanelled Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock has been at work continuously since that time and it is reported that it has considerable work yet to do. E. Shepperd, of this city, is foreman of the grand jury.

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PETITIONS ASK JUDGE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT

Judge J. O. Woodward of the 35th district court, Monday afternoon handed the October grand jury which he empaneled at 2 o'clock, four petitions signed by some 200 citizens of this county, asking for better law enforcement and especially enforcement of the prohibition laws. One of these petitions came from Winters. The places the other three were from was not learned.

E. Shepperd, local insurance agent, was made foreman of the grand jury. Other members are as follows: L. M. Bales, Hatchel, D. Oliver, Ballinger; H. H. Schiller, Rowena; O. M. Droll, Rowena; J. W. Bright, Novice; B. M. Batts, Ballinger; J. E. Gentry, Marie; C. S. Coleman, Miles; Lanham Brown, Winters; P. M. Davis, Winters; and J. W. Bigby, Ballinger.

Judge Woodward went briefly over the report handed him for

the grand jury by County Attorney Shepherd. The judge dwelt for a short time on each of the criminal violations brought to his attention.

Immediately after the grand jury had received final orders its work was commenced with bailiffs being named.

Judge Woodward then ordered Sheriff R. E. McWilliams to call the civil jury list. This list of jurors was dismissed Monday after they had been sworn, with orders to return to the court house at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

H. B. O'Kelly left Wednesday morning for Childress, where he will spend several days buying cotton.

Lloyd Herring, of San Angelo, was in Ballinger Wednesday morning looking after business.

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S.S.S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

Children of Ranges Grow Up in Saddles, Ride Like Veterans



Youngsters in the Southwest learn to ride as soon as they learn to walk, and are helping on the range long before they reach their teens. The two maids above are members of a feminine polo team at San Angelo, Texas, made up of girls who have been riding since childhood. Below is young Joe Stocks of San Angelo, a horseman at the age of three.

STAMFORD, Oct. 20.—The qualities which made for pioneer hardihood are being bred into the bones of the younger generation of the range country.

Children begin at kindergarten age-out here to learn self-reliance by being allowed to take part in their riding horses and doing the work of the range with the cocksureness of their elders.

Recently Roy Spires, Jr., 5 years old, was helping his father load 20 cars of cattle at Maryneal. The horse that the diminutive rider was astride heard the puff of a train and wheeled suddenly only to see another train and whirl again. Roy jr. was dumped unceremoniously on the ground. It was a hard fall, but he climbed back on his mount and continued working with no work to his father.

The lad has been riding since he was three, and his nine-year-old sister works cattle like a seasoned hand. "She has a lot of sense about cattle" her father says.

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11TH PROGRAM BEING MADE

A committee to arrange an Armistice Day program met Thursday afternoon and started the ball rolling toward presenting an all-day program in Ballinger on November 11th.

Plans completed so far call for a ten o'clock service at one of the local churches, to close at 11 o'clock with a silent prayer in tribute to the dead of the World War. At 2 o'clock on Hutelings Avenue in front of the court house lawn a big water fight will be staged, similar to that seen during the recent Rannels County Fair. A bucket is suspended in the middle of a wire strung high over the street and each team tries to send the bucket to the other end of the wire with a stream of water. The Miles fire department will meet the Winters fire department in the first fight and immediately following the Ballinger company will meet the winner of the first fight.

After the water battle a parade will be formed consisting of ex-service men from Rannels and surrounding counties, the National Guard unit, the four classes of the local high school, the Brady football fans and the local pep squad.

The Pat Williams Post of the American Legion has been given one of the war trophies that are being distributed from Camp Mabry. This trophy is a six-inch Howitzer (cannon), and an effort is being made to get the gun here to head the Armistice Day parade. If the Legionnaires can finance the freight charges, which will amount to about \$75, the gun will be here in time for the celebration.

After proceeding through the principal downtown streets the parade will move on to Fair Park where the football game between the Ballinger and Brady high school teams will be played at 3:30 o'clock. This game is an annual affair and the Ballinger team has a grudge to even this year against the mighty Brady eleven.

At night the American Legion will hold open house and present a program in the auditorium for all American Legion men and their families.

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Weeks Drug Store

Friends of Miss Coral Clark, formerly a teacher in the city schools, more recently a missionary in the Orient, have received word that she underwent a major operation in New York city Thursday. Miss Clark had been suffering with her eyes and it was decided that an operation would be performed. Only one of her eyes was operated on and if the operation is successful the other member will undergo the same treatment.



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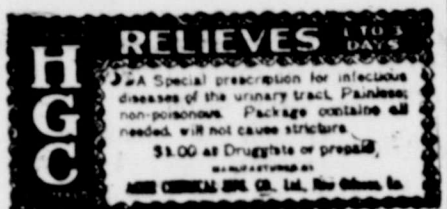
WOMAN HURT IN JUMP FROM CAR

Mrs. S. A. McCray, 407 Strong Avenue, was badly but not seriously hurt, Friday morning about 8 o'clock when she jumped from an automobile in motion while en route to her sister's home which she believed to be on fire.

According to information obtained at this office, when the fire alarm was sounded Friday morning Mrs. McCray was told that her sister's home was burning. She went out to the street and hailed a group of children en route to school in a car and asked them to take her to the fire. She refused to get inside the machine and was riding on the running board. When the auto arrived near the scene of the supposed fire Mrs. McCray did not wait for the car to stop, but jumped from it, falling and receiving bad lacerations about the head, severe bruises, contusion of the breast and two broken ribs.

She was rushed to the Halley & Love Sanitarium in a King-Holt ambulance and given treatment. The lady was reported to be resting very well Friday afternoon, but was still in the hospital.

It is not known where the information came from that Mrs. McCray's sister's home was on fire, as the siren was sounded here for a fire at Miles, eighteen miles west of Ballinger.



Judge J. K. Baker, Coleman attorney, is here looking after legal business. Judge Baker arrived Monday in time for opening of the 35th district court.

District Attorney Walter U. Early, of Brownwood, came in Monday morning for district court here.

FIRE DEPTS. TO STAGE BIG WATER FIGHT

Chief Louis Cohen of the Ballinger fire department, has received a challenge from the Coleman fire department for a water fight to be staged there on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and Chief Cohen has accepted for the local fire fighters.

"We do not know yet who will go from this city," Mr. Cohen said Tuesday afternoon, "but Ballinger will have a good delegation there for the contest."

After the water fight a banquet will be held for the visiting firemen in Coleman that night.

Both these cities have good fire companies and the celebration to be staged should prove very amusing for the crowd in Coleman Thursday afternoon. Chief Cohen urges that everyone make this trip who can get off from

their business. The battle to be staged will be somewhat similar to that put on here during the Rannels County Fair when the Chevrolet caravan visited the city.

ODD CORPORATION FORMED AT MIAMI

MIAMI, Fla., Oct. 24.—A new method of conducting a business has been introduced at Miami, where five brothers have formed a corporation, elected officers and started a treasury, but have not decided what the business will be. One of the members of this odd partnership is H. Froelich, Miami, representative of Southern Dairies.

When the treasury fund has become large enough, the decision will be made by vote as to what business will be favored on. In the meantime, each member submits a monthly suggestion. One brother will draw a salary to manage the new business. The stock each owns will depend on the funds each deposits.

Ed O'Kelly has gone to Roscoe to look after business.

MOTHER!

Look at Child's Tongue if Sick, Cross, Feverish

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

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NOTICE TO BANNER-
LEDGER REPORTERS

Correspondents for The Banner-Ledger in the various communities are requested to mail their items in not later than Tuesday of each week. The weekly paper is printed on Wednesday and we must have your copy before that time if it is to appear that week. All special notices can be written in advance and included in the news from each locality, with little trouble. We ask your co-operation in this and promise to try to give you the best country weekly possible to publish.

The State Highway Department is hauling the crushed rock to the section of the highway from Hatchel to the Runnels-Taylor counties line and work will begin at once to put on the coat of asphalt topping.

The Western Gas Service Company is stringing pipe in a large part of the city and digging ditches in some wards. This company has made no public announcement of their plans but it is expected that they will some time next week.

Paving concerns from all parts of the South are circularizing householders who reside on Broadway and Eighth Street these days. Every concern is trying to influence the citizens in favor of their certain kind of paving material. The people who live on these streets, we understand, want a paving that is absolutely dustless.

Rumors of drilling contracts come from all parts of Runnels county almost every day. Usually when the particulars are asked for they are unobtainable because the block has not been completed and those doing the blocking do not desire publicity until the deal is finished. These rumors, however, do show that interest in oil production is spreading to all parts of the county and that if only a few of the proposed projects go through there will be considerable drilling a little later.

SUNDAY SCHOOL
REPORT

First Christian
Enrollment, 220
Present, 130
New pupils, 5
Visitors, 1
Offering, \$8.66

Baptist
Enrollment, 461
Present, 302
New members, 6
Offering, \$13.72

First Methodist
Enrollment, 326
Present, 227
New members, 4
Offering, \$11.50

8th Street Presbyterian
Enrollment, 210
Present, 169
Offering, \$25.00

First Presbyterian
Enrollment, 128
Present, 103
New members, 4
Visitors, 5
Offering, \$9.61

Substitute for Rosin
FRANKFORT, Germany — A new substitute for the rosin used to waterproof packing and wrapping material is being tried here. It is known as "montacol" and is said to protect paper and cardboard from water or chemical erosion.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Trail and daughter, Miss Frances, have returned from Fort Worth, where they attended the Horned Frog-Aggie football game and visited their son and brother, James Trail, who is a student at Texas A. & M. College.

Judge J. O. Wodoward, of Coleman, came up Monday to open the October term of the 35th district court.

TEXAS COTTON PALACE
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Six High Class Acts Twice Daily
First Week to Be Free.

Waco, Texas—Six big acts, each a headliner and composed of outstanding stars in the amusement world, together with an orchestra of international reputation, will compose the first week Coliseum program of the 1927 Cotton Palace Exposition, at Waco. These acts will be presented matinee and night, beginning October 22 and ending October 30. The exposition closes this year on November 6. This big feature attraction is to be free.

Headlining the first week's coliseum bill will be the Gypsy Strollers, composed of eighteen people, featuring James Y. Lewis, Lee Parks, Harry Morrison, Ruth Parks, Etta Hipp, Louis Lewis and Conrad Hipp, late motion picture star of Universal City. The famous Gypsy Strollers chorus, appearing at every performance, is a feature that helps round out this big act, at once marking it as the most complete and highly entertaining feature presentation ever assembled. The Gypsy Strollers are pleasing alike to mother, father, son and daughter, because they are personable, clever, bright, fascinating performers, with numerous specialties, real voices, wonderful costumes and scenery for every show. The Gypsy Strollers will present a change of program each night.

Twenty-first Century Revue. Ten people, eight men and two girls, all young and clever, will be seen in the Twenty-first Century Revue. This aggregation has taken the best out of jazz, dipped into the classical here and there to show their versatility, and used their best veins of humor in creating an amusement feature which has been characterized as the act that will hold any audience until the last toe has tapped and the final note of music has died away. The spirit of jazz reigns supreme during the time allotted for the appearance on the stage of the Twenty-first Century Revue.

Sixty laughs a minute is what Billy Lorette, famous clown policeman gets from his audience wherever he appears. Lorette, known from coast to coast as the funniest clown policeman ever produced. He is clean, smart, clever, original, witty and entertaining. Alert with jocular sallies, funny antics and a hundred new comical stunts, Billy Lorette keeps his audience in uproarious merriment.

With more tricks than his "bike" has spokes, Will Morris, the cycling comic, will vie with Lorette as the fun maker on the Cotton Palace coliseum program. Morris has been proclaimed the wonder trick cyclist of the world, performing many intricate antics on his "bike" never before witnessed outside the larger show places. "Morris merriment" is irresistible, with an appeal to young and old alike.

Unusual Mystery Act. Men or monkey? That's a question coliseum audiences will have to decide about Nathal, another feature set on this week's bill. Nathal instantaneously changes from feebles plate dress attire to a dozen of the jangles, performing such antics at all angles. Everywhere Nathal has been proclaimed the most mystifying person (or monkey) before the American public today. He is a European product.

The Van De Velde Troupe, featuring a beautiful and accomplished girl, offer a highly entertaining and amusing routine of songs and juggling. Everywhere the Van De Velde Troupe has appeared they have been proclaimed as a company of picture-perfectly costumed musicians, singers and acrobats. New feats of skill and daring are introduced by the Van De Velde company, with a winsome girl as the leader in the fast and furious ten minutes they are on the stage.

The orchestra, composed of many famous musical artists will be heard each afternoon and night during the first week, beginning Sunday night, Oct. 23. The combined show will be presented in the coliseum for seven nights, beginning Oct. 24.

Waco, Texas—Feature days and feature programs will be the rule at the Texas Cotton Palace this year. A show of unusual merit will appear in the coliseum all of the first week, while a new and distinct program will be offered each day and night of the second week.

Jersey Cow Sends Boy to College



Thayne Smith of Tillamook county, Oregon, and the Jersey cow which is piling up a bank account for him. Young Smith will use the money to go to college.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20. — There are 177,980 farm boys and girls in the United States earning their own money every year because they like animals.

The figure is an actual census of 4-H Club members enrolled in livestock enterprises. Advised by extension workers co-operatively employed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and state agricultural colleges, these young stockmen tone a youngster's natural reaction to animals with profitable business methods.

They follow new, improved theories in feeding and management and keep a record of receipts and disbursements which at any moment makes it possible to calculate profit or loss.

Such an embryonic farmer is Thayne Smith of Tillamook county, Oregon. He is a composite example of 4-H Club purpose and practice. His project involves the care of a purebred Jersey cow. Every detail of her existence lies in his ready hands. In return, she is going to send him to college. He deposits the profits from her milk in a bank.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Hubert B. Riehey and Miss Sadie Mae Shuley.
Raymond J. Kellermier and Miss Dora Steinband.
Sherma Sandles and Miss Edna Fancher.
Bitanor Oserna and Miss Ygnacio Buenos.
Guillermo Costello and Miss Juanita Moya.

Mrs. Bell Hollingsworth, of Stephenville, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Lara Hollingsworth and children.

Notice to Producers
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Manager.

HERRING TOPICS

The party at the E. E. Fuller home Wednesday night was well attended and all reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Avent and daughter, Mona, visited relatives at San Angelo this week-end.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Clyde Brevard is on the sick list this week but was reported to be doing fine last heard from.

Mrs. Clyde Brevard entertained her Sunday school class with a "hobo" party Friday night. All reported a nice time.

Miss Lemma Brevard entertained her class with a party at the M. F. Kerby home Saturday night. All reported a nice time.

Ellis Pleze, Earl Todd and Albert Lewis, of San Saba county, visited in the R. E. Todd home this week-end.

The singing at the Hopewell Baptist Church Sunday was well attended and a fine program rendered. Everybody is welcomed back on the next fourth Sunday evening.

Rev. Tierce, of Ballinger, preached at the Hopewell Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening.

W. A. Hale and family visited

their daughter, Mrs. T. C. Payne, and family, of Toke, Sunday.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Miss Katrina Douse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Douse, is resting very well in the Halley & Love Sanitarium following an operation performed today.

Mrs. A. O. Bartlett and little son are reported to be resting very well. They are in the Halley & Love Sanitarium.

Dancing Said to be Best
Way to Good Manners

(International News Service)
LONDON, Oct. 25.—Dancing is the best way to learn good manners according to Dr. William Shuekburgh Swayne, the 63-year-old Bishop of Lincoln.

"Not only are the boys and girls who come for confirmation strikingly handsome," says the bishop, "but they are well-mannered and I am always struck with the seriousness of their demeanor."

"In the old days they were loutish and there was always a tendency to giggle. They don't giggle now. They have gained poise and self-respect."

"I attribute much of the change to the lessons learnt in the dancing class."

Tom Shultz, of Paint Rock, was in Ballinger looking after business Tuesday morning.

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Special Purchase Sale of New Fall Coats Women's Fur Trimmed Coats \$14.88

There is not likely to be an offering similar to this again this season, probable that the conditions under which we obtained these Coats can be made will be worth your while to come in and make your selection while the stock is complete. These come in sizes thirteen to forty-four.

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for the sum of \$1,050. Albritton and wife to J. E. Perry addition to the town plat of Ballinger, September 20, for the sum of \$2,500.

ing and wife to J. E. Perry, 29.2 acres of several surveys, September 24, for the sum of \$16,000.

fields to J. P. Bishop, lots 13 and 26 of the addition to the town plat of Ballinger, September 21, for the sum of \$2,500.

ranham and wife to J. E. Perry, lot 6 of the town plat of Ballinger, September 22, for the sum of \$2,500.

J. Oliver to E. R. Bates, 160 acres of block No. 1, H. T. C. Ry. Co. survey No. 101, September 17, for the sum of \$16,000.

Delamater and wife to J. E. Perry, lots 6 and 7 of block No. 14; lots 1, 2 and 3 of block No. 15; and lot 4 of block No. 16, the Wilke third addition, Ballinger, December 15, for the sum of \$700.

Candle et ux to Ira J. Bates, 5 of block No. 34, of Hat-gust 30, for the sum of \$11,800.

DeVaul et ux to D. A. and J. Ralph Hamilton, Co. 18 of the California and addition to the city of Ballinger, September 17, for the sum of \$500.

Bates and wife to W. B. Bates and C. D. Middleton, lots 1, 2 and 3 of block No. 72, and 265 1-2 of the H. T. & B. R. R. Co. survey No. 177, September 12, for the sum of \$11,800.

Jones et al to Henry M. Jones, lots 3 and 4 of block

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Forty-four Criminal Cases for Grand Jury's Probe

The grand jury of the October term of the 35th district court, which convened Monday afternoon under the direction of Judge J. O. Woodward, and County Attorney C. P. Shepherd presented the body with his regular report. There are 44 felony cases on the criminal docket of the court, according to the report.

Fourteen of these cases are for forgery, 12 for liquor violations, 7 for burglary and theft, 3 for driving a car while intoxicated, 3 felony theft cases, one each for swindling, negligent homicide, and running a gambling resort.

These cases were all filed since February, when the grand jury last met in this county.

The cases are as follows:

Dewey Nelson, driving a car while intoxicated. Out on bond.

Tom Lima, liquor charge. Out on bond.

J. T. Johnson, alias Nelson, burglary. Is in jail.

J. T. Johnson, alias Nelson, theft. In jail.

P. D. Williams, passing a forged instrument. In jail.

P. D. Williams, forgery. In jail.

Ozra Bolding, Raymond Jennings and Walter Gresham, burglary and theft. Gresham and Bolding out on bond; Jennings never been arrested.

B. Loftin, charged with selling whiskey, out on bond.

Rod Williams, possession and transportation of liquor, out on bond.

Wm. Ellisor, manufacture of intoxicants and possession of a still, in jail.

Ralph Matthews, theft, out on bond.

Oscar Nolde, burglary and theft, in jail.

John Ray, swindling, out on bond.

Sherty Hall and Lonnie Mulligan, two cases, burglary and theft. Mulligan is in jail; Hall in federal prison.

W. L. Clark, charged with negligent homicide. Out on bond.

George Thorpe, forgery, out on bond.

Herman Dentler, charged with possession of intoxicants, out on bond.

Tommie Hoffelder, forgery and passing of instrument, out on bond.

Charlie Robers, forgery, out on bond.

Lang Iden, driving a car while intoxicated. Out on bond.

John Moncrief, burglary and theft, out on bond.

Penny Johnson, sale of intoxicating liquors, out on bond.

F. B. Wheddle and L. C. Kimball, charged jointly with possession of a still and manufacturing liquors. Both out on bond.

C. E. (Ed) Hendrix, possession

of intoxicating liquor for purpose of sale. Out on bond.

Lawson Hendrix, 16-year-old son of Ed Hendrix, charged with selling intoxicating liquor. Out on bond.

Van S. Logsdon, driving car while intoxicated, out on bond.

W. M. Shelton, passing forged instrument, in jail.

Olau Currington, forgery, out on bond.

Wm. Shelton, forgery, in jail. Two cases.

Frank Hargis, forgery, in hospital at Christoval.

C. B. Taylor, liquor charge, in jail.

Henry Nobles, possession of intoxicants for purpose of sale, out on bond.

J. C. Amis and G. W. Johnson, running a gaming house, both are in jail.

C. Y. Dixon, automobile theft, out on bond.

George Miller and Mary Head, alias "Dago Mary," burglary and theft, both in jail.

B. C. Mullins and Joe Hopper, forgery, both out on bond.

J. W. Cox, forgery, in jail. Two cases.

H. D. Galbreath, forgery, out on bond.

Clayton Bates, forgery, out on bond. Two cases.

Ed Hendrix, liquor charge, out on bond.

The officers of the Justice and County courts, in working with the county attorney, have tried to handle all misdemeanors that have arisen or that have come to their knowledge, thereby saving the time of the grand jury on this kind of cases," the report stated.

3,100 Bbls. Sillix Oil Is Shipped Out

Approximately 3,100 barrels of 43.8 gravity oil from the Sillix et al McMillan No. 1, six miles north of Ballinger, have been shipped from Benoit by the Humble Pipe Line Company since August 27, the date the well first started flowing.

Seventeen carloads of oil have been loaded and shipped over the Santa Fe from Benoit to Bay City. These cars contained approximately 140,050 gallons of oil.

The Sillix well is still flowing at the rate of approximately 125 barrels daily and an average of three shipments a week are made from the racks at Benoit.

While this well is flowing oil there are five others being drilled in the county, with locations for some ten or twelve others announced but the work not yet commenced.

The May-Schneider No. 1, three miles east of Ballinger, is drilling around 225 feet in shale. This well was started several weeks ago and after going to 275 feet on the first location, the tools were lost and the rig had to be moved.

Noble Oil and Gas Co., et al Simms No. 1, ten miles south of Ballinger, is shut down at 2750 feet with a hole full of black water. Drillers are awaiting a string of casing which will be set in this hole.

Miles Oil Co., Lawhon & Sons

No. 1, 2 3/4 miles northwest of Miles, is setting a string of 10-inch casing to 1,775 feet.

Farnsworth, Kennedy, et al Talley No. 1, ten miles north of Ballinger, is drilling around the 675 foot mark. This well was spudded some two weeks ago and has been making good progress. It is the nearest of any of the wells now drilling to the Sillix producer.

Swensendale-Alworth No. 1, Werner, near Benoit, is drilling around 400 feet in blue shale. This well was closed down for some time pending the connection of a gas-line to the rig. Natural gas is being used there for fuel.

COLORADO COUPLE ARE GRANTED TWO DIVORCES

DENVER, Oct. 24. — When Myrtle Ellen Ferguson and James F. Ferguson, man and wife, obtained final decrees of divorce, one from the other simultaneously last week in Denver, in the county court, William H. Scofield, attorney, who acted as agent for the two, said with a chuckle "they certainly ought to be well divorced now."

The starting of the divorce actions dates back to February, 1924. At that time Mrs. Ferguson obtained a preliminary decree from her husband.

Two years later the husband applied for and obtained a preliminary decree from Mrs. Ferguson.

Last week Mr. Scofield, representing both Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, went into court and obtained final decrees for each of them.

According to an expert, bees have from 4,900 to 13,800 eyes. If seeing is believing, they should have implicit faith in everything. — Louisville Times.

Mrs. Alma Alexander and daughter, Miss Lois, have returned from Dallas and Fort Worth where they attended the Horned Frog-Aggie game and visited with their son and brother, Crees Alexander, who is a student at A. & M. College.

Firearms Inspected
DETROIT—Under a new state law all persons owning firearms must submit them to a safety inspection. They then are given a license. Be wise and advertise.

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DEATH

Eustasio Lalasos
Eustasio Lalasos, 7 year old Mexican boy, died at the home of his parents in Rowena Sunday evening at 9:30 o'clock following a short illness. He was buried in the Rowena cemetery Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with the Catholic priest officiating. Higginbotham Bros. & Co. undertakers were in charge.

Dance

Dance at Offen Amusement Hall, Saturday night, October 29th. Music furnished by Rainbow Orchestra. Everybody welcome. A good time assured. Committee. 27-1td-Itw

Senator W. H. Bledsoe, of Lubbock, has returned to his home after spending several days here on legal business.

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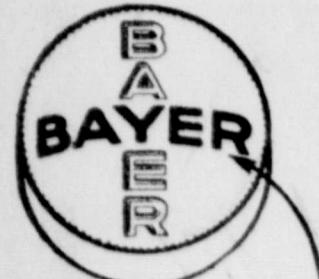
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FIRE RECORD
HERE IS BEST

Chief Louis Cohen of the Ballinger fire department, is elated over a report made this week to the State Fire Insurance Commission by the inspector who visited this city some time ago. This inspector spent two days here going over the fire limits and business district searching for fire hazards and traps, examining the department, the hose, the plugs trucks and everything used in protecting this city from fire.

"Ballinger is in first class shape," Chief Cohen quoted the inspector as saying. "There is only one other town in Texas in as good condition as Ballinger—that is Orange—and it is no better than Ballinger."

The only suggestion that the inspector made for improvement here was that the fire plugs should be painted.

Chief Cohen said that the uniform over the state was yellow fire plugs, to enable a better view of them at night. The Ballinger plugs will be painted in the near future it was stated.

Notice

Will grind and thresh maize every Wednesday at E. T. Branhams Grain Co.

WESSELS BROS.
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500 Year Old Veil

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Miss Jean Gardner, who was married to Stephen Phillips, M. C., wore a medieval wedding dress, with a veil of real lace dating back more than 500 years.

Jno. Q. McAdams, of Winters, left here Monday afternoon for Houston, where he will attend the convention of the American Bankers' Association.

DIAPEPSIN KEEPS
APPETITE YOUNG



If you have to force yourself to eat, and invariably get indigestion, sluggish headaches, and you are losing weight, excessive acidity is ruining your stomach. This excess acid sours your food, turns it into sour bile and foul gases, and you are constantly nervous and upset. Thousands of people credit their good health and young appetite to Pape's Diapepsin. It dissolves the acids and sweetens the stomach so you can eat anything you want. That's why 5 million packages are sold every year. Chew one or two of the tablets after meals, and you will never have indigestion, or be bloated. All drug stores have Pape's Diapepsin.

Fire Loss in Miles Blaze is Near \$3,000

Loss of property valued at approximately \$3,000 was the result of a fire in Miles early Friday morning which destroyed the cotton storage house of the C. Kornegay gin. The fire at times endangered considerable other property but Miles firemen were successful in keeping the blaze from spreading although they failed to save the warehouse.

The Ballinger trucks and a number of local firemen answered the call as soon as it was discovered that the new Miles department did not have enough hose to extend to the fire from the nearest plug. The Miles firemen confined their efforts to saving the main part of the gin.

Ballinger trucks, manned by local fire fighters, made the run to Miles in 22 minutes, arriving there that many ticks after the alarm was sent out. It was at first feared that the fire would spread to adjoining buildings and that considerable property loss would result if additional hose and protection was not obtained immediately. The fire was well under control when the two trucks arrived from Ballinger.

Miles firemen under Chief Joe Bates, first fire chief of Miles, used the new Reo fire truck in fighting the blaze. It was the first time the truck had been used and it proved very satisfactory.

Editor Wm. Tyler of the Miles Messenger, in a telephone conversation with a Ledger reporter, declared that the citizens of Miles appreciated such courtesies and that they were glad to know that they had friends in this county who were willing to help protect their town when such aid was urgent.

Walter C. Woodward, of Coleman, is here attending to legal business.

Jersey Cow Sent BEARCATS LOSE TO B'WOOD TEAM



Thayne Smith of Tillamook who is piling up a bank account which is going to college.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—There are 177,980 farm boys and girls in the United States earning their own money every year.

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Vocal Stunt for Dads

HARTINGTON, Neb.—A "put the baby to sleep" contest is the newest competition at county fairs, taking its place with hog-calling and husband-calling contests. It is limited to fathers, and each must soothe to his own child. At the Cedar County Fair three dads tied for the prize, each gurgling so nicely that their offspring went to sleep in ten minutes.

Two hundred football fans returned to Ballinger Saturday night at 9 o'clock from Brownwood on the special train operated over the Santa Fe after losing the game to the Brownwood team by the score of 20 to 0. The game was a big disappointment to the Ballinger fans as the defeat practically eliminated the team from the Class B race in this district.

Ballinger outweighed the Brownwood team from ten to twelve pounds to the man but the locals didn't have the punch to put over any particular offensive stroke. Fumbles were also costly to the Ballinger team, the locals fumbling at several critical stages of the game with Brownwood taking advantage of the breaks.

Cervenka for the locals was about the only man who could gain ground and several times he ripped off from ten to fifteen yards around the Brownwood ends. Parrish, Beck, Coker and Arthur also made a few gains for a few yards. The locals at most times played fair defensive football but were unable to stop the swift backfield in their sweeping end runs which accounted for two of Brownwood's scores.

The last touchdown came in the fourth quarter when Parrish attempted a forward pass for the locals. A Brownwood man intercepted the pass and ran 65 yards through a broken field for the last score of the game.

It is likely that Coach Wright will give the team a considerable shake-up this week and in the next game new faces will probably appear at new positions. The game Saturday was ragged and uninteresting.

The Ballinger pep squad and the Ballinger Band were on the job and kept things humming until the last down in the game was made.

Between halves something like fifty telegrams from local people were read to the team.

Ledger advertising pays.

Santa Fe Purchases Promote Prosperity

WHILE the Santa Fe is itself a large employer of labor—its payroll in 1926 totalled \$107,000,000, and its employes number more than 75,000—indirectly as a buyer of materials and supplies it helps to furnish employment to many more. Such purchases last year exceeded \$64,000,000. In addition it bought over \$12,000,000 of new cars and locomotives.

Its largest class of material was fuel, which totalled \$24,360,000. This consisted of about 2,267,000 tons of coal, and 507,800,000 gallons of fuel oil. The use of coal or oil on any division is determined primarily by which is the cheaper fuel in that locality.

The second largest class of purchases was iron and steel products, for which the expenditure was approximately \$19,750,000. This included an expenditure of \$9,500,000 for 152,700 tons of rail, frogs, switches, and fastenings. \$1,500,000 went for wheels, axles, and tires, and \$3,060,000 for flues and tubes for locomotives. Bridges, turntables, structural steel, forgings, and fabricated, unfabricated, and pressed steel took nearly \$3,000,000. Steel and iron are basic necessities in railroading.

Purchases of forest products totalled \$6,412,000, which included over 3,000,000 cross ties, and large quantities of lumber and timbers. The Santa Fe creosotes its ties and much of its timbers, otherwise greater quantities would be needed each year.

Folders, report blanks, notices, tickets, tariffs, and various items in the stationery line required \$1,225,000, electrical materials \$660,000, lubricating oil and grease, illuminating oils, waste, etc., \$1,180,000, and air brake material \$617,600.

These purchases were necessary to maintain the railroad properly and to give satisfactory service to the public. They were covered by 130,000 invoices and were made from 3,347 individuals and firms. Note the wide spread of this buying.

Thus the Santa Fe and all railroads are an important factor in maintaining the prosperity of our country through the employment arising from these large purchases of supplies, as well as the millions directly disbursed among their own employes for services.

When the railroads are doing well, they buy materials and supplies on a larger scale than when net revenues fall off. Money thus spent mainly pays for the labor of many persons, helping merchants, farmers, everybody—your own community included. You therefore are vitally interested.

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JACK THOMAS HAS LEFT HAND BURNED IN FIRE

While Jack Thomas, of the Thomas-Edwards garage at Miles, was washing parts of a motor in gasoline Thursday afternoon about 4 o'clock, a passerby tossed a match into the tub filled with gasoline and Thomas received a badly burned left hand. While the hand was severely burned

Thomas was able to be up and about after it was dressed.

Jack Thomas is a brother of Joe and Rufus Thomas of this city.

Mrs. M. H. Watson is reported to be resting very satisfactorily in a hospital at Temple following a serious operation. Her mother, Mrs. Mattie Holliday, and Mr. Watson are at her bedside.

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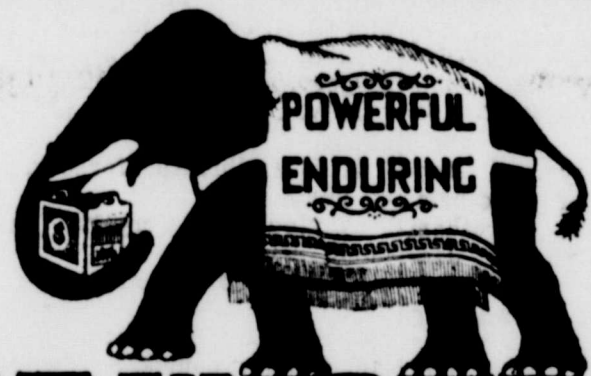
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TRANSFERS

Warranty Deeds

S. E. Powell to J. T. Brown, 62 1/2 acres of the Thos. Green survey No. 497, August 22, 1895, or the sum of \$1,500.

W. F. Street and wife to Willis ones, part of the Thos. Largent survey No. 366, October 22, for the sum of \$1,600.

W. C. Humphreys and wife to First National Bank of Winters et al, one lot of block B of the Murray East End addition to Winters, September 19, for the sum of \$10 and other good and valuable considerations.

N. M. McGuire et ux to Charlie Black, 100 acres of the H. A. Thompson survey No. 2, January 3, for the sum of \$3,500.

L. Daugherty et ux to W. W. Singleton, 30 acres of the M. Fitzpatrick survey No. 492, October 17, for the sum of \$3,300.

Mrs. Fannie Younger et al to Mrs. Henrietta Burrows, lots 8 and 9 of block No. 92 of the First Railroad addition to the city of Ballinger, October 7, for the sum of \$10 and other good and valuable considerations.

W. A. Halamieck et ux to A. D. Palmer, lot 1 of block No. 34, of the original town plat of Hatchel, October 4, for the sum of \$250.

Neita Hines et vir to W. R. Davis, one tract of the Murray addition to Winters, October 14, for the sum of \$500.

M. B. Wardlaw et ux to Roy L. Hill, lot 12 of block No. 6 of College Heights addition to the city of Ballinger, April 12, 1926, for the sum of \$350.

Mrs. Isolda Zappe to L. E. Bair, lot 3 of block No. 5 of the College Heights addition to the city of Ballinger, April 1, 1927, for the sum of \$200.

L. C. Hill and wife to H. G. Nunn, blocks Nos. 64, 65 and 82 of Reed's subdivision to the West End addition to the city of Ballinger, October 3, for the sum of \$1,600.

J. L. King and wife to D. F. Larsen, 203.75 acres of the Domingo Diaz survey No. 532, September 24, for the sum of \$6,112.50.

J. W. Powell to J. M. Tindall, lots 2, 3, 4, 7 and 8 of block No. 1, and lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of block No. 2 of Reeder's addition to the town of Ballinger, October 12, for the sum of \$5.

T. E. Bost to Ethel Bost, 408.72 acres of block No. 8 of the Norvell Travis survey No. 533, October 13, for the sum of \$9,800.

Horace Whitley et ux to W. W. Lancaster, 115 acres of the Burnett county school land survey No. 271, October 5, for the sum of \$2,000.

Mrs. Malinda Jameson to Mrs. Mary R. Evans, one and one-half acres of the E. T. Ry. Co. survey No. 145, October 4, for the sum of \$10.

J. I. Bowden and wife to Hilton Stephenson, 215.25 acres of block No. 61 of the F. Mehrmann survey No. 395, October 14, for the sum of \$5,600.

W. A. Talley and wife to Wm. Dooze, Jr., lots 1 and 9 of block No. 126 of the First Railroad addition to the city of Ballinger, October 5, for the sum of \$250.

Wm. Dooze, Jr., to C. A. Dooze, an undivided half interest in and to lots 1 and 9 of block No. 126 of the First Railroad addition to Ballinger, October 12, for the sum of \$125.

S. J. Mathis and wife to H. G. Switzer, lot 9 of block No. 6 of the College Heights addition to the city of Ballinger, October 12, for the sum of \$500.

Nettie Mills to S. W. Johnson et al, lot 2 of block No. 6 of the original town plat of Miles, October 11, for the sum of \$2,600.

H. J. Dentler to Levi Russell, 8 acres of the John Pappé survey No. 442, October 7, for the sum of \$2,500.

R. E. Cole and wife to R. A. Cramer, 100 acres of the B. W. Taylor survey No. 2, January 1, for the sum of \$7,650.

C. W. Ladwig to Ernest Toplin, lots 4 and 5 of block No. 3 of the Guion addition to the city of Ballinger, October 14, for the sum of \$100.

R. S. Bowden and wife to Frank Strom, 48.55 acres of the Joseph Farwell survey No. 313 and of the Seriana Sandoval survey No. 312, September 23, for the sum of \$3,641.25.

R. R. Field et ux to J. I. Matlock, lots 7, 8 and 9 of block No. 6 of the Sunny Side addition to the city of Ballinger, October 5, for the sum of \$775.

W. H. Ferguson and wife to Robert Ueckert, lot 2 of block No.

\$50.

W. B. Moseley and wife to Mrs. Tennie Allen, one acre of the L. Forsythe survey, October 4, for the sum of \$1,121.61.

Flossie Morgan et al to W. D. Burford, 200.7 acres of the G. W. Denton survey No. 468, August 2, for the sum of \$6,000.

M. A. Kelly et ux to J. W. Tanner, lots 1 and 2 of block No. 4 of the Roberts addition to the city of Winters, September 27, for the sum of \$200 and other good and valuable considerations.

Mrs. Josie Crosby et al to W. D. Burford, 25 acres of the G. W. Denton survey No. 468, July 29, for the sum of \$750.

John G. Schooler et al to Mary R. Evans, 305.25 acres of the E. T. Ry. Co. survey No. 146, October 4, for the sum of \$10 and other good and valuable considerations.

R. E. Cole and wife to J. T. Beard, 160 acres of the Geo. Ross survey No. 543, September 19, for the sum of \$8,000.

E. N. Voss et al to S. D. Childress, lot 3 of block No. 11 of the original town plat of Miles, Oct. 3, for the sum of \$4,000.

Homer C. Daniel and wife to Ada Steele, lot 4 of block No. 10 of the original town plat of Ballinger, September 21, for the sum of \$6,000.

J. W. Powell to Mrs. Ellen C. Nicholson, lots 2, 3, 10, 11 and 12 of block No. 1 of the Reed subdivision of the West End addition to the city of Ballinger, Oct. 6, for the sum of \$300.

J. W. Powell to Earl Baker, lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of block No. 1 of the Reed subdivision of West End addition to the city of Ballinger, October 6, for the sum of \$360.

R. M. McMillan et ux to W. J. Thomas, lot 1 of block No. 92 of the first railroad addition to the city of Ballinger, October 6, for the sum of \$1,750.

Blanche Adelia Farmer et vir to Nettie Mills, lot 2 of block No. 26 of the original town plat of Miles, June 14, 1926, for the sum of \$1,350.

J. C. Cline and wife to Mrs. Ida Smith, lot 5 of block No. 14 of Guion's addition to the city of Ballinger, October 13, for the sum of \$125.

L. E. Bair et ux to R. M. McMillan, lot 5 and part of lot 4 of block No. 114 of the first railroad addition to the city of Ballinger, October 5, for the sum of \$750.

J. M. Bradley to Frank Soules, 240 acres of the B. F. Adams survey No. 325, August 15, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

D. B. Wright and wife to J. F. Ellis, 780 acres of the Walter Converse survey No. 349; 640 acres of the James H. Perry survey No. 346; and 297 1/4 acres of the T. J. Hardeman survey No. 267, September 3, for the sum of \$19,319.

H. H. Hardin et al to C. E. Woodrow, part of block No. 5 of Spill's addition to Winters, April 26, 1913, for the sum of \$1,800.

Barton-Lingo Co. to Hardin & Bateman et al, part of block No. 5 of Spill's addition to Winters, March 20, 1913, for the sum of \$3,529.85.

Nick Doffing to W. D. Donham, all of lot 12 of block No. 8 of College Heights addition to Winters, April 13, for the sum of \$750.

Nick Doffing to W. D. Donham, lot 11 of block No. 8 of the College Heights addition to Winters, April 13, 1926, for the sum of \$1,760.

W. D. Donham et ux to W. J. Yates, lots 11 and 12 of block No. 8 of the College Heights addition to the town of Winters, Oct. 10, for the sum of \$3,000.

A. C. Harrison et ux to K. D. Peterson, lot 13 of block No. 2 of Murray's addition to Winters, October 10, for the sum of \$7,440.

K. D. Peterson et ux to A. C. Harrison, 100 acres of the E. T. Ry. Co. survey No. 123, October 8, for the sum of \$2,118.41.

R. F. Golden to F. F. Moore, lots 5 and 6 of block No. 1 of the Thomas subdivision to block No. 1 of Reeder's addition to the city of Ballinger, October 25, 1913, for the sum of \$30.

R. S. Griggs to R. F. Golden, lots 5 and 6 of block No. 1 of the Thomas subdivision to block No. 1 of Reeder's addition to Ballinger, October 16, 1913, for the sum of \$30.

J. A. Ostertag et ux to Paul Michaelis, lot 7 of block No. 4 of Elm Heights addition to the city of Ballinger, October 15, for the sum of \$100.

H. E. Cathron and wife to T. J. Tabbs, 200 acres in two tracts of the Henry L. Bays survey No.

siderations.

H. F. Demmer and wife to Mrs. Lula Noyes et al, lot 12 of block No. 10 of the original town plat of Ballinger, October 11, for the sum of \$2,500.

W. T. Routh to D. Reeder, one acre of the E. F. Mitchison survey No. 365 3-4, October 13, for the sum of \$50.

Mattie Bean and husband to E. F. Hoch, lots 17 and 18 and lot 4 of block No. 18 of the College Heights addition to the city of Winters, February 26, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

M. S. Patrick et ux to G. W. Powders, lot 9 of Forbus addition to Winters, September 30, for the sum of \$500.

W. H. Rodgers et ux to J. W. Tanner, lots 3 and 4 of block No. 17 of Dale's West addition to Winters, September 30, for the sum of \$300.

C. E. Branham et ux to Bert E. Low, lots 3 and 4 of block No. 1 of the Tinkle addition to Winters, May 2, for the sum of \$1,500.

W. A. Forgey et ux to J. C. Richards et ux, lot 8 of block No. 9 of College Heights addition to the city of Ballinger, September 21, for the sum of \$2,500.

Willis Jones et ux to M. M. Evans, lots 4 and 5 of block No. 2 of Terry's addition to Ballinger, September 30, for the sum of \$3,000.

W. A. Halamieck and wife to Lodge Pokrok, Rowena, No. 49, S. P. J. S. T., of Texas, and lot 10 of block No. 1 of the Jos. Cervenka addition to Rowena, May 12, for the sum of \$200.

E. T. Branham and wife to Jack Nixon, 15 acres of the J. F. Stuart survey No. 60 1-2, and of the E. E. Mitchinson survey No. 365 3-4, September 19, for the sum of \$2,005.

E. T. Branham and wife to Jack Nixon, 10 acres of the J. F. Stuart survey No. 60 1-2, and of the E. E. Mitchinson survey No. 365 3-4, September 19, for the sum of \$1,500.

W. A. Tyson et al to T. A. Duke, lot 6 of block No. 104 of the First Railroad addition to the city of Ballinger, August 15, for the sum of \$2,000.

C. A. Parker to Wm. Gray, six acres of the S. P. Ry. survey No. 13, October 17, 1923, for the sum of \$150.

I. R. Hart and wife to T. R.

tember 20, for the sum of \$1,050.

R. M. Albritton and wife to J. F. Prince, part of block T of the Farmer & Perry addition to Miles, September 20, for the sum of \$1,000.

J. L. King and wife to J. E. Fowler, 169.2 acres of several surveys, September 24, for the sum of \$2,538.

J. M. Fields to J. P. Bishop, blocks Nos. 13 and 26 of the South Ballinger addition to the city of Ballinger, September 21, for the sum of \$2,500.

E. T. Branham and wife to J. H. Wilke, lot of block No. 6 of the original town plat of Ballinger, September 22, for the sum of \$1,000.

Pauline J. Oliver to E. R. Middleton, 160 acres of block No. 24 of the H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, section No. 101, September 16, for the sum of \$16,000.

N. D. Delamater and wife to Mrs. Mattie Delamater, lots 6 and 7 of block No. 14; lots 1, 2 and 3 of block No. 15; and lot 4 of block No. 17 of the Wilke third addition to Ballinger, December 15, 1918, for the sum of \$700.

D. E. Caudle et ux to Ira J. Eley, lot 5 of block No. 34, of Hatchel, August 30, for the sum of \$150.

Solomon DeVaul et ux to D. A. McLeod and J. Ralph Hamilton, block No. 18 of the California Fruit Land addition to the city of Ballinger, September 17, for the sum of \$500.

S. P. Bates and wife to W. B. Dankworth and C. D. Middleton, 29 1-2 acres of the J. H. San Miguel survey No. 72, and 265 1-2 acres of the H. T. & B. R. R. Co. survey No. 177, September 12, for the sum of \$11,800.

V. B. Jones et al to Henry M. Milan et al, lots 3 and 4 of block No. 34 of Hatchel, September 3, for the sum of \$1,000.

some remarkable results in the training of horses and other animals for theatrical performances. He says that not only an animal can have individual and spontaneous thoughts, but that there is little difference between the working of its brain and that of a human being.

Bullet in Brain Kills Woman After 11 Years

LANSING, Mich., Oct. 26.—Mrs. Erma Lake, 26, is dead as a result of a bullet lodging in her brain 11 years ago.

When she was 15 a revolver she was cleaning was discharged and the bullet entered her head, severing an optic nerve and causing total blindness. Surgeons feared an operation would prove fatal and the bullet remained.

pneumonia. A coughing spell freed the bullet, causing it to press against a vital spot. Death followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Winters and son, and Mrs. J. S. Wall, of Brady, spent the week-end in Ballinger with Mr. Winters' sister, Miss Jimmie Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lankford were here from Abilene Monday.

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Turkey Talk

The turkey season is only a few days off, and so far, we are unable to say at what price the market will open. However, we will be ready and will pay the market price whatever that may be. But here is what I want to say—the storage turkeys sold on a differential basis of 10c a pound—hen turkeys bringing 10c a pound less than heavy tom turkeys. We advise selling your hen turkeys, whatever you will have ready for the Thanksgiving market, from the first to the tenth of November. Then not sell any more hen turkeys until December. Then market all the hen turkeys, that will go on the December market, between the first and tenth of December, thus avoiding the cut on hen turkeys. The tom turkeys will take care of themselves.

We are trying to protect the prices paid to the producer, and not hurt the consumer—for we are interested in the produce as much or more than the other two. Call us up for any information that you may wish to know. We will endeavor to give you the best service possible.

Yours very truly,

Ballinger Poultry & Egg Co.
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Specials for Saturday

1000 Texas Grapefruit
Marsh Seedless **90c** Per Dozen

Texas Oranges **45c** Per Doz.

Delicious Apples **60c** Per Doz.
Extra Large—Washington

Fruit Cake Material

Bake your fruit cake now—just received fresh stock of the makings:

Dromedary Dates, per pkg. 22c
White Pineapple Slices, per lb. 63c
Whole Cherries, per lb. 63c
Lemon and Orange Peel, 4-oz. pkg. 14c
Citron, 4-oz. pkg. 22c

New crop Walnuts and Almonds just arrived, also Shelled Pecans in three size containers.

Fleischmann Yeast **4c**

Fresh Shipment of Bulk Chocolates **40c** Per lb.

Lady Alice Coffee ³ lbs **\$1**

Soap Peets ⁴ **19c**
Vegt. cakes

Ralston's New Crop Cereals just arrived.
Whole Wheat Flour—Whole Wheat Cereal

SPUDS, fine stock, special, 15 lbs. **50c**

LETTUCE, large crisp Iceberg, per head **11c**

SLICED BACON, Deceker's, 1-lb. pkg. only **45c**

One Hot Blast Coal Heater, priced right

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FOR SALE—Disc grain drill in good condition, at a bargain. See W. R. White, phone 523, Ballinger. 21-6td-2tw.*

FOR SALE—About 300 White Leghorn hens from the best laying strain to be found in the South. Also one 600-egg Buckeye incubator and three brooder stoves. Must be sold at once. See me for further particulars. W. L. Brown, at court house. 28-2tw

FOR SALE—Two Hampshire brood sows and three nice sow pigs. L. C. Tomlinson. 28-2tw.*

FOR SALE—A good range, suitable for wood or coal, nearly new, a bargain. Apply to B. D. Dunean. 14-1td-2tw.*

LOST—White and liver spotted Birdog bitch. \$10 reward for return or information leading to recovery of this dog. W. W. Parramore, Winters, Texas. 15-2td-2tw.*

FOR SALE—Two hot blast coal heaters in A1 condition. Troy Simpson at Ledger office. 21-2tw

FOR SALE—Gasoline Pressure Tank, good as new, with about fifteen feet of hollow copper wire. Also burners, etc., to attach. Gives heat up to 800 or 900 degrees Fahrenheit. Fine for restaurant, barber shop or other business. We have installed natural gas and don't need this equipment. Also heating stove, good condition, for sale. Ballinger Printing Co., Ballinger. 19-2td-wf.*

FOR SALE—Cole's Hot Blast Heater. We have put in gas and don't need it. Look at it and name your price. Ballinger Printing Co., Ballinger, Texas. 19-2td-wf.*

Chief McMillan is Shot By Woman

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ian about these advances one time," Mrs. Payne said. "I never told my husband, because I thought I could get Mr. McMillan to stop what he was trying to do. There were some neighbors at the McMillans when I went down to tell her about Mr. McMillan so I did not mention it."

"I was not afraid when I shot Mr. McMillan—I was just excited."

Mrs. Payne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Evans, live near Temple. Mr. Evans and Albert Evans, father and brother of Mrs. Payne, arrived here Tuesday night. They were notified of the shooting Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Payne is the mother of two girls, Florene, 10, and Margaret, 7. Both had gone to school when Mrs. Payne came to town Monday morning.

While Chief of Police W. L. McMillan, 39, is lingering at death's door, the result of a shooting shortly after midnight Tuesday, the October grand jury is investigating and will probably return an indictment against Mrs. L. P. Payne, 39, wife of an employee in Moor's Cafe, charging her with the offense.

Mrs. Payne is being detained by Sheriff R. E. McWilliams after she is alleged to have fired the shots which broke Chief McMillan's neck and severed his spinal cord. One bullet, from a .41-calibre Colts, entered the left side of his neck and lodged at the back of his neck, after it cut the cord. The other bullet struck the left side of the officer's coat, did not touch the flesh, and lodged in his inside coat pocket.

District Attorney Walter U. Early, County Attorney C. P. Shepherd and Sheriff R. E. McWilliams made an investigation of the shooting Tuesday morning and the officers went before the grand jury, which is now in ses-

sion here.

According to a statement made by Chief McMillan on his bed in a room at the Halley & Love Sanitarium, he went to the Payne home, known as the old Cockrell place, in the western part of the city, at the request of Mrs. Payne, who told Chief McMillan down town Monday that she and her husband were having further trouble and that she wanted the officer to settle it if he could.

Chief McMillan said he went to the home about 12.30 in a Ford roadster belonging to the Ballinger Auto Company, a car which he had been using for some time. The car was parked on the north side of the house and Chief McMillan entered from the back.

As he came around the north corner of the house, he said, Mrs. Payne called to him and asked who it was. Chief McMillan said he replied "Willard."

"We had a short conversation there," he said, "and she stepped back two or three steps. I also stepped back a couple of feet or more and then the two shots were fired."

Officers did not give details of the conversation which Chief McMillan referred to.

Mrs. Payne then left her home and went to a neighbor's home and called her husband. She told him she had shot a man. Arthur Dooze, local produce dealer, who had just returned from San Angelo, was at the restaurant and took Payne to his home. Sheriff McWilliams was then summoned, and J. M. Moore, a brother-in-law of Chief McMillan and formerly a city officer, was called. Mr. Moore called a King-Holt Co. ambulance and the wounded man was removed to the Halley & Love Sanitarium about 2 o'clock in the morning.

Mrs. Payne declared that she had warned Mr. McMillan that she would kill him if he ever came to her home again after her husband had gone to work, in the statement she made to the county officers.

It was Chief McMillan's third trip to the Payne house, the statement said. The other two trips, both made at night, were about one month and two weeks ago. The first time, Mrs. Payne said, Mr. McMillan talked of selling a calf that belonged to McMillan. The Paynes were then milking one of his cows. She said he made approaches and that she told him not to do that.

The second trip, made about two weeks ago, was the night she notified him, she said, that she would kill him if he came back again. She declared that he made approaches then and that she gave him the fatal warning. She said there was sure to be serious trouble if he came back.

Sheriff McWilliams asked Mrs. Payne if she knew who she was shooting. She replied in the affirmative. He then asked if she intended to kill him.

"I certainly did," she replied. Mrs. Payne was arrested early Tuesday by Sheriff McWilliams, but was not placed in jail. She is being confined to her home.

Mr. Payne made a statement to the officers that he had known Willard McMillan for about 27 years. The Paynes formerly lived on a farm owned by Mr.

McMillan near this city and had been living in Ballinger only since September 16, this year.

Mrs. Payne is the mother of two children, one aged 10 and the other 7.

Chief McMillan has a wife and six children, five girls and one boy. His father and other relatives also live in this county.

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Starting Monday and continuing all week the J. Doug. Morgan Shows will be here in a tent theatre. This is the first visit of the Morgan show to Ballinger. It is highly recommended as a good show with clean productions and big time type vaudeville.

The Morgan show will feature Elizabeth and Charles Morrill in plays that are said to be new. A big feature play will be offered each night with five high class acts of vaudeville between acts.

The cast consists of thirty well trained actors. An eight-piece orchestra will play in the big tent. The capacity of the tent theatre is 1,200 people which is adequate enough to care for a large crowd.

The show will be located on Hutchings Avenue on the show lot. Ladies will be admitted free Monday night when accompanied by male adult with paid admission.

Cotton Jumps \$3 Per Bale

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The price of cotton jumped \$3 per bale here today on publication of the Census Bureau report on ginnings.

The market, however, soon eased off 14 to 19 points on realizing.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Cotton of this year's growth ginned prior to October 18, totalled 8,118,978 running bales, counting 252,978 round bales as half bales and excluding linters, the Census Bureau reported today.

Ginnings to October 18, last year, totalled 8,727,709 bales.

Texas ginnings totalled 2,886,822 bales.

Judge Upton, of San Angelo, has returned to his home after looking after business matters here.

Mrs. Delight Vassin visited in Dallas and Fort Worth over the past week-end and attended the Texas A. & M. U. C. F. football game last Saturday.

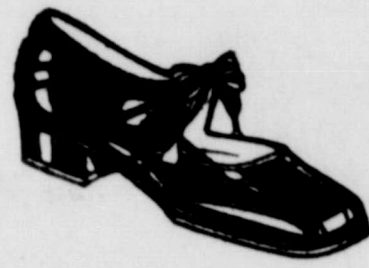
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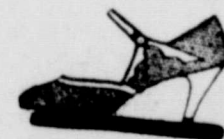
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