## THE BANNER-LEDGER

## Annual Easter Egg Hnnt Water Project Contract Let Begin Municipal Airport; For Kiddies of County To be Ready This Week <br>  Will Come Here <br> Plan County-Wide <br> School Exercises <br> County Council Meet At Wingate Apr. 16 <br> It Brady 11-12 <br> Guard Preparing <br> For Inspection <br> Student Aviator Hoover 0il Plan <br> Killed in Crash Is Threatened <br> School Board is Organized; Lyon Reelected for 3 Years



Supplementing the Cotton Crop


The Winters State Bank

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There is a difference in dollars. There is the "tramp" dollar-the dollar spent with chain stores. Then there is the home dollar with its home circulation - home benefits, home profits.
Though both of these dollars are marked One Hundred Cents, the home dollar continues to multiply itself at home for here community interests are mutual. The success of this City contributes to the success of everybody in it. A prosperous city and county rests on individual prosperity.
Not so with the "Tramp" dollar once spent it is gone forever.
The advantage to you of spending your dollar with a home owned store is greater than the tramp dollar can possibly buy if it bought you one hundred cents' worth-which it cannot possibly do, because the chain stores must make a profit and send it on to Wall Street, where it shall never return.
(There is a big truth in this worth your serious thought)

## DO YOU KNOW THAT IT DEPENDS ON YOU MOTHERS IF YOUR BOY HAS A CHANCE

Every dollar you spend in helping your independent dealer in his fight for maintaining American ideals in business will help your sons future. Every penny you spend chern the meca of the world for so many year Keep independence in business at all costs, but strange as it may seem, it will cost you nothing if you will only about face and trade only with home owned stores.

## OONT SPEND YOUR MONEY WHERE II NEVER RETURNS

Join the mothers who are proud of their sons, and who want them to have a real chance in the years to come. It really costs no more to trade with independent mer chants, outside of the few articles used at bait, in ad
vertising you buy just as economically in and well man aged home owned store today.

## IF YOU HAVE BEEN LURED AWAY BY BIG PROMISES RETURN TO THE HOME OWNED STORE

Bankers tell us chain store accounts are of little value to them because the balance is checked out almost daily and sent to New York. Why not spend your money with those merchants who had "spunk" enough, to start their own business, and Americanism enough to fight the competition of big interests and meet them
on their own terms and beat them. You owe it to yourself, your children, your neighbor's children and your city and county, to wake up and stop this menace that overshadows your city and county and the many cities of the United States.

MR. GOOD CITIZEN Should you support any busine ss whose object and purpose is to accumulate the weal th of our community and transfer it some

## foreign point from which it can never return to benefit either you or your community?

Let's Continue to Build Our Community -- Not Ruin It!

## Super Service

## BRING US YOUR EGGS

## We will pay 21c a dozen

 for them in trade
## BANANAS BANANAS

While You Step in the
Post Office
Have Your Car Serviced
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Greenwood Service Station

Washing and Greasing
Service
Phone 666
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## Colds Checked 26 Wicks



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##  Did Any Good" ${ }^{\text {" }}$

Fire Truck Accepted; Visitors Praise Progress The Ballinger city Commission address of welcome. Mr. Baxter
officially accepted the new Amer- declared he knew he was welcome

Many People Hear County Singers


## Almays use best oil- <br> say expert mechanics 

A Message from-..

## BALLINGER BANKERS

to the

# Farmers of Runnels County 

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## South's Cotton Income

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Texas Alone Lost $\$ 300,000,000$ on the Record Crop of 1926

Texas Can Not Afford to Lose $\mathbf{\$ 3 0 0}, 000,000$ Again This Year

ret Texas is the key to the cotton situation. It does not matter

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Unless some change is made in our farming operations, the day is coming when the banks will be unable to safely advance money to finance production of cotton alone

> FARMERS \& MERCHANTS BANK FIRST NATIONAL BANK BALLINGER STATE BANK


Content news We are still hoping for rain. It

Jacquetta Jenkins.
Miss Blanche Johnson is teacher
of this department.
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 The New Style goodyear Buithandes

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| $30 \times 4.50 \$ 6.90$ | $30 \times 5.25 \$ 10.80$ |

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