

The following transfers of pro-McAdams to Bradshaw, and from perty have been filed the past there they were carried to the week: Dewey School House cemetery and

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W. A. Schumann et al to Jos. F laid to rest. All business at the Kohutek, lots 13 and 14 in block courthouse was in a way suspend-7 in the town of Rowena, consided for the day, and the county eration \$850. officers accompanied the remains

W. H. Avery et ux to Otto Cor- of this good man, and did what hu tez, lot 6 in block 1, Phillips ad- man hands could towards making dition to Winters, consideration, the burden light for the sorrow-\$100.

J. E. Smith et ux to Jas. M. Ballinger were J. N. Adams, J. P. Smith lot 12 in block 9, College Flynt, W. L. Brown, C. N. Craft, View Heights to Winters, consid- Feb McWilliams, W. M. Adams, eration \$100.

G. T. Avery to Carl Gerrarde, P. Shepherd and O. L. Parish, and lots 1 and 2 in block 6, Elm a number joined the funeral par-Heights Addition to Ballinger, ty at Winters. consideration \$1000.

R. P. Conn et ux to J. R. Crayton, 344 3-10 acres out of R. M. Williamson survey No. 233, con- settled with rain tomorrow. It is sideration \$1500 and other consid threatening snow as we go eration.

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B. R. Motley et ux to G. P. Mit we will receive a good supply of moisture before morning.

M. Kleberg Jr., Paul Tremmier, C.

SNOWING THIS EVENING.

press and the indications are that

The weather forecast says un-

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TS to appreciate conservative meth ods, careful service, extensive connections and the untiring efforts of the management to serve the best interest of their customers under all circumstances.

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Henderson was at the wheel.

C. B. Henderson has been prominent in business circles here for a number of years and had a host of friends. He was winding up his business affairs here preparatory to moving to Houston, where he would open a dry goods busi

FLOODS WORSE THAN YEAR AGO

Stated that Overflowed Sections in Mississippi Delta in Worse Condition Than Ever Before Known.

Jackson, Miss. , Feb. 11 .- Gov ernor Brewer tonight is anxiously awaiting a reply to a message sent to Washington asking if the \$100-000 left over from last year's appropriation could be used now for relief of distressed refugees in the

overflowed sections of the Missis sippi Delta. He also sent a message to Congressman Humphries asking what could be done, as con ditions in the overflowed region make it a matter of extreme emergency needing immediate relief.

Today the governor appealed to Senator's Williams and Percy advising them he was informed con ditions were worse than they ever were in any previous overflow and if succor was not immediately forthcoming the consequences would be distressing.

Presient Miller of the Sharkey county board of supervisors was in communication with the governor during the day. Mr. Miller gave a harrowing account of the suffering and privations existing in that county. Whole families are prisoners in houses he told the governor, and rations have either given out entirely or are running very low. Everything is under water and thousands of head of livestock have ben drown

upon by the law-makers, will cut board of directors for the ensuing The change will place this county in the dictrict now represented

ed. No lives have been lost but in C. Miller, K. V. Northington and some cases people held in lofts of W. S. Fleming. houses are four miles from dry

reach them.

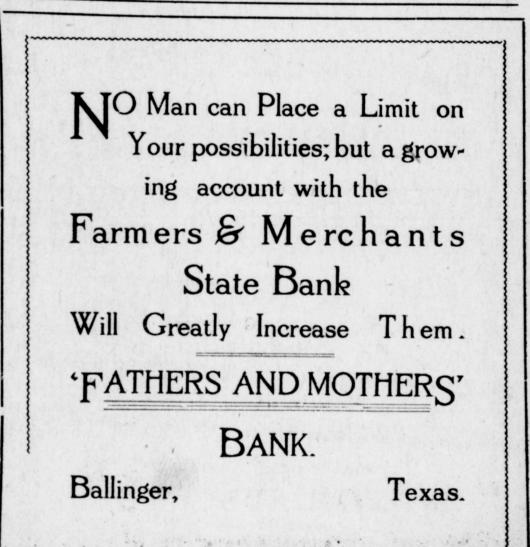
ilies with women and children and put in a supply of books. standing on chairs and tables several miles from land. He closed volums in the library, and the his appeal with the statement that Shakespeare Club have been do-"there is more real hardship and ing some work, and deserve credit suffering by far than last year, for what has been accomplished. due to unfavorable weather con- Mrs. Northington has expressed a ditions.'

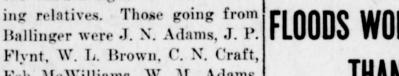
Runnels county out of the "jum- year. At the meeting last night bo" district, and will place the the attendance was not as large county in a district which will in- as it might have been if the weath clude the counties of Hood, Somer er had been more favorable. H. ville, Erath, Comanche, Hamilton, M. Josey was appointed to pre-San Saba. McCulloch, Brown, side over the meeting last night, Coleman, Runnels, Coke, Concho, and A. W. Sledge was elected Tom Green, Mills. The number of secretary, and the following the district will remain No. 16. board of directors were named to serve for the next twelve months: C. S. Miller, J. Y. Pearce, R. T. by Congressman Oscar Calloway. Williams, H. M. Josey, C. R. Crews, N. F. Norris, Madames F.

The work of the library was land and there are no (boats to discussed at considerable length

and it was decided to put on foot Mr. Miller pictured many fam- a move to furnish the building

> At present there are about 250 (Continued on page 4.)



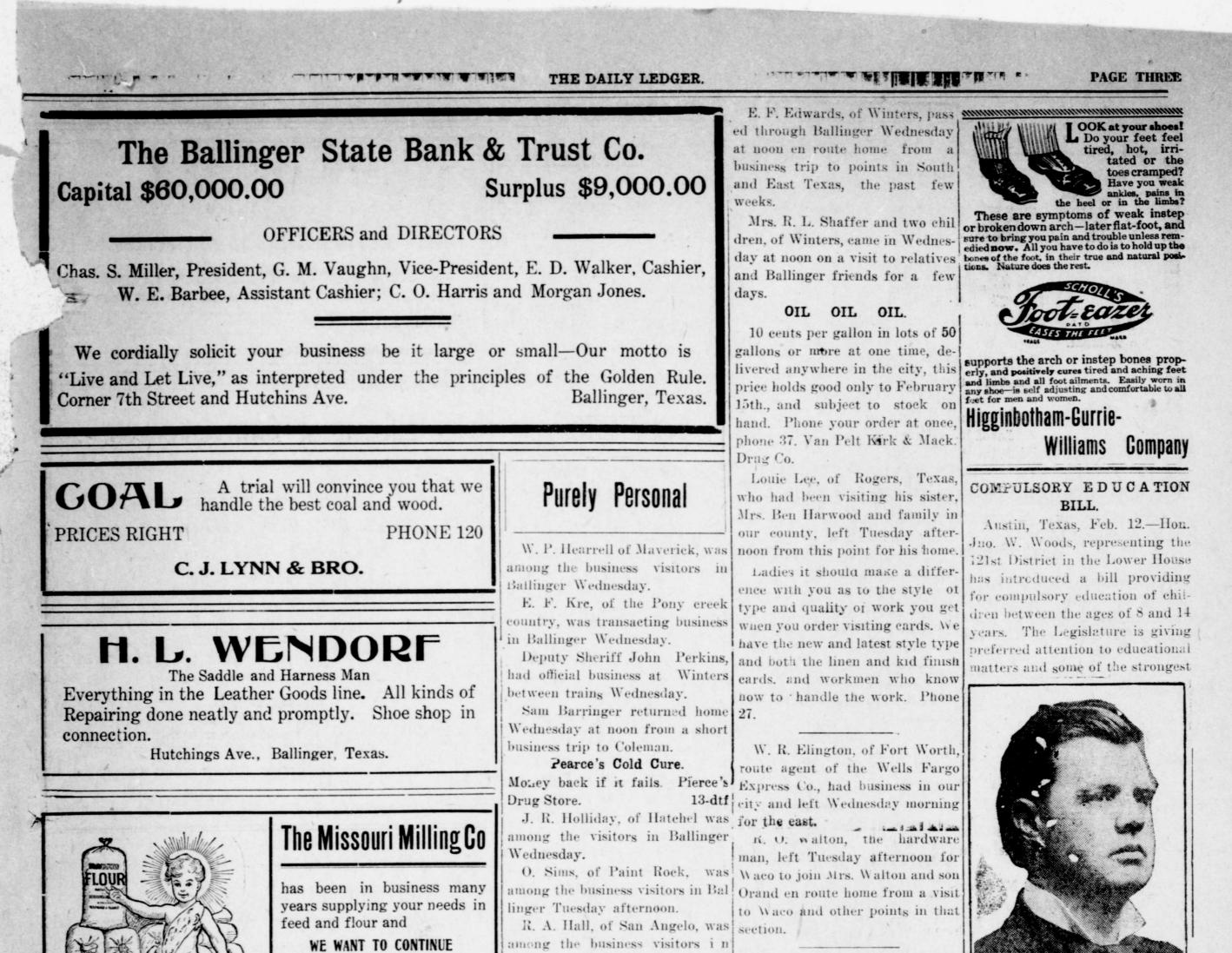




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THE DAILY LEDGER Published every afternoon except Sunday by The Ballinger Printing to. ANNOUNCEMENTS For Mayor: W.H. WEEKS.	March should be a clean up month, and the old town should be dressed up in a new spring gown. It pays to clean up and keep clean. Doctor bills comes	hundred thousand feet of lumber was received here from Galveston for the construction of the quar- ters for the United States troops. This will be followed by many other consignments as soon as negotiations, now pending, are completed. OIL OIL OIL . 10 cents per gallon in lots of 50	Lump Coal \$7.00 Best Coal In City \$9.00 PHONE 312 We Buy Good Sacks 4 Cents a Piece ARCTIC ICE and FUEL COMPANY
J. W. POWELL. Or Alderman: C. C. COCKRELL. R. A. NICHOLSON. E. F. KREBBS. Or Treasurer: J. WHIT PATTERSON. Or Marshal: T. A. TIDWELL. J. N. McKAY. B. W. (Chop) PILCHER. Your support will be appreciat d by the Library committee. 	work for a Business League to do now, and its high time some one was starting a move for that get-to-gather business men's ban- quet. Remember, Mr. Advertiser, that the Banner-Ledger reaches more people in Runnels county than any paper circulated in the coun- ty. We have the bonafied subs. and they take the paper and pay for it. These are the kind of peo- ple you want to reach with your advertising. The County Judges and Com- missioners' Association which Ft.	 gallons or more at one time, de- livered anywhere in the city, this price holds good only to February 15th., and subject to stock on hand. Phone your order at once, phone 37. Van Pelt Kirk & Mack. 7-dtf. WOMEN "APPEAL TO REA- SON." Austin, Tex., Feb. 12. — Mrs. Hortense Ward of Houston is ask ing the Legislature to pass a law giving married women contract- ual rights. The proposed measure has the endorsement of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. 	Hall Hardware Co. Everything in Hardware Competent Plumbers Always Ready to Attend to Rush Orders Your Business Solicited
t's all join in. 	Worth entertained in annual ses- sion last week, is a practical or- ganization of practical men. High way building, for example, was perhaps the most discussed ques- tion. Indeed, the first day's pro- ceedings were given over to good roads—construction, maintenance finance. And these practical men brought to the day's debate ex-	Silar legislation has been plac- ed on the statute books of many States. The Texas homestead law was the first of its kind in the world and was enacted primarily to protect wives against the busi- ness recklessness of husbands and the women now ask that the prin- ciple involved be expanded and extended to all property. There are other important mea- sures before the legislature of ex	REMEMBER I represent the celebrated Spirella Corsets and Wm. Frank waists for children. Your orders appreciated. Mrs. Clara Ransom Phone 335. 406 9th Street. Ballinger, Texas To The Shaving Public I have been continuously in the Barber Business in the town of Ballinger for fourteen years, and my motto is, and









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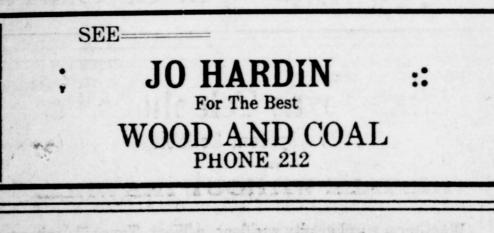
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home Wednesday at noon from Mrs. Mollie Allen, who had been a visit to friends at Goldthwaite visiting relatives and friends in

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NEW DIRECTORY

and Bangs. Ballinger for some time past, left Oscar Harber went west Wed- Tuesday afternoon for Waco to nesday at noon to look after busvisit her daughter and will also iness affairs for A. L. Spann & visit several other points in South and East Texas while gone.

J. M. Schneider, the irrigation farmer, three or four miles down, the river, was among the visitors in Ballinger Wednesday. Paschal Armstrong, of Valley livered anywhere in the city, this creek, came in and left Wednesday morning for Coleman on a 15th., and subject to stock on

short business trip. hand. Phone your order at once, Wednesday was legal holiday, phone 37. Van Pelt Kirk & Mack it being Lincoln's birthday and 7-dtf. the banks and post office closed on account of the same. YOU WILL GET A

A scald, burn, or severe cut heals slowly if neglected. The family that keeps a bottle of Bal-The Ballinger Printing Co. have lard's Snow Liniment on hand is just completed and will deliver and J. J. Bedford, of Winters. always prepared for such ac- to the West Texas Telephone Co., eidents. Price 25c. 50c and \$1.00 tomorrow a new phone directory. bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co. The directory contains all num-

Paul Machaelis, one of the pros- bers right up-to-date. You will reperous and pioneer citizens of the ceive a new directory as soon as Hatchel country was transacting the company can get around to afternoon en route to Santa Anna business in Ballinger Wednesday. you.

Jno. W. Woods

members of the Legislature are on the committees dealing with educa tional subjects.

Many interesting statistics and instructive comparisons have been presented by Mr. Woods, who is authority on educational matters as well as an earnest friend of the children. Only 65 per cent of our scholastic population is enrolled in school, and the average schooling now received by each child in Texas is 55 days per annum. The bill provides one hundred and twenty days schooling per annum for each child, but school trustees are permitted to reduce the compulsory attendance to 72 days if they see proper. In California the average number of days schooling each child receives is 97 and the expenditure per capita of average attendance is \$59.01 against \$18.55 in Texas.

The passage of the bill will result in practically doubling the school attendance in this State.

Wm. Havenhill, W. H. Rodgers came in Wednesday at noon to look after business matters in Ballinger a few hours.

Miss Fannie Carr, of _Winters, passed through Ballinger Tuesday on a visit to relatives and friends.







Thompson survey No. 154, also 51 3-10 acres out of E. T. Ry. Co. surverv, No. 150, consideration \$6000 and other consideration.

Heinze, lots 2 and 3 in block 20. original town of Miles, consideration \$200.00.

Pechaeck, south 1-2 of block 10 in Reeder addition to Ballinger, consideration \$1.00 and other consideration.

Mercantile Co., lot 6 in block 1 Phillips Addition to Winters, con sideration \$125.

lot 12 in block 9, college view height addition to Winters, consid eration \$100.

W. R. Boykin et ux to Geo. A. Gray, east 1-2 of lot No. 14, in Robinson's first addition to Miles consideration \$1250.

Carl Gerrarde to Jno. R. Castle berry, lots 1 and 2 in block 6, Elm Heights - addition to Ballinger, consideration \$500.

A. K. Doss to Jno. Williams lot 13 in block 6, South Side Addition to Wintsrs, consideration \$100.

N. S. Mullens to M. C. Sheffy part of lots 16, 17 and 18 in block No 31, original town of Ballinger

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book donated or a small sum from each one would amount to no smal sum and it is to be hoped that every one will fall in line and give the new board their assistance, both moral and financial. The new board of directors will

meet at the Library Friday night, and every one interested in the library work is urged to meet with them.

A heavy cold in the lungs that was expected to cure itself has been the starting point in many cases of disease that ended fatally. The sensible course is to take fre quent doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It checks the progress of the disorder and assists nature to restore normal conditions. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

W. J. Wilke, who had been looking after his show business in Ballinger the past few days, returned to Abilene Wednesday af- Fairview and Lonelyhurst shall be

Mrs. McAlpine's phone No. 155. All news of this class will be grouped and used in Saturday's daily. Give her the information by Friday noon. ABOUT PATRONAGE Washington, Feb. 11.-Talking about office-seekers, the descent upon Washington has begun. The

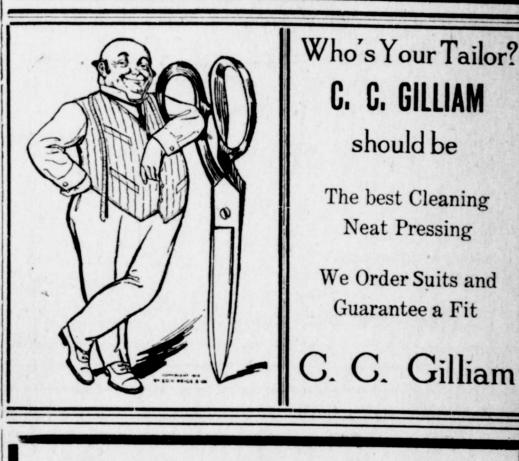
gathering that will make news.

money they will pay out here for board will equal the salary roll of all who get appointments for years to come. And the democratic members of Congress are tasting fully the jobs, such as they are, of the victors with good jobs to give away. It has its funny side, but the pathetic side will also be

in evidence. And long before the places are all filled, weary members of Congress will be sighing for primaries to decide who in

selected for rural mail carrier, rail way mail clerk, and deputy forest ranger; or else they will be advocating the extension of the class ified civil service to include everything, save perhaps Congressmen. And. talking about civil service, someone remarked that it would be a good idea to apply it to applicants for places in president Wilson's Cabinet. It isn't a half bad idea, either.

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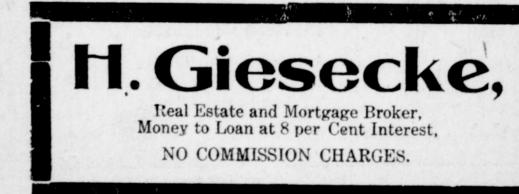


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