THE DAILY LEDGER. Insurance placed with us **BENNETT ABSTRACT** is safe --- we write it right COMPANY BALLINGER INSURANCE Prompt and Accurate Work. AGENCY. VOL. VIII. **BALLINGER, RUNNELS COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1913.** NUMBER 198 VAN PELT, KIRK & MACK Moon Brothers and Columbus Buggies Bain and Old Hickory Wagons. We Sell 'em BALLINGER MELONS COTTON YIELD BET. TER THAN EXPECTED COTTON MARKET HEARD FROM AGAIN PROMINENT CITIZEN TAKES TUMBLE **DIED FRIDAY** Oscar Hurley of Ballinger was Uncle Bob Taylor was in from a business visitors in the city yesthe Norton country Friday, and terday. He reports everything in stated that his cotton was turning average shape in Ballinger. Mr. out better than he first expect. | MarketDeclines Two Dollars per Tom Ward Dies Suddenly at His Hurley moved to Ballinger about Bale Friday. Receipts at Local ed. A few weeks ago Mr. Taylor Home at Two O'clock. Was three months ago from Kimbell Yard Rapidly Growing. did not think he would make two Prominent in Business. Leavcounty for his health. Some 25 bales off of a patch of 35 acres. He es Large Family. ears ago he drove cattle through The big jump up in the price has picked four bales and thinks the Abilene country to northern of cotton last Wednesday was lost now he will get two more. At two o'clock Friday afternoon market. His father taught school J. B. Davis who farmed four Friday when a decline of 40 points Tom Ward died at his home on at old Buffalo Gap forty years was made on one quotation. The miles down the river is feeling White City Eighth Street. The news of his ago, when that village was much good over the turn out he is get- top price paid on the streets Wed death caused many heads in Balwilder than it is now Mr. Hurley ting from his cotton patch Mr. nesday was 13.05. It began to go linger to drop in sadness, and reports that the watermelon crop Davis has 100 acres in cotton and down Thursday and by the close TONIGHT came as a surprise to those who about Ballinger was unusually he states that he will get 11 bales Friday the price on the local mardid not know that he had been large this season, and the farmers the first picking, and just about as ket ranged from 12.25 to 12.50. sick for several hours. had no trouble in disposing of The big drop caused a lag in meny if not more on the second. OTT & BRYAN Mr. Ward was down town Thurs them, many shipments going to Mr. Davis secured four bales the bidding and also caused some day afternoon Late in the afternorthern markets. The melons are first picking off of 22 acres of sod farmers to drive to the yard withnoon he had an attack of heart irrigated from the Colorado river. land, and will get another pick- but stopping on the streets and trouble. He ralied from this, but Ballinger people are figuring on giving the buyers a chance. The ing. putting in a large irrigation plant suffered another spell Thursday 20 Minutes of Musical Comedy In many places the cotton is go- gins are busy and can be heard night and the one that claimed in the near future .- Abilene Reing to pan out better than expect- running late in the evening and his life came about noon Friday. porter. ed. We predict now that the re- during the day many wagons are To tickle your funny bone use present vau-He has not been enjoying the best ceipts will exceed the estmate of standing waiting their turn. With nd pictures that are brimming and of health for some time, and about obbling over with rollecking, wholesome hilthe most optomistic man who ven-pretty weather prevailing the MEXICAN SALOON a year or more ago he suffered an arity funny farces, exasperating entangle. MAN IN BAD tured a guess at the crop a few crop will soon be out of the fields, nents and comical complications that are all attack of heart trouble. While and much of it sold, while some weeks ago. round assassinators of sorrow and a sure cure seated in his chair talking to his wear" weakness' will hold out for a better price and San Angelo, Sept. 4 .- In a physician death came as above COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD. flirt with the market preliminary hearing held at the stated

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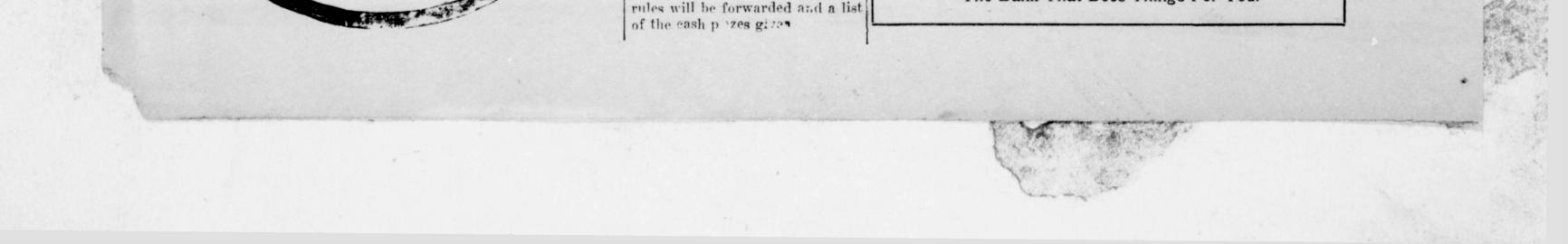
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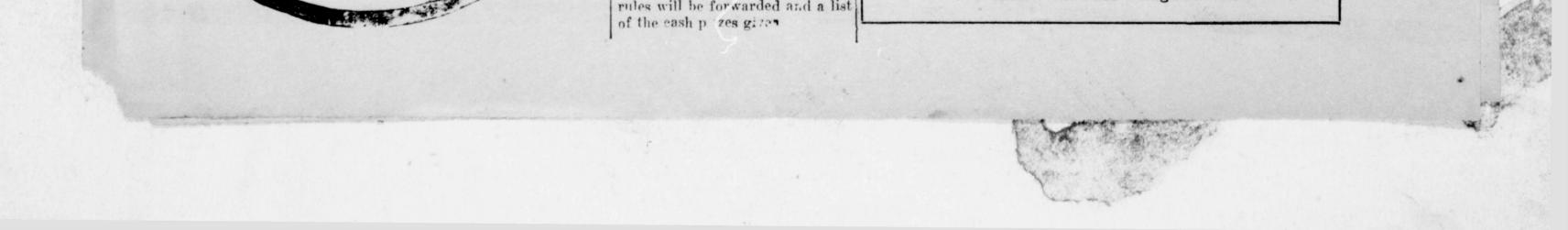
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Raymond Drouilhet, a Dallas printer, asked his wife for money. She refused and a blow from Drouilhet's fist broke his wife's neck. If every woman that received a turn down when she asked her husband for money would do like Drouilhet did there would be a few broken neck husbands scattered around town.

The farmer who brings his produce to town and sells it to the local merchants, takes the money and walks to the post office and buys a money order and sends it to the mail order house for goods that he can buy just as time cotton buyers here and is cheap, freight and other expenses considered, from the merchant the county. His friends welcome that gave him the money for his him back home .- Brownwood Bulproduce, is just a little shy on gratitude, one of the noblest traits in the make-up of man's character. Trade at home.

The big irrigation project on foot on the Colorado river above

BALLINGER MELONS WHILE DRIVING AUTO.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 4 .--While Garland Labelle, aged 24, famous abroad as the years pass, A. W. SLEDGE..... Editor nor, was driving his automobile in crop this year than ever before. consciousand died in a hospital fifteen minutes later.

The unguided auto containing the dying man created a panic as it swerved down the crowded J. Y. Pearce, O. L. Parish, Paul street. It was finally stopped by a negro who dashed after it and climbed in. A cerebral memmorrhage caused Labelle's death. He was a bookkeeper in the local of-JM. Skinner, C. P. Shepherd, Paul fice of the Western Newspaper Union.

> Swellings of the flesh caused by inflamation, cold, fractures of the bone, toothache, neuralgia or rheumatism can be releived by applying Ballard's Snow Liniment. It should be well rubbed in over the part affected. Its great healing and penetrating power eases the pain, reduces swelling and restores. natural conditions. Price 25c. 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

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Or trade automobile, late style, in perfect order, complete . Cost new \$2150. A bargain. This office. 2-dtf

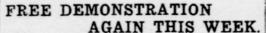
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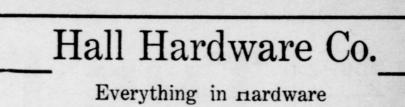
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Douglas Jackson, who had been spending several weeks with his brother at Talpa, was the guest of Edgar Rasberry the past few days and left Thursday afternoon for St. Louis.

We want your job work.

Notice of Final Account. No. 308.

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

Notice is hereby given that F. Mountz, Guardian of the Estate of Mellie M. Mountz, et al, now Mellie M. Howard, having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the Estate of said Melllie M. (Mountz) Howard togrand old man of the grand circuit, gether with an application to be whose name is a household word in discharged from said Guardian ship. You are hereby commanded. That by publication of this writ for twenty days exclusive of the day of publication, in a newsparegularly published in per the County of Runnels you give due notice to all persons interesed in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objection thereto, if any they have, on or before the November Term, 1913, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said county, in the City of Ballinger on the first Monday in November A. D., 1913, when said account and application will be onsidered by said court. Witness O. L. Parish, clerk of he County Court of Runnels coun

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Mme. Barksdale is spending an- Murphy of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., one of other week at the Higdon, Melton, the biggest money winning circuit; winning drivers Jackson Co., store and will demon- Walter Cox of Dover, N. H., another strate the Vanity Toilet articles. topnotcher; E. and J. Benyon of Memphis, who have always been in the Treatment and care of the skin front rank of grand circuit drivers; Charley Dean, driver of Minor Heir, 1:591/2: Rupert Parker who has been so successful with Don Densmore. 1-dtf 2:021/2, and Bessie B, both of these norses having won at Dallag the last two seasons; George Castle, the Chi-When you order meal he sure cago millionaire, who drives for pleasure but likes to get the money; Shively of Sunny Jim fame; from this year's corn, pure and Ames, the famous driver of Joe Patchen, 2:01½; W. O. Foote of Bonham, Texas, who always has high class Co.'s mill. Ballinger. 3-6td 2tw horses, and W. B. Taylor of Early Alice fame. Al Russell, the famous California driver will be here with : Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bearce and string of good ones. little son of Eldorado and Mrs. A. Mr. Castle has entered and will drive Baring, Lula Worthy, Judson Girl, Pe-O. Beavers and little daughter, of ter Johnson and Lady Grattan. Lady San Angelo, came over in Mr. Grattan was a Texas-owned horse, and at the Fair last year forced The Wan-Bearce's auto and were the guests derer to a record of 2:0814, equaling of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown a his record. Since then she has been sold to an Eastern party for a reputed day or two and returned home price of \$6,000. She belonged to Dan Other horses that will represent Mr. Cox and will be driven by him on the local track are Del Ray, a very sensational green pacer that was brought from California this year and of whom expected; Wood. cliffe King, Cabel, Baron A, Branham Baughman (2:04¼), and Rough and recently a \$5,000 Tear. Cabel won stake race at Rockinhham Park, Salem, N. H., when he was matched against Edna B (2:101/4). Cabel is a son of Gambetta Wilkes, one of the greatest sires of the turf world. Thomas W. Murphy will bring a bunch of good ones from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., including Strathstorn, Nellie Temple, Frank Bogash, Jr., View El-der, Longworth B, Junior Dan Patch, Marigold, Jean Arian and Ruth McGre-

Leading Men on the Grand Circuit Will Be in Dallas-\$40,000 Will Be Given in Stakes and Purses. Dallas, Texas: Many of the foremost horsemen in America will take part in the races at the 1913 State Fair of Texas at Dallas, which opens Saturday vember 2. Of the 350 harness horses entered in the ten big stake events, representing a total of \$27,000 and ranging from \$5,000 to \$2,500, more

Will Be Without Parallel.

GREAT DRIVERS COMING

than 150 have marks around 2:05. It is declared that the State Fair races this year have attracted more and a better class of horses than those of any Fair in the United States. The fastest and best class of trotters and pacers in the world will take part and they will be driven by the greatest drivers. In the list of drivers are the following: Ed Geers, of Memphis, Tenn., the

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Miss Toulme, superintendent of the nurses of the Halley & Love sanitarium, left Thursday afternoon for Dallas and will also spend awhile in St. Louis before returning home.

Want to Trade for Runnels County Land.

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FLUETT, Parris, Texas. 5-6td county paper, the Banner-Ledger. tain.

R. C. Batts, of Gonzales, came in Friday at noon on a visit to his nephew, R. P. Conn and family and to look after business interests a few days.

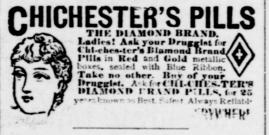
Miss Max Chastain Teacher of Piano. Studio at High School Building. 1-dtf

Miss Barnett, one of the teachers in the Ballinger High School came in Friday at noon from the East, where she had been spending her summer vacation, to the delight of her many friends in Ballinger.

To Trade.

5 passenger Buick automobile to trade for horses or cows. R. P. Conn 4-3td 1tw

J. J. Hubbard, of Glasscock county, who had been looking after business interests in Coleman county, spent the night in Ballinger and left Friday at noo for San Angelo en route home .



try, was transacting business in he closed the deal for 300 head of Biggest Display of Chickens, Ducks,

Will trade for \$1000 to \$15,- Ballinger Friday and kindly re- high-grade Hereford cattle from 000 worth of land near Ballinger, membered The Ledger. He says the Gann estate and will put them if price is right. Address J. P. they certainly appreciate their on pasture near the Brady moun-

will be demonstrated free. The ladies are invited to call any time

this week. to call for the new meal made

good, at The Missouri Milling

Thursday. Mrs. Brown is a daugh O'Connell of Fort Worth. ter of Mr. and Mrs. Bearce.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pilcher returned home Friday at noon from great things are a month's visit to relatives at Hollis, Okla., They also visited at other points in that section and report a very pleasant trip but saw nothing that looked as good as Ballinger and Runnels county while gone.

Price Maddox of the Parramore ranch near Hatchel passed thru gor. Ballinger Thursday afternoon en F. Gerhardt, of the Crews coun- route home from Coleman, where

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POULTRY FANCIERS AT FAIR.

Turkeys and Pet Stock in History.

Dallas, Texas-Poultry fanciers of the State have selected Thursday, Oct. 23, as their special day at the twentyghth annual meeting of the State Fair Texas, at Dallas, Saturday, Oct. 18, As judging of birds Sunday, Nov. 2. xhibited in the poultry department will art Monday, Oct. 20, it is expected that practically all awards will have een made by Poultrymen's Day. Plans are under way for a program of unusual interest and dealing with the latest developments in the scientific raising of poultry.

Usually at each meeting of the State fair meetings of the various associaions of fanciers of the State are held Fair Grounds. There will be presentatives from every association attendance at the meeting to be held 23. Walter Burton, superintendent of the poultry department, said: We are planning to make Thursday

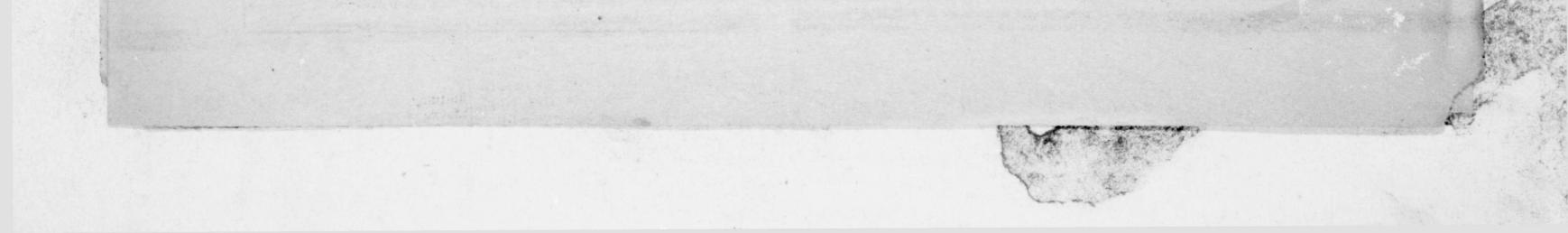
Oct. 23, a great day for the poultry fanciers of the State Our display this year will be unequaled both in number of individual exhibits and in quality and t is expected that practically every exhibitor will be in attendance at the meeting. A number of valuable silver cups and other trophies will be awarded this year and these will be shown on Poultryman's Day."

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office, in the City of Ballinger, Texas, this 22nd day of August A. D. 1913.

(Seal) O. L. PARISH. Clerk, County Court Runnels County. Bv W. C. McCarver, Deputy elerk.

A True Copy, I Certify: J. P. FLYNT, Sheriff. Runnels County. By J. D. Perkins, Deputy Sher-

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5 lbs. Good Coffee \$1.00	tic for .
Natural Leaf Tobacco a lb. 40c	All best brands
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THREE BALES TO ACRE GOOD CROP

W. A. Ogle, who farms on the Farmer irrigated farm, was in town Friday morning marketing cotton. Mr. Ogle said life was too short to fool with dry land farming. He has been farming under the irrigated method for many years and he can furnish fiurges that caused the mind of man to become a little skeptical, but he has the proof, and if you don't believe he is making the stuff this year all that is necessary to convince you is to visit his farm down the river.

Mr. Ogle says it pays and pays big to ferterlize the land you irrigate. He will make this year on irrigated ferterlized land from two and a half to three bales of cotton per acre. Those who have seen it state that it is the finest cotton they ever saw in their life. It is what is known as the "Half and Half" cotton, and the turn out at the gin bears out the fact that it is an appropriate name for the cotton. Mr. Ogle brought 1193 pounds of seed cotton to the gin > and received a 463 pound bale. In another load he had 1270 pounds of seed cotton and received 571 pound bale.

Last year Mr. Ogle made 700 bushels of sweet notatoes to the acre on irrigated land. He is an enthusiastic booster for irrigation. and says he would not work on a dry land farm. What he has done others can do.

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Ballinger's Big Busy Store.

Will and J. N. Daniels and Prof. U. S. Daniels, of the Norton noon on a short business trip to country, were in Ballinger Thurs- Brownwood. day afternoon and Prof. Daniels left for Nederland, Texas, where he will teach school the ensuing year.

low all competion.

dodging or for light house keep- Price 25c per bottle. Sold by The 4-2td Walker Drug Co. ing. Phone 229.

Roy Reeder left Thursday after-

of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys worms and acts as a Furnished Rooms-Suitable for tonic in the debiliated system.

A DRY WEATHER WATCH.

spent yesterday in Ballinger visit-The Talpa Post tells a dry ing his friend Mayor Powell. His weather story to this effect: father Rev. G. W. Given lived on In every home where there are "Two years ago a Talpa farmer Valley creek in this county quite children there should be a bottle lost his watch while plowing; one a number of years. His father died day last week the watch was at Kansas City last year, at which found and upon winding it ran as place the family makes their home. The three boys are interest

ed in oil fields at Tulsa and have accumulated some wealth, accord-

Mr. T. T. Given, of Tulsa, Okla.

to trade for small house and lot close in. R. P. Conn. 4-3td 1tw

Yellow complexion, pimples and Ready made bed sheets 81x80 disfiguring blemishes on the face inches, \$1.25 value reduced to 72 or body can be gotten rid of by cents each. The Globe. 4-3td 1tw doctoring the liver, which is tor-

pid. Herbine is a powerful liver Dr. A. S. Love left Thursday af- correctant. It purifies the systernoon for Coleman to attend the tem, stimulates the vital organs County Medical Association which and puts the body in fine vigorconvened in that city Thursday ous condition. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co. Evening.

\$1.25 value to close out at 72 cents was transacting business in Bal- the city of from \$500 to \$1000 per ach. The Globe. 4-3td 1tw linger Friday.

MORE STREET LIGHTS SOON.

The City by ordinance directed the A. & S., R. R. to maintain electrict lights at three different street crossings and the Santa Fe to maintain four lights. This was to be done in 30 days from passage of ordinance. Both companies promptly took the matter up with the mayor and light committee. Mr. Oscar Pearson, manager of the light plant in our city, being off on a visit or vacation at that time, the city agreed to extend the time of compliance Poles and material to carry out that ordinance in conjuction with said railroad Co.'s has been ordered and the lights will beput in.

When the bowels feel uncomfortable and you miss the exhilarating feeling that always follows a copious morning operation, a dose of Herbine will set vou right in a couple of hours. If taken at bed time you get its beneficial effort after breakfast next day. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Mrs. Weisenbaker and two children, who had been visiting her father, W. R. Little and family of Maverick, left Thursday afternoon for Temple to join Mr. Weisenbaker.

Piano Class.

Miss Olga H. Schawe wishes to announce the opening of her piano class. Studio after Sept. 15th at High School building. Terms \$4. per month. 5-1td

Our mayor suggests that the electrict light plant of our city has sufficient power to pump the city water and says he hopes to blog 81x90 inch ready made sheets J. P. Huffacker, of Maverick, about that change at a saving to

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