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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.

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 cheap, freight and other expenses considered, from the merchant that gave him the money for his produce, 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, is attracting attention all over the South. The big papers and trade and agricultural journals have had something to say about it, and letters from people who realize the advantages to be gained by living in an irrigation country, are seeking information about the big project, and when actual work starts on the dam it will be a signal for a great influx of new people. It's going to be a new era for Runnels county, and its a sure one.

A TEXAS WONDER The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two month's treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Texas testimonials with each bottle. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists. 312d

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. Will trade for \$1000 to \$15,000 worth of land near Ballinger, if price is right. Address J. P. FLUETT, Parris, Texas. 5-6td

STRICKEN BY DEATH WHILE DRIVING AUTO.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 4.—While Garland Labelle, aged 24, nephew of Harry Myers, recent republican candidate for governor, was driving his automobile in the city's main street yesterday afternoon he suddenly fell back unconscious and died in a hospital fifteen minutes later.

The unguided auto containing the dying man created a panic as it swerved down the crowded street. It was finally stopped by a negro who dashed after it and climbed in. A cerebral hemorrhage caused Labelle's death. He was a bookkeeper in the local office of the Western Newspaper Union.

Swellings of the flesh caused by inflammation, cold, fractures of the bone, toothache, neuralgia or rheumatism can be relieved 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.

Jno. R. Day, who for the last two years has been manager of the Noyes & Company mercantile establishment at Melvin, Texas, has returned to Brownwood and will buy cotton on the streets this fall. Mr. Day is one of the old-time cotton buyers here and is known to most every farmer in the county. His friends welcome him back home.—Brownwood Bulletin.

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

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 Glascock county, who had been looking after business interests in Coleman county, spent the night in Ballinger and left Friday at noon for San Angelo en route home.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS THE DIAMOND BRAND. Indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headache, dizziness, nervousness, etc. Take no other. Box of your Druggist. 25c. CHICHESTER'S PILLS DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25c.

F. Gerhardt, of the Crews country, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday and kindly remembered The Ledger. He says they certainly appreciate their county paper, the Banner-Ledger.

BALLINGER MELONS ADVERTISE BALLINGER

Ballinger melons grow more famous abroad as the years pass, and his country has received more advertising from its melon crop this year than ever before. Many papers over Texas have much to say about the splendid melons shipped from this point, and today there is no town in Texas ahead of Ballinger on melon receipts. The Parker county town—Weatherford has quite a reputation for its fine melons, but Parker county crop is gone before the Ballinger crop really reaches its best, and Ballinger can now supply the Weatherford market. The Lampasas paper of Thursday carries a big ad with the leading line in large type which says, "Ballinger Melons—One solid ear just received." These melons were purchased by the Higdon store at Lampasas through U. P. Melton of the local store, and were loaded out Wednesday. W. A. Taylor sold the melons at 60c per hundred pounds. A good price, but they find a ready sale in other markets at a reasonable profit to the retailer.

These are dry land melons and were raised with a light shower and a few cloudy days. What would they do with good season, or with irrigation.

For Sale. Three scholarships, two in Tyler Business College at Tyler, Texas, one at Draughon's Business College at Fort Worth. These scholarships will be sold at a bargain. Any young man contemplating going to a business college anywhere in Texas would do well to call on us, as we can save you 40 per cent on the cost of a scholarship.

FREE DEMONSTRATION AGAIN THIS WEEK.

Mrs. Barksdale is spending another week at the Higdon, Melton, Jackson Co., store and will demonstrate the Vanity Toilet articles. Treatment and care of the skin will be demonstrated free. The ladies are invited to call any time this week. 1-dtf

When you order meal be sure to call for the new meal made from this year's corn, pure and good, at The Missouri Milling Co.'s mill. Ballinger. 3-6td 2tw

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bearce and little son of Eldorado and Mrs. A. O. Beavers and little daughter, of San Angelo, came over in Mr. Bearce's auto and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown a day or two and returned home Thursday. Mrs. Brown is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bearce.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pileher returned home Friday at noon from 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 Ballinger Thursday afternoon en route home from Coleman, where he closed the deal for 300 head of high-grade Hereford cattle from the Gann estate and will put them on pasture near the Brady mountain.

Hall Hardware Co. Everything in hardware. Competent Plumbers Always Ready to Attend to Rush Orders. Your Business Solicited. Hall Hardware Co.

LEADING HORSEMEN WILL TAKE PART. Racing at State Fair of Texas Will Be Without Parallel. GREAT DRIVERS COMING. Leading Men on the Grand Circuit Will Be in Dallas—\$40,000 Will Be Given in Stakes and Purse.

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, October 18, and closes Sunday, November 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 than 150 have marks around 2:05.

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 Mellie M. (Mountz) Howard together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship.

POULTRY FANCIERS AT FAIR. Biggest Display of Chickens, Ducks, Turkeys and Pet Stock in History. Dallas, Texas—Poultry fanciers of the State have selected Thursday, Oct. 23, as their special day at the twenty-eighth annual meeting of the State Fair of Texas, at Dallas, Saturday, Oct. 18, to Sunday, Nov. 2. As judging of birds exhibited in the poultry department will start Monday, Oct. 20, it is expected that practically all awards will have been 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.

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H. Giesecke, Ballinger, Texas.

Purely Personal

Alf Young, of the Winters country, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Friday.

Fresh meal made from new corn at the Missouri Milling Co., call for the mills new corn meal. 3-6td 2tw.

T. A. Schmoldt, of the Winters country, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday.

The Missouri Milling Co., are now making meal from this year's new corn. See that your sacks of meal came from their mill. 3-6td 2w

Sim Middlebrooks returned home Friday at noon from a short business trip to Wichita Falls.

Meal! Meal! Meal!

Made from new corn fresh every day for the people of Runnels county. Missouri Milling Co. 6d 2w

Rev. J. L. Speers, of Winters, was among the visitors in Ballinger Friday.

Prof. J. N. Key, of the Winters country, came in Thursday afternoon to look after business affairs in Ballinger a day or two.

For Rent.

Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply to Monroe Hartman, No. 308, Broadway. Phone No. 472. 29-dtf

Wilburn Bishop, who had been visiting at Odessa and other points in that section returned home Thursday afternoon.

For the stomach and bowel disorders of babies McGee's Baby Elixir's is a remedy of genuine merit. It acts quickly, is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

W. R. Emmert, of the Wingate country, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Thursday afternoon.

S. B. Caperton, of Maverick, passed through Ballinger Friday en route to San Angelo on a short business trip.

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Col. Morgan Jones, of Abilene, president of the A. & S. Ry., was looking after business interests in Ballinger Friday.

W. K. Lilly and J. R. Taylor, of the Norton country, were transacting business in Ballinger Friday.

Emmett Guin, the Wingate merchant came over Friday in his auto to look after business affairs in Ballinger a few hours.

W. F. Ataip, who farms north of the city, was marketing cotton in Ballinger Friday and says his crop is better than he first expected and will now gather about 24 or 25 bales.

Prof. McCollom and bride, of Anson, came in Thursday afternoon and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Routh and family, while en route to San Angelo

Joe Ostertag returned home Thursday from a business trip to the Midland country and says the crops are no better than Runnels county, but the grass is good.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Rosson and little daughter Estelle, of Winters, came in Thursday and Mrs. Rosson and little daughter left for

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HORSES AT STATE FAIR.

A Record Breaking Showing Is Predicted for Dallas This Fall.

Dallas, Texas: Director W. I. Yopp of the exhibit horse division of the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, is predicting a record breaking showing for his department at the coming Exposition. Classes in his division have been re-arranged and made much more attractive than in previous years. The splendid results of last year's show have resulted in a larger number of exhibitors reserving space. Mr. Yopp reports an unusual amount of interest aroused among breeders in Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri and Nebraska. Texas breeders will be more largely represented than last year. He said: "The showing at the Fair this fall will be a representative one in every respect. Our prize list has undergone a general revision, and includes practically every variety of horse now raised in America. Entries already made for this year's exhibition indicate that this department will be even more attractive than ever. There are a number of rich special prizes put up by various associations, and in addition to these the State Fair management will award nearly \$7500 in prizes. In the thoroughbred and standard bred and saddle horse classes the State Fair has always been a leader in the exhibiting of these useful types of horses. The entry list of this year denotes that the breeders of the North, East and Southwest are all preparing to send their horses to compete, giving assurance of a high class of exhibits. "The saddle horse class is extremely well looked after. The Texas Saddle Horse Breeders' association offers a special prize for the best saddle animal, foal of 1913, exhibited at the Fair. This prize is divided into four moneys and totals \$50 in value. For the best stallion or mare, three years old or under, the American Saddle Horse Breeders' association will award a special prize of \$100. All entries in this class must be registered in the American Saddle Horse Register.

A SODA FOUNTAIN IN YOUR HOUSE
A case of bottled soda water in your home and a few bottles on ice is really better than a soda fountain in your own house. Because bottled soda water as we produce it is more sanitary and more richly carbonated than the soda water that is sold at most soda fountains. Purity and cleanliness are the first consideration in the matter of food and drink. We have from the start endeavored to maintain the highest standard. Pure distilled water, granulated sugar and best extracts that money can buy. You have no idea how handy it is to have a case of our delicious soda on hand to serve your guests or the children when they come in hot and tired and want something to refresh them. Phone 482 and let us send you a case, more good drinks for the money than you can buy anywhere.
BALLINGER BOTTLING WORKS.

Notice

The Santa Fe will on Sept. 6th sell tickets to **Ft. Worth** and return for

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Don't cost much but add greatly to the convenience of the housewife and gives her many an hour of recreation.

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- High Patent Flour . . . \$2.50
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- 8 Bars Laundry Soap . . . 25c
- 25c can Baking Powder for . 15c
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- Natural Leaf Tobacco a lb. 40c
- 25 lbs. Pink Beans . . . \$1.00
- Coal Oil a gallon 8c

Hundreds of other good thing below all competion.

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Big lot Ladies Skirts just received will be sold very cheap.

Come in and get our prices, we absolutely guarantee to save you money

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COME and SEE

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THREE BALES TO ACRE GOOD CROP

W. A. Ogle, who farms on Farmer irrigated farm, was 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 figures 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 fertelize the land you irrigate. He will make this year on irrigated fertelized 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 potatoes 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.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

MORE STREET LIGHTS SOON.

The City by ordinance directed the A. & S. R. R. to maintain electric 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. Osear 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 conjunction with said railroad Co.'s has been ordered and the lights will be put 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 you 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 electric light plant of our city has sufficient power to pump the city water and says he hopes to bring about that change at a saving to the city of from \$500 to \$1000 per year.

Will and J. N. Daniels and Prof. U. S. Daniels, of the Norton country, were in Ballinger Thursday afternoon and Prof. Daniels left for Nederland, Texas, where he will teach school the ensuing year.

Furnished Rooms—Suitable for lodging or for light house keeping. Phone 229. 4-2td

Roy Reeder left Thursday afternoon on a short business trip to Brownwood.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

A DRY WEATHER WATCH.

The Talpa Post tells a dry weather story to this effect: "Two years ago a Talpa farmer lost his watch while plowing; one day last week the watch was found and upon winding it ran as well as ever." Can you beat it?

For Trade.

5 passenger Buick automobile to trade for small house and lot close in. R. P. Conn. 4-3td 1tw
Ready made bed sheets 81x80 inches, \$1.25 value reduced to 72 cents each. The Globe. 4-3td 1tw

Dr. A. S. Love left Thursday afternoon for Coleman to attend the County Medical Association which convened in that city Thursday Evening.

81x90 inch ready made sheets \$1.25 value to close out at 72 cents each. The Globe. 4-3td 1tw

Mr. T. T. Given, of Tulsa, Okla., spent yesterday in Ballinger visiting his friend Mayor Powell. His father Rev. G. W. Given lived on Valley creek in this county quite a number of years. His father died at Kansas City last year, at which place the family makes their home. The three boys are interested in oil fields at Tulsa and have accumulated some wealth, according to his statements.

Yellow complexion, pimples and disfiguring blemishes on the face or body can be gotten rid of by doctoring the liver, which is torpid. Herbine is a powerful liver correctant. It purifies the system, stimulates the vital organs and puts the body in fine vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

J. P. Huffacker, of Maverick, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday.

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DAM BUILDING UP TO FARMER.

Chas. M. Stanley, the irrigation man, left Wednesday for Houston, after completing all surveys for the dam site and main canal. Before leaving, he also took over the dam site property, and stated to the editor that on his return to Brontesome twenty or thirty days hence he will put the proposition of building the dam and establishing a great irrigation system directly up to the farmers. As we understood Mr. Stanley, farmers will be required to take so much water per annum, say 12 inches at such a rate as will enable the company to earn a fair revenue on the amount invested. We can say right here—and are glad to do so—Mr. Stanley stated positively, the dam will be built, if the farmers want it.

Our interview with Mr. Stanley was brief and exceedingly pleasant. He impresses one as being all business, and not at all disposed to boast of himself, his plans or what he can do. Here is in brief what he told us about the proposition: The dam will be not less than 75 feet high and 400 yards in length. The lake at its maximum will be 23 miles in length, half mile wide and the water 37 1-2 feet deep. It is estimated by Mr. Stanley that fully 100,000 acres of land can be irrigated, this including adjacent territory in Runnels and Coke counties.—Bronte Enterprise.

FELIX JONES CASE SET FOR NEXT WEEK.

Abilene, Sept. 6.—Word was received in this city yesterday to the effect that the habeas corpus proceedings for Felix Jones, whom the grand jury of Coryell county indicted some time ago in connection with the killing of J. F. Battle, would not be held today, but the court now sitting at Hamilton has wired Felix Jones council, Messrs. Cunningham and Oliver, that the proceedings could be set for sometime next week. For some reason the district attorney in the case was not prepared to take up the case this week.

Mr. Cunningham is absent from the city in Fort Worth and probably is in communication with the court at Hamilton relative to a definite date for the setting of the habeas corpus proceedings.

Ben B. Long returned home Saturday at noon from an extended business trip to Navaro county and other points in that section.

ARKANSAS RESORT DESTROYED BY FIRE

Flames Sweep Over Hot Springs
Destroying Ten Million Dol-
lar's Worth of Property.

Hot Springs, Ark, Sept. 6.—The citizens of Hot Springs are viewing in quite awe this morning such a scene of desolation as they never witnessed before. For almost ten hours the flames leaped high and laid waste to fifty blocks, causing a loss that will total ten million dollars and leaving thousands of people homeless. It is the most disastrous conflagration that ever visited this section of the United States.

The fire broke out about two-thirty in a negro dwelling and by 11:30 o'clock last night it had burned its way to the foot of West Mountain, sweeping a district from seven to ten blocks in width from Hot Springs Mountain on the East to West Mountain, a distance of a mile and a half.

A forty mile gale was blowing and all that the fire company could do availed nothing. Millions of gallons of water was thrown in the path of the fire and great quantities of dynamite used to check the flames, but the flames were carried first in one direction then another.

The fire, originating in some frame negro cabins within a block of the army and navy hospital, under ordinary conditions would have been extinguished with slight loss, but the drought of the two months had made the buildings inflammable and a strong wind blowing from the northwest soon carried the fire to a thickly populated business and residence section on Malvern Avenue.

Within fifteen minutes from the time the fire started it was wholly beyond the control of the fire department and help was asked from Little Rock. A special train brought additional equipment but human ingenuity with water, dynamite and every other known means of fighting fire failed to check the flames in the slightest degree. The wind increased in fury as the flames spread and frame and brick business blocks were razed in a few minutes. The fire fighters would no sooner get located for another desperate stand, than the fire would sweep past them and break out in a dozen different places at the same time.

Business was practically suspended in the city tonight except that necessary to provide immediate wants of those who suffered financial and home loss. The lack of light and power prevented the publication of newspapers and it will be another 24 hours before temporary equipment can be secured.

Early in the evening Mayor McLendon ordered all the saloons in the city closed and called a meeting of citizens at the city hall. A police patrol of 250 men was sworn in to guard the fire swept district during the night. Everything is orderly and quiet. At midnight the fire was practically under control. All the homeless had been cared for temporarily and only the heavy financial loss remained to be faced.

Governor Hays announced that he was coming to Hot Springs and would hold the national guards in readiness to patrol the fire district if needed. This and many other offers of assistance in fire fighting apparatus, finan-

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REMAINS OF TOM WARD LAID TO REST IN CEMETERY

At three o'clock Saturday afternoon all the business houses in Ballinger were closed and business suspended until four-thirty, and a large concourse of sorrowing business associates, friends and acquaintances, attended the funeral of Tom Ward, who died Friday afternoon.

The services were conducted at the home on Eighth Street, after which the remains were carried to the Ballinger cemetery and tenderly laid to rest.

Leon Ward was the only child away from home that arrived in time to attend the funeral. He came in from San Saba Friday night, accompanied by a brother of deceased.

COME HERE TO INVESTI- GATE IRRIGATION PLANT

Messrs. J. W. Owens and B. Parsley of Nugent, who went to Ballinger two or three days ago to investigate irrigating plant passed through the city this morning, en route to their homes. The gentlemen were very much impressed with results and brought back several specimens, one of which was a beet, the root of which is 18 inches long, and as many in circumference. They also had a stalk of cotton over four feet high, bearing about 100 bolls. They stated that the planter had one hundred acres, all of which were as good as the one they possessed.—Abilene Reporter.

Misses Edna and Stella McDaniel, of Santa Anna, two of the teachers of the Ballinger Public Schools, came in Saturday at noon to attend the Teachers' Institute and to begin upon their school duties on Sept. 15.

MISS SPANN RESIGNS; MISS WOOD ELECTED

The school board received a telegram from Miss Gladys Spann Friday, in which she tendered her resignation as teacher in the Ballinger school. The board wired Miss Spann accepting the resignation, and in a call meeting of that body Saturday morning the board elected Miss Cynthia Wood, daughter of W. B. Wood.

Miss Spann was one of the most popular teachers in the Ballinger schools, and her friends will regret to learn that she will not be in the school again. She is at Austin at present, and while it is not known why she resigned, the opinion is that she has secured a position at some other point that suited her better.

Miss Wood is one of the most popular young teachers in Runnels county. She graduated at the Denton State Normal about two years ago, and has been in Austin this summer taking a special course. She had been elected at Granger and she will be a credit to the faculty of the Ballinger schools, and the board will have no regrets for electing her.

CAL LMEETING OF SUN- DAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The members of the various committees appointed to arrange for the Sunday School convention, are requested to meet at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at five o'clock. It is very important that every member of the committees be present. Come and be on time and it will not require but a short time to act on matters in hand.

E. D. WALKER, Chairman.

C. F. Reasonover, of Talpa, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Saturday.

VOTING ON LIQUOR QUES- TION IN CALLAHAN CO.

A red hot prohibition campaign has been in progress in Callahan county for several days, and the battle of ballots is taking place today. Callahan county is dry, and both sides are claiming victory in today's fight. In case it goes wet Baird is the only town in the county that can open saloons, as all the other towns were dry before the entire county voted the saloons out of Baird. It is predicted the result is going to be close.

BABY TAKEN SUDDENLY ILL

Willie Wood, the little baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bridwell was taken suddenly ill with a spasm Saturday morning. We are glad to report that it is out of danger, and is getting along as well as could be expected.

Lost Money

By reason of the short crops and a commendable desire to promptly meet his obligations, a good farmer sold one of his work mules, receiving a check on which he took the cash, but before he had time to apply any of the funds, lost the entire amount. Had he deposited it and used a check-book he would have enjoyed the benefits of ready cash and removed every possibility of loss.

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Every business house in Dublin closed for a half day last Thursday and about one thousand citizens with hoes, rakes, brooms and other filth fighting weapons, joined in the clean up campaign. The old town must have gotten mighty dirty to arouse such interest. If the Dublin people will devote a short time to the work every week or every day, they will no doubt be heard from again for their civic pride.

RETRIBUTION.

Yesterday a man was shot and killed very dead in Houston, simply because several years ago he committed an act, which unfortunate enough God knows, in itself was not bad enough to make the fool close his lips and learn that it is the better part of wisdom to keep a silent tongue. He killed a man, who at the time left a little son.

This son grew to manhood, and as time passed, it came to his ears that his father had been murdered, and that the murderer was still in the habit of boasting about it. Probably he had thrown the murder in the face of the unhappy boy.

The result was that this boy went after a shot gun, got it, came back and sent his traducer and the murderer of his father to his long home, where no doubt, he justly belonged. This day and time all retribution is the Nemesis that follows close and finally on the heels of every man and woman who commits a wrong against a fellow being. It will come one way or another when least expected and will fall in a way that will hurt mighty bad. Blood is thicker than water, and this country is hardly large enough to hold the sons of a man and the man or men who murders a father, counselor, protector and friend.

The better and safer plan is for the one who does the killing to take the wings of the morning and fly to the uttermost parts of the earth, while time is good.—Brenham Banner.

The better and safer plan is to avoid anger and dissention, keep your heart free from murder. The man that kills, ends his own happiness in this world and loses his hopes in the world to come.

SUCCESS NOT MEASURED BY MONEY.

There are many men who are counted failures in life as the world regards success, who are

really the most successful of men, because they have learned the real purpose of life. They have been kind to the friendless, and ministered to the sick and the suffering. You doubtless have in mind some person who has barely made a living, but who has ever been ready to comfort the widow and the orphan, and who has always cheerfully responded to the call of distress day or night. I have in mind, and you doubtless know of some one also whose worldly good amount to but a few dollars, but who has always been kind to and thoughtful of little children who has never forgotten the dumb animals, who has always spoken kind words and who has never found it too hot or too cold to sit by the bedside of a friend when sickness pressed a fevered hand upon him. Men are by the world accounted failures or successes in proportion to the wealth accumulated, but God does not count worldly goods, for these things are transient, but success is measured by the kindness radiated, by the love and tenderness shown. I have given to all serious thought, and I honestly believe that those who spend their time in kindly deeds, and are willing once in a while to relieve suffering, and to help a fellow over a tight place are the ones who are the happiest in this world and will be the happiest in the world to come. We waste a great deal of time in useless quarrels in useless criticisms, in useless bickerings, when we should be busy doing something that will help along some individual, the city, the county or the state.—Claburne Enterprise.

PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD

If you suffer from bleeding, itching blind or protruding, Piles, send me your address and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption treatment and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial with references from your own locality if requested. Immediate relief and permanent cure assured. Send no money, but tell others of this offer. Write today to Mrs. M. Summers, Box P, Notre Dame, Ind.

Rev. J. L. Speer, of Winters, passed through Ballinger Friday afternoon en route to Alvin, Texas, where he will assist in a protracted meeting for a week or two.

5lbs. Roasted coffee for 89 cts. The Globe

Augustine Howell, of Snyder, Texas, who had been visiting his uncle Judge R. S. Griggs and family and his aunt Mrs. McMinn, the past few days, left Saturday morning for his home.

For Sale.

Three scholarships, two in Tyler Business College at Tyler, Texas, one at Draughon's Business College at Fort Worth. These scholarships will be sold at a bargain. Any young man contemplating going to a business college anywhere in Texas would do well to call on us, as we can save you 40 per cent on the cost of a scholarship.

\$10 grade 9x12 art square reduced to \$7.39. The Globe.

FREE DEMONSTRATION AGAIN THIS WEEK.

Mme. Barksdale is spending another week at the Iligdon, Melton, Jackson Co., store and will demonstrate the Vanity Toilet articles. Treatment and care of the skin will be demonstrated free. The Ladies are invited to call any time this week. 1-dtf

5 passenger Buick automobile to trade for horses or mules. R. P. Conn.

Mrs. Robert Massey and babe, who had been visiting Mrs. H. A. Massey, and family the past several weeks, left Friday afternoon to join Mr. Massey at Temple and they will go on to their home up North in a few days.

When you order meal be sure to call for the new meal made from this year's corn, pure and good, at The Missouri Milling Co.'s mill. Ballinger. 3-6td 2tw

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hart and little daughter, Helen, of Johnson county, who had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. G. Douglass and family the past few weeks returned home Friday afternoon.

10c quality unbleached domestic reduced sale price 7 3/4 cents at The Globe

Jim Callan and son Russell, of Menard, passed through Ballinger Friday afternoon in their auto en route to Mr. Callan's Grape creek ranch in this county to look after his cattle a few days.

When you get "Light Crust" flour you are sure of the best flour and only \$1.44 a sack at The Globe. Phone 320.

W. E. Mansor left Saturday afternoon for Winters to visit relatives a few days

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Tom Trail, of Paint Rock, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Saturday.

Pink Beans reduced to 21lbs. for \$1.00 The Globe. Phone 320.

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Washington, D. C., Sept. 6.—East bulletin gave forecasts of disturbances to cross continent Aug. 4 to 8 and 10 and 14, warm waves 3 to 7 and 9 to 13, cool waves 6 to 10 and 12 to 16. Temperatures of these two disturbances, covering first of Sept. will average warmer and drier than usual and the storm forces will be of less intensity than usual except about and following Sept. 13.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about Sept. 14, cross Pacific slope by close of 15, great central valleys 16 to 18, eastern sections 19. Warm wave will cross Pacific slope about Sept. 15, great central valleys 17, eastern sections 19. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope about Sept. 17, great central valleys 19, eastern sections 21.

Temperatures of this disturbance will average above normal but will not average so high as the previous and following disturbances. It will bring the most dangerous storms of the month and altho we are not expecting such great catastrophes as occurred earlier in the year, we advise that no risks be taken. It is not difficult to find places of safety during a storm and we can generally arrange our affairs so as to avoid dangerous places. Sept. 12 to 20 will bring the equatorial storms this year and to warn people of danger periods is a part of our duty.

Locating these dangerous storm is not an easy matter. The best we can do is to locate them 300 to 500 miles southeast of the center of the lows. We give the dates on which the warm waves are to cross the continent and these dates will not be far wrong. Watch the progress of the warm waves as the dangerous storms occur in them. The warm waves and the dangerous storms form southeast of the lows.

Excessive heat, particularly that kind of heat that saps the energies, causes stinging sensations and the breaking out of heat eruptions is a warning of the approach of dangerous storms. Sept. 12 to 18 our danger signals will hang out and we hope they will save much suffering and destruction of property.

We have been expecting showers not far from Sept. 8, 17 and 29 but not sufficient for late or top cotton. We have repeatedly advised friends of our work to hold their cotton and buy more and we still advise them not to sell their cotton immediately. Foster's Weather Bureau has saved to producers and dealers millions of dollars, particularly by advising when not to sell grain and cotton. Such advice is equally valuable to consumers and dealers. Manipulations of the markets are injurious to produc-

ers, common dealers and consumers and only the millionaire speculators are benefitted. If you do not find everything you need in the way of advice in the bulletins write to Foster's Weather Bureau, Washington D. C., and we will try to amend our advices.

No one denies that the moon is the principal cause of the tides and their locations. Just as surely the moon locates our rains and snows. This feature of our weather forecast system is not yet fully worked out but, in a general way the indications are that Sept. will bring heavier than usual rains from Gulf of California to New Mexico along our southwestern borders with moderate rains on New England coasts and dry elsewhere on this continent and in South America. For Oct. the principal rains will be East of the Andes in South America. November will bring principal rains to our south eastern states and northern South America west of Andes. November is a principal crop month in South America and they will get a drouth.

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Miss Louise Harris, of Big Springs, who had been visiting friends at San Angelo, came in Friday afternoon. Miss Harris will be one of the teachers in the Ballinger schools the ensuing year.

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H. L. WENDORF, the Saddle and Harness Man.

Wants your business however large or small. All kinds of repairing done neatly and promptly. Shoe shop in connection

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NOTICE

Now is the time to make your application for land loans. I loan money on land in Runnels County at 8 per cent. interest and extend Vendors Lien Notes bearing 8 per cent. interest, and charge no commission for placing your loans. For further information write or call at my office.

H. Giesecke, Ballinger, Texas.

Purely Personal

Fulton Golden had business at Winters between trains Friday.

3687 school tablets to be sold for 4 cents each **The Globe.**

Pat Mapes, the Pony creek merchant, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday afternoon.

To Trade.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vancil, of Winters, came in Friday afternoon to visit in Ballinger a day or two.

WANTED—Will pay above the market price for frying chickens and hens. Apply to N. F. Norris, Central Hotel, Ballinger. 1d1wp

R. A. Nicholson, who had been buying cotton in South Texas the past two months, returned home Saturday at noon.

Fresh meal made from new corn at the Missouri Milling Co. call for the mills new corn meal. 3-6td 2tw.

Miss Bessie Northington left Saturday at noon for Winters to visit her sister, Mrs. John Q. McAdams and family a few days.

The Missouri Milling Co., are now making meal from this year's new corn. See that your sacks of meal came from their mill. 3-6td 2w.

Mrs. J. M. Nichols, who lives southwest of the city, was in Ballinger Saturday to see her mother off to her home at Winters.

Meal! Meal!! Meal!!

Made from new corn fresh every day for the people of Runnels county. Missouri Milling Co. 6d 2w

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clayton of the Benoit county, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday afternoon.

For Rent.

Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply to Monroe Hartman, No. 308. Broadway. Phone No. 472. 29-dtf

R. O. Walton, the hardware man left Friday on a short business trip to Waco and points in that section.

"Light Crust" "Belle of Wichita" or "Albatross" flour \$1.44 a sack **The Globe.** Phone 320 Free delivery.

For the stomach and bowel disorders of babies McGee's Baby Elixir's is a remedy of genuine merit. It acts quickly, is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Miss Inez Scott, of Dublin, who had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Scott Maek and family, left Saturday morning for her home.

Don't fail to attend the reduced price sale at the **Globe** as you can buy 10-4 bleached sheeting for 23c a yard.

Mrs. Scott Maek left Saturday at noon for San Angelo to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Balley a few days

Fresh Meal.

Be sure to call for the new corn meal now being turned out by The Missouri Milling Co. made from this year's corn, fresh and good. 3-6td 2tw

Rev. E. W. Wells left Saturday morning for Coleman where he will preach Sunday for his people.

Want to Trade for Runnels County Land.

Will trade for \$1000 to \$15,000 worth of land near Ballinger, if price is right. Address J. P. FLUETT, Parris, Texas. 5-6td

W. R. BUSHONG

THE FREIGHT MAN

Always on the Dot at the Right Time

Nothing too Heavy

Nothing too Small

Phone City Drug Store for Orders

"Old Homestead" Flour a sack \$1.34. **The Globe.**

Mrs. W. S. Davis, of Winters, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Nichols and family down the river left Saturday afternoon for her home.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two month's treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Texas testimonials with each bottle. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists. 312d

Rev. and Mrs. Bartow Broome returned home Friday afternoon from Miles, where Rev. Broome had been looking after church work the past few days.

Children you must buy your school tablets at 4 cents each and get gum free. **The Globe.** Phone 320.

Ira L. Thurman, one of the popular young men at The Walker Drug Co.'s store, left Friday afternoon to visit his parents at Glen Cove a day or two.

Swellings of the flesh caused by inflammation, cold, fractures of the bone, toothache, neuralgia or rheumatism can be relieved 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.

Mrs. T. C. Edmonson, of Waco who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Norris of the Central Hotel, left Friday afternoon for her home.

One week only will sell you 60 gallons Coal Oil for \$4.78. **THE GLOBE.** Phone 320. Free Delivery. 3td1w

Elmer Allison left Friday afternoon to visit a cousin at Houston and will also visit a few days at Galveston before returning home.

10c outings all colors reduced to 7-3-4 cents. **The Globe.**

For Sale.

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

Tom Layne, of the Moro mountain country, who had been in our city looking after business affairs left Friday afternoon for the East to get cotton pickers.



Mrs. Dobbs, of Comanche, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Stocks, Friday between trains, while en route home from Winters.

5 Gallons Coal Oil for 49c **The Globe.** 3td

L. P. Woods, of Old Runnels, passed through Ballinger Friday afternoon with 250 head of cattle en route to the John A. Loomis ranch, where he has secured pasturage for the winter

Never before did you buy a 4 string broom for 24 cents as good as we sell now. **The Globe.**

L. C. Denman, of Abilene, passed through Ballinger Friday en route home from the Valley creek country, where he had been on a visit to his brother-in-law, Wm. Spruiell and family.

2 of the best lots on Broadway to trade for Arm and Hammer Soda to sell at 6 cents a pound **The Globe.** Phone 320.

Prof. J. T. Nichols, of Fort Stockton, came in Friday and will be here next week to attend the County Teachers' Institute. He will teach school at Brookshire the ensuing school year.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Price Crawford, of Houston, who had been visiting Mrs. Crawford's aunt, Mrs. E. Allison and family the past several days, returned to their home Friday afternoon.

Come and get your sample "Light Crust" flour absolutely free. **The Globe.**

Electrical Conveniences

Don't cost much but add greatly to the convenience of the housewife and gives her many an hour of recreation. Don't put the matter off; but **See to it at once.**

Phone 15.

Ballinger Electric Light Plant

Ballinger, Texas.

Chinese Lilies
15c each 2 for 25c

Hyalinths (Early Roman)	60c
Narcissus (Early Roman)	60c
Easter Lilies, for Xmas each	35c
Lilly of the Valley, Xmas.	50c
Freesias	35c

Bulbs of all kinds, colors etc. DELIVERY FREE

The Nussbaumer Floral Co.
San Angelo, Texas
PLANTS, SEEDS AND CUT FLOWERS

Arkansas Resort Destroyed by Fire

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cial aid, food and clothing have been received from many quarters. It is not believed that Hot Springs will need to avail itself of these many offers.

So far as known there were no fatalities or serious injuries. Several firemen were overcome with heat and smoke, as were also a few citizen volunteers, but aside from these slight injuries no body was hurt.

The Park and Moody hotels were the only ones destroyed of the very large hotels.

Oklahoma Town Suffers Heavy Fire Loss.

Oklahoma City, Sept. 6.—Fire, which broke out late yesterday afternoon at Bokhoma, Okla., in the extreme southern part of the state consumed the property of the Wilson Lumber company, and practically wiped out the town, entailing an estimated loss of \$250,000.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., We, the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

National Bank of Commerce, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mrs. J. S. McKenzie and little son Wilmot, who live Southeast of the city, came in Friday and will be the guest of relatives in West End a day or two.

When the bowels feel uncomfortable and you miss the exhilarating feeling that always follows a copious morning operation, a dose of Herbine will set you right in a couple of hours. If taken at bed time you get its beneficial effort after breakfast next day. Price 70c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

O. Sims, of Paint Rock, was transacting business in Ballinger a few hours Saturday.

We don't say too much when we say "Light Crust" is the best that is made in Texas. Sample sack free. The Globe.

WHO DOES YOUR CLEANING?

and pressing? We have the men and methods to do your work right and turn it out promptly. Give us your next suit in this line and be convinced of the superiority of our work, Phone 290

W. H. ROARK, "THE TAILOR"

Judge J. W. Powell had legal business at Miles between trains Saturday.

10-4 bleached sheeting reduced to 23 cents a yard. The Globe.

J. A. Street, of Wingate, was marketing the fleecy staple in Ballinger Saturday.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Miss Evaline Rosenborough came in from her old home in Mississippi, Friday night and will teach in the Ballinger Public schools the ensuing year.

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

Link Gresham, the A. & S. section foreman, was bitten Saturday morning by a vicious dog, but fortunately the dog got hold of the heel of his shoe and did not bruise the flesh, very much.

For Trade.

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

Ready made bed sheets 81x80 inches, \$1.25 value reduced to 72 cents each. The Globe. 4-3td 1tw

J. W. Bryson, of the Winters country, was among the visitors in Ballinger Saturday.

10 Bars C W. Soap for 35 cents The Globe. 3td 1w

C. G. Davis, of Winters, had business in Ballinger between trains Saturday.

Yellow complexion, pimples and disfiguring blemishes on the face or body can be gotten rid of by doctoring the liver, which is torpid. Herbine is a powerful liver correctant. It purifies the system, stimulates the vital organs and puts the body in fine vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

C. A. Dose and Judge C. H. Willingham of Ballinger were in town Saturday and called on Engineer Stanley out at the dam site. Ballinger people are watching every development in the irrigation project, and the gentlemen named being live wires do not want Coke county to put anything past them—Bronte Enterprise.

81x90 inch ready made sheets \$1.25 value to close out at 72 cents each. The Globe. 4-3td 1tw

WITH THE CHURCHES.

The First Baptist Church.
There will be the usual services tomorrow. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching by pastor 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. At the morning service the hand of church fellowship will be given to new members, and the church will observe the Lord's Supper. Come and worship with us.
BARTOW BROOME, Pastor.

Christian Church.
The usual services will be held Sunday.
Subject for morning, "Building Alters and Digging Wells."
Evening subject, "The Light of the World."
FRED S. CARTER, Minister.

Methodist Church.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching by the pastor at 11 and 8:15.

It is especially desired that we have a full attendance at Sunday school in view of the meeting of the Sunday School convention. The pastor most earnestly requests the presence of every member at the morning service. Special music.
REV. W. H. DOSS, Pastor.

Ninth Street Baptist Church.
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Preaching as usual, the morning theme, "The Two Voices." Evening theme, "The Pearly Gates."
A cordial welcome to everybody.
W. BION ADKINS, Pastor.

NAZARENE CHURCH.
Rev. E. W. Wells, left Saturday morning to conduct a meeting at Coleman and requests us to say the regular Sunday school service at their church Sunday morning at 9:30 and preaching morning and evening by Miss Cathreen Jeanes. You are cordially invited to attend each service.

GOOD ADVICE.

A Ballinger Citizen Gives Information of Priceless Value.

When you suffer from backaches, headaches, dizziness, Nervousness, Feel weak, languid Depressed, have annoying Urinary disorders: do you know what to do? Some Ballinger people do. Read the statement that follows.
It's from a Ballinger citizen. Testimony that can be investigated.

J. H. Taylor, Ballinger, Texas, says: "About five years ago we used Doan's Kidney Pills in our family and they proved of great benefit. My son complained of weakness and pains in his back and his kidneys were disordered, the kidney secretions being discolored. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to our attention, we got a box and through their use, the boy was completely cured. I am only too glad to recommend this remedy to other kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.
Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Aug Herring, of Talpa, spent a few hours in Ballinger Saturday and left on the noon train for San Angelo, where he is figuring on buying a bunch of cattle.

Don't forget that we sell "Gold Medal" flour \$1.83 a sack The Globe. Phone 320.

Madames L. E. Bair and R. P. Conn returned home Saturday from Winters, where they had been the guests of Mrs. P. L. Crews and family, making the return trip in Mr. Crew's auto.

Judge J. B. Wade had business at Miles between trains Saturday.

50 acres best orchard in Runnels county to sell at once for 500.00. You must talk fast if you want a bargain. R. P. Conn.

Backache Stopped and Tormenting Rheumatic Pains Driven Away

Foley Kidney Pills ease the stiff, swollen joints muscles. Drive away backaches and all evidenc of kidney and bladder trouble.

You can always depend upon Foley Kidney Pills relieving the suffering and torment that follows kidney and bladder trouble. Rheumatism, lumbago and backache are all the results of sluggish inactive kidneys and weak uncertain bladder action.

Sick kidneys can ont cleanse the blood and it is the uric acid poison crystals remaining in the blood, that lodge in the joints and muscles and cause the torture of rheumatism. Remove the cause by the prompt us of Foley Kidney Pills, and the trouble itself will vanish.
Kidney diseases are constant-

ly increasing and causing more deaths each year. But they may be conquered and permanently driven out of the system by Foley Kidney Pills. And the great virtue of Foley Kidney Pills is due to the fact that when you take this medicine into your system, you are giving your body just the ingredients it needs in the work of strengthening the kidneys, building them up, and restoring their regular normal action. They cost but a small sum, yet are rich in healing, curative and tonic qualities. Try them.
For Sale By All Dealers Every where.

Mrs. B. C. Mann, of Garden City, after a pleasant visit to her parents Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Walker and family and Ballinger friends, returned home Saturday at noon.

A Chew of Gum absolutely free with each school tablet sold for 4 cents. The Globe.

Miss Irdas Sharp left Saturday at noon for San Angelo and will attend the Teachers' Institute in that city next week preparatory to teaching in the public schools of that place the ensuing school year.

\$5.00 Grade Smith's Axminster Rug reduced to \$3.69. The Globe.

W. E. Branch returned home Saturday at noon from the East.

Mrs. Silvey and babe, of Brown wood, came in at noon Saturday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McShann down the river.

This is a big state but "Light Crust" flour is the best in Texas. Only \$1.44 per sack. The Globe. Phone 320.

Sydney Garrett, who had been visiting his family and Ballinger friends the past week, left at noon Saturday for the West.

Maxwell, House Blend Coffee 3 pound bucket only 94 cents The Globe.

Leon Ward, of San Saba, came in Friday night to attend the funeral of his father, who was buried at the Ballinger cemetery Saturday afternoon.

8 room house near Central Hotel to trade for "Light Crust" flour at \$1.44 a sack. R. P. Conn. Phone 320.

W. O. Parish, who had been out to Alpine, passed through Ballinger Saturday at noon en route home in the Mazeland country. Mr. Parish says the grass is fine in the Alpine country and while he was out there, terrific rains fell and washed out four miles of the T. & P. Ry tracts.

Green Velv. Syrup reduced to 64 cents per gallon. The Globe.

County Clerk O. L. Parish and his father W. O. Parish of Mazeland, returned to Ballinger Saturday morning from a short business trip to Alpine. They say they were water-bound at Alpine and the same train they went over on Tuesday brought them back to San Angelo Friday.

The best meal reduced to 79 cts. a sack. The Globe.

Dr. Newt Long, wife and daughter, of Sweetwater, passed through Ballinger Friday afternoon in their auto en route to Brownwood, where the doctor goes to have an eye specialist operate upon his eye. We are

sorry to learn that the doctor fears that he will lose his eye sight.

Why do You use cheap flour and pay \$1.50 per sack when you can get "Light Crust" at \$1.44 a sack at The Globe.

HORSES AT STATE FAIR.

A Record Breaking Showing is Predicted for Dallas This Fall.

Dallas, Texas: Director W. I. Yopp of the exhibit horse division of the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, is predicting a record breaking showing for his department at the coming exposition. Classes in his division have been re-arranged and made much more attractive than in previous years. The splendid results of last year's show have resulted in a larger number of exhibitors reserving space. Mr. Yopp reports an unusual amount of interest aroused among breeders in Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri and Nebraska. Texas breeders will be more largely represented than last year. He said: "The showing at the Fair this fall will be a representative one in every respect. Our prize list has undergone a general revision, and includes practically every variety of horse now raised in America. Entries already made for this year's exhibition indicate that this department will be even more attractive than ever. There are a number of rich special prizes put up by various associations, and in addition to these the State Fair management will award nearly \$7000 in prizes. In the thoroughbred and standard bred and saddle horse classes the State Fair has always been a leader in the exhibiting of these useful types of horses. The entry list of this year denotes that the breeders of the North, East and Southwest are all preparing to send their horses to compete, giving assurance of a high class of exhibits."
"The saddle horse class is extremely well looked after. The Texas Saddle Horse Breeders' association offers a special prize for the best saddle animal, foal of 1913, exhibited at the Fair. This prize is divided into four moneys and totals \$50 in value. For the best stallion or mare, three years old or under, the American Saddle Horse Breeders' association will award a special prize of \$100. All entries in this class must be registered in the American Saddle Horse Register.

Faultless Starch reduced to 7 1/2 cents THE GLOBE. 3td

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months."

I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years.

At all druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N. C. 128