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Large Shipment RED SEAL GINGHAMS received, special price 12 yards for \$1.00

VAN PELT, KIRK & MACK



Prize Night—

A varied list of valuable premiums for your coupons tonight. A nice, warm spot in a cold dreary town; such is our theatre. Here you'll see something to amuse and entertain, something to instruct or help in the daily grind for bread. Come All.

PRINCESS THEATRE

Premium Night

Picture Program

MARGARITA AND THE MISSION FUNDS—Selig Romance

THE SHERIFF'S SON—S. & A. Western Story

(Title Unknown) Pathe Comedy

Admission 10c

Reserved Seat 20c

A. F. McAlister, of Brownwood manager of the monthly horse and mules sales in that city, passed through Ballinger Saturday en route home from a business trip to Winters. He informed us that they would have a sale in Brownwood next week, Oct. 3rd. and 24th.

Rev. Bartow Broome left Saturday afternoon for Hatchel, where he will preach tonight and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. He will return in time to fill his pulpit in Ballinger Sunday night.

Rowland Jones, of England, came in a day or two ago and has accepted a position with the A. and S. Ry., depot in our city. He is a nephew of Morgan Sr., and a brother of Morgan Jones Jr., and we are glad to have him locate in our city.

TORNADO ZIGZAGS THROUGH ROCK WALL.

Rockwall, Tex., Oct. 17.—A tornado cut a path two miles long across Rockwall county this afternoon and just grazed the north end of this city. Three houses were demolished, one man slightly injured and \$7,000 or \$8,000 damage done.

It had been raining hard for two hours when the tornado appeared. The wind blew cotton entirely out of the plant in some fields, laid corn flat and zigzagged along with a path about a quarter of a mile wide. It seemed to develop in the Trinity River bottoms, crossing the northwestern part of the county.

BARN BURNS.

J. S. Thompson, of the Hatchel country, was in Ballinger Saturday and reports that the barn of Roy Thomas burned Saturday morning and the barn and the contents of all his feed and harness were burned without any insurance. The barn was on the Krebs place near Hatchel.

A. S. Justice, of Alpine, who had been in our city on business and meeting his old friends, left Saturday at noon for his home. Mr. Justice says he enjoyed his visit to Ballinger very much and it was a great pleasure to meet many of his old time Runnels county friends.

AT THE PRINCES TONIGHT.

Margarita and the Mission Funds.

Steward Hopewell, an adventurous American, who is on the staff of the Governor of California, is sent to the San Gabriel Mission of Levy on the mission funds. Father Sandez, the Superior, secretly but strenuously resents the encroachment of the civil authorities and seeks to evade the payment of the tribute. Hopewell attends a fandango in the village and falls in love with Margarita Focquerora. Among the attendants the function is Ramon Valenzuela, a dashing outlaw, who, with some of his leaders, is incognito. He tries to gain the favor of the fair Margarita but is repulsed in favor of Hopewell. He leaves vowing vengeance. He visits the mission, steals the cash bag and makes away with it. Hopewell makes up a party and starts in pursuit, overtakes the outlaw, and after a sharp fight gets the money back. He hesitates between love and duty, having the code in hand, but finally sends the Governor the money required out of his own pocket, resigns his command, joins the church and marries Margarita.

SLAUGHTER ACQUITTED OF KILLING CRAIG

After Three Hours Deliberation Jury Returns Verdict of Not Guilty.

The attorneys in the Slaughter murder trial closed their argument at nine-thirty Friday night and the jury retired with the case in their hands. It is not known how the balloting was made, or how many ballots were taken before a decision was reached, but the case was considered by the jury for three hours before they announced they were ready to make their report.

They were in session a short while Saturday morning and at eight o'clock marched into the court room with their verdict which read: "We the jury find the defendant Fred Slaughter, not guilty. E. A. Brookshire, Foreman."

This ends one of the most stubbornly fought murder cases ever tried in the District court in this country. Fred Slaughter shot and killed DeWitt Craig at a dance at Eden on the night of Feb. 17, 1907. Trouble had been existing between the two young men for three or four years, and they had had several fights, and as shown by the evidence introduced in the trial each had threatened the life of the other.

The families of the two young men were prominent in Concho and McCulloch counties and both were reasonably well fixed financially and the father of Slaughter employed able counsel to defend his son. The father of the dead man also employed able counsel to prosecute the man who had killed his son, and on account of the long standing of the trouble there were many witnesses.

Both sides had their friends and much evidence covering what had transpired for the long period over which the trouble extended was brought into the trial.

It will be remembered that the case was tried at Paint Rock last month and resulted in a mistrial and was transferred here. During the trial the families, both father and mother of the defendant and father and mother of the deceased were in court, and when the verdict was rendered Saturday morning, the defendant was accompanied in court by his father. On account of the early hour the mother and other relatives had not arrived, and there were only a few in the court room. The defendant was calm while the verdict was being read, but when the word "Not guilty" was announced he rushed for the jury and with a shake of the hand he thanked each juror for making him a free man again.

The case has cost the state of Texas a great deal of money, as well as the father of the dead man and the father of the defendant. The witness fees alone in the trial that has just closed, as shown by the records in the District's clerks office, amounts to \$1,401.63. The jury fee will be paid by Concho country.

The witnesses returned to their homes Friday and Saturday, and after doing some trading Saturday the defendant and his family and the family of the deceased Craig left for their home.

Civil Docket Taken Up.

After disposing of the Slaughter case Saturday morning Judge Goodwin taken up the civil docket and disposed of a number of non-jury cases. At this term of court four divorces were granted.

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FORMER BALLINGER GIRL HONORED.

San Angelo, Oct. 13.—Miss Modena Wiley, of this city has been selected by the directors of the Fort Worth Stock Show to be the princess, representing San Angelo. She has not decided whether or not she will accept the place. She is now visiting in Ft. Worth and will not give her answer until she returns home. If she accepts the place she will take part in the crowning of the queen and will represent this city at all the social functions given during the stock show week. Last year this city was represented in that capacity by Miss Lucile March. The stock show this year will take place on November 22 to 29.

WILL ADDRESS CONFERENCE FOR EDUCATION.

We are in receipt of the program for the Sixth General Session of the Conference for Education in Texas, which will meet in Dallas Nov. 1. Judge Jno. I. Guion, vice-president of the Board for A. & M. College, is on the program for an address. Among the other speakers on the program is Hon. M. M. Crane, of Dallas, Peter Radford, of Fort Worth, Will Hogg, of Houston, Hon. Clarence Ousley, of Fort Worth.

S. B. Howard, the irrigation farmer five miles up the river, was in the city Saturday morning. Mr. Howard says he is getting four or five cuttings from his Johnson grass field and has made 100 bushels of maize per acre and will get another crop of maize this season if the frost does not come too soon.

Lonie Farish, and W. T. Ward left Saturday at noon for San Angelo on stock business.

ENTOMBED MINERS NEAR ROCKDALE

Seven of the Eight Caught by Cave-In Still Alive and Desperate Efforts to Rescue.

Rockdale, Tex., Oct. 17.—Seven of the eight miners caught late yesterday in the Vogel & Lawrence mine near here, when the roof of the mine caved in and was flooded, are still alive today. They are entombed 90 feet below the surface of the earth and are believed to be safe as long as their supply of air holds out. One miner only, instead of seven, was drowned in the main entry, it was found today. The men are all Mexicans.

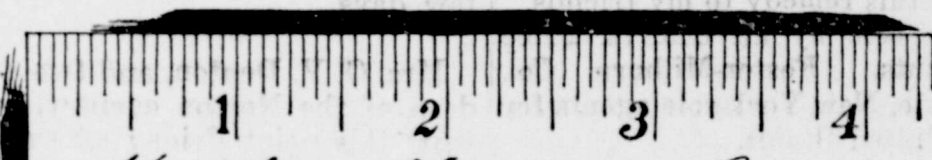
Heroic efforts are being made to reach them today.

The entombed men were saved by the prompt action of Mayor H. C. Meyer of Rockdale, who took charge of a shovel gang, hastily constructing a dam and turned aside the waters of a small creek which flooded from yesterday's torrential rains and broke through the roof of the mine.

The main section of the mine and the shaft are entirely filled with water, but beyond the cave-in the mine slopes upward to where the men are entombed. The miners managed to make themselves heard and a drill has been set to work to drive an air shaft to them.

Meantime every pump at the mine is working to its capacity and workmen are digging frantically in an effort to reach the miners.

W. P. Vaughn, the gin man of Crews, was marketing cotton in Ballinger Saturday.



Make it a rule

MAKE IT A RULE TO GO TO THE BANK EACH MONTH AND DEPOSIT SOME MONEY. IT WILL BE A GOLDEN RULE



When you have a bank account, you have a bank connection. Your CREDIT is better. You have more confidence and self reliance. It will help you in every Ash those who bank with us how we treat THEM.

Make Our Bank your Bank

The First National Bank

Of Ballinger

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.

It pays to do business with this bank, Try us.

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The Fathers & Mothers Bank

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Miss Stella McDaniel, one of the teachers in the Ballinger public Schools, left Friday afternoon for Santa Anna to visit home folks and friends over Sunday.

DON'T EXPERIMENT.

You Will Make No Mistake if You Follow This Advice.

Never neglect your kidneys. If you have pain in the back, urinary disorders, dizziness and nervousness, it's time to act and no time to experiment. These are frequently symptoms of kidney trouble, and a remedy which is recommended for the kidneys should be taken in time.

Doan's Kidney Pills are a good remedy to use. It has acted effectively in many cases in this vicinity.

Can Ballinger residents demand further proof than the following testimonial?

R. D. Johnson, Coleman, Tex., says: "Some years ago I began to have pains across my back for which I tried several kinds of remedies and consulted doctors. Nothing seemed to do me good until I took Doan's Kidney Pills, which were recommended to me. Having used so many other kinds of medicine, I found it took some time before they acted satisfactorily, but after using one box I began to find relief. I continued taking them and they cured me. I have since enjoyed good health with no symptoms of a return attack. I am pleased to recommend this remedy to my friends."

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FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save your Hair! Get a 25 cents bottle of Danderine right now—Also Stops Itching Scalp

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine down hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

J. L. Atwell, of Miles, who had been in Ballinger attending District court, this week, returned home Saturday afternoon.

Neuralgia of the face, shoulder, hands, or feet requires a powerful remedy that will penetrate the flesh. Ballard's Snow Liniment possesses that power. Rubbed in where the pain is felt is all that is necessary to relieve suffering and restore normal conditions. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

H. E. Petty, the Maverick blacksmith, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Saturday.

Grass for Sale for Pasture. I have a section of grass for sale or will take stock to pasture. Located 11 miles north of town on Valley creek. See W. C. Smith or Ed Gaston. 14-5td Itw

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harris and baby, left Saturday at noon to visit relatives at San Angelo a few days.

Mrs. G. V. Denton, and two children of the Norton country, left from this point Friday afternoon for Cedar Hills, Texas, to visit relatives and friends a few weeks.

WITH THE CHURCHES.

The First Baptist Church.

We will have Sunday school tomorrow 9:45 a. m. No preaching at the morning hour. The pastor will be at Hatchel, Saturday night and Sunday morning to do some special work for the church there, but will return Sunday afternoon for the evening service, 7:30. We cordially invite visitors and strangers among us to meet with our Sunday school and worship with us at the evening hour.

BARTOW BROOME, Pastor.

Ninth Street Baptist Church.

Sabbath school, 10 a. m. Preaching morning and evening as usual. A cordial welcome to everybody to attend each service.

W. BION ADKINS, Pastor.

All Saints Episcopal Church.

Sunday school each Sunday morning at the usual hour.

REC. E. CECIL SEAMAN, Pastor.

Nazarine Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:45 at night. A cordial invitation to all.

E. W. WELLS, Pastor.

Methodist Church.

Sunday school 9:45. Preaching at 11 and 7:30. Morning subject: "The Posuer of the Holy Scriptures."

Evening subject: "Are There Few That Be Saved?"

Special music at both services. A cordial invitation to all.

W. H. DOSS, Pastor.

The Catholic Church.

9:00 a. m. Sunday school. 10:00 a. m. High Mass.

Sermon: "The Gospel of the Day. 7:45 p. m. Holy Rosary. About "Purity Sunday."

Lecture: "The Infallible Teaching of the Church of Christ, according to the Holy Bible."

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

(Rev.) J. B. FRIGON, Pastor.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

Will Keifer, of the Winters country, passed through Ballinger Friday afternoon en route to Flatonio, where he has accepted a position.

When the chest feels on fire and the throat burns, you have indigestion, and you need Herbine to get rid of the disagreeable feeling. It drives out badly digested food, strengthens the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Frank Flynt and John Dale, business men of Winters, were among the business visitors in Ballinger a few hours Friday afternoon.

Arrested

Further arrests are being made daily—not of persons, but of pain. Its Hunt's Lightning Oil that so many people are talking about because it arrests and stops pain, and affords almost instant relief in cases of Neuralgia Rheumatism Headaches, Burns, etc. Just try it if you want pain to quit quick.

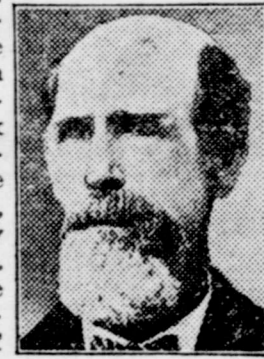
S. D. Williams, of Hatchel, was transacting business in Ballinger a few hours Friday afternoon.

Listen!

C. A. Freeze, the Singer sewing machine man, buys all kinds of second hand clothing and pays spot cash for same, or will sell you a Singer machine for cash or on terms to suit you. Will allow you all your old machine is worth on a new Singer machine. 23-26td

A CLERGYMAN'S STORY Came Near Losing His Life--How He Escaped

The following letter was received by The Peruna Co., from Rev. G. W. Roberts, R. R. 2, Box 27, Hartsell, Alabama, under date of April 2, 1904, which is exactly nine years ago. He says: "I take pleasure in informing you of what your Peruna has done for me after three years of suffering. I had tried the treatments of several doctors, also home remedies, but they failed and all hope had gone. My friends, like myself, thought I was in the last stages of consumption."



REV. G. W. ROBERTS, R. R. 2, Box 27, Hartsell, Ala.

"My daughter brought me a bottle of Peruna and plead with me to try it. I had got so weak I had lost my voice, and I thought it no use. That was in May, 1902. I began to take it, according to directions. I wrote to you, and you gave me your kind advice."

"I soon felt better, my cough began to give way, and the expectation lessened. I have taken fourteen bottles. I feel well, eat hearty, sleep soundly, weigh as much as I ever did, do considerable work on my farm, and attend to my other business. My friends seem astonished at my recovery."

"I wish to thank you for your kind advice and the books you have sent me. I shall ever praise your medicine and hope that you may enjoy a long life."

It will be observed that Rev. Roberts waited two years after he began to use Peruna, before he wrote the above letter to The Peruna Co. So that his apparent recovery could not possibly have been temporary relief.

In a later letter to The Peruna Co., dated September 22, 1906, Rev. Roberts says: "I am a great friend of Peruna. By the use of Dr. Hartman's advice I am here to-day, able to be with my family and attend to my business."

We quote from another letter, dated December 10, 1906: "I praise Peruna to all the sick. The people know my case, and they praise it also."

In a letter dated November 22, 1909, we quote Rev. Roberts: "Peruna gave me back my life ten years ago. All my acquaintances know that. I am certainly thankful to you for your kindness."

In a later letter, dated January 13, 1910, he says: "I shall ever in the future, as in the past, be ready to speak in praise of Peruna to all sufferers. I believe my miraculous cure has been the means of many others being cured in this county."

From a letter of September 5, 1911, we quote a few words: "I am still among the living. As to Peruna, I do not feel that I have words to express the faith I have in its merits. I feel that Peruna has been the means, through the kind providence of God, of prolonging my life for more than ten years."

We quote a still later letter, October 21, 1912. He says: "I took a severe cold three weeks ago. I at once sent for Peruna. Have been taking it two weeks. I am now better. I consider that Peruna has carried me over a dozen years of life. I always stand ready to answer any question in reference to Peruna."

We quote from his last letter, dated January 2, 1913: "Dear Friends: I wish this bright New Year to express my thanks to you for your kindness. Trusting that you may have a successful and happy year, and that your medicine may prove a blessing to many as it has to me. I am yours as ever, G. W. Roberts, Hartsell, Alabama, R. F. D. 2, Box 27."

It is not necessary for us to add any words to this story. The eloquence and pathos of these letters are more convincing than arguments or affidavits. Who can doubt the clergyman's story? Who can doubt that Peruna saved his life?

Every home should be provided with the last edition of the "Ills of Life," sent free by the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Nick Stallworth, of Pony creek was in Ballinger Saturday to meet his son, G. P. Stallworth, of El Campa, who came in at noon to visit in our section a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont and baby, of San Saba, came in at noon Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Tom Ward and family and Ballinger friends a few days.

Mrs. J. F. Holliday, of Winters, who had been visiting her father Dr. Fowler and family the past several days, returned home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Drews left Saturday morning for Brownwood to join Mr. Drews en route home from the East.

Trespass Notice.

My land on Valley creek in Runnels county, is posted and all persons are warned not to hunt, gather pecans, haul wood, or to commit any other kind of trespassing. J. W. RABY, 9-dwtf Route 3, Ballinger, Tex.

A LADY'S COMES BACK AT MAN.

An exchange says: "A smart-alec newspaper man, who probably

was tickled to death to get a chance to get a peep at the thing he was kicking about, published in his paper:

"Backward, turn backward, oh time in your flight; give us a girl whose skirts are not tight; give us a girl whose charms, many or few, are not too much exposed by a peek-a-boo; give us a girl, no matter what age, who won't use the street as a vaudeville stage; give us a girl not too sharply in view; dress her in skirts that the sun can't shine through."

Whereupon one of his lady subscribers came back with the following, since when everything has been very quiet:

"Backward, turn backward, oh time in your flight; give us a man who always acts right; give us a man both honest and brave, who still wears something when he goes to shave; give us a man, no matter what age, who won't make the world a vaudeville stage, give us a man with a fine manly face, who won't shed all his clothes when he's running a race. In playing baseball and a basketball game, give us a man who won't show us all his frame; give us a man that has something to do besides watching us women; oh, please do."

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.

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It's our business to furnish your table with the Best Groceries. Our deliveries are prompt—our goods are first class.

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Your Business Solicited

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CITY MEAT MARKET

Is the place to buy your meats. Nothing but the best stuff bought for our trade.
A Tender Juicy Steak is something that every man wants. We have 'em.

THE CITY MEAT MARKET
J. A. NICHOLS, Proprietor.

DON'T FORGET

H. L. WENDORF, the Saddle and Harness Man.
Wants your business however large or small. All kinds of repairing done neatly and promptly. Shoeshop in connection
Hutchings Ave., Ballinger, Texas.

My Registered Jersey Bull

Fox's Blossom's Noble—No. 112356
Will make the season on Mrs. Woodward's place on Colorado River above Farmer's Warehouse. \$2.50 Season Cash, must accompany the cow. No cow called for or delivered. Phone 384. Guarantee free return service.
ROBERT H. GORUM

SEE THE---

Farmer's Union Warehouse Company

FOR GOOD COAL AT
\$8.50 Per Ton (Delivered)
G. W. MATHIS, Manager. Ballinger, Texas.

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.

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who has his clothing cleaned and pressed at Roark's why the establishment seems so popular. Superior work and lively satisfaction tells the whole story. Moderate prices and prompt service are also factors that have contributed to make this a Mecca for both men and women at this shop. TELEPHONE 260.



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Mrs. Edwin Day

-- The Ballinger Dairy --

Wants to sell you milk. Prompt service
QUICK DELIVERIES.
Good Milk is Our Motto
The Ballinger Dairy. Phone 21

Purely Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Monroe, of Talpa, were shopping in Ballinger Saturday.

Corn meal over twenty-one days old is not fit for table use, so says the pure food man. 14-tf

Mrs. L. M. Wade, left Saturday at noon for Miles to visit her daughter a few days.

When your food does not digest well and you feel 'blue,' tired and discouraged, you should use a little Herbine at bedtime. It opens the bowels, purifies the system and restores a fine feeling of health and energy. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Mrs. Singletary left Saturday at noon to visit friends at San Angelo a few days.

Listen!

H. A. Cady is still paying the highest CASH PRICE for all kinds of second hand goods. He sells also for cash or on terms to suit you. Stoves, dressers and all kinds of furniture at half price for cash the next 30 days. See C. A. Freeze, the Singer sewing machine agent and he pays the cash. 23-26td.

Mrs. J. L. Heath and little son left Saturday afternoon to visit relatives at Winters a few days.

Are You Bald Headed?

If you are I can grow hair on your bald spot. My wonderful FERTILINE hair restorer has grown hair on hundreds of bald heads.

Don't bother to write. Just tear out this advertisement, wrap a dollar bill, check or money order in it with your name and address and mail today. I will send you a bottle by return Parcel Post prepaid. Free booklet entitled "Some Bald Head Facts." ROY LIGHTFOOD, Box 357 San Antonio, Texas. tfdw

Judge A. K. Doss had legal business at Winters between trains Saturday.

"THE OLD RELIABLE"
PLANTEN'S OR BLACK C & C CAPSULES
REMEDY FOR MEN
AT DRUGGISTS OR TRIAL BOX BY MAIL 50c FROM PLANTEN 93 HENRY ST. BROOKLYN, N.Y.
BEWARE OF IMITATIONS

G. W. Houston, of the Tennyson country, was supplying in Ballinger Saturday.

Why buy old corn meal when you can get it fresh ever day from Misosuri Milling Co. 14-tf

John Thurman, of the First National Bank, left Friday afternoon for Dallas on a business trip and will be a few days.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

In Use For Over 30 Years

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Mrs. C. E. Allen and baby left Saturday at noon to visit her brother at Miles a few days.

FOR SALE—Small stock of groceries with or without building. P. O. in connection, near gin and school, on public and cross-road. Apply to Lon Mapes, Pony, Texas. 17-6dltw

L. L. Walker, who lives in the Spring Hill neighborhood, had business in Ballinger a few hours Saturday.

We kept you cool all summer, now we want to keep you warm all winter ARCTIC ICE & FUEL CO. Phone 312. 25-dtf

Mrs. A. K. Doss and baby returned home Friday afternoon from a visit to her parents of San Angelo.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no others. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Mrs. August Herring Sr., left from this point Friday afternoon to visit her sons and daughters at Talpa a few days.

Weather Forecast.
Colder with rains causing rheumatic pains. Hunt's Lightning stops all aches and pains other from Rheumatism, Neuralgic Cuts, Burns, or Bruises. The Liniment known 25c and 50c bottles. All druggists.

G. Key, came in from the Saturday at noon to spend a few days with his family and Ballinger friends a few days.

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Winters, who jury in Dis- nek, returned noon.

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Inside of two years corn meal will be labeled the date it is manufactured and any offered for sale over twenty-one days will be a violation of the law, so says the pure food man. 14-tfd

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.
by local application, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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SEE IF THE CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED.

Mother! Don't hesitate! If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

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

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feely splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

SLAUGHTER ACQUITTED OF KILLING CRAIG

(Continued from First Page.)

as follows:

Mrs. F. A. Ragsdel vs. F. L. Ragsdel.

Natibidad Vera vs. Yarbino Vera (Mexican.)

Fannie Lewis vs. W. D. Lewis.

Mabel Coleman vs. Will Coleman (negro.)

The third week will be devoted to the jury civil docket. A number of cases will probably come up for trial, and will be tried or continued and next week will wind up the fall term of court.

Only One Criminal Case Tried.

It speaks well for Runnels county that there were only four criminal cases on the docket at this term of court, and the only one tried was that transferred here from another county. There remains only three cases on the criminal docket. Those were continued by agreement, and are as follows:

Paul Tremmell, charged with killing Mexican.

Will Spires charged with swindling.

Bill Griggs charged with assault and attempt to rape.

Grand Jury Takes Recess.

The grand jury did not finish their work this week. They took recess today at one o'clock and those living out of town returned to their homes to spend Sunday. They will meet again Monday, and it is probable they will be in session a good part of next week. No indictments have been returned and it is probable they will return no bills until they make final report.

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

SICK SOUR STOMACH, INDIGESTION OR GAS.

Take "Pape's Diapepsin" and in five minutes you'll wonder what became of misery in Stomach.

Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please, for your sake, don't go on and on with a weak disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary.

J. M. Able, of Concho county, who had been attending District court, left for his home Saturday. Mr. Able and Dr. Clelland, the optician, were old friends and this was the first meeting in thirty-five years and the gentlemen certainly enjoyed the meeting.

For Sale.

My 104 1-2 acre irrigable farm on Colorado river lying between Valley creek and River. Complete irrigating plant in perfect condition. A complete outfit of haying and farming implements. Several thousand young pecan trees growing in nursery. These trees will be ready for delivery next fall. This is the best hay farm in the county and will pay more clear money per acre than the same planted in cotton. Reason for selling, I am too old to longer attend to it properly.

S. B. Howard, Ballinger, Texas, P. O. Box 883. 18-2td 5tw

Mrs. George McLain and two children returned home Friday night from a visit to relatives at Brownwood. We are sorry to learn that the children have been quite ill while gone.

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See to it at once.

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Ballinger Electric Light Plant

Ballinger, Texas.

Attorneys J. K. Baker, of Coleman and Joe Adkins of Brady, who had been attending District court in Ballinger the past week, left for their homes Saturday morning.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bedwetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day and free to any mother her success. W. Notre Dame, Ind., will write you for night. (4)

W. B. Halley returned home Friday night from Temple and Halley returned home with Mrs. Halley had been spending the past several months with her relatives at Temple.

Causes Further Talk.

Because so many people are telling their experience with Hunt's Tanning Oil for Headaches, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, etc., others are led to give it a trial, and convinced immediately of its value as a pain killer. Are you so convinced? Ask the druggist.

George J. O. Woodward, of Coleman who was one of the attorneys attending District court, in our city returned home Friday afternoon.

tons of the very choicest best coal at Arctic Ice and Co. No slack, no slate, no dirt. Phone 312. 25-dtf

John King, of the Winters county, passed through Ballinger Friday afternoon en route to Dallas to attend the Fair and look after their business affairs a week or two.

Still Killing.

It still keeps on killing pain, does Hunt's Lightning Oil. For many years it has been with wonderful success for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cuts, Burns and other hurts. All Druggists sell it in 25c and 50c bottles.

J. N. Mason, of the Valley creek country, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday afternoon.

HELPLESS AS BABY

Down in Mind Unable to Work, and What Helped Her.

Summit Point, W. Va.—Mrs. Anna Belle Emey, of this place, says: "I suffered for 15 years with an awful pain in my right side, caused from womanly trouble, and doctored lots for it, but without success. I suffered so very much, that I became down in mind, and as helpless as a baby. I was in the worst kind of shape. Was unable to do any work. I began taking Cardui, the woman's tonic, and got relief from the very first dose. By the time I had taken 12 bottles, my health was completely restored. I am now 48 years years old, but feel as good as I did when only 16.

Cardui certainly saved me from losing my mind, and I feel it my duty to speak in its favor. I wish I had some power over poor, suffering women, and could make them know the good it would do them."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, it will certainly be worth your while to give Cardui a trial. It has been helping weak women for more than 50 years, and will help you, too.

Try Cardui. Your druggist sells it. Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., 125 Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Treatment of Women," in plain wrapper. 25-c.

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