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Happy Hooligan

Has been backed off the boards in the Comedy line by the Keystone Film Co. These irresistible laugh-jerkers make you laugh whether or no. Come out and see them for yourself. Our machine runs like a ribbon of Colgate's Dental Cream. And by the way look what an offering we have for tonight.

Picture Program

Friday Night Special in 3 Reels, a Feature—**OLD MAMMY'S SECRET CODE** Broncho

A Powerful Drama of the old South, depicting with vivid realism the struggle of Might against Right, cleverly weaving into this a romance of a Man and a Maid.

The Princess Theatre

Reserved Seat 20c
Admission 10c

PREACHING AT EIGHTH STREET PRES. CHURCH

Rev. A. C. Smith pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Stamford, will arrive in Ballinger this afternoon on the A. and S. and will preach at the Eighth Street Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. It is probable that there will be services throughout the week at this church. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

WILL SPEAD AT DALLAS.

Judge Jno. I. Guion and daughter, Miss Cordelia left Thursday afternoon for Dallas where the Judge is billed to deliver an address at the State Educators meeting in that city Friday. They will enjoy the fair a few days and go on to College Station, where the Judge goes to look after the work of the A. & M. College a few days.

E. B. Webb, of Mississippi, who is visiting his cousin Mr. Tindal, of the New Home community, went to San Angelo Friday.

Attend to It Today.

Now is the acceptable time to open an account with The Farmers & Merchants State Bank.

Everything has beginning. Today you should begin to do business with The Farmers & Merchants State Bank. It pays to do business with this Bank.

THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK
"Fathers and Mothers Bank."

FLORENCE BROWN MURDER SUSPECT

Report that Brown Murder Suspect is Being Brought to Texas Creates Excitement in Dallas.

Dallas, Oct. 31.—The report circulated here that Meade Barr, the confessed murderer of Florence Brown, would be brought here, created excitement here today. It was soon learned that Barr would not be brought here, and if he is brought to Texas, he will be carried to some other place for safe keeping. At present Barr is being held at Memphis, Tenn.

The confession of Barr has revived interest in the mysterious murder that occurred when some one cut Florence Brown's throat in the real estate office of her uncle in broad open day light in this city last July. The murder baffled the detective and police force of the entire country.

Dallas Officers Now Have Barr. Memphis Oct. 31.—Meade Barr, suspected of implication in the killing of Miss Florence Brown at Dallas, Texas, last July, was taken from Memphis late last night in the custody of Chief of Police John W. Ryan of Dallas.

It is stated that Barr has agreed to return to Texas without the formality of a requisition.

In a statement last night the prisoner does not deny that he was in Dallas at the time of the killing of the young woman but stoutly maintains that he had no connection with the crime. His departure from Dallas on that day was merely a coincidence he asserts.

"I just heard the report over town that a woman had been mysteriously murdered," declared Barr, "and that is all I know about it. I had no connection with the murder and never dreamed that I would be charged with it. I never saw the woman or heard of her before I learned that she had been killed. I don't believe I ever said to myself or anyone else that I killed a woman in Dallas before I left there. I know I did not kill any one and can't see how I could have made such a statement."

Barr, who gave his age as 31, appears but little perturbed, expressing confidence that he can establish a sufficient alibi immediately he after he reaches Dallas.

Barr was paroled from the Indiana State Reformatory and was by permission, allowed to go to a sister living in Dallas, where it was hoped that he would be able to reform under more favorable circumstances, but he had been there only a short time when he is alleged to have murdered the young woman.

Ed Dickinson, of Reagan Co., came in Friday to visit relatives, look after business affairs a few days.

CITIZENS ENDORSE STANLEY PROPOSITION

Irrigation Proposition Submitted By Engineer Stanley Looks Good to Those Who Understand Proposition.

The large delegation that attended the irrigation meet at Bronte Thursday afternoon, returned home Thursday night, and are enthusiastic in discussing the proposition as submitted by Mr. Stanley. The proposition as submitted by Mr. Stanley looks too good to be true, and before the meeting at Bronte adjourned, and after the question had been thoroughly discussed, the question as to whether the proposition met the approval of the meeting or not, was put to a vote and the large audience voted unanimously, thereby endorsing the proposition. One farmer did not vote, but after the vote was taken he got up and stated that he favored the proposition, but was not ready to sign a contract, and desired to consider the details of the proposition.

Mr. Stanley stated that he was not asking any one to sign the contracts at present, and did not want any one to sign them until they understood the proposition thoroughly, and that he stood ready to explain everything connected with the project and had nothing to conceal.

In discussing the proposition as submitted by Mr. Stanley at the Bronte meeting, many questions came, and Mr. Stanley was prompt to explain every one that was asked him. Mr. Stanley only ask for one-half of the irrigable lands. For instance, if a man owns 200 acres of land and 100 acres is irrigable land—land that can be irrigated from the ditch, he only ask that the owner of land sell his company 50 acres, at a price to be agreed upon between Stanley and land owners, and the farmer to accept stock in the irrigation company in payment for the land. Some one asked what about the mortgage that might be against that land. Mr. Stanley stated that this question had been investigated, and that he had been assured that a loan company would release the land that the irrigation company bought, and hold lien on the half the farmer kept for the entire amount of the indebtedness, provided of course, the land was placed under irrigation. Where this could not be done Mr. Stanley stated that his company would accept the land with the mortgage against it, and hold the farmer's stock until the mortgage was paid.

In answer to question about the probability of the dam being destroyed, and the proposition falling through, Mr. Stanley stated that nothing but a substantial dam would be built, one that the government would approve, and that a dam approved by the government could be insured for three-fourths of its cost.

Many questions were asked Mr. Stanley, and we must say that he was very frank in answering all. He does not seem to have anything to conceal, and using his own language, says, "I will not be a dog in the manger; if I can't build the dam I will get out of the way and let somebody else build it and if any body makes you a better proposition than this you should take it." He stated that he was opposed to gifts and donations to public utilities and did not approve of the bonus plan.

It seems to be Mr. Stanley's plan to submit his proposition and then let it take care of itself. He stated that he would not get out in the territory that would come in the irrigation district, and make a house to house canvas in pushing his proposition, but that if the people wanted it they must get busy and take the matter up with him and discuss the proposition, and if it meets their approval sign up and help to get ready for actual work. He stated that

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BRIDE AND GROOM HERE TODAY.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blair Harris came in from Galveston Thursday night and visited Mr. Harris sister, Mrs. R. A. Nicholson and left on the noon train Friday for Miles, where they will spend a few days with Mr. Harris' parents.

Mr. Harris was married to Miss Mayme Pike at Galveston on Wednesday night of this week. The Galveston News, of Thursday carried the following account of the wedding:

"The wedding of Miss Mayme Octavia Pike, daughter of Mrs. E. O. Pike, and Mr. James Blair Harris was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. C. S. Wright, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

Large white chrysanthemums and ferns formed the decorations in the drawing room, dining room and hall. A profusion of these beautiful autumn blossoms and palms formed a wedding bower in the south end of the drawing room. Here the bridegroom and his best man, Mr. Walter C. Esry, awaited the bridal party.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Edith Brandes. Miss Brandes wore cream raitine with trimmings of chiffon and carried an arm cluster of white roses.

The bride, gowned in cream messaline with pearl trimmings, entered with her brother, Mr. R. W. Bowen. She wore a band of pearls in her hair, ornamented with an ostrich tip. A bridal bouquet in shower effect on marine streamers was carried. Miss Lowery played the nuptial music. She was gowned in pale blue silk.

Following the ceremony an informal reception was held, the guests being relatives and near friends. During the reception ices and cake were served.

The bride's table was placed in the dining room. It was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums and fern. Miss Edna Boetger kept the bride's book. Many handsome presents were received among these being a chest of silver, given by his coworkers on The News.

In drawing the ribbons from the bride's cake Mr. C. V. Kinter drew the dime and Mrs. Bert Schweder the ring. The bride's bouquet was caught by Miss Edith Brandes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris left on the 10 o'clock interurban for Houston and from there will go to Ballinger, and will also visit other towns in West Texas. They will return to Galveston about Nov. 10 and will go to housekeeping in their own home, 3119 Avenue R1-2. The bride was gowned for traveling in a tailored suit of dark blue diagonal serge. Her traveling hat was black velour trimmed with dark blue plumes.

The bride and groom are prominent in church circles, and have a host of friends in this city. Mr. Harris is connected with the business office of The Galveston News. The bride was for several years connected with the firm of E. Dulitz.

Mr. Harris has many friends in Ballinger who wish for him all the happiness possible for married life to give, and who will also be glad to know that he is making good with the Gal-Dal News, which papers he has been with for more than a year.

The flowers furnished in the decoration mentioned in the write up of the wedding as appeared in the Galveston News, were Ballinger flowers, and were sent to Galveston by Mrs. R. A. Nicholson, sister of Mr. Harris.

REV. CARTER RETURNS HOME FROM ARIZ.

Rev. Fred Carter returned at noon Friday from an extended trip to Arizona. Rev. Carter held a revival at Winslow, Arizona, and reports that 103 were received into the church at that place. Mrs. Carter who had been visiting at Sweetwater returned home with Rev. Carter. There will be regular services at the Christian church Sunday.

A VISIT TO THE BALLINGER JAIL.

A Ledger man visited the jail Friday morning for the purpose of getting an interview out of the old man charged with passing bogus money. Our attention was attracted by the cleanliness of the prison where those who violate the laws of the land are confined until the court passes on their guilt. The floor, bedding, etc., was much cleaner than is usually found in county jails, and the jail is free from that odor so common in county jails. Jailer Sheffy deserves credit for the sanitary manner in which he is keeping the prison house.

At present there are five prisoners in our jail. Young Wilson, is waiting for the higher courts to pass on his case, which was appealed from Coneho County, where he was convicted and given 49 years for killing a young man by the name of Stuart. A young man by the name of Cox, who was indicted for horse theft by the grand jury just adjourned is waiting to secure bond. Clay Smith, the young man who recently shot at the officers as the officers undertook to arrest him, is being held on a charge of carrying a pistol. His case will come up in county court. George Brown, who was convicted here more than a year ago and given the life term for the murder of his wife Brown county, is still in the Ballinger jail. His case is pending in the higher court. Brown has been in jail now for nearly three years and seems to feel at home. He is jovial and jokes with those who call at the jail, and appears to be in the best of spirit, and is enjoying good health. He looks much better than he did when he was tried for the awful crime of murdering his wife with an iron cudgel. The fifth prisoner is the old man arrested Thursday for passing counterfeit money.

We are pleased to state that none of these are Runnels County citizens.

J. W. Tippett, of the Crews country, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday.

W. R. Emmert, of the Norton country, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday.

COUNTERFEITER LANDS IN BALLINGER JAIL

Officers Make Successful Hunt for Counterfeiter and Arrest Old Man at San Angelo and Return Him to Ballinger.

The man who passed the counterfeit five dollar bill at the Secrest Hotel an account of which appeared in Thursday's Ledger was arrested at San Angelo and brought to Ballinger and placed in jail late Thursday afternoon.


As soon as the passing of the bad money was reported to the officers, they got busy and after obtaining a description of the man, Sheriff Flynt, Marshal McKay and Deputy Sheriff Perkins left for San Angelo. They were in San Angelo only a short time when they located a man suiting the description in the lobby of the Landon Hotel. They placed him under arrest and found among other things in his pocket a roll of counterfeit five dollar bills amounting to \$190.

The man first gave his name as Anderson, later he stated that it was something else and finally stated that his right name was J. P. McLibbon, and admitted he was guilty. He also had in his pocket a list of the different county fairs in Texas and their dates, also several in Arkansas, and it is supposed that he was making the fairs and working off bad money. He arrived in Ballinger over the A. & S. and after spending a short time here he went to San Angelo, where it is supposed he expected to remain until after the fair which opens there on the 4th of November, as the San Angelo fair dates was among the ones he had listed.

Albert Woods, manager of the local telephone company, was attracted by the action of McLibbon while he was seated in the Central Hotel lobby Wednesday night, he furnished the officers with a description that was of great help to them in the search. Mr. Woods states that there were two men when he noticed them, and it is thought that the man now in jail

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HE HID HIS MONEY IN THE GROUND. ITS GONE IF HE HAD HIDDEN IT IN OUR BANK IT WOULD BE SAFE NOW



Do you see this picture? Well this is a common occurrence. The papers contain accounts almost daily of where people lose their money by hiding it in unsafe places. If you want to place your money where it will be safe, place it behind our thick walls and strong locks.

We refer those who have not banked with us to those who have.

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Look out for the goblins, they'll get you tonight.

The irrigation proposition is up to the farmer. Unless the man that owns the land, who will be the man benefited, shows some disposition to encourage the proposition, the project will never go through, and the old grind of trying to make a crop where moisture is short will go merrily on when the present generation passes. It is going to take co-operation and much of it.

Base ball like watermelons does not taste good out of season, but some of the boys are anxious to meet Christie, and they are planning to go to Abilene next Tuesday.

A CORRECTION.

In the account of the irrigation meeting at Bronte, as published in

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of Dr. H. H. Fletcher.

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

You Eat to Live and Live to Eat. It's our business to furnish your table with the Best Groceries. Our deliveries are prompt—our goods are first class. Phone 66. Miller Mercantile Company.

The Ballinger Dairy. Wants to sell you milk. Prompt service. QUICK DELIVERIES. Good Milk is Our Motto. The Ballinger Dairy. Phone 210.

REMEMBER--- I Represent Mrs. Steffens of Brownwood for Cut Flowers, Bulbs and Potted Plants, the Best and Cheapest Florist in West Texas. Telephone 131 or 111. Mrs. Edwin Day.

Thursday's Ledger, we stated that R. T. Williams was among those who addressed the meeting. We should have said Judge Williamson. The two names were easily mixed by transmitting the report over the telephone from Bronte.

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

SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY.

Prof. Emmett Wilson Cockrell, left Thursday afternoon for the Jamison school community where he will get things in shape to open his school next Monday. He is a Ballinger product strictly, having been reared from infancy here and graduated this year in the Ballinger High School and obtained his certificate at the summer normal the past summer and his many Ballinger friends wish and predict success for him in his chosen profession.

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.

WOODMEN CIRCLE.

The Woodmen Circle enjoyed a very pleasant and profitable meeting at their hall Tuesday night and a large attendance was present on that occasion. After the work of the lodge was over a splendid oyster supper was served and all left feeling glad that they were present to enjoy the event.

Purely Personal

A. J. Loika, of the Poay creek country, was transacting business in Ballinger Thursday afternoon.

WANTED—To do general house work in Ballinger. Apply at Mrs. Mary Carpenter. 4tdpd

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. James, of the Maverick country, were shopping in Ballinger Thursday.

LOST—Small package containing few yards of crocheted, on 8th street or Hutchings Ave. Finder please return to Mrs. Andy Gustavus. Ballinger. 1td

W. D. Sanduskey, of Coke county, was supplying in Ballinger Thursday afternoon.

FOR SALE—Seven passenger Buick car, 60 h. p. engine, in good shape, goes at \$500. Apply to Charlie Hanz, Rowena. 28-dvtf

Mrs. Kate Woodward left Thursday afternoon to visit relatives at Coleman a week or two.

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

J. F. Kunz, of Rowena, had business in Ballinger between trains Friday.

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.

W. F. McKnown, of the Norton-Mazeland country, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday.

Our grocery stock is new, fresh and complete. We are pleasing many satisfied customers. Why not you? All reliable accounts solicited. Give us your grocery orders next month. Phone 228. Free delivery. 28-5d SCHAWA GROCERY CO.

Brie Wilmet, of Mexico, came in Thursday to visit his sister, Mrs. Dan Moser Jr., and family and Ballinger friends a few days.

Rev. J. C. Boyd, of Winters, who had been to Miles on church work the past few days, passed thru Ballinger Friday en route home.

Stop coughing! you rack the lungs and worry the body. Ballard's Horehound Syrup checks irritation, heals the lungs and restores comfortable breathing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Catley and children of Wingate were visiting relatives and shopping in Ballinger Thursday.

THE OLD RELIABLE. PLANTER'S REMEDY FOR MEN. A DRUGGIST'S ORIGINAL BOX 57c. 11c per 10c PLANTINOL 50c. 10c per 10c PLANTINOL 50c. 10c per 10c PLANTINOL 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ratchford, of Paint Rock, were looking after business affairs and shopping in Ballinger Thursday afternoon.

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-td

Judge R. B. Truly left Thursday afternoon for Talpa and Glen Cove where he goes to look after legal business a few days.

Arrested

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.

Tom Greer, of Winters, who had been out in El Paso county the past several weeks, passed through Ballinger Friday en route home.

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

John S. Greenhill, of the Pony creek country, was looking after business affairs in Ballinger Friday.

SHOE FOUND—Child's shoe New, never been worn, found on Ballinger and Paint Rock road, near Dr. Fowler farm. Pay for notice and get shoe at Ledger office. dwtf

H. C. Moten, of the Winters-Wingate country, was among the business affairs in Ballinger Friday.

Trespass Notice.

My land on Valley creep 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-dvtf Route 3, Ballinger, Tex.

Walter Allen, of Lowake, came in Thursday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen and family and Ballinger friends a few days.

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

H. Kabel, who had been with Higginbotham, Currie, Williams Co., the past several weeks, left Friday for Rowena, where he has accepted a position with the Baron Mercantile Co., of that town.

Are You Bald Headed?

If you are I can grow hair on your bald spot. My wonderful FERTHANE 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

E. Koenig, one of the successful farmers south west of the city, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Thursday and had his figures on the Banner-Ledger set up another year.

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

A. R. Holman, of San Angelo, a former citizen of Ballinger, passed through the city Thursday afternoon en route to Brady where he has been appointed manager of the Texas Oil Company at that place.

Weather Forecast.

Colder with rains causing rheumatic pains. Hunt's Lightning Oil stops all aches and pains whether from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cuts, Burns, or Bruises. The Quickets Liniment known 25c and 50c bottles. All druggists.

J. D. Smith, of the Winters country, who had been in Ballinger on business the past day or two went out home Friday morning and had just bought a new wagon, a hack and buggy. Don't tell us times are hard in Runnels county.

Wormy children are unhappy, puny and sickly. They can't be otherwise when worms eat away their strength and vitality. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge performs a marvelous transformation. Cheerfulness, strength and the rosy bloom of health speedily return. Price 25c per bottle, Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Prof. Lee Little, of Maverick informed us Friday that he would begin his school at Walthall next Monday. Prof. Little is one of Runnels county's favorite sons and the patrons of this school are fortunate in securing him as their teacher.

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

Mrs. Edna Tucker and two children, of Palestine, Texas, who had been spending several months at Carlsbad, passed through Ballinger Thursday en route home. Mrs. Tucker is a friend of Mrs. W. E. Blair, of South Ballinger. She will wind up her business affair at Palestine and move to Ballinger to make home in the near future.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. H. H. Fletcher. In Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA. THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

QUITE COMPLIMENTARY. Quite a number of the Ballinger citizens who attended the irrigation meeting at Bronte Thursday have been quite complimentary in regard to the full and correct report of the meeting carried in The Daily Ledger the evening of the meeting just an hour or so after the meeting convened. The Ledger gives the news while it is news and is always up to the minute on all important events of this section and we are glad to know our citizens appreciate our efforts to give them an up-to-date daily.

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.

GUNTER HOTEL. Absolutely Fireproof. SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. Rates prof. Modern, European. A Hotel Built For The Climate. \$1.00 to \$3.00 Per Day. SAN ANTONIO HOTEL CO., Owners, PERCY TYRRELL, Mgr.

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. Shoe shop 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. CORUM.

SEE THE--- Farmer's Union Warehouse Company FOR GOOD COAL AT \$8.50 Per Ton (Delivered) G. W. MATHIS, Manager. Ballinger, Texas.

It's No Mystery To A Man. 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 290. W. H. ROARK, The Tailor.

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Commenced Oct. 11th Ends November Third.

Zappe's Great Fall Sale

Will Continue After November 3rd, to Give All the Benefit of this Great Sale.

CASH ONLY! CASH ONLY! CASH ONLY!

Commenced Oct. 11th Ends November Third.

We have cut the price on every article in our Dry Goods Department to such a degree that there is little, and in some cases no margin of profit. Our reason is; we desire to rid our selves of the \$20,000 stock that we might prepare to stock our shelves with goods at our store room which have not been unpacked. We desire to make

ZAPPE'S GREAT FALL SALE

one of par excellence and one that will attract the attention of our customers from every section of Runnels county. The fall weather has done two things; if nothing else, and they are; the increase of Zappe optimism and public appreciation, hence, our Great Fall Sale.

One lot of Drummer's Samples in Ladies and Misses Sweaters, Caps, Gloves etc. going at Less than Wholesale Price.

1 lot of Drummer's Samples in Ladies Under skirts of all kinds going at less than Wholesale Price.



HEAR! HEAR!

OUR \$20,000 stock of dry goods to be sold at Reduced price in next 20 days.

A big reduction on all Men's and Boy's Hats and Caps. Also big reduction on Men's underwear and Sweaters.

Big reductions on all Men's Shirts, Belts, Ties and Gloves 1 lot of Belts, Drummer's Samples 25 and 35c going at 19c. 1 lot 50, 65, and 75c going 39c.

Stylish Fall Shoes for Women

- \$4.00 shoes going at \$3.48
- \$3.50 shoes going at \$2.98
- \$2.50 shoes going at \$2.49
- \$2.75 shoes going at \$2.25
- \$2.50 shoes going at \$1.73
- \$1.75 shoes going at \$1.48
- \$1.50 shoes going at \$1.33
- One lot of Ladies' slippers \$3.50 and \$3.00 going at \$1.98
- One lot \$2.00 and \$2.50 shoes going at \$1.23
- One lot \$1.50 and \$1.75 shoes going at 98c

Men's Shoes

- \$5.50 shoes at \$4.43
- \$5.00 shoes at \$3.98
- \$4.00 shoes at \$3.48
- \$3.50 shoes at \$2.98
- \$3.00 shoes at \$2.48
- \$2.50 shoes at \$1.98
- \$2.00 shoe at \$1.73
- \$1.75 shoes at \$1.49
- \$1.75 work shoes at \$1.59
- \$8.50 men's boots \$7.48
- \$7.50 men's boots \$6.48
- \$3.50 rubber boots \$2.98

Misses' Shoes

- \$3.50 shoes going at \$2.98
- \$3.25 shoes going at \$2.73
- \$3.00 shoes going at \$2.48
- \$2.75 shoes going at \$2.33
- \$2.50 shoes going at \$2.19
- \$2.25 shoes going at \$1.93
- \$2.00 shoes going at \$1.73
- \$1.75 shoes going at \$1.48
- \$1.50 shoes going at \$1.33
- \$1.35 shoes going at \$1.23
- \$1.25 shoes going at \$1.13
- Rubber shoes of all kinds are going at Reduction.

Ladies' Suits

- \$22.50 suits going at \$18.48
- \$16.00 suits going at \$13.49
- \$15.00 suits going at \$12.98
- \$12.50 suits going at \$10.48
- \$10.00 suits going at \$ 8.48

Ladies' Skirts

- \$7.30 skirts going at \$6.23
- \$6.50 skirts going at \$5.23
- \$6.00 skirts going at \$4.98
- \$5.50 skirts going at \$4.43
- \$4.00 skirts going at \$3.48
- \$3.50 skirts going at \$2.98
- \$2.00 skirts going at \$1.49

Ladies' Hose

- Hose Ladies and \$1.00 silk hose at 79c
- 50c silk hose at 43c
- 25c lisle hose at 23c
- 15c silk hose at 12c
- 10c lisle hose at 8c

Dress Goods

- All Silk and Woolen dress goods going in sale:
- \$1.00 silks going at 89c
- 75c silks going at 63c
- 65c silks going at 54c
- 50 silks going at 44c
- 35c silks going at 29c
- 25c silks going at 23c
- 20c curtain goods going at 14c

Boy's Shoes

- 3.00 shoes going at \$2.49
- \$2.75 shoes going at \$2.23
- \$2.50 shoes going at \$1.98
- \$2.00 shoes going at \$1.13
- \$1.75 shoes going at \$1.48
- \$1.50 shoes going at \$1.48
- \$1.50 shoes going at \$1.33
- One lot of boy's tennis shoes sizes from 2 to 4...35c

Notions

- 5 buttons going at 3c
- 5 pins, good 4c
- Crocket cotton at 4c
- Hooks and eyes 4c
- Safety pins 3c
- 1 pack hair pins 1c
- One lot of 10c stickerie going at 7c
- Hair nets 4c
- Talcum powder 9c
- 5 spools thread Chadwick 8c

Overalls

- \$1.00 overalls going at 89c
- \$1.00 jumpers 89c
- MEN'S WORK SHIRTS
- 50c and 60c shirts at 44c

Boy's Suits

- 250 boys' suits bought at 33 1-3 cents on the dollar:
- \$4.00 suits going at \$2.00
- \$4.50 suits going at \$2.25
- \$5.00 suits going at \$2.50
- \$6.00 suits going at \$3.00
- \$7.00 suits going at \$3.50
- \$8.00 suits going at \$5.00
- \$9.00 suits going at \$6.00
- \$9.50 suits going at \$6.50
- \$10.00 suits going at \$7.00

BELLE OF WICHITA FLOUR DURING THE SALE A SACK

Trunks and Bags

- \$16.00 trunks \$12.98
- \$15.00 trunks \$11.98
- \$13.00 trunks \$10.98
- \$10.00 trunks \$8.98
- \$8.50 trunks \$7.49
- \$7.50 trunks \$6.49
- \$6.50 trunks and bags \$5.98
- \$5.50 trunks and bags \$4.98
- \$4.50 trunks and bags \$3.98
- \$3.50 trunks and bags \$2.98

Overcoats

- \$20.00 overcoats at \$14.98
- \$17.50 overcoat at \$12.98
- \$15.00 overcoat at \$10.98
- \$12.50 overcoat at \$8.98
- \$10.00 overcoats at \$6.98
- \$7.50 overcoats at \$5.48

Boy's Overcoats

- \$3.00 overcoat going at \$2.00
- \$3.50 overcoat going at \$2.50
- \$4.50 overcoat going at \$3.00
- One job lot of youth's suits from \$5.00 to \$10.00 going at \$2.50.

Blankets

- A big lot of wool and wool nap and cotton blankets:
- \$5.50 going at 4.48
- \$4.50 going at 3.98
- \$3.50 going at 2.98
- \$2.50 going at 2.23
- \$2.00 going at 1.73
- \$1.50 going at 1.23
- \$1.25 going at 1.09
- 75c going at 59c
- 65c going at 49c
- LAP ROBES.
- \$7.50 lap robes going at \$6.49
- \$6.50 lap robes going at \$5.49
- \$6.00 lap robes going at \$5.23
- \$5.50 lap robes going at \$4.69

Clocks

- \$4.00 Thomas clock \$2.98
- 75c Alarm clock 59c
- Lamps also going at cost.
- Razors going at 98c

Hardware

- Closing out a big line of shelf hardware:
- \$3.75 jainter plane \$2.99
- \$3.00 jainter plane \$2.69
- \$1.75 hand saw \$1.49
- \$1.00 nut cracker at 69c
- \$1.75 brick trowl 49c
- 65c and 75c hammers 49c
- 65c hatchet at 49c
- Buckets, stew pans, water pails, coffee pots, bread pans, and hundreds of other articles

Men's Pants

- \$6.00 pants going at \$4.98
- \$5.50 pants going at \$4.48
- \$5.00 pants going at \$3.98
- \$4.50 pants going at \$3.48
- \$4.00 pants going at \$2.98
- \$3.50 pants going at \$2.48
- \$3.00 pants going at \$2.23
- \$2.50 pants going at \$1.98
- \$2.00 pants going at \$1.48
- \$1.25 and \$1.50 pants going at \$1.23.
- \$1.00 pants going at 89c

GIVEN AWAY FREE

The first customer that buys \$3.50 every morning in our store, during this sale, will get a present.

BELLE OF WICHITA FLOUR DURING THE SALE A SACK

Ladies' & Misses' Coats

- \$15.00 coats going at \$12.48
- \$12.50 coats going at \$10.98
- \$10.00 coats going at \$8.98
- \$ 7.50 coats going at \$ 6.48
- \$ 6.50 coats going at \$5.48
- \$6.00 coats going at \$4.98
- \$5.00 coats going at \$4.48
- \$4.00 coats going at \$3.48
- \$3.00 coats going at \$2.48

Men's Suits

- 20.00 suits going at \$14.98
- 22.50 suits going at \$17.50
- 17.50 suits going at \$12.98
- 15.00 suits going at \$10.98
- 12.50 suits going at \$8.98
- 10.00 suits going at \$7.49

COTTON FLANNEL

- 12c and 15c flannel at 11c
- 10c flannel at 9c

Embroidery

A big lot of embroidery and lace and ladies' hand bags, going at big reduction.

Galatier Goods

- 15c grade going at 12 1-2c
- 10c and 12 1-2c grade at 9c
- KIMONO GOODS
- 15c grade going at 12 1-2c
- 10c and 12 1-2c grade at 9c
- MADRAS.
- 15 grade going at 12 1-2c
- 10c grade going at 9c
- GINGHAMS
- 10c and 12 1-2c grade at 9c
- 10c grade going at 7c
- DOMESTIC and sheeting going at BIG REDUCTION.

How to Dress Well on a Limited Income

To dress well at moderate cost, to have the joy of knowing that the style of your costume is absolutely new and correct; that it is conservative and in good taste—select your new clothes from smart models we are showing from Bischof.

Then you know your costume has distinction and shows the modish notes of the season; that it is exquisitely tailored and perfect in finish and design—in short, that it comes to you fresh from the workrooms of one of America's foremost designers.



Come in and see the complete assortment of coats and suits we have just received. Notice how unusually lovely these models are. See how skillfully Bischof has developed all the charming new materials in the approved colors—how much attention is given to the important style features—the elongated panel back, the soft, graceful skirt draperies, the Mandarin sleeve—all the latest caprices of fashion are shown, after a manner that is most delightful and pleasing.

Bischof uses only the finest coat-canvas (the kind used by custom tailors); every yard of the material is tested, then sponged and shrunk; silk thread is used throughout; silk-covered shields protect the armholes; the buttons are reinforced by stay-buttons inside the coat. Bischof's garments keep their shape; they are fitted on living models—not molded or pressed into shape.

Select your costume from the models we are now displaying. In this splendid collection you will find that Bischof has thought out all your needs for this season. The costume you want is here, at a price to interest you.

Suits \$10.00 to \$35.00
Dresses \$5.00 to \$25.00

We are offering wonderful values in new Skirts as well as Suits, Coats and Dresses. You'll find here the newest in Millinery at the most reasonable prices.

DON'T WAIT to get your Furs, come now and get your choice while our stock is complete. If you are not ready to take it out we'll keep it for you. Give Us a Call--We'll Save You Money.

Higginbotham-Currie-Williams Co.
Ballinger's Big Store

CITIZENS ENDORSE STANLEY PROPOSITION

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he would come to Ballinger, Miles, Rowena, or any other place and submit his proposition to the people and explain anything they did not understand, and arrangements will be made for a meeting at Ballinger at an early date.

Under the proposition as submitted the land would not be deeded to Mr. Stanley and his company until the water is put on the land. The deeds would be executed together with the contract and held in escrow until Mr. Stanley complied with the contract, and upon his failure to fulfill the contract within a given time the deed would be held invalid and would be cancelled during the time the work was under progress and until the water was put on the land and the contract complied with the farmer would continue to hold his land and have full use and benefit of same.

Before the meeting adjourned a number of speeches on irrigation were made by men who are irrigating by pumping. Mr. Clappitt told his experience, which was proof sufficient that irrigation pays and pays big. Mr. Clappitt had 25 acres under irrigation and 75 acres of dry land. He made more than twice as much on the 25 acres as he did on the dry land. He stated that he did not put twice as much work on the irrigated lands as he did the dry land.

Mr. Reed, who lives south of Miles on the Concho, and who is irrigating about 100 acres, told his experience, which while true almost seems unreasonable. He stated that he had 83 acres of irrigated cotton, and that he had picked over 96 bales, which when counted as 500 pounds to bale amounted to over 100 500 pound bales and that he would get about fifteen more. Off of 85 acres of dry land which received the same cultivation and which was as good if not better land than the irrigated land only made three bales. Mr. Reed stated that he got six tons of maize to the acre. He had two acres in corn and made 70 bushels, but he stated that he would not advise any one to raise corn in this country by irrigation as it was more profitable to raise maize.

The people at Ballinger and the farmers in the territory that will come in for water when the big project is perfected, will have an opportunity to learn more of Mr. Stanley's proposition when he visits Ballinger at an early date.

Large Crowd Attend Bronte Meeting.

Eight or nine autos made the trip Thursday and among those who went from Ballinger were: E. V. Bateman, H. A. Cady, R. W. Bruce, W. A. Nance, L. L. Stroble, A. W. Sledge, C. A. Doose, W. C. Jones, J. A. Kelley, R. G. Erwin, A. W. Woods, J. J. Erwin, E. D. Walker, W. E. Barbee, R. L. Norris, W. A. Davis, J. N. Adams, Paul Trimmer, J. B. Wade, Judge R. S. Griggs, W. E. Brooks, R. B. Creasey, Judge C. H. Willingham, H. C. Gardner, O. L. Parish, Jno. A. Weeks, Jno. W. Clappitt, W. E. Allen, T. S. Lankford, H. O. Rhodes.

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 an 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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C. W. B. M. PROGRAM.

November 3rd, 1913.

Topic—New Americans For a New America.

Hymn.

Prayer.

Bible Reading—Ephesians 2:11-22.—Mrs. Mack.

The New America for the New Americans.—Mrs. Carter.

The Different Changes and the Influence of the same on the Religion of The New Americans.—Mrs. Walker.

The Duty of American Church to Immigrant People.—Mrs. Gentry.

Some of the Difficulties the New Americans Meet in Their New America.—Mrs. Pearson.

A Five Minute Talk on the Lesson.—Mrs. Crews.

Appointing a Leader for Next Meeting.

Denediction.

MRS. W. W. LAKE.

Tells Others How to Get Strong and Well

Mrs. W. W. Lake of Aberdeen, Miss., says: "The grippe had left me in a weak, run-down condition from which I suffered for some time. I tried different remedies but nothing seemed to do me any good until I took Vinol, from which I received great benefit. My cough is almost entirely gone and I am strong and well again, and I am glad to recommend Vinol to others who suffer as I did."

Mrs. Lake's recovery was due to the combined action of the medicinal elements extracted from cods' livers—combined with the blood making and strength creating properties of tonic iron, which are contained in Vinol and her cough disappeared as a natural result.

We guarantee that Vinol will do all we claim and will pay back your money if Vinol does not satisfy you. The Walker Drug Co., Ballinger, Texas.

P. S. Stop scratching, our Saxo Salve stops itching. We guarantee it.

MANY SCHOOLS TO OPEN MONDAY.

Many rural schools will open next Monday. In most sections of the county the cotton has been picked and the children will be able to start in school with the opening, and prospects for successful school work is very promising. Quite a number of the schools have been in session most of this month, and another month will witness the opening of practically all the schools in the county.

Causes Further Talk.

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

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Oak for Coupling Poles, Tongues and Etc.
Let us save you some money on your bill.
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COUNTERFEITER LANDS IN BALLINGER JAIL

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had an accomplice, but he denies this. Mr. Woods went to the jail Friday morning and identified the man as being the one he saw at the hotel. McLibbon told the officers Friday morning that he had a grip at the Fort Chadbourne Hotel at San Angelo and that his counterfeiting outfit was in this grip.

McLibbon is an old man. He says he is 75 years old, and he looks it all. He is very feeble, and at best only a few more days to remain in this world. His case is one of the most pitiful that has come under our observation for some time. The old man says he has one daughter and one son, and they are respectable people, and he will die before he lets them know of the disgrace he has brought upon himself. He refuses to tell the officers where his chil-

dren live. He had in his pocket a letter from his daughter, and the letter closes with a message from the children to "grandpa." The letter is signed your devoted daughter, Florence. The head of the letter is torn off, and does not show where it was written from.

The old man says he is an ex-Confederate, and that he was raised in Missouri. He says he was forced to pass the bad money or starve, and when told that he could have called on charity for help, stated that he would die before he would beg. He said he was not trying to make money by passing counterfeit money, and that he only passed enough of it to pay his way through the country, and was trying to get down on the Rio Grande where it is warmer through the winter.

BOUGHT BUNCH OF CALVES

S. R. Pitzer, of Abilene, was in Ballinger Friday shipping out 105 head of calves that he had just

bought from Walter Allen and L. P. Woods. Mr. Pitzer will put these calves on his oat fields until after Christmas and will then finish them on ensilage ready for market.

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.

"Dutch" Wardlow, of Sonora, came in Friday to visit his parents of South Ballinger and friends 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.

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Would be glad to figure with you, on your Monument work, either in marble or granite. Iron and wire fencing.

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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.

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