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## THE GLOBE

## CRUSHED BY ICE; 100 TO 300 LOST

St. Paul, Minn., April 2.-"The worst disaster to the sealing fleet completely into the hands of the for over twenty years." was the rebels at 10:20 o'clock tonight, gist of a wireless message receiv- according to announcement made ed here to-day by the Marconi Co. here tonight by Gen. Venustiano from the Bay station.

Foundland," the message added, to the world when the bugler in "were caught in a blizzard. Fifty front of Carranza's residence men fourd dead on the ice. Men blew the stacatto notes of vicfrom other ships are searching tory. The paen Carranza said was for the remainder to-day,"

Curling, New Foundland, April out of compliment to his ci.ef. 2.- Reports received here to-day | The meagre bulletins excitedly stated that the sealing steamer announcing victory after the New Foundland was lost off Cape bloodiest series of battles known at an early date the sinking of Rust and Ed Russell. Race and the greater part of her to modern Mexico said that Villa test well near here. crew of 170 men perished. No captured a large number of priword has been received of the soners and that the fleeing federsealer Southern Cross, reported al remanent was being pursued. introuble in the same vicinity Tuesday. Rescue ships have pick- commander was captured was not ed up fifty bodies of the crew of stated. There was heavy fightthe New Foundland.

Rev. J. H. Stuart, the presiding elder of this district, came in Friday at noon from his home at Brownwood and will be here to conduct services at the M. church in our city tonight in quarterly conference. Board of Trustees and Board of Stewarts and all members urged to be present and the public cordially invit-

to figure on some stock deals.

## **VILLA CAPTURES** TORREON AT LAST

Juarez, April 2.—Torreon fell

"Sealers from the steamer New | The news first was announced sounded here even before it was heard in Torreon. Villa delaying

the end came when, after capturthe rebels stormed the trenches rendered a report in which it was and barbed wire entanglements of shown that there is a considerable Canyon Del Guarache.

lieved to have been the defenders 1,000 feet, which is of very fine of the barracks while the troops quality and could easily be trans- longest in recent years, while were able to escape.

Mrs. C. R. Jeanes of Ballinger Max Zechang and Charlie Eisen is in Sa. Angelo, the guest of huth left Friday at noon for San Mr. and Mrs. John A. Harber at Angelo where Mr. Zechang goes 209 East Harris avenue.-San Angelo Standard.



"ome days must be dark and dreary: into each life some in must fall." Storms often come up suddenly "Alas, low easily things go wrong." But it is a protection agaist most ills to have plenty of money in the bank. To hav a bank account, you must START one. WHO gets thenoney you earn?

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## FLOATING ON BIG LAKE OF OIL

There has been more or less talk | From San Angelo Standard: of oil throughout this section of | Seldom if ever before in the his-

the object of their visit they have | honored dead. made inquiries that lead those At 3 o'clock, one hour earlier

ress being made in developing the ket which bore the remains of the exempt property of the Weber tem. The cities and districts are:

The prisoners captured are be- at a depth of between 900 and considerable oil in places about

> grade of oil, and a press reports the Runnels county metropolis at- church of Granger. from Stamford says:

Teh big oil companies of the state are taking a live interest in RABBIT HUNT NEAR BENOIT the oil developments in this section. There will be seen in the fact that a deal has just been consummated whereby a representative of one of the largest companies of the state secured a lease upon a twenty-five hundred acre tract just east of the Colbert ranch, upon which well No. one of

mediate development."

sentatives of the big comanies are first-class picnic dinner. now negotiating with Mr. Colbert for the other portion. Many a good score were Hamil Ward 25 other deals are pending, and there | Will Dunlap 25, C. M. Gibson 31, is the greatest activity and inter- Edwin Day 22, J. M. Garlington est in the developments.

church, returned to Ballinger memory of the pleasant day and Thursday afternoon from a short hospitality of the good people of visit to his family at Stamford.

Prof. King ,teacher of the Pony creek school, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Friday.

## POINEER STOCKMAN LAID TO REST

the state for a long time, but not tory of San Angelo has a more rep until recently has there been real resentative citzienship been presbusiness talk. It seems that the ent than that which attended the big oil companies have selected a funerals of Henry Clay Wylie strip of country extending South and G. Berry Ketchum in this city from the Electra oil fields North Wednesday afternoon. Coming of Wichita Falls to Ballinger within an hour of each other, Geologists have been put on the many who attended the funeral of job, and after making a number of Mr. Ketchum also joined in the surveys at different points, their long procession way from the reports have caused drills to be- Wylie residence on West Twohig gin to puncture the earth, and avenue to Fairmont. Both the dethere is much enthusiasm where ceased being pioneer cattlemen of splendid oil indications have been the West and beloved and honored citizens of San Angelo, men in During the last few weeks, at every walk of life, not only from least a half dozen representatives San Angelo but from many of of oil companies have visited Bal- the surrounding town gathered linger and without making known to pay their last respects to the

who are on the inside to believe than had at first been announced, that the territory around Ballin- services over the remains of Berger is under investigation. At ry Ketchum, the Pecos county present there is a man in the field, cattleman who died Tuesday morn but we have been denied the priviling, were conducted at the parledge of an interview with him, at lors of the C. A. Robinson Underleast an interview for publication. taking Co., by Rev. A. J. Weeks, It will be remembered that we pastor of the First Methodist published an account of the visit church. Friends from all sections business coming before the court three months of consideration the of a prominent capitalist and of the country gathered about was the final settlement of the reserve banks organization com. Ballinger property owner to this the bier and among them the fol- Weber divorce suit. It will be re- mittee last night announced that town a few days since, and also lowing acted as pall bearers: W. mebered that the court granted it had divided the continental a statement he made while here, A. Bell, Clint Johnson, C. H. Pow- Mrs. Weber a divorce last week, United States into twelve bankto the effect that he would begin ell, John R. Nasworthy, Jerry Y.

Whether Velasco, the federal fields in the Moro country says: Henry Clay Wylie were carried estate. been conducted in the home by sale. Rev. Robert E. Joiner, pastor of fountain of oil under the ground the Harris Avenue Presbyterian REV. J. C. JESTER CALLED church. The funeral procession which followed was one of the

tended the funeral.

Another one of the enjoyable rabbit hunts was pulled off Thurs day in the Benoit country and on this occasion it was estimated that about 450 rabbits were killed by the thirty odd hunters that took part in the days' event.

At the noon hour about 150 or the Jones County Oil Company 200 persons assembled at the tank has a well with a good showing of mear the home of Mr. Cox on the oil is located. The usual one- J. S. Reese plantation and enjoyeight royalty was given by the ed the hospitality of the good peo company and in addition to this ple of that neighborhood made pos an appreciable bonus was paid, sible by the following citizens of development to begin within nine- that section: Joe Huffman, J. S. ty days. The lease was given by Reese, Max Zechang, R. B. Ingle, John D. Hughes of Georgetown, J. E. Salmon, John Huffman, Willard Reese, E. O. Lange, E. A. In speaking of the matter Mr. Werner, F. T. and B. J. Clayton, Hughes said, "I have every con- C. M. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. fidence in the belief that pay oil Marian Taylor. Of course the or gas, or both, will be found, and good ladies of the heads of fam-I gave the lease upon my tract of liles and quite a number of the land, because I wanted to see im- young ladies prepared the teast and every one present enjoyed to The Jones County Oil and Gas the fullest extent the delicious re-Company has one-half of the R. V. past of barbecue, fried chicken, Colbert ranch of fifteen thous home-made ham and the many acand acres under lease, and repre- cessories that go to make up a

Those from Ballinger making 28. There were other large scores that we failed to learn. At a late Rev. A. C. Smith, pastor of the hour the hunters returned home, Eighth Street Presbyterian all carrying a green spot in their that neighborhood.

> Weather Report. Unsettled tonight and Saturday -probably showers.

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### JUDGE GOODWIN FINISHES WORK FOR TERM DALLAS GETS

Judge Jno. W. Goodwin came up from Brownwood and finished up the business of the present term of court and closed the court for the March term. The only and deferred the matter of the di- ing districts and selected twelve vision of the property until Thurs- cities for Federal reserve buka Scarcely had the last of the day of this week. In the adjust- under the new currency law. This The Abilene Reporter in pub- beautiful floral offerings been ment of this matter Judge Good- was the first decisive step toward lishing an account of the prog- placed on the grave until the cas- win granted an equal division of the establishment of the new sys-

"That there is oil in abundance by the following to a waiting A new hearing was granted in bank will have capital of \$9,931, in a strip of territory in the Moro hearse: W. P. Humphrey of San the damage suit case C. E. Jordan 740, with 446 National banks as ing today, it is understood, and country has not been doubted. A Angelo, W. E. Allen, C. H. Wil- vs. Dr. Bell. This is a case in members. geologist employed by B. M. lingham, D. M. Baker, J. Y. Pearce which Mr. Jordan brought suit ing the three remaining barracks Burks upon whose place the indi- and J. F. Currie of Ballinger. Pre- against Bell for damages in failheld in the city by the federals, cations appear so prominently viously impressive services had ing to comply with contract of

## TO BALLINGER CHURCH

Rev. J. C. Jester, of the Southin the canyon which forms an formed into lubricant. This geo- floral offerings at the grave were western Baptist Theological semegress from the hill-girdled city, logist has determined that there is the most beautiful to be procured. inary has accepted a call to the Seized with illness only last pastorate of the First Baptist the Moro country other than that week, Mr. Wylie slowly sank un-church of Ballinger, and will leave upon which specific testing has til the end and his death Tuesday for there Saturday morning, proved a great shock to his where he will fill the pulpit in Parties returning from . Stam. friends, many of whom were in- the Sunday services. Rev. Mr. ford report that there is consid- formed of his illness. Having re- Jester will succeed Rev. Bartow tal, \$13,151925; with 984 National erable excitement in that town sided in Ballinger for many years Broome, who recently resigned banks, etc. over the discovery of a splendid a large concourse of friends from and accepted a call to the Baptist

> For the last three years Rev. Mr. Jester has been a student at the local Baptist seminary, and is Capital, \$4,702,864, with 687 Nattaking his T. H. M. degree this ional banks, etc. term. Although he will be pastor of the Ballinger church he will Capital, \$5,594,916, with 835 Natcontinue his course at the semi- ional banks, etc. nary, being in Ballinger only on Sunday. About June 1, he with \$5,634,091, with 726 National his family, will make Ballinger banks, etc. their headquarters .- Fort Worth Record.

Miss Matilda Doose and her niece Miss Berniece Smith left Friday at noon to visit relatives and friends at San Angelo a few

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District No. 6, Atlanta: Capital, \$4,702,780; with 372 National banks, etc.

District No. 7, Chicago: Capi-District No. 8, St. Louis: Capi-

tal, \$6,219,323 with 424 National banks, etc. District No. 9, Minneapolis:

District No. 10, Kansas City:

District No. 11, Dallas: Capital,

District No. 12, San Francisco: Capital, \$8,115,524, with 514 National banks, etc.

Capt. Saye, a prominent real estate man of Comanche, was look. ing after business affairs in Ballinger Friday.



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THE DAILY LEDGER ber that Thaw is a smart erazy

received 40 per cent of the money W. SLEDGE ..... Editor and the other was lost in transit.

> Eighteen candidates for governor have been eliminated and the work goes merrily on. Many voters have been left without a candidate by the elimination process and have lost their voice in mat-

The Waco Morning News congratulates Will Mayes and says J. M. Skinner, C. P. Shepherd that there is more honor in train-Paul Trimmier, A. W. Sledge, H | ing the future governors of Texas M. Jones, R. T. Williams, J. Y than in being governor, all of Pearce, Scott H. Mack, T. J. Gard which reminds us that there is ner, O. L. Parish, R. W. Bruce work and honor for every man who makes the effort.

"This rain is worth a billion dollars," remarked a farmer. That's a mighty big price to put on anything, but we are not going to question the value of it. We known just from the way that Jerome received \$25,000 from farmer was smiling that he felt good, and it is hard to value a

> Tomorrow is election day in Ballinger. You are expected to show your interest in school matters by going to the polls and helping to elect four school trustees. The full ticket is published elsewhere in this paper. They are OLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE | all good men, and you can't go vreng, but a healthy vote will encourage the men that are relected, even though their majority is small. Vote.

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OSCAR SEAGLE TO SING AT TEMPLE.

Oscar Seagle, the noted Ameri-Sunday by the Ballinger Printing billion dollars. The Coleman Demo can baritone singer, is billed to erat says that the producer only sing in Temple on April 13th. Mr. Seagle is now making his home in London, where he has a large conservatory. He is well remembered in Ballinger, having spent about three weeks here several years ago, at that time being with Evangelist Fitzgerald in a revival. It was in the early days of his career as a singer, and he has rapidly pushed to the front. His singing while in Ballinger was the comment of every one and he drew large crowds. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jo Wilmeth while here, and Mr. Wilmeth is making an effort to get Mr. Seagle to again visit Ballinger.

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A prominent Boston lawyer to Vinol as since taking it she can afternoon in the interest of their popular trained nurses at the walk farther and do more than grocery firm. she has for years. I consider it a wonderful blood making and strength creating tonic."

farms, orchard lands, city resi- that if it does not quickly build

our Saxo Salve. We guarantee it.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

A. L. Kerley, one of the successful citizens of the Hatchel country, and superintendent of the M. E. Sunday school at Hatchel, was in the city Friday and paid the Ledger an appreciated

Mr. Ferley requested us to again announce that they would have a M E. Sunday school picnic at the J. A. Davis place on Bluff creek Saturday, April 11, at which time Prof. Secrest, of the Hatchel day school will entertain with a 45 minute exercise by his school and Judge R. S. Griggs will speak on Woodcraft and Rev. roduce the speakers and extends mary to be held in July: everybody a cordial invitation to e present, whether they be Methodist or not. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and lemonade will be served.

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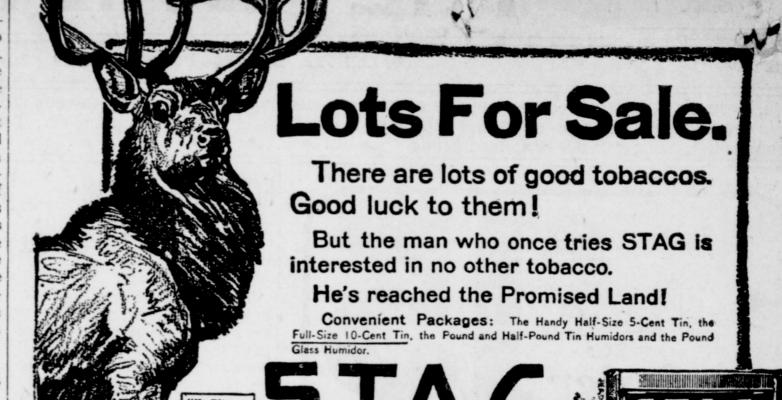
Mrs. W. A. Foreman left Friday at noon for Miles to visit her sister. Mrs. J. W. Jones and family and friends a few days.

### Straight at It.

There is no use of our "beatng around the bush." We might as well out with it first as last. We want you to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the next time you have a cough or cold. There is no reason so far as we can see why you should not do so. This preparation by its remarkable cures has gained a world wide reputation, and people everywhere speak of it in the highst terms of praise. It is for sale by all declers.

A. C. Homan, the Rowena banker was among the business visitors in Ballinger Thursday after-

You's seen the "good washed" lewelry that looks the same as the For Constable Precinct No. 1 genuine on the outside. The same opportunity for deception comes in the usual "\$15-no-mor-norless" variety of tailoring W. For City Alderman: H. Roark, Ballingers up-to-theminute Tailor representing Ed V. Price & Co., is showing the men of Pallinger the real goods.



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### THE ONE-HORSE FARMER.

farmer near Maverick, was in the Shepherd. city last Thursday and placed an adv. in the Banner-Ledger about his pure Mebane and Rowden cotton seed and while here also had

### **CANDIDATES**

This paper is authorized to an Thomas pastor of the M. E. church | nounce the following candidates would speak on "The Sunday for the offices named, subject to school." S. D. Williams will in- the action of the Democratic Pri-

> For Sheriff: JOHN D. PERKINS. J. A. DEMOVILLE

For Tax Assessor MIKE C. BOYD. WILL L STUART. C. C. SCHUCHARD SAM H. McPHERSON. JIM MeWHIRTER. R. L. (Bob) SHAFFER.

M. KLEBERG.

For County Treasurer: W. L. BROWN.

For County Clerk: O. L. PARISH. C. C. COCKRELL

For District Clerk: JOHN THOMASON. GEO. M. STOKES. Miss MARY PHILLIPS.

For Tax Collector: T. L. TODD M. D. CHASTAIN. EDWIN DAY W. T. PADGETT.

For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1 FEB McWILLIAMS.

For County Superintendent: J. N. KEY. S. C. HARRIS. E. L. HAGAN.

CHARLIE EISENHUTH.

CITY ELECTION. C. H. WILLINGHAM. JNO. A. WEEKS. W. L. ELLIS.

W. C. JONES.

W. E. Branch and J. G. Key, us send the Banner-Ledger to his A. Rosalee, one of the pioneer who had been spending a few school boy friend, Paul Loeffler at stock farmers of Concho country, says: "My mother, who is 76 days with their home folks and Mason, Texas. Mr. Loeffler is the was looking after business affairs years of age, owes her good health friends, left for the east Friday father of Miss Loeffler, one of the in Ballinger Friday. sanitarium of our city.

> Mr. Seipp says he had seveneighths of an inch of rain at his "I suffered with rheumatism place first of the week and says

Mr. Seipp also took occasion to

### For Rent.

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"If you don't need me any further, Mr. Blake," she said gently, "I'll go." Blake lifted a palsied hand in nega-

"In there," he muttered, pointing toward the door that led to the inner rooms. "I must speak to you-afterward."

When the old man raised his eyes, Mark and Grace alone were left in the room with him. Robertson was standing moveless unseeing. Grace's sobs broke the tense silence, as she fought weakly for self-control. Blake crossed over to her. She rose at his approach.

"Daughter," said Blake, almost timidly, "they've all gone. None of them will tell. But there's one thing we've got to know. I'm with you, no matter what you've done. But-but-tell me -that-that this was all over andand done with-before you married Mark!"

"Father!" The Woman faced him in dry-eyed horror. Every trace of weeping was seared away by the flame of sudden indignation. And, at the sight, Jim Blake gave a great wordless cry and gathered her into his arms as though she were a baby.

"Oh, my little girl!" he choked, "Dad's own, own little girl! We've been tearing your poor heart to pieces and your old father was the bitterest against you. It's all right, I tell you, girl. It's all right. Dad'll see you through. You shan't be bothered. There, there! Oh, don't cry like that, darling. Don't!"

His voice grew husky. Leaving her

abruptly, he crossed to Robertson. "Mark," he faltered, avoiding his son-in-law's eye, "you promised to protect her. This is the time to do it. It was 'for better, for worse.' If that vow is any good at all, it's a good for 'worse' as for 'better.' Mark-be gentle with her, boy.'

He seemed about to say more. But, glancing furtively at Mark's set changeless face, he forebore.

Slowly, with bent shoulders and youdragging step Blake made his way to the big room's farthest end. There, in an loves, you would have told me. the window's embrasure, out of ear- You would have had to. You could not shot, his back to the others, he halted. have deceived me like this. Love hammer blows of his heart, "I mean

of the sleeping city was below and around him. But, in one black mass, tiers upon tiers of garish lights Mullins bill was coming to a vote. There, Matthew Standish, freed by a mit of political power.

ruthlessly drawing. His mind would not fix itself on the lighted capitol and everything-your whole life-your make wholly steady nor impersonal. the wreck of his life-work; but crept over back into the dim room behind him. Even his tongue tricked him. For when he would have made it recite further the tale of his losses, it muttered brokenly:

"My own little girl! Dad's own, own little girl!"

CHAPTER XXII.

The Hour of Reckoning.

Mark Robertson and his wife, left alone, together, in the other end of the great library, faced the situation for which Grace had so long been preyears of preparation had proved so

He knew. That was all. And no word of hers could gloss over or make bearable the truth. Wherefore she spoke no word, but stood looking at him; taking in every detail of the stout figure and the strong commonplace face as though she wished to carry with her forever their memory.

Mark strove for speech. But for the first time in his roughly aggressive career, suitable words were denied him. Alternately he longed to tell her in naked terms what she was and how. utterly he despised her. Again, a gush of self-pity urged him to reproach her for the wrecking of his ideals, the blasting of his happiness. Vanity coming part way to his aid, he framed -and left unspoken-a curt sentence of farewell. And, in the end, all he could say was:

"Why didn't you tell me?" It was not what he had intended to

say. It was banal. It expressed none of the stark moods that seethed in him. Yet as she did not answer, he found himself asking once more: "Why didn't you tell me?"

And now, unknown and unwished a note that was almost of entreaty. And at the sound, the dumb devil that had locked Grace's lips departed. "Tell you?" she echoed. "Oh, if you

knew how I've wanted to!"

"I didn't dare. I didn't dare." "Truth and honor surely-"

"Your love meant more to me than truth and honor. I sacrificed them to keep it. I would sacrifice them and everything else to get it back. Is that shameless? Perhaps. The truth usually is. If I had told you, you would never have forgiven me. You

know you wouldn't. If I've wronged

"If you had loved me as a true wom-



"Haven't I Paid? Won't You Say We're Square?"

decide my own course. Instead, you have led me into this trap. There is no escape now. And it is too late to reproach you or to try to make you realize what you have done. You say your love for me kept you from tell- Blake, "I said 'bring.'" ing? Believe that, if it is any comfort to you. I-"

"You say I don't know what true has broken me at last. I'm old. I love is," she laughed bitterly. I'm know it now. I never did till tonight. afraid I can never learn it from you. I'm old and I want my children around So your love has died? Love can't me. die, any more than God can die. You have never loved me."

word and act of mine was shaped for Mr. Blake." you. And for you alone. I knew you. brute savagery. And I loved you for thing that isn't easy to say." them as well as for the good that was in you. But what was it you loved?

"It was. All that was worth the giving. All that had ever been worth "Ithe giving. It was my self. Oh, can't you see that a woman's body and heart and soul belong not to her first lover but to her first love? No woman can even guess what love is until she has found it. And I found it only wants her? Oh! Yes, put him on this when I knew you. I gave you every-

"I'm trying to make it easy. We'te never had a real quarrel, you and I, Mark. So don't let us wind up our married life with one, now. You are in the right. I am hopelessly in the paring and for which her frightened wrong. I have cheated you. I admit it, and I'll accept the consequences. It is in the blood. There is much in heredity. My father is a-politician. I don't know who my grandfather was, And if he had been worth knowing about, I'd know. There is a bad strain running through the family. It cropped out in me. Yes, I have cheated you. You had the right to demand in our bargain the hard-and-fast terms the world has decreed: All of a wife's life in exchange for a frayed and battered remnant of her husband's. I can't meet those terms, though I tried to fool you into believing I could. So I must meekly give up the love whose you can decide just what you want to ly empty. do and on what basis we're to sepaall. Good night, Mark."

She held out her hand with a shy limply to her side, and she moved to

her way. She looked at him in tired to he moved onward in the dazzling for, there crept into his bald question wonder. His face was set and hard. He made no move to touch her. His won't be the world's applause that the voice, when he spoke, grated like a file, as he forced it between his un- will be the love smile of a Woman.

willing lips. "Grace," he began, "I've told you my

love is dead. And I lied when I said it. I planned to put you out of my life. And, even while I planned, I knew I couldn't do it. It doesn't matter what I want to do or what I ought to do. Out of all this hideous tangle. blazes forth just one thing that I must do whether I want to or not. I must go on loving you with all my strength

"do you mean that you can-that you Regulates bladder troubles in

"I mean," he cried brokenly, his selfcontrol smashing to atoms under the you. And I can't go on without you. You are earth and heaven and hell to me. I love you. And I have forgotten will you let me make you forget, too? Oh, I love you! I love you!"

CHAPTER XXIII.

The Victor? "They didn't seem exactly to be hankering after my society in there,"

observed Wanda Keny, "so I came

Jim Blake turned from the window at sound of the telephone girl's purposely raised voice. Just within the threshold from the inner rooms of the suite. Wanda, with elaborate care, was shutting the door behind her. Blake glanced quickly about the

"Yes," said Wanda, answering the question in his look and jerking her pretty head back in the direction of the rooms she had just quitted. "In there. I wouldn't worry if I were you." Jim Blake's grim face took on a

light as incongruous as the play of sunset rays on a mummy. The mask of age and defeat seemed to melt beneath it. He took an eager step toward the inner door.

"Just a minute," Wanda halted him. "You asked me to wait. If you don't need me here any longer-"

"Yes," hesitated Blake, trouble flitting across the new light in his eyes. "I wanted to ask you-to-not to let Tom know about this. His sister-" "I'll never tell him." she promised. "I sent him away so he wouldn't find

"You're white, clear through," grudgingly admitted Blake. "Will you do one thing more?" "What?"

"Bring him back to me." "If I meet him again," she assented

primly, "I'll send-" "I didn't say 'send,' " corrected

"That's different. I-" "I'm out of politics. My own game

"I'll tell Tom," she agreed, softened despite herself by the new suppliance in a voice that had never before been "Never. I see now that you didn't. turned to the uses of entreaty. "I'll tell For you don't know what love means. him. I'm sure he'll come back to you I lived for you. Every thought and -when he understands. Good night,

"There's another thing," he broke I knew your faults, your follies, your in roughly, staying her departure, "a

"Then, why say it?" "Because," he growled, "like all The woman you married-or a snow- things that aren't easy to say, it's a four school trustees for the Indeglowed. There, in the capitol, the white saintly reputation? If you cared thing that's got to be said. Miss Kelonly for the reputation-that is gone ly, hasn't tonight pretty nearly squared forever. But if you loved me-the the old debt between you and me? miracle from the toils that craftier woman I am-then I've been every- You and yours have suffered a lot at men had woven about him, was win- thing you thought I was and wanted my hands. But, after what's hapning the victory which was to clear me to be—ever since the first moment pened here this evening, I guess you'll which terms expire. The hold for him the pathway to the very sum- you had the right to think of me at all. admit, as far as suffering goes, you overs are E. D. Walker, Dr. W. W. I gave you my life, from that time on haven't got much on me. Haven't I Fowler, and W. B. Ray. Those re- cated upon a good road. But he found his subconscious self Before then, it was mine."

I gave you my hie, from that time of and forever. And it has been all yours. Paid? Won't you say we're square?"

We're—we're square, Mr. Blake," their names to go on the ticket, the beacon lights that attract at-"And yet you let me believe it was she returned in a tone she could not

"And," pursued Blake, "and-Tom?"

The jangle of the telephone interrupted her. Blake, who was beside the desk, picked up the instrument. "Hello," he called into the transmit-"Ye-yes-she's here. Who law.

He lowered the telephone. "Some one to speak to you, Miss

Kelly," he reported. Mechanically, she took up the receiver, and, by long habit, her voice took its professional drone:

"Hello!" she called. Then, turning on Blake, in surprise, she cried:

"Why, it's Tom!" ered from the name. I'm glad. Glad fold to the good you can possibly clear down to the ground. For both

The winter sun was butting its way over the eastern sky-line. The dawn

was bitter-cold, mercilessly clear. And into the track of the first white glittering rays walked a tired man. A man who that night had won a mighty victory. A victory that foreshadowed the richest gifts his country could beprice I can't pay. Don't let's make it stow. Before him the future stretched harder by having a scene over it. bright as that winter's dawn. As daz- & Co. Testimonials free. Good night. I'll stay with father until zlingly brilliant, and as cold and stark-

In Matthew Standish's ears, as he rate. If it would do any good to ask returned toward the loveless abode your forgiveness I'd ask it. That's that he hated to call home, still rang echoes of the pandemonium that had broken loose in the house when the wistfulness. He was staring straight Mullins bill had gone down to defeat. into her tortured eyes and did not see His arms still ached from the pumpthe gesture. The hand dropped back handling a host of shrieking admirers had forced on him.

"There is only one lasting victory." But at the first step, Mark barred he muttered disjointedly to himself. ice-cold trail of light. "At the last, it world's great men will remember. It And-I shall never have known that memory. What is the rest worth?" (THE END.)

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Dinner at City Hall.

The ladies of the M. E. church will serve dinner at the city hall Monday, April 6th. A splendid din ner will be served and the proceeds go toward their church work.



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### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucuos surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians. "Yes," drawled Blake. "So I gath- as the damage they will de is ten derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucuos surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney

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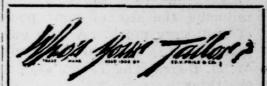
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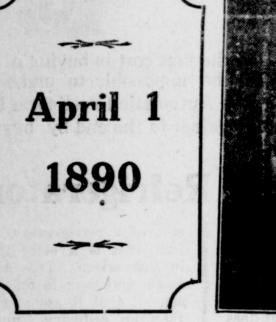
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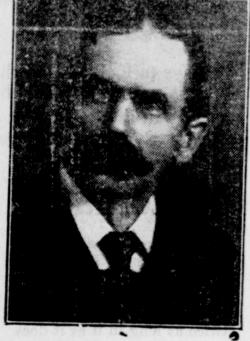
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home Friday morning and Mrs. Miles to meet friends and look af- eral of H. C. Wylie Wigle is again at her post of duty. ter his candidacy a few days.

### Remedy for the Blues.

Take a nice new shave, a clean Have you got any stoves, organ. years from your looks without guaranteed by the old reliable reet-book very much. A sure cure the Singer agent. guaranteed. Try this remedy. W. H. Roark, The Tailor, says its the thing.

J. R. Hughes, who represents short business trip. the E. A. Jeanes produce business at Santa Anna, had been in our city on a short business trip, left Friday morning for home.

### Maize For Sale.

Good well matured heads. \$1 per 100 pounds at the barn on the Anderson Sawyer place on Valley creek. See the man at the barn or call on me. G. B. NIXON 30-6td 1twpd.

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Easter Lillies, plants, each....

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W. J. Sayre, of Talpa, who had R. L. Shaffer, of Winters, one of Madames J. F. Currie and G. G.

### Do You!

bath and put on a suit of clothes or furniture or machine that you tailored to order by Ed. V. Price want fixed or repaired or varnish & Co., It will subtract a few ed see me, or phone me. All work reducing the size of your pock- pair man. C. A. Freeze, phone 381 puts an end to the worms and the try, came in Thursday to visit his

> R. C. Tillery, of Concho, passed through Ballinger Thursday af ternoon en route to Winters on a

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## Hicks'CAPUDINE

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### Headache QUICK RESULTS TRY IT

J. H. Simmons, of Brownwood representing the Brownwood Marble Works, came in Thursday to look after the interest of his 1td1tw company in our section a few

### Cough Medicine for Children

Too much care cannot be used in selecting a cough medicine for Price 50c. Sold by The Walker children. It should be pleasant to take, contain no harmful substances and be most effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets these requirements and is a favorite with the mothers young children everywhere. For sale by all dealers.

H. O. Rhodes, the barber, says take out my want ad about the lost pocketbook and money, as the little notice in The Daily Ledger brought results.

If you want to rent or buy a sewing machine I will rent you one or sell you one and I will sell you a machine from \$2.50 to \$65 and will give you from one week to three years time without interest and I will take your old machine or furniture of any kind on new machine. C. A. Freeze, Singer Agent.

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Will Brown and wife arrived Saturday from Winters to make San Saba their home. Mr. Brown will have a chair in the barber shop with J. B. Hendrick. He has barbered here before and will be and customers call and see him.-San Saba News.

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Mrs. J. C. McWhirter left Thursday afternoon for Lampasas Waco and Fort Worth to visit reltives and friends a few weeks.

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Then Why Pay More?

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sluggish liver pleasantly, easily stock will be in the very best and safely, Dodson's Liver Tone condition for breeding this and is guaranteed by The Walker next season. Your choice of the Drug Co., who will cheerfully re- bunch. Come look and pick fund purchase price (50c, at once what you want. Walter Parker, if you are not entirely satisfied 308 Strong Ave., Ballinger, Tex-

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> W. G. Lykes, of Roscoe, a former citizens of Runnels county, was looking after business affairs in Ballinger Friday.

### Look to Your Plumbing

You know what happens in a nothing harmful. It not only house in which the plumbing is in leaves no bad effects, but works poor condition-everybody in the or gripe and without interfering or some other fever. The digesat all with your regular habits, tive organs perform the same diet or occupation. A trial may functions in the human body as benefit you greatly, why not see the plumbing does for the house, and they should be kept in firstclass condition all the time. If you have any trouble with your digestion take Chamberlain's Tablets and you are certain to get quick relief. For sale by all deal-

> Ed Dozier, of Paint Rock, passed through Ballinger Friday en route home from Putman, Texas.

### -URGENT NOTICE-

Mothers should see to it that the whole family take at least 3 or 4 doses of a thorough, purifying, system clean ing medicine this spring. Now is the time. The family will be healthier, happier, and get along better if the blood is given a thorough purifying the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter accumulated in the system driven away. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the very best and surest Spring Remedy to take. Get it and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll feel fine and be well and happy. 35cts. The best the world over.

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